

TABLE C.—STATEMENT OF LANDS ACQUIRED TO 31st March, 1900, 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, 1900.	Report and Valuation of Board.		Report on Conditions and Settlement of the Land.
						Report of Board.	Valuation of Board.	
	A. R. P.				£ s. d.		£ s. d.	
Brought forward ..	52,037 0 15	238,718 12 7			
Canterbury Land District— <i>continued</i> .								
Pawaho ..	51 3 18	Block XVI., Christchurch Survey District	Flat agricultural land; good soil on clay subsoil. Hill sections on fairly steep slope; soil fairly good on clay	Menzies, Charles ..	1,823 12 6	Land good and suitable. Board believes there will be a demand for the land for workmen's homes, and therefore recommends the purchase	45 0 0 and 15 0 0	See Report attached.
Papaka ..	1,561 3 34	Blocks VIII. and XII., Pareora Survey District	Flat and easy, and undulating downs; quality of soil good, being black with clay subsoil	Sullivan J. ..	17,962 11 4	The land is good, and suitable for settlement; that there will be a demand for the land, and the Board recommends the purchase	11 10 0	See Report attached.
Pareora No. 2 ..	8,108 3 29	Blocks VI., VII., VIII., X., XI., XII., Otaio Survey District	Nearly all undulating; soil good, on clay	New Zealand and Australian Land Company (Limited)	70,953 3 0	The land is good, and suitable for settlement; that there will be a demand for the land, and the Board recommends the purchase	8 10 0	
Punaroa ..	7,025 1 5	Blocks I., II., V., VI., Tenga-wai Survey District	Limestone foundation and alluvial flats; soil generally of very good quality	National Mortgage and Agency Company	31,613 15 4	The land is good, and suitable for settlement; that there will be a demand for the land, and the Board recommends the purchase	4 10 0	
Rautawiri ..	113 3 37	Block XIV., Geraldine Survey District	Level agricultural land; rich alluvial soil with a subsoil of loamy clay	Wade and Evans's Trustees	2,560 7 2	The land is good, and suitable for settlement; that there will be a demand for the land, and the Board recommends the purchase	22 10 0	
R.S. 20184 (Waikakahi)	36 2 22	Waitaki and Elephant Hill Survey District	..	Douglas, J. ..	366 7 6	The Board recommends the purchase of this land for the purpose of giving further access to Waikakahi	10 0 0	See Report attached.
R.S. 2682 (Albury)	6 2 4	Block II., Opawa Survey District	Part very good, part much broken	Rutherford, J. S. ..	105 0 0	Board recommends that negotiations be entered into for purchase, as an addition to Mr. A. Adamson's holding, Lot 58, Albury Settlement	105 0 0	See Report attached.
R.S. 36469 (R.S. 1862). Carrington	20 0 0	Block IV., Nimrod Survey District	..	New Zealand and Australian Land Co. (Limited)	60 0 0	Purchased as a homestead site for R.S. 36/469, Carrington.		
R.S. 36056/7* ..	58 0 16	Block VI., Opawa Survey District	Low-lying country	New Zealand Trust and Loan Company	290 10 0	..	5 0 0	See footnote.
R.S. 36228† ..	100 3 23	Block XII., Nimrod Survey District	Low-lying country	Rhodes, R. H. ..	227 0 3	..	2 5 0	See footnote.
R.S. 36231‡ ..	98 3 30	Block I., Waimate Survey District	Low-lying country	Nicholls, W. ..	346 5 7	..	3 10 0	See footnote.
R.S. 36469 (R.S. 1862)§..	154 3 2	Block IV., Nimrod Survey District	Low-lying country	Rowe, P... ..	502 19 7	..	3 5 0	See footnote.
Carried forward ..	69,374 3 35	365,530 4 10			

* R.S. 34398 and part R.S. 34597 and 27673, in Block VI., Opawa Survey District, an area of 58 acres and 16 perches, were purchased from the New Zealand Trust and Loan Company for the purpose of providing land for Mr. H. Kidd (the holder of a S.G. Run of 1375 acres, comprised in R.S. 36056/7 at Mount Nessing), on which to build a woolshed, &c.
† R.S. 22451, 24723, 27621, and 31932, an area of 100 acres 3 rods 23 perches, were purchased from Mr. R. H. Rhodes for the purpose of providing Mr. George Collier (lessee of S.G. Run 36228) with land suitable for a site for house and yards.
‡ R.S. 33006, 13991, 20669, 33005, and 18212, an area of 98 acres 3 rods 30 perches, were purchased from Mr. Whitcombe Nicholls for the purpose of providing a homestead-site and paddocks for Mr. J. D. Blackmore, the occupier of R.S. 36231 area.
§ R.S. 25373, 29737, and 29738, an area of 154 acres 3 rods 2 perches, were purchased from Mr. Peter Rowe for the purpose of working S.G. Run 36469, area 1,120 acres, in Opawa and Nimrod Survey Districts, occupied by Mr. Donald Nicholson.