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BANK OF NEW ZEALAND:

RETURN RELATIVE TO THE 75,000 SHARES ISSUED TO THE CROWN.

Return to an Order of the House of Representatives, dated the 29th August, 1906. Ordered, "That there be laid before this House a Return showing (1) the price paid for the 75,000 shares in the Bank of New Zealand issued to the Crown; and (2) the market value of the 75,000 shares at the present date."—

Bank of New Zealand Preference Shares.—Return showing (1) the Price paid for the 75,000 Shares of £6 13s. 4d. each in the Bank of New Zealand issued to the Crown; and (2) the Market Value of the 75,000 Shares at the Present Date.

1. Amount paid: £500,000.

2. Market value: The preference shares are not quoted in the market, but the ordinary bank shares are quoted at £8 10s. to £8 12s.

Jas. B. Heywood, Secretary to the Treasury. ROBERT J. COLLINS, Assistant Secretary and Accountant.

The Treasury, 6th September, 1906.

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