

STATEMENT No. 19

CLASSIFICATION OF GOODS AND LIVE-STOCK TRAFFIC AND EARNINGS BY COMMODITIES

Year ended 31st March, 1945.

Commodity.	Tonnage carried.	Per Cent. of Gross.	Tons One Mile (000 omitted).	Average Haul.	Revenue.			
					Total.	Per Cent. of Gross.	Per Ton.	Per Ton Mile.
<i>Products of Agriculture</i>					Miles.	£	£ s. d.	d.
Grain	238,356	2.66	13,415	56	136,617	1.62	0 11 6	2.44
Meals	128,954	1.44	11,924	92	100,095	1.19	0 15 6	2.01
Fruit and vegetables	113,812	1.29	19,323	170	169,239	2.02	1 9 9	2.10
Root crops and fodder	227,754	2.54	22,338	98	175,324	2.08	0 15 4	1.88
Flax, green and pressed	12,928	0.14	1,239	96	12,244	0.15	0 18 11	2.37
Seeds	29,720	0.33	2,064	69	27,288	0.32	0 18 5	3.17
	751,524	8.40	70,303	93	620,807	7.38	0 16 6	2.12
<i>Animals and other Products</i>								
Cattle, calves, horses	272,766	3.05	23,823	87	341,673	3.70	1 2 10	3.14
Sheep and pigs	503,922	5.63	39,006	77	553,804	6.58	1 1 11	3.41
Meat, fresh	63,114	0.70	9,383	149	124,602	1.48	1 19 6	3.19
Meat, frozen	288,541	3.23	14,166	52	300,231	3.57	1 0 10	5.09
Butter	123,758	1.38	12,568	102	174,833	2.07	1 8 3	3.34
Cheese	98,038	1.09	6,267	64	101,576	1.24	1 1 4	4.00
Wool	204,730	2.29	13,290	65	257,602	3.06	1 5 2	4.65
Dairy by-products	33,280	0.37	2,380	72	36,116	0.43	1 1 9	3.64
Fat, hides, and skins	51,067	0.60	3,861	71	75,432	0.90	1 7 11	4.69
Fish	11,755	0.13	1,815	154	19,432	0.23	1 13 1	2.57
	1,653,971	18.47	126,559	77	1,958,301	23.26	1 3 8	3.71
<i>Products of Mines</i>								
Agricultural lime	697,413	7.78	42,554	61	267,998	3.18	0 7 8	1.51
Coal, imported								
Coal, New Zealand hard	909,981	10.16	58,889	65	411,150	4.89	0 9 0	1.68
Coal, New Zealand brown	1,174,153	13.11	139,864	119	809,005	9.61	0 13 10	1.39
Road-metal	36,381	0.42	1,979	54	16,870	0.20	0 9 3	2.05
Lime and coke	51,258	0.57	3,681	75	31,880	0.38	0 12 5	2.08
	2,869,186	32.04	246,967	86	1,536,903	18.26	0 10 9	1.49
<i>Products of Forests</i>								
Timber, imported	4,445	0.05	447	94	5,824	0.07	1 6 3	3.35
Timber, New Zealand	598,685	6.68	78,039	130	655,686	7.79	1 1 11	2.02
Firewood, posts, &c.	111,624	1.25	9,339	84	56,968	0.68	0 10 2	1.46
	714,754	7.98	87,795	123	718,478	8.54	1 0 1	1.96
<i>Manufactures, &c.</i>								
Benzine, gasoline, kerosene	204,808	2.29	16,137	79	336,896	4.00	1 12 11	5.01
Cement	119,996	1.34	18,033	150	162,137	1.93	1 7 0	2.16
Manure	704,239	7.86	56,839	81	419,428	4.98	0 11 11	1.77
	1,029,043	11.49	91,009	88	918,161	10.91	0 17 10	2.42
Miscellaneous	1,935,761	21.62	192,273	99	2,663,741	31.65	1 7 6	3.32
Totals	8,954,239	100.00	814,906	91	8,416,391	100.00	0 18 10	2.48

STATEMENT No. 20

STATEMENT SHOWING MILEAGE, CAPITAL COST, TRAFFIC, OPERATING REVENUE, AND OPERATING EXPENDITURE OF NEW ZEALAND GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS FROM 1ST APRIL, 1944, TO 31ST MARCH, 1945

MILEAGE, CAPITAL COST, TRAFFIC, AND REVENUE

Year.	Average Miles open.	Capital Cost.	Train-mileage. (Revenue.)	Passenger Journeys.	Passenger Revenue.	Other Coaching Revenue.	Cattle and Calves.	Sheep and Pigs.	Timber.
	No.	£	No.	No.	£	£	No.	No.	Tons.
1943-1944 ..	3,469	68,476,775	15,328,987	38,611,267	4,275,482	435,928	1,384,600	12,891,891	667,457
1944-1945 ..	3,504	68,623,125	12,802,536	32,994,529	3,504,453	411,021	1,328,540	12,463,238	603,130
Year.		Goods.	Total.		Goods Revenue.	Miscellaneous Revenue, Labour, Demurrage, &c.	Total Revenue.		Revenue per Train-mile.
		Tons.	Tons.		£	£	£		d.
1943-1944 ..	..	7,566,032	8,233,489		8,479,387	274,182	13,464,979		210.82
1944-1945 ..	..	7,574,421	8,177,551		8,261,087	271,746	12,448,307		233.36

EXPENDITURE

Year.	Maintenance of Way and Works.			Maintenance of Signals and Electrical Appliances.			Maintenance of Locomotives, Carriages, and Wagons.		
	Amount.	Per Cent. of Revenue.	Per Mile of Railway.	Amount.	Per Cent. of Revenue.	Per Mile of Railway.	Amount.	Per Cent. of Revenue.	Per Train-mile.
	£		£	£		£	£		d.
1943-1944	2,146,448	15.94	618.75	326,190	2.42	94.03	2,868,006	21.30	44.90
1944-1945	2,250,733	18.08	642.33	332,015	2.67	94.75	2,839,591	22.81	53.23

Year.	Locomotive Transportation.			Traffic Transportation.			General Charges.			Total Expenditure.	Expenditure per Revenue Train-mile.	Expenditure per Cent. of Revenue.
	Amount.	Per Cent. of Revenue.	Per Train-mile.	Amount.	Per Cent. of Revenue.	Per Train-mile.	Amount.	Per Cent. of Revenue.	Per Train-mile.			
	£	d.		£	d.		£	d.				
1943-1944 ..	2,555,956	18.99	40.02	3,207,782	23.82	50.22	261,535	1.94	4.09	11,365,917	177.95	84.41
1944-1945 ..	2,473,581	19.87	46.37	3,160,705	27.80	64.88	340,267	2.73	6.38	11,696,895	219.27	93.96