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ALTERATIONS, ETC., SINCE JANUARY.

Post Offices have been established at the following places: Opaheke, Te Puke, and Victoria Valley (Auckland); Paihiatua (Wellington); Kaituna Valley (Blenheim); Upper Ferry (Timaru); and Green Valley (Dunedin).

The following Post Offices have been closed: Ararimu, Periwaka, and Upper Parnell (Auckland); Ohonga Ferry (Wellington); Ashburton Gorge and Weka Pass (Christchurch); Hakateramea (Timaru); Eden Creek, Goodwood, and Morven (Dunedin); and Horseshoe Bay, Invercargill.

The designations of several Post Offices have been changed, viz.: Thames to Grahamstown; Taratahi (Wellington) to Clareville; Fosbery (Greymouth) to Barrytown; Rangitata (Timaru) to Woodbridge; and Otepopo (Oamaru) to Herbert.

The Money Order and Savings Bank Office at Goodwood (Dunedin) has been closed.

The Post Office at Gisborne has been constituted a Chief Post Office.

Receiving Offices have been opened at Leslie's, Upper Parnell, and Talbot's, Parnell, Auckland; Schulhoff's, Reefton; and Nance's, corner of Bell and Guyton Streets, Wanganui.

The Receiving Office at Pipitea Point, Wellington, has been closed.

Iron-pillar Receivers have been erected at the following places: Corner of Mary and Pollen Streets, Grahamstown (removed from corner of Albert and Brown Streets); Bridge Street, opposite old Post Office, Nelson (removed from corner of Trafalgar and Hardy Streets); corner of East Street, Ashburton; corner of Antigua and Armagh Streets, Christchurch; corner of High Street and Tamutu Road, Southbridge.

An eight o'clock morning delivery by letter carriers has been established at Dunedin.

Telegraph Offices have been opened at Collingwood (Collingwood); Otautau (Wallace); Rahotu (Taranaki); Takaka (Collingwood); and Thornbury (Southland).

The Telegraph Stations at Goodwood and Waihi have been closed.

Government Insurance Agencies have been opened at Chatham Islands, Normanby, and Sydenham; and the agency at Dunsandel has been closed.

The daily coach service between Wellington and Foxton has been re-established; also the daily service by steamer between Kingston and Queenstown.

Leave Well | Ar. London | Leave London | Ar. Well.

Leave.

Time Table of Dates of Arrival and Departure of English Mails via SAN FRANCISCO, 1881.

HOMEWARD ROUTE.

Leave Sydney.	Leave Hokitika.	Leave Greymouth.	Leave Westport.	Leave Picton.	Leave Nelson.	Leave Invercargill.	Leave Dunedin.	Leave Lyttelton.	Leave Welling-ton.	Leave New Plymouth.	Leave Napier.	Leave Thames.	Leave Auckland.	Arrive San Francisco.	Arrive London.
Thursday.	Friday.	Friday.	Wednesday.	Friday.	Friday.	Friday. 10 a.m.	Saturday. 7.30 a.m.	Saturday, 9·30 p.m.	Sunday.	Monday.	Saturday,	Monday.	Tuesday, 2 p.m.	Thursday.	Tuesday.
1880. Dec. 30	1880. Dec. 31	1880. Dec. 31	1880. Dec. 29	1880. Dec. 31	1880. Dec 31	1880. Dec. 31	1881. Jan. 1	1881. Jan. 1	1881. Jan. 2	1881. Jan. 3	1881. Jan. 1	1881. Jan. 3	1881. Jan. 4	1881. Jan. 27	1881. Feb. 15
1881. Jan. 27	1881. Jan. 28	1881. Jan. 28	1881. Jan. 26	1881. Jan. 28	1881. Jan. 28	1881. Jan. 28	Jan. 29	Jan. 29	Jan. 30	Jan. 31	Jan. 29	Jan. 31	Feb. 1	Feb. 24	Mar. 15
Feb. 24	Feb. 25	Feb. 25	Feb. 23	Feb. 25	Feb. 25	Feb. 25	Feb. 26	Feb. 26	Feb. 27	Feb. 28	Feb. 26	Feb. 28	Mar. 1	Mar. 24	April 12
Mar. 24	Mar. 25	Mar. 25	Mar. 23	Mar. 25	Mar. 25	Mar. 25	Mar. 26	Mar. 26	Mar. 27	Mar. 28	Mar. 26	Mar. 28	Mar. 29	April 21	May 10
April 21	April 22	April 22	April 20	April 22	April 22	April 22	April 23	April 23	April 24	April 25	April 23	April 25	April 26	May 19	June 7
May 19	May 20	May 20	May 18	May 20	May 20	May 20	May 21	May 21	May 22	May 23	May 21	May 23	May 24	June 16	July 5
June 16	June 17	June 17	June 15	June 17	June 17	June 17	June 18	June 18	June 19	June 20	June 18	June 20	June 21	July 14	Aug. 2
July 14	July 15	July 15	July 13	July 15	July 15	July 15	July 16	July 16	July 17	July 18	July 16	July 18	July 19	Aug. 11	Aug. 30
Aug. 11	Aug. 12	Aug. 12	Aug. 10	Aug. 12	Aug. 12	Aug. 12	Aug. 13	Aug. 13	Aug. 14	Aug. 15	Aug. 13	Aug. 15	Aug. 16	Sept. 8	Sept. 27
Sept. 8	Sept. 9	Sept. 9	Sept. 7	Sept. 9	Sept. 9	Sept. 9	Sept. 10	Sept. 10	Sept. 11	Sept. 12	Sept. 10	Sept. 12	Sept. 13	Oct. 6	Oct. 25
Oct. 6	Oct. 7	Oct. 7	Oct. 5	Oct. 7	Oct. 7	Oct. 7	Oct. 8	Oct. 8	Oct. 9	Oct. 10	Oct. 8	Oct. 10	Oct. 11	Nov. 3	Nov. 22
Nov. 3	Nov. 4	Nov. 4	Nov. 2	Nov. 4	Nov. 4	Nov. 4	Nov. 5	Nov. 5	Nov. 6	Nov. 7	Nov. 5	Nov. 7	Nov. 8	Dec. 1	Dec. 20
Dec. 1	Dec. 2	Dec. 2	Nov. 30	Dec. 2	Dec. 2	Dec. 2	Dec. 3	Dec. 3	Dec. 4	Dec. 5	Dec. 3	Dec. 5	Dec. 6	Dec. 29	1882. Jan. 17
Dec. 29	Dec. 30	Dec. 30	Dec. 28	Dec. 30	Dec. 30	Dec. 30	Dec. 31	Dec. 31	1882. Jan. 1	1882. Jan. 2	Dec. 31	1882. Jan. 2	1882. Jan. 3	1882. Jan. 26	Feb. 14
1882. Jan. 26	1882. Jan. 27	1882. Jan. 27	1882. Jan. 25	1882. Jan. 27	1882. Jan. 27	1882. Jan. 27	1882. Jan. 28	1882. Jan. 28	Jan. 29	Jan. 30	1882. Jan. 28	Jan. 30	Jan. 31	Feb. 23	Mar. 14

Time from Wellington and Auckland to London, 44 and 42 days respectively.

Arrive

TIME TABLE OF DATES OF ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF ENGLISH MAILS VIA SAN FRANCISCO, 1881—*continued.*

OUTWARD ROUTE.

Leave London.	Leave San Francisco.	Arrive Auckland.	Arrive Thames.	Arrive New Plymouth.	Arrive Nelson.	Arrive Picton.	Arrive Welling-ton.	Arrive Lyttelton.	Arrive Dunedin.	Arrive Invercargill.	Arrive Westport.	Arrive Greymouth.	Arrive Hokitika.	Arrive Napier.	Arrive Sydney.
Thursday. 1880.	Saturday.* 1880.	Monday. 1881.	Tuesday. 188	Tuesday. 1881.	Thursday. 1881.	Thursday. 1881.	Wedn'sday 1881.	Thursday. 1881.	Thursday. 1881.	Friday. 1881.	Monday. 1881.	Saturday. 1881.	Saturday. 1881.	Thursday. 1881.	Saturday. 1881.
Dec. 2	Dec. 18 1881.	Jan. 10	Jan. 1	Jan. 11	Jan. 13	Jan. 13	Jan. 12	Jan. 13	Jan. 13	Jan. 14	Jan. 17	Jan. 15	Jan. 15	Jan. 13	Jan. 15
Dec. 30 1881.	Jan. 15	Feb. 7	Feb.	Feb. 8	Feb. 10	Feb. 10	Feb. 9	Feb. 10	Feb. 10	Feb. 11	Feb. 14	Feb. 12	Feb. 12	Feb. 10	Feb. 12
Jan. 27	Feb. 12	Mar. 7	Mar. 8	Mar. 8	Mar. 10	Mar. 10	Mar. 9	Mar. 10	Mar. 10	Mar. 11	Mar. 14	Mar. 12	Mar. 12	Mar. 10	Mar. 12
Feb. 24	Mar. 12	April 4	April 5	April 5	April 7	April 7	April 6	April 7	April 7	April 8	April 11	April 9	April 9	April 7	April 9
Mar. 24	April 9	May 2	May 3	May 3	May 5	May 5	May 4	May 5	May 5	May 6	May 9	May 7	May 7	May 5	May 7
April 21	May 7	May 30	May 31	May 31	June 2	June 2	June 1	June 2	June 2	June 3	June 6	June 4	June 4	June 2	June 4
May 19	June 4	June 27	June 28	June 28	June 30	June 30	June 29	June 30	June 30	July 1	July 4	July 2	July 2	June 30	July 2
June 16	July 2	July 25	July 26	July 26	July 28	July 28	July 27	July 28	July 28	July 29	Aug. 1	July 30	July 30	July 28	July 30
July 14	July 30	Aug. 22	Aug. 23	Aug. 23	Aug. 25	Aug. 25	Aug. 24	Aug. 25	Aug. 25	Aug. 26	Aug. 29	Aug. 27	Aug. 27	Aug. 25	Aug. 27
Aug. 11	Aug. 27	Sept. 19	Sept. 20	Sept. 20	Sept. 22	Sept. 22	Sept. 21	Sept. 22	Sept. 22	Sept. 23	Sept. 26	Sept. 24	Sept. 24	Sept. 22	Sept. 24
Sept. 8	Sept. 24	Oct. 17	Oct. 18	Oct. 18	Oct. 20	Oct. 20	Oct. 19	Oct. 20	Oct. 20	Oct. 21	Oct. 24	Oct. 22	Oct. 22	Oct. 20	Oct. 22
Oct. 6	Oct. 22	Nov. 14	Nov. 15	Nov. 15	Nov. 17	Nov. 17	Nov. 16	Nov. 17	Nov. 17	Nov. 18	Nov. 21	Nov. 19	Nov. 19	Nov. 17	Nov. 19
Nov. 3	Nov. 19	Dec. 12 1882.	Dec. 13 1882.	Dec. 13 1882.	Dec. 15 1882.	Dec. 15 1882.	Dec. 14 1882.	Dec. 15 1882.	Dec. 15 1882.	Dec. 16 1882.	Dec. 19 1882.	Dec. 17 1882.	Dec. 17 1882.	Dec. 15 1882.	Dec. 17 1882.
Dec. 1	Dec. 17 1882.	Jan. 9	Jan. 10	Jan. 10	Jan. 12	Jan. 12	Jan. 11	Jan. 12	Jan. 12	Jan. 13	Jan. 16	Jan. 14	Jan. 14	Jan. 12	Jan. 14
Dec. 29	Jan. 14	Feb. 6	Feb. 7	Feb. 7	Feb. 9	Feb. 9	Feb. 8	Feb. 9	Feb. 9	Feb. 10	Feb. 13	Feb. 11	Feb. 11	Feb. 9	Feb. 11

* Or immediately on arrival of the English mails at San Francisco.

Time from London to Auckland and Wellington, 39 and 41 days respectively.

Time Table of Dates of Arrival and Departure of English Mails during 1881, via GALLE and BRINDISI; also per ORIENT STEAMERS, via Naples.

GALLE-BRINDISI SERVICE.		ORIENT SERVICE.	
HOMEWARD.		HOMEWARD.	
Leave Melbourne—		Leave Melbourne—	
March	30	March	29
April	13	April	12
"	25	"	26
May	9	May	10
"	23	"	24
June	5	June	6
"	19	"	20
July	3	July	4

No official time table for the Galle-Brindisi service for the year 1881 has as yet been issued. It is more than probable, however, that existing arrangements will be continued, but the dates above given cannot be guaranteed, and are subject to alteration. With the departure from Bluff Harbour on February 10th, and the arrival in Wellington on March 4th, 1881, the agreement with the Union Steam Shipping Company for conveyance of English Brindisi mails between Melbourne and New Zealand expired. Brindisi mails are now conveyed by chance steamers to and from Melbourne.

The departure of mails from Melbourne by the steamers of the Orient Line are also given. Specially addressed correspondence intended to be forwarded by Orient steamers from Melbourne will be forwarded from New Zealand by the last steamer timed to reach Melbourne before the departure of the steamer of the Orient Line. If marked "Via Naples," letters, &c., should reach London seven days earlier than if taken on to Plymouth by steamer.

List of Post Offices.—Arrivals and Departures of Mails.

[The Offices printed in Large Capitals in the first Column are Head Offices.]

