

## Traffic Returns.

NEW ZEALAND RAILWAYS.—Traffic Returns for the period ending 13th October, 1928, and for the corresponding period, 1927:—

KAIHU SECTION.				NORTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES— <i>continued.</i>			
		1928.	1927.			1928.	1927.
		No.	No.			£ s. d.	£ s. d.
PASSENGERS,—				REVENUE,—			
1st Class ..	..	24	28	Passengers ..	..	78,491 9 6	80,775 3 1
2nd Class ..	..	1,480	1,547	Parcels ..	..	18,348 9 7	17,737 18 6
Total ..	..	1,504	1,575	Goods ..	..	186,249 16 8	184,701 19 4
Season Tickets ..	..	1	6	Labour and demurrage	..	7,765 19 4	4,812 15 8
Goods,—		No.	No.	Total ..	..	£290,855 15 1	£288,027 16 7
Cattle, Calves ..	..	17	3	NORTH ISLAND.—ROAD MOTOR SERVICE.			
Sheep and Pigs ..	..	8	43			1928.	1927.
Total ..	..	25	46			No.	No.
		Tons.	Tons.	PASSENGERS ..	..	190,508	35,936
Timber ..	..	6	64			£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Other Goods ..	..	217	180	REVENUE ..	..	6,942 0 6	1,388 4 9
Total ..	..	223	244	SOUTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES.			
REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.			1928.	1927.
Passengers ..	..	163 8 7	148 2 6	PASSENGERS,—		No.	No.
Parcels ..	..	90 12 9	89 13 4	1st Class ..	..	32,399	35,586
Goods ..	..	125 8 6	156 1 7	2nd Class ..	..	156,275	190,120
Labour and demurrage	..	2 0 7	11 9 7	Total ..	..	218,674	225,706
Total ..	..	£381 10 5	£405 7 0	Season Tickets ..	..	12,129	12,515
GISBORNE SECTION.						No.	No.
		1928.	1927.	Goods,—		1928.	1927.
PASSENGERS,—		No.	No.	Cattle, Calves ..	..	8,927	9,028
1st Class ..	..	619	411	Sheep and Pigs ..	..	60,122	62,823
2nd Class ..	..	2,978	2,453	Total ..	..	69,049	71,851
Total ..	..	3,597	2,864			Tons.	Tons.
Season Tickets ..	..	5	10	Timber ..	..	20,011	22,261
Goods,—		No.	No.	Other Goods ..	..	203,795	216,173
Cattle, Calves ..	..	149	85	Total ..	..	223,806	238,434
Sheep and Pigs ..	..	1,341	451	REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total ..	..	1,490	536	Passengers ..	..	39,331 0 9	40,049 10 7
		Tons.	Tons.	Parcels ..	..	9,291 3 11	9,573 19 2
Timber ..	..	1,282	1,163	Goods ..	..	127,435 8 1	130,004 18 3
Other Goods ..	..	2,939	3,784	Labour and demurrage	..	4,941 8 5	4,242 2 4
Total ..	..	4,221	4,947	Total ..	..	£180,999 1 2	£183,870 10 4
REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	SOUTH ISLAND.—ROAD MOTOR SERVICE.			
Passengers ..	..	625 9 0	516 5 3			1928.	1927.
Parcels ..	..	196 14 11	174 16 8	PASSENGERS ..		No.	No.
Goods ..	..	1,811 6 7	1,630 15 1			£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Labour and demurrage	..	22 11 10	25 15 0	REVENUE ..	..	4,983	3,100
Total ..	..	£2,656 2 4	£2,347 12 0			£ s. d.	£ s. d.
					..	436 3 11	187 2 5
NORTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES.				WESTPORT SECTION.			
		1928.	1927.			1928.	1927.
PASSENGERS,—		No.	No.	PASSENGERS,—		No.	No.
1st Class ..	..	31,352	35,092	1st Class ..	..	26	58
2nd Class ..	..	253,901	260,163	2nd Class ..	..	3,714	4,330
Total ..	..	285,253	295,255	Total ..	..	3,740	4,388
Season Tickets ..	..	36,314	35,151	Season Tickets ..	..	44	40
Goods,—		No.	No.	Goods,—		No.	No.
Cattle, Calves ..	..	64,833	29,873	Cattle, Calves ..	..	11	27
Sheep and Pigs ..	..	77,365	66,199	Sheep and Pigs ..	..	86	84
Total ..	..	142,198	96,072	Total ..	..	97	111
		Tons.	Tons.			Tons.	Tons.
Timber ..	..	20,899	27,377	Timber ..	..	245	215
Other Goods ..	..	204,435	196,027	Other Goods ..	..	46,945	49,714
Total ..	..	225,334	223,404	Total ..	..	47,190	49,929
REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Passengers ..	..	274 17 5	340 14 10	Passengers ..	..	274 17 5	340 14 10
Parcels ..	..	93 17 7	104 11 0	Parcels ..	..	93 17 7	104 11 0
Goods ..	..	8,740 1 5	9,268 18 4	Goods ..	..	8,740 1 5	9,268 18 4
Labour and demurrage	..	760 8 11	786 8 9	Labour and demurrage	..	760 8 11	786 8 9
Total ..	..	£9,869 5 4	£10,500 12 11	Total ..	..	£9,869 5 4	£10,500 12 11