

POST OFFICE SAVINGS-BANKS.—GENERAL STATEMENT.

TABLE SHOWING THE BUSINESS OF THE POST OFFICE SAVINGS-BANKS IN THE VARIOUS POSTAL DISTRICTS IN NEW ZEALAND DURING THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1931.

Postal Districts.	Number of Branches of the Post Office Savings-bank 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.	Interest for 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.			£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Auckland ..	183	265,743	3,964,694	1 6 14	261,920	4,632,633	15 5 17	667,939	13 11	278,359	14 2	15,400	145,933	7,553,992	0 4 51
Blenheim ..	16	16,987	250,648	17 2 14	15,762	287,523	9 7 18	36,874	12 5	22,227	17 5	1,116	11,493	596,348	17 7 51
Christchurch ..	73	266,618	3,903,253	6 4 14	248,395	4,361,633	16 4 17	458,380	10 0	289,721	11 1	11,565	130,764	7,809,371	18 8 59
Dunedin ..	79	114,333	1,688,212	19 8 14	160,491	2,089,308	17 3 20	401,095	17 7	157,061	5 8	6,520	75,143	4,134,453	11 6 55
Gisborne ..	26	37,418	520,440	13 1 13	32,769	591,238	19 0 18	70,798	5 11	40,611	7 2	2,248	1,781	1,110,242	4 9 49
Grey mouth ..	25	21,855	316,959	5 10 14	15,145	354,466	16 8 23	37,507	10 10	30,377	12 5	1,647	14,550	819,279	2 11 56
Hamilton ..	92	102,678	1,416,102	8 3 13	79,523	1,565,808	19 3 19	149,706	11 0	88,367	0 4	8,272	46,904	2,428,208	8 0 51
Invercargill ..	38	39,316	565,339	14 7 14	34,971	723,830	0 6 20	158,490	5 11	61,109	3 1	3,240	31,652	1,593,688	10 5 50
Napier ..	42	74,548	1,185,125	15 6 15	66,694	1,352,797	16 5 20	167,672	0 11	81,232	19 5	4,816	4,003	2,218,759	18 4 53
Nelson ..	31	32,215	477,593	0 5 14	26,470	556,010	14 11 21	78,417	14 6	38,507	1 4	2,296	1,331	1,028,089	19 4 53
New Plymouth ..	37	66,684	962,115	17 4 14	50,455	1,155,110	0 8 22	192,994	3 4	65,881	8 8	5,419	3,440	1,780,688	10 7 52
Oamaru ..	12	18,299	320,982	7 5 17	17,397	358,226	16 7 20	37,244	9 2	24,383	4 9	1,338	865	663,150	6 6 61
Palmerston North ..	41	88,222	1,306,775	11 4 14	76,559	1,522,428	16 11 19	215,653	5 7	87,832	18 0	5,708	3,730	2,380,833	12 10 63
Thames ..	43	34,971	491,284	5 6 14	23,583	600,888	14 3 25	109,604	8 9	39,407	3 0	2,975	2,272	1,051,596	13 5 41
Timaru ..	18	42,405	759,927	3 1 17	39,611	912,511	16 10 23	152,584	13 9	60,315	11 4	2,440	1,857	1,598,975	0 2 63
Wanganui ..	41	63,049	886,496	19 9 14	53,215	1,050,550	10 4 19	164,053	10 7	67,090	1 0	3,598	3,130	1,814,226	16 7 48
Wellington ..	61	396,735	5,324,248	18 9 13	319,600	5,722,100	17 11 17	397,851	19 2	314,472	9 1	18,496	13,077	8,641,672	10 4 54
Westport ..	19	10,357	147,598	11 2 14	7,563	173,191	10 5 22	25,592	19 3	14,548	1 11	839	569	383,794	8 2 52
Western Samoa ..	2	1,792	29,271	1 10 16	1,657	36,299	5 10 21	7,028	4 0	1,462	6 7	241	204	38,954	1 10 25
Rarotonga ..	5	918	14,498	2 9 15	1,247	16,776	10 11 13	2,278	8 2	856	0 10	124	76	22,220	8 10 20
Totals for year ended 31st March, 1931	884	1,695,143	24,531,569	1 3 14	1,473,027	28,063,338	6 0 19	3,531,769	4 9 110	1,763,824	17 3	98,298	73,012	147,668,547	1 1 54
Totals for year ended 31st March, 1930	882	1,700,460	28,561,854	4 10 16	1,342,113	29,575,993	16 10 22	1,014,139	12 0 109	1,806,414	0 1	97,932	73,471	149,436,491	8 7 57