

Table No. 13.—ORIENT MAIL-SERVICE.

STATEMENT showing the Number of Days occupied in the Delivery of Mails between London and the under-mentioned Places by the Packets of the Orient Line.

FROM LONDON BY THE ORIENT LINE.

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.	
1898. Jan. 14	1898. Feb. 16	33		1898. Jan. 14	1898. Feb. 17	34		1898. Jan. 14	1898. Feb. 21	38		1898. Jan. 14	1898. Feb. 23	40		1898. Jan. 14	1898. Feb. 25	42		1898. Jan. 14	1898. March 1	46	
Jan. 28	March 2	33		Jan. 28	March 3	34		Jan. 28	March 8	39		Jan. 28	March 9	40		Jan. 28	March 9	40		Jan. 28	March 12	43	
Feb. 11	March 15	32		Feb. 11	March 16	33		Feb. 11	March 21	38		Feb. 11	March 24	41		Feb. 11	March 22	39		Feb. 11	March 21	38	
Feb. 25	March 29	32		Feb. 25	March 30	33		Feb. 25	April 3	37		Feb. 25	April 6	40		Feb. 25	April 9	43		Feb. 25	April 5	39	
March 11	April 12	32		March 11	April 13	33		March 11	April 21	41		March 11	April 22	42		March 11	April 19	39		March 11	April 18	38	
March 25	April 26	32		March 25	April 27	33		March 25	May 6	42		March 25	May 7	43		March 25	May 6	42		March 25	May 3	39	
April 8	May 10	32		April 8	May 11	33		April 8	May 17	39		April 8	May 18	40		April 8	May 16	38		April 8	May 17	39	
April 22	May 24	32		April 22	May 25	33		April 22	May 31	39		April 22	June 2	41		April 22	June 1	40		April 22	May 30	38	
May 6	June 7	32		May 6	June 8	33		May 6	June 16	41		May 6	June 18	43		May 6	June 17	42		May 6	June 13	38	
May 20	June 21	32		May 20	June 22	33		May 20	June 28	39		May 20	June 29	40		May 20	June 29	40		May 20	June 27	38	
June 3	July 7	34		June 3	July 8	35		June 3	July 18	45		June 3	July 15	42		June 3	July 14	41		June 3	July 18	45	
June 17	July 20	33		June 17	July 21	34		June 17	July 29	42		June 17	July 29	42		June 17	July 28	41		June 17	July 30	43	
July 1	August 2	32		July 1	August 3	33		July 1	August 8	38		July 1	August 9	39		July 1	August 9	39		July 1	August 8	38	
July 15	August 16	32		July 15	August 17	33		July 15	August 24	40		July 15	August 23	39		July 15	August 22	38		July 15	August 22	38	
July 29	August 30	32		July 29	August 31	33		July 29	Sept. 9	42		July 29	Sept. 8	41		July 29	Sept. 6	39		July 29	Sept. 5	38	
August 12	Sept. 13	32		August 12	Sept. 14	33		August 12	Sept. 19	38		August 12	Sept. 20	39		August 12	Sept. 19	38		August 12	Sept. 19	38	
August 26	Sept. 28	33		August 26	Sept. 29	34		August 26	Oct. 11	46		August 26	Oct. 8	43		August 26	Oct. 7	42		August 26	Oct. 8	43	
Sept. 9	October 10	31		Sept. 9	October 11	32		Sept. 9	October 20	41		Sept. 9	October 21	42		Sept. 9	October 20	41		Sept. 9	October 18	39	
Sept. 23	October 25	32		Sept. 23	October 26	33		Sept. 23	October 31	38		Sept. 23	Nov. 1	39		Sept. 23	Oct. 23	40		Sept. 23	October 31	38	
October 7	Nov. 13	37		October 7	Nov. 14	38		October 7	Nov. 21	45		October 7	Nov. 22	46		October 7	Nov. 20	44		October 7	Nov. 21	45	
October 21	Nov. 21	31		October 21	Nov. 22	32		October 21	Nov. 28	38		October 21	Nov. 30	40		October 21	Nov. 30	40		October 21	Nov. 28	38	
Nov. 4	Dec. 6	32		Nov. 4	Dec. 7	33		Nov. 4	Dec. 16	42		Nov. 4	Dec. 15	41		Nov. 4	Dec. 13	39		Nov. 4	Dec. 12	38	
Nov. 18	Dec. 21	33		Nov. 18	Dec. 22	34		Nov. 18	Dec. 27	39		Nov. 18	Dec. 28	40		Nov. 18	Dec. 29	41		Nov. 18	Dec. 31	43	
Dec. 2	Jan. 4	33		Dec. 2	Jan. 5	34		Dec. 2	Jan. 9	38		Dec. 2	Jan. 10	39		Dec. 2	Jan. 11	40		Dec. 2	Jan. 13	42	
Dec. 16	Jan. 17	32		Dec. 16	Jan. 18	33		Dec. 16	Jan. 24	39		Dec. 16	Jan. 25	40		Dec. 16	Jan. 23	38		Dec. 16	Jan. 23	38	
Dec. 30	Feb. 1	33		Dec. 30	Feb. 2	34		Dec. 30	Feb. 7	39		Dec. 30	Feb. 8	40		Dec. 30	Feb. 9	41		Dec. 30	Feb. 7	39	
Maximum	...	37		...	...	38		...	...	46		...	...	46		...	...	44		...	...	46	
Minimum	...	31		...	...	32		...	...	37		...	...	39		...	...	38		...	...	38	
Average	...	32.46		...	...	33.46		...	...	40.12		...	...	40.85		...	...	40.27		...	...	39.96	