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SOUTH ISLAND PASTORAL LICENSES

(RETURN OF, EXPIRING BETWEEN 1st JANUARY, 1888, AND 31st DECEMBER, 1890).

Return to an Order of the House of Representatives dated 15th December, 1887.

Ordered, "That a return be laid on the table of all pastoral runs in the South Island of which the licenses expire between 1st January, 1888, and 31st December, 1890, giving in detail the number of the run, the provincial district, the acreage, name of present occupier, and present rental paid."—(Major STEWARD.)

Summary of the Return of Runs in the South Island the Licenses of which Expire between 1st January, 1888, and 31st December, 1890.

						170	mental.	
				Acres.		£	s.	d.
Nelson	 			71,567		167	18	5
Marlborough	 			52,259	•••	184	15	2
Canterbury	 		•••	2,835,819		48,248	2	2
Otago	 			986,233		31,827	7	8
Southland	 			12,550		83	15	0
Westland	 •••		• • •	280,120		313	1	8
	Total	•••	•••	4,238,548		£80,825	0	1