

The frequency of the following services was increased :—

Auckland—

Thrice weekly to daily : Birkenhead and Birkdale ; Coromandel, Driving Creek, and Tokatea.

Thrice to five times weekly : Auckland, Tarukenga, and Rotorua (by train).

Twice to thrice weekly : Rotorua, Atiamuri, Wairakei, and Taupo.

Weekly to thrice weekly : Waiwera, Puhoi, and Warkworth (section of Devonport-Wellsford service).

Blenheim—

Weekly to twice weekly : Picton, Kenepuru, and Manaroa.

Christchurch—

Thrice weekly to daily : Ashburton, Elgin, Wakanui, and Riverside ; Flemington and Longbeach Road ; Medbury Post-office and Railway-station ; Willowby and Eiffelton.

Thrice to five times weekly : Lyttelton, Little Akaloa, and Okain's Bay.

Twice to four times weekly : Valetta and Mayfield.

Twice to thrice weekly : Christchurch and Gebbie's Flat.

Weekly to twice weekly : Lyttelton and Port Levy.

Additional mail on Saturday evenings from Christchurch to Belfast, Southbrook, Styx, and Waipara (by railway).

Dunedin—

Twice to thrice weekly : Palmerston and Morrison's.

Weekly to twice weekly : Outram and Clark's.

Gisborne—

Weekly to twice weekly : Gisborne, Pakarae, Hauti, and Tolaga Bay.

Greymouth—

Thrice weekly to daily : Ngahere and Nelson Creek.

Invercargill—

Twice to thrice weekly : Gore, Waikaka, Waikaka Valley, and Wendon Valley.

Napier—

Fortnightly to weekly : Nuhaka, Morere, and Maraetaha (Moss Side) ; Tokaanu and Taupo ; Wairoa, Nuhaka, and Mahia.

Nelson—

Fortnightly to weekly : Turner's (Rai Valley) and Okiwi Bay.

New Plymouth—

Twice to thrice weekly : Stratford and Cardiff.

Oamaru—

Daily to twice daily : Enfield Post-office and Railway-station ; Ngapara Post-office and Railway-station ; Weston Post-office and Railway-station ; Windsor Post-office and Railway-station.

Twice to thrice weekly : Livingstone and Marowhenua.

Timaru—

Twice to thrice weekly : Hilton, Kakahu Bush, and Kakahu School.

Wanganui—

Thrice weekly to daily : Ohingaiti and Mangaweka.

Twice to thrice weekly : Manaia, Kapuni and Kaponga ; Ohingaiti and Three-log Whare (re-named Mangaweka) ; Otakeho and Awatuna.

Weekly to twice weekly : Mangaonoho and Waiouru, and Waiouru and Pipiriki, during summer months.

Wellington—

Twice to thrice daily : Levin Post-office and Railway-station.

Thrice weekly to daily : Cuninghams and Waituna West ; Feilding and Makino ; Pahiatua and Makuri.

Twice to thrice weekly : Eketahuna, Pleckville, Tawataia, and Alfredton ; Pahiatua, Mangahao, and Ballance.

Weekly to twice weekly : Makuri and Coonor.

Westport—

Monthly to fortnightly : Westport and Karamea, by steamer.

The frequency of the following services was diminished :—

Auckland—

Thrice to twice weekly : Auckland, Pahi, Paparoa, and Matakoe.

Twice to once weekly : Auckland and Batley ; Oxford North and Lichfield ; Waotu and Lichfield.

Christchurch—

Four to three times daily : Christchurch and Sydenham.

Invercargill—

Twice to once weekly : Te Anau and Mararoa (during winter).

Nelson—

Weekly to fortnightly : Turner's (Rai Valley) and Okiwi Bay (during winter).

New Plymouth—

Twice to once weekly : New Plymouth and Albert Road (during winter).

Timaru—

Twice to once weekly : Fairlie and Ashwick Flat.