Miles distant from Head Office.	Post Office.	Head Office.	Mail closes at Head Office.	Mail arrives at Post Town.	Mail closes at Post Town.	Mail arrives at Head Office.
43	ADAMS FLAT ...	Dunedin ...	Wed, Sat, 6 am ...	Wed, Sat, 3 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 3.30 pm ...	Mon, Thurs, 10.50 am
8	Addison's ...	Westport ...	Tues, Fri, noon ...	Tues, Fri, 2 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 7.15 am ...	Tues, Fri, 10 am
22	Ahaura ...	Greymouth ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 11 am...	Mon, Wed, Fri, noon ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 pm
230	Ahipara ...	Auckland ...	Mon, 4 pm ...	Thurs, 5 pm ...	Wed, 6 am ...	Sat, 9 am
56	Akaroa ...	Christchurch	Daily, 7 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 3.30 pm; Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 7.30 am	Mon, Wed, Fri, 4 pm
75	Akuaku ...	Gisborne ...	Every alt. Tues, 3 pm ...	Every alt. Fri, 1 pm ...	Every alt. Sat, 2.30 pm ...	Every alt. Tues, 9.30 am
1	Albany Street (Branch Office)	Dunedin ...	Daily, 8.30 am, 1 pm, 3 pm	Daily, 8.40 am, 1.40 pm, 3.15 pm	Daily, 5.30, 8.40 am, 1.30, 3.15 pm; for Foreign Ship Mails 20 min. before hour of closing at Chief Office	Daily, 6 am, 9 am, 2 pm, 3.30 pm
200	Albert Town ...	Dunedin ...	Mon, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Sat, 5.30 pm ...	Mon, Wed, 8 am ...	Tues, Thurs, 7 pm
28	Albury ...	Timaru ...	Daily, 6 am, 3 pm ...	Daily, 9.5 am, 5.25 pm ...	Daily, 8.50 am, 5.15 pm...	Daily, 11.20 am, 7.50 pm
121	Albury (from Christchurch) ...		Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 8.55 am ...	Daily, 5 pm ...	Daily, 7.15 pm
105	Alexandra ...	Auckland ...	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 4.30 pm ...	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 5 pm
69	Alford Forest ...	Christchurch	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 3 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8.15 pm
96	Alfredton ...	Wellington ...	Mon, 7 am ...	Tues, 10 am ...	Tues, 11 am ...	Thurs, 12.30 pm
30	Amberley ...	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am, 11 am ...	Daily, 9.35 am, 2.15 pm...	Daily, 11.45 am, 4.30 pm	Daily, 2.50 pm, 8 pm
75	Annandale ...	Invercargill...	Sat, 5 pm ...	Mon, 10 am ...	Tues, 11 am ...	Tues, 5.10 pm
52	Antonio's Flat ...	Greymouth ...	Thurs, 6.30 am ...	Sat, 12.30 pm ...	Sat, noon ...	Mon, 6 pm
125	Aotea ...	Auckland ...	Thurs, 7 pm ...	Fri, 10 pm ...	Fri, 1.30 pm ...	Sat, 5 pm
2	Appleby ...	Invercargill...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 4.30 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6.30 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 9 am
12	Appleby ...	Nelson ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 9 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 10.45 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 11.45 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 2.30 pm
4½	Arahura ...	Hokitika ...	Daily, 8.30 am, 2 pm ...	Daily, 9.45 am, 3.15 pm...	Daily, 10.45 am, 3 pm ...	Daily, 11 am, 4 pm
112	Aratapu ...	Auckland ...	Tues, 6 am; Wed, 2.15 pm	Tues, 4 pm; Thurs, with tide	Wed, 8 am; Fri, with tide	Wed, 8 pm; Sat, 11 am
16	Arnold ...	Greymouth ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 1 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 2 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6 pm
210	Arrow River ...	Dunedin ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 9 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 pm
229	Arthur's Point (from Dunedin) ...		Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, 8.30 am ...	Tues, 4 pm ...	Thurs, 7 pm
	Arthur's Point ...	Invercargill...	Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, 8.30 am ...	Tues, 4 pm ...	Wed, 6.49 pm
2	Ashbourne ...	Christchurch	Daily, 9.40 am ...	Daily, 10.30 am ...	Daily, 4 pm ...	Daily 4.30 pm
53	Ashburton ...	Christchurch	Daily, 7.30 am, 12.15 pm, 3.45 pm	Daily, 10.25 am, 4.35 pm, 7.50 pm	Daily, 5.30 am, 10 am, 5 pm	Daily, 9.35 am, 2.10 pm, 8.30 pm
70	Ashburton Forks	Christchurch	Tues, Fri, 7.30 am ...	Tues, Fri, 1.30 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 11.30 am ...	Wed, Sat, 8.30 pm
104	Ashurst ...	Wellington ...	Tues, Sat, 7.30 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, 7 am ...	Mon, Fri, 5 pm ...	Tues, Sat, 5.30 pm
22	Ashley Bank ...	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 8.52 am ...	Daily, 12.30 pm ...	Daily, 2.45 pm
63	Ashton ...	Christchurch	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 6.30 pm ...	Daily, 9 pm ...	Daily, 8.30 pm
69	Athol ...	Invercargill ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 11.27 am	Mon, Wed, Fri, 1.30 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6.49 pm
	AUCKLAND.					
110	Awahuri ...	Wellington ...	Tues, Sat, 7.30 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 10.15 am ...	Tues, Fri, 8.45 am ...	Thurs, Sat, 5.30 pm
17	Awamoko ...	Oamaru ...	Mon, Fri, 3.15 pm ...	Mon, Fri, 6 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 7 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 8.5 pm
94	Awamoko (from Dunedin) ...		Mon, Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, Fri, 4.30 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 7 pm ...	Mon, Thurs, 12.45 pm
16	Awatere ...	Blenheim ...	Sat, 2.30 pm ...	Sat, 6 pm ...	Fri, 2.30 pm ...	Fri, 6 pm
214	Awanui ...	Auckland ...	Mon, 4 pm ...	Thurs, 2.30 pm ...	Wed, 8.45 am ...	Sat, 9 am
34	Awhitu ...	Auckland ...	Tues, Fri, 1.20 pm ...	Wed, Sat, with tide ...	Wed, Sat, with tide ...	Mon, Thurs, 9.15 am
22	Aylesbury ...	Christchurch	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 9.14 am ...	Daily, 4.46 pm ...	Daily, 6.45 pm
138	BALD HILL FLAT	Dunedin ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 5 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 pm
29	Balcairn ...	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 9.30 am ...	Daily, 4.30 pm ...	Daily, 7.45 pm
52	Balclutha ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am, 3.45 pm ...	Daily, 11.15 am, 8.5 pm...	Daily, week days, 2.45 pm, 10 pm; Sun, 5 pm	Daily, 10.50 am, 7 pm
75	Balclutha (from Invercargill) ...		Daily, 9.30 am ...	Daily, 3.25 pm ...	Daily, 11 am ...	Daily, 4.35 pm
47	Barrhill ...	Christchurch	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, noon ...	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 2.10 pm
48	Barry's Bay ...	Christchurch	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 4 pm ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 10 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6.30 pm
17	Barrytown ...	Greymouth ...	Tues, Sat, 11 am ...	Mon, Wed, with tide ...	Tues, Sat, with tide ...	Mon, Wed, noon
79	Batley ...	Auckland ...	Mon, Wed, 2.15 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, with tide ...	Wed, Fri, with tide ...	Wed, Fri, 8 pm
17	Beaconsfield ...	Dunedin ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10.40 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 9.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 12.45 pm
84	Bealey ...	Christchurch	Tues, Fri, 7.30 am ...	Tues, Fri, 9 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 10 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 6.45 pm
72	Beaumont ...	Dunedin ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 3 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 11.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 pm
110	Beck's ...	Dunedin ...	Mon, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Sat, 1.30 pm ...	Mon, Fri, 10 am ...	Tues, Sat, 8.40 pm
5	Bell Block ...	New Plymouth	Mon, Wed, Fri, 4 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 5 pm ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 4.30 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 7.50 pm
160	Bendigo ...	Dunedin ...	Mon, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Sat, 3 pm ...	Mon, 9 am, Tues, 5 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, 7 pm
34	Benmore ...	Invercargill...	Tues, Sat, 6 am ...	Tues, Sat, 6 pm ...	Tues, Sat, 4 pm ...	Tues, Sat, 6.49 pm
37	Bennett's ...	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 10.20 am ...	Daily, 3.30 pm ...	Daily, 7.45 pm
25	Berwick ...	Dunedin ...	Mon, Thurs, 3.45 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 1 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 2 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 6.5 pm
72	Bideford ...	Wellington ...	Sat, 3 pm ...	Sun, 10.30 am ...	Sun, 1.30 pm ...	Mon, 12.30 pm
	Big Bay ...	Hokitika ...	Once a month by steamer			
12	Big Dam ...	Hokitika ...	Tues, Fri, 8.45 am ...	Tues, Fri, 11.30 am ...	Tues, Fri, 6.30 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 4 pm

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Miles distant from Head Office.	Post Office.	Head Office.	Mail closes at Head Office.	Mail arrives at Post Town.	Mail closes at Post Town.	Mail arrives at Head Office.
3	Big Paddock ...	Hokitika ...	Mon, Thurs, 7 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 6 am ...	Wed, Sat, 3.30 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 4.30 pm
52	Bishop's ...	Dunedin ...	Tues, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Fri, 3 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 3.30 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 10.50 am
9	Blackbridge ...	Wellington ...	Daily, 7 am, 3 pm ...	Daily, 8.35 am, 4.25 pm...	Daily, 11 am, 4.30 pm ...	Daily, 12.30 pm, 6.10 pm
58	Blackburn (from Ongaonga)	Napier	Sat, 2 pm ...	Sat, 5 pm ...	Sat, 8 am ...	Sat, 6.40 pm
77	Blackmount ...	Invercargill ...	Tues, 5 pm ...	Wed, 4 pm ...	Thurs, 7 am ...	Thurs, 5.10 pm
51	Black's Point ...	Greymouth ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 pm ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 pm
112	Blackstone Hill ...	Dunedin ...	Mon, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Sat, 10 am ...	Mon, Fri, 1 pm ...	Tues, Sat, 8.40 pm
36	Blackwater ...	Greymouth ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 2 pm ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 10 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 pm
	BLENHEIM.					
23	Blue Cliffs ...	Timaru ...	Tues, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Fri, noon ...	Tues, Fri, 12.30 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 7.45 pm
15	Blueskin	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am, 2.30 pm ...	Daily, 8.35 am, 4.15 pm...	Daily, 11 am, 7 pm ...	Daily, 12.45 pm, 8.40 pm
63	Bluespur ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 2.45 pm ...	Daily, 2.45 pm ...	Daily, 7 pm
43	Boatman's ...	Westport ...	Mon, Thurs, 10 pm ...	Thurs, Sat, noon ...	Thurs, Sat, 4 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 7 pm
29	Bombay ...	Auckland ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 7 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10.15 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5.45 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 9.45 am
26	Brighton ...	Westport ...	Fri, noon ...	Sat, 5 pm ...	Sat, 7 am ...	Tues, 10 am
12	Brighton ...	Dunedin ...	Tues, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Fri, 3 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 10 am ...	Tues, Fri, 7 pm
12	Brightwater ...	Nelson ...	Daily, 9 am, 4 pm ...	Daily, 10.30 am, 5.30 pm	Daily, 7.40 am, 1 pm ...	Daily, 9 am, 2.30 pm
11	Broad Bay ...	Dunedin ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 2 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10.15 am
12	Broadfield ...	Christchurch	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 8.45 am...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 8.30 am	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6.45 pm
20	Brookside ...	Christchurch	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 10 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 8.30 pm ..	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6.45 pm
7	Brunnerton ...	Greymouth ...	Daily, 11 am ...	Daily, 12.30 pm ...	Daily, 4.30 pm ...	Daily, 6 pm
9	Brunswick ...	Wanganui ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 9 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 9 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 11 am
33	Buckland ...	Auckland ...	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 9.20 am ...	Daily, 2 pm ...	Daily, 5 pm
40	Bull's ...	Wanganui ...	Daily, 3.30 pm ...	Daily, 8 pm ...	Daily, 4.30 pm ...	Daily, 10.10 pm
124	Bull's (from Wellington) ...		Mon, Wed, Fri, 3 pm; Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7.30 pm	Daily, 8 pm ...	Daily, 4.30 pm ...	Daily, 5.30 pm
40	Bulmer ...	Timaru ...	Tues, Sat, 6 am ...	Wed, Sat, 3.30 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 3.35 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 8.20 pm
56	Burke's Pass ...	Timaru ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 1 pm ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 12.45 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 7.50 pm
18	Burnham ...	Christchurch	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 8.40 am ...	Daily, noon, 6.30 pm ...	Daily, 2.10 pm, 8.30 pm
125	Cambrian ...	Dunedin ...	Mon, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Sat, 11.30 am ...	Mon, Fri, 11.30 am ...	Tues, Sat, 8.40 pm
100	Cambridge ...	Auckland ...	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 4 pm ...	Daily, 8 am ...	Daily, 5 pm

17	Campbelltown ...	Invercargill ...	Daily, 10.45 am, 3.15 pm	Daily, 12.15 pm, 4.45 pm	Daily, 7.30 am, 1.30 pm	Daily, 9 am, 3 pm
114	Campbelltown ...	Wellington ...	Tues, 7.30 pm ...	Thurs, noon ...	Thurs, 7 am ...	Sat, 5.30 pm
20	Camptown ...	Greymouth ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10 am...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 1 pm ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 pm
36	Canavan's ...	Timaru ...	Wed, Sat, 6 am ...	Wed, Sat, 3 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 3.5 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 8.20 pm
58	Carterton ...	Wellington ...	Daily, 7 am, 3 pm ...	Daily, 11.45 am, 7.40 pm	Daily, 7.45 am, 1.15 pm...	Daily, 12.30 pm, 6.10 pm
133	Carnarvon ...	Wellington ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7.30 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 11.15 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 11 am...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5.30 pm
213	Cardrona ...	Dunedin ...	Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, 4 pm ...	Tues, 9.30 am ...	Thurs, 7 pm
75	Cass River ...	Christchurch	Tues, Fri, 7.30 am ...	Tues, Fri, 7 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 7 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 7.15 pm
129	Castlepoint ...	Wellington ...	Mon, Thurs, 3 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 5 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 9 pm ...	Mon, Thurs, 12.30 pm
21	Cave ...	Timaru ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 8.40 am ...	Daily, 5.40 pm ...	Daily, 7.50 pm
2	Caversham ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am, 3.45 pm ...	Daily, 9 am, 4.30 pm ...	Daily, 8 am, 4.15 pm ...	Daily, 8.50 am, 6.5 pm
18	Charleston ...	Westport ...	Tues, Fri, noon ...	Tues, Fri, 5 pm ...	Mon, Thurs, 10 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 10 am
	Chatham Islands	...	By sea as opportunity offers.			
49	Chatton ...	Invercargill ...	Tues, Sat, 6.45 am ...	Tues, Sat, 1.30 pm ...	Tues, Sat, 7 am ...	Tues, Sat, 4.35 pm
116	Cheltenham ...	Wellington ...	Mon, Thurs, 7.30 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 12.30 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 1.30 pm ...	Mon, Thurs, 5.30 pm
42	Chertsey ...	Christchurch	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 10 am ...	Daily, 5 pm ...	Daily, 8.30 pm
70	Cheviot ...	Christchurch	Mon, 6 am ...	Mon, 7 pm ...	Tues, 7.30 am ...	Tues, 7.45 pm
	CHRISTCHURCH.					
245	Christchurch & Dun	edin (overland)	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 8.40 pm ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 8.30 pm
146	Christchurch & Grey	mouth (overl'nd)	Tues, Fri, 7.30 am ...	Wed, Sat, 6.30 pm ...	Mon, Thurs, 3 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 6.45 pm
139	Christchurch & Hok	itika (overland)	Tues, Fri, 7.30 am ...	Wed, Sat, 6 pm	Mon, Thurs, 7 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 6.45 pm
100	Christchurch (from	Timaru) ...	Daily, 6 am, 2.50, 4 pm	Daily, 10.35 am, 1, 8.20 pm	Daily, 7.30 am, 1, 3.45 pm	Daily, 9.45 am, 2.10, 8.30 pm
152	Christchurch (from	Oamaru) ...	Daily, 11.50 am, 3.15 pm	Daily, 1 pm, 8.15 pm ...	Daily, 7.30 am, 1 pm ...	Daily, 11.15 am, 3.35 pm
55	Churchill ...	Auckland ...	Tues, Fri, 7.30 am ...	Tues, Fri, 2.30 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 9.30 am ...	Tues, Fri, 5 pm
60	Clareville ...	Wellington ...	Daily, 7 am ...	Daily, 11.50 am ...	Daily, 7.45 am ...	Daily, 12.30 pm
35	Clark's ...	Dunedin ...	Fri, 3.45 pm ...	Sat, 10 am ...	Mon, noon ...	Mon, 6.5 pm
15	Clarkville ...	Christchurch	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 9 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10.15 am
38	Clarksville ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 10.30 am ...	Daily, 8 am ..	Daily, 10.50 am
3½	Clifton ...	Invercargill ...	Daily, 10.45 am ...	Daily, 11.30 am ...	Daily 2 pm ...	Daily, 3 pm
74	Clinton ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am, 3.45 pm ...	Daily, 12.30 pm, 9.15 pm	Daily, 1.40 pm, 9 pm ...	Daily, 10.50 am, 7 pm
66	Clinton (from Inver	cargill) ...	Daily, 9.30 am ...	Daily, 1.50 pm ...	Daily, noon ...	Daily, 4.35 pm
8	Clive ...	Napier ...	Daily, 6 am, 3.30 pm ...	Daily, 8 am, 5 pm ...	Daily, 9 am, 5.45 pm ...	Daily, 9.50 am, 6.40 pm
151	Clyde ...	Dunedin ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 2.30 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 pm
102	Coal Creek Flat ...	Dunedin ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5.30 am	Mon, Wed, Fri, 7 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 pm
38	Coalgate ...	Christchurch	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 10.45 am ...	Daily, 3 pm ...	Daily, 6.45 pm
½	Cobden ...	Greymouth ...	Daily, 11 am ...	Daily, 11.15 am ...	Daily, 11.30 am ...	Daily, noon

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65	Collingwood ...	Nelson ...	As opportunity offers ...	As opportunity offers ...	As opportunity offers ...	As opportunity offers
23	Courtenay ...	Christchurch	Wed, Sat, 2.45 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 7.10 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 9 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 10.15 am
17	Coutts Island ...	Christchurch	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 9.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7.15 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10.15 am
83	Cracroft ...	Christchurch	Wed, Sat, 7.30 am ...	Wed, Sat, 1.30 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 2 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 8.30 pm
40	Craigieburn ...	Auckland ...	Thurs, Sat, 10 am ...	Thurs, Sat, 4 pm ...	Mon, Fri, 9.30 am ...	Mon, Fri, 6 pm
36	Crofton ...	Wanganui ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 3.30 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 9.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 9.15 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10.10 pm
118	Crofton (from	Wellington)	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7.30 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10 am...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 5.30 pm
145	Cromwell ...	Dunedin ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, noon ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 12.30 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 pm
36	Cronaden ...	Westport ...	Mon, Thurs, 10 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 5 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 8 am ...	Wed, Sat, 7 pm
102	Crookston ...	Dunedin ...	Tues, Fri, 6 am ...	Wed, Sat, 9.30 am ...	Wed, Sat, 4 pm ...	Mon, Thurs, 7 pm
32	Cust ...	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 12.30 pm ...	Daily, 12.30 pm ...	Daily, 7.45 pm
23	Dairy Flat ...	Auckland ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 8.15 am	Mon, Wed, Fri, 1 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 11 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 3.30 pm
76	Danevirk ...	Napier ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 1.45 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10 am...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6.40 pm
30	Darfield ...	Christchurch	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 10 am [tide	Daily, 3.30 pm ...	Daily, 6.45 pm
119	Dargaville ...	Auckland ...	Tues, 6 am ; Wed, 2.15 pm	Tues, 6 pm ; Thurs, with	Wed, 6 am ; Fri, with tide	Wed, 8 pm ; Sat, 11 am
65	Deep Creek ...	Blenheim ...	Fri, 10.30 am ...	Sat, 4 pm ...	Mon, 8.30 am ...	Thurs, 3 pm
40	Deepstream ...	Dunedin ...	Fri, 3.45 pm ...	Sat, noon ...	Mon, 10 am ...	Mon, 6.5 pm
2	Devonport ...	Auckland ...	Daily, 8.15 am, 3 pm ...	Daily, 9.30 am, 4 pm ...	Daily, 7.20 am, 2.30 pm...	Daily, 8 am, 3.30 pm
20	Dillman's Town ...	Hokitika ...	Daily, 8.30 am ...	Daily, 12.15 pm ...	Daily, 10.30 am ...	Daily, 4 pm
37	Dipton ...	Invercargill ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 9.11 am ...	Daily, 4 pm ...	Daily, 6.49 pm
23	Doyleston ...	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 9.11 am ...	Daily, 4 pm ...	Daily, 6.49 pm
41	Driving Creek ...	Auckland ...	Every steamer to Kapanga	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10.30 am	Every stmr. from Kapanga
22	Drury ...	Auckland ...	Daily, 7.30 am, 7 pm ...	Daily, 8.25 am, 10.5 am	Daily, 7 30 am, 2.30 pm...	Daily, 9.45 am, 5 pm
120	Drybread ...	Dunedin ...	Fri, 6 am ...	Sat, 6 pm ...	Thurs, 3.30 pm ...	Sat, 8.40 pm
50	Dunback ...	Dunedin ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 11.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 2 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8.40 pm
	DUNEDIN.					
245	Dunedin and Christ	church Overland	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 8.30 pm ...	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 8.40 pm
134	Dunedin and Inverc	argill (Overland)	Daily 6 am, 3.45 pm ...	Daily, 10.30 am, 4.35 pm	Daily, 9.30 am, 2.45 pm...	Daily, 10.50 am, 7 pm
74	Dunedin from Oam	aru (Overland)	Daily, 6 am, 3.15 pm ...	Daily, 12.45 pm, 8.40 pm	Daily, 6 am, 2.30 pm, 4.45 pm	Daily, 10.15 am, 12.5 pm, 8.25 pm

