

No. 4.

COMPARATIVE RETURN of the TOTAL AMOUNTS of GOLDFIELDS REVENUE (exclusive of Gold Duty) collected in the several Districts during the Years 1900 and 1901 and the Quarters ending 31st March, 1901 and 1902 respectively, showing the INCREASE or DECREASE in respect of each District.

District.	Years 1900 and 1901.				Quarters ending 31st March, 1901, and 31st March, 1902.			
	1900.	1901.	Increase.	Decrease.	1901.	1902.	Increase.	Decrease.
AUCKLAND.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Coromandel	848	832	..	16	226	260	34	..
Te Aroha	967	1,003	36	..	176	164	..	12
Thames	2,006	1,842	..	164	549	518	..	31
Puhipuhi	134	..	..	134	46	..	..	46
Ohinemuri	3,736	4,330	594	..	1,293	1,458	165	..
Tauranga	4	39	35	..	27	11	..	16
NELSON.								
Motueka	59	87	28	..	4	5	1	..
Collingwood	442	393	..	49	116	173	57	..
Westport	1,855	1,615	..	240	613	277	..	336
Charleston	217	219	2	..	61	43	..	18
Ahaura	2,696	2,121	..	575	739	517	..	222
Reefton	1,490	1,834	344	..	680	848	168	..
Wangapeka	28	72	44	..	2	2	..	..
Lyell and Murchison ..	593	683	90	..	234	241	7	..
MARLBOROUGH.								
Havelock	394	389	..	5	153	56	..	102
Blenheim	..	163	163	..	..	78	78	..
WESTLAND.								
Hokitika	1,215	970	..	245	364	288	..	76
Kanieri	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Greymouth	5,011	5,229	218	..	1,041	2,255	1,214	..
Ross	804	495	..	309	155	154	19	..
Stafford and Goldsborough	726	454	..	272	154	109	..	45
Okarito	569	179	..	390	34	27	..	7
Kumara	1,051	1,036	..	15	400	259	..	141
CANTERBURY.								
Ashburton	124	53	..	71	1	1	..	..
OTAGO.								
Hindon	224	162	..	62	53	39	..	14
Naseby	1,029	853	..	176	194	206	12	..
Alexandra	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Black's	2,922	2,593	..	329	963	1,078	115	..
Clyde	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Roxburgh	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cromwell	1,725	1,537	..	188	506	419	..	87
Arrowtown	387	859	472	..	72	212	140	..
Queenstown	1,071	1,293	228	..	383	193	..	190
Pembroke	15	9	..	6	2	1	..	1
Lawrence	1,173	1,341	168	..	510	509	..	1
Waikaia	451	345	..	106	93	88	..	5
Tapanui	35	30	..	5	11	18	7	..
Orepuki, Preservation, } Longwood, and River- } ton }	908	906	..	2	255	225	..	30
Wyndham	132	164	32	..	48	15	..	33
Middlemarch	50	26	..	24	1	1	..	..
Gore	298	286	..	12	148	129	..	19
Totals.. ..	35,389	34,448	2,454	3,395	10,292	10,877	2,017	1,432
Net decrease	..	..	..	941	..	..	..	..
Net increase	..	..	..	..	..	..	585	..

* Fees for miners' rights reduced from 10s. to 5s.

No. 5.

RETURN of GOLD DUTY credited to LOCAL BODIES for the Year ended 31st December, 1901, and Quarter ended 31st March, 1902.

Local Body.				For the Year ended 31st December, 1901.	For the Quarter ended 31st March, 1902.
COUNTIES—				£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Coromandel	..	..	..	1,054 4 10	249 16 5
Ohinemuri	..	..	..	15,849 0 8	2,832 18 10
Piako	..	..	..	66 3 7	1 7 6
Tauranga	..	..	..	2 4 5	2 3 5
Thames	..	..	..	926 15 6	230 18 9
Whangarei	..	..	..	0 0 3	..
BOROUGHS—					
Thames	..	..	..	668 19 5	140 1 0
Waihi	..	..	..	..	1,313 4 0
Totals	..	..	..	18,567 8 8	4,770 9 11