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DEPARTMENT OF LANDS AND SURVEY.  
**DISCHARGED SOLDIERS SETTLEMENT.**

REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1924.

*Presented to both Houses of the General Assembly pursuant to Section 14 of the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915.*

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SIR,—

Department of Lands and Survey, Wellington, 5th August, 1924.

In accordance with the provisions of the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, I have the honour to submit herewith the report of the operations under the Act for the year ended 31st March, 1924.

I have, &c.,

J. B. THOMPSON,

Under-Secretary.

The Hon. A. D. McLeod, Minister of Lands.

REPORT.

LANDS PROCLAIMED.

THE area set apart for selection by discharged soldiers is again considerably less than in previous years; in the Gisborne District only was a large block set apart. This was the Waipiro Block, containing 7,503 acres, and subdivided into eight sections. The balance of the area proclaimed comprises scattered sections situated principally in the Auckland, Taranaki, and Wellington Districts.