

ESTIMATED COST of CONSTRUCTION of RAILWAYS, ROLLING-STOCK, ETC., to 31st March, 1920, 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	775,556	0 0	412,465	0 0
Kaihu	99,962	0 0	34,884	0 0
Tauranga .. .. .	..	..	478,723	0 0
Gisborne	682,922	0 0	212,951	0 0
North Island Main Lines and Branches	16,163,269	0 0	1,209,976	0 0
South Island Main Lines and Branches	14,710,176	0 0	188,730	0 0
Westland	2,122,303	0 0	789,534	0 0
Westport	606,236	0 0	96,073	0 0
Nelson	444,963	0 0	36,762	0 0
Piiton	680,466	0 0	19,250	0 0
Lake Wakatipu Steamer Service	43,708	0 0	..	..
In Suspense—				
Surveys, North Island .. .. .	..	..	35,900	0 0
Miscellaneous, North Island .. .. .	..	..	5,169	0 0
Surveys, South Island .. .. .	..	..	5,752	0 0
Miscellaneous, South Island .. .. .	..	..	5,168	0 0
P.W.D. Stock of Permanent-way .. .. .	..	..	75,888	0 0
W.R.D. Stock of A.O.L. and R.I.A. Stores	60,554	0 0
Totals	£36,390,115	0 0	£3,607,225	0 0

Railways Department, 7th February, 1921.

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Immigration and Emigration Returns.

RETURN of IMMIGRATION to and EMIGRATION from the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND during the MONTH of JANUARY, 1921, showing the Countries from which Persons arrived and to which they departed, and the Ports of Arrival and Departure.

ARRIVALS FROM AND DEPARTURES TO DIFFERENT COUNTRIES.

Countries.	Arrivals.					Departures.				
	Adults.		Children.		Total Persons.	Adults.		Children.		Total Persons.
	M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.	M.	F.	
United Kingdom	655	759	163	148	1,725	8	10	3	..	21
India .. .. .	..	3	3	1	7	..	..	..	..	..
Straits Settlements	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Canada	146	101	16	19	282	..	..	..	..	..
Australian Commonwealth	854	649	89	103	1,695	614	536	83	58	1,291
Fiji	34	33	3	12	82	36	22	6	2	66
Cook Islands	7	5	2	2	16	4	2	..	..	6
United States and Canal Zone	90	59	9	5	163	..	..	..	..	..
Foreign Pacific Islands (undefined)	36	28	6	8	78	18	16	7	..	41
Totals, January, 1921	1,823	1,637	291	298	4,049	680	586	99	60	1,425
Totals, January, 1920	1,856	1,604	303	264	4,027	1,078	790	123	74	2,065

The arrivals during the month of January, 1921, exceeded the departures by 2,624. In the corresponding month of 1920 there was an excess of arrivals over departures of 1,962.

ARRIVALS AT AND DEPARTURES FROM DIFFERENT NEW ZEALAND PORTS.*

Ports.	Arrivals.					Departures.				
	Adults.	Children.	Males.	Females.	Total Persons.	Adults.	Children.	Males.	Females.	Total Persons.
Auckland	555	71	360	266	626	411	61	265	207	472
Wellington	2,905	518	1,754	1,669	3,423	855	98	514	439	953
Totals, January, 1921	3,460	589	2,114	1,935	4,049	1,266	159	779	646	1,425
Totals, January, 1920	3,460	567	2,159	1,868	4,027	1,868	197	1,201	864	2,065

CHINESE (included above).

	Arrivals.		Departures.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
At Auckland	1	..	3	..
„ Wellington	7	2	..	..
	8	2	3	..

* It is important to mention that, in the returns from which this table is made up, immigrants to the Dominion are all counted at the first port of arrival, and emigrants at the final port of departure.

Census and Statistics Office,
Wellington, 7th February, 1921.

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