STATEMENT No. 17.

Statement of Operating Traffic and Revenue for the Year ended 31st March, 1937.

(1) OPERATING TRAFFIC.

Section.	Length Open for Traffic.	Passengers.				Live-stock.						Goods.			Gross Total Tonnage.
		First Class.	Second Class.	Total.	Season Tickets.	Cattle.	Calves.	Sheep.	Pigs.	Total.	Equivalent Tonnage.	Timber.	Goods.	Total.	
	Miles.	Number.	Number.	Number.	Number.	Number	Number.	Number.	Number.	Number.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Kaihu	24	180	15,911	16,091	64	4	..	..	..	4	1	1,224	4,867	6,091	6,092
Gisborne	60	719	14,618	15,337	47	815	..	88,128	947	89,890	3,844	9,066	28,273	37,339	41,183
North Island Main Line and Branches ..	1,486	268,823	4,406,996	4,675,819	376,431	344,450	675,452	4,784,845	665,523	6,470,270	373,259	227,355	2,658,780	2,886,135	3,259,394
South Island Main Line and Branches ..	1,594	158,189	3,286,946	3,445,135	134,726	89,498	17,607	4,554,047	48,356	4,709,508	215,295	210,553	2,645,698	2,856,251	3,071,546
Westport	36	183	52,562	52,745	732	259	..	378	..	637	101	1,133	360,485	361,618	361,719
Nelson	64	221	27,765	27,986	618	488	1,208	22,737	2,063	26,496	1,236	1,075	18,394	19,469	20,705
Picton	56	4,079	47,764	51,843	445	747	194	158,466	..	159,407	6,597	1,969	44,035	46,004	52,601
Total railway operation	3,320	432,394	7,852,562	8,284,956	513,063	436,261	694,461	9,608,601	716,889	11,456,212	600,333	452,375	5,760,532	6,212,907	6,813,240
Lake Wakatipu steamers	..	..	14,749	14,749	5	167	..	16,970	..	18,137	734	497	5,768	6,265	6,999

(2) OPERATING REVENUE.

Section.	Length Open for Traffic.	Revenue.										Mileage.		
		Ordinary Passengers.	Season Tickets.	Parcels, Luggage, and Mails.	Total Coaching.	Goods.	Labour, Demurrage, &c.	Total Goods.	Total Operating Revenue.	Per Mile of Railway per Annum (Average).	Per Train Mile.	Train.	Shunting, &c.	Total.
	Miles.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	d.	Number.	Number.	Number.
Kaihu	24	1,084	279	1,190	2,553	1,747	25	1,772	4,325	180	77·51	13,392	2,703	16,095
Gisborne	60	1,254	633	1,360	3,247	15,250	55	15,305	18,552	309	116·71	38,149	8,333	46,482
North Island Main Line and Branches ..	1,486	939,908	128,287	204,950	1,273,145	2,768,959	70,188	2,839,147	4,112,292	2,767	134·21	7,353,727	2,353,145	9,706,872
South Island Main Line and Branches ..	1,594	471,451	57,534	95,912	624,897	1,957,764	63,165	2,020,929	2,645,826	1,660	147·23	4,313,028	1,670,428	5,983,456
Westport	36	2,827	908	785	4,520	68,790	4,127	72,917	77,437	2,151	282·06	65,890	47,171	113,061
Nelson	64	1,640	1,141	290	3,071	8,209	53	8,262	11,333	177	68·66	39,612	10,166	49,778
Picton	56	3,469	890	1,039	5,398	25,698	2,743	28,441	33,839	604	183·39	44,285	24,753	69,038
Total railway operation ..	3,320	1,421,633	189,672	305,526	1,916,831	4,846,417	140,356	4,986,773	6,903,604	2,079	139·61	11,868,083	4,116,699	15,984,782
Lake Wakatipu steamers	..	2,316	30	494	2,840	4,253	9	4,262	7,102	..	..	..	..	..