

1909.

NEW ZEALAND.

## THE GENERAL ELECTION, 1908.

RETURN showing approximately the Position of 1905 Electoral Roll for each Electorate in the Dominion after deducting Removals caused by Change of Boundaries, Purging, Transfers, Deaths, &c., and Additions consequent upon Change of Boundaries; also Number of Electors on Roll on 31st October, 1908, after deducting Removals by Transfers, Deaths, &c., since closing of Main Roll on 15th April, 1908, and adding Claims received for Enrolment on Supplementary Rolls up to 31st October, the Date of the Issue of the Writs; also Increase of Number on 1908 Roll as compared with Number on 1905 Roll after Adjustment of Boundary Alterations.

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*Presented to both Houses of Parliament by leave.*

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RETURN showing approximately the Positions of 1905 and 1908 Electoral Rolls for each Electorate in the Dominion up to the Date of the Issue of the Writs, 31st October, 1908.

Electorate.	1905.			1908.							Increase of Number of Electors on Roll, 1908, as compared with Number on Roll after Boundary Adjustment.	
	Less Removals.		Total.	Total remaining on Roll.	Plus Additions from Boundary Alterations.	Position of Roll after Adjustment of Boundary Alterations.	Number on Main Roll, 15th April, 1908.	Less Removals by Transfer, &c., since Printing of Roll.	Net Total on Roll.	Plus Claims received to 31st October, 1908.		Grand Total on Roll.
	Boundary Alterations.	Purging, Transfers, Deaths, &c.										
1. Bay of Islands ..	4,747	610	4,137	4,309	4,431	523	3,908	1,587	5,495	1,186		
2. Marsden ..	6,350	1,540	4,810	4,810	4,431	523	4,401	1,566	5,967	1,157		
3. Kaipara ..	6,057	1,835	4,222	4,289	4,454	420	4,024	1,777	5,801	1,512		
4. Waitemata ..	6,503	1,286	5,217	5,837	5,809	621	5,188	2,540	7,728	1,891		
5. Auckland West ..	7,561	1,489	6,072	6,072	6,512	1,308	5,209	3,502	8,711	2,639		
6. Auckland Central ..	6,924	1,279	5,645	5,953	6,000	1,521	4,479	4,327	8,806	2,858		
7. Auckland East ..	7,245	1,374	5,871	6,304	6,365	1,865	4,500	3,728	8,228	1,924		
8. Grey Lynn ..	7,434	1,490	5,944	6,262	6,202	1,143	5,059	3,983	8,992	2,730		
9. Eden ..	7,126	2,762	4,364	4,796	6,133	618	5,515	2,664	8,179	3,383		
10. Parnell ..	6,988	1,112	5,876	6,127	7,053	958	6,095	2,538	8,633	2,506		
