## CENSUS OF NEW ZEALAND, APRIL, 1891.

Registrar-General's Office, Wellington, 19th August, 1891. THE population of the colony, according to the Census of the 5th April, is shown in the first of the

tables presented herewith.

Its distribution in counties and interior boroughs is given in Table II., and in Table III. the particulars for the various ridings, road and town districts. A further table is added showing the populations of the wards in the different boroughs, and the suburbs of the principal cities.

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Table I. showing the Total Population of the Colony of New Zealand (exclusive of Maoris), as on the 5th April, 1891, in Counties, Boroughs, adjacent Islands, and on Shipboard.

	-	Persons.	Males.	Females.				
In counties					•	351,937	196,892	155,045
In boroughs						270,503	132,397	138,106
In islands adjacent						636	377	259
In Chatham Islands			• • •		••	258	136	122
In Kermadec Islands	• • •		• • •			19	11	8
On shipboard(*)		• • •	•••	• • •		3,305	3,064	241
Total (exclusive of Maoris)(b)						626,658	332,877	293,781

(a) Not including 1,134 persons, officers and crews of six British men-of-war, and 365 persons, officers and crew of the Austrian warship s.s. "Saida."

(b) The Maori population of the colony, according to the results of a separate census taken in March (and including 219 Maori wives of Europeans) last was—males, 22,633; females, 18,890: total, 41,523. Thus, the total population of the colony (including Maoris) was—males, 355,510; females, 312,671: total, 668,181.

Table II., showing the Population (exclusive of Maoris) of the different Counties and Boroughs in the Colony of New Zealand, as on the 5th April, 1891.

Counties	Population.			Boroughs (set opposite exterior	Population.		
Counties.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Counties).		Males.	Females.
Mongonui On shipboard On shipboard On shipboard Hokianga On shipboard On shipboard On shipboard On shipboard	1,389 23 878 10 1,494 5 2,562	788 23 487 10 871 4 1,437	601  391  623 1 1,125				
On shipboard  On shipboard  Whangarei  On shipboard  Otamatea  On shipboard  Rodney  On shipboard  Waitemata  On shipboard  Waitemata  On shipboard	3,298 40 6,120 8 2,054 28 3,170 12 6,184 26	2,154 40 3,456 8 1,190 28 1,681 10 3,492 26	1,144  2,664  864  1,489 2	Birkenhead Devonport	455 2,455	243 1,128	212 1,327