

## STATEMENT SHOWING NUMBER OF PASSENGER TICKETS ISSUED AT CHEAP EXCURSION RATES FOR YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1916.

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| SCHOOLS, FACTORIES, AND FRIENDLY SOCIETIES. |                                                                                 |                                                                                        |                                          |         | HOLIDAY EXCURSIONS. |       |            |            | GROSS TOTAL—SCHOOL AND HOLIDAY EXCURSIONS. |          |       |                    |               |
|---------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|---------|---------------------|-------|------------|------------|--------------------------------------------|----------|-------|--------------------|---------------|
| Sections.                                   | Schools, Factories, and Friendly Soc's. Children not exceeding 15 Years of Age. | Schools only. Senior Scholars over 15 but not exceeding 23 Years of Age, and Teachers. | Schools, and Friendly Societies. Adults. | Total.  | Revenue.            |       | 1st Class. | 2nd Class. | Total.                                     | Revenue. |       | Number of Tickets. | Revenue.      |
|                                             | No.                                                                             | No.                                                                                    | No.                                      | No.     | £                   | s. d. | No.        | No.        | No.                                        | £        | s. d. |                    | £             |
| Whangarei                                   | 179                                                                             | 76                                                                                     | 52                                       | 307     | 19                  | 2 0   | 494        | 4,467      | 4,961                                      | 978      | 6 8   | 5,268              | 997 8 8       |
| Kaihu                                       | 681                                                                             | ...                                                                                    | 768                                      | 1,449   | 84                  | 0 0   | ...        | ...        | ...                                        | ...      | ...   | 1,449              | 84 0 0        |
| Auckland                                    | 2,573                                                                           | 724                                                                                    | 1,353                                    | 4,650   | 309                 | 11 4  | 7,949      | 175,666    | 183,615                                    | 46,257   | 8 2   | 188,265            | 46,566 19 6   |
| Ohakune                                     | 860                                                                             | 162                                                                                    | 434                                      | 1,456   | 75                  | 8 1   | 1,767      | 22,984     | 24,751                                     | 12,768   | 19 10 | 26,207             | 12,844 7 11   |
| Gisborne                                    | 586                                                                             | 16                                                                                     | 120                                      | 722     | 27                  | 4 0   | 330        | 5,899      | 6,229                                      | 680      | 3 7   | 6,951              | 707 7 7       |
| Wanganui                                    | 5,087                                                                           | 1,605                                                                                  | 4,160                                    | 10,852  | 729                 | 5 3   | 9,712      | 84,255     | 93,967                                     | 33,429   | 2 9   | 104,819            | 34,158 8 0    |
| Wellington                                  | 8,154                                                                           | 1,379                                                                                  | 4,352                                    | 13,885  | 710                 | 13 2  | 55,698     | 127,748    | 183,446                                    | 49,806   | 12 8  | 197,331            | 50,517 5 10   |
| Pictou                                      | 949                                                                             | 112                                                                                    | 490                                      | 1,551   | 67                  | 9 0   | 1,278      | 6,517      | 7,795                                      | 891      | 11 3  | 9,346              | 959 0 3       |
| Nelson                                      | 887                                                                             | 279                                                                                    | 229                                      | 1,395   | 64                  | 6 3   | 1,474      | 5,763      | 7,237                                      | 924      | 9 1   | 8,632              | 988 15 4      |
| Westport                                    | 106                                                                             | 23                                                                                     | 74                                       | 203     | 8                   | 6 9   | 36         | 2,273      | 2,309                                      | 282      | 9 1   | 2,512              | 290 15 10     |
| Westland                                    | 3,318                                                                           | 304                                                                                    | 3,548                                    | 7,170   | 465                 | 15 5  | 3,019      | 22,212     | 25,231                                     | 5,140    | 5 4   | 32,401             | 5,606 0 9     |
| Christchurch                                | 9,639                                                                           | 1,731                                                                                  | 9,809                                    | 21,179  | 1,584               | 1 1   | 25,074     | 130,469    | 155,543                                    | 47,589   | 12 3  | 176,722            | 49,173 13 4   |
| Dunedin                                     | 4,123                                                                           | 831                                                                                    | 4,793                                    | 9,747   | 751                 | 14 3  | 22,143     | 105,451    | 127,594                                    | 43,974   | 18 11 | 137,341            | 44,726 13 2   |
| Invercargill                                | 5,896                                                                           | 956                                                                                    | 5,909                                    | 12,761  | 1,176               | 2 2   | 7,427      | 69,986     | 77,413                                     | 26,373   | 16 5  | 90,174             | 27,549 18 7   |
| Totals (1916                                | 43,038                                                                          | 8,198                                                                                  | 36,091                                   | 87,327  | 6,072               | 18 9  | 136,401    | 763,690    | 900,091                                    | 269,097  | 16 0  | 987,418            | 275,170 14 9  |
| (1915                                       | 47,846                                                                          | 7,974                                                                                  | 48,197                                   | 104,017 | 7,919               | 1 9   | 144,260    | 782,355    | 926,615                                    | 259,547  | 10 6  | 1,030,632          | 267,466 12 3  |
| Decrease                                    | 4,808                                                                           | ...                                                                                    | 12,106                                   | 16,690  | 1,846               | 3 0   | 7,859      | 18,665     | 26,524                                     | 9,550    | 5 6   | 43,214             | 7,704 2 6     |
