

Railway Guide, and it makes it clear that £2 2s. per week is sufficient to allow for relieving. The list is as follows:—

Schedule of Hotel Tariffs in various Parts of New Zealand as disclosed by Receipts held by Railway Department, and representing the Actual Charges paid by Members of the First Division when staying at the Hotels in the Localities named.

Town.	Hotel.	Rate actually paid as per Receipts.	
		Per Day.	Per Week.
		s. d.	s. d.
Auckland .. .. .	.. .. .	..	35 0
"	Waikato House	4 0	..
"	Clarendon	5 0	..
"	Waitemata	5 0	..
Cass .. .. .	.. .. .	5 0	35 0
Cheviot .. .. .	.. .. .	..	20 0
Culverden	Culverden	6 0	..
Dannevirke .. .. .	.. .. .	..	25 0
Dunroon .. .. .	.. .. .	6 0	25 0
Dunedin (south) .. .. .	.. .. .	..	20 0
Eltham .. .. .	.. .. .	..	20 0
Feilding .. .. .	.. .. .	..	..
Fordell	Empire	6 0	..
Foxton .. .. .	.. .. .	6 0	..
Greytown .. .. .	.. .. .	2 days, 8s.	30 0
Hawera .. .. .	.. .. .	3 days, 8s.	..
" .. .. .	.. .. .	..	25 0
Hunterville	Somerset House	..	25 0
Invercargill .. .. .	.. .. .	..	20 0
Leeston .. .. .	.. .. .	4 6	..
Leeston .. .. .	.. .. .	..	20 0
Little River .. .. .	.. .. .	6 6	20 0
Morven .. .. .	.. .. .	..	22 6
Milton .. .. .	.. .. .	4 0	20 0
Morrinsville .. .. .	.. .. .	..	..
Marton	Royal (private)	6 0	27 6
New Plymouth	(Private)	6 0	..
Oamaru .. .. .	.. .. .	..	20 0
Otane	Queen's	..	20 0
Ohakune	Railway	5 0	..
Paeroa	Grand	4 0	27 6
Port Chalmers	Paeroa	..	25 0
Rolleston	Crescent	5 0	22 6
Rangiora .. .. .	.. .. .	5 0	..
Riverton	Junction	..	30 0
Southbridge .. .. .	.. .. .	..	25 0
Seacliff .. .. .	.. .. .	..	25 0
Stratford .. .. .	.. .. .	..	25 0
Timaru .. .. .	.. .. .	2 days, 8s.	..
" .. .. .	.. .. .	..	35 0
"	Werry's	6 0	..
"	Royal	..	22 6
Temuka .. .. .	.. .. .	..	25 0
Taumarunui	Meredith House	..	30 0
Thames	Brian Borough	..	25 0
"	Salutation	2 days, 6s.	..
Taihape	White House	..	20 0
" .. .. .	.. .. .	4 6	..
Turakina .. .. .	.. .. .	..	25 0
Wellsford .. .. .	.. .. .	..	20 0
Waihi .. .. .	.. .. .	..	..
Waipahi	Golden Cross (private)	5 0	..
	.. .. .	..	25 0

Now, sir, let us contrast the condition under which officers of the Railway Department or Government servants are transferred as compared with the position outside. The Railway man gets his expenses paid and his transport free, but what happens to the man outside? I take it that, except in a very few cases, and I know it is so, the bulk of the men in private employment have to pay their own expenses; and it goes without saying that where that has to be done none of us, no matter what position we are in, would take longer to pack up and unpack and get settled than