

Table No. 14.—ORIENT MAIL-SERVICE.

STATEMENT showing the Number of Days occupied in the Delivery of Mails between London and the undermentioned Places by the Packets of the Orient Line.

## FROM LONDON BY THE ORIENT LINE.

MELBOURNE.			SYDNEY.			BLUFF.			CHRISTCHURCH.			WELLINGTON.			AUCKLAND.		
Date of Despatch from London.	Date of Arrival in Melbourne.	No. of Days.	Date of Despatch from London.	Date of Arrival in Sydney.	No. of Days.	Date of Despatch from London.	Date of Arrival at Bluff.	No. of Days.	Date of Despatch from London.	Date of Arrival in Christchurch.	No. of Days.	Date of Despatch from London.	Date of Arrival in Wellington.	No. of Days.	Date of Despatch from London.	Date of Arrival in Auckland.	No. of Days.
1905. Jan. 6	1905. Feb. 7	32	1905. Jan. 6	1905. Feb. 8	33	1905. Jan. 6	1905. Feb. 14	39	1905. Jan. 6	1905. Feb. 15	40	1905. Jan. 6	1905. Feb. 14	39	1905. Jan. 6	1905. Feb. 12	37
Jan. 20	Feb. 23	34	Jan. 20	Feb. 24	35	Jan. 20	Mar. 3	42	Jan. 20	Mar. 2	41	Jan. 20	Mar. 1	40	Jan. 20	Mar. 3	43
*April 14	May 16	32	April 14	May 17	33	April 14	May 23	39	April 14	May 24	40	April 14	May 22	38	April 14	May 21	37
April 28	May 30	32	April 28	May 31	33	April 28	June 6	39	April 28	June 7	40	April 28	June 6	39	April 28	June 4	37
May 12	June 13	32	May 12	June 14	33	May 12	June 20	39	May 12	June 21	40	May 12	June 19	38	May 12	June 18	37
May 26	June 28	32	May 26	June 28	33	May 26	July 3	38	May 26	July 4	39	May 26	July 4	39	May 26	July 3	38
June 9	July 11	32	June 9	July 12	33	June 9	July 18	39	June 9	July 19	40	June 9	July 19	40	June 9	July 17	38
June 23	July 25	32	June 23	July 26	33	June 23	July 31	38	June 23	August 1	39	June 23	July 31	38	June 23	July 30	37
July 7	August 8	32	July 7	August 9	33	July 7	August 14	39	July 7	August 15	40	July 7	August 14	38	July 7	August 13	37
July 21	August 23	33	July 21	August 24	34	July 21	August 29	39	July 21	August 30	40	July 21	August 31	40	July 21	Sept. 1	42
August 4	Sept. 5	32	August 4	Sept. 6	33	August 4	Sept. 11	38	August 4	Sept. 12	39	August 4	Sept. 11	38	August 4	Sept. 10	37
August 18	Sept. 19	32	August 18	Sept. 20	33	August 18	Sept. 25	38	August 18	Sept. 26	39	August 18	Sept. 25	38	August 18	Sept. 24	37
Sept. 1	October 3	32	Sept. 1	October 4	33	Sept. 1	October 9	38	Sept. 1	October 10	39	Sept. 1	October 11	40	Sept. 1	October 9	38
Sept. 15	October 17	32	Sept. 15	October 18	33	Sept. 15	October 24	39	Sept. 15	October 24	39	Sept. 15	October 24	39	Sept. 15	October 22	37
Sept. 29	Nov. 1	33	Sept. 29	Nov. 2	34	Sept. 29	Nov. 7	39	Sept. 29	Nov. 7	39	Sept. 29	Nov. 8	40	Sept. 29	Nov. 7	39
October 13	Nov. 14	32	October 13	Nov. 15	33	October 13	Nov. 20	38	October 13	Nov. 21	39	October 13	Nov. 21	39	October 13	Nov. 20	38
October 27	Nov. 28	32	October 27	Nov. 29	33	October 27	Dec. 4	38	October 27	Dec. 5	39	October 27	Dec. 5	39	October 27	Dec. 3	37
Nov. 10	Dec. 12	32	Nov. 10	Dec. 14	34	Nov. 10	Dec. 18	38	Nov. 10	Dec. 19	39	Nov. 10	Dec. 20	40	Nov. 10	Dec. 22	42
Nov. 24	Dec. 26	32	Nov. 24	Dec. 27	33	Nov. 24	1906. Jan. 1	38	Nov. 24	1906. Jan. 2	39	Nov. 24	1906. Jan. 3	40	Nov. 24	1906. Jan. 1	38
Dec. 8	1906. Jan. 10	33	Dec. 8	1906. Jan. 11	34	Dec. 8	Jan. 15	38	Dec. 8	Jan. 15	38	Dec. 8	Jan. 17	40	Dec. 8	Jan. 19	42
Dec. 22	Jan. 23	32	Dec. 22	Jan. 24	33	Dec. 22	Jan. 29	38	Dec. 22	Jan. 29	38	Dec. 22	Jan. 31	40	Dec. 22	Jan. 29	38
Maximum	...	34	...	...	35	...	...	42	...	...	41	...	...	41	...	...	42
Minimum	...	32	...	...	33	...	...	38	...	...	38	...	...	38	...	...	37
Average	...	32.24	...	...	33.29	...	...	38.57	...	...	39.29	...	...	39.19	...	...	38.33

\* No mails were despatched from London by the Orient Line between 20th January and 14th April owing to cessation of contract.