No. 4.

STATEMENT of Number of Days occupied in Transit of Mails between London and the several Ports of New Zealand *via* Marseilles and Southampton, and *via* Panama, from June, 1866, to February, 1869, being the period during which the Panama Service was in operation.

1866. Outwards.

—	June.			July.			August.			September			October.			November.			December.		
	Marseilles.	Southampton.	Panama.	Marseilles.	Southampton.	Panama.	Marseilles.	Southampton.	Panama.	Marseilles.	Southampton.	Panama.	Marseilles.	Southampton.	Panama.	Marseilles.	Southampton.	Panama.	Marseilles.	Southampton.	Panama.
Auckland ...	62	68	54	64	72	57	63	69	56	60	66	60	62	69	59	60	67	60	61	67	58
New Plymouth	67	73	53	63	71	56	61	67	55	59	65	59	61	68	58	58	65	59	60	66	57
Napier ...	68	74	54	64	72	53	68	74	52	59	65	59	61	68	59	61	68	58	59	65	56
Wellington ...	64	70	51	59	67	51	58	64	50	55	61	55	57	64	55	55	62	55	56	62	53
Picton ...	65	71	51	61	69	54	59	65	53	57	63	57	59	66	56	56	63	57	58	64	55
Nelson ...	66	72	52	61	69	54	59	65	54	57	63	57	59	66	56	56	63	57	58	64	55
Hokitika ...	64	70	56	66	74	56	66	72	55	60	66	59	61	67	60	52	59	60	60	66	58
Christchurch ..	60	66	53	63	71	52	63	69	52	56	62	56	58	65	56	56	63	56	57	63	54
Dunedin ...	57	63	54	61	69	54	60	66	54	57	63	58	59	66	57	57	64	58	58	64	56
Invercargill ...	56	62	57	60	68	56	59	65	56	56	62	60	58	65	58	56	63	59	60	66	57

1867. Outwards.

—	January.			February.			March.			April.			May.			June.			July.			August.			September			October.		
	Marseilles.	Southampton.	Panama.	Marseilles.	Southampton.	Panama.	Marseilles.	Southampton.	Panama.	Marseilles.	Southampton.	Panama.	Marseilles.	Southampton.	Panama.	Marseilles.	Southampton.	Panama.	Marseilles.	Southampton.	Panama.	Marseilles.	Southampton.	Panama.	Marseilles.	Southampton.	Panama.	Marseilles.	Southampton.	Panama.
Auckland ...	61	68	62	61	67	74	61	68	55	62	67	56	68	73	55	61	66	56	68	73	55	61	66	56	61	67	56	62	68	56
New Plymouth	59	66	61	59	65	73	58	65	54	61	66	55	68	73	54	61	66	55	67	72	54	60	65	55	60	66	55	61	67	55
Napier ...	60	67	60	58	64	70	58	65	54	60	65	52	67	72	53	59	64	53	67	72	53	59	64	53	58	64	54	60	66	54
Wellington ...	55	62	57	55	61	68	55	62	50	58	63	51	64	69	50	56	61	51	64	69	50	56	61	51	56	62	51	57	63	52
Picton ...	56	63	58	57	63	71	56	63	52	59	64	52	66	71	51	59	64	52	65	70	51	57	62	53	58	64	53	58	64	53
Nelson ...	57	64	59	57	63	71	56	63	52	59	64	53	66	71	52	59	64	53	65	70	52	58	63	53	58	64	53	59	65	53
Hokitika ...	54	61	61	59	65	73	52	59	55	64	69	57	61	66	55	62	67	55	69	74	56	61	66	56	61	67	55	61	67	56
Christchurch ..	50	57	58	56	62	70	56	63	52	61	66	53	66	71	52	58	63	52	66	71	52	58	63	52	57	63	52	58	64	53
Dunedin ...	52	59	59	57	63	72	57	64	53	59	64	54	65	70	53	57	62	53	65	70	53	57	62	53	58	64	53	59	65	55
Invercargill ...	54	61	60	56	62	73	56	63	55	58	63	56	64	69	55	56	61	55	68	73	55	55	60	55	60	66	56	62	68	57

