

STATEMENT NO. 17.

STATEMENT OF OPERATING TRAFFIC AND REVENUE FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1938.

(1) OPERATING TRAFFIC.

Section.	Passengers.					Live-stock.					Goods.			Gross Total Tonnage.		
	Length Open for Traffic.	First Class.			Total.	Season Tickets.	Cattle.	Calves.	Sheep.	Pigs.	Total.	Equivalent Tonnage.	Timber.		Goods.	Total.
		Miles.	Number.	Number.												
Kaihu	24	168	14,517	14,685	91	31	42	..	..	..	73	12	3,718	1,675	5,393	5,405
Gisborne	60	1,015	15,083	16,098	45	1,489	..	98,251	512	..	100,252	4,451	10,466	37,232	47,698	52,149
North Island Main Line and Branches	1,489	233,983	4,404,994	4,638,977	499,421	437,630	673,487	5,157,788	685,846	..	6,934,751	420,154	262,764	3,025,638	3,288,422	3,708,576
South Island Main Line and Branches	1,594	163,555	3,107,696	3,271,251	249,000	104,668	22,764	4,944,428	48,038	..	5,119,898	236,207	211,229	2,792,128	3,003,357	3,239,564
Westport	35	253	57,924	58,177	823	164	..	234	..	398	64	527	436,747	437,274	437,338	437,338
Nelson	64	200	21,815	22,015	575	435	1,671	23,786	2,247	..	28,139	1,292	423	20,741	21,164	22,456
Pictou	56	2,837	44,978	47,815	542	828	406	139,765	161	..	141,160	5,895	1,080	43,586	44,666	50,561
Total railway operation ..	3,323	402,011	7,667,007	8,069,018	750,497	545,245	698,370	10,394,252	736,804	..	12,344,971	668,075	490,207	6,357,767	6,847,974	7,516,049
Lake Wakatipu steamers ..	..	..	17,717	17,717	2	147	..	13,515	..	..	13,662	590	474	6,496	6,970	7,560

(2) OPERATING REVENUE.

Section.	Revenue.					Mileage.							
	Length Open for Traffic.	Ordinary Passengers.	Season Tickets.	Parcels, Luggage, and Mails.	Total Coaching.	Goods.	Labour, Demurrage, &c.	Total Goods.	Total Operating Revenue.	Per Mile of Railway per Annum (Average).	Train.	Shunting, &c.	Total.
Kaihu	24	664	298	1,161	2,123	2,597	20	2,617	4,740	197	13,632	2,514	16,146
Gisborne	60	1,123	604	1,202	2,929	20,525	45	20,570	23,499	392	43,940	9,865	53,805
North Island Main Line and Branches	1,489	973,242	147,302	216,078	1,336,622	3,172,701	82,762	3,255,463	4,592,085	3,084	8,036,723	2,632,915	10,669,638
South Island Main Line and Branches	1,594	493,615	71,062	97,915	662,592	2,098,040	73,268	2,171,308	2,833,900	1,778	4,530,610	1,803,300	6,333,910
Westport	36	2,982	905	769	4,656	82,224	4,846	87,070	91,726	2,548	69,782	50,118	119,900
Nelson	64	1,269	1,096	247	2,612	9,261	82	9,343	11,955	187	39,826	10,651	50,477
Pictou	56	2,934	925	1,085	4,944	25,949	3,027	28,976	33,920	606	43,339	25,706	69,045
Total railway operation ..	3,323	1,475,829	222,192	318,457	2,016,478	5,411,297	164,050	5,575,347	7,591,825	2,285	12,777,852	4,583,069	17,312,921
Lake Wakatipu steamers ..	..	2,648	38	521	3,207	4,387	12	4,399	7,606	..	..	..	..