

## STATEMENT OF TRANSACTIONS OF THE NEW ZEALAND POST OFFICE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1925.

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|                                                                                          | Balances on 1st April, 1924. |                |   |       | Transactions.   |     |                 |       | Balances on 31st March, 1925. |                 |            |       |
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|                                                                                          | Cr.                          | Dr.            | £ | s. d. | Cr.             | Dr. | £               | s. d. | Cr.                           | Dr.             | £          | s. d. |
| <b>MONEY-ORDER ACCOUNTS:—</b>                                                            |                              |                |   |       |                 |     |                 |       |                               |                 |            |       |
| Money-orders (general) .. .. .                                                           | 93,645 11 6                  |                |   |       | 5,002 968 4 2   |     | 5,006 796 2 6   |       | 89,817 13 2                   |                 |            |       |
| United Kingdom, &c. .. .. .                                                              |                              | 9,385 15 1½    |   |       | 447 498 14 10½  |     | 450 647 16 9    |       |                               | 12,534 17 0     |            |       |
| United States of America .. .. .                                                         | 7,039 1 10                   |                |   |       | 28,200 19 9     |     | 29,988 0 9      |       | 5,252 1 7                     |                 |            |       |
| Australia .. .. .                                                                        |                              | 3,405 0 8      |   |       | 280 211 18 10   |     | 284 053 0 1     |       |                               | 7,246 1 11      |            |       |
| Canada .. .. .                                                                           | 645 1 10½                    |                |   |       | 5,437 17 2      |     | 4,477 11 1      |       | 1,605 7 11½                   |                 |            |       |
| Ceylon .. .. .                                                                           | 123 7 9                      |                |   |       | 619 19 4        |     | 848 7 3         |       |                               |                 | 105 0 2    |       |
| Fiji .. .. .                                                                             |                              |                |   |       | 5,735 2 9       |     | 6,895 12 10     |       |                               |                 | 2,087 7 7  |       |
| Hong Kong .. .. .                                                                        |                              | 926 17 6       |   |       | 1,116 16 8      |     | 1,203 10 2      |       |                               |                 | 23 5 11    |       |
| India .. .. .                                                                            | 63 7 7                       |                |   |       | 12,140 13 11    |     | 12,896 2 5      |       | 2,818 10 11½                  |                 |            |       |
| Norway .. .. .                                                                           | 3,573 19 5½                  |                |   |       | 534 13 9        |     | 533 13 8        |       | 72 10 2                       |                 |            |       |
| Straits Settlements .. .. .                                                              | 71 10 1                      |                |   |       | 158 4 10        |     | 200 3 0         |       | 18 9 8                        |                 |            |       |
| Tonga .. .. .                                                                            | 60 7 10                      |                |   |       | 5,002 9 4       |     | 5,496 9 7       |       |                               |                 | 2,467 10 8 |       |
| Union of South Africa .. .. .                                                            |                              | 240 1 11       |   |       | 3,284 12 7      |     | 3,188 6 3       |       |                               |                 | 143 15 7   |       |
| Commission (foreign) .. .. .                                                             |                              | 393 6 6        |   |       | 2,839 9 5       |     | 2,824 3 10      |       |                               |                 | 378 0 11   |       |
| <b>SAVINGS-BANK ACCOUNTS:—</b>                                                           |                              |                |   |       |                 |     |                 |       |                               |                 |            |       |
| Deposits and withdrawals .. .. .                                                         | 46,098,420 11 4              |                |   |       | 31,263,816 13 7 |     | 30,413,609 3 11 |       | 46,948,628 1 0                |                 |            |       |
| Investments .. .. .                                                                      |                              | 46,102,780 9 7 |   |       | 9,300 046 9 0   |     | 10,458,777 16 2 |       |                               | 47,261,511 16 9 |            |       |
| Accrued interest on investments .. .. .                                                  |                              | 552,921 11 11  |   |       | 552,921 11 11   |     | 571,644 10 4    |       |                               | 571,644 10 4    |            |       |
| Post-office Savings-bank Reserve Account .. .. .                                         | 1,000,000 0 0                |                |   |       |                 |     |                 |       | 1,000,000 0 0                 |                 |            |       |
| <b>Transfers—</b>                                                                        |                              |                |   |       |                 |     |                 |       |                               |                 |            |       |
| New Zealand .. .. .                                                                      | 25,619 11 5                  |                |   |       | 3,219,309 6 6   |     | 3,228,959 4 6   |       | 15,969 13 5                   |                 |            |       |
| Commonwealth Savings-bank of Australia .. .. .                                           |                              | 2,453 0 3      |   |       | 43,619 19 9     |     | 42,884 3 0      |       |                               | 1,717 3 6       |            |       |
| State Savings-bank of Australia .. .. .                                                  |                              |                |   |       | 92 063 4 4      |     | 90,549 9 11     |       | 2,496 5 1                     |                 |            |       |
