

Traffic Returns.

NEW ZEALAND RAILWAYS.—Traffic Returns for the period ending 1st May (thirty-one days), 1926, and for the corresponding period, 1925 (twenty-five days):—

KAIHU SECTION.				NORTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES— <i>continued.</i>			
		1926.	1925.			1926.	1925.
PASSENGERS,—		No.	No.	REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1st Class	.. ..	77	118	Passengers .. ..	.. ..	141,492 3 2	127,258 17 1
2nd Class	.. ..	2,079	1,692	Parcels .. ..	.. ..	15,010 10 7	14,207 3 6
Total	.. ..	2,156	1,810	Goods .. ..	.. ..	285,108 18 10	170,631 15 1
Season Tickets	.. ..	3	..	Labour, demurrage, &c.	.. ..	8,108 16 4	6,000 7 10
Goods,—		No.	No.	Total .. ..	.. ..	£999,720 8 11	£318,098 3 6
Cattle, Calves	.. ..	4	7	SOUTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES.			
Sheep and Pigs	.. ..	163	96			1926	1925.
Total	.. ..	167	103	PASSENGERS,—		No.	No.
Timber		Tons.	Tons.	1st Class	.. ..	76,729	66,295
Other Goods	.. ..	823	429	2nd Class	.. ..	467,945	279,090
Total	.. ..	349	422	Total	.. ..	544,674	345,385
REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	Season Tickets	.. ..	14,370	11,211
Passengers .. ..	.. ..	198 9 5	160 15 9	Goods,—		No.	No.
Parcels .. ..	.. ..	48 3 1	40 19 5	Cattle, Calves	.. ..	10,498	7,823
Goods .. ..	.. ..	458 13 11	312 19 3	Sheep and Pigs	.. ..	722,909	571,222
Labour, demurrage, &c.	.. ..	5 13 0	2 3 4	Total	.. ..	733,407	579,045
Total .. ..	.. ..	£710 19 5	£516 17 9	Timber .. ..	.. ..	21,819	19,651
GISBORNE SECTION.				Other Goods	.. ..	251,509	187,619
		1926	1925.	Total	.. ..	273,328	207,270
PASSENGERS,—		No.	No.	REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1st Class	.. ..	611	570	Passengers .. ..	.. ..	113,769 11 3	65,429 13 4
2nd Class	.. ..	3,964	3,291	Parcels .. ..	.. ..	8,729 12 8	8,082 9 2
Total	.. ..	4,575	3,861	Goods .. ..	.. ..	174,356 1 11	121,690 1 2
Season Tickets	.. ..	39	45	Labour, demurrage, &c.	.. ..	4,526 16 5	3,829 14 0
Goods,—		No.	No.	Total .. ..	.. ..	£301,382 2 3	£199,031 17 8
Cattle, Calves	.. ..	511	66	WESTPORT SECTION.			
Sheep and Pigs	.. ..	19,565	11,420			1926.	1925.
Total	.. ..	20,076	11,486	PASSENGERS,—		No.	No.
Timber		Tons.	Tons.	1st Class	.. ..	104	26
Other Goods	.. ..	760	766	2nd Class	.. ..	6,078	5,715
Total	.. ..	3,556	2,793	Total	.. ..	6,182	5,741
REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	Season Tickets	.. ..	43	94
Passengers .. ..	.. ..	848 17 3	580 12 2	Goods,—		No.	No.
Parcels .. ..	.. ..	92 17 1	121 3 9	Cattle, Calves	.. ..	30	1
Goods .. ..	.. ..	2,168 3 1	1,475 15 5	Sheep and Pigs	.. ..	188	157
Labour, demurrage, &c.	.. ..	19 11 5	18 9 8	Total	.. ..	—	158
Total .. ..	.. ..	£3,129 8 10	£2,196 1 0	Timber .. ..	.. ..	6	359
NORTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES.				Other Goods	.. ..	48,125	44,687
		1926.	1925.	Total	.. ..	48,755	45,046
PASSENGERS,—		No.	No.	REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1st Class	.. ..	82,942	78,274	Passengers .. ..	.. ..	667 6 3	484 11 10
2nd Class	.. ..	472,108	474,387	Parcels .. ..	.. ..	56 16 6	54 2 6
Total	.. ..	555,050	552,661	Goods .. ..	.. ..	9,060 9 3	8,236 15 4
Season Tickets	.. ..	31,682	27,197	Labour, demurrage, &c.	.. ..	844 4 6	574 12 0
Goods,—		No.	No.	Total .. ..	.. ..	£10,628 16 6	£9,350 1 8
Cattle, Calves	.. ..	34,745	19,454				
Sheep and Pigs	.. ..	418,215	305,243				
Total	452,960	324,697				
Timber		Tons.	Tons.				
Other Goods	32,653	25,634				
Total	239,446	203,909				
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