

TABLE C (PART I).—STATEMENT OF LANDS ACQUIRED FOR SETTLEMENTS FROM 1st April, 1902, to 31st March, 1903.

Name of Settlement and Land District.	Area of each Estate.	Locality of Land.	Quality of Land.	Mode of Acquisition.	Name of Person or Company from whom acquired.	Price.
	A. R. P.					£ s. d.
Auckland Land District— Karapiro Extension ..	63 1 0	Block X., Cambridge Survey District ..	Soil light, slopes easy ..	By agreement..	Assets Realisation Board	*
Bickerstaffe ..	12,480 0 19	Part Okahurewa, Pukehuia, and Tokatapu Blocks, Otamatea County	Two-thirds good pastoral land, one-third agricultural land	"	Colbeck Bros. ..	†40,560 0 0
Hawke's Bay Land District— Argyll— Te Reinga ..	4,856 0 7	Part Block XXIV., Maraekakaho Survey District	Second-class pastoral downs, mostly ploughable ..	"	Maurice Mason ..	15,762 10 0
Milbourne ..	28,857 0 0	Maraekakaho and Waipukurau Survey Districts	Flats and pastoral downs, ploughable; soil ranges from poor shingly to good limestone country	Compulsorily taken	Stokes' Trustees ..	142,262 0 0
Wigan ..	10,475 0 12	Part Tokatapu and Mangaheia No. 1e Blocks	Excellent pastoral country, with some good alluvial flats	By agreement..	James Macfarlane..	†53,946 12 8
Ruangarehu ..	2,380 0 0	Part Ruangarehu No. 1 Block ..	Fair pastoral country, fenced and ready for occupation; exchanged for small detached blocks of rough bush Crown lands	"	J. N. Williams ..	†
Taranaki Land District— Spotswood ..	306 2 25	Onata and Grey Survey Districts ..	Suburban residential area, suitable for workmen's homes and small farms	"	Bayley, Mills, and Kelsey	15,201 6 2
Wellington Land District— Linton ..	551 1 36	Part Section 1 and Section 12, Rangitoto Survey District	Land good quality, mostly flat; on clay subsoil ..	"	R. Linton ..	6,846 1 10
Longbush ..	3,021 3 26	Block VIII., Huangarua, and Block V., Wainui-oro Survey Districts	Fair soil; subsoil mostly papa, part limestone ..	"	H. T. Mahupuku and Ribara te Patera	16,388 0 0
Tablelands ..	5,520 3 19	Blocks XI., XII., XV., and XVI., Huangarua Survey District	Clay soil on papa; part ploughable, good pastoral	"	H. T. Mahupuku ..	25,349 0 0
Normandale ..	1,623 0 9	Blocks VIII. and IX., Belmont Survey District	Steep hill-land, with a position-value; part suitable for workmen's homes, rest small farms	"	William A. Fitzherbert	15,419 0 8
Westland Land District— Kokatahi ..	1,879 2 20	Block I., Teoroha, and Block XVI., Kanieri Survey Districts	Light sandy soil on gravel; land level and ploughable	"	H. Diedrich ..	4,709 0 8
Marlborough Land District— Birchhill ..	8,179 0 0	Blocks IX., X., XIII., XV., and XVI., Patriarch, and Blocks IV., V., and IX., Leatham Survey Districts	Fair pastoral land; exchanged for one block Crown land to consolidate Crown land and freehold land and obtain homestead sites	"	New Zealand Land Association	†
Awatere ..	14,301 3 4	Teapanuka, Hodder, Blue Mountain, and Whernside Survey Districts	Ditto ..	"	Assets Realisation Board	†
Carried forward ..	94,495 3 17	..	..	..	..	386,443 12 0

\* Paid for in 1901, £253. † Not paid for 1902-3. ‡ Acquired by way of exchange.