

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 30TH JUNE, 1927.

| 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 ..             | 248  | 43,706                       | 10,004 | 24,712  | 25,122  | 13,590 | 35,783  | 15,596  | 8,223   | 12,170  | 188,906 | £ 46,860   | s. 0                             | d. 10 | £ 1,193 | s. 9 | d. 10 |
| Blenheim ..             | 19   | 1,688                        | 628    | 1,607   | 1,593   | 816    | 2,037   | 1,050   | 653     | 938     | 11,040  | 3,156  | 3                                | 0     | 72      | 18   | 6     |
| Christchurch ..         | 84   | 24,855                       | 3,782  | 10,337  | 10,712  | 4,962  | 13,554  | 7,329   | 3,574   | 6,014   | 85,119  | 20,918   | 5                                | 2     | 527     | 7    | 2     |
| Dunedin ..              | 103  | 20,195                       | 4,342  | 10,677  | 10,798  | 5,988  | 13,407  | 7,659   | 4,368   | 5,528   | 82,962  | 21,158   | 19                               | 4     | 522     | 13   | 4     |
| Gisborne ..             | 25   | 2,900                        | 1,226  | 2,701   | 2,663   | 1,632  | 3,898   | 2,057   | 983     | 1,968   | 20,028  | 5,928  | 10                               | 8     | 135     | 11   | 2     |
| Greymouth ..            | 33   | 1,874                        | 773    | 2,006   | 2,113   | 1,226  | 2,929   | 1,739   | 908     | 1,567   | 15,135  | 4,754  | 10                               | 3     | 104     | 9    | 3     |
| Hamilton ..             | 107  | 15,251                       | 5,242  | 12,808  | 13,276  | 7,081  | 17,018  | 9,058   | 4,819   | 6,833   | 91,436  | 25,035   | 9                                | 6     | 596     | 11   | 6     |
| Invercargill ..         | 53   | 6,998                        | 2,341  | 5,636   | 5,574   | 2,918  | 7,772   | 4,211   | 2,367   | 3,562   | 41,379  | 11,883   | 6                                | 5     | 274     | 0    | 11    |
| Napier ..               | 63   | 5,827                        | 2,204  | 5,559   | 5,897   | 3,231  | 7,321   | 4,085   | 2,254   | 3,226   | 39,604  | 11,285   | 17                               | 1     | 262     | 5    | 7     |
| Nelson ..               | 45   | 2,574                        | 1,164  | 2,680   | 2,851   | 1,634  | 3,256   | 1,911   | 975     | 1,445   | 18,490  | 5,152  | 14                               | 2     | 121     | 9    | 8     |
| New Plymouth ..         | 53   | 4,904                        | 2,121  | 5,228   | 5,300   | 2,639  | 6,279   | 3,765   | 2,277   | 2,916   | 35,429  | 10,295   | 13                               | 7     | 234     | 5    | 1     |
| Oamaru ..               | 15   | 2,134                        | 534    | 1,547   | 1,576   | 869    | 1,881   | 1,133   | 642     | 979     | 11,295  | 3,200  | 2                                | 6     | 74      | 1    | 6     |
| Palmerston N. ..        | 56   | 7,925                        | 2,351  | 6,231   | 6,589   | 3,370  | 8,201   | 4,711   | 2,537   | 3,708   | 45,623  | 12,840   | 14                               | 2     | 299     | 8    | 2     |
| Thames ..               | 49   | 6,283                        | 1,953  | 5,072   | 4,820   | 2,723  | 6,485   | 3,447   | 2,132   | 2,714   | 35,629  | 9,869  | 4                                | 2     | 232     | 13   | 8     |
| Timaru ..               | 21   | 3,582                        | 1,002  | 2,638   | 2,818   | 1,191  | 3,158   | 2,022   | 1,164   | 1,679   | 19,254  | 5,527  | 1                                | 3     | 125     | 12   | 3     |
| Wanganui ..             | 51   | 8,347                        | 2,411  | 6,431   | 6,544   | 3,252  | 7,935   | 4,523   | 2,578   | 4,065   | 46,086  | 13,092   | 18                               | 6     | 302     | 2    | 0     |
| Wellington ..           | 120  | 29,437                       | 4,933  | 13,613  | 14,169  | 7,657  | 20,277  | 9,249   | 5,143   | 8,504   | 112,982 | 28,895   | 15                               | 8     | 717     | 19   | 8     |
| Westport ..             | 22   | 1,391                        | 565    | 1,311   | 1,427   | 731    | 2,001   | 1,320   | 752     | 1,219   | 10,717  | 3,549  | 2                                | 7     | 74      | 16   | 7     |
| Western Samoa ..        | 1  | 40                           | 16     | 23      | 30      | 26     | 61      | 67      | 11      | 145     | 419     | 218  | 15                               | 10    | 3       | 12   | 10    |
| Rarotonga ..            | 6  | 66                           | 33     | 82      | 88      | 66     | 91      | 64      | 38      | 66      | 594     | 188  | 4                                | 7     | 4       | 2    | 1     |
| Totals, 2nd qr. in 1927 | 1,174  | 189,977                      | 47,625 | 120,899 | 123,960 | 65,602 | 163,374 | 84,996  | 46,398  | 69,296  | 912,127 | 243,811  | 9                                | 3     | 5,879   | 10   | 9     |
