In our opinion, the accompanying balance sheet, profit and loss account, appropriation account and statement of changes in financial position, together with the notes thereon, are properly drawn up using the historical cost method modified by the revaluation of land and buildings, so as to give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Wanganui Savings Bank as at 31 March 1983, and the financial result of its transactions and the changes in financial position, for the year ended on that date, in accordance with section 29 (2) of the Trustees Savings Bank Act 1948.

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Wanganui, 29 April 1983.

## WESTLAND SAVINGS BANK BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 MARCH 1983

BALANCE SHEE	et as at 31 M	1arch 1983	
	1983		1982
Depositors Accounts—	\$		\$
Ordinary	9,654,645		10,395,377
Special	6,106,271		1,921,630
	15,760,916		12,317,007
Investment accounts	22,313,826		19,378,444
		38,074,742	31,695,451
Other Lighilities		36,074,742	31,093,431
Other Liabilities— Interest accrued on			•
investment accounts	901,367		655,686
Sundry creditors	16,645		22,238
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B 11 6 B 11		918,012	677,924
Provision for Donations Provision for Taxation—		20,000	20,000
Current			18,717
Deferred	158,517		83,992
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D		158,517	102,709
Reserve Fund— Balance 1 April 1982	706 220		625,994
Transfer from	786,339		023,994
appropriations	71,002		160,345
арргорганоль	71,002	057.341	
		857,341	786,339
		\$40,028,612	\$33,282,423
	1983		1982
Current Assets—	766 706		Д 1 176 710
Cash on hand and at banks	755,786		1,176,710
Interest bearing deposits	3,372,100		1,592,100
Interest accrued on	3,372,100		1,572,100
investments	380,208		374,256
Debtors and prepayments	69,532		72,614
Prepaid taxation	50,064		
		4,627,690	3,215,680
Investments—		1,027,070	3,213,000
N.Z. government stock	13,597,676		11.679,754
Local authority securities	193,298		267,018
Mortgages and personal	20,502,101		17,259,800
loans			
		34,293,075	29,206,572
Fixed Assets—		31,273,073	25,200,572
Land and buildings cost			
price	578,708		548,734
Depreciation to date	49,265		43,692
		529,443	505,042
Furniture and Equipment—			522.007
Cost price			533,007
	861,456		
Depreciation to date	283,052		117,878
Depreciation to date		578,404	

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## WESTLAND SAVINGS BANK

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 1983

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	1983		1982
Interest to Depositors—	\$		\$
On open accounts	265,829		267,477
On closed accounts	118,000		61,329
On matured investment accounts	1,972,521		1,440,547
Accrued on investment accounts	886,531		655,686
		3,242,881	2,425,039
Administration Expenses—	1,382,115		1.120.404
Depreciation	4,013		2,946
Depreciation	110,744		80,834
Provision for taxation	75,112		50,179
		1,571,984	1,254,363
Net profit		91,002	180,345
t.		\$4,905,867	\$3,859,747
	1983		1982
Interest on Investments—	\$		· \$
From government stock	1,341,626		1.038.432
From local authorities	10,551		30.144
From mortgages and			20,111
personal loans	2,781,758		2,369,182
From other sources	679,132		364,926
		4,831,067	3,802,684
Income from Other Sources—		, , , , ,	, , , , , ,
Commission	54,082		41,298
Rents	20,718		15,765
•		74,800	57,063
		\$4,905,867	\$3,859,747

## PROFIT AND LOSS APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 1983

	1983 - \$	1982 \$
Donations	20,000	20,000
Balance transferred to rese		•
fund	71,002	160,345
	\$91,002	\$180,345
	1983 \$	1982 \$
Net profit	91,002	180,345
	\$91,002	\$180,345

Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 March 1983

- 1. Statement of Accounting Policies:
  - (a) General accounting policies—The accounting policies recognised as appropriate for the measurement and reporting of results and financial position under the historic cost method of accounting have been adopted on a basis consistent with the previous year.
  - (b) Recognition of income—The income earned is recorded on an accrual basis and includes the amortization of premiums and discounts on the purchase of Government and Local authority stock. Interest on personal loans is calculated according to the rule of 78.
  - (c) Expenditure—Interest on depositor's accounts represents interest paid, credited or accrued for the financial year ended 31 March 1983. Other expenses, including computer development costs, are charged to the accounts in the year in which the expenditure is incurred.
  - (d) Fixed assets and depreciation—Fixed assets are valued at cost less accumulated depreciation. Depreciation has been charged using the straight line method based on the economic life of the assets.
  - (e) Taxation—Taxation charged against net profit is the estimated expense relating to the result of the year. It includes an amount for taxation, the payment of which is deferred to future periods, because taxation practice differs from accounting policies in the treatment of: