

OTAGO SHEEP DISTRICT—*continued.*

|                                                                   | No. of Sheep on    |                   |                                                                | No. of Sheep on    |                    |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
|                                                                   | April 30,<br>1928. | April 30<br>1927. |                                                                | April 30,<br>1928. | April 30,<br>1927. |
| <b>WALLACE COUNTY—<i>continued.</i></b>                           |                    |                   | <b>WALLACE COUNTY—<i>continued.</i></b>                        |                    |                    |
| Strudwicke, Frank, Box 21, Nightcaps ..                           | 930                | 1,067             | Weir, William H., P.O. Box 69, Otautau ..                      | 205                | 421                |
| Stuck, R., Orepuki .. ..                                          | 175                | 150               | Welsh, J., Opio, Nightcaps .. ..                               | 40                 | 209                |
| Sutton, Frank, Drummond .. ..                                     | 606                | 849               | Whelan, D., Orepuki .. ..                                      | 343                | 416                |
| Swap, A. J., Otautau .. ..                                        | 466                | 365               | White, Andrew, Isla Bank .. ..                                 | 367                | 271                |
| Swift and Co. (Limited), Dunrobin Station,<br>Matuku .. ..        | 4,905              | 5,388             | White, C. N., Waipango .. ..                                   | 180                | 284                |
| Taylor, A. G., Scott's Gap (rural delivery),<br>Otautau .. ..     | 78                 | 80                | White, M., Tuatapere .. ..                                     | 38                 | 52                 |
| Taylor, A. S., South Hillend .. ..                                | 337                | 338               | Whyte, A. J., Scott's Gap, via Otautau ..                      | 50                 | Nil                |
| Taylor, F. J., Heddon Bush .. ..                                  | —                  | 391               | Whyte, A. L., Te Tua .. ..                                     | 592                | 705                |
| Taylor, F. N. (rural delivery), Heddon Bush                       | 373                | 482               | Whyte, D. B., Clifden .. ..                                    | 698                | 774                |
| Taylor, Joseph (Estate of), Heddon Bush ..                        | 189                | Nil               | Whyte, P. A., Pukemaori .. ..                                  | 810                | 590                |
| Taylor, J. M., Box 55, Otautau .. ..                              | 658                | 760               | Whyte, W. A., Clifden .. ..                                    | 762                | 774                |
| Taylor, S. G. (rural delivery), Heddon Bush                       | 91                 | 316               | Wilding, E. A., Ohai .. ..                                     | 2,186              | 2,312              |
| Te Anau Downs Station (c/o Manager),<br>Te Anau .. ..             | 6,100              | 5,500             | Williams, J., Gladfield, Drummond ..                           | 493                | 942                |
| Teofsky, Thomas, Tuatapere .. ..                                  | 10                 | Nil               | Williams, R., (rural delivery), Otautau ..                     | 709                | 546                |
| Teviotdale, David, Isla Bank .. ..                                | 1,319              | 1,354             | Willis, G., jun., Gummie's Bush .. ..                          | 110                | 159                |
| The Redcliff Runs Association, Redcliff<br>Station, Otautau .. .. | 9,196              | 9,255             | Wilson, H. R., Dunearn .. ..                                   | 1,414              | Nil                |
| Thompson, J., North Otautau .. ..                                 | —                  | 83                | Wilson, Mrs. M. E., Drummond .. ..                             | —                  | 92                 |
| Thompson, J. N., Otautau .. ..                                    | 500                | 468               | Wilson, James T., Merrivale (rural delivery),<br>Otautau .. .. | 51                 | 103                |
| Thomson, W., Otautau .. ..                                        | —                  | 173               | Wilson, Robert, Castle Rock, Lumsden ..                        | 337                | 443                |
| Thornton, J. A., Waimatuku .. ..                                  | 177                | 269               | Wilson, S., Clifden .. ..                                      | 93                 | 147                |
| Tippet Bros., Tuatapere .. ..                                     | —                  | 1,093             | Wohlers, F., Thornbury .. ..                                   | 5                  | 93                 |
| Tippet, J. R., Tuatapere .. ..                                    | 841                | Nil               | Wood, J. N., Pahia .. ..                                       | 15                 | 20                 |
| Todd, William, Maori Hill Estate, Pukemaori                       | 527                | 507               | Woodhead, William, Drummond .. ..                              | 40                 | 63                 |
| Tomlinson, A., Orawia .. ..                                       | 377                | 389               | Woodhead, W. J., Drummond .. ..                                | —                  | 264                |
| Tomlinson, George, Orawia .. ..                                   | 654                | 845               | Young, David, Orawia .. ..                                     | 555                | 454                |
| Tucker, C. H., Otautau .. ..                                      | 142                | Nil               | Young, I. H., Orepuki .. ..                                    | 190                | 230                |
| Turnbull, C., Thornbury .. ..                                     | 126                | 208               | Young, J. A., Tuatapere .. ..                                  | 112                | 13                 |
| Turnbull, R. C., Blackmount .. ..                                 | 8,807              | 10,367            | Young, R. S., Orepuki .. ..                                    | —                  | 109                |
| Turner Bros., Matuku .. ..                                        | 1,100              | 1,105             | Young, Thomas H., Waihoaka .. ..                               | 307                | 303                |
| Turner, Fred J., Mossburn .. ..                                   | 800                | 790               | Young, William, Mossburn .. ..                                 | 744                | 948                |
| Turner, Thomas (rural delivery), Dunearn ..                       | 1,427              | Nil               |                                                                |                    |                    |
| Valli, James, Nightcaps .. ..                                     | —                  | 509               | <b>STEWART ISLAND COUNTY</b>                                   |                    |                    |
| Waddell, T. K., Matuku .. ..                                      | 206                | 230               | <b>(In Southland Subdivision).</b>                             |                    |                    |
| Walker, A. and J., Mossburn .. ..                                 | 796                | Nil               | Dawson, William, Stewart Island .. ..                          | 201                | 362                |
| Walker, William, Dipton .. ..                                     | 920                | 855               | Isaac, James, Ruapuke .. ..                                    | 91                 | 60                 |
| Wallace, S., Nightcaps .. ..                                      | 388                | 530               | Kihau, Miss V., Ruapuke Island, Bluff ..                       | —                  | 130                |
| Walsh, J., Nightcaps .. ..                                        | 31                 | 210               | Leask, G. P., Half-moon Bay, Stewart Island                    | 81                 | 103                |
| Ward, A. E., (rural delivery), South Hillend                      | 438                | 700               | McCarthy, Mrs. H. A., Ruapuke Island, Bluff                    | 152                | 132                |
| Ward, B., Fairfax .. ..                                           | 10                 | Nil               | Newton, Mrs. George, Ruapuke, Bluff ..                         | 202                | 203                |
| Ward, C., Longwood .. ..                                          | 177                | 61                | Nelsen, Hans C., The Neck, Half-moon Bay                       | 110                | 150                |
| Ward, H. F., Fairfax .. ..                                        | 186                | 255               | Rita, Henry, Ruapuke, Bluff .. ..                              | 232                | 210                |
| Ward, L., Longwood .. ..                                          | 67                 | 72                | Robertson, William, Half-moon Bay ..                           | 188                | 189                |
| Ward, S., Aparima .. ..                                           | 127                | 132               | Russell, R., Ruapuko Island .. ..                              | 976                | 1,554              |
| Ward, W. H., Lumsden .. ..                                        | 922                | 1,160             | Topi, Maurice, Ruapuke Island, Bluff ..                        | 304                | 253                |
| Watson Bros., Colac Bay .. ..                                     | 150                | 126               | Trall, A. W., jun., Half-moon Bay, Stewart<br>Island .. ..     | 799                | 925                |
| Watson, T. M., Ohai .. ..                                         | 382                | 459               |                                                                |                    |                    |
| Watson, Henry, Pahia .. ..                                        | 133                | 98                | Waitiri, I., Ruapuke Island, Bluff .. ..                       | 128                | Nil                |
| Watson, James, Feldwick, Orawia .. ..                             | 168                | 266               |                                                                |                    |                    |
| Watson, Mrs. E., Kintail Narrows, Riverton                        | 192                | 310               |                                                                |                    |                    |
| Watson, W., Heddon Bush .. ..                                     | 1,793              | 2,125             |                                                                |                    |                    |
|                                                                   |                    |                   |                                                                | 457,485            | 523,048            |

