

## SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS IN NURSERIES FROM 1896 TO 1923.

Name of Nursery.	Total Expenditure.				Estimated Number of Trees raised.	Output of Trees.	
	Tree-growing.	Maintenance.	Buildings, &c.	Total.		To Plantations.	To Outside Places.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.			
Rotorua ..	85,585 9 4	8,814 3 0	13,691 6 5	108,090 18 9	82,064,927	68,763,281	4,053,646
Tapanui ..	37,899 13 1	11,517 19 11	7,565 7 9	56,983 0 9	22,457,602	17,330,968	1,668,714
Ranfurly* ..	18,425 16 3	4,226 11 8	4,552 16 1	27,205 4 0	†7,280,501	6,465,593	509,858
Hamner Springs	21,952 16 3	6,355 13 6	4,923 19 2	33,232 8 11	†16,386,900	12,257,235	1,036,265
Naseby ..	404 0 6	..	..	404 0 6	275,500	..	..
Scarborough* ..	6,399 9 10	..	2,856 17 3	9,256 7 1	3,059,610	1,965,095	1,094,515
Kutow* ..	960 4 2	..	2,109 18 5	3,070 2 7	172,460	..	172,460
Totals ..	171,627 9 5	30,914 8 1	35,700 5 1	238,242 2 7	131,697,500	106,782,172	8,535,458

\* Nursery now closed.

† Deaths and rejects now deducted, explaining decrease compared with figures for 1921-22.

N.B.—Expenditure has not been allocated to "Maintenance" separately until 1917-18.

## SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS IN PLANTATIONS DURING YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1923.

Name of Plantation.	Trees.			Total Expenditure for Year, including Cost of Trees from Nurseries.	New Area planted.
	Number received from Nursery.	Number used to replace Losses.	Number planted on New Area.		
				£ s. d.	Acres.
Kaingaroa Plantation* ..	3,264,275	239,050	3,025,225	15,526 12 7	2,539
Puhipuhi ..	..	..	..	380 16 2	..
Conical Hills ..	..	..	..	1,927 4 6	..
Pukerau ..	..	..	..	566 10 3	..
Dusky Hill ..	..	..	..	463 14 9	..
Greenvale ..	395,125	23,650	371,475	3,754 18 0	307
Naseby ..	46,300	21,825	24,475	1,287 5 5	12
Hamner Springs ..	6,425	4,225	2,200	1,150 7 1	1
Balmoral ..	71,905	68,650	3,255	944 9 6	3
Raincliff ..	..	..	..	15 4 0	..
Totals ..	3,784,030	357,400	3,426,630	26,017 2 3	2,862

\* Formerly shown as Kaingaroa West and Kaingaroa Plains Plantations.

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Name of Plantation.	Trees.				Total Expenditure to Date, including Cost of Trees from Nurseries.	Total Area planted.	Total Expenditure per Acre planted, including Cost of Buildings.
	Number raised from Seed sown in Situ.	Number received from Nursery.	Number used to replace Losses.	Total Number in Plantations.			
					£ s. d.	Acres.	£ s. d.
Whakarewarewa ..	109,725	20,602,850	3,976,264	16,736,311	113,522 12 7	8,037*	14 2 6
Waiotapu ..	83,121	23,506,152	4,860,134	18,729,139	86,786 6 10	7,010*†	12 7 8
Kaingaroa Plantation..	..	23,466,475	3,108,185	20,358,290	122,964 13 2	14,976†	8 4 3
Puhipuhi ..	..	..	..	..	..	1,200	..
Conical Hills..	..	10,751,401	1,465,105	9,286,296	61,833 4 6	3,533‡	17 9 11
Pukerau ..	..	870,860	57,300	813,560	8,897 19 4	565‡	15 14 8
Dusky Hill ..	..	3,061,997	881,160	2,180,837	23,562 0 8	745‡	31 11 10
Greenvale ..	..	2,902,695	292,775	2,609,920	38,393 10 4	1,710‡	22 8 10
Gimberburn ..	..	936,235	783,339	152,896	6,907 0 1	88	78 9 9
Naseby ..	..	5,479,383	694,630	4,784,753	42,743 3 4	2,150‡	19 17 5
Hamner Springs ..	..	9,583,258	1,818,374	7,764,884	45,909 4 1	2,913‡	15 15 1
Balmoral ..	..	2,651,952	667,090	1,984,862	32,014 4 2	1,256‡	25 9 6
Raincliff ..	..	..	..	50,000	1,123 1 2	206	5 9 0
<i>Experimental Group.</i>							
Waitahuna ..	..	42,025	11,500	30,525	319 7 9	11	29 0 8
Tekapo ..	..	48,000	..	48,000	275 8 3	29	9 9 11
Dumgree ..	..	1,679,765	1,110,125	569,640	16,309 16 7	209	78 0 9
Galloway ..	..	6,930	3,050	3,880	84 19 10	2	42 9 11
Omarama ..	..	4,390	..	4,390	80 12 9	2	40 6 4
Totals ..	192,846	105,594,368	19,729,021	86,108,183	601,727 5 5	44,646‡	..

\* Discrepancy with areas shown in previous reports was discovered during a survey made in 1922-23.

† Kaingaroa West and Kaingaroa Plains Plantations have been amalgamated as "Kaingaroa Plantation," and a portion of Waiotapu Plantation included in Kaingaroa Plantation.