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TABLE SHOWING THE NUMBER OF SHEEP IN EACH COUNTY THROUGHOUT THE DOMINION ON 30TH APRIL, 1925 AND 1926—continued.

SOUTH ISLAND.

County.	Number of Sheep on		Increase.	Decrease.
	30th April, 1925.	30th April, 1926.		
Waimea.. .. .	292,234	283,032	..	9,202
Takaka	52,116	52,322	206	..
Collingwood	23,479	24,644	1,165	..
Buller	3,310	3,199	..	111
Inangahua	9,301	10,309	1,008	..
Murchison	44,610	48,953	4,343	..
Grey	24,600	22,725	..	1,875
Westland	38,980	40,412	1,432	..
Sounds	176,855	184,721	7,866	..
Marlborough	363,363	364,520	1,157	..
Awatere.. .. .	323,041	318,238	..	4,803
Kaikoura	178,147	172,584	..	5,563
Amuri	372,844	350,673	..	22,171
Cheviot	172,001	163,951	..	8,050
Waipara.. .. .	379,466	376,925	..	2,541
Ashley	107,752	106,576	..	1,176
Kowai	73,907	75,587	1,680	..
Oxford	109,701	106,866	..	2,835
Rangiora	38,261	40,060	1,799	..
Eyre	62,298	60,623	..	1,675
Tawera	98,847	97,748	..	1,099
Malvern	146,562	151,453	4,891	..
Paparua	36,787	38,141	1,354	..
Waimairi	5,748	4,749	..	999
Heathcote	11,186	13,184	1,998	..
Akaroa	105,917	104,482	..	1,435
Mount Herbert	51,667	53,834	2,167	..
Wairewa	83,735	83,427	..	308
Halswell	12,805	14,360	1,555	..
Springs	31,642	27,228	..	4,414
Ellesmere	81,780	83,299	1,519	..
Selwyn	226,666	221,513	..	5,153
Ashburton	926,623	941,896	15,273	..
Geraldine	327,300	329,834	2,534	..
Levels	176,791	185,113	8,322	..
Mackenzie	492,364	490,245	..	2,119
Waimate	587,309	590,070	2,761	..
Chatham Islands	85,956	86,901	945	..
Waitaki	629,803	629,521	..	282
Maniototo	353,135	362,134	8,999	..
Vincent	349,375	373,487	24,112	..
Waihemo	133,965	135,926	1,961	..
Waikouaiti	81,097	83,038	1,936	..
Taieri	219,839	228,815	8,976	..
Peninsula	7,393	9,436	2,043	..
Clutha	340,844	375,906	35,062	..
Tuapeka.. .. .	426,007	436,562	10,555	..
Bruce	218,416	225,544	7,128	..
Lake	262,058	261,517	..	541
Southland	1,045,230	1,167,516	122,286	..
Wallace	421,765	457,485	35,720	..
Stewart Island	3,536	3,464	..	72
Totals for South Island	10,828,414	11,074,743	246,329	..
Totals for North Island	13,719,541	13,830,250	110,709	..
Totals for the Dominion	24,547,955	24,904,993	357,038	..

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1. Names of Districts.	2. Number of Sheepowners on		3. Number of Sheep on	
	30th April, 1925.	30th April, 1926.	30th April, 1925.	30th April, 1926.
Auckland	3,130	3,326	2,092,244	2,244,603
Napier - Gisborne	3,384	3,640	6,344,990	6,236,211
Wellington - West Coast	4,252	4,415	5,282,307	5,349,436
Marlborough - Nelson - Westland	2,354	2,363	1,351,889	1,353,075
Canterbury - Kaikoura	5,533	5,616	4,984,062	4,971,322
Otago	5,493	5,685	4,492,463	4,750,346
Totals for Dominion	24,146	25,045	24,547,955	24,904,993
Increase	899		357,038	