

RADIO-TELEGRAMS.

The radio business transacted by the New Zealand coast stations during the years 1926-27 and 1925-26 was as follows:—

Year.	Forwarded.				Received.			
	Number of		Amount earned by New Zealand.	Total Value.	Number of		Amount earned by New Zealand.	
	Messages.	Words.			Messages.	Words.		
1926-27	14,748	173,218	£ 3,024	£ 6,001	24,592	277,805	£ 4,768	
1925-26	16,270	241,621	3,467	7,064	26,002	280,716	4,669	
Increase	..	..	..	..	..	..	99	
Decrease	1,522	68,403	443	1,063	1,410	2,911	..	

Table No. 1.

TABLE SHOWING THE NUMBER AND AMOUNT OF MONEY-ORDERS ISSUED AND OF MONEY-ORDERS PAYABLE IN NEW ZEALAND SINCE THE YEAR 1863.

Issued in the Dominion.

Year.	Commission received.	Where payable.								Total.	
		In the Dominion.		United Kingdom.*		Australia and other British Possessions.		Foreign Countries.†			
		No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.
1863	£ 1,057	2,201	£ 9,614	4,740	£ 21,944	4,645	£ 24,145	..	£ ..	11,586	£ 55,703
1873	3,562	34,288	142,642	11,913	48,548	6,150	28,068	..	..	52,351	219,258
1883	9,023	132,232	402,559	26,211	91,634	14,113	46,940	..	..	172,556	541,133
1893	10,249	146,133	576,359	29,616	86,545	35,208	88,025	..	..	210,957	750,929
1903	15,882	273,535	1,108,067	63,309	157,790	59,468	150,368	..	..	396,312	1,416,225
1913	16,872	516,536	2,821,624	100,634	336,992	73,575	199,158	..	..	690,745	3,357,774
1914	16,336	536,674	2,933,911	87,774	299,155	67,070	194,439	..	..	691,518	3,427,505
1915	15,819	511,487	2,986,021	81,483	263,371	71,890	222,426	..	..	664,860	3,471,818
1916	15,966	520,476	3,108,197	60,876	214,254	70,817	221,700	17,186	62,936	669,355	3,607,087
1917	16,077	508,209	2,977,997	54,852	216,835	63,662	212,144	15,960	69,669	642,683	3,476,645
1918	17,487	508,813	3,120,183	48,133	198,452	61,899	217,512	19,655	113,224	638,500	3,649,371
1919	19,329	558,344	3,994,055	48,592	224,667	58,974	240,437	24,381	144,900	690,291	4,604,059
1920	31,302	572,432	4,691,717	49,184	235,295	66,027	310,409	12,031	39,355	699,674	5,276,776
1921	31,268	535,897	4,276,158	52,021	254,342	67,893	292,036	13,572	28,284	669,383	4,850,820
1922	27,431	526,906	3,776,896	53,079	221,447	64,523	249,454	15,435	30,732	659,943	4,278,529
1923	28,357	545,605	3,849,423	54,461	223,143	68,044	284,778	16,869	32,815	684,979	4,390,159
1924	28,542	580,569	4,113,813	57,175	232,436	75,743	312,624	18,024	34,056	731,511	4,692,929
1925	28,843	610,972	4,406,461	64,777	259,439	72,519	278,050	18,421	33,280	766,689	4,977,230
1926	24,746	635,078	4,453,878	67,570	273,758	70,774	270,065	19,688	35,426	793,110	5,033,127

Drawn on the Dominion.

Year.	Where issued.								Total.	
	In the Dominion.		United Kingdom.*		Australia and other British Possessions.		Foreign Countries.†			
	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.
1863	2,067	£ 9,169	415	£ 1,824	558	£ 3,078	..	£ ..	3,040	£ 14,071
1873	34,288	142,642	1,482	6,626	1,668	7,689	..	..	37,438	156,957
1883	132,232	402,559	3,725	15,553	5,697	23,300	..	..	141,654	441,411
1893	146,133	576,359	8,746	32,617	10,679	40,929	..	..	165,558	649,905
1903	273,535	1,108,067	13,035	49,181	17,777	68,340	..	..	304,347	1,225,589
1913	516,536	2,821,624	12,693	70,084	31,450	110,487	..	..	560,679	3,002,194
1914	536,674	2,933,911	11,439	60,324	30,974	110,032	..	..	579,087	3,104,268
1915	511,487	2,986,021	12,409	58,189	30,356	107,510	..	..	554,252	3,151,720
1916	520,476	3,108,197	8,337	39,908	35,800	128,370	2,445	10,587	567,058	3,287,162
1917	508,209	2,977,997	6,872	34,973	36,978	123,390	2,311	10,348	554,370	3,146,708
1918	508,813	3,120,183	6,802	40,365	33,868	114,652	2,281	12,055	551,764	3,287,255
1919	558,344	3,994,055	8,498	65,526	25,697	104,093	2,410	12,353	594,949	4,176,027
1920	572,432	4,691,717	8,806	67,552	22,946	111,325	1,416	4,420	605,600	4,875,014
1921	535,897	4,276,158	8,696	65,818	24,197	122,938	1,366	6,104	570,156	4,471,018
1922	526,906	3,776,896	8,788	65,516	25,095	121,331	1,587	6,124	562,376	3,969,867
1923	545,605	3,849,423	11,042	63,313	26,042	123,703	1,813	8,669	584,502	4,045,108
1924	580,569	4,113,813	8,310	60,862	28,543	127,350	2,348	10,309	619,770	4,312,334
1925	610,972	4,406,461	9,857	69,098	27,318	119,073	2,140	8,391	650,287	4,603,023
1926	635,078	4,453,878	10,047	70,948	28,935	124,952	2,334	10,326	676,394	4,660,104

* Includes foreign offices to year 1915.

† In previous years included in United Kingdom and foreign offices.