1866. Inwards.

—	July.			August.			September			October.			November.			December.		
	Marseilles.	Southampton.	Panama.	Marseilles.	Southampton.	Panama.	Marseilles.	Southampton.	Panama.	Marseilles.	Southampton.	Panama.	Marseilles.	Southampton.	Panama.	Marseilles.	Southampton.	Panama.
Auckland ...	58	65	54	58	64	57	58	64	64	58	65	57	58	64	55	60	66	54
New Plymouth	61	68	53	60	66	56	60	66	63	62	69	56	61	67	54	69	75	53
Napier ...	61	68	52	60	66	57	62	68	62	58	65	56	60	66	53	79	85	52
Wellington ...	57	64	50	57	63	53	57	63	60	56	63	53	57	63	51	64	70	50
Picton ...	58	65	51	58	64	54	58	64	62	59	66	54	59	65	53	66	72	51
Nelson ...	58	65	52	58	64	54	58	64	62	59	66	54	59	65	54	67	73	52
Hokitika ...	60	67	54	59	65	58	59	65	64	58	65	58	59	65	56	67	73	56
Christchurch...	56	63	51	56	62	54	56	62	61	54	61	54	56	62	52	63	69	52
Dunedin ...	55	62	52	55	61	55	54	60	62	52	59	55	55	61	53	60	66	53
Invercargill ...	54	61	54	54	60	57	53	59	64	51	58	57	54	60	56	59	65	55

1867. Inwards.

—	January.			February.			March.			April.			May.			June.			July.			August.			September			October.			November.		
	Marseilles.	Southampton.	Panama.	Marseilles.	Southampton.	Panama.	Marseilles.	Southampton.	Panama.	Marseilles.	Southampton.	Panama.	Marseilles.	Southampton.	Panama.	Marseilles.	Southampton.	Panama.	Marseilles.	Southampton.	Panama.	Marseilles.	Southampton.	Panama.	Marseilles.	Southampton.	Panama.	Marseilles.	Southampton.	Panama.	Marseilles.	Southampton.	Panama.
Auckland ...	58	64	62	58	64	56	58	65	70	56	62	56	59	65	56	58	64	56	57	64	54	58	64	61	59	65	59	59	65	59	57	63	55
New Plymouth	58	64	60	63	69	55	60	67	70	59	65	55	60	66	55	60	66	55	60	67	53	58	64	60	58	64	58	60	66	58	60	66	54
Napier ...	59	65	56	60	66	55	61	68	69	58	64	55	60	66	54	59	65	55	58	65	53	58	64	58	59	65	58	59	65	57	60	66	53
Wellington ...	55	61	54	58	64	52	57	64	67	56	62	53	57	63	52	56	62	53	56	63	51	55	61	55	56	62	54	57	63	54	57	63	50
Picton ...	57	63	58	61	67	53	58	65	68	57	63	53	58	64	53	57	63	53	57	64	51	56	62	56	57	63	55	58	64	56	58	64	51
Nelson ...	57	63	59	62	68	54	58	65	69	57	63	54	58	64	54	58	64	54	58	65	52	56	62	57	57	63	56	58	64	56	58	64	52
Hokitika ...	58	64	61	59	65	57	60	67	71	58	64	59	60	66	57	59	65	58	58	65	55	57	63	59	60	66	59	61	67	58	60	66	56
Christchurch...	54	60	58	56	62	54	56	63	68	55	61	55	56	62	54	55	61	54	54	61	52	54	60	56	55	61	56	57	63	55	56	62	52
Dunedin ...	53	59	60	54	60	56	55	62	70	54	60	56	55	61	55	53	59	55	53	60	53	53	59	57	54	60	57	56	62	57	55	61	54
Invercargill ...	52	58	62	53	59	58	54	61	72	53	59	58	54	60	58	52	58	58	52	59	55	52	58	59	53	59	60	55	61	59	54	60	56