

Table No. 3.
POST OFFICE SAVINGS-BANKS.—GENERAL STATEMENT.

TABLE SHOWING THE BUSINESS OF THE POST OFFICE SAVINGS-BANKS IN NEW ZEALAND, BY TEN-YEAR PERIODS, FROM THE DATE THEY WERE ESTABLISHED IN FEBRUARY, 1867, TO THE 31ST DECEMBER, 1919, FOR THE FIFTEEN MONTHS ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1921, AND THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1922.

Year.	Number of Post Office Savings-banks Open at the Close of the Year.	Number of Deposits received during the Year.	Total Amount of Deposits received during the Year.	Average Amount of each Deposit received during the Year.	Number of Withdrawals during the Year.	Total Amount of Withdrawals during the Year.	Average Amount of each Withdrawal during the Year.	Excess of Deposits over Withdrawals during the Year.	Excess of Withdrawals over Deposits during the Year.	Cost of Management during the Year.	Average Cost of each Transaction, Deposit or Withdrawal.	Interest for the Year.	Number of Accounts opened during the Year.	Number of Accounts closed during the Year.	Number of Accounts remaining open at Close of the Year.	Total Amount standing to the Credit of all Open Accounts, inclusive of Interest to the Close of the Year.	Average Amount standing to the Credit of each Open Account at the Close of the Year.
Year ended 31st March, 1922	831	1,227,591	£ 29,125,997	£ s. d. 23 14 0	£ s. d. 1,119,662	£ 30,236,231	£ s. d. 27 0 0	£ ..	£ s. d. 1,110,233	£ 60,000	£ s. d. 6 13 0	£ 1,599,907	89,859	75,748	678,930	£ 43,841,704	£ s. d. 64 11 6
* Fifteen months ended 31st March, 1921	819	1,664,206	£ 44,302,852	£ s. d. 26 12 5	£ s. d. 1,458,008	£ 41,162,486	£ s. d. 28 4 8	£ 3,140,365	£ s. d. 6 15 6	80,000	£ s. d. 6 14 0	£ 1,818,534	152,930	118,894	664,819	£ 43,352,030	£ s. d. 65 4 2
Totals for 1919 ..	794	1,289,161	£ 29,758,448	£ s. d. 23 1 8	£ s. d. 994,247	£ 25,962,378	£ s. d. 26 2 6	£ 3,796,070	£ s. d. 7 1 1	52,000	£ s. d. 5 46 0	£ 1,178,935	118,109	77,531	630,783	£ 38,393,130	£ s. d. 60 17 4
" 1918 ..	786	1,213,353	£ 18,101,104	£ s. d. 14 18 1	£ s. d. 727,720	£ 14,938,841	£ s. d. 20 10 7	£ 3,162,263	£ s. d. 8 1 1	32,000	£ s. d. 3 96 0	£ 1,059,471	76,869	53,015	590,205	£ 33,418,125	£ s. d. 56 12 5
" 1908 ..	593	706,101	£ 9,674,075	£ s. d. 13 14 0	£ s. d. 484,672	£ 9,417,820	£ s. d. 19 8 8	£ 256,254	£ s. d. 13 9 9	27,000	£ s. d. 5 44 0	£ 379,808	80,133	57,829	342,077	£ 12,159,293	£ s. d. 35 10 11
" 1898 ..	409	281,749	£ 3,279,611	£ s. d. 11 12 10	£ s. d. 196,764	£ 3,194,893	£ s. d. 16 4 9	£ 84,717	£ s. d. 10 10 10	8,500	£ s. d. 4 26 0	£ 128,128	37,265	26,628	169,968	£ 4,957,771	£ s. d. 29 3 5
" 1888 ..	290	145,355	£ 1,544,747	£ s. d. 11 10 12	£ s. d. 96,204	£ 1,387,471	£ s. d. 14 8 5	£ 157,276	£ s. d. 6 1 1	4,000	£ s. d. 3 97 0	£ 78,080	21,307	16,543	84,488	£ 2,048,441	£ s. d. 24 4 10
" 1878 ..	147	69,908	£ 762,084	£ s. d. 12 0 10	£ s. d. 42,746	£ 742,053	£ s. d. 17 7 2	£ 20,030	£ s. d. 17 9 9	2,500	£ s. d. 5 33 0	£ 31,664	13,005	9,634	32,132	£ 819,071	£ s. d. 25 9 9
" 1868 ..	55	13,014	£ 194,535	£ s. d. 11 6 14	£ s. d. 6,365	£ 107,094	£ s. d. 17 3 16	£ 87,440	£ s. d. 14 3 3	789	£ s. d. 0 977 0	£ 4,880	3,282	1,186	4,252	£ 163,518	£ s. d. 38 9 1
Totals from 1st Feb. to 31st Dec., 1867	46	6,977	£ 96,372	£ s. d. 7 10 13	£ s. d. 1,919	£ 26,415	£ s. d. 9 13 15	£ 69,956	£ s. d. 9 1 1	822	£ s. d. 1 10 18 1	£ 1,241	2,520	364	2,156	£ 71,197	£ s. d. 33 0 5

* Termination of Savings-bank year altered from 31st December to 31st March, with effect from 31st March, 1921.