\$658.755.368

1979

Investments-			\$	\$	
New Zealand Government securities			228,312,868		
Local authority se	curitie	es		36,564,597	
Mortgages .		••		306,996,833	
Personal loans				11,040,512	
Term loans .		••		296,711	
Overdrafts .		• •		51,922	
Total ordinary i National savings sec New Zealand Go	urities	s—	 irities	334,260	583,263,443
Total national s	aving	s securiti	es	·····	334,260
Fixed assets-		Со	st	Accumulated Depreciation	Book Value
Land and building Vehicles, equipme		. 11,148	3,843	1,252,663	9,896,180
furniture, etc.		. 13,610),670	5,493,729	8,116,941
Total fixed asset	s	•••			18,013,121

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

	1980	1979
Interest to depositors-	\$	Þ
	,419,093	8,940,455
	.699.045	8.318.875
	.123.647	4,629,251
Accrued on housing bonds	19,695	17,644
Accrued on solicitor's trust	257,771	46,858
Home lay-by accounts—suspensory		
free deposits	82,310	78,570
Administrative expenses14Trustees' honorariaDepreciation1Provision for taxation3Net profit—carried down	,601,561 ,939,394 10,380 ,204,106 ,191,397 ,961,426 ,908,264	

Appro	OPRIATI	on Ac	COUNT	
			1980	1979
Provisions for donations Transfer to reserve			\$	\$
	••		500,000	500,000
	••	••	3,473,426	3 ,792,248
			\$3,973,426	\$4,292,248

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

1980

			1000	1717
			\$	\$
Interest on investments				
From New Zealand	Governr	nent		
securities	••		16,229,118	12,547,468
From local authorities see	urities		2,820,555	2,221,516
From mortgages	••		25,923,460	20,256,917
From personal loans	••		1,145,826	627,359
From term loans	••		1,659	—
From overdrafts	••		638	
From other sources	••	• •	5,791,272	6,024,974
Subtotal			51,912,528	41,678,234
Income from other sources	• •	•••	995,736	855,444
			\$52,908,264	\$42,533,678

APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT

		1980	1979
Net profit, brought down		\$ 3.961,426	\$ 4.286.133
Over provision for donations	••	12,000	6,115
		\$3,973,426	\$4,292,248

C. BRENTON-RULE, President. D. F. STEPHENS, General Manager.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The general accounting principles recommended by the New Zealand Society of Accountants for the measurement and reporting of profits on an historical basis have been followed. Particular accounting policies used which significantly affect the measurement of the bank's profit and its financial position, are set out below:

(a) Depreciation-Fixed assets are being depreciated on a
straight-line basis at rates which will write off the cost
over their estimated useful lives to estimated residual
values. The principal write-off periods are:
Buildings 40-100 years.
Computer and office calculating equip-

Computer and once car	culating	equip-	
ment		· · ·	10 years.
Furniture and fittings	••		10- 15 years.
Other fixed assets			3- 15 years.
Personal Loan Interest-Inte	rest on	nersonal	

- (b) Personal Loan Interest-Interest on personal loans is apportioned over the term of the loan, using the "Rule of 78" method.
- (c) Taxation—Taxation charged against net profit includes both current and deferred tax. Deferred taxation arises from timing differences related to:

 (i) Interest accrued on investments; and

 (i) Depreciation charges
 (d) Valuation of Investments—Investments are recorded at cost. Both New Zealand Government and local authority securities are normally held to maturity and their value on redemption approximates cost.

Valuation of Land and Buildings—The latest Government valuation of land and buildings at 31 March 1980 totalled \$19,223,250.

AUDITORS' REPORT

We have audited the books and accounts of the Auckland Savings Bank for the year ended 31 March 1980, in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and have carried out such procedures as we considered necessary.

In our opinion, the balance sheet, profit and loss account, and appropriation account, together with the notes thereon, are properly drawn up so as to give respectively a true and fair view of the financial position of the Auckland Savings Bank as at 31 March 1980 and the financial result of its transactions for the year ended on that date, in accordance with section 29 (2) of the Trustee Savings Banks Act 1948.

CLARKE MENZIES AND CO.

Chartered Accountants.

Auditors.

PAGR

Auckland, 29 April 1980.

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