

Table No. 5.

POST OFFICE SAVINGS-BANK.—GENERAL STATEMENT.

TABLE SHOWING THE BUSINESS OF THE POST OFFICE SAVINGS-BANK IN NEW ZEALAND, BY TEN-YEAR PERIODS, FROM 1868 TO THE 31ST DECEMBER, 1918, AND YEARLY PERIODS THEREAFTER TO THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1929.

| Year.                                     | Number of Branches of the Post Office Savings-bank Open at the Close of the Year. | Number of Deposits received during the Year. | Total Amount of Deposits received during the Year. | £  | s. | d. | Average Amount of each Deposit received during the Year. | £  | s.  | d.  | Number of Withdrawals during the Year. | Total Amount of Withdrawals during the Year. | £  | s. | d. | Average Amount of each Withdrawal during the Year. | Excess of Deposits over Withdrawals during the Year. | £       | s.        | d.        | Excess of Withdrawals over Deposits during the Year. | Number of Accounts opened 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. | £          | s.         | d.         | Average Amount standing to the Credit of each Account at the Close of the Year. |    |    |    |   |
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| Year ended 31st Mar., 1929                | 879                                                                               | 1,618,656                                    | 27,252,381                                         | 9  | 0  | 16 | 16                                                       | 91 | 285 | 256 | 28                                     | 111,940                                      | 16 | 9  | 21 | 17                                                 | 6                                                    | 859,559 | 7         | 9         | 1,745,050                                            | 5                                          | 4                                                       | 93,111                                                                                                    | 69,540     | 828,296    | 48,644,217 | 0                                                                               | 6  | 58 | 14 | 7 |
| Year ended 31st Mar., 1928                | 870                                                                               | 1,570,493                                    | 27,611,066                                         | 5  | 1  | 17 | 11                                                       | 71 | 274 | 906 | 30,584,997                             | 14                                           | 4  | 23 | 19 | 10                                                 | 2,973,931                                            | 9       | 3         | 1,747,155 | 13                                                   | 9                                          | 93,331                                                  | 72,433                                                                                                    | 804,725    | 47,758,726 | 2          | 11                                                                              | 59 | 6  | 11 |   |
| Year ended 31st Mar., 1927                | 875                                                                               | 1,509,909                                    | 29,456,383                                         | 2  | 7  | 19 | 10                                                       | 21 | 224 | 764 | 30,149,628                             | 17                                           | 3  | 24 | 12 | 4                                                  | 693,245                                              | 14      | 8         | 1,767,426 | 2                                                    | 8                                          | 97,713                                                  | 72,041                                                                                                    | 783,827    | 48,985,501 | 18         | 5                                                                               | 62 | 9  | 11 |   |
| Year ended 31st Mar., 1926                | 870                                                                               | 1,446,530                                    | 31,833,621                                         | 9  | 5  | 22 | 0                                                        | 11 | 197 | 985 | 32,602,505                             | 17                                           | 2  | 27 | 4  | 3                                                  | 768,884                                              | 7       | 9         | 1,731,577 | 17                                                   | 2                                          | 104,447                                                 | 81,440                                                                                                    | 758,155    | 47,911,321 | 10         | 5                                                                               | 63 | 3  | 11 |   |
| Year ended 31st Mar., 1925                | 855                                                                               | 1,371,009                                    | 29,582,897                                         | 2  | 9  | 21 | 11                                                       | 71 | 108 | 291 | 30,413,609                             | 3                                            | 11 | 27 | 8  | 10                                                 | 830,712                                              | 1       | 2         | 1,680,919 | 10                                                   | 10                                         | 95,595                                                  | 70,604                                                                                                    | 735,148    | 46,948,628 | 1          | 0                                                                               | 63 | 17 | 3  |   |
| Year ended 31st Mar., 1924                | 846                                                                               | 1,261,141                                    | 29,598,372                                         | 4  | 8  | 23 | 9                                                        | 41 | 075 | 037 | 29,510,320                             | 19                                           | 6  | 27 | 9  | 0                                                  | ..                                                   | ..      | 1,649,976 | 4         | 8                                                    | 92,465                                     | 73,098                                                  | 710,157                                                                                                   | 46,098,420 | 11         | 4          | 64                                                                              | 18 | 3  |    |   |
| Year ended 31st Mar., 1923                | 840                                                                               | 1,175,104                                    | 26,682,426                                         | 11 | 4  | 22 | 14                                                       | 21 | 081 | 300 | 27,769,262                             | 16                                           | 3  | 25 | 13 | 8                                                  | 1,086,836                                            | 4       | 11        | 1,605,525 | 1                                                    | 10                                         | 78,490                                                  | 66,630                                                                                                    | 690,790    | 44,360,393 | 1          | 6                                                                               | 64 | 4  | 4  |   |
| Year ended 31st Mar., 1922                | 831                                                                               | 1,227,591                                    | 29,135,997                                         | 10 | 0  | 23 | 14                                                       | 61 | 119 | 662 | 30,236,231                             | 6                                            | 5  | 27 | 0  | 0                                                  | 1,110,233                                            | 16      | 5         | 1,599,907 | 2                                                    | 0                                          | 89,859                                                  | 75,748                                                                                                    | 678,930    | 43,841,704 | 4          | 7                                                                               | 64 | 11 | 6  |   |
