

Table No. 2. STATEMENT showing the Number of Days occupied in the Delivery of Mails between London and the under-mentioned Places, by the Mail Service *via* Galle and Suez—Brindisi Route.

GALLE AND SUEZ MAIL SERVICE.

INWARD *VIA* SUEZ AND GALLE—BRINDISI ROUTE.

MELBOURNE.			SYDNEY.			BLUFF.			DUNEDIN.			WELLINGTON.			AUCKLAND.		
Date of Despatch from London.	Date of Arrival in Melbourne.	No. of Days.	Date of Despatch from London.	Date of Arrival in Sydney.	No. of Days.	Date of Despatch from London.	Date of Arrival at Bluff.	No. of Days.	Date of Despatch from London.	Date of Arrival in Dunedin.	No. of Days.	Date of Despatch from London.	Date of Arrival in Wellington.	No. of Days.	Date of Despatch from London.	Date of Arrival in Auckland.	No. of Days.
1877. June 8	1877. July 22	44	1877. June 8	1877. July 25	47	1877. June 8	1877. July 28	50	1877. June 8	1877. July 29	51	1877. June 8	1877. August 1	54	1877. June 8	1877. August 1	54
July 6	Aug. 14	39	July 6	Aug. 17	42	July 6	Aug. 19	44	July 6	Aug. 20	45	July 6	Aug. 22	47	July 6	Aug. 25	50
Aug. 3	Sept. 12	40	Aug. 3	Sept. 15	43	Aug. 3	Sept. 17	45	Aug. 3	Sept. 18	46	Aug. 3	Sept. 20	48	Aug. 3	Sept. 25	53
Aug. 31	Oct. 11	41	Aug. 31	Oct. 13	43	Aug. 31	Oct. 16	46	Aug. 31	Oct. 17	47	Aug. 31	Oct. 19	49	Aug. 31	Oct. 22	52
Sept. 28	Nov. 11	44	Sept. 28	Nov. 14	47	Sept. 28	Nov. 18	51	Sept. 28	Nov. 18	51	Sept. 28	Nov. 21	54	Sept. 28	Nov. 21	54
Oct. 26	Dec. 3	38	Oct. 26	Dec. 5	40	Oct. 26	Dec. 10	45	Oct. 26	Dec. 10	45	Oct. 26	Dec. 13	48	Oct. 26	Dec. 17	52
Nov. 23	1878. Jan. 4	42	Nov. 23	1878. Jan. 7	45	Nov. 23	1878. Jan. 10	47	Nov. 23	1878. Jan. 9	47	Nov. 23	1878. Jan. 12	50	Nov. 23	1878. Jan. 14	52
Dec. 21	Feb. 2	43	Dec. 21	Feb. 5	46	Dec. 21	Feb. 10	51	Dec. 21	Feb. 12	53	Dec. 21	Feb. 14	55	Dec. 21	Feb. 18	59
1878. Jan. 18	Feb. 27	40	1878. Jan. 18	March 2	43	1878. Jan. 18	March 4	45	1878. Jan. 18	March 5	46	1878. Jan. 18	March 7	48	1878. Jan. 18	March 11	52
Feb. 15	March 27	40	Feb. 15	March 29	42	Feb. 15	April 1	45	Feb. 15	April 2	46	Feb. 15	April 4	48	Feb. 15	April 8	52
March 15	April 24	40	March 15	April 26	42	March 15	April 30	46	March 15	May 1	47	March 15	May 4	50	March 15	May 7	53
Maximum	...	44	Maximum	...	47	Maximum	...	51	Maximum	...	53	Maximum	...	55	Maximum	...	59
Minimum	...	38	Minimum	...	40	Minimum	...	44	Minimum	...	44	Minimum	...	45	Minimum	...	47
Average	...	41	Average	...	43	Average	...	46	Average	...	47	Average	...	49	Average	...	52
Average <i>via</i> Southampton	...	49	Average <i>via</i> Southampton	...	51	Average <i>via</i> Southampton	...	54	Average <i>via</i> Southampton	...	55	Average <i>via</i> Southampton	...	58	Average <i>via</i> Southampton	...	61

OUTWARD *VIA* GALLE AND SUEZ—BRINDISI ROUTE.

