

**Table 1.—SUMMARY OF RETURNS OF FIELD-WORK executed by the STAFF and CONTRACT SURVEYORS, from 1st April, 1905, to 31st March, 1906.**

District.	Minor Triangulation and Topographical Survey.		Topographical Survey.		Rural and Suburban.		Town Section Survey.		Native Land Court Survey.		Gold-mining Survey.		Roads and Railways.		Other Work.		Total Cost of Surveyors and Parties from 1st April, 1905, to 31st March, 1906.				
	Acres.	Cost per Acre.	Acres.	Cost per Acre.	Acres.	No. of Sections.	Cost per Acre.	No. of Allotments.	Cost per Acre.	Acres.	No. of Sections.	Acres.	Cost per Acre.	Miles.	Cost per Mile.	£		s.	d.		
Auckland ..	87,687	1.01	*135,777	1.56	194,701	454	1.24	129.5	142	29.94	15,150	40	19.55	86.54	16.21	2,667	19	3	20,603	13	5
Hawke's Bay ..	78,000	0.5	..	..	17,213	89	1.67	25.22	45	57.09	..	..	..	31.25	24.27	714	4	7	4,084	19	0
Taranaki ..	111,500	1.39	*12,680	14.0	71,211	223	2.26	14.85	44	25.84	226	1	21.24	19.36	19.18	397	19	0	7,745	2	8
Wellington ..	50,500	1.0	..	..	96,862	208	1.84	569.34	874	9.39	13,390	37	20.78	10.51	18.62	1,290	15	9	8,916	15	4
Marlborough..	..	..	..	..	61,478	223	1.57	32	111	11.6	..	..	..	42.75	10.95	154	8	1	3,308	0	6
Nelson ..	20,985	1.15	*62,136	4.97	52,116	259	1.59	44	154	17.4	..	..	..	150.1	20.93	2,806	3	5	6,806	0	1
Westland ..	6,400	6.52	135,077	3.64	31,513	160	2.51	78.75	202	36.0	..	..	..	59.32	8.19	1,705	0	0	8,810	15	11
Canterbury ..	..	..	..	..	17,413	105	2.24	1.25	2	118	..	..	..	..	..	242	16	6	1,976	8	0
Otago ..	..	..	..	..	43,210	181	0.90	44.5	104	28.61	..	..	..	..	..	271	8	5	2,286	9	10
Southland ..	..	..	..	..	19,708	133	2.2	..	..	..	..	..	..	7.25	7.93	168	14	5	1,517	7	10
Means and totals ..	355,072	1.13	345,670	3.45	605,425	2,085	1.63	939.41	1,678	18.25	28,766	78	20.14	307.08	15.6	10,419	9	5	66,055	12	7

\* Provisional settlement surveys. † 18 miles railway survey.