| *Fifteen months ended 31st March, 1921    | 819                                                                               | 1,664,206                                    | 44,302,852                                         | 5  | 4  | 26 | 12                                                       | 51 | 458 | 008 | 41,162,486                             | 9                                            | 10 | 28 | 4  | 8                                                  | ..                                                   | ..      | 1,818,534 | 5         | 2                                                    | 152,930                                    | 118,894                                                 | 664,819                                                                                                   | 43,352,030 | 19         | 0          | 65                                                                              | 4  | 2  |    |   |
| Totals for 1919 ..                        | 794                                                                               | 1,289,161                                    | 29,758,448                                         | 9  | 7  | 23 | 1                                                        | 8  | 994 | 247 | 25,962,378                             | 2                                            | 6  | 26 | 2  | 3                                                  | ..                                                   | ..      | 1,178,935 | 6         | 6                                                    | 118,109                                    | 77,531                                                  | 630,783                                                                                                   | 38,393,130 | 18         | 4          | 60                                                                              | 17 | 4  |    |   |
| " 1918 ..                                 | 786                                                                               | 1,213,353                                    | 18,101,104                                         | 18 | 1  | 14 | 18                                                       | 4  | 727 | 729 | 14,938,841                             | 10                                           | 0  | 20 | 10 | 7                                                  | ..                                                   | ..      | 1,059,471 | 17        | 8                                                    | 76,869                                     | 53,015                                                  | 590,205                                                                                                   | 33,418,125 | 4          | 9          | 56                                                                              | 12 | 5  |    |   |
| " 1908 ..                                 | 593                                                                               | 706,101                                      | 9,674,075                                          | 4  | 0  | 13 | 14                                                       | 0  | 484 | 672 | 9,417,820                              | 10                                           | 3  | 19 | 8  | 8                                                  | ..                                                   | ..      | 379,808   | 6         | 7                                                    | 80,133                                     | 57,829                                                  | 342,077                                                                                                   | 12,159,293 | 18         | 1          | 35                                                                              | 10 | 11 |    |   |
| " 1898 ..                                 | 409                                                                               | 281,749                                      | 3,279,611                                          | 7  | 5  | 11 | 12                                                       | 10 | 196 | 764 | 3,194,893                              | 16                                           | 7  | 16 | 4  | 9                                                  | ..                                                   | ..      | 128,128   | 16        | 6                                                    | 37,265                                     | 26,628                                                  | 169,968                                                                                                   | 4,957,771  | 5          | 5          | 29                                                                              | 3  | 5  |    |   |
| " 1888 ..                                 | 290                                                                               | 145,355                                      | 1,544,747                                          | 7  | 11 | 10 | 12                                                       | 6  | 96  | 204 | 1,387,471                              | 1                                            | 10 | 14 | 8  | 5                                                  | ..                                                   | ..      | 78,080    | 6         | 0                                                    | 21,307                                     | 16,543                                                  | 84,488                                                                                                    | 2,048,441  | 10         | 9          | 24                                                                              | 4  | 10 |    |   |
| " 1878 ..                                 | 147                                                                               | 69,908                                       | 762,084                                            | 12 | 0  | 10 | 18                                                       | 0  | 42  | 746 | 742,053                                | 14                                           | 3  | 17 | 7  | 2                                                  | ..                                                   | ..      | 31,664    | 12        | 9                                                    | 13,005                                     | 9,634                                                   | 32,132                                                                                                    | 819,071    | 8          | 2          | 25                                                                              | 9  | 9  |    |   |
| " 1868 ..                                 | 55                                                                                | 13,014                                       | 194,535                                            | 11 | 6  | 14 | 18                                                       | 11 | 6   | 365 | 107,094                                | 17                                           | 3  | 16 | 16 | 6                                                  | ..                                                   | ..      | 4,880     | 7         | 3                                                    | 3,282                                      | 1,186                                                   | 4,252                                                                                                     | 163,518    | 15         | 7          | 38                                                                              | 9  | 1  |    |   |
| † Totals from 1st Feb. to 31st Dec., 1867 | 46                                                                                | 6,977                                        | 96,372                                             | 7  | 10 | 13 | 16                                                       | 3  | 1   | 919 | 26,415                                 | 18                                           | 9  | 13 | 15 | 3                                                  | ..                                                   | ..      | 1,241     | 5         | 0                                                    | 2,520                                      | 364                                                     | 2,156                                                                                                     | 71,197     | 14         | 1          | 33                                                                              | 0  | 5  |    |   |

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

† The Post Office Savings-bank was established in the Dominion in February, 1867.