

RETURN

OF THE

WASTE LANDS DISPOSED OF IN THE SEVERAL
PROVINCES,

FROM 1ST APRIL, 1856;

ALSO,

THE AREA REMAINING IN THE HANDS OF THE PROVINCIAL
AUTHORITIES, ON 31ST DECEMBER, 1869.

(Return to an Order of the House of Representatives, dated 5th July, 1870.)

That there be laid upon the Table of this House, "A Return of the Area in Acres of the several Provinces and of the County of Westland; the Number of Acres belonging to and undisposed of by the Authorities in the several Provinces and County on the 31st day of December last; and the Number of Acres disposed of in such Provinces and County, between the time when the administration of the waste lands of the Crown was handed over to the Provinces and the above-mentioned date."

(Mr. O'Rorke.)

WELLINGTON.

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1872.

RETURN OF THE TOTAL NUMBER OF ACRES SOLD OR OTHERWISE DISPOSED OF IN THE VARIOUS PROVINCES OF NEW ZEALAND, FROM 1ST OF APRIL, 1856,
TO 31ST OF DECEMBER, 1869.

PROVINCE.	TOTAL AREA OF THE PROVINCE.			LAND SOLD FOR CASH.				LAND OTHERWISE DISPOSED OF.			TOTAL NUMBER OF ACRES DISPOSED OF.			LAND REMAINING FOR FUTURE DISPOSAL.							
	A.	B.	P.	A.	B.	P.	£	s.	d.	A.	B.	P.	A.	B.	P.						
AUCKLAND	...	...	...	16,650,000	0	0	527,958	2	31	90,670	3	10	1,035,040	1	1	1,562,998	3	32	*749,061	2	2
TARANAKI	...	...	...	2,137,000	0	0	8,362	0	37	2,088	8	3	15,493	1	31	23,855	2	28	11,000	0	0
HAWKE'S BAY†	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
WELLINGTON	...	...	...	7,200,000	0	0	789,128	2	24	291,297	4	10	96,738	2	30	885,867	1	4	1,180,000	0	0
NELSON	...	...	...	6,928,000	0	0	725,927	3	20	271,816	6	8	5,085	1	31	731,013	1	11	6,196,986	2	29
MARLBOROUGH	...	...	...	3,000,000	0	0	503,342	0	31	168,378	19	6	9,687	2	7	513,029	2	38	2,486,970	1	2
CANTERBURY	...	...	...	8,693,027	0	0	678,349	0	29½	1,365,256	10	1	*72,993	1	9	751,342	1	38½	7,817,171	0	4½
WESTLAND COUNTY	...	...	...	3,025,000	0	0	3,324	2	17	17,831	12	2	7,238	3	13	10,563	1	30	3,014,436	2	10
OTAGO	...	...	...	13,360,640	0	0	893,008	0	0	944,314	0	0	127,511	1	9	1,020,519	1	9	12,317,847	2	31
SOUTHLAND	...	...	...	2,780,592	1	0	510,127	2	2	497,530	9	6	48,331	2	27	558,459	0	29	2,222,133	0	11
TOTAL	...	...	...	63,774,259	1	0	4,639,528	3	31½	3,649,183	14	10	1,418,120	1	38	6,057,649	1	19½	35,995,606	3	9½

* This area does not include Surplus Lands (about 56,000 acres) reverting from old land claims to the Crown.

† Information not yet furnished.

[The Cost of this Return is £9 10s.]

