

ABSTRACT G.—HEAD OFFICE AND GENERAL CHARGES.

Item.	Expenditure.	Per Cent. of Revenue.	Per Mile of Railway.	Per Train-mile.
Head Office ..	£ 27,629	0.3	£ 8.8	d.
Departmental buildings ..	4,601	0.1	1.5	0.6
Appeal Board ..	755	..	0.2	0.1
Chief Accountant ..	31,761	0.4	10.1	..
Divisional superintendence—				0.7
North Island ..	5,875	0.1	1.8	0.1
South Island ..	5,034	0.1	1.6	0.1
Training School ..	6,632	0.1	2.1	0.2
Totals ..	82,287	1.1	26.1	1.8
Superannuation subsidy ..	175,007	2.4	55.4	3.9

SUMMARY OF EXPENDITURE ABSTRACTS.

Abstract and Item.	1926-27.				1925-26.			
	Expenditure.	Per Cent. of Revenue.	Per Mile of Railway.	Per Train-mile.	Expenditure.	Per Cent. of Revenue.	Per Mile of Railway.	Per Train-mile.
A—Maintenance of Way and Works..	£ 1,074,334	14.472	£ 340.302	d. 24.044	£ 1,144,385	15.079	£ 368.800	d. 26.615
B—Maintenance of Signals and Electrical Appliances ..	100,861	1.359	31.948	2.257	105,064	1.384	33.859	2.443
C—Maintenance of Rolling-stock ..	1,303,444	17.558	412.874	20.171	1,311,317	17.279	422.597	30.497
D—Examination, Lubrication, and Lighting of Vehicles ..	60,095	0.810	19.035	1.345	59,447	0.783	19.158	1.383
E—Locomotive Transportation ..	1,609,257	21.678	509.742	36.015	1,577,173	20.782	508.273	36.681
F—Traffic Transportation ..	1,752,998	23.614	555.273	39.232	1,743,641	22.975	561.920	40.552
G—Head Office and General Charges ..	82,287	1.108	26.065	1.842	82,528	1.087	26.596	1.919
Superannuation Subsidy ..	175,007	2.357	55.435	3.917	141,015	1.858	45.445	3.280
Totals ..	6,158,283	82.956	1,950.674	137.823	6,164,570	81.227	1,986.648	143.370