

STATEMENT compiled from the Returns furnished by Owners of Sheep, in pursuance of Section 21 of "The Sheep Act, 1890," &c.—continued.

County.	Number of Sheep.										Breeding Ewes.	
	Merino.					Other Breeds.					Total of both Sexes.	
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Merino.	Other Breeds.
WELLINGTON—WEST COAST DISTRICT.												
Taranaki ...	1	66	9,896	38,346	9,897	38,412	48,309	36	31,070	31,106		
Hawera ...	456	70	29,164	81,914	29,620	81,984	111,604	70	57,246	57,316		
Patea ...	...	...	50,912	110,204	50,912	110,204	161,116	...	78,001	78,001		
Waitotara ...	300	478	36,100	67,034	36,400	67,512	103,912	471	49,402	49,873		
Wanganui (part of) ...	924	4,115	50,704	116,183	51,628	120,298	171,926	1,400	88,433	89,833		
Rangitikei ...	6	256	126,872	263,087	126,878	263,343	390,221	250	174,174	174,424		
Oroua ...	...	...	107,509	264,413	107,509	264,413	371,922	...	178,609	178,609		
Manawatu ...	60	1,289	65,848	116,368	65,908	117,657	183,565	1,190	69,388	70,573		
Horowhenua ...	165	708	28,548	58,571	28,713	59,279	87,992	118	44,849	44,967		
Hutt ...	2,042	5,380	54,768	90,747	56,810	96,127	152,937	4,777	71,626	76,403		
South Wairarapa ...	11,648	20,266	178,900	296,914	190,548	317,180	507,728	14,600	215,185	229,785		
North Wairarapa ...	10,145	24,864	174,044	366,204	184,189	391,068	575,257	20,065	264,231	284,296		
Pahiatua ...	...	580	11,073	39,645	11,073	40,225	51,298	300	33,633	22,860		
Total ...	25,747	58,072	924,338	1,909,630	950,085	1,967,702	2,917,787	63,277	1,355,842	1,419,119		
MARLBOROUGH—NELSON DISTRICT.												
Waimea ...	13,492	15,858	39,959	90,939	53,451	106,797	160,248	14,769	67,242	82,011		
Collingwood ...	284	901	9,842	18,957	10,126	19,858	29,984	784	14,315	15,099		
Buller ...	2,023	...	708	1,533	2,731	1,533	4,264	...	1,424	1,424		
Grey ...	2,266	692	1,759	4,496	4,025	5,188	9,213	592	3,736	4,328		
Inangahua ...	710	581	2,605	6,250	3,315	6,831	10,146	741	4,916	5,657		
Westland ...	500	...	1,974	5,882	2,474	5,882	8,356	...	4,920	4,920		
Sounds ...	4,517	13,472	19,027	36,144	23,544	49,616	73,160	11,190	25,803	36,993		
Marlborough (part of) ...	212,448	237,803	9,787	16,222	222,235	254,025	476,260	156,460	10,792	167,252		
Total ...	236,240	269,307	85,661	180,423	321,901	449,730	771,631	184,536	133,148	317,684		
CANTERBURY—KAIKOURA DISTRICT.												
Marlborough (part of) ...	26,400	26,300	...	...	26,400	26,300	52,700	20,390	...	20,390		
Kaikoura ...	75,899	86,691	10,935	13,833	86,834	100,024	186,858	52,625	6,192	58,817		
Amuri ...	214,313	223,600	13,899	18,722	238,212	242,322	470,534	154,168	5,830	159,998		
Cheviot ...	57,859	81,839	5,035	5,000	62,894	86,839	149,733	55,598	...	55,598		
Ashley ...	161,659	252,455	102,809	181,116	264,468	433,571	698,039	199,927	92,021	291,948		