131	Dunedin from Tima	ru (Overland)	Daily, 12.40 pm, 4 pm ...	Daily, 12.45 pm, 8.40 pm	Daily, 6 am, 2.30 pm ...	Daily, 10.40 am, 3 pm
16	Dunganville ...	Greymouth ...	Mon, Thurs, 2.45 pm ...	Mon, Thurs, 7 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 8 am ...	Tues, Fri, 11 am
85	Dunrobin ...	Dunedin ...	Tues, Fri, 6 am ...	Wed, Sat, 11.30 am ...	Wed, Sat, 4 pm ...	Mon, Thurs, 7 pm
23	Dunsandel ...	Christchurch	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 9.15 am ...	Daily, 5 pm ...	Daily, 8.15 pm
27	Duntroon... ...	Oamaru ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, Sat, 6 am, 3.15 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, Sat, 9.10 am, 6.10 pm ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, Sat, 8.30 am, 5 pm ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, Sat, 11.20 am, 8.40 pm
107	Duntroon (from	Dunedin) ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, Sat, 6 am	Mon, Wed, Fr, Sat, 6.10 pm	Mon, Wed, Fr, Sat, 8.30 am	Mon, Wed, Fr, Sat, 8.40 pm
50	Duvauchelle ...	Christchurch	Daily, 7 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 2 pm ; Tues, Thurs, Sat, 4.30 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 9.30 am	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6.30 pm
71½	Ealing ...	Christchurch	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 11.30 am ...	Daily, 5 pm ...	Daily, 9.45 am
40	East Oxford ...	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 10.45 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 3 pm ; Tues, Thurs, Sat, 3.35 pm	Daily, 7.45 pm
10	East Taieri ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 9 am ...	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 10 am
25	Edendale... ...	Invercargill ...	Daily, 9.30 am ...	Daily, 11.20 am ...	Daily, 3 pm ...	Daily, 4.35 pm
3	Edenvale ...	Auckland ...	Daily, 4.10 pm ...	Daily, 5.30 pm ...	Daily, 8 am ...	Daily, 9 am
111	Eketahuna ...	Wellington ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 7 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7.30 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6.10 pm
50	Elbow ...	Invercargill ...	Daily, 6 am, 3.30 pm ...	Daily, 10.20 am, 7.30 pm	Daily, 3 pm, 8 pm ...	Daily, 9.26 am, 6.49 pm
58	Elgin ...	Christchurch	Mon, Wed, Fri, 12.15 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8.30 pm
21	Ellesmere ...	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 9 am ...	Daily, 4.30 pm ...	Daily, 6.45 pm
45	Elmslie's Bay ...	Nelson ...	By sea as opportunity offers	By sea as opportunity offers	By sea as opportunity offers	By sea as opportunity offers
7	Enfield ...	Oamaru ...	Mon, Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6 am, 3.15 pm	Mon, Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8 am, 5 pm	Mon, Tues, Thurs, Sat, 9 am, 6 pm	Mon, Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10.35 am, 7.45 pm
81	Enfield (from	Dunedin) ...	Mon, Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6 am	Mon, Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5 pm	Mon, Tues, Thurs, Sat, 9 am	Mon, Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8.40 pm
70	Erewhon ...	Napier ...	Tues, 10.30 am ...	Thurs, 4 pm ...	Sun, 8 am ...	Tues, 3 pm
18	Evansdale ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 8.38 am ...	Daily, 11 am ...	Daily, 12.45 pm
63	Evans Flat ...	Dunedin ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 2 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 1 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 pm
20	Eyreton ...	Christchurch	Wed, Sat, 6 am ...	Wed, Sat, 10 am ...	Mon, 7 am ; Thurs, 11 am	Mon, 10.15 am ; Thurs, 2.45 [pm
6¼	Fairdown Junct.	Westport ...	Wed, Sat, 1.45 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 2.30 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 5 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 6 pm
7	Fairfield ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 9 am ...	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 10.50 am
38	Fairlie Creek ...	Timaru ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 10.40 am	Mon, Wed, Fri, 3 pm ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 7.50 pm
45	Featherston ...	Wellington ...	Daily, 7 am, 3 pm ...	Daily, 11 am, 6.50 pm ...	Daily, 8.45 am, 2.20 pm ...	Daily, 12.30 pm, 6.10 pm
107	Feilding ...	Wellington ...	Daily, 7.30 pm ...	Daily, 6.40 pm ...	Daily, 7.30 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5.30 pm
51	Feilding (from	Wanganui) ...	Daily, 3.30 pm ; also Wed, Sat, 11.30 am	Daily, 7.45 pm ; also Wed, Sat, 4.5 pm	Daily, 9 am, 4.45 pm ...	Daily, 1.30 pm, 10.10 pm
54	Fern Flat ...	Westport ...	Every alt. Mon, 10 pm ...	Every alt. Wed, noon ...	Every alt. Tues, 1 pm ...	Every alt. Wed, 7 pm

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24	Fernside ...	Christchurch	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am; Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6 am, 3.45 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 12.30 pm; Tues, Thurs, Sat, 9.15 am, 6.25 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 1 pm; Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8 am, 5 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 7.45 pm; Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10.15 am, 7.45 pm
37	Flag Swamp ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 10.45 am ...	Daily, 9.15 am ...	Daily, 12.45 pm
15	Flaxton ...	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 9.15 am ...	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 10.15 am
18	Flint's Bush ...	Invercargill ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10.15 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 12.20 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 3 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5.10 pm
13	Fordell ...	Wanganui ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 3.30 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5.10 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, noon ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 1.30 pm
145	Fordell (from	Wellington) ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7.30 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 9.15 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 4.45 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5.30 pm
147	Fortrose (from Dun	edin) ...	Mon, Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, Fri, 5 pm ...	Tues, Sat, 9.30 am ...	Tues, Sat, 7 pm
56	Fortrose ...	Invercargill ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 9.30 am	Mon, Wed, 6 am; Sat, 11 am	Tues, Thurs, 8.30 am; Sat, noon	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7.58 pm
14	Fox's ...	Hokitika ...	Tues, Fri, 8.45 am ...	Tues, Fri, 2.45 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 5 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 4 pm
22	Foxhill ...	Nelson ...	Daily, 4 pm ...	Daily, 6.15 pm ...	Daily, 7 am ...	Daily, 9 am
20	Foxhill Station ...	Nelson ...	Daily, 9 am, 4 pm ...	Daily, 11 am, 6 pm ...	Daily, 7.15 am, 12.45 pm	Daily, 9 am, 2.30 pm
71	Foxton ...	Wellington ...	Daily, 7.30 pm ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 4.10 pm ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 8.30 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5.30 pm
	Foxton (from	Napier) ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...			Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6.40 pm
85	Foxton (from	Wanganui) ...	Daily, 3.30 pm, 9 pm ...	Daily, 1.20 pm, 9.50 pm	Daily, 3.45 pm, 8.30 pm	Daily, 1.30 pm, 10.12 pm
220	Frankton ...	Dunedin ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 pm ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 5.30 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 pm
24	Gap ...	Invercargill ...	Sat, 6 am ...	Sat, 10 am ...	Sat, 3 pm ...	Mon, 9.26 am
27	Gapes' Valley ...	Timaru ...	Wed, Sat, 6 am ...	Wed, Sat, 3.10 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 3.10 pm ...	Mon, Thurs, 10.35 am
15	Gebbie's Flat ...	Christchurch	Sat, 7 am ...	Sat, 12.30 pm ...	Sat, 1 pm ...	Sat, 6.40 pm
21	Georgetown ...	Oamaru ...	Mon, Fri, 3.15 pm ...	Mon, Fri, 5 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 9 am ...	Wed, Sat, 11.30 am
95	Georgetown (from	Dunedin) ...	Mon, Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, Fri, 5 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 9 am ...	Wed, Sat, 8.40 pm
23	Geraldine ...	Timaru ...	Daily, 6 am, 2.50 pm ...	Daily, 9 am, 4.50 pm ...	Daily, 6.45 am, 10.50 am	Daily, 10.35 am, 12.55 pm
86	Geraldine (from Ch	ristchurch) ...	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 1 pm ...	Daily, 6.45 am, 3 pm ...	Daily, 2.10 pm, 8.30 pm
54	German Bay ...	Christchurch	Daily, 7 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 3.15 pm; Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5.30 pm	Daily, 8.30 am ...	Daily, 4 pm
164	Gibbston ...	Dunedin ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 3.30 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 9 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 pm
7	Giles Terrace ...	Westport ...	Tues, 10 am ...	Tues, noon ...	Tues, 7 am ...	Tues, 9 am
97	Gillespie's Beach	Hokitika ...	Every alt. Thurs, 2 pm ...	Every alt. Sat, 2 pm ...	Every alt. Sat, 8 pm ...	Every alt. Wed, noon
	GISBORNE.					
110	Gisborne and Napi	er ...	By stm'r and sailing vessels	By every vessel ...	By every vessel ...	By every vessel

300	Gisborne (from Auc	kland) ...	By every vessel ...	By every vessel ...	By every vessel ...	By every vessel
38	Gladfield ...	Invercargill ...	Tues, Sat, 10.15 am ...	Tues, Sat, 5 pm ...	Tues, Sat, noon ...	Tues, Sat, 5.10 pm
60	Gladstone ...	Wellington ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 3.30 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 9 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6.10 pm
8	Glendermid ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 7.20 am ...	Daily, 1 pm ...	Daily, 1.55 pm
41	Glenore ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 11 am ...	Daily, 3.45 pm ...	Daily, 7 pm
70	Glenoamaru ...	Dunedin ...	Tues, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Fri, 3 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 10 am ...	Wed, Sat, 7 pm
41	Glentunnel ...	Christchurch	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 10.45 am ...	Daily, 2.45 pm ...	Daily, 6.45 pm
17	Goodfellows ...	Hokitika ...	Mon, Thurs, 7 pm [pm	Tues, Fri, 8.20 am [6.8 pm	Wed, Sat, noon [pm	Wed, Sat, 4.30 pm [pm
40	Gore ...	Invercargill ...	Daily, 6.45, 9.30 am, 2.45	Daily, 10.9 am, 12.18 pm,	Daily, 7.15 am, 1.30, 4.30	Daily, 10.30 am, 4.35, 7.58
99	Gore (from Dune	din) ...	Daily, 6 am, 3.45 pm ...	Daily, 7.30 am, 2.10 pm...	Daily, noon, 6 pm ...	Daily, 10.50 am, 7 pm
13	Governor's Bay ...	Christchurch	Sat, 7 am ...	Sat, 11.45 am ...	Sat, 1 pm ...	Sat, 6.40 pm
	GRAHAMSTOWN					
29	Granville ...	Greymouth ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 2 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 3 pm ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 pm
37	Greatford ...	Wanganui ...	Daily, 3.30 pm; also Wed, Sat, 11.30 am	Daily, 6.40 pm; also Wed, Sat, 2.45 pm	Daily, 10 am, 5 pm ...	Daily, 1.30 pm, 10.10 pm
120	Greatford (from W	ellington) ...	Daily, 7.30 pm ...	Daily, 7.40 pm ...	Daily, 6 pm ...	Daily, 5.30 pm
5	Green Island ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 8.40 am ...	Daily, 6 pm ...	Daily, 7 pm
32	Greendale ...	Christchurch	Wed, Sat, 7.30 am ...	Wed, Sat, 11.30 am ...	Wed, Sat, 11.30 am ...	Wed, Sat, 6.45 pm
12	Greenpark ...	Christchurch	Mon, Wed, Fri, 2.30 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6.15 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 7 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 11 am
28	Greenstone (from	Hokitika) ...	Mon, Fri, 8.30 am ...	Mon, Fri, 1.30 pm ...	Mon, Fri, 10 am ...	Mon, Fri, 4 pm
20	Greenstone ...	Greymouth ...	Mon, Fri, 7.30 am ...	Mon, Fri, 2 pm ...	Mon, Fri, 10 am ...	Mon, Fri, 4 pm
63	Greenstreet ...	Christchurch	Tues, Fri, 7.30 am ...	Tues, Fri, 12.15 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 1.15 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 8.30 pm
62	Green Valley ...	Dunedin ...	Mon, Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, Fri, 2 pm ...	Tues, Sat, noon ...	Tues, Sat, 8.40 pm
15	Greytown ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am, 3.45 pm ...	Daily, 9 am, 5.25 pm ...	Daily, 9.35 am, 5.35 pm...	Daily, 10.50 am, 7 pm
53	Greytown ...	Wellington ...	Daily, 7 am, 3 pm ...	Daily, 11.40 am, 7.30 pm	Daily, 7.45 am, 1.30 pm...	Daily, 12.30 pm, 6.10 pm
103	Greymouth and We	stport (overland)	Tues, Thurs, 7 am ...	Wed, Sat, 7 pm ...	Mon, Thurs, 10 pm ...	Mon, Wed, 6 pm
	GREYMOUTH.					
31	Groper's Bush ...	Invercargill ...	Mon, Thurs, 10.15 am ...	Mon, Thurs, 2.30 pm ...	Mon, Thurs, 3.30 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 9.49 am
15	Grovebush ...	Invercargill ...	Sat, 6.45 am ...	Sat, noon ...	Sat, 1 pm ...	Sat, 4.35 pm
25	Gummie's Bush ...	Invercargill ...	Mon, Thurs, 10.15 am ...	Mon, Thurs, 2 pm ...	Mon, Thurs, 4 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 9.49 am
120	Haast River ...	Hokitika ...	As opportunity offers by sea	As opportunity offers by sea	As opportunity offers by sea	As opportunity offers by sea
114	Halcombe ...	Wellington ...	Daily, 7.30 pm ...	Daily, 7 pm ...	Daily, 6.30 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5.30 pm
43	Halcombe (from	Wanganui) ...	Daily, 3.30 pm; also Wed, Sat, 11.30 am	Daily, 7 pm; also Wed, Sat, 3.10 pm	Daily, 9.45 am, 6.30 pm...	Daily, 1.30 pm, 10.10 pm
44	Half-Moon Bay ...	Invercargill ...	Sat, 10.45 am ...	Sun ...	Thurs	Fri
7	Halswell	Christchurch	Mon, Wed, Fri, 2.30 pm; Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 am	Mon, Wed, Fri, 4.30 pm; Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8.45 am	Mon, Wed, Fri, 9 am, 4.30 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 11 am, 6 pm
18	Halkett Town ...	Christchurch	Wed, Sat, 2.45 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 6.15 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 7.15 am ...	Wed, Sat, 10.15 am
50	Hampden ...	Napier ...	Tues, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Fri, 3 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 9 am ...	Tues, Fri, 6.40 pm

