1901. NEW ZEALAND.

VALUE OF FREEHOLD LANDS, AND AMOUNT OF MORTGAGES (RETURN OF).

Return to an Order of the House of Representatives dated the 30th August, 1899.

Ordered, "That there be laid before this House a return showing,—(1) The value of all freehold lands in the colony at 31st March, 1899; (2) the total amount of mortgages on freehold registered at that date."—(Mr. MILLAR.)

(1.) Owners of Land, classified according to the Capital Value of their Land, as at the 31st March, 1900, showing also, for Comparison, the Values in 1889 and 1892.

Value.			Year.	Number of Owners.	Capital Value.
		İ			£
		(1900	25,764	1,029,160
II. Jon 6100]	1892	23,709	950,421
Under £100	•••	1	1889	20,752	843,561
			1900	16,617	2,408,751
£100 and under £200]]	1892	15,614	2,208,529
	•••		1889	15,069	2,115,529
			1900	14,299	3,274,742
£200 and under £300		}	1892	11,446	2,723,436
£200 and under £300	•••		1889	10,904	2,592,172
			1900	9,648	3,206,804
£300 and under £400][1892	7,790	2,629,906
		11	1889	7,270	2,469,159
			1900	7,086	3,126,053
£400 and under £500		}	1892	5,282	2,312,921
	•••][1889	5,230	2,292,344
			1900	5,060	2,788,178
£500 and under £600			1892	3,940	2,103,715
	•••	}	1889	3,594	1,937,442
		}	1900	4,123	2,626,543
£600 and under £700		- 11	1892	3,161	2,012,077
	•••		1889	2,995	1,894,849
			1900	3,070	2,280,486
£700 and under £800			1892	2,349	1,735,977
	•••	}	1889	2,232	1,666,184
		}	1900	2,674	2,256,463
£800 and under £900		11	1892	2,025	1,697,246
£800 and under £500	•••)	1889	1,821	1,533,435
		}	1900	2,127	1,936,810
£900 and under £1,000			1892	1,426	1,339,565
	•••][1889	1,394	1,306,615
			1900	10,496	13,997,496
£1,000 and under £2,000			1892	7,457	10,291,448
	•••][1889	6,755	9,403,253
			1900	3,680	8,799,882
£2,000 and under £3,000		. 1	1892	2,608	6,257,042
	•••]	1889	2,299	5,578,261
		}	1900	1,792	6,132,730
000 19 mobran E 000 00		{}	1892	1,336	4,578,375
£3,000 and under £4,000	• • •]	1889	1,175	4,076,691

OWNERS of LAND, classified according to the Capital Value of their Land, &c .- continued.

Value.		Year.	Number of Owners.	Capital Value.
				£
	d	1900	1,092	4,824,963
£4,000 and under £5,000	∤∣	1892	744	3,360,266
	- ()	1889	704	3,133,151
	. (1	1900	1,900	13,043,222
£5,000 and under £10,000		1892	1,424	9,451,080
	- (1	1889	1,237	8,516,672
	7	1900	841	11,345,943
£10,000 and under £20,000		1892	669	9,090,788
	- 11	1889	623	8,417,460
	Ä	1900	394	11,559,306
£20,000 and under £50,000		1892	356	10,628,661
,	- []	1889	338	9,535,543
	7	1900	92	6,186,336
£50,000 and under £100,000		1892	104	7,115,932
,	- []	1889	107	7,107,479
	. 1	1900	39	5,068,876
£100,000 and under £200,000		1892	47	6,345,732
,	- 11	1889	37	4,952,568
		1900	11	3,815,259
3200,000 and over]	1892	14	5,538,049
•	(1889	11	4,835,862
	(1900	110,805	109,708,003
Totals		1892	91,501	92,371,166
		1889	84,547	84,208,230

(2.) Total Amount of Mortgages on Freeholds registered at 31st March, 1899. £35,032,110.

John McGowan, Commissioner of Taxes.

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