

A.—TABLE SHOWING THE NUMBER OF SHEEP IN EACH COUNTY THROUGHOUT THE DOMINION ON 30TH APRIL, 1911 AND 1912—*continued*.

SOUTH ISLAND.

County.	Number of Sheep on		Increase.	Decrease.
	30th April, 1911.	30th April, 1912.		
Waimea	310,897	300,036	..	10,861
Takaka	47,779	48,036	257	..
Collingwood	12,624	13,570	946	..
Buller	4,618	4,376	..	242
Inangahua	9,732	11,140	1,408	..
Murchison	33,727	36,590	2,863	..
Grey	29,891	28,529	..	1,362
Westland	29,801	29,927	126	..
Sounds	185,463	180,823	..	4,640
Marlborough	696,493	359,476	..	41,887
Awatere	*	295,130	..	..
Kaikoura	223,087	220,643	..	2,444
Amuri	467,924	416,197	..	51,727
Cheviot	211,173	211,958	785	..
Ashley	889,426	429,308	..	84,073
Waipara	†	376,045	..	..
Akaroa	243,228	86,407	..	18,063
Wairewa	‡	99,422	..	..
Mount Herbert	‡	49,336	..	..
Selwyn	713,625	622,696	..	1,761
Tawera		77,761	..	..
Waimairi		11,407	..	..
Ashburton	846,126	947,624	101,498	..
Geraldine	585,603	354,980	..	15,878
Levels	§	214,745	..	85,174
Mackenzie	492,191	407,017	..	..
Waimate	541,056	574,341	33,285	..
Chatham Islands	¶	78,005	78,605	..
Waitaki	537,951	597,037	59,086	..
Maniototo	322,676	317,731	..	4,945
Vincent	327,139	330,858	3,719	..
Lake	241,780	242,037	257	..
Waihemo	139,237	141,438	2,201	..
Waikouaiti	68,889	69,519	630	..
Peninsula	5,696	7,610	1,914	..
Taieri	207,964	240,216	32,252	..
Bruce	209,255	211,805	2,550	..
Clutha	369,961	347,864	..	22,097
Tuapeka	454,112	425,563	..	28,549
Southland	1,193,757	1,192,971	..	786
Wallace	525,931	529,244	3,313	..
Stewart Island	2,961	2,046	..	915
Totals for South Island	11,181,773	11,132,064	325,695	375,404
Totals for North Island	12,814,353	12,618,089	293,702	489,966
Totals for the Dominion	23,996,126	23,750,153	619,397	865,370
Net decrease: North Island	..	..	..	196,264
South Island	..	..	..	49,709
Total net decrease for Dominion	..	..	..	245,973

* Included in Marlborough County. † Included in Ashley County. ‡ Included in Akaroa County. § Included in Geraldine County. ¶ Included in Selwyn County. †† Not collected.