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22	Hampden ...	Oamaru ...	Daily, 6 am, 3.15 pm ...	Daily, 8.45 am, 5 pm ...	Daily, 6 pm ...	Daily, 9 pm
57	Hampden (from Dunedin) ...		Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 10.54 am ...	Daily, 5 pm ...	Daily, 8.40 p.m.
	Hampden ...	Westport ...	Every alt. Mon, 10 pm ...	Every alt. Wed, 3 pm ...	Every alt. Tues, 10 am ...	Every alt. Wed, 7 pm
	Hampden (from Nelson) ...		Every alt. Mon, 4 pm ...	Every alt. Wed evening ...	Every alt. Thurs morning	Every alt. Sat, 9.15 am
104	Hamilton's ...	Dunedin ...	Fri, 6 am ...	Sat, 11.30 am ...	Mon, 1 pm ...	Tues, 8.40 pm
86	Hamilton ...	Auckland ...	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 2.30 pm ...	Daily, 10 am ...	Daily, 5 pm
85	Hanmer Plain ...	Christchurch	Tues, 6 am ...	Wed, 10 am ...	Wed, 3.30 pm ...	Thurs, 7.45 pm
111	Harapipi	Auckland ...	Tues, Fri, 7.30 am ...	Wed, Sat, noon ...	Wed, Sat, noon ...	Mon, Thurs, 5 pm
1¼	Harrisville ...	Invercargill ...	Daily, 2.30 pm ...	Daily, 3.15 pm ...	Daily, 8.45 am ...	Daily, 9.45 am
14	Hastings	Grahamstown	Sat, 9.30 am ...	Sat, 12.30 pm ...	Sat, 1.30 pm ...	Sat, 4.30 pm
12½	Hastings ...	Napier ...	Daily, 6 am, 3.30 pm ...	Daily, 8 am, 5 pm ...	Daily, 8.15 am, 4.45 pm ...	Daily, 9.50 am, 6.40 pm
93	Hautapu	Auckland ...	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 3.25 pm ...	Daily, 9 am ...	Daily, 5 pm
14	Havelock	Napier ...	Daily, 6 am, 3.30 pm ...	Daily, 10 am, 5.30 pm ...	Daily, 8.45 am, 4.15 pm	Daily, 9.50 am, 6.40 pm
28	Havelock	Blenheim ...	Tues, Fri, 10.30 am ...	Tues, Fri, 4.30 pm ...	Mon, Thurs, 9 am ...	Mon, Thurs, 3 pm
40	Hawera (from New Plymouth)		Mon, 6 am, 10 pm; Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri, 10 pm	Daily, 1 pm ...	Daily, 2 pm ...	Daily, 7.50 pm
60	Hawera ...	Wanganui ...	Daily, 9 pm ...	Daily, 1.30 pm ...	Daily, noon ...	Daily, 7.15 pm
5	Heathcote Valley	Christchurch	Daily, 7 am, 3 pm ...	Daily, 8.15 am, 4.15 pm...	Daily, 9.10 am, 3 pm ...	Daily, 10.15 am, 4 pm
34	Helensville ...	Auckland ...	Daily, 2.15 pm ...	Daily, 7 pm ...	Daily, 7 am ...	Daily, 11 am
12	Henderson's Mill	Auckland ...	Tues, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Fri, 8 am ...	Tues, Fri, 7.30 am ...	Tues, Fri, 9.15 am
44	Hende's Ferry ...	Hokitika ...	Thurs, 2 pm ...	Fri, 10 am ...	Tues, 10 am ...	Wed, noon
22	Henley ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 10 am ...	Daily, 8.45 am ...	Daily, 10.50 am
6	Highcliffe ...	Dunedin ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 2.30 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 4.30 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8.45 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10.15 am
29	Hilton ...	Timaru ...	Wed, Sat, 6 am ...	Wed, Sat, 3.45 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 3.45 pm ...	Mon, Thurs, 10.35 am
25	Hindon ...	Dunedin ...	Sat, 8.30 am ...	Sat, 4.30 pm ...	Mon, 8 am ...	Mon, 6.5 pm
61	Hinds ...	Christchurch	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 11.9 am ...	Daily, 4 pm ...	Daily, 10.15 am
14	Hikutaia ...	Grahamstown	By steamer as opportunity offers			
14	Hobsonville ...	Auckland ...	Wed, Sat, 2.15 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 4.30 pm ...	Wed Sat, 3.30 pm ...	Mon, Thurs, 11 am
5	Hoho ...	Hokitika ...	Mon, Thurs, 7 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 6.15 am ...	Wed, Sat, 3 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 4.30 pm
28	Hokanui ...	Invercargill ...	Sat, 6 am ...	Sat, noon ...	Sat, 12.30 pm ...	Mon, 9.26 am
177	Hokianga ...	Auckland ...	Mon, 4 pm ...	Wed, 9 am ...	Wed, 3 pm ...	Sat, 9 am

	HOKITIKA.					
42¼	Hokitika and Greymouth (Overland)		Daily, 8.30 am, 2.30 pm...	Daily, 11 am, 4 pm ...	Daily, 7.30 am, 3 pm ...	Daily, 11 am, 4 pm
70	Homewood ...	Blenheim ...	By sailing vessel as opportunity offers			
10	Hope ...	Nelson ...	Daily, 4 pm ...	Daily, 5.15 pm ...	Daily, 8 am ...	Daily, 9 am
6	Hornby ...	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 7.45 am ...	Daily, 5 pm ...	Daily, 6.45 pm
32	Horrelville ...	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 10 am ...	Daily, 4 pm ...	Daily, 7.45 pm
81	Horseshoe Bend ...	Dunedin ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 5 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 9.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 pm
43	Hororata ...	Christchurch	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 11.10 am ...	Daily, 2 pm ...	Daily, 6.45 pm
24	Horokiwi ...	Wellington ...	Mon, Thurs, 7.30 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 8.15 am ...	Tues, Fri, 1.30 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 5.30 pm
65	Horowhenua ...	Wellington ...	Mon, Thurs, 7.30 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 2.30 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 1 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 5.30 pm
65	Hoteo North ...	Auckland ...	Sat, 10 am ...	Sun, 5 pm ...	Fri, 10 am ...	Mon, 6 pm
15	Howick ...	Auckland ...	Daily, 2.30 pm ...	Daily, 5.30 pm ...	Daily, 7.15 am ...	Daily, 10 am
12	Huirangi ...	New Plymouth	Tues, Sat, 4 pm ...	Tues, Sat, 5.30 pm ...	Tues, Sat, 5 pm ...	Tues, Sat, 7.50 pm
65	Huntly ...	Auckland ...	Daily, 7.30 am, 7 pm ...	Daily, 11.35 am, 1 pm ...	Daily, 11.40 am, 3 pm ...	Daily, 9.45 am, 5 pm
27	Hunua ...	Auckland ...	Fri, 7.30 am ...	Fri, 4.30 pm ...	Fri, 11.45 am ...	Fri, 5 pm
52	Hurunui ...	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 1 pm ...	Daily, 1 pm ...	Daily, 7.45 pm
8	Hutt ...	Wellington ...	Daily, 7 am, 3 pm ...	Daily, 8.20 am, 4.10 pm...	Daily, 11 am, 4.30 pm ...	Daily, 12.30 pm, 6.10 pm
72	Hyde ...	Dunedin ...	Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Wed, 4.30 pm; Sat, 2.30 pm	Mon, Thurs, 9.25 am ...	Tues, Thurs, 8.40 pm
32	Inangahua Junction	Westport ...	Mon, Thurs, 10 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 1 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 10 am ...	Wed, Sat, 7 pm
50	Inch Clutha ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 11.30 am ...	Daily, 3 pm ...	Daily, 7 pm
12½	Inglewood ...	New Plymouth	Monday, 6 am, 10 pm, Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri, 10 pm	Daily, 8 am ...	Daily, 6 pm ...	Daily, 7.50 pm
	INVERCARGILL.					
139	Invercargill and Dunedin (overland)		Daily, 9.30 am, 2.45 pm	Daily, 10.50 am, 7 pm ...	Daily, 6 am, 3.45 pm ...	Daily, 10.30 am, 4.35 pm
384	Invercargill and Christchurch (overland)		Daily, 9.30 am ...	Daily, 8.20 pm ...	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 4.35 pm
23	Irwell ...	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 9.30 am ...	Daily, 4 pm ...	Daily, 6.45 pm
24	Isla Bank ..	Invercargill ...	Tues, Sat, 10.15 am ...	Tues, Sat, 1.30 pm ...	Tues, Sat, noon ...	Tues, Sat, 5.10 pm
140	Jackson's Bay ...	Hokitika ...	By steamer ...	By steamer ...	By steamer ...	By steamer
7	Johnsonville ...	Wellington ...	Daily, 7.30 pm ...	Daily, 5.30 am ...	Daily, 4.15 pm ...	Daily, 5.30 pm
170	Kaeo ...	Auckland ...	Mon, 4 pm ...	Wed, noon ...	Thurs, 9.30 am ...	Sat, 9 am
12	Kaiapoi ...	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am, 11 am, 3.45 pm	Daily, 8.30 am, 12.50 pm, [5.40 pm	Daily, 8.30 am, 1 pm, 5 pm	Daily, 10.15 am, 2.45 pm, [7.45 pm
66	Kaihiku ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, noon ...	Daily, 2.15 pm ...	Daily, 7 pm
152	Kaikohe ...	Auckland ...	Mon, 4 pm ...	Tues, 2 pm ...	Thurs, 10 am ...	Sat, 9 am
35	Kaikora ...	Napier ...	Daily, 6 am, 3.30 pm ...	Daily, 9.40 am, 6.30 pm...	Daily, 7.15 am, 4 pm ...	Daily, 9.50 am, 6.40 pm
100	Kaikoura ...	Blenheim ...	Sat, 2.30 pm ...	Mon, 4 pm ...	Wed, 5 pm ...	Fri, 6 pm
106	Kaikoura (from Christchurch) ...		Mon, 6 am ...	Wed, 5 pm ...	Tues, 8 am ...	Fri, 8 pm
13	Kai Iwi ...	Wanganui ...	Daily, 3.30 pm, 9 pm ...	Daily, 7.45 am, 5 pm ...	Daily, 9.15 am, 5 pm ...	Daily, 11 am, 8 pm
52	Kaipara Flats ...	Auckland ...	Sat, 10 am ...	Sat, 10 pm ...	Sat, 1.45 pm ...	Mon, 6 pm

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209	Kaitaia ...	Auckland ...	Mon, 4 pm ...	Thurs, 1 pm ...	Wed, 10.45 am ...	Sat, 9 am
54	Kaitangata ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 11.30 am ...	Daily, 2.30 pm ...	Daily, 7 pm
27	Kaitoke ...	Wellington ...	Daily, 7 am, 3 pm ...	Daily, 9.15 am, 5.15 pm...	Daily, 10 am, 4 pm ...	Daily, 12.30 pm, 6.10 pm
12	Kaituna ...	Blenheim ...	Fri, 10.30 am ...	Fri, 1.30 pm ...	Thurs, noon ...	Thurs, 3 pm
20	Kaituna Valley ...	Blenheim ...	Tues, Fri, 10.30 am ...	Tues, Fri, 2.30 pm ...	Mon, Thurs, 10 am ...	Mon, Thurs, 3 pm
74	Kaiwaka ...	Auckland ...	Sat, 10 am ...	Sun, 11 am ...	Friday, 3.45 pm ...	Mon, 6 pm
1½	Kaiwarawara ...	Wellington ...	Daily, 7 am ...	Daily, 7.40 am ...	Daily, 4.30 pm ...	Daily, 5.30 pm
43	Kaiwaiwai ...	Wellington ...	Mon, Thurs, 3 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 9 am ...	Wed, Sat, 1 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 6.10 pm
14	Kakanui ...	Oamaru ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, noon ...	Daily, 10.30 am ...	Daily, 12.5 pm
74	Kakanui (from Du	nedin) ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, noon ...	Daily, 10.30 am ...	Daily, 8.40 pm
44	Kakaramea ...	Wanganui ...	Daily, 9 pm ...	Daily, 11.30 am ...	Daily, 2 pm ...	Daily, 7.15 pm
55	Kakaramea (from	New Plymouth)	Mon, 6 am, 10 pm; Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri, 10 pm	Daily, 3 pm ...	Daily, 12.15 pm ...	Daily, 7.50 pm
100	Kamo ...	Auckland ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 4 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 1 pm ...	Mon, Thurs, Sat, 7.45 am	Mon, Tues, Fri, 9 am
3½	Kanieri ...	Hokitika ...	Daily, 2.15 pm ...	Daily, 3 pm ...	Daily, 11.15 am ...	Daily, noon
40	Kapanga ...	Auckland ...	By every steamer ...	By every steamer ...	By every steamer ...	By every steamer
51	Karamea ...	Westport ...	Once every six weeks by st	eamer, and as opportunity	offers overland *via* Mokihi	nui
90	Karere ...	Wellington ...	Mon, Thurs, 7.30 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 5.40 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 7.30 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 5.30 pm
33	Karitane ...	Dunedin ...	Tues, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Fri, 11.30 am ...	Tues, Fri, 8 am ...	Tues, Fri, 12.45 pm
3	Karori ...	Wellington ...	Daily, 9.30 am ...	Daily, 10.30 am ...	Daily, 8 pm ...	Daily, 8 am
41	Kaukapakapa ...	Auckland ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 2.15 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 2 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 9 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 11 am
104	Kaurihohore ...	Auckland ...	Fri, 4 pm ...	Sat, 2 pm ...	Mon, 7 am ...	Tues, 10 am
140	Kawarau Gorge ..	Dunedin ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 1 pm ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 11 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 pm
142	Kawakawa ...	Auckland ...	Mon, Wed, 4 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, with tide ...	Thurs, Fri, with tide ...	Fri, Sat, 9 am
38	Kawau ...	Auckland ...	By every vessel ...	By every vessel ...	By every vessel ...	By every vessel
16	Kawhaka ...	Hokitika ...	Mon, Thurs, 7 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 7.30 am ...	Wed, Sat, 1 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 4.30 pm
50	Kekerangu ...	Blenheim ...	Sat, 2.30 pm ...	Sun, 2 pm ...	Thurs, 5 pm ...	Fri, 6 pm
45	Kelly's Creek ...	Hokitika ...	Mon, Thurs, 7 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 1 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 8 am ...	Wed, Sat, 4.30 pm
105	Kelly's Creek (from	Christchurch)	Tues, Fri, 7.30 am ...	Wed, Sat, 3.30 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 1.30 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 7.15 pm
48	Kereru ...	Napier ...	Tues, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Fri, 2.30 pm ..	Tues, Fri, 7 am ...	Tues, Fri, 6.40 pm
11	Kerry Town ...	Timaru ...	Mon, Thurs, 6 am ...	Mon, Thurs, 8.15 am ...	Mon, Thurs, 6 am ...	Mon, Thurs, 11.20 am
106	Kihikihi ...	Auckland ...	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 4 pm ...	Daily, 8.30 am ...	Daily, 5 pm

35	Killinchy ...	Christchurch	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10.40 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6.15 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10.15 am
30	Kimberley ...	Christchurch	Wed, Sat, 7.30 am ...	Wed, Sat, 11.30 am ...	Wed, Sat, 9 am ...	Wed, Sat, 6.45 pm
5	Kingsland ...	Auckland ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 7.10 am ...	Daily, 8.15 am ...	Daily, 9.15 am
254	Kingston (from	Dunedin) ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8.30 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 8 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 pm
90	Kingston ...	Invercargill ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 9.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6.15 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 8 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 4.35 pm,
86½	Kirikiriroa ...	Auckland ...	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 2.40 pm ...	Daily, 10 am ...	Daily, 5 pm [6.49 pm
24	Kirwee ...	Christchurch	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 9.30 am ...	Daily, 4 pm ...	Daily, 6.45 pm
53	Kohekohe ...	Auckland ...	Fri, 7.30 am ...	Sat, 9.30 am ...	Sat, 3 pm ...	Mon, 5 pm
181	Kohukohu ...	Auckland ...	Mon, 4 pm ...	Tues, 6 pm ...	Thurs, 8.45 am ...	Sat, 9 am
54	Komokoriki ...	Auckland ...	Sat, 10 am ...	Sat, 6 pm ...	Sat, 11.45 am ...	Mon, 6 pm
65	Kopua ...	Napier ...	Daily, 6 am, 3.30 pm ...	Daily, 11.20 am, 8.20 pm	Daily, 7.45 am, 2 pm ...	Daily, 9.50 am, 6.40 pm
36	Kourow ...	Oamaru ...	Mon, Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, Fri, 12.15 pm ...	Tues, Sat, 2 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 8.40 pm
117	Kourow (from	Dunedin) ...	Tues, Sat, 2.30 pm ...	Mon, Fri, 12.15 pm ...	Tues, Sat, 2 pm ...	Mon, Wed, 12.45 pm
70	Kourow (from	Timaru) ...	Mon, Thurs, 3.50 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 3 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 9 am ...	Mon, Thurs, 10.30 am
48	Kowai Bush ...	Christchurch	Sat, 7.30 am ...	Sat, 2.30 pm ...	Sat, 11.30 am ...	Sat, 6.45 pm
19	Kumara ...	Hokitika ...	Daily, 8.30 am, 2 pm ...	Daily, noon, 6 pm ...	Daily, 7.30 am, 12.30 pm	Daily, 11 am, 4 pm
22	Kumara (from	Greymouth)	Daily, 7.30 am, 3 pm ...	Daily, 11 am, 6.30 pm ...	Daily, 7.30 am, 11.30 am	Daily, 11 am, 4 pm
20	Kumeo Flat ...	Auckland ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 2.15 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 5.20 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 11 am
1¼	Kuranui ...	Grahamstown	Daily, 9.30 am ...	Daily, 10 am ...	Daily, noon ...	Daily, 12.30 pm
18	Kuri Bush ...	Dunedin ...	Tues, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Fri, 2.30 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 10 am ...	Tues, Fri, 7 pm
66	Kuripuni ...	Wellington ...	Daily, 7 am ...	Daily, 1.35 pm ...	Daily, 1 pm [9 am	Daily, 6.10 pm
79	Kyeburn ...	Dunedin ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, Fri, 5 pm; Wed, 6 pm	Tues, Sat, 9.30 am; Thurs,	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8.40 pm
94	Kyeburn Diggings	Dunedin ...	Fri, 6 am ...	Sat, noon ...	Mon, noon ...	Tues, 8.40 pm
49	Kyle ...	Christchurch	Mon, Wed, Fri, 7.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 2 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 11 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8.30 pm
32	Lake Brunner ...	Hokitika ...	Mon, Thurs, 7 pm ...	Tues, Fri, noon ...	Wed, Sat, 9 am ...	Wed, Sat, 4.30 pm
69	Lake Coleridge ...	Christchurch	Fri, 7.30 am ...	Fri, 4.30 pm ...	Sat, 7.30 am ...	Sat, 6.45 pm
85	Lake Station ...	Christchurch	Sat, 6 am ...	Mon, 5 pm ...	Tues, 7.30 am ...	Wed, 7.45 pm
4	Lake Takapuna ...	Auckland ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 8.15 am...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 10.10 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 2 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 3.30 pm
183	Lake Tarawera ...	Auckland ...	By every steamer ...			By every steamer
66	Lake Tekapo ...	Timaru ...	Mon, 6 am ...	Mon, 6 pm ...	Wed, 9 am ...	Wed, 7.50 pm
31	Lakeside ...	Christchurch	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6.45 pm
47	Lauriston ...	Christchurch	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 10.20 am ...	Daily, 4.30 pm ...	Daily, 8.30 pm
60	Lawrence ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am, 3.45 pm ...	Daily, 1.30 pm, 9.30 pm...	Daily, 2 pm, 9.10 pm ...	Daily, 10.50 am, 7 pm
60	Le Bon's Bay ...	Christchurch	Thurs, Sat, 7 am ...	Mon, Fri, 1 pm ...	Mon, Fri, 6.30 am ...	Mon, Fri, 4 pm
27	Leeston ...	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am, 3 pm ...	Daily, 9.30 am, 6 pm ...	Daily, 7.20 am, 3.50 pm ...	Daily, 10.15 am, 6.45 pm
25	Lee Stream ...	Dunedin ...	Fri, 3.45 pm ...	Sat, 9 am ...	Mon, 2 pm ...	Mon, 6.5 pm
27	Leithfield ...	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 10 am ...	Daily, 7 am ...	Daily 10.15 am
10	Lepperton ...	New Plymouth	Tues, Fri, 4 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 5.30 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 5 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 7.50 pm

