

SESS. II.—1884.
NEW ZEALAND.

EXPENDITURE ON PUBLIC WORKS AT HOKITIKA, GREY,
AND WESTPORT.

Return to an Order of the House of Representatives, dated 19th September, 1884.

Ordered, "That there be laid upon the table a return showing (1) the expenditure by the colony on the harbours of Hokitika, Grey, and Westport; (2) the expenditure upon railways and other public works incidental to, and connected with, the ports of Hokitika, Grey, and Westport; (3) the expenditure in connection with the coal measures of Westport and Greymouth, and the proved extent of the said coal measures."—(Mr. Seddon.)

No. 1.

STATEMENT showing the EXPENDITURE by the Colony to the 31st March, 1884, and the LIABILITIES on that Date, on the HARBOURS of HOKITIKA, GREY, and WESTPORT.

Harbour.				Expenditure.			Liabilities.			Total.		
				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Hokitika	...	...	...	43,000	0	0	...	...	...	43,000	0	0
Westport	...	...	...	8,467	9	11	4,579	17	4	13,047	7	3
Greymouth	...	...	...	121,665	6	0	3,478	11	3	125,143	17	3
Total	...	...	...	173,132	15	11	8,058	8	7	181,191	4	6

No. 2.

STATEMENT showing the EXPENDITURE upon RAILWAYS connected with the Ports of HOKITIKA, GREY, and WESTPORT up to 31st March, 1884, and LIABILITIES on that Date.

Port.		Railway.		Expenditure.			Liabilities.			Total.		
				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Hokitika	...	Hokitika-Greymouth	...	29,094	17	7	795	13	0	29,890	10	7
Westport	...	Westport-Ngakawau	...	206,944	17	1	554	6	8	207,499	3	9
Greymouth	...	Greymouth-Nelson Creek	...	182,268	17	0	6,674	8	3	188,943	5	3
		Total	...	418,308	11	8	8,024	7	11	426,332	19	7

No. 3.

STATEMENT showing the APPROXIMATE EXPENDITURE on the EXPLORATION and DEVELOPMENT of the COAL MEASURES of WESTPORT and GREYMOUTH, and the Proved Extent of the said Coal Measures.

Approximate expenditure	...	...	...	£7,700
Proved extent, Buller field	...	...	...	105,034,000 tons
" Grey "	...	...	...	102,928,000 "

Public Works Department,
1st October, 1884.

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