TABLE SHOWING NUMBER OF SHEEP IN THE DOMINION SINCE 1898.

| Year.   | Number of Sheep. | Year.   | Number of Sheep. | Year.   | Number of Sheep. |
|---------|------------------|---------|------------------|---------|------------------|
| 1898 .. | 19,673,725       | 1908 .. | 22,449,053       | 1918 .. | 26,538,302       |
| 1899 .. | 19,348,506       | 1909 .. | 23,480,707       | 1919 .. | 25,828,554       |
| 1900 .. | 19,355,195       | 1910 .. | 24,269,620       | 1920 .. | 23,919,970       |
| 1901 .. | 20,233,099       | 1911 .. | 23,996,126       | 1921 .. | 23,285,031       |
| 1902 .. | 20,342,727       | 1912 .. | 23,750,153       | 1922 .. | 22,222,259       |
| 1903 .. | 18,954,553       | 1913 .. | 24,191,810       | 1923 .. | 23,081,439       |
| 1904 .. | 18,280,806       | 1914 .. | 24,798,763       | 1924 .. | 23,775,776       |
| 1905 .. | 19,130,875       | 1915 .. | 24,901,421       | 1925 .. | 24,547,955       |
| 1906 .. | 20,108,471       | 1916 .. | 24,788,150       | 1926 .. | 24,904,993       |
| 1907 .. | 20,983,772       | 1917 .. | 25,270,386       | 1927 .. | 25,649,016       |

Approximate Cost of Paper—Preparation, not given; printing (666 copies), £350.

By Authority: W. A. G. SKINNER, Government Printer, Wellington.—1927.

Price 10s. 6d.]