

1911.
NEW ZEALAND.

CROWN AND NATIVE LANDS UNOCCUPIED IN EACH PROVINCIAL DISTRICT

(ACREAGE AND CLASS OF).

Return to an Order of the House of Representatives dated the 17th August, 1911.

Ordered, "That there be laid before this House a return showing the total area of unoccupied land in each provincial district of New Zealand (a) belonging to the Crown, and (b) belonging to the Natives; and also showing whether the land is first or second class."—(Mr. MYERS.)

RETURN SHOWING AREA OF UNOCCUPIED CROWN LAND IN EACH LAND DISTRICT AT 31ST MARCH, 1911.

Land District. (Information not compiled for Provincial Districts.)	Area unoccupied.			Class.		
	Area open for Selection,	Area remaining for Future Disposal, exclusive of Barren and Worthless Country.	Total.	First-class Land.	Second-class Land and Areas suitable for Pastoral Purposes only.	Total.
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
Auckland ..	351,944	1,288,748	1,640,692	68,397	1,572,295	1,640,692
Hawke's Bay ..	5,339	118,274	123,613	1,086	122,527	123,613
Taranaki ..	103	293,814	293,917	36,513	257,404	293,917
Wellington ..	1,616	237,591	239,207	37,593	201,614	239,207
Nelson ..	196,240	1,189,015	1,385,255	1,350	1,383,905	1,385,255
Marlborough ..	27	185,637	185,664	500	185,164	185,664
Westland ..	730,639	93,987	824,626	70	824,556	824,626
Canterbury ..	957	..	957	947	10	957
Otago ..	12,166	133,775	145,941	5,622	140,319	145,941
Southland ..	24,171	367,337	392,008	18,427	373,581	392,008
Totals ..	1,323,202	3,908,678	5,231,880	170,505	5,061,375	5,231,880

WM. C. KENSINGTON,
Under-Secretary, Crown Lands Department.

RETURN SHOWING AREA OF UNOCCUPIED NATIVE LAND IN EACH NATIVE LAND COURT DISTRICT AT 31ST MARCH, 1911.

Land Court Districts. (Information not compiled for Provincial Districts.)	Area unoccupied.		Total.	Class.
	Papatupu.	Lands vested in Boards and Trustee which have not yet been settled.		
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	These lands have not been classified.
North Auckland ...	44,278	138,833*	183,111	
South Auckland ...	3,030	194,946*	197,976	
Bay of Plenty ...	60,514	48,286	108,800	
Gisborne ...	64,310	189,834	254,144	
Wellington ...	18,660	1,340	46,469	
Wanganui ...		44,469†		
Totals ...	190,792	617,708	798,500	

* A very large area has since been settled. licenses by Maoris.

† 25,000 acres (approximately) are held under occupation

Wellington, 26th October, 1911.

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