1919. NEW ZEALAND.

DEPARTMENT INTERNAL AFFAIRS

(ANNUAL REPORT OF THE) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1919.

Laid on the Table of the House of Representatives by Leave.

SIR,-

Department of Internal Affairs, Wellington, 5th September, 1919.

I have the honour to submit herewith the annual report of the Department for the Year ended 31st March, 1919. I have, &c.,

J. Hislop, Under-Secretary.

The Hon. J. B. Hine, Minister of Internal Affairs, Wellington.

ABSTRACT OF ANNUAL REPORT.

I. THE WORK OF THE YEAR.

1. Work arising out of the War. The Military Service Act, 1916. Permits and Passports. Registration of Aliens Act, 1917. Changes of Names. War Funds Act, 1915. Sub-Departments. New Zealand Gazette. National War Museum.

2. The Ordinary Work of the Head Office.
(1.) Local Government.

Town-planning.
Boroughs and Town Districts.

Counties.

Road Districts.

Land-drainage and River Districts.

Balance-sheets.

By-laws.

ny-naws.
Lake Coleridge Water-power Act, 1915.
Extensions of Time.
Milk-supply Regulations.
Proportional Representation.
Rating on Unimproved Value.
Housing

Housing. Epidemic.

Commissions of Inquiry.
Legislation.
(2.) Inland Fisheries.

Fishing Operations. New Markets.

Scientific Investigation.

Fresh Stocks.

Hatchery.
(3.) Animals Protection Act.

Acclimatization Districts

Shooting Seasons.
Importation of Frozen or Chilled Game.

Sanctuaries and Protection of Birds.

The Tuatara. Opossums.

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2. The Ordinary Work of the Head Office continued.

(4.) Gaming Act. Regulations

Totalizator Inspection.

(5.) Fire Brigades Act.
Fire Districts.

Elections.

Assistant Inspector.
Wireless Fire-alarms.
Otago Harbour Board Wharves.

Paper by Inspector.

(6.) Motor Regulation Act.

Registering Authorities. Identification Marks.

Amendments of the Act.

Model Motor By-laws.

Headlights.

(7.) Weights and Measures Act.

General.

Weighbridges. Standard Weights. Sale of Coal.

(8). Naturalization and Nationality.
Revocation of Naturalization.
Letters of Naturalization.

Nationality of Married Women.

(9.) Science and Art.

Board of Science and Art.

New Zealand Institute and Scientific Research.

Historica Monuments.

Mosquitoes.

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Seientific and Technological Library.
Records of New Zealand Company.
Phonographic Records and Cinematograph
Films of Maori Life.

(10.) Turnbull Library.(11.) History of New Zealand Wars.

(12.) Old Soldiers' and Historical Graves,

(13.) Censorship of Films.

(14.) Hector Observatory.