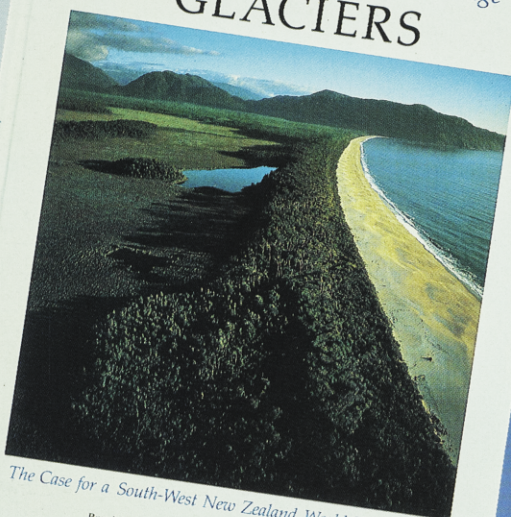


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The Case for a South-West New Zealand World Heritage Site  
Royal Forest & Bird Protection Society of New Zealand



CHAPTER FIVE

### Te Whenua Whai-Taoka

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THEY are an old whakatauki, an old proverb, that goes like this: 'Te Whenua Whai-Taoka'.

Let's take a look at a range, two ranges, a few miles apart, on the south coast of New Zealand. In the first range, the hills are low, the hills are soft, the hills are gentle. In the second range, the hills are high, the hills are steep, the hills are rugged. In the first range, the hills are covered in forest, the hills are covered in bush, the hills are covered in scrub. In the second range, the hills are covered in snow, the hills are covered in ice, the hills are covered in glaciers.

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