

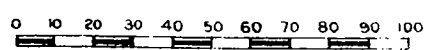
MAP OF NEW ZEALAND, SHOWING RAILWAY AND STEAMER ROUTES, AND ROAD CONNECTIONS.

STATISTICS.

Government Railways open for traffic on 31st March, 1929	3,287 miles
Capital cost of Government Railways open on 31st March, 1929	£56,568,538
Revenue from Government Railways, year ending 31st March, 1929	£8,747,975
Expenditure on " "	£6,849,383
Gauge " "	3' 6"
Passengers carried on " "	9,074,993
Number of season tickets issued, " "	656,169
Live-stock, tonnage carried, " "	535,951
Goods, tonnage carried, " "	7,086,680
Number of miles travelled by trains, " "	11,113,482
Number of locomotives, " "	667
Number of passenger-carriages " "	1,603
Number of wagons and brake-vans " "	27,303
Area of Dominion, square miles " "	103,861
Population, estimated, at 31st March, 1929 (including Maoris)	1,470,649

Chief Cities:—		
Auckland	Population with Suburbs	209,800
Wellington	(approximate)	133,770
Christchurch		125,410
Dunedin		85,630

Scale of English miles.



REFERENCE.

Government railways shown thus:	
Road connections	
Steamer routes	

NORTH ISLAND

SOUTH ISLAND

DISTANCES BY RAILWAY.

	Miles.
Auckland to Opua	184
" Whangarei	131
" Rotorua	171
" Thames	148
" Tauranga	179
" Taneatua	240
" Wanganui	344
" New Plymouth	445
" Napier	451
New Plymouth to Wanganui	107
" Napier	276
" Rotorua	447
" Wellington (via Manawatu)	251
" Wellington (via Wairarapa)	298
Napier to Wellington (via Manawatu)	199
" (via Wairarapa)	210
Wellington to Rotorua	428
" Auckland	426
Pictou to Blenheim	18
" Whararui	56
Nelson to Kaitiaki	63
Inangahua Jn. to Greymouth	66
Greymouth to Hokitika	24
Hokitika to Ross	15
Christchurch to Waiatu	82
" Culverden	69
" Parnassus	85
" Arthur's Pass	87
" Greymouth	145
" Hokitika	170
" Timaru	100
" Dunedin	230
" Invercargill	368
Timaru to Oamaru	53
Oamaru to Dunedin	73
Dunedin to Cromwell	155
" Roxburgh	96
" Gore	100
" Kingston (via Waima line)	174
" Kingston (via Invercargill)	226
" Invercargill	139
Invercargill to Kingston	87
" Orawia	64
" Bluff	17
Kingston to Queenstown (by steamer)	25
Queenstown to Head of Lake (by steamer)	35