

No. 4.

COMPARATIVE RETURN of the TOTAL AMOUNTS of GOLDFIELDS REVENUE (exclusive of Gold Duty) collected in the several Districts during the Years 1886 and 1887, and the Quarters ending 31st March, 1887 and 1888 respectively, showing the INCREASE or DECREASE in respect of each District.

District.	Years 1886 and 1887.				Quarters ending 31st March, 1887, and 31st March, 1888.			
	1886.	1887.	Increase.	Decrease.	1887.	1888.	Increase.	Decrease.
AUCKLAND.								
Coromandel ..	£ 263	£ 378	£ 115	£ ..	£ 35	£ 26	£ ..	£ 9
Te Aroha ..	1,126	1,301	175	..	200	335	135	..
Thames ..	2,929	1,922	..	1,007	220	1,298	1,078	..
NELSON.								
Motueka ..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	..
Owen's ..	..	298	298	..	..	6	6	..
Collingwood ..	168	254	86	..	40	60	20	..
Westport ..	1,137	646	..	491	303	361	58	..
Charleston ..	..	248	248	..	..	69	69	..
Ahaura ..	604	287	..	317	90	128	38	..
Reefton ..	2,878	3,194	316	..	853	458	..	395
Wangapeka ..	13	35	22	..	63	12	..	51
Dunganville ..	142	..	..	142	..	..	..	..
Lyell ..	582	201	..	381	238	38	..	200
Notown ..	130	65	..	65	32	28	..	4
Murchison ..	..	54	54	..	..	44	44	..
MARLBOROUGH.								
Havelock ..	97	95	..	2	20	21	1	..
WESTLAND.								
Hokitika ..	207	206	..	246	54	67	..	43
Kanieri ..	245	..	..	..	56	..	..	..
Greymouth ..	605	460	..	145	143	173	30	..
Ross ..	500	487	..	13	60	197	137	..
Stafford ..	197	203	6	..	35	67	32	..
Okarito ..	..	36	36	..	..	11	11	..
Greenstone ..	40	84	44	..	32	22	..	10
Kumara ..	535	347	..	188	110	159	49	..
Jackson's Bay ..	26	7	..	19	3	..	..	3
Goldsborough ..	174	107	..	67	37	22	..	15
OTAGO.								
Hindon ..	85	108	23	..	22	31	9	..
Naseby and Black's ..	1,775	1,188	..	587	430	331	..	99
St. Bathans ..	260	168	..	92	79	55	..	24
Alexandra ..	215	90	..	125	24	61	37	..
Clyde ..	185	185	..	..	36	74	38	..
Roxburgh ..	179	195	16	..	19	111	92	..
Cromwell ..	574	490	..	84	94	149	55	..
Arrowtown ..	..	377	377	..	..	170	170	..
Queenstown ..	1,076	1,116	40	..	174	418	244	..
Pembroke ..	..	11	11	..	..	15	15	..
Lawrence ..	724	498	..	226	83	197	114	..
Switzer's ..	51	165	114	..	382	62	..	320
Tapanui ..	..	5	5	..	..	..	2	..
Orepuki ..	232	232	..	..	34	112	78	..
WELLINGTON.								
Wellington ..	..	..	..	..	..	5	5	..
CANTERBURY.								
Christchurch ..	..	57	57	..	..	2	2	..
Totals ..	17,954	15,800	2,043	4,197	4,001	5,399	2,571	1,173
Total decrease ..	..	..	..	2,154	..	..	1,173	..
Net increase ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,398	..

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