POSTAL DISTRICT OF BLENHEIM—continued.

| Number of Service. | Service. | Mileage One Way. | Frequency. | How performed, | Name of Contractor. | Annual Subsidy. | | Date of Termination of Contract. | | | | |
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| PERFORMED BY DEPARTMENTAL OFFICER. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | Picton Post-office and Urukaka | 2 | Twice weekly | Bicycle | | | | | | | | |
| | | RVICES. | £s | . d. | - | | | | | | | |
| 1 | Blenheim, Robin Hood Bay, Ocean Bay, Kakapo Bay, Hakahaka, Whanga- koko, and Ngakuta | 43 | Weekly | Oil-launch | A. E. Hope | 77 10 | 0 0 | 31 Dec., 1918. | | | | |
| 2 | Picton and Grove Wharf Picton, Hitaua, Onapua, Redheugh, Te Weka, and Te Awaiti | | Thrice weekly Weekly | | | | | | | | | |
| | Picton, (Pukekoikoi, Punaruawhiti, Endeavour Inlet, and Resolution Bay | 44 | Weekly | Steamer and oil-launch | Bowden Bros | 208 | 9 0 | ** | | | | |
| 3 | Picton, Wharehunga, Otanerau, Onau- ku, Motuara Island, Ravenseliffe, Ana kakata Bay, Hikoekoea, Okoha, To Puru, Forsyth Island, Port Ligar, Bulwer, Waitata Bay, Waihohonu, Pohuenui, Elaine Bay, Brightlands, Manaroa, Hopai, Crail Bay, Home- wood, Tiraora, Nydia Bay, Maori Bay, Pinohia, Mahau, Whatanihi, and Havelock | | Fortnightly | Steamer | E. C. Perano | 410 | | ,, | | | | |
| 4 | Picton and Portage | 7 | Dally | Oil-launch and dray | H. A. McCormick | 72 (| 0 | ,, | | | | |
| 5 | Portage, St. Omer, Mahau, Whatanihi, Pinohia, Maori Bay, Tamure, Nydia Bay, Yncyca Bay, Tiraora, Te Rawa, Homewood, Manaroa, Hopai, and Crail Bay | 53 | Weekly | ()il-launch | F. L. Taylor | 165 (| 0 | ,, | | | | |
| 6 | Portage, St. Omer, Waitaria, and Kenepuru Head | 23 | Twice weekly | Oil-launch | F. L. Taylor | 90 (| 0 | ,, | | | | |

POSTAL DISTRICT OF NELSON.

| | | | PERFORMED UNDER CONTRACT. | | | | s. | d. | | |
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| 1 2 | Anatimo and Tarakohe | 8 14 | Twice weekly Twice weekly | Horse | Francis Robertson George Thomas Sigley | 25 40 | 0 | 0 | 31 Dec., | 1918 |
| 3 | Baton and Tapawera | 10 | Weekly | Horse and gig | Edmund Hacker Bromell | • 23 | 0 | 0 | , 22 | |
| 4 5 | Belgrove, Golden Downs, and Tophouse Brightwater and Waimea West | $\begin{array}{c} 27 \\ 2 \end{array}$ | Weekly Daily | 2-horse express Cycle or horse | | 75 24 | | 0 | " | |
| 6 | Cable Bay, Atawhai, Wakapuaka Sub- urban, and Nelson | 15 | Thrice weekly | Horse and trap | William Rayner | 65 | 0 | 0 | ,, | |
| 7 | Collingwood Post-office and Wharf | 18 | As required | Foot | James Alfred Miles | 42 | 0 | 0 | " | |
| 8 | Collingwood and Mangarakau | 23 | Weekly | Coach or horse | Percy George Hawkins | 52 | 0 | 0 | " | |
| 9 | Collingwood, Pakawau, and Puponga | 14 | Thrice weekly | Coach or horse | Percy George Hawkins | 75 | 0 | 0 | ," | |
| 10 | Collingwood, Rockville, Aorere, and Bainham | 10 | Thrice weekly | Coach or | Percy George Hawkins | 100 | 0 | 0 | ,, | |
| 11 | Collingwood and Rockville French Pass Post office and vessels going through the Pass | 6 1 | 5 times weekly Twice weekly | Motor-launch | Wallace Thomas Webber | 50 | 0 | 0 | • | |
| 12 13 | Glenhope and Howard Glenhope, Owen Junction, Longford, Murchison, Fern Flat, Ariki, Newton Flat, Lyell, Three-channel Flat, Ina- ngahua Junction, Berlin's, Tiroroa, Te Kuha, Westport, Rotokohu, Cro- nadun, and Reefton | 18 107 | Weekly Thrice weekly | Horse and trap Motor-car | | 25 1,100 | 0 0 | | 31 Dec., " | 1917 |
| 14 | Kohatu, Motupiko, and Korere | 7 | Thrice weekly | 1-horse vehicle | Walter Cecil Camp- bell Pahl | 60 | 0 | 0 | 31 Dec., | 1918. |
| 15 | Korere and Atapo | 7 | Weekly | Horse and trap | Walter Cecil Camp- bell Pahl | 25 | 0 | 0 | ,, | |
| 16 17 | Motueka Post-office and Wharf Motueka, through the Pangatotara Valley and back to the Motueka Post-office (rural delivery) | 3 16 | As required Thrice weekly | Open vehicle Horse and trap | H. G. K. Holyoake Henry Lunn | 125 75 | 0 | 0 | ?? ?? | |
| 18 | Murchison and Tutaki | 12 | Twice weekly in summer; weekly in winter | Horse and trap | A. H. Shields | 29 | 0 | 0 | " | ŧ |
| 19 | Nelson Chief Post - office, Railway- station, Port Nelson Post - office, Wharf, delivery of parcels and bags in Nelson letter-carriers' delivery | 3 | As required | Express and lorries | J. B. Parker | 500 | 0 | 0 | .9 | |