

Traffic Returns.

NEW ZEALAND RAILWAYS.—Traffic Returns for the period ending 31st March, 1928, and for the corresponding period, 1927:—

KAIHU SECTION.				NORTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES— <i>continued.</i>			
		1928.	1927.		1928.	1927.	
		No.	No.	REVENUE —	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
PASSENGERS.—				Passengers ..	106,068 7 5	105,000 2 9	
1st Class		24	32	Parcels	26,001 10 0	18,586 10 0	
2nd Class		1,465	1,489	Goods	237,201 9 1	212,031 11 6	
Total		1,489	1,521	Labour and demurrage	6,559 0 8	6,766 18 9	
Season Tickets		6	3	Total	£375,830 7 2	£342,385 3 0	
Goods,—		No.	No.	NORTH ISLAND.—ROAD MOTOR SERVICE.			
Cattle, Calves		7	..		1928.	1927.	
Sheep and Pigs		251	103		No.	No.	
Total		258	103	PASSENGERS	169,782	38,478	
Timber		Tons. 145	Tons. 202		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Other Goods		641	538	REVENUE	5,806 19 0	1,502 16 9	
Total		786	740	SOUTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES.			
REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		1928	1927.	
Passengers		217 2 6	160 6 5	PASSENGERS,—	No.	No.	
Parcels		130 17 10	92 5 8	1st Class	40,303	40,226	
Goods		323 9 10	271 6 8	2nd Class	246,143	273,658	
Labour and demurrage		12 7 0	12 9 0	Total	286,446	313,884	
Total.. ..		£683 17 2	£536 7 9	Season Tickets	12,929	11,913	
GISBORNE SECTION.					No.	No.	
		1928.	1927.	Goods,—			
PASSENGERS,—		No.	No.	Cattle, Calves	8,184	7,371	
1st Class		784	361	Sheep and Pigs	387,917	743,960	
2nd Class		4,669	2,636	Total	396,101	751,331	
Total		5,453	2,997	Timber	Tons. 19,942	Tons. 16,668	
Season Tickets		7	21	Other Goods	240,799	223,132	
Goods,—		No.	No.	Total	260,741	239,800	
Cattle, Calves		60	25	REVENUE,—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Sheep and Pigs		16,052	18,751	Passengers	56,404 8 7	53,027 18 11	
Total		16,112	18,776	Parcels	14,615 19 1	10,247 9 5	
Timber		Tons. 903	Tons. 736	Goods	179,016 3 0	159,632 3 3	
Other Goods		4,331	4,256	Labour and demurrage	4,268 6 11	4,654 6 8	
Total		5,234	4,992	Total	£254,304 17 7	£227,561 18 3	
REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	SOUTH ISLAND.—ROAD MOTOR SERVICE.			
Passengers		863 11 4	559 17 6		1928.	1927.	
Parcels		276 10 6	186 4 8		No.	No.	
Goods		2,155 8 6	1,766 10 4	PASSENGERS	3,136	2,745	
Labour and demurrage		18 9 2	18 0 3		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Total		£3,313 19 6	£2,530 12 9	REVENUE	191 16 11	152 2 7	
NORTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES.				WESTPORT SECTION.			
		1928.	1927.		1928	1927.	
PASSENGERS,—		No.	No.	PASSENGERS,—	No.	No.	
1st Class		50,375	55,388	1st Class	45	56	
2nd Class		336,733	334,647	2nd Class	5,578	5,324	
Total		387,108	390,035	Total	5,623	5,380	
Season Tickets		37,124	32,167	Season Tickets	41	24	
Goods,—		No.	No.	Goods,—	No.	No.	
Cattle, Calves		30,212	24,184	Cattle, Calves	22	4	
Sheep and Pigs		544,131	620,051	Sheep and Pigs	277	63	
Total		574,343	644,235	Total	299	67	
Timber		Tons. 23,774	Tons. 26,757	Timber	Tons. 532	Tons. 245	
Other Goods		238,044	216,870	Other Goods	48,419	47,287	
Total		261,818	243,627	Total	48,951	47,532	
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	REVENUE,—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Passengers		524 2 5	403 9 11	Passengers	169 1 9	108 14 11	
Parcels		9,026 13 4	8,898 18 10	Goods	668 0 9	684 12 2	
Labour and demurrage		668 0 9	684 12 2	Total	£10,387 18 3	£10,095 15 10	
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