

SUGGESTED ELECTRIC-POWER DISTRICTS—*continued.**South Island—continued.*

9. Banks Peninsula :—		Population.
Akaroa Borough ..	..	540
Akaroa County ..	..	1,982
Wairewa County ..	..	1,036
Mount Herbert County ..	..	405

 3,963

Horse-power 800.

Power Board formed.

10. Selwyn :—		Population.
Selwyn County ..	..	1,423
Malvern County ..	..	2,757
Tawera County ..	..	847

 5,027

Horse-power—1,000.

No existing supply.

11. Ellesmere :—		Population.
Ellesmere County ..	..	3,441
Springs County ..	..	1,785

 5,226

Horse-power—1,000.

Power Board formed. Might be included in a larger district if formed.

12. Ashburton :—		Population.
Ashburton Borough ..	..	3,109
Hampstead Town District ..	..	1,278
Tinwald Town District ..	..	1,075
Ashburton County ..	..	13,136

 18,598

Horse-power—3,700.

Existing: Ashburton Borough gas plant (500 h.p.).

13. Timaru :—		Population.
Timaru Borough ..	..	12,238
Temuka Borough ..	..	1,633
Geraldine Borough ..	..	869
Pleasant Point Town District ..	..	482
Waimate Borough ..	..	1,867
Levels County ..	..	5,100
Geraldine County ..	..	5,194
Waimate County ..	..	6,984
Mackenzie County ..	..	2,868

 37,235

Horse-power—7,400.

Existing: Timaru Borough gas plant (350 h.p.).

14. Waitaki :—		Population.
Oamaru Borough ..	..	5,140
Waitaki County ..	..	9,694

 14,834

Horse-power—3,000.

Existing: Oamaru Borough water-power (100 h.p.).

15. Otago :—		Population.
Dunedin City ..	..	55,256
Green Island Borough ..	..	1,904
Waikouaiti Borough ..	..	611
Palmerston Borough ..	..	752
Mosgiel Borough ..	..	1,719
St. Kilda Borough ..	..	5,520
West Harbour Borough ..	..	1,631
Port Chalmers Borough ..	..	2,615
Alexandra Borough ..	..	679
Cromwell Borough ..	..	549
Naseby Borough ..	..	276
Peninsula County ..	..	1,793
Taieri County ..	..	5,599
Waikouaiti County ..	..	4,094
Maniototo County ..	..	2,527
Vincent County ..	..	3,930
Waihemo County ..	..	1,446

 91,051

Horse-power—18,000.

Existing: Dunedin City water-power plant at Waipori (8,000 h.p., capable of extension to 16,000 or 20,000 h.p.).

16. South Otago :—		Population.
Balclutha Borough ..	..	1,409
Kaitangata Borough ..	..	1,681
Lawrence Borough ..	..	837
Milton Borough ..	..	1,317
Roxburgh Borough ..	..	449
Clutha County ..	..	6,901
Bruce County ..	..	4,763
Tuapeka County ..	..	5,123

 22,480

Horse-power—4,500.

Might be included in Otago District. No existing power plant. Dunedin City mains to be extended to Milton. Roxburgh district has formed small Power Board to develop 500 h.p. from Teviot River.

17. Southland :—		Population.
Invercargill Borough ..	..	15,866
Bluff Borough ..	..	1,823
Gore Borough ..	..	3,551
Mataura Borough ..	..	1,129
Riverton Borough ..	..	837
Winton Borough ..	..	586
Southland County ..	..	25,661
Wallace County ..	..	9,432
Fiord County ..	..	17

 58,892

Horse-power—11,800.

Power Board formed to develop Lake Monowai (12,000 h.p.) to 20,000 h.p.; portions of Clutha and Taieri Counties have been included in Board, which should go with South Otago.

18. Queenstown :—		Population.
Queenstown Borough ..	..	657
Arrowtown Borough ..	..	307
Lake County ..	..	1,749

 2,713

Horse-power—500.

Queenstown Borough proposes to develop 100 h.p. locally.