FUND for the Year ended 31st March, 1899, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st March, 1898.

189 7-98.	EXPENDITURE.	1898-99.		
£ s. d. 69 15 5 9,688 13 2 351,600 6 8 290,777 9 11 33,117 7 5 60,393 13 8 29,384 2 11 73,584 19 5 5,295 1 8 156 9 9 10,360 7 7	Annual Appropriations,— Class I.—Immigration . II.—Public Works, Departmental III.—Railways IV.—Roads V.—Development of Goldfields VI.—Purchase of Native Lands VII.—Telegraph Extension VIII.—Public Buildings IX.—Lighthouses, Harbour-works, and Harbour Defences X.—Rates on Native Lands XI.—Contingent Defence	£ s. d. 104 16 10 10,090 1 3 374,141 2 3 295,483 7 2 17,354 10 2 53,182 16 10 28,550 14 0 107,266 14 5 15,662 10 1 347 11 10 13,866 12 11		
1,169 4 9 50,000 0 0 51,169 4 9	Unauthorised,— Services not provided for	50 17 6		
5 5 0	The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Acts, 1896–97,— Charges and expenses of raising loan	225 1 0		
17,408 19 10 18,595 2 11 15,488 4 9	Balance at end of Year,— Cash in the Public Account Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Colony In London In London	31,794 6 9 16,509 13 0 22,552 6 7		
51,492 7 6		70,856 6 4		
£967,035 4 10	Totals	£987,183 2 7		

ACCOUNT for the Year ended 1st MARCH, 1899, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1898.

12,115 16 3 753 18 7 12,869 14 10	Expenditure,— Interest (including arrears) Surveys, Roading, &c			••	•••	••	15,849 10 2 534 5 3	16,383 15 5
3,787 13 2	Appropriations,— Vote 111—Cheviot Estate Expenses	••					••	113 1 7
	Balance at end of Year,— Cash in the Public Account	••	••	••	••	• •	••	546 11 1
£16,657 8 0	Totals	••					••	£17,048 8 1