

## SHOPS.

TABLE 3.\*

| Nature of Business.                           | Number of Persons engaged. |         |            |         | Total Persons engaged in Shops. | Number of Shops. | Total Wages paid during the Year. |
|-----------------------------------------------|----------------------------|---------|------------|---------|---------------------------------|------------------|-----------------------------------|
|                                               | Employees.                 |         | Employers. |         |                                 |                  |                                   |
|                                               | Male.                      | Female. | Male.      | Female. |                                 |                  |                                   |
| AUCKLAND (CITY).                              |                            |         |            |         |                                 |                  |                                   |
| Auctioneers.. ..                              | 49                         | 8       | 16         | 1       | 74                              | 13               | £ 5,746                           |
| Basket and perambulator sellers .. ..         | 2                          | 3       | 3          | 1       | 9                               | 3                | 307                               |
| Booksellers .. ..                             | 52                         | 35      | 96         | 9       | 192                             | 100              | 7,232                             |
| Boot and shoe retailers .. ..                 | 38                         | 60      | 151        | 6       | 255                             | 151              | 5,556                             |
| Bread and pastry sellers .. ..                | 17                         | 43      | 56         | 18      | 134                             | 62               | 4,311                             |
| Butchers .. ..                                | 178                        | 27      | 101        | ..      | 306                             | 108              | 23,295                            |
| Chemists and herbalists .. ..                 | 104                        | 3       | 64         | 1       | 172                             | 64               | 5,490                             |
| Clothiers and mercers .. ..                   | 104                        | 23      | 109        | ..      | 236                             | 108              | 13,234                            |
| Coal and firewood dealers .. ..               | 57                         | 6       | 43         | 1       | 107                             | 40               | 6,788                             |
| Crockery and glassware dealers .. ..          | 10                         | 12      | 16         | 2       | 40                              | 16               | 899                               |
| Cycle and motor-car sellers .. ..             | 2                          | 3       | 16         | ..      | 21                              | 16               | 397                               |
| Dairy-produce sellers .. ..                   | 88                         | 14      | 33         | 4       | 139                             | 54               | 12,990                            |
| Drapers and milliners .. ..                   | 437                        | 572     | 94         | 80      | 1,183                           | 153              | 84,390                            |
| Dyers and cleaners .. ..                      | ..                         | 1       | 8          | ..      | 9                               | 10               | 42                                |
| Fancy-goods sellers .. ..                     | 4                          | 26      | 28         | 15      | 73                              | 39               | 1,753                             |
| Fishmongers .. ..                             | 14                         | 5       | 41         | 7       | 67                              | 45               | 1,481                             |
| Florists and seedsmen .. ..                   | 16                         | 8       | 9          | 4       | 37                              | 11               | 1,921                             |
| Fruiterers and confectioners (European) .. .. | 18                         | 41      | 178        | 58      | 295                             | 251              | 2,146                             |
| Fruiterers and confectioners (Chinese) .. ..  | 5                          | ..      | 15         | ..      | 20                              | 15               | 553                               |
| Furniture-dealers .. ..                       | 93                         | 18      | 66         | 2       | 179                             | 55               | 12,101                            |
| Gas-fittings, &c., sellers .. ..              | 10                         | 4       | ..         | ..      | 14                              | 1                | 1,731                             |
| Grindery and leather sellers .. ..            | 7                          | 1       | 3          | ..      | 11                              | 3                | 798                               |
| Grocers and storekeepers .. ..                | 424                        | 86      | 262        | 33      | 805                             | 288              | 46,557                            |
| Gun and sporting-requisite sellers .. ..      | 1                          | ..      | 5          | ..      | 6                               | 4                | 30                                |
| Hairdressers and tobacconists .. ..           | 56                         | 13      | 111        | 7       | 187                             | 111              | 6,078                             |
| Ironmongers and hardware-merchants .. ..      | 99                         | 17      | 18         | ..      | 134                             | 44               | 11,509                            |
| Licensed hotelkeepers .. ..                   | 195                        | 235     | 51         | 28      | 509                             | 54               | 28,693                            |
| Music and musical-instrument sellers .. ..    | 20                         | 14      | 17         | 3       | 54                              | 17               | 3,114                             |
| Optical-goods sellers .. ..                   | 4                          | 1       | 3          | ..      | 8                               | 2                | 480                               |
| Paint and paperhanging sellers .. ..          | 22                         | 2       | 5          | ..      | 29                              | 4                | 3,474                             |
| Photographic-material sellers .. ..           | 3                          | 4       | 7          | ..      | 14                              | 7                | 418                               |
| Picture and frame dealers .. ..               | 2                          | 1       | 31         | ..      | 34                              | 31               | 212                               |
| Produce-merchants .. ..                       | 7                          | 1       | 4          | ..      | 12                              | 3                | 1,019                             |
| Restaurant and refreshment-room keepers .. .. | 59                         | 158     | 52         | 26      | 295                             | 53               | 12,231                            |
