

Table 32.—INSPECTIONS MADE BY THE RANGERS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1915.

District.	Number of Properties visited.	Area.	Value of Improvements.		Number of Defaulters.				
			Required.	Actually made.	For Deficient Improvements only.	For Non-residence only.	For Non-residence and Improvements.	For other Reasons	Total.
		Acres.	£	£					
Auckland ..	1,178*	260,280	112,930	268,266	63	178	88	3	332
Hawke's Bay ..	435	258,652	195,667	528,062	27	11	9	2	49
Taranaki ..	270	127,421	65,316	123,667	18	17	16	..	51
Wellington ..	1,130	268,406	33,047	162,425	3	51	5	..	59
Nelson ..	881	378,776	132,614	212,277	106	88	60	..	254
Marlborough ..	539	499,402	135,964	350,228	13	21	1	..	35
Westland ..	273	63,729	29,853	76,922	5	4	1	..	10
Canterbury ..	1,086	733,475	328,585	473,000	156	16	4	..	176
Otago ..	1,070	437,850	278,505	431,423	122	39	..	..	161
Southland ..	1,502	299,331	99,631	237,229	31	15	16	..	62
Totals ..	8,364	3,327,322	1,412,112	2,863,499	544	440	200	5	1,189

\*In addition 1,479 miscellaneous inspections were made, covering an area of 1,080,619 acres.

Table 33.—RETURN OF LANDS ALIENATED UNDER ACTS WITHOUT MONEY PAYMENT, OR RESERVED BY THE CROWN FOR PUBLIC PURPOSES.

District.	During the Year ended 31st March, 1915.			Total Area granted under Acts without Money Payment, or reserved for Public Purposes, from Foundation of Dominion to 31st March, 1915.
	Crown Lands set apart for various Public Purposes.	Area granted under Special Acts.	Total Area thus alienated during the Year.	
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
Auckland ..	1,815	..	1,815	3,640,930
Hawke's Bay ..	80	..	80	437,223
Taranaki ..	336	735	1,071	713,805
Wellington ..	1,589	..	1,589	890,639
Nelson ..	4,907	..	4,907	311,421
Marlborough ..	206	..	206	222,445
Westland ..	49,431	..	49,431	308,545
Canterbury ..	66	..	66	1,369,047
Otago ..	1,492	..	1,492	591,999
Southland ..	3,019	..	3,019	3,554,257
Totals ..	62,941	735	63,676	12,040,311

Table 34.—ADVANCES OBTAINED FOR THE PURPOSE OF ROADING CROWN LANDS, SHOWING THE AMOUNT BORROWED AND THE AMOUNT REPAID UP TO 31ST MARCH, 1915.

Land District.					Area.	Amount borrowed.	Amount repaid.
					Acres.	£	£
Auckland ..	..	..	..	..	1,336,869	319,591	130,829
Hawke's Bay ..	..	..	..	..	452,094	114,663	58,777
Taranaki ..	..	..	..	..	718,685	235,237	137,895
Wellington ..	..	..	..	..	769,645	264,429	184,489
Nelson ..	..	..	..	..	391,975	42,661	8,007
Marlborough ..	..	..	..	..	225,417	28,098	26,776
Westland ..	..	..	..	..	46,749	5,576	1,921
Canterbury ..	..	..	..	..	3,552	1,821	796
Otago ..	..	..	..	..	176,085	21,475	23,743
Southland ..	..	..	..	..	163,188	41,325	22,083
Totals ..	..	..	..	..	4,284,259	1,074,876	595,316

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