

The following table gives full particulars of the direct revenue of the Department:—

RECEIPTS OF THE TOURIST AND HEALTH RESORTS DEPARTMENT FOR YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1909.

|                                                                  | 1902-3.     | 1906-7.     | 1907-8.     | 1908-9.    |
|------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|------------|
| <i>Te Aroha</i> —                                                | £ s. d.     | £ s. d.     | £ s. d.     | £ s. d.    |
| Bath fees and towel-hire .. .. .                                 | 396 12 10   | 1,022 17 9  | 1,011 13 2  | 1,113 17 3 |
| Out-patients' fees .. .. .                                       | 16 5 6      | 419 11 0    | 500 12 6    | 339 18 6   |
| Tennis-players, library fees, &c. .. ..                          | 27 4 0      | 91 7 0      | 152 17 6    | 220 11 3   |
| Tea-house .. .. .                                                | ..          | ..          | ..          | 77 4 3     |
|                                                                  | 440 2 4     | 1,533 15 9  | 1,665 3 2   | 1,751 11 3 |
| <i>Rotorua</i> —                                                 |             |             |             |            |
| Sanatorium patients' fees .. .. .                                | 717 3 3     | 892 5 6     | 1,055 16 3  | 1,287 0 11 |
| Out-patients' fees .. .. .                                       | 589 10 0    | 748 16 0    | 724 12 5    | 753 5 0    |
| Sale of bath-tickets, and towel-hire .. ..                       | 1,874 5 7   | 2,614 8 6   | 2,577 9 0   | 3,052 13 3 |
| Dry massage and electrical treatment .. ..                       | ..          | 219 5 9     | 199 5 3     | 336 15 9   |
| Water and sewerage fees .. .. .                                  | 132 12 6    | 369 19 2    | 343 0 0     | 959 10 7   |
| Electric-light charges .. .. .                                   | 544 19 0    | 1,406 6 3   | 1,689 18 3  | 1,858 10 3 |
| Tennis-players, &c. .. .. .                                      | 47 7 0      | 137 8 3     | 179 13 6    | 215 3 3    |
| Round trip: Launch fares, accommodation, guiding-fees, &c. .. .. | 565 5 0     | 1,933 1 0   | 1,981 8 0   | 3,031 19 6 |
| Tea-house .. .. .                                                | 144 19 11   | 395 19 3    | 659 1 0     | 661 15 5   |
| Sale of mineral waters .. .. .                                   | ..          | 216 16 0    | 147 16 10   | 188 14 5   |
| Launch licenses, wharfages, &c. .. ..                            | ..          | 105 0 0     | 19 0 0      | 75 19 0    |
| Miscellaneous receipts .. .. .                                   | ..          | 174 12 2    | 74 12 5     | 256 13 1   |
|                                                                  | 4,616 2 3   | 9,213 17 10 | 9,651 12 11 | 12,678 0 5 |
| Rotorua Acclimatisation District receipts .. ..                  | ..          | 55 10 0     | 503 3 11    | 669 2 3    |
| <i>Te Puia Hot Springs Accommodation-house</i> —                 |             |             |             |            |
| Accommodation fees, &c. .. .. .                                  | ..          | ..          | 340 18 4    | 355 9 1    |
| <i>Waitomo Caves Accommodation-house</i> —                       |             |             |             |            |
| Accommodation fees, &c. .. .. .                                  | ..          | 182 9 10    | 584 5 10    | 656 17 5   |
| <i>Lake House, Waikaremoana</i> —                                |             |             |             |            |
| Accommodation fees, &c. .. .. .                                  | 66 12 6     | 532 12 7    | 367 14 4    | 396 4 0    |
| Oil-launch and boat receipts .. .. .                             | ..          | 135 10 3    | 94 7 0      | 97 11 2    |
|                                                                  | 66 12 6     | 668 2 10    | 462 1 4     | 493 15 2   |
| <i>Morere Hot Springs</i> —                                      |             |             |             |            |
| Bath fees, &c. .. .. .                                           | ..          | 50 7 3      | 70 13 3     | 71 15 0    |
| <i>Hammer Hot Springs</i> —                                      |             |             |             |            |
| Accommodation fees .. .. .                                       | 1,200 16 10 | 1,078 4 3   | 1,180 8 10  | 684 6 5    |
| Sale of bath-tickets, and towel-hire .. ..                       | 778 8 6     | 687 3 3     | 716 19 8    | 595 3 7    |
| Tennis-players, &c. .. .. .                                      | 11 19 11    | 5 10 0      | 4 12 9      | 12 0 6     |
| Sale of Guides, pamphlets, &c. .. .. .                           | ..          | 0 3 0       | ..          | ..         |
| Miscellaneous receipts .. .. .                                   | ..          | 20 10 7     | 39 19 6     | 136 1 3    |
| Tea-house receipts .. .. .                                       | ..          | 190 3 0     | 233 13 6    | 181 16 0   |
|                                                                  | 1,991 5 3   | 1,981 14 1  | 2,175 14 3  | 1,609 7 9  |
| <i>Pukaki Accommodation-house</i> —                              |             |             |             |            |
| Accommodation fees, &c. .. .. .                                  | 131 11 0    | 653 1 4     | 625 14 10   | 825 1 2    |
| <i>"Hermitage"</i> —                                             |             |             |             |            |
| Accommodation fees, &c. .. .. .                                  | 914 15 6    | 1,516 8 4   | 1,405 12 6  | 1,796 10 0 |
| <i>Queenstown Park</i> —                                         |             |             |             |            |
| Bowls, &c. .. .. .                                               | ..          | 14 12 0     | 44 16 3     | 72 10 6    |
| <i>Lake Manapouri</i> —                                          |             |             |             |            |
| Steamer fares .. .. .                                            | ..          | 146 10 0    | 149 2 6     | 153 18 9   |
| <i>Te Anau Accommodation-house</i> —                             |             |             |             |            |
| Accommodation fees, &c. .. .. .                                  | ..          | 486 10 0    | 598 19 3    | 541 8 0    |
| <i>Lake Te Anau</i> —                                            |             |             |             |            |
| Steamer fares, &c. .. .. .                                       | ..          | 474 19 6    | 625 15 0    | 645 2 6    |
| <i>Glade House and Milford Tracks</i> —                          |             |             |             |            |
| Accommodation fees, &c. .. .. .                                  | ..          | 517 7 6     | 607 7 0     | 733 18 10  |
| Guiding-fees .. .. .                                             | ..          | 86 0 6      | 133 15 0    | 169 3 9    |
|                                                                  | ..          | 603 8 0     | 741 2 0     | 903 2 7    |
| <i>Head Office</i> —                                             |             |             |             |            |
| Sale of pamphlets, cards, photos, &c. .. ..                      | 240 12 10   | 620 18 7    | 843 3 0     | 563 17 5   |
| Totals .. .. .                                                   | 8,401 1 8   | 18,202 5 4  | 20,487 18 4 | 23,787 9 3 |

The receipts for the year 1908-9 amounted to £23,787 9s. 3d., compared with £20,487 18s. 4d. for the previous year, an increase of £3,299 10s. 11d.; equals 16·1 per cent.