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70	Linburn ...	Dunedin ...	Fri, 6 am ...	Sat, 3.30 pm ...	Mon, 9.30 am ...	Tues, 8.40 pm
60	Little Akaloa ...	Christchurch	Mon, Fri, 7 am ...	Mon, Fri, 6.30 pm ...	Mon, Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, Fri, 6.40 pm
32	Little Grey Junction	Greymouth ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 1 pm ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 10.30 am	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 pm
35	Little River ...	Christchurch	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 1.45 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 12.45 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6.30 pm
37	Livingstone ...	Oamaru ...	Wed, Sat, 6 am ...	Wed, Sat, 11 am ...	Wed, Sat, 1.30 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 8 pm
104	Livingstone (from	Dunedin) ...	Tues, Fri, 2.30 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 11 am ...	Wed, Sat, 1.30 pm ...	Mon, Thurs, 12.45 pm
27	Loburn ...	Christchurch	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 11 am...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 2.50 pm
14	Lochiel ...	Invercargill ...	Tues, Sat, 6 am ...	Tues, Sat, 7.50 am ...	Tues, Sat, 8 am ...	Tues, Sat, 9.26 am
57	Longbeach ...	Christchurch	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 7.30 pm ...	Daily, 7.15 am ...	Daily, 2.10 pm
60	Longford ...	Westport ...	Every alt. Mon, 10 pm ...	Every alt. Wed, 5 pm ...	Every alt. Tues, 8 am ...	Every alt. Wed, 7 pm
	Longford (from	Nelson) ...	Every alt. Mon, 4 pm ...	Every alt. Wed evening...	Every alt. Thurs morning	Every alt. Sat, 9.15 am
44	Lovell's Flat ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 10.45 am ...	Daily, 3.30 pm ...	Daily, 7 pm
29	Lower Moutere ...	Nelson ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 9 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 1.45 pm...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 2.30 pm
56	Lowther ...	Invercargill ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 10.46 am	Mon, Wed, Fri, 3.30 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6.49 pm
16	Lucas Creek ...	Auckland ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 8.15 am...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 11.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, noon ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 3.30 pm
180	Luggate ...	Dunedin ...	Mon, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Sat, 4.30 pm ...	Mon, Wed, 9 am ...	Tues, Thurs, 7 pm
38	Lyell ...	Westport ...	Mon, Thurs, 10 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 6 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 7 am ...	Wed, Sat, 7 pm
7	Lyttelton ...	Christchurch	Daily, 7 am, 11 am, 2 pm, 3 pm	Daily, 8.30 am, 12.30 pm, 3.5 pm, 4.30 pm	Daily, 7.10 am, 12.15 pm, 3.10 pm, 5 pm	Daily, 8.15 am, 1.30 pm, 4 pm, 6.45 pm
12	Mabel Bush ...	Invercargill ...	Sat, 6.45 am ...	Sat, 11 am ...	Sat, noon ...	Sat, 4.35 pm
194	Macetown ...	Dunedin ...	Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Fri, 6 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 8 am ...	Thurs, Sat, 7 pm
34	Mackay Town ...	Grahamstown	As opportunity offers by steamer	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 3 pm ...	As opportunity offers by steamer
57	Macrae's Flat ...	Dunedin ...	Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Wed, 1.30 pm; Fri, 3.30 [pm	Tues, 10 am; Thurs, 1.30 pm	Tues, Thurs, 8.40 pm
10	Maheno ...	Oamaru ...	Daily, 6 am, 3.15 pm ...	Daily, 7.55 am, 4.25 pm...	Daily, 7 pm ...	Daily, 9 pm
69	Maheno (from	Dunedin) ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 11.30 am ...	Daily, 11.30 am ...	Daily, 12.45 pm
80	Mahia (from Wai	roa) Napier ...	Every alt. Thurs, 5 pm ...	Every alt. Fri, 10 am ...	Every alt. Fri, noon ...	Every alt. Mon, 10 am
8	Makara ...	Wellington ...	Wed, Sat, 9.30 am ...	Wed, Sat, 10 am ...	Tues, Fri, 8 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 8 am
3½	Makaraka ...	Gisborne ...	Tues, Sat, 1 pm ...	Tues, Sat, 2.30 pm ...	Tues, Sat, 9.30 am ...	Tues, Sat, 11 am
63	Makeritu (from Ta	kapau) Napier	Tues, Fri, noon ...	Tues, Fri, 2.30 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 8 am ...	Tues, Fri, 6.40 pm

150	Maketu ...	Auckland ...	By every steamer ...	Thurs, 1 pm ...	Wed, 11.30 am ...	By every steamer
19	Makikihi ...	Timaru ...	Daily, 6 am, 12.45 pm ...	Daily, 8.40 am, 2.10 pm...	Daily, 9 am ...	Daily, 10.45 am
110	Makino ...	Wellington ...	Daily, 7.30 pm ...	Daily, 6.40 pm ...	Daily, 6 pm ...	Daily, 5.30 pm
8	Makirikiri ...	Wanganui ...	Wed, Sat, 3.15 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 5 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 9 am ...	Wed, Sat, 10.15 am
38	Malvern ...	Christchurch	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 11 am ...	Daily, 2.45 pm ...	Daily, 6.45 pm
49	Manaia ...	Auckland ...	Every steamer to Kapanga	Sat, 2 pm ...	Sat, 8 am ...	By every steamer from Kapanga
50	Mandeville ...	Invercargill ...	Daily, 9.30 am ...	Daily, 3 pm ...	Daily, 11 am ...	Daily, 4.35 pm
183	Mangakahia ...	Auckland ...	Tues, 6 am ...	Wed, 5 pm ...	Thurs, 8 am ...	Sat, 11 am
13	Mangare ...	Auckland ...	Mon, Thurs, 7 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 10 am ...	Tues, Fri, 1 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 5 pm
76	Mangawai ...	Auckland ...	Sat, 10 am ...	Sun, 12.30 pm ...	Fri, 4 pm ...	Mon, 6 pm
118	Mangawhare ...	Auckland ...	Tues, 6 a.m.; Wed, 2.15 pm	Tues, 6 pm; Thurs, with tide	Wed, 6 am; Fri, with tide	Wed, 8 pm; Sat, 11 am
72	Mangawhero ...	Wanganui ...	Daily, 9 pm ...	Daily, 4.30 pm ...	Daily, 9.30 am ...	Daily, 7.15 pm
121	Mangapai ...	Auckland ...	Tues, Fri 4 pm ...	Wed, Sat, with tide ...	Mon, Thurs, with tide ...	Tues, Fri, 9 am
50	Manutahi (from N	ew Plymouth)	Mon, 6 am, 10 pm; Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri, 10 pm	Daily, 2.15 p.m. ...	Daily, 1 pm ...	Daily, 7.50 pm
50	Manutahi ...	Wanganui ...	Daily, 9 pm ...	Daily, noon ...	Daily, 1.15 pm ...	Daily, 7.15 pm
143	Manuherikia ...	Dunedin ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 9 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 3 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 pm
46	Manuka Creek ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 11.5 am ...	Daily, 3 pm ...	Daily, 7 pm
	Maori Point ...	Invercargill ...	Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, noon ...	Tues, 1 pm ...	Wed, 6.49 pm
254	Maori Point (from	Dunedin) ...	Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, noon ...	Tues, 1 pm ...	Thurs, 7 pm
99	Mararoa ...	Invercargill ...	Tues, 6 am ...	Wed, noon ...	Thurs, 8 am ...	Fri, 6.49 pm
12	Marsden ...	Greymouth ...	Daily, 2.45 pm ...	Daily, 6 pm ...	Daily, 9 am ...	Daily, 11 am
	Martin's Bay ...	Dunedin ...	Once a month by sea			
33	Marton ...	Wanganui ...	Daily, 3.30 pm; also Wed, Sat, 11.30 am	Daily, 6.35 pm; also Wed, Sat, 2.45 pm	Daily, 10.50 am, 4.45 pm	Daily, 1.30 pm, 10.10 pm
125	Marton (from Well	ington) ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 3 pm; Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7.30 pm	Daily, 8 pm ...	Daily, 4.45 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5.30 pm
31	Maraekakaho ...	Napier ...	Tues, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Fri, noon ...	Tues, Fri, 10 am ...	Tues, Fri, 6.40 pm
67	Masterton ...	Wellington ...	Daily, 7 am, 3 pm ...	Daily, 12.10 pm, 8.10 pm	Daily, 7.30 am, 1 pm ...	Daily, 12.30 pm, 6.10 pm
	Masterton (from Pa	lmerston North)	Mon, Wed, Fri, 1.30 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 12.30 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 1 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, noon
	Masterton (from	Wanganui) ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 3.30 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 12.30 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 1 pm ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 10.10 pm
	Masterton (from N	apier) ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 12.30 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 1 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6.40 pm
49	Matakana ...	Auckland ...	Tues, Sat, 10 am ...	Tues, Sat, 7 pm ...	Wed, Sat, noon ...	Mon, Wed, 6 pm
39	Matakana Lower...	Auckland ...	Sat, 10 am ...	Sat, 6 pm ...	Mon, 8.45 am ...	Mon, 6 pm
93	Matakohe ...	Auckland ...	Mon, 2.15 pm ...	Tues, with tide ...	Wed, with tide ...	Thurs, 11 am
107	Mataura (from	Dunedin) ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 4 pm ...	Daily, 11.30 am, 5 pm ...	Daily, 7 pm
32	Mataura ...	Invercargill ...	Daily, 6.45 am, 9.30 am, 2.45 pm	Daily, 9.33 am, 11.52 am, 5.32 pm	Daily, 7.45 am, 2.15 pm, 5 pm	Daily, 10.30 am, 4.35 pm, 7.58 pm

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108	Maungakaramea ...	Auckland ...	Fri, 4 pm ...	Sat, 3 pm ...	Sat, 6 am ...	Mon, 9 am
49	Maungatawhiri ...	Auckland ...	Mon, Thurs, 7 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 2.30 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 6.45 am ...	Tues, Fri, 5 pm
24	Maungatua ...	Dunedin ...	Mon, Thurs, 3.45 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 12.30 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 2.30 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 6.5 pm
88	Maungatoroto ...	Auckland ...	Sat, 10 am ...	Sun, 2.30 pm ...	Fri, noon	Mon, 6 pm
37	Mauku ...	Auckland ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 7.30 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, noon ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 8 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 5 pm
80	Mauriceville ...	Wellington ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 7 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 3.30 pm...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6.10 pm
69	Mayfield ...	Christchurch	Sat, 7.30 am ...	Sat, 2 pm ...	Fri, 8 pm ...	Sat, 2.10 pm
5	Meanee ...	Napier ...	Daily, 10.30 am ...	Daily, noon ...	Daily, 9 am ...	Daily, 10 am
43	Mercer ...	Auckland ...	Daily, 7.30 am, 7 pm ...	Daily, 10 am, 11.30 am ...	Daily, 1 pm, 5 pm ...	Daily, 9.45 am, 5 pm
26	Merton ...	Dunedin ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10.15 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 12.45 pm
57	Methven ...	Christchurch	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 11.15 am ...	Daily, 4.30 pm ...	Daily, 8.30 pm
95	Middle Kyeburn...	Dunedin ...	Fri, 6 am ...	Sat, 10.30 am ...	Mon, 3.30 pm ...	Tues, 8.40 pm
55	Middlemarch ...	Dunedin ...	Fri, 3.45 pm [10 pm	Sat, 4 pm ...	Mon, 8 am ...	Mon, 6.5 pm
22½	Midhirst ...	New Plymouth	Mon, 6 am ; Tues, Thurs,	Mon, Wed, Fri, 8.40 am...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 5.10 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 7.50 pm
85	Millar's Flat ...	Dunedin ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 9 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 pm
36	Milton ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am, 3.45 pm ...	Daily, 10.20 am, 7 pm ...	Daily, 8 am, 4.15 pm ...	Daily, 10.50 am, 7 pm
101	Milton (from Invercargill) ...		Daily, 9.30 am ...	Daily, 4.40 pm ...	Daily, 10 am ...	Daily, 4.35 pm
12	Miranda ...	Grahamstown	Alternate Sat, 5 pm ...	Alternate Mon, with tide	Alternate Wed, with tide	Alternate Thurs, 9 am
114	Mititai ...	Auckland ...	Tues, 6 am ; Wed, 2.15 pm	Tues, Thurs, 4 pm ...	Wed, Fri, 8 am ...	Wed, 8 pm ; Sat, 11 am
26	Moeraki ...	Oamaru ...	Daily, 6 am, 3.15 pm ...	Daily, 9 am, 5.10 pm ...	Daily, 6 pm ...	Daily, 9 pm
54	Moeraki (from Dunedin) ...		Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 10.40 am ...	Daily, 4.44 pm ...	Daily, 8.40 pm
40	Mohaka ...	Napier ...	Tues, 10 am ...	Wed, 2 pm ...	Sat, 5 pm ...	Mon, 10 am
45	Mokau ...	New Plymouth	Fri, 3.30 pm ...	Sun, 3 pm ...	Fri, 5 pm ...	Thurs, 10 am
249	Moke Creek (from Dunedin) ...		Every alt. Fri, 6 am ...	Every alt. Mon, 6 pm ...	Every alt. Thurs, 9 am ...	Every alt. Sat, 7 pm
	Moke Creek ...	Invercargill ...	Every alt. Fri, 6 am ...	Every alt. Mon, 6 pm ...	Every alt. Thurs, 9 am ...	Every alt. Fri, 6.49 pm
184	Mongonui ...	Auckland ...	Mon, 4 pm ...	Wed, 10 am ...	Thurs, 10 am ...	Sat, 9 am
112	Morrinsville ...	Auckland ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 7.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, noon ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, noon ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5 pm
11	Mosgiel ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am, 3.45 pm ...	Daily, 8.40 am, 5 pm	Daily, 7.30 am, 4.30 pm...	Daily, 8.50 am, 6.5 pm
36	Motueka ...	Nelson ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 9 am, and by sea as opportunity offers	Mon, Wed, Fri, 2.30 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8 am, and by sea as opportunity offers	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 2.30 pm
60	Motuotaria ...	Napier ...	Mon, Thurs, 6 am ...	Mon, Thurs, noon ...	Tues, Sat, 12.30 pm ...	Tues, Sat, 6.40 pm

