

## RETURN No. 31.

## HURUNUI-BLUFF SECTION.

SHOWING MILEAGE of TRACK in MAIN LINE and SIDINGS OPEN for TRAFFIC on 31st March, 1904,  
on the HURUNUI-BLUFF RAILWAY and BRANCHES.

Line of Railway.	Main Line.		Branches.	Total Railway.	Sidings.			Total Equivalent of Single Track.
	Single.	Double.			Main Line.	Branches.	Total.	
<b>CHRISTCHURCH DIVISION :—</b>	M. ch.	M. ch.	M. ch.	M. ch.	M. ch.	M. ch.	M. ch.	M. ch.
Main Line ...	211 57	6 28	...	218 5	75 41	...	75 41	293 46
Rangiora-Sheffield and Eyre- ton Junction-Bennett's ...	...	...	53 56	262 3	...	4 40	25 64	58 16
Waipara-Scargill ...	...	...	14 40			1 2		15 42
Southbridge and Little River Branches ...	...	...	48 7			5 49		53 56
Springfield and Whitecliffs Branches [Branch ...	...	...	47 4			5 0		52 4
Rakaia and Ashburton Forks ...	...	...	22 20			2 70		25 10
Mount Somers Branch ...	...	...	27 36	262 3	...	1 70	25 64	29 26
Albury Branch ...	...	...	36 13			2 57		38 70
Waimate Branch ...	...	...	12 67			2 16		15 3
<b>Totals, Christchurch Division</b>	<b>211 57</b>	<b>6 28</b>	<b>262 3</b>	<b>480 8</b>	<b>75 41</b>	<b>25 64</b>	<b>101 25</b>	<b>581 33</b>
<b>DUNEDIN DIVISION :—</b>	M. ch.	M. ch.	M. ch.	M. ch.	M. ch.	M. ch.	M. ch.	M. ch.
Main Line ...	165 40	...	...	165 40	56 79	...	56 79	222 39
Duntroon Branch ...	...	...	37 41	230 15	...	2 79	21 61	40 40
Oamaru-Breakwater Branch ...	...	...	0 63			0 25		1 8
Ngapara & Livingston Branches ...	...	...	27 4			2 14		29 18
Shag Point Branch ...	...	...	2 10			0 14		2 24
Waihemo Branch ...	...	...	8 65			0 63		9 48
Port Chalmers Branch ...	...	...	1 26	230 15	...	3 65	21 61	5 11
Walton Park Branch ...	...	...	2 49			0 52		3 21
Fernhill Branch ...	...	...	1 57			0 23		2 0
Otago Central Railway ...	...	...	97 72			6 17		104 9
Outram Branch ...	...	...	9 0			0 65		9 65
Lawrence Branch ...	...	...	22 1	230 15	...	1 67	21 61	23 68
Catlin's River Branch ...	...	...	19 27			1 57		21 4
<b>Totals, Dunedin Division</b>	<b>165 40</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>230 15</b>	<b>395 55</b>	<b>56 79</b>	<b>21 61</b>	<b>78 60</b>	<b>474 35</b>
<b>INVERCARGILL DIVISION :—</b>	M. ch.	M. ch.	M. ch.	M. ch.	M. ch.	M. ch.	M. ch.	M. ch.
Main Line ...	82 41	...	...	82 41	26 41	...	26 41	109 2
Tapanui Branch ...	...	...	20 4	266 53	...	2 4	27 61	22 8
Wiaimea Plains Branch ...	...	...	36 41			3 6		39 47
Wyndham Branch ...	...	...	9 35			0 45		10 0
Seaward Bush Branch ...	...	...	25 39			2 0		27 39
Kingston Branch ...	...	...	87 0			8 59		95 59
Makarewa-Orepuki Branch ...	...	...	40 16	266 53	...	6 17	27 61	46 33
Thornbury-Wairio and Wairio- Nightcaps Branches ...	...	...	24 51			3 10		27 61
Forest Hill Railway ...	...	...	12 66			0 77		13 63
Lumsden-Mararoa Branch ...	...	...	10 41	266 53	...	1 3	27 61	11 44
<b>Totals, Invercargill Division</b>	<b>82 41</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>266 53</b>	<b>349 14</b>	<b>26 41</b>	<b>27 61</b>	<b>54 22</b>	<b>403 36</b>
<b>Grand Totals—Whole Line</b>	<b>459 58</b>	<b>6 28</b>	<b>758 71</b>	<b>1,224 77</b>	<b>159 1</b>	<b>75 26</b>	<b>234 27</b>	<b>1,459 24</b>

## RETURN No. 32.

STATEMENT of ALTERATIONS in and ADDITIONS to SCALE of CHARGES during the Year ended  
31st March, 1904.

## PART I.—PASSENGERS.

## LOCAL FARES AND REGULATIONS.

*Hurunui-Bluff Section.*

Through booking rail and steamer between Dunedin and Portobello: Steamer fare increased

## PART II.—PARCELS, HORSES, ETC.

Corpses: Rate for corpses by mail and express trains inserted.

Through booking between stations on the Auckland Section and ports on the Manukau Harbour: Rates inserted.

Through booking between stations on the Auckland Section and Kaipara ports: Rate for four-wheeled vehicles amended.

## PART III.—GOODS: REGULATIONS.

Starving stock; and hay, straw, chaff, grain, green fodder, and ensilage: Regulations for free conveyance inserted.

Exhibitions: Regulations for free conveyance of exhibits to and from the Wairarapa and Hawera Exhibitions inserted.