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NEW ZEALAND.

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## POST OFFICE SAVINGS-BANK.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE DEPOSITS RECEIVED AND PAID BY THE POST OFFICE SAVINGS-BANKS, AND THE EXPENSES IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, FOR THE YEARS ENDED 31st MARCH, 1924, AND 31st MARCH, 1923 AND 1922, ALSO FOR THE FIFTEEN MONTHS ENDED 31st MARCH, 1921, TOGETHER WITH SIMILAR PARTICULARS, BY TEN-YEAR PERIODS, FROM THE DATE POST OFFICE SAVINGS-BANKS WERE ESTABLISHED IN THE DOMINION IN FEBRUARY, 1867.

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TABLE SHOWING THE BUSINESS OF THE POST OFFICE SAVINGS-BANKS IN THE VARIOUS POSTAL DISTRICTS IN NEW ZEALAND DURING THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1924.

Postal Districts.	Number of Post Office Savings-banks Open at the Close of the Period.	Number of Deposits received during the Period.	Total Amount of Deposits received during the Period.		Average Amount of each Deposit received during the Period.		Number of Withdrawals during the Period.	Total Amount of Withdrawals during the Period.		Average Amount of each Withdrawal during the Period.		Excess of Deposits over Withdrawals during the Period.	Excess of Withdrawals over Deposits during the Period.		Cost of Management during the Period.	Average Cost of each Transaction, Deposit or Withdrawal.	Interest for the Period.		Number of Accounts opened during the Period.	Number of Accounts closed during the Period.	Number of Accounts remaining Open at Close of the Period.	Total Amount standing to the Credit of all Open Accounts, Inclusive of Interest to the Close of the Period.		Average Amount standing to the Credit of each Open Account at the Close of the Period.	
			£	s. d.	£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.		£	s. d.			£	s. d.				£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Auckland ..	182	226,033	5,659,240	17 5	23 0	9	218,938	5,851,899	6 1	26 14	7	192,658	8 8	266,781	16 8	17,504	266,781	16 8	14,042	125,106	7,432,125	18 9	59 8	1	
Blenheim ..	16	13,255	314,082	15 4	23 13	11	11,725	305,748	13 8	26 1	6	8,334	1 8	21,841	7 10	898	21,841	7 10	765	9,742	599,371	7 3	61 10	6	
Christchurch ..	73	195,394	4,662,092	15 0	23 17	2	176,700	4,584,432	2 4	25 18	11	77,660	12 8	263,445	19 5	10,276	263,445	19 5	7,290	106,540	7,347,820	7 8	68 19	4	
Dunedin ..	72	109,912	2,430,422	19 4	22 2	3	89,567	2,570,333	15 9	28 13	11	139,910	16 5	174,622	3 10	5,987	174,622	3 10	5,311	69,510	4,720,867	6 3	67 18	4	
Gisborne ..	23	26,418	560,255	12 6	21 4	2	22,975	566,019	13 10	24 12	9	5,764	1 4	34,244	6 7	1,846	34,244	6 7	1,596	17,032	958,035	7 7	56 5	0	
Greymouth..	25	15,746	351,572	9 3	22 6	7	11,276	379,792	8 2	33 13	8	28,219	18 11	29,755	7 6	1,332	29,755	7 6	1,199	12,366	797,445	15 1	64 9	9	
Hamilton ..	83	68,176	1,424,641	7 9	20 17	11	52,402	1,367,038	16 7	26 1	9	57,602	11 2	70,050	2 0	7,035	70,050	2 0	4,582	29,083	2,003,615	13 9	68 17	10	
Invercargill ..	36	35,888	857,319	18 4	23 17	9	29,482	869,059	1 1	29 9	7	11,739	2 9	69,270	6 0	2,605	69,270	6 0	2,197	27,637	1,882,985	12 10	68 2	8	
Napier ..	45	61,886	1,683,583	11 6	27 4	1	50,706	1,661,080	16 6	32 15	2	22,502	15 0	82,000	19 7	6,948	82,000	19 7	5,974	36,311	2,309,193	7 8	63 11	10	
Nelson ..	31	21,565	500,827	10 7	23 4	6	18,758	488,598	8 9	26 0	11	12,229	1 10	34,171	7 7	1,505	34,171	7 7	1,213	15,590	955,763	19 4	61 6	2	
New Plymouth ..	34	48,407	1,342,774	1 1	27 14	9	36,953	1,286,560	10 11	34 16	4	56,213	10 2	64,292	1 3	5,309	64,292	1 3	4,436	26,081	1,833,879	12 8	68 14	4	
Oamaru ..	11	13,845	370,454	17 3	26 15	2	11,649	371,536	8 11	31 17	11	1,081	11 8	25,229	10 2	1,011	25,229	10 2	768	8,710	699,841	7 7	80 7	0	
Thames ..	38	28,075	631,871	19 9	22 10	1	19,050	602,604	11 3	31 12	8	29,267	8 6	38,920	18 2	2,854	38,920	18 2	2,241	20,459	1,096,979	14 9	53 12	5	
Timaru ..	18	33,162	922,010	10 10	27 16	1	26,971	921,036	1 3	34 2	11	974	9 7	59,799	1 2	2,361	59,799	1 2	1,782	20,788	1,653,618	18 10	79 10	11	
Wanganui ..	43	54,188	1,157,301	6 10	21 7	2	45,977	1,138,049	8 7	24 15	0	19,251	18 3	67,310	5 3	3,959	67,310	5 3	3,195	32,553	1,907,763	16 3	58 12	1	
Wellington..	95	300,650	6,544,298	6 1	21 15	4	245,338	6,341,122	5 5	25 16	11	203,176	0 8	334,062	18 9	20,166	334,062	18 9	15,747	146,004	9,524,781	0 11	65 4	9	
Westport ..	18	7,446	163,104	8 10	21 18	1	5,847	180,901	15 6	30 18	10	17,797	6 8	12,748	2 6	729	12,748	2 6	661	5,638	337,188	8 6	59 16	1	
Western Samoa ..	3	1,095	22,516	17 0	20 11	3	723	24,506	14 11	33 17	11	1,989	17 11	1,429	10 5	140	1,429	10 5	99	407	37,142	15 8	91 5	2	
Totals for year ended 31st March, 1924	846	1,261,141	29,598,372	4 8	23 9	4	1,075,037	29,510,320	19 6	27 9	0	88,051	5 2	1,649,976	4 8	92,465	1,649,976	4 8	73,098	710,157	46,098,420	11 4	64 18	3	

