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TABLE SHOWING THE NUMBER OF SHEEP IN EACH COUNTY THROUGHOUT THE DOMINION ON 30TH APRIL, 1927 AND 1928—continued.
SOUTH ISLAND.

County.	Number of Sheep on		Increase.	Decrease.
	30th April, 1927.	30th April, 1928.		
Waimea	287,698	282,501	..	5,197
Takaka	50,287	48,619	..	1,668
Collingwood	24,169	24,179	10	..
Buller	4,142	5,402	1,260	..
Inangahua	9,355	8,975	..	380
Murchison	46,011	41,502	..	4,509
Grey	24,326	26,947	2,621	..
Westland	39,048	41,858	2,810	..
Sounds	185,669	182,522	..	3,147
Marlborough	370,882	357,554	..	13,328
Awatere	328,061	340,984	12,923	..
Kaikoura	185,897	181,087	..	4,810
Amuri	380,461	398,824	18,363	..
Cheviot	170,534	190,092	19,558	..
Waipara	382,486	394,661	12,175	..
Ashley	106,410	106,379	..	31
Kowai	75,988	84,104	8,116	..
Oxford	117,470	124,982	7,512	..
Rangiora	37,941	43,761	5,820	..
Eyre	59,117	67,344	8,227	..
Tawera	106,146	107,374	1,228	..
Malvern	145,287	166,143	20,856	..
Paparua	35,930	47,163	11,233	..
Waimairi	5,694	5,741	47	..
Heathcote	13,369	12,474	..	895
Akaroa	114,949	116,585	1,636	..
Mount Herbert	56,325	55,932	..	393
Wairewa	92,079	92,237	158	..
Halswell	14,009	15,148	1,139	..
Springs	30,348	33,195	2,847	..
Ellesmere	77,742	91,356	13,614	..
Selwyn	221,220	239,335	18,115	..
Ashburton	941,067	1,045,811	104,744	..
Geraldine	325,810	365,329	39,519	..
Levels	183,489	218,717	35,228	..
Mackenzie	527,777	548,781	21,004	..
Waimate	603,927	695,359	91,432	..
Chatham Islands	90,939	91,683	744	..
Waitaki	656,689	751,012	94,323	..
Maniototo	392,846	415,986	23,140	..
Vincent	403,239	425,691	22,452	..
Waihemo	141,948	150,829	8,881	..
Waikouaiti	93,126	96,425	3,299	..
Taieri	244,378	279,323	34,945	..
Peninsula	9,517	13,053	3,536	..
Clutha	425,795	469,862	44,067	..
Tuapeka	476,473	521,859	45,386	..
Bruce	248,063	276,556	28,493	..
Lake	269,477	283,898	14,421	..
Southland	1,330,267	1,491,583	161,316	..
Wallace	523,048	571,570	48,522	..
Stewart Island	4,271	3,418	..	853
Totals for South Island	11,691,196	12,651,705	960,509	..
Totals for North Island	13,957,820	14,482,105	524,285	..
Totals for the Dominion	25,649,016	27,133,810	1,484,794	..

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1. Names of Districts.	2. Number of Sheepowners on		3. Number of Sheep on	
	30th April, 1927.	30th April, 1928.	30th April, 1927.	30th April, 1928.
Auckland	3,532	3,578	2,289,488	2,380,475
Napier - Gisborne	3,599	3,610	6,317,884	6,539,179
Wellington - West Coast	4,459	4,469	5,350,448	5,562,451
Marlborough - Nelson - Westland	2,377	2,404	1,369,648	1,361,043
Canterbury - Kaikoura	5,713	5,733	5,102,411	5,539,597
Otago	5,929	6,188	5,219,137	5,751,065
Totals for Dominion	25,609	25,982	25,649,016	27,133,810
Increase	373		1,484,794	