

TABLE A.

Class of Work.	Area.	Average Cost.	Total Cost.		
	Acre.		£	s.	d.
Triangulation, by staff surveyors	55,920	1·83d. per acre	427	8	4
Topographical, by staff surveyors	114,675	3·85d. „	1,840	5	11
Rural, by staff surveyors	502,460	1·07s. „	27,053	9	6
Rural, by licensed surveyors	85,620	1·98s. „	8,506	12	3
Rural, by licensed surveyors (costs not available)	24,533	..	..	..	..
Village and suburban, by staff surveyors ..	928	13·07s. per acre	606	9	10
Village and suburban, by licensed surveyors ..	697	8·00s. „	279	3	7
Village and suburban, by licensed surveyors (costs not available)	..	..	..	..	..
Town, by staff surveyors	305 sec.	36·00s. per section	550	8	3
Town, by licensed surveyors	56 „	26·40s. „	73	19	7
Native Land Court, by staff surveyors ..	20,109	4·03s. per acre	4,058	15	8
Native Land Court, by licensed surveyors ..	102,139	2·35s. „	12,012	13	3
Native Land Court, by licensed surveyors (paid by applicants)	4,662	..	..	..	..
Coal areas, by licensed surveyors (paid by applicants)	584	..	..	..	..
Sawmill areas, by licensed surveyors (paid by applicants)	613	..	..	..	..
Roads, by staff surveyors	184·13 m.	£19·5 per mile	3,588	16	8
Roads, by licensed surveyors	14·45 m.	£12·4 „	179	1	11
Roads, by licensed surveyors (costs not available)	15·11 m.	..	..	..	..

TABLE B.

Land District.	Rural Surveys.	Native Land Court Surveys.
	Acre.	Acre.
North Auckland	38,619	19,526
Auckland	130,176	35,068
Hawke's Bay	59,032	25,701
Taranaki	11,777	6,570
Wellington	22,817	33,574
Marlborough	6,023	603
Nelson	21,270	..
Westland	3,276	..
Canterbury	204,377	530
Otago	109,047	..
Southland	7,396	676
Totals	613,810	122,248

MINOR TRIANGULATION.

An area of 55,920 acres is shown under this heading. The bulk of the work was undertaken as a check on the settlement surveys.

TOPOGRAPHICAL, FOR SELECTION.

Under this heading an area of 114,675 acres is shown, at a cost of 3·85d. per acre. This work is done as a preliminary to settlement surveys.

SETTLEMENT SURVEYS.

The settlement surveys comprise Crown lands, land for settlement, and land for discharged soldiers. The bulk appears in Table A under the head of "Rural," the acreage there shown being 618,810 acres, while the remainder includes village and suburban and town lands, totalling 1,481 acres.

NATIVE SURVEYS.

During the year staff surveyors completed the survey of 20,109 acres, while 102,139 was surveyed by private surveyors. The area surveyed in each land district is given in Table B.

GOLD-MINING SURVEYS.

No survey of gold-mining areas was made.

COAL-MINING SURVEYS.

A small area of 584 acres is shown under this head. The surveys were made by private surveyors and the fees paid by the applicants.