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STATEMENT showing approximately SLEEPERS LAID and REMOVED up to 31st March, 1893.

Year.	Approximate Length opened each Year.			Sleepers.	
	North Island.	Middle Island.	Total.	Laid during Construction. (2,100 per mile.)	Removed during Maintenance.†
	M. ch.	M. ch.	M. ch.		
1867	..	45 70	45 70	96,338	..
1870-71	..	18 58	18 58	39,323	..
1871-72	..	11 68	11 68	24,885	..
1872-73	..	27 62	27 62	58,327	..
1873-74	10 55	11 21	21 76	46,095	..
1874-75	61 19	126 78	188 17	395,246	..
1875-76	69 23	248 4	317 27	666,409	..
1876-77	64 24	152 39	216 63	455,254	..
1877-78	103 76	94 58	198 54	417,217	..
1878-79	27 19	56 46	83 65	176,006	..
1879-80*	26 33	40 73	67 26	141,382	..
1880-81	68 39	32 71	101 30	212,888	74,261
1881-82	22 67	40 16	63 3	132,379	73,947
1882-83	2 2	40 19	42 21	88,751	106,763
1883-84	22 19	22 50	44 69	94,211	125,632
1884-85	56 0	24 0	80 0	168,000	148,325
1885-86	43 26	47 52	90 78	191,048	137,993
1886-87	58 72	11 39	70 31	147,814	139,040
1887-88	11 47	17 32	28 79	60,874	122,027
1888-89	18 31	..	18 31	42,814	108,690
1889-90	11 57	20 68	32 45	68,381	129,634
1890-91	28 21	5 68	34 9	71,636	133,954
1891-92	..	27 27	27 27	57,408	139,912
1892-93	17 26	..	17 26	36,382	132,569
Totals	..	..	..	3,889,068	1,572,747

* Nine months only.

† Complete information not recorded until 1880-81.

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COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of the NUMBER of EMPLOYEES for March, 1892, and March, 1893.

Department.	Kawakawa.	Whangarei.	Kaihu.	Auckland.	Napier-Taranaki.	Wellington.	Hurunui-Bluff.	Greymouth.	Westport.	Nelson.	Picton.	Total.
1891-92.												
General	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	122
Traffic	7	5	...	159	204	89	931	38	25	20	13	1,491
Maintenance	6	3	...	208	391	98	1,114	63	21	24	43	1,971
Locomotive	4	3	...	150	164	137	814	24	30	9	9	1,344
Totals	17	11	...	517	759	324	2,859	125	76	53	65	4,928
1892-93.												
General	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	125
Traffic	6	5	2	155	205	94	924	30	22	18	10	1,471
Maintenance	6	6	16	195	310	95	896	23	16	17	23	1,603
Locomotive	4	5	2	143	161	140	739	24	29	10	6	1,263
Totals	16	16	20	493	676	329	2,559	77	67	45	39	4,462

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STATEMENT of ACCIDENTS for the Year ending 31st March, 1893.

Section.	Passengers Killed or Injured.				Servants of the Department Killed or Injured.				Persons Killed or Injured while crossing at Level Crossings.		Trespassers.	Workshops.		Miscellaneous.		Total Killed.	Total Injured.	
	From Causes beyond their own Control.		From their own Misconduct or Want of Caution.		From Causes beyond their own Control.		From their own Misconduct or Want of Caution.											
	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.		Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.			
Kawakawa ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Whangarei ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kaihu ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Auckland ...	...	...	1	2	...	15	...	18	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	1	39	
Napier-Taranaki ...	...	...	...	1	...	16	...	3	1	1	1	...	5	...	...	2	26	
Wellington ...	...	...	...	1	...	9	1	1	...	1	...	...	8	...	...	2	19	
Hurunui-Bluff ...	...	...	2	5	...	36	1	18	...	4	2	1	...	17	...	1	5 82	
Greymouth ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	
Westport ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Nelson ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
Picton ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
Totals ...	...	...	3	9	...	78	2	42	1	5	4	1	...	34	...	1	10 170	