

TABLE C.—STATEMENT OF LANDS ACQUIRED TO 31st March, 1900, prepared in Terms of Subsection (2) of Section 39 of the said Act—*continued*.

Name of Settlement.	Area of each Block of Land as purchased.	Locality of Land.	Quality of Land.	Name of Person or Company from whom it was bought or acquired.	Price paid to Seller to 31st March, 1900.	Report and Valuation of Board.		Report on Conditions and Settlement of the Land.
						Report of Board.	Valuation of Board.	
	A. B. P.				£ s. d.		£ s. d.	
Brought forward..	69,374 3 35	..	..	..	365,530 4 10			
Canterbury Land District— <i>continued</i> .								
Roinata ..	48 3 37	Blocks XV. and XVI., Christchurch Survey District	Good flat land, dark, rich, alluvial soil	Trustees of estate of late Sir Henry Parkes	2,200 6 7	The land is good level agricultural land suitable for small allotments. That the Board believes there is a demand for this class of settlement in the district; the Board therefore recommends the purchase	45 0 0	See Report attached.
Rosebrook ..	600 1 8	Block XVI., Pareora Survey District	Open, flat, and undulating down lands	Pringle, W. ..	5,984 4 8	The land is suitable for farms of about 50 acres each. That there is a demand for such land in the district; that the Board recommends the purchase of the land	10 10 0	See Report attached.
Studholme ..	107 2 17	Blocks XV. and XVI., Waitate Survey District	Flat agricultural land of good quality	Studholme's Trustees	1,291 5 6	The quality and position of the land are excellent, and, from inquiries made, the Board believes there is a demand for small farms in the district, and therefore recommends the purchase of the block	12 0 0	See Report attached.
Tamai ..	40 3 34	Block XII., Christchurch Survey District	Flat suburban land of good quality, suitable for workmen's homes	McLean, A. ..	2,662 11 3	The land is suitable for subdivision into half-acre up to two-acre lots, and the Board therefore recommends the purchase	65 0 0	See Report attached.
Takitu ..	9,697 3 37	Blocks I., V., and VI., Elephant Hill Survey District	Rich to light stony land; soil in quality is generally very good.	Wait and Burbury..	23,032 14 0	The land is good, and suitable for settlement; that there will be a demand for the land, and the Board recommends the purchase	2 7 6	
Waikakahi ..	47,865 1 1	Waitaki and Elephant Hill Survey Districts	Ranging from first-class agricultural land to light, shingly land; soil not exhausted	McLean, A. ..	322,947 15 1	The land is good, and suitable for farms of from 100 acres to 640 acres each, and the Board recommends the acquisition of the property	6 15 0	See Report attached.
Wharenui ..	73 1 10	Part of R.S. 85 ..	Land of good quality, with a strong clay subsoil	Assets Realisation Board	4,765 6 3	The land is good, and suitable for settlement. The Board believes there will be a demand for this land, and therefore recommends its acquisition	65 0 0	See Report attached.
Total ..	127,809 1 19	..	..	..	728,414 8 2	..		
Otago Land District—Ardgowan ..	4,241 0 0	Blocks I. and II., Oamaru Survey District	Good agricultural land, the whole of which may be ploughed	New Zealand and Australian Land Company (Limited)	34,600 0 0	The land is good, and suitable for settlement; that there is a demand for land in the district. The Board recommends Government to acquire the land at a price not exceeding £7 an acre. (Taken by arbitration—Award of Compensation Court, £34,600, or £8 3s. an acre)	7 0 0	
Carried forward ..	4,241 0 0	..	..	..	34,600 0 0			