

STATEMENT OF THE RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE OF THE NATIVE LANDS PURCHASE ACCOUNT for the Year ended 31st March, 1895.

Receipts.			Expenditure.		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
Balance at beginning of year.—			Purchase of Native lands,—	101,008	18 0
Cash in the Public Account	£849	0 1	Annual appropriations: Vote 114—Native-land purchases		
Advances in the hands of the officers of the Government in the colony	291	2 1	By debentures	101,008	18 0
Proceeds of debentures created under—					
“The Native Land Purchases Act, 1892”			Balance at end of year,—		
“The Lands Improvement and Native Lands Acquisition Act, 1894”			Cash in the Public Account	£5,051	12 2
			Advances in the hands of officers of the Government	4,279	12 0
			in the colony ..		
Total	£110,340	2 2	Total	9,331	4 2
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Certified as correct, in terms of section 20 of “The Native Land Purchases Act, 1892.” But this account was presented for audit only this morning, instead of on or before the 10th July as required by the Act, the session having commenced on the 20th June.

Wellington, 25th July, 1895.

JAMES EDWARD FITZGERALD,
Controller and Auditor-General.

NOTE.—The officer charged with the duty of preparing this return has been indisposed for the past month and was unable to complete it sooner.—P S.

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