

**Table 7.**—RETURN OF DEFERRED-PAYMENT LANDS HELD UNDER THE LAND LAWS AMENDMENT ACTS, 1912 AND 1913, AT 31ST MARCH, 1916.

District.	Selections during the Year.			Conversions from other Tenures during the Year.			Net Area held on 31st March, 1916.		
	Number of Selectors.	Area.	Annual Instalment.	Number of Selectors.	Area.	Annual Instalment.	Number of Selectors.	Area.	Annual Instalment.
<i>Ordinary Crown Lands</i>									
Auckland ..	1	50	6	41	10,833	377	86	25,476	733
Hawke's Bay ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	7,678	461
Taranaki ..	..	..	..	4	1,262	65	12	2,830	240
Wellington ..	..	..	..	30	12,070	1,311	81	22,380	2,513
Nelson ..	..	..	..	6	2,379	53	19	5,816	131
Marlborough ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Westland ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	2,497	62
Canterbury ..	..	..	..	3	74	17	6	186	15
Otago ..	..	..	..	4	40	17	4	275	27
Southland ..	..	..	..	7	763	38	33	2,924	192
Totals ..	1	50	6	95	27,421	1,878	256	70,062	4,374
<i>Land for Settlements</i>									
Auckland ..	6	418	96	34	7,133	780	162	15,631	2,558
Hawke's Bay ..	..	..	..	14	5,631	1,934	34	10,838	3,914
Taranaki ..	..	..	..	6	38	82	20	623	683
Wellington ..	4	18	33	7	2,941	965	15	3,372	1,115
Nelson ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1,816	187
Marlborough ..	..	..	..	5	7,233	1,384	9	11,510	2,276
Westland ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Canterbury ..	..	..	..	9	491	201	28	2,460	975
Otago ..	..	..	..	1	9	8	7	2,875	561
Southland ..	..	..	..	3	586	125	5	436	101
Totals ..	10	436	129	79	24,062	5,479	282	49,561	12,370
Grand totals ..	11	486	135	174	51,483	7,357	538	119,623	16,744

District.	Amount received during the Year ended 31st March, 1916.	Freehold acquired during the Year.		Made Freehold from Commencement of System to 31st March, 1916.			Selectors in Arrear on 31st March, 1916.	
		Number of Purchasers.	Area.	Number of Purchasers.	Area.	Total Amount realized, exclusive of Interest.	Number of Selectors.	Amount.
<i>Ordinary Crown Lands</i>								
Auckland ..	£ 2,559	7	Acres. 2,418	13	Acres. 3,642	£ 3,611	..	..
Hawke's Bay ..	7,422	3	3,680	5	4,279	6,935	..	..
Taranaki ..	1,048	3	632	4	797	960	..	..
Wellington ..	10,702	10	3,130	14	4,337	8,053	..	..
Nelson ..	194	1	76	5	2,514	1,019	5	125
Marlborough ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Westland ..	101	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Canterbury ..	216	1	2	1	2	125	..	..
Otago ..	811	4	549	4	549	738	..	..
Southland ..	696	2	41	12	533	720	..	..
Totals ..	23,749	31	10,528	58	16,653	22,161	5	125
<i>Land for Settlements</i>								
Auckland ..	12,870	26	4,794	64	6,174	14,588	6	55
Hawke's Bay ..	17,139	4	1,255	6	1,311	9,679	..	..
Taranaki ..	2,894	2	175	2	175	3,209	..	..
Wellington ..	1,629	1	1	2	131	1,794	..	..
Nelson ..	311	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Marlborough ..	4,180	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Westland ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Canterbury ..	2,622	3	6	3	6	359	..	..
Otago ..	1,780	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Southland ..	1,378	3	341	3	341	2,049	..	..
Totals ..	44,803	39	6,572	80	8,138	31,678	6	55
Grand totals ..	68,552	70	17,100	138	24,791	53,839	11	180