| Increase                                    | ...                                                                             | 224                                                                                    | ...                                      | ...     | ...                 | ...   | ...        | ...        | ...                                        | ...      | ...   | ...                | ...           |
| Total, year ending—                         | 63,598                                                                          | 5,949                                                                                  | 38,467                                   | 108,014 | 7,246               | 5 9   | 50,511     | 239,164    | 289,675                                    | 50,232   | 12 11 | 397,689            | 57,478 18 8   |
| 31st March, 1896                            | 44,610                                                                          | 5,993                                                                                  | 33,925                                   | 84,528  | 5,616               | 2 8   | 58,464     | 313,724    | 372,188                                    | 63,439   | 0 0   | 456,716            | 69,055 2 8    |
| 31st March, 1897                            | 39,963                                                                          | 5,398                                                                                  | 35,064                                   | 80,425  | 5,569               | 18 1  | 66,012     | 383,569    | 449,581                                    | 80,822   | 8 1   | 530,006            | 86,392 6 2    |
| 31st March, 1898                            | 45,748                                                                          | 6,192                                                                                  | 39,955                                   | 91,895  | 6,215               | 11 8  | 70,531     | 411,747    | 482,278                                    | 84,794   | 15 6  | 574,173            | 91,010 7 2    |
| 31st March, 1899                            | 37,839                                                                          | 5,616                                                                                  | 31,164                                   | 74,619  | 4,752               | 3 10  | 81,528     | 501,176    | 582,704                                    | 96,154   | 7 5   | 657,323            | 100,906 11 3  |
| 31st March, 1900                            | 38,864                                                                          | 5,602                                                                                  | 34,550                                   | 79,016  | 5,234               | 16 8  | 87,544     | 541,624    | 629,168                                    | 102,932  | 10 9  | 708,184            | 108,167 7 5   |
| 31st March, 1901                            | 42,506                                                                          | 5,736                                                                                  | 37,708                                   | 85,950  | 5,466               | 16 9  | 95,628     | 588,813    | 684,441                                    | 136,813  | 0 1   | 770,391            | 142,279 16 10 |
| 31st March, 1902                            | 41,540                                                                          | 6,048                                                                                  | 41,555                                   | 89,143  | 6,050               | 11 3  | 84,448     | 517,566    | 602,014                                    | 103,279  | 8 6   | 691,157            | 109,329 19 9  |
| 31st March, 1903                            | 50,364                                                                          | 6,975                                                                                  | 54,344                                   | 111,683 | 7,424               | 19 7  | 100,417    | 594,967    | 695,384                                    | 125,624  | 4 0   | 807,067            | 133,049 3 7   |
| 31st March, 1904                            | 52,742                                                                          | 7,359                                                                                  | 53,558                                   | 113,659 | 7,490               | 16 0  | 100,968    | 592,485    | 693,453                                    | 130,068  | 16 9  | 807,112            | 137,559 12 9  |
| 31st March, 1905                            | 55,478                                                                          | 7,715                                                                                  | 57,027                                   | 120,220 | 7,882               | 16 1  | 110,823    | 626,852    | 737,675                                    | 140,939  | 16 3  | 857,895            | 148,822 12 4  |
| 31st March, 1906                            | 48,044                                                                          | 7,837                                                                                  | 39,783                                   | 95,664  | 6,514               | 18 4  | 125,280    | 731,132    | 856,412                                    | 194,185  | 2 9   | 952,076            | 200,700 1 1   |
| 31st March, 1907                            | 51,031                                                                          | 8,163                                                                                  | 53,886                                   | 113,080 | 7,604               | 10 4  | 113,617    | 618,518    | 732,135                                    | 141,519  | 16 11 | 845,215            | 149,124 7 3   |
| 31st March, 1908                            | 55,199                                                                          | 9,266                                                                                  | 52,579                                   | 117,044 | 7,641               | 5 10  | 122,312    | 667,867    | 790,179                                    | 166,471  | 6 3   | 907,223            | 174,112 12 1  |
| 31st March, 1909                            | 53,917                                                                          | 7,811                                                                                  | 53,677                                   | 115,405 | 7,964               | 15 7  | 128,277    | 735,561    | 863,838                                    | 211,133  | 6 10  | 979,243            | 219,098 2 5   |
| 31st March, 1910                            | 66,381                                                                          | 10,799                                                                                 | 66,695                                   | 143,875 | 9,488               | 14 7  | 107,208    | 576,251    | 683,459                                    | 155,444  | 10 11 | 827,334            | 164,938 5 6   |
| 31st March, 1911                            | 62,289                                                                          | 8,924                                                                                  | 63,612                                   | 134,825 | 9,702               | 15 3  | 135,590    | 704,883    | 840,473                                    | 206,472  | 13 1  | 975,298            | 216,175 8 4   |
| 31st March, 1912                            | 63,040                                                                          | 9,723                                                                                  | 61,134                                   | 133,897 | 9,509               | 8 7   | 159,730    | 804,965    | 964,695                                    | 271,611  | 17 7  | 1,098,592          | 281,121 6 2   |
| 31st March, 1913                            | 111,029                                                                         | 18,246                                                                                 | 59,712                                   | 188,987 | 13,235              | 8 4   | 131,416    | 683,851    | 815,267                                    | 210,109  | 0 9   | 1,004,254          | 223,344 9 1   |
| 31st March, 1914                            | 47,846                                                                          | 7,974                                                                                  | 48,197                                   | 104,017 | 7,919               | 1 9   | 144,260    | 782,355    | 926,615                                    | 259,547  | 10 6  | 1,030,632          | 267,466 12 3  |
| 31st March, 1915                            | 43,038                                                                          | 8,198                                                                                  | 36,091                                   | 87,327  | 6,072               | 18 9  | 136,401    | 763,690    | 900,091                                    | 269,097  | 16 0  | 987,418            | 275,170 14 9  |