

RAINFALL FOR MARCH, 1925—*continued.*

Station.	Total Fall.	Number of Wet Days.	Maximum Fall.	Average March Rainfall.
<i>South Island.</i>				
	Inches.		Inches.	Inches.
Westport	4.13	14	1.15	5.80
Greymouth	6.13	14	2.20	9.12
Hokitika	11.71	18	5.84	9.72
Arthur's Pass	19.21	11	7.58	5.84
Okuru, Westland	18.46	12	9.12	15.48
Collingwood	4.19
Nelson	2.16	6	1.88	2.99
Spring Creek, Blenheim	1.57	3	1.52	1.81
Tophouse	2.78	9	1.76	3.44
Hanmer Springs	1.43	6	0.72	2.84
Highfield, Waiau	0.66	2	0.48	3.09
Gore Bay	1.47	4	0.90	2.14
Christchurch	1.13	6	0.52	2.11
Timaru	0.56	8	0.38	2.45
Lambrook Station, Fairlie	1.16	3	0.86	2.58
Benmore Station, Omarama	4.32	10	3.28	2.64
Oamaru	0.99	7	0.72	1.77
Queenstown	3.63	11	1.61	2.63
Clyde	3.06	8	1.68	1.50
Dunedin	4.00	13	2.13	2.99
Gore	3.65	16	1.00	3.23
Invercargill	5.14	..	0.78	3.86

HONEY-EXPORT CONTROL.

THE following regulations under the Honey-export Control Act were gazetted on 26th March: (1.) The maximum fees payable to members of the Control Board shall be as follows—Chairman, £50 per annum; other members, £25 per annum. (2.) The maximum rate of travelling-allowance payable to members of the Board shall be £1 per diem, plus actual locomotion expenses. (3.) The charge payable by way of levy on all honey intended for export shall be one-sixteenth of a penny per pound. (4.) Any moneys payable under clause 3 hereof shall be paid to the Collector of Customs, on behalf of the Board, on or before the entry of the honey^s for export.

On the same date it was prescribed that notice by the Control Board of its intention to assume limited control of honey exported from New Zealand to the United Kingdom, the Irish Free State, and the Continent of Europe, to the extent of determining that all such honey shall be consigned to the Board's London agents, shall be given in accordance with the following conditions: (1.) Such notice shall be given either by service or publication as hereinafter provided not less than seven days before it becomes operative. (2.) Where notice is given by publication in a newspaper or newspapers, such publication shall be made in the *New Zealand Gazette* and in at least one newspaper published in each land district. (3.) Where a notice is to be served on either an owner of any honey or on any person having possession thereof, such notice shall be forwarded by "registered post."