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**H**IS Honor the Superintendent directs the publication of the following Returns for general information.

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RETURN of IMMIGRATION and EMIGRATION to and from Nelson, during the Year 1855.

FROM AND TO	IMMIGRATION.			EMIGRATION.		
	Males.	Females.	TOTALS.	Males.	Females.	TOTALS.
Great Britain . . . . .	224	157	381	6	4	10
British Colonies . . . . .	453	199	652	110	41	151
Provinces of New Zealand . . . . .	413	139	552	591	209	800
Foreign States . . . . .	.	.	.	1	1	2
TOTALS . . . . .	1,090	495	1,585	708	255	963

TOTALS of IMMIGRATION and EMIGRATION to and from Nelson, during the Years 1854 and 1855.

YEARS.	IMMIGRANTS.	EMIGRANTS.	EXCESS OF IMMIGRATION.
1854 . . . . .	1,121	643	478
1855 . . . . .	1,585	963	622
TOTAL in Two Years . . . . .	2,706	1,606	1,100

Compiled from Returns in Provincial Secretary's Office.

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*Provincial Secretary.*

COMPARATIVE RETURN of the EUROPEAN POPULATION in the various Districts of the PROVINCE of NELSON, for the Years 1854 and 1855.

DISTRICTS.	1854.			1855.		
	Males.	Females.	TOTAL.	Males.	Females.	TOTAL.
Town of Nelson . . . . .	940	880	1,820	1,035	950	1,985
Suburban North . . . . .	109	99	208	162	146	308
Suburban South . . . . .	142	117	259	143	120	263
Waimea East . . . . .	511	416	927	528	445	973
Waimea South . . . . .	382	342	724	425	363	788
Waimea West . . . . .	181	151	332	205	181	386
Motueka . . . . .	392	382	774	467	426	893
Massacre Bay . . . . .	72	49	121	118	105	223
Wairau . . . . .	352	185	537	421	206	627
Queen Charlotte's Sound . . . . .	56	43	99	87	36	123
Amuri . . . . .	49	8	57	82	14	96
<b>TOTALS . . . . .</b>	<b>3,186</b>	<b>2,672</b>	<b>5,858</b>	<b>3,674</b>	<b>2,991</b>	<b>6,665</b>

Compiled from Census Returns.

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RETURN of the MAORI POPULATION in the various Districts of the PROVINCE of NELSON, classed under the Heads of Age and Sex, for the Year 1855.

DISTRICTS.	NUMBER OF EACH AGE AND SEX.										NAME OF TRIBE.	
	MALES.				FEMALES.				TOTALS.			
	Under 7 Years.	7 and under 14.	14 and under 40.	40 and upwards.	Under 7 Years.	7 and under 14.	14 and under 40.	40 and upwards.	MALES.	FEMALES.		TOTALS.
Town of Nelson . . . . .			4	2			2	1	6	3	9	Ngatitama.
Suburban North . . . . .	3	4	5	2	2	1	3	4	14	10	24	
Motueka . . . . .	5	7	35	24	4	8	30	13	71	65	126	} Ngatirarua, Ngatitama, Ngatiawa, and mixed Tribes.
Massacre Bay, and the Coast from Sandy Bay to West Wanganui . . . . .	8	12	72	40	10	7	39	21	132	77	209	
Coast from Wakapuaka to Pelorus, with D'Urville's Island . . . . .	15	24	50	30	6	14	18	10	119	48	167	} Ngatikoata, Ngatitama, and other Tribes.
Queen Charlotte's Sound and Port Gore . . . . .	11	16	92	78	8	12	90	29	197	139	336	
Pelorus and Kaituna . . . . .	8	7	24	23	7	5	15	12	62	39	101	Ngatitona, Ngatikuia, & Rangitane.
Wairau and Port Underwood . . . . .	5	8	44	34	2	3	32	20	91	57	148	Ngatitona and Rangitane.
TOTALS . . . . .	55	78	326	233	39	50	139	100	692	428	1,120	

Compiled from Census Returns.

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RETURN of the QUANTITY of LAND, FENCED and CULTIVATED by Europeans, in the various Districts of the PROVINCE of NELSON,  
for the Year 1855.

