

TABLE A.—NUMBER OF PROPERTIES CONSIDERED DURING YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1937.*

Land District.	Number.	Area of Estates offered.	Land District.	Number.	Area of Estates offered.
		Acres.			Acres.
North Auckland	..	..	Nelson	..	..
Auckland	1	33	Westland	..	..
Gisborne	..	..	Canterbury	1	305
Hawke's Bay	..	..	Otago	1	1,591
Taranaki	..	..	Southland	..	..
Wellington	..	..			
Marlborough	..	..	Totals ..	3	1,929

* Not including Native lands for general settlement considered pursuant to section 7 (3) of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1932.

TABLE B.—SUMMARY OF PRIVATE ESTATES ACQUIRED TO 31ST MARCH, 1937.*

Land District.	Number.	Area.	Purchase-money.
		Acres.	£
North Auckland	53	48,924	455,060
Auckland	76	376,106	1,243,883
Gisborne	26	86,380	790,131
Hawke's Bay	59	264,783	1,714,292
Taranaki	26	30,978	375,881
Wellington	155	160,828	2,350,297
Marlborough	22	224,090	755,482
Nelson	14	48,821	150,473
Westland	3	6,032	14,062
Canterbury	179	451,506	3,523,526
Otago	82	336,803	2,036,018
Southland	34	94,396	522,280
Totals	729	2,129,647	13,931,385

* Exclusive of purchases under the Native Land Act, 1931, for general settlement.

TABLE C.—RETURN OF PRIVATE LAND PURCHASED AND PAID FOR DURING PERIOD FROM 1ST APRIL, 1936, TO 31ST MARCH, 1937.
(For Native Land, see next Table.)

Name of Owner.	Locality.	Mode of Acquisition.	Settlement.	Area.	Amount paid.
				A. R. P.	£ s. d.
H. L. Andrews	Te Kuiti	By agreement	..	33 1 39·8	108 7 0
Estate of John Gardiner	Ashburton	By agreement	Acton ..	305 1 24	2,003 4 6
T. R. Connolly	Town of Hyde	By agreement	Hyde ..	1,591 0 07	6,609 0 0
Totals	..	..	..	1,929 3 30·8	8,720 11 6

TABLE D.—PAYMENT FROM LAND FOR SETTLEMENTS ACCOUNT PURSUANT TO SECTION 10 (1) OF THE NATIVE LAND AMENDMENT ACT, 1932, DURING PERIOD FROM 1ST APRIL, 1936, TO 31ST MARCH, 1937.*

Payee.	Land.	Area.	Amount paid.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
Native owners	Mangatoro 1A 3C 3B	34 3 17	315 18 3
Native owners	Te Ahu Ahu 3A No. 2	4 1 10	7 10 0
Native owners	Moana Kapiti Huhu	2 2 16	1 16 6
	Raumati D 4c, D 4B		
Totals	..	41 3 3	325 4 9

* Not including payments pursuant to section 3 (2) of the Native Purposes Act, 1934.