

Table No. 6.—POST-OFFICE SAVINGS-BANKS.—GENERAL STATEMENT.

TABLE showing the Business of the Post-Office Savings-banks in New Zealand, Year by Year, from the Date they were established, in February, 1867, to the 31st December, 1905.

| Postal Districts.            | Number of Post-Office Savings-Banks Open at the Close of the Year. | Number of Deposits received during the Year. | Total Amount of Deposits received during the Year. | Average Amount of each Deposit received during the Year. | Number of Withdrawals during the Year. | Total Amount of Withdrawals during the Year. | Average Amount of each Withdrawal during the Year. | Excess of Deposits over Withdrawals during the Year. | Excess of Withdrawals over Deposits during the Year. | Cost of Management during the Year. | Average Cost of each Transaction, Deposit or Withdrawal. | Interest for the Year. | Number of Accounts Opened during the Year. | Number of Accounts Closed during the Year. | Number of Accounts remaining Open at Close of the Year. | Total Amount standing to the Credit of all Open Accounts, inclusive of Interest to the Close of the Year. | Average Amount standing to the Credit of each Open Account at the Close of the Year. |
|------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Auckland                     | 124                                                                | 66,693                                       | 980,947                                            | £ 14 14 2                                                | 51,316                                 | 901,120                                      | £ 17 11 2                                          | 79,826 19 1                                          | ..                                                   | ..                                  | ..                                                       | 39,257 6 10            | 8,688                                      | 6,055                                      | 38,479                                                  | £ 1,307,349 13 11                                                                                         | 33 19 6                                                                              |
| Blenheim                     | 8                                                                  | 6,598                                        | 112,977                                            | £ 17 2 6                                                 | 4,688                                  | 94,754                                       | £ 20 4 3                                           | 18,222 3 5                                           | ..                                                   | ..                                  | ..                                                       | 4,044 12 4             | 849                                        | 567                                        | 4,658                                                   | £ 138,925 17 11                                                                                           | 29 16 6                                                                              |
| Christchurch                 | 65                                                                 | 89,063                                       | 1,202,388                                          | £ 13 10 0                                                | 61,792                                 | 1,089,239                                    | £ 17 12 7                                          | 113,148 8 2                                          | ..                                                   | ..                                  | ..                                                       | 45,551 7 5             | 9,091                                      | 6,649                                      | 49,934                                                  | £ 1,535,895 9 0                                                                                           | 30 15 2                                                                              |
| Dunedin                      | 52                                                                 | 74,809                                       | 935,313                                            | £ 12 10 1                                                | 49,016                                 | 840,826                                      | £ 17 3 1                                           | 94,487 0 6                                           | ..                                                   | ..                                  | ..                                                       | 40,611 18 8            | 7,222                                      | 5,329                                      | 37,570                                                  | £ 1,338,867 13 11                                                                                         | 35 12 9                                                                              |
| Gisborne                     | 6                                                                  | 9,343                                        | 118,077                                            | £ 12 12 9                                                | 7,510                                  | 111,584                                      | £ 14 17 2                                          | 6,493 4 9                                            | ..                                                   | ..                                  | ..                                                       | 3,541 10 8             | 1,451                                      | 841                                        | 4,732                                                   | £ 117,576 11 9                                                                                            | 24 16 11                                                                             |
| Greymouth                    | 11                                                                 | 7,985                                        | 109,798                                            | £ 13 15 0                                                | 5,056                                  | 93,260                                       | £ 18 8 11                                          | 16,537 19 6                                          | ..                                                   | ..                                  | ..                                                       | 5,750 6 10             | 1,042                                      | 811                                        | 4,893                                                   | £ 192,963 10 8                                                                                            | 39 8 9                                                                               |
| Hokitika                     | 7                                                                  | 1,815                                        | 27,406                                             | £ 15 2 0                                                 | 1,243                                  | 26,685                                       | £ 21 9 4                                           | 720 14 10                                            | ..                                                   | ..                                  | ..                                                       | 2,219 19 1             | 277                                        | 299                                        | 1,686                                                   | £ 69,644 1 8                                                                                              | 41 6 2                                                                               |
| Invercargill                 | 28                                                                 | 17,810                                       | 253,943                                            | £ 14 5 2                                                 | 11,271                                 | 224,187                                      | £ 19 17 10                                         | 29,755 18 2                                          | ..                                                   | ..                                  | ..                                                       | 11,509 19 7            | 2,463                                      | 1,737                                      | 11,184                                                  | £ 380,519 13 6                                                                                            | 34 0 6                                                                               |
