

Table No. 8.

COMPARATIVE TABLE showing the Postal Revenue and Number of Letters and Newspapers received at and despatched from the several Postal Districts, from 1865 to 1875, both Years inclusive.

Postal Districts.	Revenue.			Letters.		Newspapers.	
				Received.	Despatched.	Received.	Despatched.
Auckland—	£	s.	d.				
1865	11,548	4	5	514,421	528,509	318,569	727,170
1870	10,264	15	3	653,700	619,466	436,809	262,471
1871	12,549	7	9	692,462	603,928	515,532	227,121
1872	10,950	12	11	627,212	584,915	524,094	243,543
1873	11,108	4	2	691,154	626,188	575,954	259,285
1874	12,523	2	4	740,502	786,279	626,164	352,197
1875	13,133	11	0	782,329	779,617	647,325	326,248
Thames—							
1873	1,787	19	4	118,904	95,398	45,532	40,670
1874	1,618	0	1	110,131	97,859	52,244	44,382
1875	1,664	0	6	119,418	109,954	52,323	52,886
Taranaki—							
1865	984	14	3	52,498	52,082	66,448	25,128
1870	593	6	4	30,767	28,320	27,315	15,308
1871	820	2	5	42,191	39,806	30,759	15,457
1872	982	0	5	57,029	50,739	38,105	18,275
1873	1,068	3	5	66,572	58,889	44,354	25,545
1874	1,336	1	3	80,112	71,108	50,384	30,217
1875	1,815	9	5	97,040	89,469	72,462	49,632
Hawke's Bay—							
1865	1,107	13	7	68,721	71,546	94,718	68,780
1870	1,476	14	2	72,744	76,553	61,963	54,157
1871	1,569	13	2	85,003	92,297	63,339	67,293
1872	1,789	14	4	99,046	109,083	64,315	72,628
1873	2,000	2	3	139,189	150,948	88,172	93,090
1874	2,972	17	11	148,837	179,703	109,157	136,825
1875	4,076	19	8	186,993	230,973	128,480	150,750
Wellington—							
1865	5,176	6	10	259,152	237,907	206,566	261,080
1870	12,074	5	3	354,815	336,375	262,631	216,621
1871	24,040	10	0	361,442	369,343	283,917	216,181
1872	41,883	4	0	458,702	472,016	315,314	236,486
1873	38,274	5	0	675,258	564,991	370,149	313,347
1874	40,588	16	2	691,956	743,776	506,428	390,085
1875	51,050	5	8	802,950	922,177	596,768	470,650
Nelson—							
1865	2,012	15	10	99,661	126,143	128,317	130,436
1870	3,093	5	8	188,860	185,179	191,671	123,821
1871	2,556	9	6	205,159	208,766	154,687	133,805
1872	3,004	17	6	266,774	263,147	190,304	157,988
1873	3,030	6	8	256,566	249,349	210,467	187,005
1874*	2,262	14	7	176,606	172,461	162,202	89,568
1875	2,399	11	10	205,716	180,707	145,470	111,769
Westport—							
1875	1,053	6	2	73,527	57,447	95,237	51,258
Marlborough—							
1865	853	17	6	59,507	62,672	62,212	73,354
1870	1,099	16	7	87,174	92,124	71,467	72,202
1871	1,201	14	11	62,647	58,003	54,948	36,279
1872	1,317	0	4	75,067	67,928	55,264	36,585
1873	1,417	17	11	107,658	96,920	91,968	53,764
1874	1,368	7	3	125,314	128,954	128,956	76,205
1875	1,719	9	0	153,723	131,624	153,124	60,787
Canterbury—							
1865	10,158	1	9	472,284	486,007	381,360	480,238
1870	8,905	19	6	623,794	410,938	353,651	168,635
1871	9,972	1	10	718,910	455,536	338,356	179,077
1872	10,324	5	1	876,786	497,326	373,763	195,346
1873	12,191	14	8	951,020	541,341	511,109	238,416
1874	13,382	13	11	844,327	858,393	476,098	231,718
1875	17,582	19	8	1,052,071	1,000,864	529,554	295,420
Hokitika—							
1870	2,252	4	4	212,689	225,157	165,380	123,906
1871	3,395	7	3	235,179	240,405	215,463	162,782
1872	3,386	18	1	220,470	208,028	241,495	156,729
1873	3,393	3	7	230,294	201,940	282,207	178,257
1874†	1,996	8	3	116,644	125,049	149,035	62,182
1875	1,816	0	9	121,517	121,743	151,832	68,695
Greymouth—							
1875	2,171	13	7	146,702	167,980	130,734	153,106
Otago—							
1865	12,611	18	1	588,545	568,001	439,733	551,303
1870	13,667	14	1	711,479	578,299	582,593	558,799
1871	15,044	12	9	893,997	716,623	651,633	833,137
1872	17,339	7	2	653,141	873,132	828,490	414,275
1873	18,418	7	1	824,495	959,219	672,038	821,988
1874	18,262	18	8	923,165	1,145,452	1,197,172	746,427
1875	20,891	5	9	1,106,168	1,343,748	1,142,015	872,706
Southland—							
1865	2,012	7	4	93,396	102,321	111,660	79,920
1870	1,758	15	2	82,910	74,536	113,454	26,808
1871	1,696	5	10	92,903	91,657	83,616	58,328
1872	1,091	19	3	118,941	131,687	74,877	68,888
1873	1,962	11	11	160,867	148,825	71,220	94,658
1874	2,368	14	4	173,311	181,248	186,758	70,419
1875	3,121	5	9	205,249	238,145	181,133	120,913
Totals—							
1865	46,475	9	3	2,208,285	2,235,188	1,809,583	2,397,409
1870	55,780	18	3	3,018,932	2,626,947	2,266,934	1,622,728
1871	70,249	19	7	3,296,990	2,784,707	2,308,634	1,871,150
1872	94,733	14	8	3,588,073	3,370,470	2,767,682	1,643,409
1873	94,706	16	0	4,221,977	3,694,008	2,963,170	2,306,025
1874	104,361	2	11	4,339,165	4,719,291	3,872,668	2,434,024
1875	122,495	18	9	5,053,403	5,374,448	4,026,457	2,784,820

* The Westport returns have been separated from those of Nelson. † The Greymouth returns have been separated from those of Nelson and Hokitika