

Table 9.—RETURN OF LEASE-IN-PERPETUITY LANDS taken up during the Year ended 31st March, 1898.

District.	Taken up during the Year.				Exchanges from other Tenures during the Year.				Previous Transactions to 31st March, 1897.				Forfeitures during the Year.			
	No. of Selectors.	Area.	Average Upset Rent per Acre.	Annual Rental payable.	No. of Selectors.	Area.	Annual Rental payable.	No. of Selectors.	No. of Selectors.	Area.	Annual Rental payable.	No. of Selectors.	Area.	Annual Rental.	No. of Selectors.	Area.
Auckland	75	A. 16,355 3 9	s. d. 0 6.5	£ s. d. 448 4 6	13	A. 2,240 3 10	£ s. d. 53 11 10	474	A. 92,134 1 16	R. P. 1 38	£ s. d. 2,062 11 10	9	A. 1,363 0 2	£ s. d. 32 8 6		
Hawke's Bay	14	9,808 3 10	0 7	285 6 2	..	..	..	111	61,577 3 38	3 8	1,863 19 5	3	2,833 2 0	65 6 6		
Taranaki	31	8,189 2 30	0 10.62	357 7 2	2	960 0 0	61 5 8	135	40,231 3 2	3 2	2,154 9 4	2	939 0 0	42 2 10		
Wellington	41	10,614 3 28	0 10.75	472 17 4	1	92 3 29	4 13 0	283	83,785 0 22	0 22	3,601 16 5	14	3,443 0 0	166 9 6		
Nelson	24	6,406 3 30	0 3.3	88 4 7	4	1,715 1 33	32 5 6	74	18,281 0 30	0 30	251 9 8	1	244 0 0	2 18 6		
Marlborough	17	5,947 0 8	0 5	125 4 2	9	5,048 0 9	93 10 0	87	44,941 1 6	1 6	888 6 2	..	..	..		
Westland	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	1,260 0 0	0 0	26 17 0	1	150 0 0	3 0 0		
Canterbury	11	3,616 2 0	1 0.6	191 3 4	11	239 1 14	63 19 6	172	85,233 1 36	1 36	4,475 10 8	5	1,500 0 0	67 8 6		
Otago	65	12,491 1 34	0 6.9	363 15 4	9	3,516 1 10	101 7 0	507	140,244 3 0	3 0	4,436 2 3	13	4,391 0 9	117 19 10		
Southland	21	3,521 3 15	0 8.3	122 19 0	1	239 3 36	28 16 0	229	78,788 1 6	1 6	2,609 14 2	11	8,888 2 24	108 17 10		
Totals	299	76,953 0 4	..	2,455 1 7	50	14,052 3 21	439 8 6	2,084	646,478 0 36	0 36	22,370 16 11	59	18,751 0 35	606 12 0		

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Canterbury	..	6	105 2 12	7 10.6	41 12 10	..	..	..	115	25,142 3 21	6,718 16 0	1	24 0 0	7 4 0
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Lands for Settlements.

District.	Lands reallocated during Year.				Lands reallocated during Year.			
	No. of Selectors.	Area.	Average Upset Rent per Acre.	Annual Rental payable.	No. of Selectors.	Area.	Annual Rental payable.	No. of Selectors.
Auckland	3	1,131 1 0	0 5.31	25 1 2	6	856 3 21	100 11 2	14
Hawke's Bay	26	1,171 0 31	12 7	736 18 0	..	..	..	3
Wellington	19	212 1 30	18 3.5	194 17 2	..	..	..	..
Marlborough	..	318 0 0	2 2	34 9 0	..	..	..	..
Westland	1	157 0 0	1 10.5	14 14 4	..	..	..	..
Canterbury	155	22,594 3 27	5 3.6	5,987 19 10	..	..	..	..
Otago	84	13,015 2 36	7 0.3	4,596 7 4	..	..	..	..
Southland	5	2,279 0 14	1 8	204 16 2	1	318 0 0	12 14 6	3
Totals	294	40,879 2 18	..	11,795 3 0	7	1,174 3 21	113 5 8	56