

1948
NEW ZEALAND

DEPARTMENT OF INTERNAL AFFAIRS

(ANNUAL REPORT OF THE) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH, 1948

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SIR,— Department of Internal Affairs, Wellington, 16th September, 1948.

I have the honour to submit herewith the annual report of the Department for the year ended 31st March, 1948.

I have, &c.,

A. G. HARPER,

Acting-Under-Secretary.

The Hon. W. E. Parry,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

REPORT

I. CONSTITUTIONAL QUESTIONS

The necessary action was taken in regard to the following matters:—

- (a) Summoning and proroguing of Parliament.
- (b) Appointments to and a resignation from the Legislative Council.
- (c) Appointments and resignations of Ministers.
- (d) Appointments of members of Executive Council.
- (e) Appointments and resignation of Parliamentary Under-Secretaries.
- (f) Resignation of the Clerk of the Executive Council.
- (g) Issue of writs and other steps for by-elections in Avon, Mount Albert, and Westland Electoral Districts.