

1899.
NEW ZEALAND.

NORTH ISLAND MAIN TRUNK RAILWAY LOAN

(PARTICULARS RELATIVE TO LAND PURCHASED OUT OF THE).

Return to an Order of the House of Representatives dated 28th October, 1898.

Ordered, "That there be laid before this House a return showing the number of acres of land purchased out of the North Island Trunk Railway Loan raised under the Act of 1882: also (1) the present approximated value of such land; (2) the number of acres (if any) which have been sold; (3) the amount of money received therefor; and (4) the purposes or accounts to which such moneys have been paid."—(Mr. MASSEY.)

RETURN showing Area of Lands purchased under the North Island Main Trunk Railway Loan Act; the approximate Value of such Lands; Area sold; Money received therefor; and Account to which such Moneys have been paid, to 31st March, 1899.

	£	Acres.
Area purchased	...	1,266,525
Estimated value	832,878	
Area sold and leased under various tenures		219,510
Money received from sales and rents and paid to North Island Main Trunk Railway Loan Account, less contributions of "thirds" and "fourths" to local bodies, and payments to Government Loans to Local Bodies Account	53,388	

Moneys received paid to Deposit Account, as required by "The North Island Main Trunk Railway Loan Appropriation Act, 1886," and amending Act, 1889."

A. BARRON, Under-Secretary.

Lands and Survey Department,
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