

Table No. 11.—ORIENT MAIL SERVICE.

Statement showing the Number of Days occupied in the Delivery of Mails between London and the under-mentioned Places by the Mail Service *via* Suez and Brindisi.FROM LONDON *via* BRINDISI AND SUEZ.

MELBOURNE.				SYDNEY.				BLUFF.				CHRISTCHURCH.				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 Christchurch.	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.	
1885.	1885.			1885.	1885.			1885.	1885.			1885.	1885.			1885.	1885.			1885.	1885.		
Jan. 2	Feb. 7	36		Jan. 2	Feb. 9	38		Jan. 2	Feb. 17	46		Jan. 2	Feb. 18	47		Jan. 2	Feb. 16	45		Jan. 2	Feb. 18	47	
Jan. 16	Feb. 23	38		Jan. 16	Feb. 24	39		Jan. 16	March 2	45		Jan. 16	March 3	46		Jan. 16	March 4	47		Jan. 16	March 3	46	
Jan. 30	March 6	35		Jan. 30	March 7	36		Jan. 30	March 16	45		Jan. 30	March 17	46		Jan. 30	March 18	47		Jan. 30	March 17	46	
Feb. 13	March 21	36		Feb. 13	March 23	38		Feb. 13	March 30	45		Feb. 13	March 31	46		Feb. 13	April 2	48		Feb. 13	March 31	46	
Feb. 27	April 6	38		Feb. 27	April 7	39		Feb. 27	April 13	45		Feb. 27	April 14	46		Feb. 27	April 16	48		Feb. 27	April 20	52	
March 13	April 18	36		March 13	April 20	38		March 13	April 26	44		March 13	April 28	46		March 13	April 27	45		March 13	April 27	45	
March 27	May 3	37		March 27	May 5	39		March 27	May 11	45		March 27	May 12	46		March 27	May 14	48		March 27	May 18	52	
April 10	May 17	37		April 10	May 19	39		April 10	June 2	53		April 10	May 31	51		April 10	May 30	50		April 10	May 26	46	
April 24	May 26	32		April 24	May 27	33		April 24	June 1	38		April 24	June 3	40		April 24	June 5	42		April 24	June 3	40	
May 8	June 13	36		May 8	June 15	38		May 8	June 22	45		May 8	June 23	46		May 8	June 26	49		May 8	June 23	46	
May 22	June 27	36		May 22	June 29	38		May 22	July 6	45		May 22	July 7	46		May 22	July 8	47		May 22	July 13	52	
June 5	July 9	34		June 5	July 10	35		June 5	July 20	45		June 5	July 21	46		June 5	July 24	49		June 5	July 21	46	
June 19	July 25	36		June 19	July 27	38		June 19	August 3	45		June 19	August 4	46		June 19	August 4	46		June 19	August 8	50	
July 3	August 8	36		July 3	August 10	38		July 3	August 16	44		July 3	August 18	46		July 3	August 18	46		July 3	August 17	45	
July 17	August 23	37		July 17	August 25	39		July 17	August 31	45		July 17	Sept. 1	46		July 17	Sept. 1	46		July 17	Sept. 4	49	
July 31	Sept. 4	35		July 31	Sept. 5	36		July 31	Sept. 14	45		July 31	Sept. 16	47		July 31	Sept. 13	44		July 31	Sept. 15	46	
Aug. 14	Sept. 29	46*		Aug. 14	Sept. 30	47*		Aug. 14	Oct. 4	51*		Aug. 14	Oct. 6	53*		Aug. 14	Oct. 7	54*		Aug. 14	Oct. 7	54*	
Aug. 28	Oct. 1	34		Aug. 28	Oct. 3	36		Aug. 28	Oct. 12	45		Aug. 28	Oct. 13	46		Aug. 28	Oct. 13	46		Aug. 28	Oct. 12	45	
Sept. 11	Oct. 17	36		Sept. 11	Oct. 19	38		Sept. 11	Oct. 26	45		Sept. 11	Oct. 27	46		Sept. 11	Oct. 28	47		Sept. 11	Nov. 1	51	
Sept. 25	Oct. 30	35		Sept. 25	Nov. 2	38		Sept. 25	Nov. 8	44		Sept. 25	Nov. 10	46		Sept. 25	Nov. 9	45		Sept. 25	Nov. 10	46	
Oct. 9	Nov. 17	39		Oct. 9	Nov. 19	41		Oct. 9	Nov. 23	45		Oct. 9	Nov. 25	47		Oct. 9	Nov. 25	47		Oct. 9	Dec. 2	54	
Oct. 23	Dec. 1	39		Oct. 23	Dec. 4	41		Oct. 23	Dec. 14	52		Oct. 23	Dec. 15	53		Oct. 23	Dec. 16	54		Oct. 23	Dec. 8	46	
Nov. 6	Dec. 11	35		Nov. 6	Dec. 12	36		Nov. 6	Dec. 21	45		Nov. 6	Dec. 22	46		Nov. 6	Dec. 23	47		Nov. 6	Dec. 28	52	
Nov. 20	Dec. 25	35		Nov. 20	Dec. 26	36		Nov. 20	Jan. 5	46		Nov. 20	Jan. 6	47		Nov. 20	Jan. 8	49		Nov. 20	Jan. 5	46	
Dec. 4	Jan. 10	37		Dec. 4	Jan. 12	39		Dec. 4	Jan. 18	45		Dec. 4	Jan. 19	46		Dec. 4	Jan. 20	47		Dec. 4	Jan. 22	49	
Dec. 18	Jan. 24	37		Dec. 18	Jan. 26	39		Dec. 18	Feb. 1	45		Dec. 18	Feb. 2	46		Dec. 18	Feb. 3	47		Dec. 18	Feb. 1	45	
Maximum	...	46		...	...	47		...	...	53		...	...	53		...	...	54		...	...	54	
Minimum	...	32		...	...	33		...	...	38		...	...	40		...	...	42		...	...	40	
Average	...	36.46		...	...	38.15		...	...	45.5		...	...	46.65		...	...	47.31		...	...	47.92	

* Delayed one week at Port Said through accident to machinery.