POST OFFICE SAVINGS-BANKS.—GENERAL STATEMENT.

TABLE SHOWING THE BUSINESS OF THE POST OFFICE SAVINGS-BANKS IN NEW ZEALAND, BY TEN-YEAR PERIODS, FROM THE DATE THEY WERE ESTABLISHED IN FEBRUARY, 1867, TO THE 31ST DECEMBER, 1918, AND YEARLY PERIODS THEREAFTER TO THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1924.

Year.	Number of Post Office Savings-Banks Open at the Close of 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.		Cost of Management during the Year.		Average Cost of each Transaction, Deposit or Withdrawal.		Interest for the Year.		Number of Accounts opened 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.								
		£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.							
Year ended 31st Mar., 1924	846	1,261,141	29,598,372	4	8	23	9	4	1,075,037	29,510,320	19	6	27	9	0	88,051	5	2	90,000	0	9	24	8	92,465	73,098	710,157	46,098,420	11	4	64	18	3				
Year ended 31st Mar., 1923	840	1,175,104	26,682,426	11	4	22	14	2	1,081,300	27,769,262	16	3	25	13	8	..	..	1,086,836	4	11	70,650	0	7	51	1,605,525	1	10	78,490	66,630	690,790	44,360,393	1	6	64	4	4
Year ended 31st Mar., 1922	831	1,227,591	29,125,997	10	0	23	14	6	1,119,662	30,236,231	6	5	27	0	0	..	..	1,110,233	16	5	60,000	0	6	13	1,599,907	2	0	89,859	75,748	678,930	43,841,704	4	7	64	11	6
*Fifteen months ended 31st March, 1921	819	1,664,206	44,302,862	5	4	26	12	5	1,458,008	41,162,486	9	10	28	4	8	3,140,365	15	6	80,000	0	6	14	1,818,534	5	2	152,930	118,894	664,819	43,352,030	19	0	65	4	2		
Totals for 1919 ..	794	1,289,161	29,758,448	9	7	23	1	8	994,247	25,962,378	2	6	26	2	3	3,796,070	7	1	52,000	0	5	46	1,178,935	6	6	118,109	77,531	630,783	38,393,130	18	4	60	17	4		
" 1918 ..	786	1,213,353	18,101,104	18	1	14	18	4	727,729	14,938,841	10	0	20	10	7	3,162,263	8	1	32,000	0	3	96	1,059,471	17	8	76,869	53,015	590,205	33,418,125	4	9	56	12	5		
" 1908 ..	593	706,101	9,674,075	4	0	13	14	0	484,672	9,417,820	10	3	19	8	8	256,254	13	9	27,000	0	5	44	379,808	6	7	80,133	57,829	342,077	12,159,293	18	1	35	10	11		
" 1808 ..	409	281,749	3,279,611	7	5	11	12	10	196,764	3,194,893	16	7	16	4	9	84,717	10	10	8,500	0	4	26	128,128	16	6	37,265	26,628	169,968	4,957,771	5	5	29	3	5		
" 1888 ..	290	145,355	1,544,747	7	11	10	12	6	96,204	1,387,471	1	10	14	8	5	157,276	6	1	4,000	0	3	97	78,080	6	0	21,307	16,543	84,488	2,048,441	10	9	24	4	10		
" 1878 ..	147	69,908	762,084	12	0	10	18	0	42,746	742,053	14	3	17	7	2	20,030	17	9	2,500	0	5	33	31,664	12	9	13,005	9,634	32,132	819,071	8	2	25	9	9		
" 1868 ..	55	13,014	194,535	11	6	14	18	11	6,365	107,094	17	3	16	16	6	87,440	14	3	789	0	9	77	4,880	7	2	3,282	1,186	4,252	163,518	15	7	38	9	1		
Totals from 1st Feb. to 31st Dec., 1867	46	6,977	96,372	7	10	13	16	3	1,919	26,415	18	9	13	15	3	69,956	9	1	822	1	10	18	1,241	5	0	2,520	364	2,156	71,197	14	1	33	0	5		

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

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