

New Zealand Rainfall for May, 1922—continued.

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.
<b>SOUTH ISLAND—continued.</b>		
<b>(G.) EAST ASPECT—KAIKOURA TO CAPE SAUNDERS—continued.</b>		
Duntroon .. .. .	57	4
Pukeuri, Oamaru .. .. .	75	9
Oamaru .. .. .	..	..
Steward Settlement, Oamaru .. .. .	74	3
Trotter's Creek, Hillgrove .. .. .	90	8
Kauroo Hill, Maheno .. .. .	81	5
Bushey Park, Palmerston South .. .. .	107	8
Roslyn .. .. .	202	15
Burnside, Dunedin .. .. .	157	14
Fish-hatchery, Portobello .. .. .	149	11
Whare Flat .. .. .	215	7
Mosgiel .. .. .	..	..
Sawyer's Bay .. .. .	171	13
<b>(H.) SOUTH ASPECT—CAPE SAUNDERS TO PUYSEGUR POINT.</b>		
Paerau .. .. .	174	5
Great Moss Swamp, via Patearoa .. .. .	133	7
Eweburn Nursery, Ranfurly .. .. .	159	7
Waipiata .. .. .	134	4
Naseby .. .. .	223	4
Robertslea, Middlemarch .. .. .	217	8
Mount Pisa Station, Cromwell .. .. .	..	..
Haweia Flat .. .. .	157	4
Maungawera, Otago .. .. .	172	2
Luggate, Cromwell .. .. .	129	5
Manorburn Dam .. .. .	115	7
Frankton .. .. .	130	5
Queenstown .. .. .	137	4
Moa Creek .. .. .	94	5
St. Bathans .. .. .	205	9
Blackstone Hill .. .. .	213	5
Clvde .. .. .	85	5
Alexandra .. .. .	77	5
Galloway .. .. .	73	5
Earnsclough .. .. .	81	5
Roxburgh .. .. .	71	4

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Balclutha .. .. .	75	7
Garston .. .. .	..	..
Glenfalloch Station, Nokomai .. .. .	..	..
Wendonside .. .. .	..	..
Wendon .. .. .	132	8
Lawrence .. .. .	131	9
Owaka .. .. .	..	..
Tapanui Nursery .. .. .	195	13
Edievale .. .. .	234	9
Waikawa Valley .. .. .	158	16
Tahakopa, Wharuarimu .. .. .	195	17
Mimihau, Wyndham .. .. .	183	22
Uplands, Waimahaka .. .. .	187	16
Roslin Estate, Woodlands .. .. .	135	16
Dipton .. .. .	47	9
Bluff .. .. .	..	..
Radio-Awarua .. .. .	138	16
Nightcaps .. .. .	133	11
Otautau .. .. .	135	12
Creighton .. .. .	149	5
Manapouri .. .. .	..	..
Monowai (Sunnyside) .. .. .	28	4
<b>(I.) ISLANDS.</b>		
Centre Island .. .. .	131	11
Half-moon Bay, Stewart Island .. .. .	244	22
Niue Island .. .. .	..	..
Avarua, Rarotonga, Cook Islands .. .. .	103	9
Aitutaki Island, Cook Islands .. .. .	..	..
Mangaia, Cook Islands .. .. .	..	..
Chatham Island .. .. .	274	17
Vava'u .. .. .	783	11
<b>LATE RETURNS.</b>		
Ashburton, December, 1921 .. .. .	163	9

The Census and Statistics Act, 1910.—Agricultural and Pastoral Statistics.

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THE collection of agricultural and pastoral statistics for the season 1921-22 is now sufficiently advanced to enable preliminary figures to be given for the Dominion. Complete returns have so far been received from 111 counties out of the 129 which comprise the Dominion, and estimates have been made for the incomplete portions of the remaining eighteen counties. The tables appended hereto are, of course, liable to revision on the complete returns coming to hand.

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INTERIM RETURNS.

I.—TABLE SHOWING APPROXIMATE AREAS AND YIELDS OF THE PRINCIPAL CROPS IN EACH LAND DISTRICT IN THE DOMINION FOR THE SEASON 1921-22.

Land District.	Wheat.					Oats.				
	For Threshing.		For Chaff, Hay, or Ensilage.		Not harvested (Fed off, &c.)	For Threshing.		For Chaff, Hay, or Ensilage.		Not harvested (Fed off, &c.)
	Area.	Yield.	Area.	Yield.		Area.	Yield.	Area.	Yield.	
	Acres.	Bushels.	Acres.	Tons.	Acres.	Acres.	Bushels.	Acres.	Tons.	Acres.
North Auckland .. .. .	241	5,028	69	89	77	13	290	6,716	9,301	518
Auckland .. .. .	156	4,028	56	107	54	72	2,718	12,035	19,256	537
Hawke's Bay .. .. .	1,174	36,208	79	116	..	1,418	50,474	21,098	38,273	396
Taranaki .. .. .	137	2,962	23	35	..	202	6,788	9,968	21,256	342
Wellington .. .. .	7,125	243,693	209	399	62	4,141	149,914	22,152	41,726	1,319
Nelson .. .. .	1,458	30,896	5	4	8	633	14,617	9,254	10,990	281
Marlborough .. .. .	4,123	130,782	47	101	..	659	24,441	15,193	32,742	328
Westland .. .. .	..	..	2	2	1	..	..	791	1,237	153
Canterbury .. .. .	261,606	7,535,232	419	572	612	71,145	2,417,236	136,676	170,383	8,462
Otago .. .. .	67,404	2,255,344	343	510	456	44,835	1,919,687	62,243	105,788	1,980
Southland .. .. .	11,022	382,634	8	19	90	47,059	2,158,380	46,275	84,023	706
Totals, Dominion, 1921-22 (interim figures only)	354,446	10,626,807	1,260	1,954	1,360	170,177	6,744,545	342,401	534,975	15,022
Totals, Dominion, 1920-21 (final figures)	219,985	6,872,262	1,623	2,481	1,235	147,559	5,225,115	410,059	557,023	17,111