

RETURN

OF

LANDS CONFISCATED BY THE GENERAL GOVERNMENT,

ETC.

Return to an Order of the House of Representatives, No. 6, dated 22nd June, 1870.

That a Return be laid upon the Table of this House, showing—"1. The acreage of lands confiscated by, ceded to, or otherwise acquired by the General Government in the respective Districts of the Colony. 2. The quantity of such lands in each District given, agreed to be given, or reserved for Natives, whether friendly or rebel. 3. The quantity of such lands in each District allocated to Military Settlers or Immigrants. 4. The quantity of such lands sold for cash or scrip in each District, and the amount of cash realized therefor. 5. The quantity of such lands in each District now held by the Government available for sale."

(Mr. Gillies.)

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Province.	District.	Name of Block.	Area.			Area.			Area.			Area.		
			A.	R.	P.	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	A.	R.	P.
Auckland	Waikato	Waikato and Manukau	1,193,306	0	0	278,891	1	12	154,501	0	31	541,996	1	39
"	Tauranga	Tauranga and Katikati	214,000	0	0	89,293	0	0	1,666	0	19	82,535	0	0
"	Opotiki	Bay of Plenty	440,000	0	0	211,813	0	0	98	0	24	183,372	0	0
"	"	Waipoua	230,000	0	0	207,000	0	0	35,550	0	0
"	"	Poueroa Bay	200,000	0	0	104,000	0	0	(a)51,000	0	0
"	"	Waipoua	(b)60,000	0	0	59,900	0	0	100	0	0
Hawke's Bay	"	Mohaka Waikare	340,500	0	0	297,267	0	0	(c)39,633	0	0
Taranaki	Oakura	"	30,200	0	0	12,338	0	0
"	Waitara South	"	23,300	0	0	10,673	1	0	423	2	2	(d)200	0	0
"	Ngatiawa Coast	"	492,800	0	0	55,044	2	0	767	3	0	(e)421,993	0	20
"	Ngatirimu Coast	"	198,000	0	0	47,954	0	0	11	2	0	149,299	2	0
"	West Coast	Patea	360,000	0	0	21,223	0	0	1,703	2	17	Whenuakura, 8,000	0	0
"	"	"	Patea, 3,499	1	33
"	"	"	Waingongoro, 30,000	0	0
Wellington	West Coast	Okotuku	138,000	0	0	8,626	0	0	(f)33,000	0	0
		Totals	3,940,106	0	0	1,404,028	0	12	159,171	3	13	1,580,178	2	12

(a.) 5,000 acres out of this block, known as Patutahi, is promised to Native allies engaged on our side during East Coast Campaign, 1864-65.
(b.) This block was partly taken, and partly ceded by, Ngatioporou Tribe; subsequently it was all given back by the Hon. D. McLean to Ngatioporou Tribe in consideration of services, only 100 acres for landing place, &c., at Awanui, being retained.

(c.) The posts, Tarawera and Haroto, are within this acreage.
(d.) These 200 acres are in the Town of Raleigh, Waitara West.
(e.) This area includes 109 acres in the Town of Raleigh, Waitara East.
(f.) Inclusive of the Railway Reserve of 12,000 acres.

9th September, 1871.

G. S. COOPER, for the Secretary for Crown Lands.