11. Manukau ..	6,273	1,554	4,719	5,059	5,337	335	5,002	1,933	6,935	2,000		
12. Franklin ..	6,569	2,037	4,532	5,046	5,060	763	4,297	1,365	5,662	1,876		
13. Thames ..	4,535	777	3,758	4,647	4,706	616	4,090	1,419	5,509	862		
14. Ohinemuri ..	4,586	3,126	2,460	5,091	5,324	685	4,639	2,393	6,932	1,841		
15. Waikato ..	8,114	3,848	4,266	768	5,034	585	5,110	2,844	7,954	2,335		
16. Tauranga ..	7,987	658	2,936	4,782	4,308	389	3,919	2,538	6,457	1,675		
17. Bay of Plenty ..	8,133	2,238	4,908	5,174	4,575	638	3,942	2,834	6,776	1,602		
18. Gisborne ..	6,765	987	5,778	5,979	6,021	731	5,290	3,423	8,713	2,734		
19. Hawke's Bay ..	7,042	1,558	5,207	5,742	5,370	554	4,816	3,028	7,844	2,102		
20. Napier ..	7,042	284	6,758	6,964	6,586	629	5,907	2,556	8,463	1,499		
21. Waipawa ..	7,105	1,994	5,111	5,111	5,184	901	4,283	2,013	6,296	1,185		
22. Pahiatua ..	5,522	1,217	4,305	4,691	4,784	778	4,006	1,484	5,490	799		
23. Masterton ..	5,816	1,447	5,369	5,752	5,568	839	4,729	2,322	7,051	1,299		
24. Wairarapa ..	5,353	767	4,586	5,129	5,292	629	4,663	1,869	6,532	1,403		
25. Tairāranui ..	6,464	3,442	3,022	4,613	4,613	564	4,049	2,952	7,001	2,388		
26. Egmont ..	6,487	4,545	1,942	3,754	4,186	671	3,515	2,264	5,779	2,025		
27. Taranaki ..	6,205	723	5,482	5,619	5,859	777	5,082	1,480	6,562	943		
28. Patea ..	7,483	6,709	774	5,438	5,181	1,096	4,085	2,159	6,244	811		
29. Stratford ..	7,406	2,688	4,718	4,700	4,835	729	4,106	1,854	5,960	1,260		
30. Rangitikei ..	8,217	1,818	6,400	5,169	5,123	1,068	4,055	2,325	6,380	1,211		
31. Waanganui ..	6,690	2,046	4,644	6,171	6,546	847	5,699	2,798	8,497	2,326		
32. Oroua ..	8,619	1,162	7,457	8,846	8,320	736	7,584	1,970	9,554	1,444		
33. Palmerston ..	6,345	3,041	3,304	5,578	5,569	721	4,848	2,888	7,736	1,658		
34. Manawatu ..	5,274	1,573	3,701	5,212	4,981	887	4,094	2,136	6,230	1,018		
35. Otaki ..	7,505	2,230	5,275	6,044	3,960	518	3,442	1,958	5,400	1,154		
36. Hutt ..	8,750	2,809	5,941	5,488	5,875	777	5,098	2,690	7,788	2,300		
37. Wellington North ..	8,500	2,331	6,169	6,133	6,861	1,411	5,450	4,416	9,866	3,728		
38. Wellington Central ..	7,702	1,921	5,781	5,601	5,786	1,452	4,334	3,431	7,765	2,164		
39. Wellington East ..	7,702	1,236	6,466	6,856	6,951	1,415	5,536	4,072	9,608	2,752		
40. Wellington South ..	7,702	1,310	6,392	5,210	5,210	741	4,469	3,839	8,308	3,008		

