

RETURN NO. 8.

STATEMENT SHOWING CLASSIFICATION OF EXPENDITURE ON MAINTENANCE OF WAY AND WORKS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1917.

Classification of Work.	SECTIONS.												Totals.							
	Whangarei.		Kaiti.		Gisborne.		North Island Main Lines and Branches.		South Island Main Lines and Branches.		Westland.		Westport.		Nelson.		Picton.			
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.		
Track-surfacing	5,119	15 7	1,110	17 0	3,870	14 5	117,597	16 6	119,086	3 2	13,509	17 7	3,123	15 4	3,915	15 8	4,218	15 5	271,553	10 8
Track-renewals	517	17 6	383	19 5	191	13 10	43,681	3 10	48,149	2 9	5,682	11 10	527	7 1	731	8 8	1,001	3 0	100,866	7 11
Ballasting	1,112	13 9	211	1 3	349	15 2	25,602	18 5	8,678	7 7	1,668	6 9	352	18 5	96	16 3	52	19 7	38,125	17 2
Banks, cuttings, ditches, tunnels	1,080	14 11	1,002	19 3	834	9 3	13,101	2 7	9,196	2 8	1,870	1 0	95	4 2	468	5 10	1,064	11 11	28,713	11 7
Bridges, culverts, drains	1,568	0 9	1,035	13 3	193	7 4	28,783	10 5	19,741	16 5	3,126	9 5	672	16 3	1,096	7 7	287	16 2	56,505	17 7
Fences, gates, cattle-stops, hedges	301	19 10	4	6 0	87	8 2	9,954	2 5	8,560	17 10	957	6 11	133	3 9	582	18 4	194	4 8	20,776	7 11
Roads, approaches, &c.	83	5 2	2	18 1	133	2 5	4,989	13 3	1,401	19 11	128	1 4	74	19 10	157	1 1	79	13 5	7,050	14 6
Water-services, signals, cranes, appliances	605	7 9	78	9 6	323	9 10	21,208	2 0	16,006	8 7	1,507	14 4	745	15 8	278	4 9	275	5 11	41,028	18 4
Wharves	391	11 4	485	2 11	..	..	3,038	6 3	1,739	19 9	293	4 3	100	17 3	116	9 6	84	0 0	6,249	11 3
Buildings	900	11 4	127	3 9	504	5 2	63,134	1 11	54,977	4 6	3,045	1 10	1,261	16 4	1,083	5 7	1,059	9 7	126,093	0 0
Miscellaneous	5	5 6	..	..	..	..	11,197	9 9	5,712	2 6	116	14 8	3	1 0	42	1 5	..	..	17,076	14 10
General charges	25	6 10	1	15 9	88	2 3	3,920	5 5	2,171	18 11	63	5 4	484	12 5	25	8 11	19	0 11	6,799	16 9
Totals	11,712	10 3	4,444	6 2	6,576	7 10	346,208	12 9	295,422	4 7	31,968	15 3	7,576	7 6	8,594	3 7	8,337	0 7	720,840	8 6
Rate per average mile opened	158	5 7	222	4 5	149	9 2	312	9 2	210	8 5	203	12 5	210	9 2	140	17 10	148	17 9	243	10 5