| Saddlery and harness sellers .. ..            | 5                          | 3       | 3          | 1       | 12                              | 27               | 909                               |
| Second-hand dealers .. ..                     | 3                          | 1       | 44         | 9       | 57                              | 43               | 380                               |
| Sewing and other machine sellers .. ..        | 7                          | 8       | 12         | 1       | 28                              | 15               | 1,546                             |
| Ship-chandlers .. ..                          | 9                          | ..      | 4          | ..      | 13                              | 2                | 1,363                             |
| Tea and coffee merchants .. ..                | 3                          | ..      | 4          | ..      | 7                               | 4                | 76                                |
| Tinware and plumbers' requisite sellers .. .. | 19                         | 3       | 24         | ..      | 46                              | 22               | 2,145                             |
| Umbrella-sellers .. ..                        | ..                         | 3       | 10         | 1       | 14                              | 11               | 154                               |
| Watchmakers and jewellers .. ..               | 31                         | 17      | 52         | 1       | 101                             | 52               | 5,250                             |
| Wine-merchants .. ..                          | 2                          | ..      | 1          | ..      | 3                               | 1                | ..                                |
| Wire-woven goods dealers .. ..                | 2                          | 1       | 4          | ..      | 7                               | 2                | 119                               |
| WELLINGTON (CITY).                            |                            |         |            |         |                                 |                  |                                   |
| Agricultural-implement sellers .. ..          | 2                          | ..      | 1          | ..      | 3                               | 1                | 167                               |
| Artificial-limb sellers .. ..                 | ..                         | ..      | 1          | ..      | 1                               | 1                | ..                                |
| Auctioneers .. ..                             | 16                         | ..      | 10         | ..      | 26                              | 7                | 1,827                             |
| Basketware-sellers .. ..                      | 2                          | 2       | 3          | ..      | 7                               | 3                | 819                               |
| Billiard-table sellers .. ..                  | 2                          | 3       | ..         | 1       | 6                               | 1                | 354                               |
| Booksellers and stationers .. ..              | 55                         | 31      | 49         | 20      | 155                             | 61               | 6,616                             |
| Boot and shoe retailers .. ..                 | 35                         | 38      | 117        | 2       | 192                             | 112              | 6,213                             |
| Bread and pastry sellers .. ..                | 21                         | 41      | 34         | 99      | 195                             | 33               | 4,801                             |
| Butchers .. ..                                | 181                        | 8       | 90         | ..      | 279                             | 85               | 19,663                            |
| Chemists and druggists .. ..                  | 56                         | 2       | 52         | 1       | 111                             | 48               | 4,103                             |
| Clothiers and mercers .. ..                   | 88                         | 16      | 86         | 5       | 195                             | 80               | 11,995                            |
| Coal, firewood, dealers .. ..                 | 67                         | 3       | 50         | 15      | 135                             | 41               | 8,273                             |
| Crockery and glassware dealers .. ..          | 7                          | 7       | 8          | 2       | 24                              | 7                | 1,307                             |
| Cycle and motor-car sellers .. ..             | 18                         | 3       | 25         | ..      | 46                              | 23               | 1,810                             |
| Dairy-produce sellers .. ..                   | 29                         | 4       | 32         | 6       | 71                              | 34               | 3,406                             |
| Drapers and milliners .. ..                   | 305                        | 430     | 59         | 54      | 848                             | 96               | 67,637                            |
| Dyers and cleaners .. ..                      | 1                          | 5       | 10         | 1       | 17                              | 10               | 247                               |
| Electrical-requisite sellers .. ..            | 2                          | 3       | 5          | ..      | 10                              | 5                | 504                               |
| Fancy-goods dealers .. ..                     | 11                         | 31      | 25         | 24      | 91                              | 42               | 2,479                             |
| Florists and seedsmen .. ..                   | 24                         | 12      | 8          | 6       | 50                              | 9                | 2,794                             |
| Fishmongers .. ..                             | 24                         | ..      | 39         | 3       | 66                              | 37               | 2,890                             |
| Fruiterers and confectioners (European) .. .. | 14                         | 35      | 98         | 80      | 227                             | 163              | 1,971                             |
| Fruiterers and confectioners (Chinese) .. ..  | 10                         | ..      | 102        | ..      | 112                             | 73               | 584                               |
| Furniture-dealers .. ..                       | 50                         | 15      | 47         | 3       | 115                             | 41               | 8,128                             |
| Grocers and storekeepers .. ..                | 292                        | 66      | 170        | 37      | 565                             | 191              | 34,661                            |
| Gun and sporting-requisite sellers .. ..      | 4                          | ..      | 1          | ..      | 5                               | 1                | 511                               |
| Hairdressers and tobacconists .. ..           | 60                         | 7       | 86         | 3       | 156                             | 84               | 5,973                             |

\* Tables 1 and 2 which usually precede this table are published this year as an appendix to this report (see page xxv).