1882.
NEW ZEALAND.

AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, CANTERBURY
(PAPERS RELATIVE TO).

Return to an Order of the House of Representatives, dated 1st June, 1882.

"That there be laid upon the table a return (1) of all sales of the Agricultural College reserves, in the Canterbury Provincial District, of all rents received up to date for the unsold portions thereof, and of the amount of the annual rent of such portions; (2) of all capital expenditure in connection with the establishment of a college, for the purchase of land, erection of buildings, procuring of machinery, &c., respectively, and all liabilities incurred up to the 1st May under these heads; (3) of the whole annual income and expenditure for each year since its foundation in the working of the farm and general maintenance of the institution; (4) of the number resident as pupils for each year; (5) of the results obtained from the different agricultural experiments made at the farm; (6) of the number of official visits made by the Board of Governors to inspect the College, the names of the Governors attending on each occasion, and the dates on which such visits were made."—(*Mr. O'Callaghan.*)

No. 1.

RETURN of all Sales of the Reserves of the School of Agriculture, in the Canterbury Provincial District, up to 1st May, 1882.

	A.	R.	P.		£	s.	d.
	40,532	0	19	were sold before survey out of reserves;			
Less	984	3	8	refund on deficient acreage after survey;			
	39,547	1	11	... ...	79,094	12	9
				Less charge made by Surveyor-General for surveys ...	1,759	0	4
				Net amount	£77,335	12	5

RENTS received for Unsold Portions of above, and the Amount of the Annual Rent of such Portions.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Total amount of rents received				4,766	14	4
Amount of annual rents, 1876	750	0	0			
" " 1877	888	14	0			
" " 1878	638	10	0			
" " 1879	546	18	7			
" " 1880	968	5	1			
" " 1881	974	6	8			
" " to 1st May, 1882	...					

No. 2.

CAPITAL EXPENDITURE in connection with the Establishment of the School of Agriculture, Purchase of Land, Erection of Buildings, Procuring of Machinery, &c., respectively, and all Liabilities incurred up to 1st May, 1882.

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.
Purchase of land for farm	17,711	16	8
Erection of buildings and fittings	30,550	3	10
Machinery and implements	1,650	6	5
	£49,912	6	11

Liabilities.	£	s.	d.
Land	Nil		
Buildings and fittings	1,605	18	11
Machinery and implements	135	16	0
	£1,741	14	11

NOTE.—The amount for the purchase of land is an investment of capital received from the sale of reserves. The amounts expended for the purchase of buildings and fittings, and machinery and implements, was obtained partly from balance at credit of the Annual Maintenance Account, and partly from money borrowed on security of the endowment.