

POST OFFICE SAVINGS-BANK.—GENERAL STATEMENT.
 TABLE SHOWING THE BUSINESS OF THE POST OFFICE SAVINGS-BANK IN NEW ZEALAND, BY TEN-YEAR PERIODS, FROM 1868 TO THE 31ST DECEMBER, 1918, AND YEARLY PERIODS
 THEREAFTER TO THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1931.

Year.	Number of Branches of the Post Office Savings-bank 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 Deposits over Withdrawals during the Year.	Excess of Withdrawals over Deposits during the Year.	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.
Year ended 31st Mar., 1931	884	1,695,143	24,531,569	£ 14 9 5	51,473	28,063,338	£ 6 0 19	..	3,531,769	£ 91,763,824	98,298	73,012	878,043	£ 47,668,547	£ 54 5 9
Year ended 31st Mar., 1930	882	1,700,460	28,561,854	£ 16 15 11	342,113	29,575,993	£ 16 10 22	..	1,014,139	£ 91,806,414	97,932	73,471	852,757	£ 49,436,491	£ 57 19 5
Year ended 31st Mar., 1929	879	1,618,656	27,252,381	£ 16 16 9	1,285,256	28,111,940	£ 16 9 21	..	859,559	£ 91,745,050	93,111	69,540	828,296	£ 48,644,217	£ 58 14 7
Year ended 31st Mar., 1928	870	1,570,493	27,611,066	£ 17 11 7	1,274,906	30,584,997	£ 14 4 23	..	2,973,931	£ 91,747,155	93,331	72,433	804,725	£ 47,758,726	£ 59 6 11
Year ended 31st Mar., 1927	875	1,509,909	29,456,383	£ 19 10 2	1,224,764	30,149,628	£ 17 3 24	..	693,245	£ 81,767,426	97,713	72,041	783,827	£ 48,985,501	£ 62 9 11
Year ended 31st Mar., 1926	870	1,446,530	31,833,621	£ 22 0 1	1,197,985	32,602,505	£ 17 2 27	..	768,884	£ 91,731,577	104,447	81,440	758,155	£ 47,911,321	£ 63 3 11
Year ended 31st Mar., 1925	855	1,371,009	29,582,897	£ 21 11 7	1,108,291	30,413,609	£ 11 27 8	..	830,712	£ 21,680,919	95,595	70,604	735,148	£ 46,948,628	£ 63 17 3
Year ended 31st Mar., 1924	846	1,261,141	29,598,372	£ 23 9 4	1,075,037	29,510,320	£ 19 6 27	88,051	..	£ 1,649,976	92,465	73,098	710,157	£ 46,098,420	£ 64 18 3
Year ended 31st Mar., 1923	840	1,175,104	26,682,426	£ 22 14 2	1,081,300	27,769,262	£ 16 3 25	..	1,086,836	£ 111,605,525	78,490	66,630	690,790	£ 44,360,393	£ 64 4 4
Year ended 31st Mar., 1922	831	1,227,591	29,125,997	£ 23 14 6	1,119,662	30,236,231	£ 16 5 27	..	1,110,233	£ 51,599,907	89,859	75,748	678,930	£ 43,841,704	£ 64 11 6
*Fifteen months ended 31st March, 1921	819	1,664,206	44,302,852	£ 26 12 5	1,458,008	41,162,486	£ 10 28 4	83,140	365 15 6	£ 1,818,534	152,930	118,894	604,819	£ 43,352,030	£ 65 4 2
Totals for 1919 ..	794	1,289,161	29,758,448	£ 23 1 8	994,247	25,962,378	£ 2 6 26	33,796	070 7 1	£ 1,178,935	61,109	77,531	630,783	£ 38,393,130	£ 60 17 4
" 1918 ..	786	1,213,353	18,101,104	£ 14 18 4	727,729	14,938,841	£ 10 0 20	73,162	263 8 1	£ 1,059,471	17 8	76,869	590,205	£ 33,418,125	£ 56 12 5
" 1908 ..	593	706,101	9,674,075	£ 13 14 0	484,672	9,417,820	£ 10 3 19	258,254	13 9	£ 379,808	6 7	80,133	342,077	£ 12,159,293	£ 1 35 10 11
" 1898 ..	409	281,749	3,279,611	£ 11 12 10	196,764	3,194,893	£ 16 7 16	84,717	10 10	£ 128,128	16 6	37,265	26,628	£ 4,957,771	£ 5 29 3 5
" 1888 ..	290	145,355	1,544,747	£ 10 12 6	96,204	1,387,471	£ 10 14 8	157,276	6 1	£ 78,080	6 0	21,307	16,543	£ 2,048,441	£ 9 24 4 10
" 1878 ..	147	69,908	762,084	£ 10 18 0	42,746	742,053	£ 14 3 17	20,030	17 9	£ 31,664	12 9	13,005	9,634	£ 819,071	£ 8 25 9 9
" 1868 ..	55	13,014	194,535	£ 14 18 11	6,365	107,094	£ 17 3 16	87,440	14 3	£ 4,880	7 3	3,282	1,186	£ 163,518	£ 7 38 9 1
†Totals from 1st Feb. to 31st Dec., 1867	46	6,977	96,372	£ 7 10 13	1,919	26,415	£ 18 9 13	69,956	9 1	£ 1,241	5 0	2,520	364	£ 71,197	£ 1 33 0 5

* Termination of Savings-bank year altered from 31st December to 31st March, with effect from 31st March, 1921.

† The Post Office Savings-bank was established in the Dominion in February, 1867.

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