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NUMBER OF SHEEP IN THE DOMINION BY CLASSES, 1941 AND 1944

Class.	Stud Sheep (entered in Flock-book).		Sheep of a Distinctive Breed but not entered in Flock-book.		Crossbred Sheep.		Dominion.	
	1941.	1944.	1941.	1944.	1941.	1944.	1941.	1944.
Rams	13,256	13,524	541,995	526,397	5,274	4,062	560,525	543,983
Wethers	..	..	921,190	1,121,587	1,468,940	1,484,518	2,390,130	2,606,105
Breeding-ewes	259,681	301,283	4,115,141	5,966,993	15,656,111	14,281,440	20,030,933	20,549,716
Dry ewes	7,262	6,667	251,729	328,474	663,642	758,151	922,633	1,093,292
Lambs	180,251	217,340	1,661,294	2,306,629	6,005,894	5,883,233	7,847,439	8,407,202
Totals	460,450	538,814	7,491,349	10,250,080	23,799,861	22,411,404	31,751,660	33,200,298

SUMMARIES

Class.	Auckland Sheep District.	Poverty Bay- Hawke's Bay Sheep District.	Wellington- West Coast Sheep District.	Marlborough- Nelson-Westland Sheep District.	Canterbury- Kaikoura Sheep District.	Otago Sheep District.	Total in Dominion.
Stud rams (entered) in Flock-book	1,420	1,581	3,940	504	3,158	2,921	13,524
Other rams ..	82,618	116,785	115,994	19,303	87,116	108,643	530,459
Wethers ..	449,314	491,966	498,016	212,482	406,863	547,464	2,606,105
Breeding-ewes ..	3,048,918	4,400,679	4,291,323	771,057	3,518,690	4,519,049	20,549,716
Dry ewes ..	104,214	251,920	207,522	56,560	235,274	237,802	1,093,292
Lambs ..	1,106,632	1,996,235	1,730,579	311,167	1,397,630	1,864,959	8,407,202
Totals ..	4,793,116	7,259,166	6,847,374	1,371,073	5,648,731	7,280,838	33,200,298

NUMBER OF EWES IN THE DOMINION (STUD AND OTHERS) SINCE 1918

Year.	North Island.		South Island.		Dominion.	
	Breeding-ewes.	Dry Ewes.	Breeding-ewes.	Dry Ewes.	Breeding-ewes.	Dry Ewes.
1918	6,846,053	1,106,652	6,175,981	492,097	13,022,034	1,598,749
1919	6,311,797	1,202,085	6,030,103	609,312	12,341,900	1,811,397
1920	5,838,704	1,243,633	5,730,971	580,561	11,569,675	1,824,194
1921	6,312,456	890,601	5,835,332	455,218	12,147,788	1,345,819
1922	6,771,482	525,903	5,724,572	434,145	12,496,054	960,048
1923	7,170,154	454,287	5,892,849	363,645	13,063,003	817,932
1924	7,148,949	680,806	5,927,145	365,644	13,076,094	1,046,450
1925	7,463,735	535,878	6,251,488	347,888	13,715,223	883,766
1926	7,503,200	663,427	6,445,052	416,308	13,948,252	1,079,735
1927	7,905,432	513,915	6,926,298	317,776	14,831,730	831,691
1928	8,211,878	470,096	7,322,173	399,031	15,534,051	869,127
1929	8,820,536	483,397	7,787,619	399,301	16,608,155	882,698
1930	9,312,461	570,946	8,251,714	506,726	17,564,175	1,077,672
1931	9,247,005	642,488	8,361,724	568,226	17,608,729	1,210,714
1932	9,170,996	581,452	7,892,064	686,726	17,063,060	1,268,178
1933	9,318,941	486,037	7,890,756	512,849	17,209,697	998,886
1934	9,524,065	424,170	8,047,361	508,986	17,571,426	933,156
1935	9,697,231	502,032	8,115,186	486,033	17,812,417	988,065
1936	10,300,826	407,164	8,368,135	457,927	18,668,961	865,091
1937	10,570,388	406,392	8,761,689	389,125	19,332,077	795,517
1938	10,735,829	508,558	8,928,037	526,019	19,663,866	1,034,577
1939	10,889,802	416,755	9,070,497	458,430	19,960,299	875,185
1940	10,917,684	443,349	8,809,973	522,201	19,727,657	965,550
1941	11,268,384	398,117	8,762,549	524,516	20,030,933	922,633
1942*	..	..	..	..	..	..
1943*	..	..	..	..	..	..
1944	11,740,920	563,656	8,808,796	529,636	20,549,716	1,093,292

* Not available.