31	Motupiko ...	Nelson ...	Tues, 4 pm ...	Wed, 9 am ...	Wed, 2.30 pm ...	Thurs, 9.15 am
53	Motupipi ...	Nelson ...	By sea as opportunity offers	...	...	...
7	Mount Albert ...	Auckland ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 8 am ...	Daily, 8 am ...	Daily, 9.15 am
8	Mount Cargill ...	Dunedin ...	Tues, Thurs, 2.30 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, 6 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, 10 am ...	Tues, Thurs, 1 pm
80	Mount Somers ...	Christchurch	Tues, Fri, 7.30 am ...	Tues, Fri, 4 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 10.30 am ...	Wed, Sat, 8.30 pm
16	Muddy Creek ...	Auckland ...	Sat, 6 am ...	Sat, 11 am ...	Sat, 6 am ...	Sat, 9.15 am
35	Mullet Point ...	Auckland ...	Sat, 10 am ...	Sat, 5 pm ...	Mon, 9.45 am ...	Mon, 6 pm
6	Myross Bush ...	Invercargill ...	Sat, 6.45 am ...	Sat, 8.30 am ...	Sat, 3.30 pm ...	Sat, 4.35 pm
	NAPIER.					
	Napier to Wanganui (overland)...		Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 1.30 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 3.30 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6.40 pm
	Napier to New Plymouth (overl'd)		Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7.50 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6.40 pm
195	Napier to Wellington (overland)		Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6.10 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6.40 pm
92	Naseby ...	Dunedin ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, Fri, 7 pm ; Wed, 8 [pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 10 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8.40 pm
	NELSON.					
92	Nelson and Hampden		Fortnightly, Mon, 4 pm...	Fortnightly, Wed evening	Fortnightly, Thurs morn'g	Fortnightly, Sat, 9.15 am
23	Nelson Creek ...	Greymouth ...	Tues, Thurs, 6.30 am ...	Tues, Thurs, 1 pm ...	Wed, Fri, 10 am ...	Wed, Fri, 6 pm
140	Nevis ...	Dunedin ...	Every alt. Fri, 6 am ...	Every alt. Mon, 12.30 pm	Every alt. Tues, 9 am ...	Every alt. Thurs, 7 pm
14	Nevesville ...	Grahamstown	Tues, 7 am ...	Tues, noon ...	Tues, 1 pm ...	Tues, 6 pm
	NEW PLYMOUTH					
23	Neudorf ...	Nelson ...	Mon, 9 am ...	Mon, 2.30 pm ...	Mon, 11 am ...	Tues, 2.30 pm
3½	New Brighton ...	Christchurch	Mon, Wed, Fri, 10 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 11 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 8 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 9 am
59	Newland ...	Christchurch	Mon, Wed, Fri, 12.15 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 3 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 3 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8.30 pm
2	Newmarket ...	Auckland ...	Daily, 8.15 am, 1.40 pm...	Daily, 9.30 am, 2.30 pm ...	Daily, 8.40 am, 1.10 pm...	Daily, 9.15 am, 1.45 pm
1½	Newton ...	Auckland ...	Daily, 7.45 am, 1.45 pm ...	Daily, 8.45 am, 2.45 pm ...	Daily, 6.30 am, 12.30 pm	Daily, 7 am, 1 pm
18	Ngapara ...	Oamaru ...	Mon, Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6 am, 3.15 pm [am	Mon, Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8.35 am, 6 pm [6 pm	Mon, Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8 am, 5 pm [8 am	Mon, Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10.35 am, 7.45 pm [pm
90	Ngapara (from Dunedin) ...		Mon, Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6	Mon, Tues, Thurs, Sat,	Mon, Tues, Thurs, Sat,	Mon, Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8.40
98	Ngaroto ...	Auckland ...	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 3 pm ...	Daily, 9.45 am ...	Daily, 5 pm
74	Ngaruawahia ...	Auckland ...	Daily, 7.30 am, 7 pm ...	Daily, noon, 1.35 pm ...	Daily, 11 am, 2.15 pm ...	Daily, 9.45 am, 5 pm
32	Ngatimote ...	Nelson ...	Mon, Fri, 9 am ...	Mon, Fri, 6.30 pm ...	Mon, Fri, 3 pm ...	Tues, Sat, 2.30 pm
116	Ngunguru ...	Auckland ...	Fri, 4 pm ...	Sat, 4 pm ...	Sat, 7 am ...	Mon, 9 am
214	Nokomai (from Dunedin) ...		Tues, Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, Thurs, 3.30 pm ...	Mon, Thurs, 11 am ...	Wed, Sat, 7 pm
84	Nokomai ...	Invercargill ...	Mon, 6 am ...	Mon, 3 pm ...	Mon, 11 am ...	Mon, 6.49 pm
64	Normanby ...	Wanganui ...	Daily, 9 pm ...	Daily, 2.15 pm ...	Daily, 11 a.m. ...	Daily, 7.15 pm
37	Normanby (from New Plymouth)		Mon, 6 am, 10 pm, Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri, 10 pm	Daily, 12.30 pm ...	Daily, 2.30 pm ...	Daily, 7.50 pm
64	Norsewood ...	Napier ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 12.30 pm ...	Daily, 12.30 pm ...	Daily, 6.40 pm
2	Northcote ...	Auckland ...	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 8.30 am ...	Daily, 8 am ...	Daily 9 am
31	North Loburn ...	Christchurch	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 11 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 2.50 pm
13	North Taieri ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 8.30 am ...	Daily, 10.30 am ...	Daily, 4 pm ...	Daily, 6.5 pm

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8	North-East Harbour	Dunedin ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 2 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 4 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10.15 am
19	No Town ...	Greymouth ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10 am...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 11 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6 pm
8¼	Oakura ...	New Plymouth	Wed, Sat, 3 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 4.30 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 9.30 am ...	Wed, Sat, 11 am
	OAMARU.		[pm	[8.58 pm		
74	Oamaru (from	Dunedin) ...	Daily, 6 am, 2.30 pm, 4.45	Daily, 10.25 am, 12.15 pm,	Daily, 6 am, 3.15 pm ...	Daily, 12.45 pm, 8.40 pm
153	Oamaru (from Chris	tchurch) ...	Daily, 7.30 am, 11 am ...	Daily, 10.50 am, 3.10 pm	Daily, 11.30 am, 3.15 pm	Daily, 2 pm, 6.40 pm
53	Oamaru (from Tim	aru) ...	Daily, 6 am, 4 pm ...	Daily, 10.50 am, 8.5 pm...	Daily, 6 am, 3.15 pm ...	Daily, 10.40 am, 7.35 pm
146	Ohaeawai ...	Auckland ...	Mon, 4 pm ...	Tues, noon ...	Thurs, 4 pm ...	Sat, 9 am
15	Ohariu ...	Wellington ...	Wed, Sat, 3 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 6 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 8 am ...	Wed, Sat, 11 am
60	Ohau ...	Wellington ...	Mon, Thurs, 7.30 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 2 pm ...	Tues, Fri, noon ...	Wed, Sat, 5.30 pm
94	Ohaupo ...	Auckland ...	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 2.45 pm ...	Daily, 9.50 am ...	Daily, 5 pm
13	Ohinetahi ...	Christchurch	Sat, 7 am ...	Sat, 10.45 am ...	Sat, 2.30 pm ...	Sat, 6.45 pm
172	Ohinemutu ...	Auckland ...	By every steamer ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 5 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8 am ...	By every steamer from Tauranga
	Ohinemutu (from	Tauranga) ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 8 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 5 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5 pm
203	Ohiwa ...	Auckland ...	By every steamer ...	Fri, 4 pm ...	Tues, 9 am ...	By every steamer from Tauranga
17	Ohoka ...	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 9.20 am; Tues, Thurs, Sat, 12.50 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 1.30 pm; Tues, Thurs, Sat, 4.20 pm	Daily, 7.45 pm
157	Okaihau ...	Auckland ...	Mon, 4 pm ..	Tues, 3 pm ...	Thurs, noon ...	Sat, 9 am
65	Okain's Bay ...	Christchurch	Mon, Fri, 7 am ...	Mon, Fri, 3.45 pm ...	Mon, Fri, 7.30 am ...	Mon, Fri, 6.30 pm
18	Okato ...	New Plymouth	Wed, Sat, 3 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 6 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 8 am ...	Wed, Sat, 11 am
83	Okarito ...	Hokitika ...	Every alt. Thurs, 2 pm ...	Every alt. Sat, 11 am ...	Every alt. Sun, 10 pm ...	Every alt. Wed, noon
17	Okehu ...	Wanganui ...	Daily, 9 pm ...	Daily, 8 am ...	Daily, 9.15 am ...	Daily, 11 am
58	Omaha ,,	Auckland ...	Tues, Sat, 10 am ...	Tues, 6 pm; Sat, 8.15 pm	Wed, 7 am; Sat, 10 am ...	Mon, Wed, 6 pm
195	Omapere ...	Auckland ...	Mon, 4 pm ...	Wed, 4 pm ...	Tues, 10 am ...	Sat, 9 am
72	Omarama ...	Oamaru ...	Mon, Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, Fri, 7 pm ...	Tues, Sat, 8 am ...	Wed, Sat, 8.40 pm
146	Omarama (from	Dunedin) ...	Thurs, Sat, 2.30 pm ...	Mon, Fri, 7 pm ...	Tues, Sat, 8 am ...	Mon, Wed, 12.45 pm
4	Omata ...	New Plymouth	Wed, Sat, 3 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 3.30 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 10.30 am ...	Wed, Sat, 11 am
9	Onehunga ...	Auckland ...	Daily, 8.15 am, 1.40 pm ...	Daily, 9.50 am, 3 pm ...	Daily, 8 am, 12.40 pm ...	Daily, 9.15 am, 1.45 pm

9	One-Tree Point ...	Invercargill ...	Mon, 9.30 am ...	Mon, 11 am ...	Mon, 3 pm ...	Mon, 4.35 pm
46	Ongaonga (from W	aipawa) Napier	Wed, Sat, 9 am ...	Wed, Sat, noon ...	Wed, Sat, 1 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 6.40 pm
32	Opaheke ...	Auckland ...	Fri, 7 pm ...	Sat, 10 am ...	Sat, 5.15 am ...	Sat, 9.45 am
74	Opaki ...	Wellington ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 7 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 3 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6.10 pm
3	Opawa ...	Christchurch	Daily, 7 am ...	Daily, 8 am [9.30 am	Daily, 3 pm [pm	Daily, 4 pm [7 pm
134	Ophir ...	Dunedin ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Sat, 3.30 pm; Fri,	Mon, Fri, 9 am; Tues, 3	Tues, Sat, 8.40 pm; Thurs,
205	Opotiki ...	Auckland ...	As opportunity offers ... [10 pm	Fri, 5 pm, and as opportunity offers	Tues, 9 am, and as opportunity offers	By every steamer from Tauranga
48	Opunake ...	New Plymouth	Mon, 6 am; Tues, Thurs,	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 11.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 1 pm ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 7.50 pm
88	Opunake (from Wa	nganui) ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 9 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 11 am...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 12.30 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 7.15 pm
19	Orari ...	Timaru ...	Daily, 6 am, 2.50 pm ...	Daily, 8.15 am, 4.10 pm...	Daily, 11.45 am ...	Daily, 12.55 pm
51	Orepuki ...	Invercargill ...	Mon, 10.15 am ...	Mon, 6 pm ...	Tues, 8 am ...	Tues, 5.10 pm
32	Orewa ...	Auckland ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 8.15 am...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 3 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 9 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 3.30 pm
10	Ormond ...	Gisborne ...	Tues, Sat, 1 pm ...	Tues, Sat, 5 pm ...	Tues, Sat, 8 am ...	Tues, Sat, 11 am
69	Ormondville ...	Napier ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 11.50 am ...	Daily, 1.45 pm ...	Daily, 6.40 pm
86	Oroua ...	Wellington ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7.30 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 5.15 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 7 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5.30 pm
65	Oruawharo North	Auckland ...	Sat, 10 am ...	Sun, 9.30 am ...	Sat, 9.45 am ...	Mon, 6 pm
189	Oruru ...	Auckland ...	Mon, 4 pm ...	Thurs, 10.30 am ...	Wed, 3 pm ...	Sat, 9 am
29	Orwell Creek ...	Greymouth ...	Thurs, 6.30 am ...	Thurs, 1 pm ...	Thurs, 2 pm ...	Fri, 6 pm
10	Otahuhu ...	Auckland ...	Daily, 7 pm ...	Daily, 8.30 am ...	Daily, 3 pm ...	Daily, 5 pm
15	Otaio ...	Timaru ...	Daily, 6 am, 12.50 pm ...	Daily, 8.20 am, 2 pm ...	Daily, 6 pm ...	Daily, 7.45 pm
53	Otaki ...	Wellington ...	Daily, 7.30 pm ...	Daily, noon ...	Daily, 9 am ...	Daily, 5.30 pm
18	Otakaia ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 9.15 am ...	Daily, 5 pm ...	Daily, 7 pm
20	Otakou ...	Dunedin ...	Tues, Sat, 2 pm ...	Wed, 9 am; Sat, 6.45 pm	Wed, 6 am; Sat, 4 pm ...	Tues, Sat, 10.15 am
95	Otaraia ...	Dunedin ...	Tues, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Fri, 5.30 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 12.30 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 10.50 am
44	Otaraia (from Inver	cargill) ...	Tues, Fri, 9.30 am ..	Tues, Fri, 4.30 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 8 am ...	Tues, Fri, 4.35 pm
30	Otautau ...	Invercargill ...	Tues, Thur, Sat, 10.15 am,	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 1.10 pm,	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 am,	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 9.49 am,
18	Oteramika ...	Invercargill ...	Mon, 9.30 am [5 pm	Mon, 12.30 pm [8.4 pm	Mon, 1.30 pm [2.20 pm	Mon, 4.35 pm [5.10 pm
18	Otepopo ...	Oamaru ...	Daily, 6 am, 3.15 pm ...	Daily, 8.15 am, 4.40 pm...	Daily, 10.45 am ...	Daily, 12.5 pm
61	Otepopo (from	Dunedin) ...	Daily, 6 am, 2.30 pm ...	Daily, 11.10 am, 7.35 pm	Daily, 4.20 pm, 9 pm ...	Daily, 12.45 pm, 8.40 pm
50	Otira Gorge ...	Hokitika ...	Mon, Thurs, 7 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 2 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 7 am ...	Wed, Sat, 4.30 pm
18	Outram ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 8.30 am, 3.45 pm...	Daily, 10.50 am, 5.50 pm	Daily, 6.50 am, 4 pm ...	Daily, 8.50 am, 6.5 pm
80	Owake ...	Dunedin ...	Tues, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Fri, 4.30 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 8.30 am ...	Wed, Sat, 7 pm
41	Oxford ...	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am, 3.45 pm ... [offers	Daily, 10.50 am, 8 pm ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 10.45 am, 2.50 pm, Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10.45 am, 3.30 pm	Daily, 10.15 am, 7.45 pm [offers
38	Owharoa ...	Grahamstown	By steamer as opportunity	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 11.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 2 pm ...	By steamer as opportunity
30	Paeroa ...	Grahamstown	By steamer as opportunity	offers	By steamer as opportunity	offers
20	Pahautanui ...	Wellington ...	Daily, 7.30 pm ...	Daily, 7.15 am ...	Daily, 2.30 pm ...	Daily, 5.30 pm

