

New Zealand Rainfall for March, 1915—continued.

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.
SOUTH ISLAND—continued.		
(H.) SOUTH ASPECT—CAPE SAUNDERS TO PUYSEGUR POINT—continued.		
Luggate, Cromwell .. .. .	194	8
Manorburn Dam .. .. .	..	..
Queenstown .. .. .	..	..
Moa Creek .. .. .	117	6
Galloway, Alexandra South .. .. .	139	7
Ophir .. .. .	..	..
St. Bathans .. .. .	270	11
Clyde .. .. .	161	7
Roxburgh .. .. .	213	7
Balolutha .. .. .	148	12
Owaka .. .. .	274	8
Tapanui Nursery .. .. .	297	13
Waikawa Valley .. .. .	..	..
Wharuarimu .. .. .	451	15
Uplands, Waimahaka .. .. .	419	13
Roslin Estate, Woodlands .. .. .	370	14
Wyndham South .. .. .	410	12
Dipton .. .. .	280	9
Bluff .. .. .	..	..
Nightcaps .. .. .	..	..
Rannock, Orawia .. .. .	..	..
Riverton .. .. .	..	..
Manapouri .. .. .	341	8

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(I.) ISLANDS.		
Centre Island .. .. .	186	16
Stewart Island .. .. .	555	16
Horse-shoe Bay, Stewart Island .. .. .	529	26
Port Pegasus .. .. .	..	..
Niue Island .. .. .	..	..
Avarua, Rarotonga, Cook Islands .. .. .	..	..
Aitutaki Island, Cook Islands .. .. .	..	..
Mangaia, Cook Islands .. .. .	856	20
Chatham Island .. .. .	..	..
LATE RETURNS.		
Puysegur Point, February, 1915 .. .. .	586	13
Gladbrook, Middlemarch, January, 1915 .. .. .	159	16

STATEMENT showing DISCOUNT-STAMP TRANSACTIONS in the several POSTAL DISTRICTS of the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 31st March, 1915.

Postal District.	Discount-stamps sold.	Discount-stamps redeemed.	Unsold Discount-stamps on Hand on 31st March, 1915.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Auckland .. .. .	1 15 0	2 10 0	22 5 0
Blenheim .. .. .	..	..	3 0 0
Christchurch .. .. .	8 0 0	6 13 0	28 0 0
Dunedin .. .. .	..	..	30 0 0
Gisborne .. .. .	..	..	7 0 0
Greymouth .. .. .	..	..	5 0 0
Hokitika .. .. .	..	..	12 10 0
Invercargill .. .. .	..	..	2 10 0
Napier .. .. .	..	..	3 10 0
Nelson .. .. .	..	..	11 15 0
New Plymouth .. .. .	..	..	12 15 0
Oamaru .. .. .	..	..	4 0 0
Thames .. .. .	..	..	5 0 0
Timaru .. .. .	..	..	5 0 0
Wanganui .. .. .	..	..	5 0 0
Wellington .. .. .	183 5 0	166 2 0	123 10 0
Westport .. .. .	..	..	2 0 0
Totals, 1st quarter, 1915 .. .. .	193 0 0	175 5 0	282 15 0
Totals, 1st quarter, 1914 .. .. .	201 10 0	187 9 0	385 15 0

General Post Office,  
Wellington, 28th April, 1915.

W. R. MORRIS,  
Secretary.

Forest Rangers appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,  
Wellington, 27th April, 1915.

THE Public Service Commissioner has made the following appointments in the Public Service:—

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| Robert Anderson,          | Alexander McVicar,        |
| Frederick Benfell,        | John Mason,               |
| Arthur John Boydell,      | Walter George Morrison,   |
| David John Buchanan,      | William Tregear Morrison, |
| Alexander Gordon,         | Arthur William Roberts,   |
| Halbert Alexander Goudie, | Richard George Robinson,  |
| Henry Howe,               | John James Rodgeron, and  |
| Roderick Macrae,          | Thomas Oliver Screen      |

to be Forest Rangers for the purposes of the State Forests Act, 1908.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,  
Secretary.

Notice to Mariners No. 38 of 1915.

HIKUTU ROCK BUOY.—TOKOMARU BAY.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, N.Z., 26th April, 1915.

THE Waiapu County Council have notified that the black cone buoy marking Hikutu Rock was replaced by a black can buoy in the same position.

Position of buoy is determined by the following bearings: Maratiri, 308° 20' (N. 67° W. magnetic), distant 2.1 miles; Hikutu Rock, 228° 20' (S. 33° W. magnetic), distant 1 cable.

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Charts Nos. 2527 and 3500; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chapter iv, page 121; "New Zealand Nautical Almanac," 1915, page 432.

GEORGE ALLPORT,  
Secretary.