

## RAINFALL FOR SEPTEMBER, 1923—continued.

Station.	Total Fall.	Number of Wet Days.	Maximum Fall.	Average September Rainfall.
<i>South Island—continued.</i>				
	Inches.		Inches.	Inches.
Spring Creek, Blenheim.. ..	2.95	9	0.90	2.64
Tophouse .. ..	4.61	15	1.25	4.81
Hanmer Springs .. ..	0.46	4	0.20	4.58
Highfield, Waiau .. ..	0.45	3	0.27	3.65
Gore Bay .. ..	0.94	6	0.39	4.28
Christchurch .. ..	1.42	8	0.49	1.75
Timaru .. ..	1.20	7	0.38	2.18
Lambrook Station, Fairlie .. ..	0.75	5	0.56	2.30
Benmore Station, Omarama .. ..	1.56	8	0.35	2.14
Oamaru .. ..	1.44	8	0.68	1.74
Queenstown .. ..	0.54	5	0.15	2.52
Clyde .. ..	0.25	6	0.10	1.06
Dunedin .. ..	2.07	11	0.80	2.75
Gore .. ..	..	..	..	2.44
Invercargill .. ..	1.78	15	0.36	3.03

## DOMINION CROP STATISTICS: SEASON 1922-23.

Crop.	Area.	Yield per Acre.	Total Yield.
Wheat—	Acres.		
For threshing .. ..	275,775	30.44 bushels	8,395,023 bushels.
For chaff, hay, or ensilage .. ..	1,181	1.46 tons..	1,724 tons.
Not harvested (fed off, &c.) .. ..	1,731	..	..
Oats—			
For threshing .. ..	143,090	39.75 bushels	5,688,157 bushels.
For chaff, hay, or ensilage .. ..	302,216	1.59 tons ..	480,147 tons.
Not harvested (fed off, &c.) .. ..	23,622	..	..
Barley—			
For threshing .. ..	17,473	34.23 bushels	598,040 bushels.
For chaff, hay, or ensilage .. ..	428	2.11 tons..	901 tons.
Maize—			
For threshing .. ..	9,732	51.97 bushels	505,776 bushels.
For ensilage .. ..	739	5.73 tons..	4,231 tons.
Peas and beans—For threshing.. ..	24,449	28.53 bushels	697,548 bushels.
Linseed—For threshing .. ..	10,649	0.48 tons..	5,133 tons.
Rye-grass .. ..	34,850	391.22 lb. ..	13,634,187 lb.
Cocksfoot .. ..	13,431	146.76 lb. ..	1,971,135 lb.
Chewings fescue .. ..	10,365	225.22 lb. ..	2,334,386 lb.
Crested dogstail .. ..	6,423	196.11 lb. ..	1,259,613 lb.
Red clover and cow-grass .. ..	13,494	190.50 lb. ..	2,570,650 lb.
White clover.. ..	5,526	157.45 lb. ..	870,087 lb.
Other grasses and clovers .. ..	2,638	222.58 lb. ..	587,159 lb.
Grasses and clovers for hay, &c. ..	175,558	1.80 tons ..	316,573 tons.
Potatoes .. ..	20,197	5.64 tons..	113,825 tons.
Green fodder.. ..	249,417	..	..
Turnips .. ..	498,974	..	..
Mangolds .. ..	9,694	..	..
Onions .. ..	497	9.16 tons..	4,553 tons.