

Traffic Returns.

NEW ZEALAND RAILWAYS.—Traffic Returns for the period ending 18th September, 1915, and for the corresponding period 1914:—

WHANGAREI SECTION.

	1915			1914.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
<b>PASSENGERS,—</b>						
1st Class .. .. .	1,341	436	1,777	1,196	578	1,774
2nd Class .. .. .	6,002	5,562	11,564	5,002	4,788	9,790
<b>Total .. .. .</b>	<b>7,343</b>	<b>5,998</b>	<b>13,341</b>	<b>6,198</b>	<b>5,366</b>	<b>11,564</b>
Season Tickets .. .. .			139			109
<b>GOODS,—</b>	1915.	1914.		1915.	1914.	
	No.	No.		No.	No.	
Drays .. .. .	..	1		..	642	
Cattle .. .. .	240	139		..	..	
Calves .. .. .	8	14		..	..	
Sheep .. .. .	106	296		..	..	
Pigs .. .. .	19	20		..	..	
<b>Total .. .. .</b>	<b>373</b>	<b>470</b>				
<b>CHAFF, LIME, &amp;c.—</b>	Tons.	Tons.				
Chaff, Lime, &c... .. .	264	84				
Wool .. .. .	..	..				
Firewood .. .. .	138	180				
Timber .. .. .	3,302	1,905				
Grain .. .. .	397	389				
Merchandise .. .. .	675	574				
Minerals .. .. .	9,029	11,770				
<b>Total .. .. .</b>	<b>13,805</b>	<b>14,902</b>				
<b>PARCELS, ETC.</b>						
				884	642	
<b>REVENUE,—</b>				£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Passengers .. .. .				864 4 1	754 1 9	
Parcels, Luggage, and Mails .. .. .				121 8 8	101 8 1	
Goods .. .. .				2,417 15 7	2,409 6 7	
Miscellaneous .. .. .				52 18 11	30 5 9	
Rents and Commission .. .. .				70 0 7	76 9 11	
<b>Total .. .. .</b>				<b>£3,526 7 10</b>	<b>£3,371 12 1</b>	

KAIHU SECTION.

	1915.			1914.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
<b>PASSENGERS,—</b>						
1st Class .. .. .	28	102	130	42	118	160
2nd Class .. .. .	1,094	1,118	2,212	985	886	1,871
<b>Total .. .. .</b>	<b>1,122</b>	<b>1,220</b>	<b>2,342</b>	<b>1,027</b>	<b>1,004</b>	<b>2,031</b>
Season Tickets .. .. .						
<b>GOODS,—</b>	1915.	1914.		1915.	1914.	
	No.	No.		No.	No.	
Drays .. .. .	3	2		314	211	
Cattle .. .. .	..	4		..	..	
Calves .. .. .	..	..		..	..	
Sheep .. .. .	..	..		..	..	
Pigs .. .. .	..	..		..	..	
<b>Total .. .. .</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6</b>				
<b>CHAFF, LIME, &amp;c.—</b>	Tons.	Tons.				
Chaff, Lime, &c... .. .	36	..				
Wool .. .. .	..	..				
Firewood .. .. .	..	18				
Timber .. .. .	191	530				
Grain .. .. .	110	102				
Merchandise .. .. .	145	97				
Minerals .. .. .	..	35				
<b>Total .. .. .</b>	<b>482</b>	<b>782</b>				
<b>PARCELS, ETC.</b>						
				314	211	
<b>REVENUE,—</b>				£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Passengers .. .. .				133 14 1	103 13 4	
Parcels, Luggage, and Mails .. .. .				28 5 2	22 4 4	
Goods .. .. .				126 10 11	168 8 10	
Miscellaneous .. .. .				13 4 9	5 9 6	
Rents and Commission .. .. .				9 11 6	7 15 6	
<b>Total .. .. .</b>				<b>£311 6 5</b>	<b>£307 11 6</b>	

GISBORNE SECTION.

	1915.			1914.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
<b>PASSENGERS,—</b>						
1st Class .. .. .	692	438	1,130	603	448	1,051
2nd Class .. .. .	2,707	2,088	4,795	2,545	2,028	4,573
<b>Total .. .. .</b>	<b>3,399</b>	<b>2,526</b>	<b>5,925</b>	<b>3,148</b>	<b>2,476</b>	<b>5,624</b>
Season Tickets .. .. .			15			9
<b>GOODS,—</b>	1915.	1914.		1915.	1914.	
	No.	No.		No.	No.	
Drays .. .. .	..	1		634	463	
Cattle .. .. .	99	30		..	..	
Calves .. .. .	..	..		..	..	
Sheep .. .. .	1,465	710		..	..	
Pigs .. .. .	26	1		..	..	
<b>Total .. .. .</b>	<b>1,590</b>	<b>742</b>				
<b>CHAFF, LIME, &amp;c.—</b>	Tons.	Tons.				
Chaff, Lime, &c... .. .	144	114				
Wool .. .. .	2	2				
Firewood .. .. .	78	216				
Timber .. .. .	1,152	726				
Grain .. .. .	367	291				
Merchandise .. .. .	268	181				
Minerals .. .. .	2,474	1,737				
<b>Total .. .. .</b>	<b>4,485</b>	<b>3,267</b>				
<b>PARCELS, ETC.</b>						
				634	463	
<b>REVENUE,—</b>				£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Passengers .. .. .				577 13 8	468 6 0	
Parcels, Luggage, and Mails .. .. .				90 9 6	69 13 0	
Goods .. .. .				1,032 0 2	707 3 7	
Miscellaneous .. .. .				36 1 0	273 16 8	
Rents and Commission .. .. .				53 19 5	43 15 4	
<b>Total .. .. .</b>				<b>£1,790 3 9</b>	<b>£1,562 14 7</b>	