

N.Z.R.—FINANCIAL YEAR 1918-19.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF TRAFFIC ON ALL SECTIONS from 1st April, 1918, to 9th November, 1918.

All Sections.			First-class Passengers.		Second-class Passengers.		Total.	Season Tickets.
			S.	R.	S.	R.		
1918	..	..	410,393	458,370	2,305,423	3,625,394	6,739,580	216,430
1917	..	..	360,338	554,636	2,016,614	3,801,634	6,733,222	196,276
Increase	..	..	50,055	..	288,809	..	66,358	20,154
Decrease	..	..	..	96,266	..	176,240	..	..

All Sections.	Cattle.	Calves.	Sheep.	Pigs.	Total.	Timber.	Minerals.	Other Goods.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
1918	199,317	24,270	3,148,011	64,305	3,435,903	307,106	1,635,043	1,422,852	3,365,001
1917	205,640	22,129	2,554,724	69,044	2,851,537	325,266	1,606,925	1,318,949	3,251,140
Increase	..	2,141	593,287	..	584,366	..	28,118	103,903	113,861
Decrease	6,323	..	..	4,739	..	18,160	..	..	..

RAILWAY WORKING ACCOUNT, showing REVENUE and EXPENDITURE to the Termination of the Period ending 9th November, 1918.

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.	
		£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
NORTH ISLAND,—									
Whangarei ..	74	3,707	3 10	34,388	8 1	3,215	14 7	25,993	8 2
Kaihu ..	20	420	10 4	3,727	18 3	655	13 1	4,948	8 11
Gisborne ..	49	2,115	0 2	16,421	1 2	2,284	6 3	19,805	2 1
North Island Main Lines and Branches	1,126	193,318	0 3	1,658,997	19 0	125,147	10 9	1,025,103	17 9
Total	1,269	199,560	14 7	1,713,535	6 6	131,303	4 8	1,074,850	16 11
SOUTH ISLAND,—									
South Island Main Lines and Branches	1,404	115,679	14 5	1,005,896	3 5	88,504	3 11	736,257	15 10
Westland ..	157	10,699	13 1	96,954	11 10	8,123	4 0	68,570	13 11
Westport ..	36	7,439	19 0	68,556	16 1	4,062	13 4	35,304	8 8
Nelson ..	61	2,303	7 3	19,897	13 3	2,175	16 8	19,803	13 4
Picton ..	56	1,847	14 5	18,023	8 11	1,984	8 4	17,463	5 0
Lake Wakatipu Steamers	..	328	17 10	3,356	17 9	526	12 3	3,912	0 7
Total	1,714	138,299	6 0	1,212,675	17 3	105,381	18 6	881,311	17 4
Grand total	2,983	337,860	0 7	2,926,211	3 9	236,685	3 2	1,956,162	14 3

CORRESPONDING PERIOD LAST YEAR.

Section.	Miles open for Traffic.	Revenue.		Expenditure.		Per Cent. of Revenue.	Revenue per Mile of Railway.	Expenditure per Mile of Railway.	
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.				
		£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
NORTH ISLAND,—									
Whangarei ..	74	3,971	12 2	29,489	11 10	2,900	6 11	21,102	8 2
Kaihu ..	20	592	4 8	4,069	5 4	569	1 8	4,828	3 5
Gisborne ..	44	2,225	18 11	15,368	1 0	1,930	15 7	12,366	2 4
North Island Main Lines and Branches	1,108	188,373	13 10	1,462,973	14 1	125,770	17 7	902,006	0 8
Total	1,246	195,163	9 7	1,511,840	12 3	131,171	1 9	940,302	14 7
SOUTH ISLAND,—									
South Island Main Lines and Branches	1,404	108,926	11 0	881,125	14 0	93,436	16 5	656,603	16 1
Westland ..	157	12,375	1 10	90,738	17 9	8,658	6 0	62,939	9 7
Westport ..	36	8,922	15 4	64,471	13 10	4,328	3 8	30,353	7 2
Nelson ..	61	2,104	2 0	18,434	18 0	2,370	6 1	16,379	0 5
Picton ..	56	2,115	7 7	17,595	11 5	2,388	4 5	15,025	12 5
Lake Wakatipu Steamers	..	358	14 0	3,481	4 6	593	18 6	4,837	7 1
Total	1,714	134,802	11 9	1,075,847	19 6	111,775	15 1	786,138	12 9
Grand total	2,960	329,966	1 4	2,587,688	11 9	242,946	16 10	1,726,441	7 4