

SECTION 4.—WORKING OF THE SALE OF FOOD AND DRUGS ACT.

TABLE 1.—SHOWING SAMPLES RESPECTIVELY OF MILK AND OTHER FOODSTUFFS TAKEN AND DEALT WITH DURING THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1936.

Health District.	Number of Samples taken.		Number of Vendors.		Samples not complying.					
					Number of Samples.		Number of Warnings issued.		Number of Prosecutions recommended.	
	Milk.	Other.	Milk.	Other.	Milk.	Other.	Milk.	Other.	Milk.	Other.
North Auckland ..	91	12	86	7	5	..	4	..	1	..
Central Auckland ..	2,069	204	2,069	190	91	9	71	7	20	..
South Auckland ..	183	38	175	21	15	1	7	..	8	1
Thames-Tauranga ..	112	5	112	5	1	..	..	..	1	..
Taranaki ..	66	..	64	..	1	..	..	..	1	..
East Cape ..	205	118	205	58	1	1	1	1	..	..
Wanganui-Horowhenua ..	224	5	223	5	3	..	..	..	3	..
Wairarapa - Hawke's Bay ..	205	2	202	2	1	..	1	..	..	..
Central Wellington ..	1,560	26	1,560	25	18	4	8	2	10	2
Nelson-Marlborough ..	60	16	60	15	1	..	..	..	1	..
Canterbury ..	2,011	133	1,969	128	83	13	63	8	20	..
West Coast ..	283	15	261	15	10	1	8	1	2	..
Otago ..	753	264	583	30	35	1	20	1	12	..
Southland ..	104	49	85	18	17	3	6	1	7	..
Totals ..	7,926	887	7,654	519	282	33	189	21	86	3

TABLE 2.—SHOWING INSPECTION OF PREMISES ENGAGED IN SELLING OR MANUFACTURING FOODSTUFFS DURING THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1936.

Health District.					Inspections.		
					Number of Premises inspected engaged in Manufacturing Foodstuffs.	Number of such Premises where Defects occurred.	Number of Instances Goods were "seized" or "destroyed."
North Auckland ..	..	..	..	..	608	70	..
Central Auckland ..	..	..	..	..	1,158	146	54
South Auckland ..	..	..	..	..	2,006	192	1
Thames-Tauranga ..	..	..	..	..	318	37	2
Taranaki ..	..	..	..	..	238	42	4
East Cape ..	..	..	..	..	533	123	1
Wanganui-Horowhenua ..	..	..	..	..	190	13	9
Wairarapa - Hawke's Bay ..	..	..	..	..	197	13	3
Central Wellington ..	..	..	..	..	256	19	47
Nelson-Marlborough ..	..	..	..	..	153	7	2
Canterbury ..	..	..	..	..	967	21	8
West Coast ..	..	..	..	..	697	81	4
Otago ..	..	..	..	..	1,539	127	6
Southland ..	..	..	..	..	667	70	7
Totals ..	..	..	..	..	9,527	961	148

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