RETURN of LANDS Sold or otherwise absolutely Disposed of in the several PROVINCES of NEW ZEALAND, from 1st January to 31st December, 1875.

Hawke's Bay.

Period.	Lands Sold. Number of Acres. Town.	Suburban.	Country.	Rate per Acre. Town.	Suburban.	Country.	Consideration. Cash.	Scrip:—New Zealand Co.'s; Old Land Claims, or Government Scrip or Debentures.	For Public Works executed. Amount.	Value of Work done.	Lands Disposed of without Sale. To Immigrants.	Naval and Military Settlers under New Zealand Settlements Act, &c.	Reserves granted for Public Purposes under "Public Reserves Act, 1854."	To Europeans or Natives, under "Waste Lands Act 1858;" "Crown Grants Act, (No. 2), 1862;" Native Reserves Acts, &c.	To Natives, by Grants under "Native Lands Act, 1865," &c.	In Satisfaction of Land Scrip, or otherwise not specified.
1875.	A. R. P.	A. R. P.	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	A. R. P.	A. R. P.	A. R. P.	A. R. P.	A. R. P.	A. R. P.
Quarter ending 31st March ...	13 2 12	231 2 10	8,003 2 0	84 0 2½	6 14 2	0 16 2½	9,181 19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" " 30th June ...	27 0 31	39 1 5	4,006 3 0	1 10 0	4 12 7¾	0 13 1¼	2,915 6 0	...	...	...	...	...	1,604 0 32	...	...	...
" " 30th September	0 1 0	32 0 13	2,190 0 0	42 0 0	4 18 5¾	0 11 10½	1,466 6 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" " 31st December	...	9 3 4	647 3 27	...	3 13 7½	0 16 7¼	574 6 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Totals	41 0 3	312 2 32	14,948 0 27	...	...	...	14,137 17 9	...	...	...	...	...	1,604 0 32	...	...	...

Total Area Sold or otherwise Disposed of, from the Foundation of the Colony to the 31st December, 1875.	Total Cash received.	Total Area remaining for future Disposal.
A. R. P.	£ s. d.	A. R. P.
806,719 0 32	348,750 0 3	703,556 3 8

Wellington.

Period.	Number of Acres. Town.	Suburban.	Country.	Rate per Acre. Town.	Suburban.	Country.	Cash.	Scrip	Amount.	Value of Work done.	To Immigrants.	Naval and Military Settlers	Reserves granted for Public Purposes	To Europeans or Natives	To Natives, by Grants	In Satisfaction of Land Scrip, or otherwise not specified.
Quarter ending 31st March ...	80 1 14½	667 2 37	24,317 2 14	47 0 0	2 19 6	0 12 6	22,878 10 5	*120 0 0	...	...	...	195 3 5	...	307 0 0	115 1 11	...
" " 30th June ...	10 3 16	354 0 0	53,22 2 16	11 0 0	2 1 0	0 11 8	5,186 16 0	*120 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" " 30th September	23 1 11½	71 0 0	9,879 2 8	50 0 0	4 8 0	0 10 3	6,166 9 2	†190 0 0	...	...	...	52 0 7	57 3 30	...	549 0 0	...
" " 31st December	16 2 0	...	8,499 1 0	20 10 0	...	0 8 4	6,950 9 10	*60 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	198 2 0	1,930 0 35	...
Totals	131 0 2	1,092 2 37	48,018 3 38	...	...	...	41,182 5 5	490 0 0	...	...	...	247 3 12	57 3 30	505 2 0	2,594 2 6	...

Total Area Sold or otherwise Disposed of, from the Foundation of the Colony to the 31st December, 1875.	Total Cash received.	Total Area remaining for future Disposal.
A. R. P.	£ s. d.	A. R. P.
1,582,902 0 31	574,825 0 7	838,709 0 0

* And Volunteer certificates. † £90 Volunteer certificates.

NOTE.—This return does not include confiscated lands, nor lands dealt with by the Native Land Court, and only such purchases of Native lands as have been gazetted.