

B.—RETURN OF FEES RECEIVED UNDER THE LAND TRANSFER ACT FOR THE YEAR ENDED THE 31ST MARCH, 1926.

District.	General Fees.			Assurance Fees.			Compulsory Registration.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Auckland	25,565	13	1	657	15	11	358	15	0
Taranaki	4,022	0	9	37	10	0	703	15	0
Wellington	17,952	18	7	38	5	11	737	10	0
Hawke's Bay	3,817	9	9	0	17	3	63	15	0
Gisborne	2,120	5	2	0	2	11	197	10	0
Nelson	1,752	7	3	...	...	...	61	0	0
Marlborough	680	7	0	...	...	...	393	15	0
Canterbury	15,170	19	0	...	...	...	127	10	0
Otago	6,398	11	10	...	...	...	183	15	0
Southland	4,029	8	0	...	...	...	185	0	0
Westland	780	19	2	...	...	...	133	10	0
Totals	82,295	19	7	734	12	0	3,145	15	0
Corresponding period, 1924-25...	75,471	3	8	2,553	18	8	...	...	...

C.—RETURN SHOWING THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF MONEY SECURED BY MORTGAGE UNDER THE LAND TRANSFER ACT ON THE 31ST MARCH, 1926.

District.	Amount remaining secured by Mortgage on the 31st March, 1925.	Amount secured by Mortgage during the Year ended 31st March, 1926.	Amount of Mortgage paid off during the same Period.	Amount remaining secured by Mortgage on the 31st March, 1926.
	£	£	£	£
Auckland	60,331,231	9,774,622	7,089,233	63,016,620
Taranaki	18,838,219	2,769,170	1,800,967	19,806,422
Wellington	55,887,968	11,979,248	8,484,554	59,382,662
Hawke's Bay	20,159,420	2,123,005	1,864,365	20,418,060
Gisborne	11,391,216	1,091,277	1,043,470	11,439,023
Nelson	3,767,723	548,726	451,740	3,864,709
Marlborough	4,003,676	719,857	513,247	4,210,286
Canterbury	41,570,012	6,315,450	4,026,203	43,859,259
Otago	13,584,601	2,614,552	1,779,217	14,419,937
Southland	11,974,848	1,775,958	1,441,759	12,309,047
Westland	882,546	105,331	92,521	895,356
Totals	242,391,460	39,817,196	28,587,276	253,621,381

Return showing Number and Amount of Mortgages under Land Transfer and Deeds Registry released in each District from 1st April, 1925, to 31st March, 1926.

District.	Number.	Amount. £
Auckland	12,219	9,450,483
Taranaki	2,202	2,016,607
Wellington	8,792	9,464,167
Hawke's Bay	1,909	2,306,763
Gisborne	782	1,083,809
Nelson	982	644,226
Marlborough	342	828,209
Canterbury	5,109	4,236,339
Otago	3,212	2,256,743
Southland	1,921	1,572,962
Westland	170	97,836
Totals	37,640	£33,958,144