| Totals, 2nd qr. in 1926 | 1,170  | 79,901                       | 39,736 | 118,404 | 123,863 | 63,353 | 155,054 | 82,822  | 43,011  | 76,652  | 782,796 | 238,220  | 19                               | 6     | 5,334   | 15   | 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 10/0 | At 15/0 | At 20/0 | Total.  |                                    |       |      |
| Auckland ..             | 42,783                       | 15,307 | 37,462  | 39,140  | 18,344 | 44,544  | 24,640  | 14,759  | 19,543  | 256,522 | £ 68,745                           | s. 14 | d. 6 |
| Blenheim ..             | 292                          | 189    | 590     | 537     | 343    | 677     | 373     | 228     | 356     | 3,585   | 1,089                              | 2     | 0    |
| Christchurch ..         | 72,636                       | 4,148  | 14,438  | 15,106  | 6,177  | 15,289  | 8,236   | 4,363   | 6,813   | 147,206 | 26,227                             | 0     | 0    |
| Dunedin ..              | 5,831                        | 3,904  | 11,260  | 11,004  | 5,927  | 14,042  | 8,973   | 5,014   | 6,466   | 72,421  | 22,198                             | 8     | 0    |
| Gisborne ..             | 622                          | 404    | 1,218   | 1,191   | 704    | 1,474   | 779     | 447     | 730     | 7,569   | 2,260                              | 18    | 6    |
| Greymouth ..            | 477                          | 322    | 971     | 1,079   | 570    | 1,321   | 832     | 446     | 792     | 6,810   | 2,238                              | 4     | 6    |
| Hamilton ..             | 2,630                        | 1,740  | 4,872   | 4,670   | 2,503  | 6,221   | 3,621   | 1,927   | 3,134   | 31,318  | 9,653                              | 8     | 0    |
| Invercargill ..         | 1,738                        | 1,150  | 3,538   | 3,398   | 1,911  | 4,222   | 2,707   | 1,463   | 2,275   | 22,402  | 7,019                              | 12    | 0    |
| Napier ..               | 1,874                        | 1,046  | 3,300   | 3,273   | 1,803  | 4,541   | 2,591   | 1,341   | 1,961   | 21,730  | 6,579                              | 4     | 6    |
| Nelson ..               | 902                          | 618    | 1,744   | 1,727   | 989    | 2,157   | 1,209   | 709     | 930     | 10,985  | 3,235                              | 11    | 6    |
| New Plymouth ..         | 1,579                        | 1,029  | 3,079   | 3,117   | 1,677  | 3,703   | 2,283   | 1,473   | 1,751   | 19,691  | 6,028                              | 4     | 0    |
| Oamaru ..               | 338                          | 219    | 670     | 660     | 330    | 838     | 520     | 296     | 469     | 4,340   | 1,392                              | 16    | 6    |
| Palmerston North ..     | 2,348                        | 1,569  | 4,621   | 4,814   | 2,551  | 6,370   | 3,358   | 1,818   | 2,730   | 30,179  | 9,046                              | 11    | 6    |
| Thames ..               | 807                          | 522    | 1,470   | 1,448   | 810    | 1,997   | 1,104   | 667     | 1,006   | 9,831   | 3,086                              | 10    | 0    |
| Timaru ..               | 840                          | 477    | 1,444   | 1,545   | 759    | 1,837   | 1,255   | 677     | 1,029   | 9,863   | 3,152                              | 13    | 0    |
| Wanganui ..             | 2,919                        | 975    | 2,996   | 2,929   | 1,540  | 3,703   | 2,504   | 1,420   | 2,245   | 21,231  | 6,603                              | 11    | 0    |
| Wellington ..           | 32,326                       | 11,346 | 24,694  | 27,601  | 16,930 | 47,240  | 19,502  | 9,062   | 17,777  | 206,478 | 57,060                             | 15    | 6    |
| Westport ..             | 212                          | 131    | 362     | 405     | 200    | 562     | 440     | 263     | 446     | 3,021   | 1,141                              | 0     | 0    |
| Western Samoa ..        | 6                            | 1      | 5       | 1       | 2      | 10      | 5       | ..      | 4       | 34      | 10                                 | 6     | 0    |
| Rarotonga ..            | 4                            | 2      | 9       | 6       | 8      | 8       | 4       | 3       | 11      | 55      | 20                                 | 9     | 0    |
| Totals, 2nd qr. in 1927 | 171,164                      | 45,099 | 118,743 | 123,651 | 64,078 | 160,756 | 84,936  | 46,376  | 70,468  | 885,271 | 236,790                            | 0     | 0    |
| Totals, 2nd qr. in 1926 | 77,199                       | 39,483 | 117,792 | 123,804 | 62,351 | 155,189 | 82,884  | 43,024  | 75,436  | 777,162 | 231,371                            | 15    | 6    |

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