

“THE LAND FOR SETTLEMENTS ACT, 1894.”

TABLE C.—STATEMENT OF LANDS acquired to 31st March, 1897, prepared in terms of Subsection (2) of Section 39 of the said Act—continued.

| Name of Settlement. | Area of each Block of Land as purchased. | Locality of Land. | Quality of Land. | Name of Person or Company from whom it was bought or acquired. | Price paid to Seller to 31st March, 1897. | | Price to be paid where Transaction not complete at 31st March, 1897. | | Report and Valuation of Board. | | Report on Conditions and Settlement of the Land. |
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| | | | | | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | Report of Board. | Valuation of Board. | |
| Southland Land District—Merrivale | A. R. P. 9,998 0 0 | Waian Survey District, Southland Land District | Mixed agricultural and pastoral; deep, rich, free soil | Elder, Smith, and Co. | £ 24,995 | s. d. 0 0 | £ .. | s. d. .. | That the land is good, and suitable for settlement; that the Board believes there is a demand for this class of land in the district; that the Board recommends purchase at a price not exceeding £2 10s. an acre | £ s. d. 3 0 0 | See Report attached. |
| Total | 9,998 0 0 | .. | .. | .. | 24,995 | 0 0 | .. | .. | | | |
| Total acquired from 1st April, 1896, to 31st March, 1897 | 51,535 2 6 | .. | .. | .. | 520,541 | 7 1 | 103,584 | 3 11 | | | |
| Grand total area acquired to 31st March, 1897 | 138,454 3 27 | | | Grand total price | 624,125 | 11 0 | .. | .. | | | |