

TABLE A.—NUMBER OF PROPERTIES CONSIDERED DURING THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1928.

Land District.	Number.	Area of Estates offered.	Land District.	Number.	Area of Estates offered.
		Acres.			Acres.
North Auckland	16	15,566	Nelson	2	4,466
Auckland	17	30,616	Westland	1	1,240
Hawke's Bay	11	26,731	Canterbury	15	25,218
Gisborne	1	3,815	Otago	4	19,514
Taranaki	3	2,944	Southland	1	225
Wellington	11	23,800			
Marlborough	2	17,653	Totals	84	171,788

TABLE B.—SUMMARY OF ESTATES ACQUIRED UP TO THE 31ST MARCH, 1928.

Land District.	Number.	Area.	Purchase-money.
		Acres.	£
Auckland (including North Auckland)	99	392,139	1,546,236
Hawke's Bay (including Gisborne)	63	311,436	2,357,100
Taranaki	25	27,628	369,818
Wellington	146	158,630	2,251,543
Marlborough	22	224,090	755,482
Nelson	14	48,821	150,473
Westland	2	5,125	8,343
Canterbury	173	447,596	3,444,747
Otago	73	293,188	1,779,317
Southland	26	90,862	459,916
Totals	643	1,999,515	13,122,975

TABLE C.—RETURN OF LAND PURCHASED AND PAID FOR FROM 1ST APRIL, 1927, TO 31ST MARCH, 1928.

Name of Owner.	Locality.	Price per Acre.	Mode of Acquisition.	Settlement.	Area.	Amount paid.
		£			Acres.	£
Iist, J. W. C.	Lower Hutt ..	..	By agreement	Hutt Valley	4	2,500
Hawkins, T. C.	Dargaville ..	12	By agreement	Tangowahine	1,406	16,468
Williams, Mrs. A. E. ..	Otane	30	By agreement	Te Kura (addition) ..	10	296
Sim, J.	Mohaka	..	By agreement	Mohaka Consolidation	588	808
Rowse, Mrs. E.	Petone	..	By agreement	Hutt Valley	1	350
Simpson, J. P. C.	Otautau	..	By agreement	Simpson	225	2,130
				Totals	2,233	22,552