

1900.
NEW ZEALAND.

RAILWAY CONCESSIONS.

(RETURN SHOWING HOW AMOUNT OF £75,000 IS MADE UP.)

Return to an Order of the House of Representatives dated the 18th July, 1900.

Ordered, "That there be laid before this House a return showing in detail how the amount of £75,000, estimated railway concessions, is made up."—(Mr. J. ALLEN.)

RETURN showing in DETAIL how the AMOUNT of £75,000, ESTIMATED RAILWAY CONCESSIONS, is made up.

Particulars.	Approximate Value of Concessions per Annum.
General reduction in passenger-fares ; also in fares of school boarders returning home for holidays, students of agricultural and technical colleges, athletic teams, pleasure parties, Maoris travelling to Land Courts	£
Reduced suburban rates on Christchurch—Lyttelton line	66,000
Reduced suburban rates on Auckland—Onehunga and Otahuhu lines	
Reduced suburban rates on Dunedin—Port Chalmers and Mosgiel lines	
Reduced suburban rates on Invercargill-Bluff line	
Reduced rates for tickets to Hot Lakes District, Auckland	
Reduced rates for tickets to Cold Lakes and Glacial District, Otago, and round trips through Central Otago	1,000
Reduced rates for newspaper reporters, season, and ordinary tickets	
Through rail and steamer tickets between Wellington and Blenheim	
General reduction of season-ticket rates	1,100
Sectional annual tickets introduced	1,600
Workers' weekly-ticket rates, Wellington—Lower Hutt and Petone, reduced	
Workers' weekly 2s. tickets from and to Auckland, Wellington, Christchurch, Dunedin, and suburban stations introduced	2,800
Racehorses, hunters, and polo ponies returned free from races, hunts, and polo matches respectively	
Returned fish-empties carried free	800
Rate for A, B, C, D goods, Auckland and Newmarket to Paeroa, Shortland, and intermediate stations	500
Goods from centres to ports for shipment carried at weight instead of measurement	1,100
Rates for salt for curing purposes reduced ; for timber, Belgrove to Stoke and Bishopdale ; wool, Smithfield to Timaru ; leather shavings for manufacture of manures ; and vegetable-marrows, reduced	500
Total	75,200

Railway Department,
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General Manager.

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