DISTRICTS.	Fenced.	In Wheat.	In Barley.	In Oats.	In Maize.	In Potatoes.	In English Grasses.	In Garden and Orchard.	In Hops.	In Other Crops.
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
Town of Nelson . . . . .	742	44½	1	85½	.	56	296½	154	5½	19
Suburban North . . . . .	860½	161½	32½	116½	1½	21	220	41	.	55½
Suburban South . . . . .	1,383½	252	62	93½	2	15½	358½	21	.	69
Waimea East . . . . .	6,324½	1,547½	560	696½	1½	120½	1,496½	119	.	231
Waimea South . . . . .	2,966	545½	28	217½	3	124	687	59½	.	90½
Waimea West . . . . .	2,146	374½	62½	170½	.	23½	447½	42½	.	38½
Motueka . . . . .	3,857½	390	24	192	3½	324½	748	146½	.	133½
Massacre Bay . . . . .	62½	4	.	2	1½	24½	8	10½	.	2½
Wairau . . . . .	1,006½	57	7	52	.	36	42½	38	½	24
Queen Charlotte's Sound . . . . .	25½	2½	.	.	1½	8½	.	1½	.	1
Amuri . . . . .	26½	.	.	.	.	3½	¾	5	.	.
TOTALS . . . . .	19,401	3,379	777	1,626	14½	757½	4,305	638½	6	664½

Compiled from Census Returns.

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RETURN of the QUANTITY of LAND in CROP and CULTIVATED by MAORIES, in the various Districts of the PROVINCE of NELSON,  
for the Year 1855.

DISTRICTS.	In Wheat.	In Barley.	In Oats.	In Maize.	In Potatoes.	In Garden.	In other Crops.
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
Town of Nelson . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Suburban North . . . . .	10	.	.	4	3	2	1
Motueka . . . . .	54	.	.	5 $\frac{1}{4}$	38	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	5 $\frac{3}{4}$
Massacre Bay, and the Coast from Sandy Bay to West } Wanganui . . . . .	60	3	6	40	36	5	7
Coast from Wakapuaka to Pelorus, with D'Urville's Island .	50	2	10	12	30	4	6
Queen Charlotte's Sound and Port Gore . . . . .	80	4	20	30	50	10	10
Pelorus and Kaituna . . . . .	25	.	.	10	15	.	3
Wairau and Port Underwood . . . . .	30	.	.	10	20	1	2
TOTALS . . . . .	309	9	43	111 $\frac{1}{4}$	192	31 $\frac{1}{2}$	34 $\frac{3}{4}$

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RETURN of the AMOUNT of STOCK OWNED by EUROPEANS, in the various Districts of the PROVINCE of NELSON,  
for the Year 1855.

DISTRICTS.	Horses.	Mules.	Horned Cattle.	Sheep.	Goats.	Pigs.
Town of Nelson . . . . .	168	.	408	207	24	409
Suburban North . . . . .	48	.	673	263	105	275
Suburban South . . . . .	82	.	373	943	1	190
Waimea East . . . . .	330	.	1,762	1,961	605	725
Waimea South . . . . .	139	2	1,066	7,391	159	461
Waimea West . . . . .	107	1	546	582	6	391
Motueka . . . . .	86	.	1,468	2,548	161	713
Massacre Bay . . . . .	3	.	309	597	29	304
Wairau . . . . .	491	7	4,698	182,733	399	701
Queen Charlotte's Sound . . . . .	4	.	366	950	1,402	593
Amuri . . . . .	46	4	331	36,858	115	52
TOTALS . . . . .	1,504	14	12,660	235,033	3,006	4,814

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DISTRICT.	Horses.	Horned Cattle.	Sheep.	Goats.	Pigs.
Town of Nelson . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—
Suburban North . . . . .	2	4	.	10	20
Motueka . . . . .	13	43	.	.	42
Massacre Bay, and the Coast from Sandy Bay to West Wanganui . . . . .	2	40	.	300	200
Coast from Wakapuaka to Pelorus, with D'Urville's Island . . . . .	7	10	.	60	120
Queen Charlotte's Sound and Port Gore . . . . .	.	35	.	150	250
Pelorus and Kaituna . . . . .	.	.	.	.	300
Wairau and Port Underwood . . . . .	14	20	.	.	50
TOTALS . . . . .	38	152	.	520	982

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RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS (Registered) in the PROVINCE of NELSON, during the Year 1855.

BIRTHS.			DEATHS.																			
Males.	Females.	TOTAL.	7 Years and under.		From 7 to 14.		From 14 to 21.		From 21 to 30.		From 30 to 40.		From 40 to 50.		From 50 to 60.		Above 60.		TOTAL.		GENERAL TOTAL.	
			M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.		
112	114	226	20	18	2	3	2	.	5	2	3	1	3	4	3	1	.	.	.	38	29	67

Registrar's Office,  
Nelson, April 3, 1856.

B. O. HODGSON,  
*Deputy Registrar.*