

N.Z.R.—FINANCIAL YEAR 1917-18.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF TRAFFIC ON ALL SECTIONS from 1st April, 1917, to 28th April, 1917.

All Sections.	First-class Passengers.		Second-class Passengers.		Total.	Season Tickets.
	S.	R.	S.	R.		
1917	38,412	133,634	232,328	813,622	1,222,996	23,498
1916	38,459	146,644	234,035	923,158	1,342,296	25,307
Increase .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
Decrease	47	13,010	1,707	104,536	119,300	1,809

All Sections.	Cattle.	Calves.	Sheep.	Pigs.	Total.	Timber.	Minerals.	Other Goods.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
1917	29,943	5,583	734,878	19,102	789,511	42,092	109,966	198,643	350,701
1916	31,871	3,534	721,531	19,284	776,220	43,727	205,545	212,323	461,595
Increase .. .. .	..	2,054	13,347	..	13,291	..	..	..	..
Decrease	1,928	..	..	182	..	1,635	95,579	13,680	110,894

RAILWAY WORKING ACCOUNT, showing REVENUE and EXPENDITURE to the Termination of the Period ending 28th April, 1917.

Section.	Miles open for Traffic.	Revenue.		Expenditure.		For a Twelve-monthly Period, Average to Date.				
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Per Cent. of Revenue.	Revenue per Mile of Railway.	Expenditure per Mile of Railway.		
NORTH ISLAND,—										
Whangarei ..	74	£ 4,380	s. 15	d. 5	£ 4,380	s. 15	d. 5	£ 2,321	s. 17	d. 6
Kaihu ..	20	549	10	4	549	10	4	459	0	1
Gisborne ..	44	2,031	18	2	2,031	18	2	1,215	2	5
North Island Main Lines and Branches	1,168	214,193	9	3	214,193	9	3	105,520	6	3
Total	1,246	221,155	13	2	221,155	13	2	109,516	6	3
SOUTH ISLAND,—										
South Island Main Lines and Branches	1,404	141,290	0	3	141,290	0	3	75,730	17	0
Westland ..	157	8,939	9	2	8,939	9	2	6,249	9	8
Westport ..	36	2,791	0	8	2,791	0	8	2,909	5	6
Nelson ..	61	2,609	3	1	2,609	3	1	1,771	9	4
Picton ..	56	2,779	7	9	2,779	7	9	1,331	9	4
Lake Wakatipu Steamers	..	664	7	0	664	7	0	504	11	4
Total	1,714	159,073	7	11	159,073	7	11	88,497	2	2
Grand total	2,960	380,229	1	1	380,229	1	1	198,013	8	5

CORRESPONDING PERIOD LAST YEAR.

Section.	Miles open for Traffic.	Revenue.		Expenditure.		For a Twelve-monthly Period, Average to Date.				
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Per Cent. of Revenue.	Revenue per Mile of Railway.	Expenditure per Mile of Railway.		
NORTH ISLAND,—										
Whangarei ..	74	£ 4,339	s. 5	d. 0	£ 4,339	s. 5	d. 0	£ 2,426	s. 7	d. 10
Kaihu ..	20	522	15	0	522	15	0	710	1	0
Gisborne ..	44	2,341	17	7	2,341	17	7	976	15	11
North Island Main Lines and Branches	1,108	229,150	16	9	229,150	16	9	107,939	3	6
Total	1,246	236,354	14	4	236,354	14	4	112,052	8	3
SOUTH ISLAND,—										
South Island Main Lines and Branches	1,404	160,482	4	11	160,482	4	11	79,968	7	5
Westland ..	157	12,204	13	11	12,204	13	11	6,217	6	0
Westport ..	36	7,702	14	5	7,702	14	5	3,609	19	5
Nelson ..	61	2,908	7	11	2,908	7	11	1,635	5	4
Picton ..	56	2,320	12	7	2,320	12	7	1,330	16	3
Lake Wakatipu Steamers	..	686	6	9	686	6	9	449	4	11
Total	1,714	186,305	0	6	186,305	0	6	93,211	19	4
Grand total	2,960	422,659	14	10	422,659	14	10	205,264	7	7