

Table No. 9.—PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL 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* Colombo and Brindisi.FROM LONDON *VIA* BRINDISI AND COLOMBO.

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.
1887. Jan. 7	1887. Feb. 14	38	1887. Jan. 7	1887. Feb. 15	39	1887. Jan. 7	1887. Feb. 21	45	1887. Jan. 7	1887. Feb. 22	46	1887. Jan. 7	1887. Feb. 23	47	1887. Jan. 7	1887. Feb. 22	46
Jan. 21	Feb. 27	37	Jan. 21	Feb. 28	38	Jan. 21	March 7	45	Jan. 21	March 9	47	Jan. 21	March 11	49	Jan. 21	March 8	46
Feb. 4	March 11	35	Feb. 4	March 12	36	Feb. 4	March 21	45	Feb. 4	March 22	46	Feb. 4	March 20	44	Feb. 4	March 22	46
Feb. 18	March 26	38	Feb. 18	March 28	38	Feb. 18	April 4	45	Feb. 18	April 5	46	Feb. 18	April 7	48	Feb. 18	April 5	46
March 4	April 9	36	March 4	April 11	38	March 4	April 18	45	March 4	April 19	46	March 4	April 19	46	March 4	April 19	46
March 18	April 26	39	March 18	April 27	40	March 18	May 3	46	March 18	May 4	47	March 18	May 5	48	March 18	May 3	46
April 1	May 7	36	April 1	May 9	38	April 1	May 16	45	April 1	May 17	46	April 1	May 17	46	April 1	May 17	46
April 15	May 21	36	April 15	May 23	38	April 15	May 30	45	April 15	May 31	46	April 15	June 1	47	April 15	June 1	47
April 29	June 4	36	April 29	June 6	38	April 29	June 12	44	April 29	June 14	46	April 29	June 15	47	April 29	June 14	46
May 13	June 17	35	May 13	June 18	36	May 13	June 28	46	May 13	June 29	47	May 13	June 29	47	May 13	June 29	47
May 27	July 2	36	May 27	July 4	38	May 27	July 11	45	May 27	July 12	46	May 27	July 13	47	May 27	July 12	46
June 10	July 15	35	June 10	July 16	36	June 10	July 25	45	June 10	July 26	46	June 10	July 25	45	June 10	July 26	46
June 24	July 28	34	June 24	July 29	35	June 24	August 7	44	June 24	August 9	46	June 24	August 11	48	June 24	August 9	46
July 8	August 13	36	July 8	August 15	38	July 8	August 21	44	July 8	August 23	46	July 8	August 26	49	July 8	August 23	46
July 22	August 26	35	July 22	August 27	36	July 22	August 28	45	July 22	August 30	46	July 22	September 6	46	July 22	August 26	46
August 5	Sept. 9	35	August 5	Sept. 10	36	August 5	Sept. 19	45	August 5	Sept. 20	46	August 5	Sept. 19	45	August 5	Sept. 22	48
August 19	Sept. 23	35	August 19	Sept. 24	36	August 19	October 3	45	August 19	October 4	46	August 19	October 2	44	August 19	Oct. 4	46
Sept. 2	October 7	35	Sept. 2	October 8	36	Sept. 2	October 16	44	Sept. 2	October 17	45	Sept. 2	October 17	45	Sept. 2	Oct. 18	46
Sept. 16	October 22	36	Sept. 16	October 24	38	Sept. 16	October 31	45	Sept. 16	Nov. 1	46	Sept. 16	October 31	45	Sept. 16	Nov. 1	46
Sept. 30	Nov. 4	35	Sept. 30	Nov. 5	36	Sept. 30	Nov. 14	45	Sept. 30	Nov. 15	46	Sept. 30	Nov. 14	45	Sept. 30	Nov. 15	46
October 14	Nov. 20	37	October 14	Nov. 21	38	October 14	Nov. 27	44	October 14	Nov. 29	46	October 14	Nov. 30	47	October 14	Nov. 29	46
October 28	Dec. 2	35	October 28	Dec. 3	36	October 28	Dec. 11	44	October 28	Dec. 13	46	October 28	Dec. 14	47	October 28	Dec. 14	47
Nov. 11	Dec. 12	31	Nov. 11	Dec. 13	32	Nov. 11	Dec. 19	38	Nov. 11	Dec. 20	39	Nov. 11	Dec. 21	40	Nov. 11	Dec. 24	43
Nov. 25	Dec. 30	35	Nov. 25	Dec. 31	36	Nov. 25	1888. Jan. 10	46	Nov. 25	1888. Jan. 12	48	Nov. 25	1888. Jan. 13	49	Nov. 25	1888. Jan. 11	47
Dec. 9	Jan. 13	35	Dec. 9	Jan. 14	36	Dec. 9	Jan. 23	45	Dec. 9	Jan. 24	46	Dec. 9	Jan. 25	47	Dec. 9	Jan. 24	46
Dec. 23	Jan. 28	36	Dec. 23	Jan. 29	37	Dec. 23	Feb. 5	44	Dec. 23	Feb. 7	46	Dec. 23	Feb. 9	48	Dec. 23	Feb. 7	46
Maximum	...	39	...	...	40	...	...	46	...	...	48	...	...	49	...	...	48
Minimum	...	31	...	...	32	...	...	38	...	...	39	...	...	40	...	...	43
Average	...	35.58	...	...	36.88	...	...	44.58	...	...	45.88	...	...	46.42	...	...	46.12