

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE—continued.
EXPERIMENTAL FARMS AND AREAS, AND QUARANTINE STATIONS.
WORKING ACCOUNTS AND PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1925.

	Waitemata Farm.	Ashburton Farm.	Mamaku Farm.	Puwera Area.	Albany Area.	Marion Area.	Galloway Area.	Gore Area.	Winton Area.	Motuihi Island Quarantine Station.	Somes Island Quarantine Station.	Quail Island Quarantine Station.	Papaui Orchard.	Total.
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To Stock, 1st April, 1924—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Live-stock ..	324 19 0	20 10 0	596 0 0	192 10 0	36 16 10	131 9 4	60 0 0	40 0 0	1,185 10 0	62 8 6	175 11 0	20 0 0	2,677 8 6	
Farm crops and stores ..	476 12 8	302 15 6	125 3 3	101 16 8	275 10 6	319 18 6	633 0 6	397 12 8	54 9 4	28 11 6	35 16 0	225 10 0	2,684 0 6	
Wages and salaries ..	296 15 4	454 10 2	660 7 4	556 17 3	275 10 6	319 18 6	406 4 9	197 8 0	463 2 3	248 6 8	283 13 0	62 6 0	4,443 4 5	
Purchases of live-stock ..	48 17 10	354 4 11	273 12 0	181 18 0	9 0 0	.. ..	514 16 2	.. ..	178 16 0	6 0 0	82 1 3	.. ..	1,567 4 11	
Launch and steamer services ..	103 19 11	42 11 6	88 2 3	79 2 8	16 13 4	54 10 2	22 4 9	65 2 4	183 5 0	388 11 4	.. ..	.. ..	653 17 7	
Manures and seeds ..	.. ..	58 13 5	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	68 15 1	152 10 5	79 15 0	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	507 13 6	
Cultivating and harvesting ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	459 4 5	
Fodder ..	11 5 2	31 1 10	74 19 3	14 0 10	7 0 8	10 10 8	83 10 10	5 0 5	.. ..	106 1 10	68 1 8	.. ..	174 3 6	
Freight and cartage ..	44 4 1	2 8 4	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	35 7 1	.. ..	.. ..	6 6 5	14 3 10	4 6 2	.. ..	260 15 10	
Sundries ..	179 4 7	166 7 10	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	37 11 1	.. ..	.. ..	777 2 6	.. ..	9 9 4	.. ..	122 10 1	
Balances carried down ..	1,485 18 7	1,433 3 6	1,818 4 1	1,126 5 5	345 1 4	658 1 11	1,872 7 5	500 1 7	784 18 5	2,848 11 6	854 3 8	658 18 5	324 13 5	14,710 9 3
To Balances brought down ..	45 6 0	30 19 3	590 11 7	462 9 10	291 15 3	47 10 4	554 0 3	322 13 2	252 7 0	.. ..	446 17 10	212 6 2	75 14 4	3,208 15 5
Maintenance and repairs ..	.. ..	228 6 1	123 14 2	19 9 11	11 19 8	27 9 8	74 7 6	6 8 0	8 8 0	237 16 11	39 14 3	41 17 0	.. ..	687 11 0
Rent ..	2 7 6	.. ..	.. ..	26 0 0	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	34 13 0	184 19 3	.. ..	25 7 0	.. ..	.. ..	518 1 4
Sundries ..	5 19 0	7 12 6	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	27 14 6
Agricultural education expenses ..	149 2 4	99 5 4	244 4 2	90 0 2	10 3 2	4 2 4	147 11 6	4 12 11	45 18 11	301 7 6	104 5 0	88 18 0	18 7 11	1,307 19 3
Depreciation ..	50 0 0	24 9 0	19 9 1	12 12 10	3 7 5	8 1 6	65 10 4	30 1 0	31 7 0	27 17 8	11 7 7	7 12 8	6 13 6	298 9 7
Administration charges ..	198 9 10	48 9 6	260 19 0	76 1 9	6 3 1	8 3 10	75 11 4	8 15 10	55 14 4	659 16 11	184 8 9	235 6 8	19 12 2	1,837 13 0
Interest on capital ..	451 4 8	439 1 8	1,238 18 0	686 14 6	323 8 7	95 7 8	917 0 11	407 3 11	578 14 6	1,226 19 0	812 0 5	586 0 6	137 1 3	7,899 15 7
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By Sales of live-stock ..	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Live-stock ..	223 10 4	518 13 10	357 5 5	266 10 3	23 18 2	252 19 3	217 14 9	79 17 6	131 4 0	891 6 11	48 8 5	26 11 0	2,332 6 2
Sales of produce ..	108 6 4	673 11 1	143 17 9	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	530 1 4	50 9 7	77 12 7	222 6 7	2,511 18 11
Quarantine fees ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	0 16 7	.. ..	2 19 8	.. ..	104 13 6	225 2 10	167 13 4	0 1 6	497 9 8
Sundries ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	78 12 9	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	82 10 6
Stock, 31st March, 1925—	323 10 0	63 17 6	624 3 0	217 10 0	9 0 0	.. ..	470 9 7	.. ..	30 0 0	1,151 6 0	71 18 6	175 2 0	.. ..	3,136 16 7
Live-stock ..	830 11 11	177 1 1	102 6 4	179 15 4	20 7 11	404 6 1	630 2 10	94 11 3	371 7 5	92 11 0	11 6 6	26 4 4	.. ..	2,940 12 0
Farm crops and stores ..	.. ..	.. ..	590 11 7	462 9 10	291 15 3	.. ..	554 0 3	322 13 2	252 7 0	.. ..	446 17 10	212 6 2	75 14 4	3,208 15 5
Balances carried down ..	1,485 18 7	1,433 3 6	1,818 4 1	1,126 5 5	345 1 4	658 1 11	1,872 7 5	500 1 7	784 18 5	2,848 11 6	854 3 8	658 18 5	324 13 5	14,710 9 3
By Balances brought down ..	179 4 7	166 7 10	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	37 11 1	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	777 2 6	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	1,160 6 0
Royalties ..	.. ..	.. ..	41 8 2	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	41 8 2
Rents ..	.. ..	31 10 0	38 15 0	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	70 5 0
Sundries ..	7 8 9	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	16 10 0	.. ..	.. ..	23 18 9
Balances ..	264 11 4	241 3 10	1,158 14 10	686 14 6	323 8 7	57 16 7	917 0 11	407 3 11	578 14 6	449 16 6	795 10 5	586 0 6	137 1 3	6,603 17 8
To Balances brought down ..	451 4 8	439 1 8	1,238 18 0	686 14 6	323 8 7	95 7 8	917 0 11	407 3 11	578 14 6	1,226 19 0	812 0 5	586 0 6	137 1 3	7,899 15 7