

RETURN SHOWING NUMBER OF SEAMEN'S ELECTORS' RIGHTS AND ABSENT VOTERS' PERMITS ISSUED AND EXERCISED IN EACH ELECTORAL DISTRICT—*continued.*

Electoral District.	Seamen's Electors' Rights.			Absent Voters' Permits.		
	Total Number of Seamen's Rights issued.	Number of Seamen's Rights exercised.	Number of Seamen's Rights issued but not exercised.	Total Number of Absent Voters' Permits issued.	Number of Absent Voters' Permits exercised.	Number of Absent Voters' Permits issued but not exercised.
Otago Central .. .. .	..	..	..	18	12	6
Dunedin North	7	3	4	94	84	10
Dunedin West	28	11	17	96	72	24
Dunedin Central	28	13	15	78	65	13
Dunedin South	10	5	5	61	52	9
Chalmers	20	9	11	94	66	28
Bruce .. .. .	..	..	..	42	28	14
Clutha .. .. .	..	..	..	46	23	23
Wakatipu .. .. .	..	..	..	17	12	5
Mataura .. .. .	..	..	..	47	33	14
Wallace	1	1	..	24	12	12
Invercargill .. .. .	..	..	..	27	20	7
Awarua .. .. .	..	..	..	61	36	25
Totals	1,256	566	690	4,474	3,031	1,443
Dunedin Central By-election	105	55	50	414	233	181

DUNEDIN CENTRAL BY-ELECTION, 3RD FEBRUARY, 1915.

Candidates.	Number of Votes recorded			Number of Electors who did not vote.	Number of Electors on Roll.	Percentage of Votes recorded for Candidate elected	
	For each Candidate.	Informal Votes.	Total.			(a) To total Number of Electors on Roll.	(b) To Total Valid Votes recorded.
Statham, Charles Ernest	4,033	..	..	..	..	..	..
Munro, James Wright	3,926	11	7,970	1,443	9,413	42·85	50·67
Men on roll	4,503
Women on roll	4,910
Total	9,413
Proportion per cent. of men and women on the roll	Men, 48; women, 52	
Men who voted	3,758
Women who voted	4,212
Total	7,970
Proportion per cent. of votes recorded by men and women respectively to the total number of votes recorded	Men, 47; women, 53	
Percentage of votes recorded by men and women respectively to the total number of men and women on the roll	Men, 83·46; women, 85·78	
Percentage of the total number of votes recorded to the total number of electors on the roll 84·67	
Percentage of informal votes recorded 0·14	

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