

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of TRAFFIC on ALL SECTIONS from 1st April, 1913, to 6th December, 1913.

All Sections.	First-class Passengers.		Second-class Passengers.		Total.	Season Tickets.
	S.	R.	S.	R.		
1913	316,763	988,564	1,834,604	5,205,262	8,345,193	191,646
1912	326,104	949,046	1,802,777	4,940,568	8,018,495	180,369
Increase .. .. .	..	39,518	31,827	264,694	326,698	11,277
Decrease	9,341	..	..	..	..	..

All Sections.	Parcels.	Horses.	Carriages.	Dogs.	Total.	Drays, &c.	Cattle.	Calves.	Sheep.	Pigs.	Total.
1913	867,995	14,299	1,833	33,304	920,431	2,124	163,887	16,703	3,356,962	81,443	3,621,119
1912	841,297	14,282	1,961	39,376	896,916	2,120	144,080	14,681	2,913,923	80,525	3,155,329
Increase	26,698	17	..	..	23,515	4	19,807	2,022	443,039	918	465,790
Decrease .. .. .	..	..	128	3,072	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

All Sections.	Chaff, Lime, &c.		Wool.		Firewood.		Timber.		Grain.		Merchandise.		Minerals.		Total.	
	Tons	c.	Tons	c.	Tons	c.	Tons	c.	Tons	c.	Tons	c.	Tons	c.		
1913	173,693	0	45,139	16	86,022	0	468,526	14	727,823	11	561,964	14	1,822,846	13	3,886,016	8
1912	153,654	0	47,452	4	77,734	0	491,690	16	865,744	7	560,832	0	1,995,671	0	4,192,778	7
Increase	20,039	0	..	..	8,288	0	..	..	..	..	1,132	14	..	..	..	..
Decrease .. .. .	..	..	2,312	8	..	..	23,164	2	137,920	16	..	..	172,824	7	306,761	19

ESTIMATED COST of CONSTRUCTION of RAILWAYS, ROLLING-STOCK, ETC., to 31st March, 1913, as furnished by Public Works Department and by Greymouth and Westport Harbour Boards respectively.

Section.	Cost of Opened Lines.			Cost of Unopened Lines.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Whangarei-Kawakawa	572,438	0	0	116,397	0	0
Kaihu	68,281	0	0	20,289	0	0
Gisborne	332,268	0	0	223,666	0	0
North Island Main Lines and Branches	13,641,054	0	0	533,547	0	0
South Island Main Lines and Branches	13,511,641	0	0	418,777	0	0
Westland	1,715,702	0	0	627,508	0	0
Westport	586,239	0	0	60,019	0	0
Nelson	531,117	0	0	22,801	0	0
Picton	574,424	0	0	48,104	0	0
Lake Wakatipu Steamer Service	40,251	0	0	..	..	..
In Suspense—	..	..	..	..	..	..
Surveys, North Island .. .. .	..	..	..	32,802	0	0
Miscellaneous, North Island .. .. .	..	..	..	5,169	0	0
Surveys, South Island .. .. .	..	..	..	5,636	0	0
Miscellaneous, South Island .. .. .	..	..	..	5,163	0	0
P.W.D. Stock of Permanent-way .. .. .	..	..	..	100,680	0	0
W.R.D. Stock of A.O.L. Stores	37,802	0	0
Totals	£31,611,220	0	0	£2,220,563	0	0

Railway Department, 10th January, 1914

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