

1926.
NEW ZEALAND

PHOSPHATE ROCK

LANDED IN NEW ZEALAND FROM NAURU AND OCEAN ISLANDS (RETURN OF).

Return to an Order of the House of Representatives dated 10th August, 1926.

Ordered. “ That there be laid before this House a return showing—(1) The actual tonnage of phosphates landed in New Zealand from Nauru and Ocean Islands since the purchase of New Zealand’s rights to 31st March, 1926 ; and (2) the ports at which the phosphates were discharged, with the tonnage landed at each port.”—(Mr. HORN.)

(1.) ACTUAL TONNAGE OF PHOSPHATE ROCK LANDED IN NEW ZEALAND FROM NAURU AND OCEAN ISLANDS SINCE PURCHASE OF DEPOSITS BY BRITISH, AUSTRALIAN, AND NEW ZEALAND GOVERNMENTS.

Year ended 30th June,			Tons.	Year ended 30th June,			Tons.
1921	..	..	16,565	1924	..	..	60,707
1922	..	..	39,208	1925	..	..	99,511
1923	..	..	51,964	1926	..	..	75,032

(2.) PORTS AT WHICH THE PHOSPHATE ROCK WAS DISCHARGED, WITH TONNAGE LANDED AT EACH PORT.

Year ended 30th June,				Auckland.	New Plymouth.	Lyttelton.	Port Chalmers.	Bluff.	Total.
				Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
1921	..	..	..	8,827	..	..	3,898	3,840	16,565
1922	..	..	..	27,576	..	4,505	7,127	..	39,208
1923	..	..	..	38,146	..	9,437	4,381	..	51,964
1924	..	..	..	41,086	..	12,081	5,149	2,391	60,707
1925	..	..	..	70,566	..	17,461	7,792	3,692	99,511
1926	..	..	..	48,830	6,223	13,407	6,572	..	75,032
Totals				235,031	6,223	56,891	34,919	9,923	342,987

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