41. Wellington Suburbs	9,570	5,441	2,347	7,788	1,782	2,541	4,323	4,740	452	4,288	4,348	8,631	4,308
42. Nelson ..	6,427	5,506	571	1,077	5,850	2,000	5,550	5,827	556	5,271	2,050	7,321	1,771
43. Motueka ..	5,069	443	441	884	4,185	470	4,655	4,723	331	4,392	683	5,075	430
44. Buller ..	6,479	998	1,057	2,492	4,424	442	4,866	4,937	658	4,279	2,331	6,610	1,744
45. Grey ..	7,019	1,143	1,349	2,492	4,527	998	5,525	5,807	780	5,027	2,108	7,135	1,610
46. Westland..	4,484	..	386	386	4,098	1,143	5,241	5,386	584	4,802	1,408	6,210	969
47. Wairau ..	6,205	200	858	1,058	5,147	71	5,218	5,378	497	4,876	1,717	6,593	1,875
48. Hurunui ..	4,761	35	735	770	3,991	702	4,693	4,744	561	4,183	1,531	5,714	1,021
49. Kaiapoi ..	4,973	635	790	1,425	3,548	2,078	5,626	5,653	1,003	4,650	1,813	6,463	887
50. Avon ..	7,061	331	1,393	1,724	5,337	721	6,058	6,230	1,069	5,161	3,096	8,257	2,199
51. Riccarton	5,154	2,078	925	3,003	2,151	3,204	5,355	5,401	698	4,703	3,700	7,403	2,048
52. Christchurch North	9,022	338	2,382	2,720	6,302	45	6,347	7,087	1,273	5,814	3,487	9,251	2,904
53. Christchurch East..	7,860	766	1,059	1,825	6,035	493	6,528	6,694	1,684	5,010	3,237	8,247	1,719
54. Christchurch South	7,622	155	1,084	1,239	6,383	1,433	6,613	6,880	1,433	5,180	3,080	8,360	1,877
55. Lyttelton..	6,314	110	815	925	5,389	483	5,872	6,084	1,048	5,036	2,767	7,803	1,931
56. Ellesmere ..	4,406	132	425	577	3,829	1,238	5,067	5,176	559	4,617	2,245	6,862	1,795
57. Selwyn ..	5,092	877	1,265	2,142	2,950	1,786	4,736	4,600	754	3,846	1,740	5,586	850
58. Ashburton ..	6,416	1,165	1,106	2,271	4,145	1,251	5,396	5,848	688	5,160	1,734	6,894	1,498
59. Geraldine ..	5,131	1,222	713	1,985	3,196	2,043	5,239	5,140	645	4,495	1,527	6,022	783
60. Timaru ..	7,324	85	1,092	1,177	6,147	..	6,147	6,419	826	5,563	2,403	7,966	1,819
61. Waitaki ..	5,521	1,958	981	2,939	2,582	2,292	4,874	5,147	624	4,523	1,591	6,114	1,240
62. Oamaru ..	6,038	1,134	804	1,938	4,100	1,913	6,013	6,169	725	5,444	1,045	6,489	476
63. Tuapeka ..	4,425	1,657	1,367	3,024	1,401	2,889	4,290	5,126	352	4,774	740	5,514	1,224
64. Chalmers ..	6,692	524	524	3,026	3,666	1,938	5,604	5,682	755	4,927	1,536	6,463	859
65. Dunedin North ..	7,071	1,293	627	1,920	5,151	1,807	6,958	7,139	1,206	5,933	2,716	8,649	1,691
66. Dunedin West ..	7,765	634	725	1,359	6,406	1,293	7,699	7,784	1,440	6,344	3,959	9,703	2,004
67. Dunedin Central	6,786	..	593	593	6,193	784	6,977	7,100	1,292	5,808	2,667	8,475	1,498
68. Dunedin South ..	7,099	150	502	960	6,139	695	6,834	7,038	1,149	5,889	2,958	8,847	2,013
69. Taieri ..	4,773	213	502	715	4,063	855	4,918	5,279	576	4,703	1,203	5,906	988
70. Bruce ..	5,096	554	764	1,318	3,778	1,443	5,221	5,489	538	4,956	1,037	5,933	772
71. Clutha ..	5,210	312	719	1,031	4,179	944	5,123	5,097	504	4,593	484	5,077	717
72. Mataura ..	6,729	946	1,040	1,986	4,743	334	5,077	5,108	536	4,572	1,222	5,794	933
73. Wakatipu ..	5,023	..	799	799	4,226	396	4,622	4,838	443	4,390	1,165	5,555	933
74. Wallace ..	5,680	74	970	1,044	4,636	..	4,686	4,913	453	4,460	1,386	5,796	1,160
75. Invercargill ..	7,616	237	1,130	1,367	6,249	..	6,249	6,571	852	5,719	1,384	7,053	804
76. Awarua ..	5,388	334	1,075	1,409	3,979	237	4,216	4,710	326	4,384	1,405	5,789	1,573
Total	476,590	68,297	74,098	142,395	334,195	77,535	411,730*	423,316*	60,876	362,440	174,568	537,003	125,319

NOTE.—\* The difference, plus and minus, between the number on the roll after adjustment of boundary alterations, and the number on the main roll at 15th April, 1908, is accounted for by removals, transfers, and new claims. † † 46 decrease.

The estimated adult population of the Dominion as given by the Registrar-General at the date of this return was 538,950 persons.

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