New Zealand Rainfall for September, 1939—continued.

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch.)	Days with Rain.
SOUTH ISLAND—*continued.*		
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Galloway	223	8
Patearoa	249	7
Earnscleugh	376	7
Kingston	375	7
Te Awa, Hillgrove	176	10
Moeraki Lighthouse	193	7
Paerau	112	4
Robertslee, Middlemarch	319	15
Te Anau	360	11
Haast Pass	2201	13
Bushy Park, Palmerston South	188	6
Castle Hill Station, Athol	..	..
Nokomai	297	12
Roxburgh	215	14
Roxburgh East	232	11
Rae's Junction	263	12
Deep Stream	179	12
Wilden Settlement, Heriot	291	16
Whare Flat	..	..
Sawyer's Bay	200	10
Monowai (Sunnyside)	274	11
Fish Hatchery, Portobello	139	12
Cape Saunders	133	9
Ross Creek, Woodhaugh	251	15
Taiaroa Heads	156	12
Wendon	230	10
Burnside	..	..
Pumping-station, Musselburgh	140	9
Dipton	287	8
Lawrence	194	12
Tapanui	..	..
Milton	158	11
Otautau	319	14
Winton	369	17
Clinton	259	18
Pebbly Hills Plantation	331	16
Balclutha	206	7
Redan, Wyndham	379	17
Riverton	216	12
Roslin Estate, Woodlands	295	14
"Fernhill," Mokoreta	352	..
Kapuka	166	5
Nugget Point	171	16
Owaka	87	11
Centre Island	248	24
Tahakopa	335	16
Quarry Hills, Waikawa	352	14
"Dun-Ian," Waimahaka	312	17
Awarua-Radio	331	16
Flagstaff, Bluff	329	19
Bluff Reservoir	270	18
Dog Island	259	15
Slope Point	..	..
Waipapapa Point	73	7
Half-moon Bay, Stewart Island	300	13

New Zealand Rainfall for September, 1939—continued.

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.
ISLANDS.		
Chatham Islands	178	20
Kermadec Islands	357	20
Niue Island	..	..
Radio-Rarotonga	..	..
Avarua, Rarotonga, Cook Islands	..	..
Aitutaki Island, Cook Islands	..	..
Mangaia, Cook Islands	..	..
Atiu, Cook Islands	..	..
Mauke, Cook Islands	..	..
Danger Island	..	..
Penrhyn Island	..	..
Manihiki Island	..	..
LATE RETURNS.		
Cape Maria, June, 1939	830	25
,, July, 1939	676	30
,, August, 1939	555	26
Herekino, June, 1939	1224	15
Matanuku, August, 1939	556	13
Tarawera, July, 1939	348	13
,, August, 1939	192	8
Tuai, August, 1939	282	17
Pukehou, August, 1939	162	6
Westport, August, 1939	1105	22
Stephens Island, June, 1939	480	15
,, July, 1939	401	14
Harakeke, August, 1939	480	14
Midlands, August, 1939	347	5
Akaroa, August, 1939	833	10
Seadown, August, 1939	214	16
Monowai, August, 1939	372	11
Awarua-radio, July, 1939	468	24
,, August, 1939	320	15
Dog Island, August, 1939	215	8
Avarua, April, 1939	1729	11
,, May, 1939	1251	13
,, June, 1939	946	11
,, July, 1939	125	3
,, August, 1939	393	7
Kermadec Island, June, 1939	524	23
,, July, 1939	827	28
,, August, 1939	497	24
Radio-Rarotonga, July, 1939	149	13
,, August, 1939	276	12
Chatham Island, July, 1939	585	30
,, August, 1939	387	24
Niue Island, July, 1939	327	13
Danger Island, May, 1939	533	12
,, June, 1939	721	15

RESERVE BANK OF NEW ZEALAND.

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF THE RESERVE BANK OF NEW ZEALAND AS AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON MONDAY, 23RD OCTOBER, 1939.

Liabilities.

	£	s.	d.
1. General Reserve Fund	1,500,000	0	0
2. Bank-notes	17,334,539	0	0
3. Demand liabilities—			
(*a*) State	1,946,888	9	10
(*b*) Banks	13,783,428	15	9
(*c*) Other	302,322	19	3
4. Time deposits	..		
5. Liabilities in currencies other than New Zealand currency	11,001	18	2
6. Other liabilities	588,534	18	11
	£(N.Z.)35,466,716	1	11

Assets.

	£	s.	d.
7. Reserve—			
(*a*) Gold	2,801,839	0	0
(*b*) Sterling exchange*	5,605,045	8	9
(*c*) Gold exchange	..		
8. Subsidiary coin	224,428	4	11
9. Discounts—			
(*a*) Commercial and agricultural bills	..		
(*b*) Treasury and local-body bills	..		
10. Advances—			
(*a*) To the State or State undertakings—			
(1) Primary Products Marketing Department	5,784,297	16	2
(2) For other purposes	17,325,000	0	0
(*b*) To other public authorities	..		
(*c*) Other	..		
11. Investments	3,606,122	11	2
12. Bank buildings	..		
13. Other assets	119,983	0	11
	£(N.Z.)35,466,716	1	11

* Expressed in New Zealand currency.

Proportion of reserve (No. 7 less No. 5) to notes and other demand liabilities, 25·162 per cent.

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