| Napier                       | 27                                                                 | 24,537                                       | 299,623                                            | £ 12 4 3                                                 | 15,184                                 | 259,320                                      | £ 17 1 7                                           | 40,302 17 11                                         | ..                                                   | ..                                  | ..                                                       | 11,727 11 5            | 3,282                                      | 2,186                                      | 13,065                                                  | £ 393,081 8 5                                                                                             | 30 1 9                                                                               |
| Nelson                       | 16                                                                 | 10,908                                       | 180,176                                            | £ 16 10 4                                                | 7,024                                  | 156,560                                      | £ 22 5 9                                           | 23,616 10 6                                          | ..                                                   | ..                                  | ..                                                       | 8,355 9 7              | 1,287                                      | 853                                        | 7,857                                                   | £ 269,652 4 0                                                                                             | 34 6 5                                                                               |
| New Plymouth                 | 11                                                                 | 10,918                                       | 144,124                                            | £ 13 4 0                                                 | 7,604                                  | 135,126                                      | £ 17 15 5                                          | 8,997 13 1                                           | ..                                                   | ..                                  | ..                                                       | 6,006 4 6              | 1,484                                      | 1,254                                      | 6,987                                                   | £ 196,521 9 5                                                                                             | 28 2 6                                                                               |
| Oamaru                       | 10                                                                 | 6,942                                        | 103,721                                            | £ 14 18 10                                               | 4,608                                  | 89,538                                       | £ 19 8 7                                           | 14,183 13 0                                          | ..                                                   | ..                                  | ..                                                       | 4,824 2 4              | 933                                        | 720                                        | 4,084                                                   | £ 160,162 19 11                                                                                           | 39 4 4                                                                               |
| Thames                       | 18                                                                 | 13,284                                       | 154,816                                            | £ 11 13 1                                                | 9,074                                  | 149,363                                      | £ 16 9 3                                           | 5,452 17 2                                           | ..                                                   | ..                                  | ..                                                       | 7,003 2 7              | 1,786                                      | 1,424                                      | 8,689                                                   | £ 229,981 11 1                                                                                            | 26 9 4                                                                               |
| Timaru                       | 14                                                                 | 14,631                                       | 222,489                                            | £ 15 4 2                                                 | 9,263                                  | 201,627                                      | £ 21 15 4                                          | 20,862 4 2                                           | ..                                                   | ..                                  | ..                                                       | 9,139 19 4             | 1,835                                      | 1,298                                      | 8,304                                                   | £ 304,558 12 3                                                                                            | 36 13 6                                                                              |
| Wanganui                     | 33                                                                 | 23,117                                       | 307,285                                            | £ 13 5 10                                                | 15,147                                 | 279,676                                      | £ 18 9 3                                           | 27,608 18 11                                         | ..                                                   | ..                                  | ..                                                       | 11,266 11 1            | 3,551                                      | 2,729                                      | 13,895                                                  | £ 375,416 11 6                                                                                            | 27 0 4                                                                               |
| Wellington                   | 73                                                                 | 124,903                                      | 1,402,090                                          | £ 11 4 6                                                 | 83,060                                 | 1,262,616                                    | £ 15 4 0                                           | 139,473 11 4                                         | ..                                                   | ..                                  | ..                                                       | 44,655 19 6            | 14,006                                     | 9,744                                      | 56,682                                                  | £ 1,534,059 19 1                                                                                          | 27 1 3                                                                               |
| Westport                     | 17                                                                 | 5,756                                        | 70,563                                             | £ 12 5 2                                                 | 3,166                                  | 68,695                                       | £ 21 13 11                                         | 1,868 14 2                                           | ..                                                   | ..                                  | ..                                                       | 3,615 5 9              | 768                                        | 617                                        | 3,367                                                   | £ 116,845 9 1                                                                                             | 34 14 1                                                                              |
| Totals for Colony in 1905 .. | 520                                                                | 509,112                                      | 6,625,744                                          | £ 13 0 3                                                 | 346,022                                | 5,984,184                                    | £ 17 5 11                                          | 641,559 8 8                                          | ..                                                   | £ 16,500                            | 0 4 63                                                   | 259,081 7 6            | 60,015                                     | 43,113                                     | 276,066                                                 | £ 8,662,022 17 1                                                                                          | 31 7 6                                                                               |