

1892.
NEW ZEALAND.

NAVAL AND MILITARY LAND CLAIMS

(RETURN OF) LODGED SINCE 25TH SEPTEMBER, 1891, AND NOT SUBSTANTIATED.

Return to an Order of the House of Representatives dated 21st September, 1892.

Ordered, "That there be laid before this House a return showing the names and regiments or commissions of all claimants under the Naval and Military Settlers' and Volunteers' Land Act whose claims have been lodged since the 25th September, 1891, and have not been substantiated; also, briefly, the reasons for their rejection."—(Mr. BUICK.)

SUBSTANTIATED CLAIMS.

SCHEDULE A.

See schedule to "The Naval and Military Settlers' and Volunteers' Land Act, 1892."

UNSUBSTANTIATED CLAIMS.

SYNOPSIS.

	Number of Claims.
Schedule B.—Claimants who have already received £15 scrip, now recommended for another £15	7
" C.—Corps not entitled to land-grants	136
" D.—Already received land or scrip	136
" E.—Did not retire from Her Majesty's service before the 31st December, 1868	102
" F.—Volunteers who did not have five years' consecutive service...	163
" G.—Volunteers who served in provinces which did not accept "The Volunteers' Land Act, 1865"	85
" H.—Applicants who have failed to prove their claims	43
" I.—Have not fully complied with subsection (2), section 2, of the Act of 1889	26
" J.—Applicants who did not retire for the special purpose of settling in New Zealand	30
" K.—Died before completing service	1
" L.—Resided in districts where no land was given to military settlers	26
" M.—Not residing in New Zealand	12
Reported on by Commissioners	767

" N.—Claims received by the Commissioners after the 30th June, 1892

NOTE.—There are many other claims still with the several Commissioners that yet have to come in.

SCHEDULE B.

CLAIMANTS who have already received Scrip, and are now recommended for Further Scrip to bring them up to the Amount allowed by the Naval and Military Settlers, &c., Acts, 1889 and 1891.

Southland.

	Scrip received. £	Recommended for £
Dunlop, Alexander	15	15
Dunlop, Robert	15	15
Ferguson, Neil (deceased)	15	15
McNalty, James	15	15
Miller, Thomas	15	15
Mitchell, William Henry	15	15
Scandrett, William B.	15	15

NOTE.—In 1873 the Provincial Government of Otago issued £15 scrip to Volunteers, and in the schedule to the Naval and Military Settlers', &c., Act, 1891, three claims of £15 each were admitted, to bring those men up to the level with other claimants—namely, £30. On the strength of these three cases the foregoing claims are now recommended by the Commissioner of Crown Lands for the Southland District.