

POST OFFICE SAVINGS-BANKS.—GENERAL STATEMENT.

TABLE showing the Business of the Post Office Savings-banks in the various Postal Districts in New Zealand during the Year ended the 31st December, 1914.

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 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.
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£	d.	£ s. d.	£			£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Auckland	221	177,746	2,481,801 12 3	13 19 3	146,198	2,238,807 14 9	15 6 3	242,993 17 6	..	..	112,849 1 5	17,401	11,565	89,200	3,502,239 12 9	39 5 3
Blenheim	16	10,443	164,948 3 0	15 15 10	7,250	143,126 7 6	19 14 10	21,821 15 6	..	..	9,036 10 0	1,082	722	7,346	281,617 6 10	38 6 9
Christchurch	70	134,845	1,822,795 19 2	13 10 4	107,282	1,637,017 19 3	15 5 2	185,777 19 11	..	..	96,309 9 5	9,492	6,327	77,101	2,973,111 6 11	38 11 3
Dunedin	66	96,889	1,295,879 9 0	13 7 6	69,536	1,181,565 16 7	16 19 10	114,313 12 5	..	..	82,145 12 2	6,621	4,995	54,749	2,504,995 7 4	45 15 1
Gisborne	21	23,685	313,873 18 7	13 5 0	18,458	281,911 2 10	15 5 6	31,962 15 9	..	..	13,016 15 0	2,446	1,913	12,244	406,903 5 4	33 4 8
Greymouth	18	13,302	168,975 9 2	12 14 0	8,194	147,720 12 1	18 0 7	21,254 17 1	..	..	12,587 17 0	1,318	1,037	8,290	385,927 9 9	46 11 1
Hokitika	8	2,524	44,172 15 4	17 10 0	1,761	40,143 11 11	22 15 11	4,029 3 5	..	..	3,718 14 8	311	249	2,382	110,558 3 4	46 8 3
Invercargill	31	28,692	428,017 14 6	14 18 4	21,856	427,967 14 3	19 11 7	50 0 3	..	..	28,666 8 5	2,815	2,104	20,037	847,538 19 5	42 6 0
Napier ..	43	47,241	655,676 1 0	13 17 7	31,210	561,611 1 4	17 19 11	94,064 19 8	..	..	30,384 19 10	4,802	3,060	25,259	963,987 8 9	38 3 3
Nelson ..	26	15,937	243,117 12 6	15 5 1	11,374	220,883 13 1	19 8 5	22,233 19 5	..	..	14,740 19 5	1,524	1,050	11,840	449,103 10 9	37 18 7
New Plymouth	18	20,217	307,733 0 8	15 4 5	13,428	286,416 14 10	21 6 7	21,316 5 10	..	..	15,751 1 6	2,112	1,555	12,099	474,320 8 7	39 4 1
Oamaru	11	9,286	179,761 5 3	19 7 2	6,624	157,168 8 4	23 14 7	22,592 16 11	..	..	10,425 14 8	960	690	6,014	320,708 12 6	53 6 6
Thames	30	20,777	291,083 5 6	14 0 2	14,039	269,297 7 2	19 3 8	21,785 18 4	..	..	16,262 12 5	2,427	1,807	14,060	492,324 16 8	35 0 4
Timaru ..	16	23,753	415,740 2 9	17 10 1	17,498	330,009 6 10	18 17 2	85,730 15 11	..	..	21,437 5 5	2,411	1,660	14,572	677,058 9 5	46 9 3
Wanganui	55	49,604	655,710 8 3	13 4 5	34,389	583,681 18 7	16 19 6	72,028 9 8	..	..	29,421 18 11	5,230	3,623	26,467	915,396 3 3	34 11 9
Wellington	98	200,200	2,322,820 14 6	11 12 1	143,202	1,984,206 5 9	13 17 1	338,614 8 9	..	..	111,529 12 3	16,656	10,669	96,282	3,523,414 3 4	36 11 11
Westport	18	9,264	112,215 8 3	12 2 3	5,323	111,482 11 2	20 18 10	732 17 1	..	..	7,025 16 10	911	825	5,320	218,823 14 2	41 2 8
Totals for 1914	766	884,405	11,904,322 19 8	13 9 2	657,622	10,603,018 6 3	16 2 6	1,301,304 13 5	30,000	4-67	615,310 9 4	78,519	53,851	483,262	12,048,028 19 1	39 8 4