| United Kingdom .. .. .                                                                   |                              |                |   |       | 58,198 10 3     |     | 58,198 10 3     |       |                               |                 |            |       |
| Home Savings-bank .. .. .                                                                |                              |                |   |       |                 |     | 49 0 0          |       |                               |                 |            |       |
| Profit and Loss Account .. .. .                                                          | 160,179 7 6                  |                |   |       | 2,547,559 5 1   |     | 2,492,777 2 4   |       | 214,961 10 3                  |                 |            |       |
| <b>POSTAL ACCOUNTS:—</b>                                                                 |                              |                |   |       |                 |     |                 |       |                               |                 |            |       |
| Stamps .. .. .                                                                           | 349,680 9 2                  |                |   |       | 1,439,109 1 2½  |     | 1,470,522 4 7½  |       | 318,277 5 9                   |                 |            |       |
| Postal Guides .. .. .                                                                    | 31 19 2                      |                |   |       | 1,250 7 3       |     | 1,091 2 2       |       | 191 4 3                       |                 |            |       |
| Postal notes .. .. .                                                                     | 206,470 3 2                  |                |   |       | 872,187 10 0    |     | 858,979 6 7     |       | 219,678 6 7                   |                 |            |       |
| Parcel-post (senders' charges collected on delivery (trade charge, money-orders) .. .. . | 2,482 1 0                    |                |   |       | 15,825 17 10    |     | 9,412 9 7       |       | 8,895 9 3                     |                 |            |       |
| Private box and bag rents .. .. .                                                        |                              |                |   |       | 35,544 1 9      |     | 35,544 1 9      |       |                               |                 |            |       |
| Rural-delivery fees .. .. .                                                              |                              |                |   |       | 14,313 7 5      |     | 14,313 7 5      |       |                               |                 |            |       |
| Safe-deposit receipts .. .. .                                                            |                              |                |   |       | 139 8 5         |     | 139 8 5         |       |                               |                 |            |       |
| Money-order commission .. .. .                                                           |                              |                |   |       | 31,216 18 10    |     | 31,216 18 10    |       |                               |                 |            |       |
| <b>British postal orders—</b>                                                            |                              |                |   |       |                 |     |                 |       |                               |                 |            |       |
| Head Office Account .. .. .                                                              | 42,711 7 1                   |                |   |       | 67,174 15 6     |     | 73,227 13 10    |       | 36,658 8 9                    |                 |            |       |
| Chief Postmasters' Account .. .. .                                                       | 17,558 12 7                  |                |   |       | 73,227 13 10    |     | 75,974 4 11     |       | 14,812 1 6                    |                 |            |       |
| London Account .. .. .                                                                   |                              |                |   |       | 74,548 8 0½     |     | 74,548 8 0½     |       |                               |                 |            |       |
| British postal-order commission .. .. .                                                  |                              |                |   |       | 1,254 17 11½    |     | 1,254 17 11½    |       |                               |                 |            |       |
| Clearance fees on overseas parcels .. .. .                                               |                              |                |   |       | 3,197 15 9      |     | 3,197 15 9      |       |                               |                 |            |       |
| Postal Revenue Account .. .. .                                                           |                              | 1,536 5 7½     |   |       | 1,412,327 3 11  |     | 1,406,107 1 10½ |       | 4,683 16 5                    |                 |            |       |
| <b>TELEGRAPH, TOLL, AND TELEPHONE ACCOUNTS:—</b>                                         |                              |                |   |       |                 |     |                 |       |                               |                 |            |       |
| <b>Cable Accounts—</b>                                                                   |                              |                |   |       |                 |     |                 |       |                               |                 |            |       |
| New South Wales .. .. .                                                                  | 4,046 6 0                    |                |   |       | 64,325 14 4     |     | 65,688 2 3      |       | 2,683 18 1                    |                 |            |       |
| Eastern Extension .. .. .                                                                | 1,046 2 3                    |                |   |       | 15,492 0 0      |     | 15,812 2 5      |       | 725 19 10                     |                 |            |       |
| Pacific Cable Board .. .. .                                                              | 5,085 5 3                    |                |   |       | 125,750 0 1     |     | 125,184 15 2    |       | 5,650 10 2                    |                 |            |       |
| Radio Account .. .. .                                                                    |                              | 1,359 11 7     |   |       | 8,986 9 11      |     | 8,975 3 4       |       |                               | 1,348 5 0       |            |       |
| Radio license receipts .. .. .                                                           |                              |                |   |       | 425 0 0         |     | 425 0 0         |       |                               |                 |            |       |
| Code addresses fees .. .. .                                                              |                              |                |   |       | 7,719 13 1      |     | 7,719 13 1      |       |                               |                 |            |       |