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89	Pahi ...	Auckland ...	Mon, 2.15 pm ...	Tues, with tide ...	Wed, with tide ..	Thurs, 11 am
127	Pahiatua ...	Wellington ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6 am	Mon, Wed, Fri, 5 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6.10 pm
133	Paihia ...	Auckland ...	Mon, 4 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 9 am ...	Wed, Fri, Sat, 10 am ...	Sat, 9 am
32	Paikakariki ...	Wellington ...	Mon, Thurs, 7.30 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 9.50 am ...	Tues, Fri, noon ...	Tues, Fri, 5.30 pm
62	Pakiri ...	Auckland ...	Sat, 10 am ...	Sat, 9.30 pm ...	Sat, 9 am ...	Mon, 6 pm
13	Pakuranga ...	Auckland ...	Daily, 2.30 pm ...	Daily, 5 pm ...	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 10 am
95	Palmerston North	Wellington ...	Daily, 7.30 pm ...	Daily, 6 pm ...	Daily, 7.45 pm ...	Daily, 5.30 pm
	Palmerston North (from Napier) ...		Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 7.45 pm...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 8 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6.40 pm
62	Palmerston North (from Wanganui)		Daily, 3.30 pm, also Wed, Sat, 11.30 am	Daily, 8.25 pm, also Wed, Sat, 5 pm	Daily, 8 am, 5 pm ...	Daily, 1.30 pm, 10.10 pm
41	Palmerston ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am, 2.30 pm ...	Daily, 10.5 am, 5.50 pm...	Daily, 9.40 am, 5 pm ...	Daily, 12.45 pm, 8.40 pm
189	Palmerston (from Christchurch) ...		Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 6 pm ...	Daily, 9.40 am ...	Daily, 8.30 pm
39	Palmerston (from Oamaru) Dunedin,		Daily, 6.30 am, 3.15 pm	Daily, 9.55 am, 6 pm ...	Daily, 9.40 am, 5 pm ...	Daily, 11.30 am, 9 pm
9	Panmure ...	Auckland ...	Daily, 2.30 pm ...	Daily, 4 pm ...	Daily, 8.30 am ..	Daily, 10 am
19	Papakura ...	Auckland ...	Daily, 7.30 am [3.15 pm	Daily, 9.50 am [6.40 pm	Daily, 3 pm [7 pm	Daily, 5 pm [8.40 pm
10	Papakaio ...	Oamaru ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, Sat, 6 am,	Mon, Wed, Fri, Sat, 7.30 am	Mon, Wed, Fri, Sat, 10 am,	Mon, Wed, Fri, Sat, 11.20 am
84	Papakaio (from Dunedin) ...		Tues, Thurs, Fri, Sat,	Mon, Wed, Fri, Sat, 7.20 am	Mon, Wed, Fri, Sat, 8 pm	Mon, Tues, Thurs, Sat,
3	Papanui ...	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am [2.30 pm	Daily, 8.15 am ...	Daily, 1.30 pm ...	Daily, 2.50 pm [12.45 pm
94	Paparoa ...	Auckland ...	Mon, 2.15 pm ; Sat, 10 am	Mon, 8 am; Tues, with tide	Wed, with tide ...	Thurs, 11 am
11	Papatoitoi ...	Auckland ...	Daily, 7.30 am, 7 pm ...	Daily, 7.20 am, 9.20 am...	Daily, 8.20 am, 3.30 pm...	Daily, 9.45 am, 5 pm
10	Pareora ...	Timaru ...	Mon, Thurs, 6 am ...	Mon, Thurs, 10.30 am ...	Mon, Thurs, 10.30 am ...	Mon, Thurs, 12.30 pm
35	Parakakau ...	Auckland ...	Mon, Fri, 8.15 am ...	Mon, Fri, 2.30 pm ...	Mon, Fri, 4.15 pm ...	Tues, Sat, 3.30 pm
60	Parawanui ...	Wanganui ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 3.30 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 1.30 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 1.45 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10.10 pm
145	Parawanui (from Wellington) ...		Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7.30 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 1.30 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 1.45 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 4.45 pm
286	Parenga ...	Auckland ...	Mon, 4 pm ...	Fri, 5 pm ...	Tues, 6 am ...	Sat, 9 am
5	Paroa ...	Greymouth ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 7.30 am	Mon, Wed, Fri, 9 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 11 am
80	Parua ...	Auckland ...	Fri, 4 pm ...	Sat, 9 am ...	Sat, 10 am ...	Mon, 9 am
35	Patangata ...	Napier ...	Tues, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Fri, noon ...	Tues, Fri, 1 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 6.40 pm
40	Patea ...	Wanganui ...	Daily, 3.30 pm, 9 pm ...	Daily, 10.40 am, 9 pm ...	Daily, 3.15 pm, 8 pm ...	Daily, 10 am, 7.15 pm
60	Patea (from New Plymouth) ...		Mon, 6 am, 10 pm ; Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri, 10 pm	Daily, 3.30 pm ...	Daily, 11 45 am ...	Daily, 7.50 pm
90	Patearoa ...	Dunedin ...	Fri, 6 am ...	Sat, 3 pm ...	Tues, 11 am ...	Tues, 8.40 pm
100	Paterangi ...	Auckland ...	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 3.30 pm ...	Daily 8.30 am ...	Daily, 5 pm
49	Paterson's Inlet ...	Invercargill ...	Sat, 10.45 am ...	Sundays ...	Thursdays ...	Fridays
36	Peel Forest ...	Timaru ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 3.30 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 12.55 pm

203	Pembroke ...	Dunedin ...	Mon, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Sat, 6.15 pm ...	Mon, Wed, 5.30 am ...	Tues, Thurs, 7 pm
6	Penrose ...	Auckland	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 9 am ...	Daily, 4 pm ...	Daily, 5 pm
5	Petane ...	Napier ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 2 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 3 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6 pm
7	Petone ...	Wellington ...	Daily, 7 am ...	Daily, 8.15 am ...	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 12.30 pm
20	Picton ...	Blenheim ...	Daily, 9.30 am, 3.15 pm...	Daily, noon, 5.45 pm	Daily, 1.15 pm, 5 pm ...	Daily, 10 am, 3.45 pm
21	Pigeon Bay ...	Christchurch	Mon, Wed, Fri, 7 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, noon ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 12.30 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6.30 pm
4	Pine Hill ...	Dunedin ...	Tues, Fri, 11 am ...	Tues, Fri, 6 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 10 am ...	Tues, Fri, 2 pm
	Pitt's Island ...	Chatham Isl'ds	By sea, as opportunity offers	...	...	..
13	Pleasant Point ...	Timaru ...	Daily, 6 am, 3 pm ...	Daily, 8 am, 4.20 pm ...	Daily, 10 am, 6.25 pm ...	Daily, 11.20 am, 7.50 pm
27	Pleasant Valley ...	Timaru ...	Wed, Sat, 6 am ...	Wed, Sat, 1.55 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 1.55 pm ...	Mon, Thurs, 10.35 am
88	Point Curtis ...	Auckland ...	Mon, 2.15 pm ...	Tues, with tide ...	Wed, with tide ...	Thurs, 11 am
40	Pokeno ...	Auckland ...	Daily, 7.30 am, 7 pm ...	Daily, 9.50 am, 11.15 am	Daily, 6 am, 1.30 pm ...	Daily, 9.45 am, 5 pm
42	Pokeno Valley ...	Auckland ...	Mon, Thurs, 7 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 12.20 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 8.30 am ...	Tues, Fri, 5 pm
61	Pollock Settlement	Auckland ...	Fri, 7.30 am ...	Sat, 10.30 am ...	Sat, 2 pm ...	Mon, 5 pm
74	Porangahau ...	Napier ...	Mon, Thurs, 6 am ...	Mon, Thurs, 5 pm ...	Tues, Sat, 8.20 am ...	Wed, Sat, 6.40 pm
12	Porirua Ferry ...	Wellington ...	Daily, 7.30 pm ...	Daily, 6.15 am ...	Daily, 3.15 pm ...	Daily, 5.30 pm
114	Poroti ...	Auckland ...	Fri, 4 pm ...	Mon, 4 pm ...	Tues, 9 am ...	Fri, 9 am
14	Portobello ...	Dunedin ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 2 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10.15 am
1	Port Ahuriri ...	Napier ...	Daily, 9.15 am, 1.15 pm ...	Daily, 9.45 am, 1.45 pm...	Daily, 11.30 am, 3.30 pm	Daily, noon, 4 pm
65	Port Albert ...	Auckland ...	Wed, 2.15 pm ; Sat, 10 am	Sun, 9 am ; Thur, with tide	Fri, with tide ; Sat, 10 am	Mon, 6 pm ; Sat, 11 am
90	Port Awanui ...	Gisborne ...	Every alt. Tues, 3 pm ...	Every alt. Sat, according to tide	Every alt. Sat, according to tide	Every alt. Tues, 9.30 am
9	Port Chalmers ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am, 9.45 am, noon, 2 pm, 4.50 pm	Daily, 8 am, 10.40 am, 1 pm, 3 pm, 6 pm	Daily, 8.15, 10.30 am, 1 pm 3.20 pm, 5 pm, 6.45 pm	Daily, 9.15 am, 11.30 am, 1.55, 4.12, 5.55, 7.40 pm
60	Port Fitzroy ...	Auckland ...	By sea as opportunity offers	By sea as opportunity offers	By sea as opportunity offers	By sea as opportunity offers
16	Port Levy ...	Christchurch	Tues, 7 am ...	Tues, 2.30 pm ...	Tues, 9 am ...	Tues, 2 pm
74	Port Molyneux ...	Dunedin ...	Tues, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Fri, 3 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 11 am ...	Tues, Fri, 7 pm
60	Port Waikato ...	Auckland ...	Fri, 11 am ...	Sat, 10 am ...	Sat, 11 am ...	Mon, 6.40 pm
50	Porter's Pass ...	Christchurch	Tues, Fri, 7.30 am ...	Tues, Fri, 2 pm ...	Wed, Sat, noon ...	Wed, Sat, 6.45 pm
63	Pourerere ...	Napier ...	Tues, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Fri, 4 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 8.30 am ...	Wed, Sat, 6.40 pm
9	Prebbleton ...	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 8.4 am ...	Daily, 5 pm ...	Daily, 6.45 pm
62	Puarua ...	Dunedin ...	Tues, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Fri, 2 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 10.30 am [am	Wed, Sat, 7 pm [pm
40	Puhoi ...	Auckland ...	Wed, 8.15 am ; Sat, 10 am	Wed, Sat, 5 pm ...	Mon, 9.30 am ; Thurs, 7.30	Mon, 6 pm ; Thurs, 3.30
96	Pukaki Ferry ...	Timaru ...	Mon, 6 am ...	Tues, 9 am ...	Tues, 10.30 am ...	Wed 7.50 pm
30	Pukearuhe ...	New Plymouth	Tues, Fri, 10 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 5 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 5 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 7.50 pm
12	Puketapu ...	Napier ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 1 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 12.45 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 3 pm
33	Pukekohe East ...	Auckland ...	Wed, Sat, 7.30 am ...	Wed, Sat, 10.15 am ...	Wed, Sat, 8 am ...	Wed, Sat, 5 pm
30	Pukekohe ...	Auckland ...	Daily, 7.30 am, 7 pm ...	Daily, 9.10 am, 10.40 am	Daily, 6.45 am, 2 pm ...	Daily, 9.45 am, 5 pm

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91	Pukerau ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 1.45 pm ...	Daily, 12.30 pm ...	Daily, 7 pm
49	Pukerau (from Inv	ercargill) ...	Daily, 9.30 am ...	Daily, 1 pm ...	Daily, 1.30 pm ...	Daily, 4.35 pm
106	Pukerimu ...	Auckland ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5 pm ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 5 pm
6	Pukeuri ...	Oamaru ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 7.55 am ...	Daily, 7 pm ...	Daily, 8.40 pm
68	Pukeuri (from Dun	edin) ...	Daily, 2.30 pm ...	Daily, 7.55 am ...	Daily, 7 pm ...	Daily, 12.45 pm
13	Purakanui ...	Dunedin ...	Tues, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Fri, 9.30 am ...	Wed, Sat, 11 am ...	Wed, Sat, 12.45 pm
9	Puriri ...	Grahamstown	Tues, 7 am ...	Tues, 9 am ...	Tues, 4 pm ...	Tues, 6 pm
156	Quartzville ...	Dunedin ...	Mon, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Sat, 3 pm ...	Tues, Sat, 4.30 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, 7 pm
224	Queenstown (from	Dunedin) ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 5.30 pm; Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 8.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 pm
110	Queenstown ...	Invercargill	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ..	Mon, Wed, Fri, 5.30 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 7.30 am	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6.49 pm
76	Rae's Junction	Dunedin ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 3.30 pm...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10.35 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 pm
110	Raglan ...	Auckland ...	Thurs, Sat, 7 pm [pm	Mon, Fri, 6 pm [pm	Tues, Sat, 6 am ...	Tues, Sat, 5 pm
35	Rakaia ...	Christchurch	Daily, 7.30 am, 12.15 pm, 3.45	Daily, 9 am, 3.30 pm, 6.40	Daily, 11 am, 6 pm ...	Daily, 2.10 pm, 8.30 pm
26	Ramarama ...	Auckland ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 7 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 9 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 9.45 am
56	Rangiriri ...	Auckland ..	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 11 am ...	Daily, noon ...	Daily, 5 pm
30	Rangitata Island	Timaru ...	Wed, Sat, 6 am ...	Wed, Sat, 2 pm [pm	Wed, Sat, 2 pm [pm	Wed, Sat, 8.20 pm [7.45 pm
20	Rangiora ...	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am, 11 am, 3.45 pm	Daily, 9 am, 1.25 pm, 6.20	Daily, 8 am, 12.50 pm, 5	Daily, 10.15 am, 2.45 pm,
4	Ravensbourne ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 7 am ...	Daily, 3.45 pm ...	Daily, 4.12 pm
43	Razorback ...	Auckland ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 pm ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 10.30 am	Mon, Wed, Fri, 2.30 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 5 pm
46	Redcliffe ...	Timaru ...	Tues, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Fri, 1 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 1 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 7.40 pm
23	Red Jack's ...	Greymouth ...	Thurs, 6.30 am ...	Thurs, 5 pm ...	Wed, 8 am ...	Wed, 6 pm
48	Reefton ...	Greymouth ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6 pm ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 7 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 pm
53½	Reefton (from Wes	tport) ...	Mon, Thurs, 10 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 7 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 10 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 7 pm
7	Renwicktown ...	Blenheim ...	Sat, 10 am ...	Sat, 11.30 am ...	Fri, 1 pm ...	Fri, 2.30 pm
2	Riccarton ...	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 7.41 am ...	Daily, 1.45 pm ...	Daily, 2.45 pm [ranga
171	Richmond ...	Auckland ...	By every steamer ...	Thurs, 5 pm ...	Wed, 7.30 am ...	By every steamer from Tau-
8	Richmond ...	Nelson ...	Daily, 9 am, 4 pm ...	Daily 10 am, 5 pm ...	Daily, 8.10 am, 1.45 pm...	Daily, 9 am, 2.30 pm

57	Riversdale ...	Invercargill ...	Daily, 9.30 am ...	Daily, 3.15 pm ...	Daily, 10.30 am ...	Daily, 4.35 pm
21	Riverton ...	Invercargill ...	Daily, 10.15 am, 5 pm ...	Daily, 1 pm, 7.48 pm ...	Daily, 7 am, 2.30 pm ...	Daily, 9.49 am, 5.10 pm
38	Riwaka ...	Nelson ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 9 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 3 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 2.30 pm
52	Robinson's Bay ...	Christchurch	Daily, 7 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 2.40 pm; Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5 pm	Daily, 9 am ...	Daily, 4 pm
15	Rolleston ...	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 8.20 am ...	Daily, 6.30 pm ...	Daily, 8.30 pm
9	Roslyn Bush ...	Invercargill ...	Sat, 6.45 am ...	Sat. 9.30 am ...	Sat, 2.30 pm ...	Sat, 4.35 pm
20	Ross ...	Hokitika ...	Daily, 2.15 p.m ...	Daily, 6 pm ...	Daily, 8.15 am ...	Daily, noon
69	Rotherham ...	Christchurch	Mon, Thurs, 6 am ...	Mon, Thurs, 4.30 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 3 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 8 pm
98	Roxburgh ...	Dunedin ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 7 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 pm
107	Rough Ridge ...	Dunedin ...	Mon, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Sat, 8.45 am ...	Mon, Fri, 4.15 pm ...	Tues, Sat, 8.40 pm
32	Round Hill ...	Invercargill ...	Mon, 10.15 am ...	Mon, 4 pm ...	Tues, 10 am ...	Tues, 5.10 pm
107	Ruatangata ...	Auckland ...	Fri, 4 pm ...	Sat, 3 pm ...	Mon, 6 am ...	Tues, 9 am
130	Russell ...	Auckland ...	Mon, 4 pm; Wed, 3 pm; and by every steamer	Tues, Thurs, 8 am; and by every steamer	Thurs, 3 pm; Fri, 1 pm; and by every steamer...	Fri, Sat, 9 am; and by every steamer
45	Russell's Flat ...	Christchurch	Wed, Sat, 7.30 am ...	Wed, Sat, noon ...	Wed, Sat, 1.45 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 6.45 pm
9	Rutherglen .	Greymouth ...	Thurs, 2 pm ...	Thurs, 6 pm ...	Thurs, 8 am ...	Thurs, 11 am
11	Ryal Bush ...	Invercargill ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 3.30 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 4.50 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 8 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 9.26 am
20	Saltwater Creek	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 10.35 am ...	Daily, 11.40 am ...	Daily, 2.45 pm
1	Sandie Town ...	Timaru ...	Daily, 2.15 pm ...	Daily, 2.50 pm ...	Daily, 2 pm ...	Daily, 2.30 pm
11	Sandymount ...	Dunedin ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 2.30 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10.15 am
128	Sanson ...	Wellington ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7.30 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 9.30 am	Daily, 9.30 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5.30 pm
138	Scott's Ferry ...	Wellington ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7.30 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, noon ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, noon ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5.30 pm
24	Seacliff ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 9 am ...	Daily, 6.30 pm ...	Daily, 8.40 pm
68	Seafield ...	Christchurch	Mon, Wed, Fri, 12.15 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, noon ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 12.30 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8.30 pm
25	Sefton ...	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am, 11 am ...	Daily, 9.16 am, 1.43 pm...	Daily, noon, 4.45 pm ...	Daily, 2.45 pm, 7.45 pm
22	Selwyn ...	Christchurch	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 9.20 am ...	Daily, 5 pm ...	Daily, 8.30 pm
90	Serpentine ...	Dunedin ...	Fri, 6 am ...	Sat, 6 pm ...	Sat, 3 pm ...	Tues, 8.40 pm
32	Shag Point Junction	Oamaru ...	Daily, 6.30 am, 3.15 pm	Daily, 9.30 am, 5 pm ...	Daily, 6.30 pm ...	Daily, 9 pm
46	Shag Point Junction	(from Dunedin)	Daily, 6 am	Daily, 10.30 am ...	Daily, 3.30 pm [3.40 pm	Daily, 8.40 pm
45	Shag Valley ...	Dunedin ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 11 am ...	Tues, Sat, 3 pm; Thurs,	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8.40 pm
38	Sheffield ...	Christchurch	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 10.41 am ...	Daily, 3 pm ...	Daily, 6.45 pm
45	Sherry River ...	Nelson ...	Tues, 4 pm ...	Wed, 11 am ...	Wed, 1 pm ...	Thurs, 9 am
45	Sherwood ...	Christchurch	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 10.30 am ...	Daily, 5 pm ...	Daily, 8.30 pm
41	Silverstream ...	Timaru ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 11.40 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 2 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7.50 pm
	Skipper's ...	Invercargill ...	Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, 3 pm ...	Tues, 11 am ...	Wed, 6.49 pm
220	Skipper's (from	Dunedin) ...	Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, 3 pm ...	Tues, 11 am ...	Thurs, 7 pm
30	Southbridge ...	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am, 3 pm ...	Daily, 9.50 am, 6.30 pm...	Daily, 7 am, 3.30 pm ...	Daily, 10.15 am, 6.45 pm
19	Southbrook ...	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 8.40 am ...	Daily, 12.30 pm ...	Daily, 2.45 pm

