

RETURN SHOWING AMOUNTS RECEIVED PRIOR TO 1ST APRIL, 1926, STANDING TO CREDIT OF ESTATES OF DECEASED SEAMEN, AND FOR WHICH CLAIMS HAVE NOT BEEN PROVED.

	£	s.	d.
Alexander, S., late trimmer, s.s. " Moeraki "	..	0	9 2
Cliffe, F., late A.B., s.s. " Storm "	..	5	10 6
Darling, J., late deck hand, s.s. " Otea "	..	1	8 8
Fowler, C., late A.B., s.s. " Kokiri "	..	5	18 4
King, C., late A.B., scow " Herald "	..	8	5 2
Lancaster, J. A., late A.B., s.s. " Gale "	..	50	1 11
Manchin, J., late fireman, s.s. " Maori "	..	26	12 9
Morley, J., late fireman, s.s. " Waimarino "	..	1	11 10
Nelson, R., late fireman, s.s. " Ripple "	..	1	1 7
	£100	19	11

TABLE SHOWING THE NUMBER OF STEAM TRAWLERS, OIL-ENGINE TRAWLERS, AND OTHER VESSELS EMPLOYED IN LINE AND SET-NET FISHING, WITH THE NUMBER OF FISHERMEN EMPLOYED AND APPROXIMATELY THE TOTAL NUMBER OF PERSONS ENGAGED IN THE FISHING INDUSTRY, AT EACH PORT, FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1927.

(Compiled from the returns given in the District Inspectors' reports.)

Name of Port.	Steam Trawlers.	Oil-engine Vessels.	Danish-seining Vessels.	Line and Set-net Fishing Vessels.	Number of Persons employed.		
					Fishermen.	Others.	Total.
Mangonui	..	..	..	5	8	..	8
Hokianga	..	..	..	17	24	..	24
Russell	..	..	..	57	60	150	210
Kaipara	..	..	..	61	80	20	100
Whangarei	..	..	..	8	18	23	41
Auckland (including Thames, Coromandel, and Manukau)	5	..	26	215	525	360	885
Tauranga	..	..	..	39	30	16	46
Whakatane	..	..	..	6	14	20	34
Opotiki	..	..	..	6	10	6	16
Gisborne	..	..	..	15	34	12	46
Napier	11	18	1	91	175	20	195
Kawhia	..	1	..	1	2	..	2
New Plymouth	..	..	..	21	45	28	73
Wanganui	..	..	..	10	4	..	4
Foxton	..	..	..	26	50	4	54
Wellington	1	..	..	105	180	115	295
Eastbourne	..	..	..	3	11	..	11
Pictou	..	..	..	48	28	8	36
Blenheim	..	15	..	..	26	5	31
Nelson	..	3	4	75	112	8	120
Westport	1	8	..	11	24	6	30
Greymouth	..	..	..	10	12	5	17
Hokitika	..	..	..	1	1	10	11
Kaikoura	..	1	..	13	24	1	25
Kaiapoi	..	..	..	28	28	..	28
Akaroa	..	..	..	17	24	..	24
Lyttelton	2	..	..	12	25	3	28
Southbridge (Lake Ellesmere)	..	..	..	12	12	20	32
Timaru	..	..	..	24	28	8	36
Oamaru	..	..	..	9	14	..	14
Moeraki	..	..	..	26	35	..	35
Otago District	5	11	..	106	212	130	342
Invercargill	..	..	..	48	100	25	125
Bluff	..	..	..	56	133	20	153
Stewart Island (Half-moon)	..	..	..	30	77	9	86
Chatham Islands	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals	25	57	31	1,212	2,185	1,032	3,217

TABLE SHOWING NUMBER AND SPECIES OF WHALES TAKEN ON NEW ZEALAND COAST, AND VALUE OF PRODUCTS.

Whaling-station.	Number of Whales taken.	Species.	Yield of Oil.	Quantity of Bonedust or Fertilizer.	Total Value.
			Tons.	Tons.	£
Whangamumu (Russell)	35	Humpback ..	150	35	3,350
Marlborough Sounds ..	43	Humpback ..	240	5	3,725
Totals	78	..	390	40	7,075