

RETURN No. 10.

STATEMENT showing CLASSIFICATION OF EXPENDITURE ON MAINTENANCE OF WAY AND WORKS for the Twelve Months ending 31st March, 1897.

Classification of Work.	SECTIONS.														Total.
	Kawakawa	Whangarei.	Kaiti.	Auckland.	Napier-Taranaki.	Wellington.	Christchurch.	Dunedin.	Invercargill.	Grey-Brunner.	Grey-Hokitika.	Westport.	Nelson.	Pictou.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Track-surfacing ..	149 5 5	627 15 5	826 0 2	14,232 4	219,211 19 9	6,150 9	325,422 13	423,002 6	615,516 14 10	825 7 10	1,247 2	31,859 12 2	977 4 0	1,048 4	0111,096 19 1
Track-renewals ..	237 5 3	563 17 1	340 10 7	9,967 5	112,298 10 3	4,316 12	215,522 3	114,493 4	511,264 8 2	139 12 7	91 15 10	3,484 6 5	1,799 1	31,258 15 9	75,777 7 11
Ballasting ..	52 9 9	177 16 8	12 2 0	1,147 5 3	1,876 13 6	80 16 7	1,953 14 0	2,356 16 11	675 1 4	39 11 8	153 8 1	367 4 10	351 7 5	133 3 0	9,377 11 0
Banks, cuttings, ditches, tunnels ..	98 11 0	112 0 9	17 11 0	1,367 11 9	4,231 8 3	685 2 3	2,305 12 6	2,719 3 4	1,670 13 1	268 15 5	90 8 8	89 17 7	114 17 11	272 0 10	14,043 14 4
Bridges, culverts, drains ..	241 10 6	516 12 6	66 1 3	4,816 3 8	9,118 8 5	2,156 2 10	9,561 6 0	8,964 8 9	4,572 15 5	424 17 4	552 17 6	778 3 11	5 17 6	958 2 4	42,733 7 11
Fences, gates, cattle-stops, hedges ..	0 5 9	188 18 10	4 3 3	930 1 10	1,561 19 2	551 2 2	1,533 17 7	2,184 12 10	1,459 16 10	15 9 1	26 7 7	37 9 4	526 10 4	26 14 11	9,047 9 6
Roads, approaches, &c.	14 16 6	9 17 4	15 9 0	662 4 10	575 8 1	116 2 10	744 13 4	546 14 10	334 17 0	55 13 8	52 17 6	4 10 5	37 18 10	9 3 8	3,180 7 10
Water-services, signals, cranes, appliances ..	27 11 7	3 6 1	25 11 4	751 14 5	615 1 10	449 15 0	1,058 8 5	866 16 8	696 13 1	189 15 10	17 0 9	42 19 9	104 4 7	29 9 2	4,878 8 6
Wharves ..	68 7 8	106 17 8	39 7 5	566 2 4	76 14 2	..	11 17 8	115 1 4	8 13 2	364 4 7	..	424 18 6	32 14 6	134 18 4	1,949 17 4
Buildings ..	60 7 0	172 18 7	91 1 10	3,439 3 11	4,278 9 1	1,597 8 0	6,737 7 1	5,151 4 0	2,383 15 8	311 14 1	87 9 10	297 4 8	346 18 2	95 15 4	25,050 17 3
Miscellaneous ..	18 11 6	16 6 6	125 0 0	364 11 2	634 0 5	528 18 5	323 7 11	560 19 10	385 10 9	412 1 8	30 0 0	12 16 0	4 12 7	..	3,416 16 9
General charges ..	2 16 5	10 18 3	10 10 5	155 4 7	232 3 4	106 7 9	324 11 9	252 7 10	231 2 10	26 18 10	10 1 9	47 7 5	10 8 3	7 7 11	1,428 7 4
Totals ..	971 18 4	2,507 5 8	1,573 8	338,399 13 0	54,710 16 3	16,738 17	365,499 12	861,213 17	339,200 2	23,074 2	72,359 9	97,446 11	04,311 15	43,973 15	3301,981 4 9
Rate per mile opened	121 9 9	155 4 3	92 11 1	124 5 5	164 15 10	178 1 5	143 19 1	172 18 5	120 19 9	384 5 4	98 6 3	240 4 3	187 9 4	189 4 6	149 15 4

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