AUCKLAND.			WELLINGTON.			DUNEDIN.			BLUFF.			SYDNEY.			MELBOURNE.		
Date of Despatch from Auckland.	Date of Arrival in London.	No. of Days.	Date of Despatch from Wellington.	Date of Arrival in London.	No. of Days.	Date of Despatch from Dunedin.	Date of Arrival in London.	No. of Days.	Date of Despatch from Bluff.	Date of Arrival in London.	No. of Days.	Date of Despatch from Sydney.	Date of Arrival in London.	No. of Days.	Date of Despatch from Melbourne.	Date of Arrival in London.	No. of Days.
1877. April 3	1877. June 2	60	1877. April 7	1877. June 2	56	1877. April 10	1877. June 2	53	1877. April 11	1877. June 2	52	1877. April 14	1877. June 2	49	1877. April 17	1877. June 2	46
April 28	July 1	64	May 4	July 1	58	May 7	July 1	55	May 8	July 1	54	May 12	July 1	50	May 15	July 1	47
May 29	July 29	61	June 1	July 29	58	June 4	August 25	54	June 5	July 29	55	June 9	August 25	49	June 12	July 29	47
June 23	Aug. 25	63	June 29	Aug. 25	57	June 7	Aug. 25	54	June 3	August 25	53	July 7	August 25	49	June 10	August 25	46
July 21	Sept. 21	60	July 27	Sept. 21	56	July 30	Sept. 21	53	July 31	Sept. 21	52	August 4	Sept. 21	48	August 7	Sept. 21	45
Aug. 21	Oct. 21	61	Aug. 24	Oct. 21	58	Aug. 27	Oct. 21	55	Aug. 28	Oct. 21	54	Sept. 1	Oct. 21	50	August 21	Oct. 21	47
Sept. 19	Nov. 17	59	Sept. 23	Nov. 17	55	Sept. 26	Nov. 17	52	Sept. 27	Nov. 17	51	Sept. 1	Oct. 21	47	Sept. 4	Nov. 17	44
Oct. 15	Dec. 16	62	Oct. 21	Dec. 16	56	Oct. 24	Dec. 16	53	Oct. 25	Dec. 16	52	Oct. 29	Dec. 16	48	Nov. 1	Dec. 16	45
Nov. 13	1878. Jan. 12	60	Nov. 18	1878. Jan. 12	55	Nov. 21	1878. Jan. 12	52	Nov. 22	1878. Jan. 12	51	Nov. 26	1878. Jan. 12	47	Nov. 29	1878. Jan. 12	44
Dec. 11	Feb. 9	60	Dec. 17	Feb. 9	54	Dec. 19	Feb. 9	52	Dec. 20	Feb. 9	51	Dec. 24	Feb. 9	47	Dec. 28	Feb. 9	43
1878. Jan. 8	March 10	61	1878. Jan. 14	March 10	55	1878. Jan. 16	March 10	53	1878. Jan. 17	March 10	52	1878. Jan. 21	March 10	48	1878. Jan. 24	March 10	45
Feb. 8	April 7	58	Feb. 10	April 7	56	Feb. 13	April 7	53	Feb. 14	April 7	52	Feb. 18	April 7	48	Feb. 21	April 7	45
Maximum	...	64	Maximum	...	58	Maximum	...	55	Maximum	...	54	Maximum	...	50	Maximum	...	47
Minimum	...	58	Minimum	...	52	Minimum	...	50	Minimum	...	49	Minimum	...	45	Minimum	...	43
Average	...	60	Average	...	56	Average	...	53	Average	...	52	Average	...	48	Average	...	45
Average <i>via</i> Southampton	...	67	Average <i>via</i> Southampton	...	63	Average <i>via</i> Southampton	...	60	Average <i>via</i> Southampton	...	59	Average <i>via</i> Southampton	...	55	Average <i>via</i> Southampton	...	52