

FOR YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1949

Operational District.	Deer.	Tahr.	Chamois.	Goats.	Pigs.	Wild Sheep.	Wallabies.	Opossums.	Wapiti Cross.*	Wild Cattle.	Wild Cats.	Rats.	Hares.	Totals.
Central North Island	3,680	..	..	6,322	688	274	..	50	..	2	..	..	..	11,016
Southern North Island	1,069	..	..	209	64	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,342
Nelson-Marborough	1,020	..	..	10,907	864	1,639	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	14,465
Canterbury-Westland	14,718	883	1,707	35	139	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17,482
Southern Lakes	13,094	4	146	391	38	..	..	27	16	..	..	..	..	15,601
Stewart Island	415	..	..	..	14	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	472
Special campaigns— Poverty Bay (Opossums)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	16,809	..	..	..	325	60	17,394
Waikato (Wallabies)	6,790	6,790
Totals	33,906	887	1,858	17,924	1,807	1,915	6,790	16,886	16	2	8	533	60	82,592

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Central North Island	3,071	10,821	934	707	..	5	15,538
Taranaki	946	228	5	1,179
Nelson-Marborough	1,875	..	3	4,000	682	..	682	2,622	8,682
Canterbury	6,769	..	1,407	..	549	9,877
Southern Lakes	13,830	..	160	17,804	565	..	33	..	55	32,456
Stewart Island	340	16	..	412
Special campaigns— Poverty Bay (Opossums)	73	5,142
Waikato (Wallabies)	2	4,521	4,523
Totals	26,331	887	1,264	32,926	2,032	3,329	2,205	55	55	5	64	5,077	4,521	77,809

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DESCRIPTIONS OF DISTRICTS REFERRED TO ABOVE

1. *Central North Island District* embraces the country lying to the north of a line commencing at the mouth of the Grey River, on the west coast, then following the left bank of that river to its source, thence due east to the Manawatu Gorge, and thence in the same direction to Napier, and bounded on the north by a line running due east from Kawhia Harbour to Tauranga.
2. *Southern North Island District*.—All that portion of the North Island lying to the south of the southern boundary of the Central North Island District.
3. *Nelson-Marborough District*. That portion of the South Island lying to the north of a line commencing at the mouth of the Grey River, on the west coast, then following the left bank of that river to its source, thence due east to the Manawatu Gorge, and thence in the same direction to Napier, and bounded on the north by a line running due east from Kawhia Harbour to Tauranga.
4. *Canterbury-Westland District*.—All that portion of the South Island to the south of the southern boundary of the Nelson-Marborough District and bounded in the west by the Southern Alps from the point where that range is crossed by the southern boundary of the Nelson-Marborough District to Mount Cook, thence due east to Timaru.
5. *Southern Lakes District*.—All that portion of the South Island lying to the south of the Canterbury District and including the west coast south of a line turning due west from Mount Cook to the sea.
6. *Canterbury-Westland District* (in table for year ended 31st March, 1949, only).—All that portion of the South Island bounded on the north by the southern boundary of the Nelson-Marborough District and on the south by a line commencing at Akaroa, the Point at the west end of the Bay of the Kaiti, thence following the line of the Miller Glacier, Makarewa and Kaitiaki Rivers, the main divide of the head of the Miller Glacier, thence in a direct line to Timaru, and on the west and east by the sea.