

Table 30.—LANDS DISPOSED OF UNDER THE LAND FOR SETTLEMENTS ACTS TO THE 31ST MARCH, 1915.

District.	Net Area acquired, including ascertained Surplus.	Area occupied by Roads and Reserves unlet.	Area of Land unlet, including Land forfeited, surrendered, or resumed and not relet, and also Land not yet offered for Selection.	Total Area purchased for Cash or made Freehold to Date.			Total Lands leased at Date.		
				Number of Purchasers.	Area.	Price realized.	Number of Selectors.	Area.	Annual Rental.
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.		£	£		Acres.	£
Auckland ..	288,882	7,499	72,182	264	34,011	49,660	904	175,190	24,562
Hawke's Bay ..	226,220	2,133	..	36	2,691	17,121	688	221,396	72,950
Taranaki ..	5,331	62	..	6	371	9,008	80	4,898	3,934
Wellington ..	71,815	784	4,298	30	2,002	25,609	420	64,731	22,348
Nelson ..	34,501	765	6,083	1	2	11	40	27,651	2,515
Marlborough ..	213,526	2,533	11,029	10	2,866	6,533	438	196,910	29,700
Westland ..	5,125	102	..	..	..	..	31	5,023	540
Canterbury ..	501,232	3,236	113	33	1,416	12,653	1,701	496,467	129,632
Otago ..	223,887	2,572	1,866	16	776	6,765	877	218,673	57,469
Southland ..	86,124	945	11,186	26	4,473	10,861	298	69,520	15,448
Totals ..	1,656,643	20,631	106,757	422	48,608	138,221	5,477	1,480,459	359,098

District.	Yearly Value of Unlet Land at 31st March, 1915.	Total Amount advanced to Selectors for Improvements.	Rent and other Payments received during the Year.	Total Receipts from Inception to 31st March, 1915.	Arrears on 31st March, 1915.		Holdings inspected during Year ended 31st March, 1915.			
					No.	Amount.	Number of Properties Visited.	Area.	Value of Improvements.	
									Required.	Actually made.
	£	£	£	£		£		Acres.	£	£
Auckland ..	3,279	2,209	53,355	300,359	59	1,277	217	31,124	24,454	92,163
Hawke's Bay ..	..	..	86,532	682,588	11	389	196	53,963	105,105	191,801
Taranaki ..	..	337	12,842	55,080	1	8	27	567	1,760	8,404
Wellington ..	1,494	2,510	41,466	252,901	27	822	26	10,836	5,573	20,905
Nelson ..	367	850	2,632	13,639	5	728	34	21,884	13,355	25,254
Marlborough ..	722	..	31,258	262,120	12	366	408	178,518	102,327	242,889
Westland ..	..	..	469	7,710	1	8	28	5,023	3,320	19,000
Canterbury ..	188	2,785	128,230	1,165,213	137	2,757	862	198,149	299,204	391,366
Otago ..	716	..	54,664	570,803	32	1,236	775	213,651	251,267	361,864
Southland ..	1,272	..	23,539	150,857	7	238	330	77,657	79,105	146,613
Totals ..	8,038	8,691	434,987	3,461,270	292	7,829	2,903	791,372	885,470	1,500,259
Payments of capital value under section 191 of the Land Act, 1908 ..			1,400	5,702						
Totals ..	..	..	436,387	3,466,972						

Table 31.—TRANSACTIONS IN BUSH, SWAMP, AND SCRUB LANDS UNDER SECTION 127 OF THE LAND ACT, 1908, DURING THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1915.

District.			Selections during the Year.			Total Area held at 31st March, 1915.											
			Heavy-bush Land.			Heavy-bush Land.			Light-bush Land.			Scrub Land.			Totals.		
			Number of Selectors.	Area.	Amount of Rental remitted during the Year.	Number of Selectors.	Area held.	Annual Rental (re-mitted).	Number of Selectors.	Area held.	Annual Rental (re-mitted).	Number of Selectors.	Area held.	Annual Rental (re-mitted).	Number of Selectors.	Area held.	Annual Rental (re-mitted).
				Acres.	£		Acres.	£		Acres.	£		Acres.	£		Acres.	£
Taranaki	..	..	..	..	..	2	2,827	198	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2,827	198
Wellington	..	..	..	..	..	62	58,135	4,403	..	..	..	..	..	..	62	58,135	4,403
Nelson	..	..	37	23,257	477	107	62,725	1,284	20	11,313	225	2	597	11	129	74,635	1,520
Totals	..	..	37	23,257	477	171	123,687	5,885	20	11,313	225	2	597	11	193	135,597	6,121