

STATEMENT showing the Number, Amount, &c., of POSTAL-NOTE TRANSACTIONS in the several POSTAL DISTRICTS of the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND during the Quarter ended 31st December, 1920.

POSTAL DISTRICTS.	No. of Postal-note Offices open at the End of the Quarter.	NUMBER OF POSTAL NOTES SOLD.										Total Amount of Postal Notes sold, including Commission.	Commission on Postal Notes sold.		
		At 1/0	At 1/6	At 2/0	At 2/6	At 3/0	At 5/0	At 10/0	At 15/0	At 20/0	Total.				
Auckland ..	231	14,493	6,849	17,239	21,146	16,953	24,375	14,567	6,486	13,241	135,349	£ 40,565	s. d. 7 11	£ 934	s. d. 4 5
Blenheim ..	19	677	357	1,114	1,122	851	1,409	953	453	972	7,908	2,636	15 0	56	6 6
Christchurch ..	81	4,022	2,211	6,409	6,862	4,887	8,739	5,297	2,856	5,746	47,029	15,654	9 2	334	11 8
Dunedin ..	95	4,612	2,730	7,153	7,983	5,849	9,517	6,155	3,237	5,442	52,678	16,720	7 6	368	0 0
Gisborne ..	26	1,292	666	1,670	1,453	1,202	2,276	1,291	680	1,566	12,096	4,020	2 7	86	3 1
Greymouth ..	19	690	315	840	911	705	1,365	935	392	905	7,058	2,420	12 1	51	2 1
Hamilton* ..	101	4,185	2,340	5,769	6,092	4,774	7,518	4,808	2,624	4,908	43,018	13,901	1 6	302	6 6
Hokitika ..	13	211	170	332	403	339	439	305	151	358	2,708	910	12 8	19	8 2
Invercargill ..	53	2,608	1,279	3,797	3,641	2,898	5,117	3,339	1,749	2,921	27,349	8,870	4 10	192	17 10
Napier ..	63	3,016	1,948	4,445	4,694	3,480	5,857	3,738	1,824	3,620	32,622	10,399	11 5	228	3 5
Nelson ..	37	1,057	652	1,808	1,689	1,325	2,220	1,425	734	1,414	12,324	4,011	6 6	86	18 0
New Plymouth ..	50	2,249	1,493	3,748	3,998	3,057	4,679	3,121	1,678	3,022	27,045	8,758	7 6	190	2 0
Oamaru ..	15	716	329	1,248	1,217	799	1,412	1,068	647	1,172	8,608	3,063	9 10	61	19 10
Thames ..	45	2,496	1,433	3,321	3,851	2,824	4,374	2,944	1,514	2,800	25,557	8,148	14 9	178	7 9
Timaru ..	18	955	595	1,532	1,878	1,183	2,273	1,550	803	1,668	12,437	4,361	4 0	89	18 6
Wanganui ..	50	2,831	1,583	4,367	5,076	3,474	6,026	4,094	1,987	4,105	33,543	11,240	4 4	238	17 10
Wellington ..	120	8,581	4,076	12,094	14,165	10,359	17,338	10,229	5,608	12,022	94,472	31,620	16 8	675	4 2
Westport ..	24	477	274	618	585	529	923	606	360	700	5,072	1,799	9 4	37	0 10
Western Samoa*	..	29	5	40	19	41	61	43	56	57	351	152	17 6	2	15 6
Totals, 4th qr. in 1920	1,060	55,197	29,305	77,544	86,785	65,529	105,918	66,468	33,839	66,639	587,224	189,255	15 1	4,134	8 1
Totals, 4th qr. in 1919	1,034	50,257	30,088	78,107	88,408	68,639	102,447	64,536	28,531	55,091	566,104	170,757	16 0	2,461	16 0

POSTAL DISTRICTS.	NUMBER OF POSTAL NOTES PAID.											Total Amount of Postal Notes paid.	
	At 1/0	At 1/6	At 2/0	At 2/6	At 3/0	At 5/0	At 7/6	At 10/0	At 15/0	At 20/0	Total.		
Auckland* ..	11,881	7,778	20,529	21,787	14,350	25,028	..	15,969	8,657	16,176	142,155	£ 45,016	s. d. 8 6
Blenheim ..	268	153	497	497	336	581	..	385	189	304	3,210	970	12 0
Christchurch ..	4,648	2,816	7,783	8,153	5,353	9,984	..	6,555	3,575	7,670	56,537	19,168	14 6
Dunedin ..	4,988	3,287	8,776	9,168	6,329	11,374	..	7,603	4,257	6,423	62,205	19,729	12 6
Gisborne ..	445	283	811	731	477	977	..	628	323	540	5,215	1,628	0 0
Greymouth ..	254	151	415	448	309	613	..	386	256	469	3,301	1,175	2 6
Hamilton* ..	1,412	833	2,398	2,116	1,550	2,778	..	1,895	1,055	1,863	15,900	5,166	2 6
Hokitika ..	78	48	111	123	91	201	..	133	56	112	953	318	7 6
Invercargill ..	1,238	727	2,408	2,028	1,539	2,727	..	2,040	1,094	1,754	15,555	5,117	16 6
Napier ..	1,726	1,096	2,828	2,885	2,004	3,513	..	2,407	1,160	2,111	19,730	6,175	5 6
Nelson ..	642	446	1,159	1,247	838	1,495	..	938	503	824	8,092	2,507	0 6
New Plymouth ..	1,183	794	2,117	2,546	1,525	2,650	..	1,855	945	1,520	15,135	4,696	3 0
Oamaru ..	313	158	451	508	373	660	..	425	222	440	3,550	1,176	1 0
Thames ..	883	508	1,230	1,291	934	1,660	..	1,077	528	1,028	9,189	2,889	4 6
Timaru ..	593	326	1,051	1,084	689	1,390	..	1,024	535	924	7,616	2,582	16 0
Wanganui ..	1,542	871	2,384	2,504	1,684	3,829	..	2,025	1,125	1,843	17,807	5,602	18 6
Wellington ..	26,243	10,607	24,201	31,500	30,125	37,785	..	23,407	9,885	24,086	217,839	65,633	10 6
Westport ..	172	123	266	253	223	394	..	279	125	335	2,170	776	5 0
Western Samoa*	1	..	4	9	7	8	..	5	3	5	42	14	7 6
Totals, 4th qr. in 1920	58,510	31,005	79,469	88,878	68,736	107,647	..	69,036	34,493	68,427	606,201	190,344	8 6
Totals, 4th qr. in 1919	51,935	31,452	79,614	88,966	71,042	102,119	1	65,416	29,138	55,597	575,280	170,382	14 6

* New postal districts of Western Samoa and Hamilton were created out of portions of the Auckland District on 16th July and 1st November, 1920, respectively.

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A. MARKMAN, Acting-Secretary.