## 1903. NEW ZEALAND.

## LAND FOR SETTLEMENTS ACT

(DEALINGS UNDER, &c., TO 31st MARCH, 1903).

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RETURN showing the Number of Estates acquired by the Government under the Compulsory Clauses of the Land for Settlements Act; the Amount paid by the Government for each Estate; the Amount formerly paid by each Estate by way of Land-tax; the Amount paid for surveying, roading, and other expenses connected with each Estate; the Number of Tenants residing on each Estate; and the Amount of Rent that has been paid by the Tenants of each Estate.

Name of Estate.			Price Paid.	Tax Value.	Amount paid for surveying, &c.		Number of Tenants.	Amount of Rent paid by Tenants to 31st March, 1903.
Ardgowan Hatuma Kumeroa Forest Fate Argyll			34,600 141,393 29,092 48,521 142,262 395,868	\$ 31,246 117,920 21,680 29,760 103,095 303,701	4,252 6,265 1,563 775 769	13 0 1 5 16 7 9 1	65 62 14 28 Unopened	£ s. d. 12,818 9 1 8,886 5 11 1,025 0 10 2,576 7 1 Not due

21st August, 1903.

A. Barron, Chairman, Board of Land Purchase Commissioners.

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