Return of the Investments made by the Commissioners of the Public Debts Sinking Funds during the Financial Year ended 31st March, 1920.

Particulars.		Due Date of Securities.	Amount.	Total.		
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.		
New Zealand Inscribed Stock Act, 1917	$4\frac{1}{2}$	15 Nov., 1938	5,300 0 0			
New Zealand Inscribed Stock Act, 1917	$4\frac{1}{3}$	20 April, 1939	2,800 0 0			
Maori Land Settlement Act, 1905	4	1 Jan., 1923	1,200 0 0			
Land for Settlements Act, 1908	4	1 Jan., 1923	1,700 0 0			
Fruit-preserving Industry Act, 1913, and	4	1 April, 1924	500 0 0			
Finance Act, 1917 (section 80)		•	į			
Fruit-preserving Industry Act, 1913, and Finance Act, 1917 (section 80)	4	1 April, 1923	6,000 0 0			
Appropriation Act, 1917 (section 22), (cold	4.	1 Mar., 1923	3,250 0 0	00 750 0 (
storage)		-		20,750 0 6		

Wellington, 9th June, 1920.

H. A. LAMB, Secretary to the Commissioners.

RETURN OF INVESTMENTS MADE BY THE STATE ADVANCES OFFICE DURING THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1920.

	Division of the little of the					
Securities.	Rate of Interest.	Amount.		Total.		
	Advances to Settlers Branch.	£	s. d.	£	s.	- d.
Mortgages of property	5 per cent., reducible to 4½ per cent. if paid within fourteen days of due date		0 0	660,145	0	0
	Advances to Workers Branch.					
Mortgages of property	$\begin{bmatrix} 5 \text{ per cent., reducible to } 4\frac{1}{2} \text{ per cent. if } \\ \text{paid within fourteen days of due date} \end{bmatrix}$	225,055	0 0	225,055	0	0
	Local Authorities Branch.					
Debentures issued by local authorities	$4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent	88,935	0 0	88,935	0	0
	Public Debt Extinction Fund Branc	h.				
Mortgages of property	5 per cent., reducible to $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. if paid within fourteen days of due date	6,700	0 0	6,700	0	0
Debentures issued by local authorities		170,600	0 0	170,600	0	0
	Advances Office Sinking Fund Accou	nt.				
Mortgages of property	5 per cent., reducible to $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. if paid within fourteen days of due date	141,335	0 0	141,335	0	0
Debentures issued by local authorities	$4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent	52,345	0 0	52,345	0	0
321000			,	1,345,115	0	0

State Advances Office, Wellington, 14th June, 1920. WM. WADDEL, Deputy Superintendent.

Return of Temporary Investments made by the State Advances Office during the Financial Year ended 31st March, 1920.

Securities.		Rate of Interest.	Amount.			Total			
British War-loan Stock Finance Act, 1916 (section 49) Finance Act, 1917 (section 77)	• • •	5 per cent 4 per cent 4 per cent	••	£ 400,000 150,000 125,000	s. 0 0 0	d. 0* 0	£ 675,000	s. ()	d. 0

^{* £421,052 12}s. 6d. purchased at £95.