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3	Spreydon ...	Christchurch	Mon, Wed, Fri, 2.30 pm; Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 am	Mon, Wed, Fri, 4 pm; Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8.30 am	Mon, Wed, Fri, 9.30 am, 5 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 11 am, 6 pm
27	Springbank ...	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, noon; Tues, Thurs, Sat, 9.30 am	Mon, Wed, Fri, 1 pm; Tues, Thurs, Sat, 4.30 pm	Daily, 7.45 pm
17	Springston ...	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 9 am ...	Daily, 4.15 pm ...	Daily, 6.45 pm
4	Spring Creek ...	Blenheim ...	Daily, 3.15 pm ...	Daily, 4.20 pm ...	Daily, 9 am ...	Daily, 10 am
14½	Spring Grove ...	Nelson ...	Daily, 4 pm ...	Daily, 5.40 pm ...	Daily, 7.45 am ...	Daily, 9 am
43	Springfield ...	Christchurch	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 11.15 am ...	Daily, 2.25 pm ...	Daily, 6.45 pm
8½	Stafford ...	Hokitika ...	Daily, 8.30 am, 2 pm ...	Daily, 10.15 am, 4 pm ...	Daily, 10.15 am, 2 pm ...	Daily, 11 am, 4 pm
13	Stanton's ...	Hokitika ...	Daily, 8.30 am, 2 pm ...	Daily, 11 am, 5.30 pm ...	Daily, 8 am, 1.30 pm ...	Daily, 1 pm, 4 pm
50	Stirling ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 11.5 am ...	Daily, 3.15 pm ...	Daily, 7 pm
4	Stoke ...	Nelson ...	Daily, 4 pm ...	Daily, 5 pm ...	Daily, 8.15 am ...	Daily, 9 am
59	Stony Creek ...	Dunedin ...	Tues, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Fri, 3 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 5.15 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 10.50 am
49	St. Andrews ...	Auckland ...	Fri, 11 am ...	Sat, noon ...	Sat, 6 am ...	Mon, 9 am
11	St. Andrew ...	Timaru ...	Daily, 6 am, 12.45 pm ...	Daily, 8.5 am, 1.50 pm ...	Daily, 6.30 pm ...	Daily, 7.45 pm
130	St. Bathans ...	Dunedin ...	Mon, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Sat, 11 am ...	Mon, Fri, 11.30 am ...	Tues, Sat, 8.40 pm
12	St. John's College	Auckland ...	Daily, 2.30 pm ...	Daily, 4.30 pm ...	Daily, 8 am ...	Daily, 10 am
1	St. John's (branch office)	Wanganui	Daily, 2.30 pm ...	Daily, 3 pm ...	Daily, 3.30 pm ...	Daily, 4 pm
24	St. Kilda ...	Westport ...	Fri, noon ...	Sat, 4.30 pm ...	Sat, 6 am ...	Tues, 10 am
25	Stratford ...	New Plymouth	Mon, 6 am, 10 pm; Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri, 10 pm	Daily, 9 am ...	Daily, 5.15 pm ...	Daily, 7.50 pm
24	Studholme Junction	Timaru ...	Daily, 6 am, 12.40 pm ...	Daily, 9.45 am, 2.30 pm...	Daily, 8.25 am, 1 pm ...	Daily, 10.40 am, 3.5 pm
6	Styx ...	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 7.55 am ..	Daily, 1.30 pm ...	Daily, 2.45 pm
9	Sumner ...	Christchurch	Daily, 9.40 am, 4.40 pm ...	Daily, 11.15 am, 6.15 pm	Daily, 8.15 am, 3.15 pm	Daily, 9.30 am, 4.30 pm
23	Swannanoa ...	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 10 am ..	Daily, 4.30 pm ...	Daily, 7.45 pm
103	Swift Creek ...	Dunedin ...	Tues, Fri, 6 am ...	Wed, Sat, 12.30 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 2.30 pm ...	Mon, Thurs, 7 pm
1	Sydenham ...	Christchurch	Daily, 7, 9.45 am, 12.45, 4 [pm	Daily, 7.35, 10.15 am, 1.20, [4.35 pm	Daily, 7.15, 10.45 am, 1.30, [5 pm	Daily, 7.55, 11.15 am, 2, 5.45 [pm
1	Sylvan Bank ...	Invercargill...	Daily, 9 am	Daily, 9.30 am	Daily, 8.15 am	Daily, 9 am
34½	Tadmor ...	Nelson ...	Tues, 4 pm ...	Wed, 9 am ...	Wed, 3 pm ...	Thurs, 9 am
165	Taheke ...	Auckland ...	Mon, 4 pm ...	Tues, 4 pm ...	Thurs, 8 am ...	Sat, 9 am
83	Tahoraiti ...	Napier ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 2.15 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6.40 pm
32	Taieri Beach ...	Dunedin ...	Fri, 6 am ...	Fri, 1 pm ...	Fri, 8.30 am ...	Fri, 7 pm
122	Taipo (from Christchurch)	...	Tues, Fri, 7.30 am ...	Wed, Sat, 3 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 9 am ...	Wed, Sat, 7.15 pm
28	Taipo ...	Hokitika ...	Mon, Thurs, 7 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 11 am ...	Wed, Sat, 11 am ...	Wed, Sat, 4.30 pm
86	Tairua ...	Auckland ...	By sea as opportunity offers	...	...	...
11	Taita ...	Wellington ...	Daily, 7 am, 3 pm ...	Daily, 8.55 am, 4.25 pm ...	Daily, 10.45 am, 4 pm ...	Daily, 12.30 pm, 6.10 pm
12	Tai Tapu ...	Christchurch	Mon, Wed, Fri, 2.30 pm; Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 am	Mon, Wed, Fri, 5.30 pm; Tues, Thurs, Sat, 9.10 am	Mon, Wed, Fri, 8 am, 4 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 11 am, 6 pm
60	Takaka East ...	Nelson	By sea as opportunity occurs	...	...	...
60	Takapau ...	Napier ...	Daily, 6 am, 3.30 pm ...	Daily, 11.20 am, 8.20 pm	Daily, 2 pm, 8 pm ...	Daily, 9.50 am, 6.40 pm
153	Tangihua ...	Auckland ...	Tues, 6 am; Fri, 4 pm. ...	Mon, Wed, 6 pm ...	Wed, 5 pm ...	Sat, 11 am
44	Tamumu ...	Napier ...	Tues, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Fri, noon ...	Wed, Sat, 1 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 6.40 pm
94	Tapanui ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 2.30 pm ...	Daily, 11.30 am ...	Daily, 7 pm
70	Tapanui (from Invercargill)	...	Daily, 9.30 am ...	Daily, 2.20 pm ...	Daily, 11.30 am ...	Daily, 4.35 pm
7¾	Taradale ...	Napier ...	Daily, 10.30 am ...	Daily, 12.30 pm ...	Daily, 1.45 pm ...	Daily, 3 pm
50	Tarawera ...	Napier ...	Tues, 4.30 pm ...	Wed, 6 pm ...	Fri, 7 pm ...	Sat, 5 pm
2½	Tararu ...	Grahamstown	Daily, 9.30 am ...	Daily, 10.30 am ...	Daily, 11.30 am ...	Daily, 12.30 pm
78	Taueru ...	Wellington ...	Mon, Thurs, 3 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 8 am ...	Wed, Sat, 2.30 pm ...	Mon, Thurs, 12.30 pm
48	Tauherinikau ...	Wellington ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 12.30 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 11 am...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6.10 pm
62	Tauhoa ...	Auckland ...	Sat, 10 am ...	Sun, 7 am ...	Sat, 10.45 pm ...	Mon, 6 pm
140	Taumariri ...	Auckland ...	Mon, 4 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, with tide	Mon, Wed, Fri, with tide	Sat, 9 am
69	Taupiri ...	Auckland ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 7.30 am	Mon, Wed, Fri, 1.20 pm...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 11 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5 pm
101	Taupo ...	Napier ...	Tues, 4.30 pm ...	Thurs, 6 pm ...	Thurs, 7 pm ...	Sat, 5 pm
130	Tauranga... ...	Auckland ...	By every steamer ...	By every steamer ...	By every steamer ...	By every steamer
	Tauranga and Ohinemutu	...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 8 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 5 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5 pm
9	Tawa Flat ...	Wellington ...	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 3.45 am ...	Daily, 5.30 pm
¼	Taylorville ...	Wanganui ...	Daily, 9 am ...	Daily, 9.10 am ...	Daily, 9 am ...	Daily, 9.20 am
71	Te Arai ...	Auckland ...	Sat, 10 am	Sun, 11 am ...	Sat, 8.45 am ...	Mon, 6 pm
36	Te Aroha ...	Grahamstown	By steamer as opportunity offers ...	...	...	...
	Te Aroha (from Auckland)	...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 7.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 3 pm ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 9.30 am...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5 pm
30	Te Aute ...	Napier ...	Daily, 6 am, 3.30 pm ...	Daily, 9.10 am and 8.6 pm	Daily, 7.45 am, 4.30 pm...	Daily, 9.50 am, 6.40 pm
103	Te Awamutu ...	Auckland ...	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 3.15 pm ...	Daily, 9 am ...	Daily, 5 pm
60	Te Houka ...	Dunedin ...	Thurs, 3.45 pm ...	Fri, noon ...	Fri, 4 pm ...	Sat, 10.50 am
30	Te Kapa ...	Auckland ...	Thurs, Sat, 10 am ...	Thurs, Sat, 3 pm ...	Mon, Fri, 9.30 am ...	Mon, Fri, 6 pm
60	Te Kapu (from Wairoa)	Napier ...	Tues, 10 am ...	Thurs, 1.30 pm ...	Sat, 9 am ...	Mon, 10 am
57	Te Kawana ...	Grahamstown	By steamer as opportunity offers	Tues, 1 pm ...	Tues, 2 pm ...	Wed, with tide
108	Te Kopuru ...	Auckland ...	Tues, 6 am; Wed, 2.15 pm	Tues, 4 pm; Thurs, with [tide	Wed, 8 am; Fri, with tide	Wed, 8 pm; Sat, 11 am

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118	Te Mata ...	Auckland ...	Thurs, 7 pm ...	Fri, 8 pm	Fri, 3.45 pm ...	Sat, 5 pm
60	Te Mawhai ...	Gisborne ...	Every alt. Tues, 3 pm ...	Every alt. Thurs, 8 pm ...	Every alt. Sun, 7.30 am ...	Every alt. Tues, 9.30 am
111	Te Nui ...	Wellington ...	Mon, Thurs, 3 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 1 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 9 am ...	Mon, Thurs, 12.30 pm
162	Te Puke ...	Auckland ...	Every steamer to Tauranga	Thurs, 2 pm ...	Wed, 10 am ...	Every steamer from Tauranga
200	Te Teko ...	Auckland ...	By steamer ...	Wed, noon ...	Wed, 8 am ...	By steamer from Tauranga
9	Templeton ...	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 8.1 am ...	Daily, 5 pm ...	Daily, 6.45 pm
12	Temuka ...	Timaru ...	Daily, 6 am, 2.50 pm, 4 pm	Daily, 8 am, 4.5 pm, 5.50 pm	Daily, 9 am, noon, 5 pm ...	Daily, 10.55 am, 12.55 pm, 8.20 pm
88	Temuka (from	Christchurch)	Daily, 7.30 am, 12.15 pm, 3.45 pm	Daily, 9.30 am, 12.25 pm, 7.35 pm	Daily, 7 am, 3 pm, 4.30 pm	Daily, 10.15 am, 2.10 pm, 8.30 pm
96	Terrace End ...	Wellington ...	Daily, 7.30 pm ...	Daily, 7.15 pm ...	Daily, 7 pm ...	Daily, 5.30 pm
138	Te Wharau ...	Auckland ...	Mon, 4 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, with tide	Mon, Wed, Fri, with tide	Sat, 9 am
18	The Bridge ...	Blenheim ...	Daily, 3.15 pm ...	Daily, 8.10 am ...	Daily, 5 pm ...	Daily, 10 am
78	The Forks ...	Hokitika ...	Every alternate Thurs, 2 pm	Every alternate Sat, 9 am	Every alternate Sun, 10 pm	Every alternate Wed, noon
1	The Port ...	Nelson ...	Daily, 9.30 am, 3.30 pm, 4.30 pm	Daily, 9.45 am, 3.45 pm, 4.45 pm	Daily, 9.15 am, 2.45 pm, 4.45 pm	Daily, 9.30 am, 3 pm, 5 pm
21	Thornbury Junction	Invercargill ...	Daily, 10.15 am, 5 pm ...	Daily, 12.22 pm, 7.11 pm	Daily, 7.30 am, 3.15 pm...	Daily, 9.49 am, 5.10 pm
30½	Thorpe ...	Nelson ...	Mon, 9 am ...	Mon, 5 pm ...	Mon, 8.30 am ...	Tues, 2.30 pm
42	Tiki ...	Auckland ...	Every steamer to Kapanga	Sat 12.30 pm ...	Sat 9 am ...	Sat, 6 pm
	TIMARU.					
100	Timaru (from	Christchurch)	Daily, 7.30 am, 12.15, 3.45 pm	Daily, 10.25 am, 12.55, 8.20 pm	Daily, 6 am, 2.50 pm, 4 pm	Daily, 9.45 am, 2.10, 8.30 pm
131	Timaru (from Dun	edin) ...	Daily, 6 am, 2.30 pm	Daily, 10.45 am, 3 pm	Daily, 12.40 pm, 4 pm ...	Daily, 12.45 pm, 8.40 pm
57	Timaru (from Oa	maru) ...	Daily, 6 am, 11.50 am, 3.15 pm	Daily, 11.10 am, 3.40 pm, 8.10 pm	Daily, 6 am, 12.40 pm, 4 pm	Daily, 11.10 am, 3.40 pm, 10 pm
140	Tinker's Gully ...	Dunedin ...	Fri, 6 am ...	Sat, 5 pm ...	Thurs, 3 pm ...	Sat, 8.40 pm
54	Tinwald ...	Christchurch	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 10.40 am ...	Daily, 9.30 am ...	Daily, 2.10 pm
12	Titirangi ...	Auckland ...	Sat, 6 am ...	Sat, 10 am ...	Sat, 7 am ...	Sat, 9.15 am
60	Toiro ...	Dunedin ...	Tues, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Fri, noon ...	Wed, Sat, 2.30 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 7 pm
35	Tologa Bay ...	Gisborne ...	Tues, 3 pm ...	Wed, according to tide ...	Mon, according to tide ...	Tues, 9.30 am
45	Tokatea ...	Auckland ...	Every steamer to Kapanga	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 9.15 am	Every stmr from Kapanga

104	Tokatoka ...	Auckland ...	Tues, 6 am; Wed, 2.15 pm	Tues, 3 pm; Thurs, with tide	Wed, 9 am; Fri, with tide	Wed, 8 pm; Sat, 11 am
166	Totara ...	Auckland ...	Mon, 4 pm	Wed, 9 am	Thurs, noon	Sat, 9 am
29	Totara Flat ...	Greymouth ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 1 pm ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 11 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 pm
20	Trentham ...	Wellington ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 9.45 am ...	Daily, 9.30 am ...	Daily, 6.45 pm
	Trondheim ...	Wellington ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7.30 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6.15 pm ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 7 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5.30 pm ...
50	Tryphena ...	Auckland ...	By sea as opportunity offers			
35	Tuakau ...	Auckland ...	Daily, 7.30 am, 7 pm ...	Daily, 9.30 am, 11 am ...	Daily, 6 am, 1.30 pm ...	Daily, 9.45 am, 5 pm
7	Tuamarina ...	Blenheim ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 3.15 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 4.30 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10 am
75	Tuapeka Mouth ...	Dunedin ...	Wed, Sat, 6 am ...	Wed, Sat, 5 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 6.30 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 7 pm
69	Tuapeka West ...	Dunedin ...	Wed, Sat, 6 am ...	Wed, Sat, 3 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 8 am ...	Wed, Sat, 7 pm
100	Tuhikaramea ...	Auckland ...	Fri, 7.30 am ...	Fri, 5.30 pm	Fri, 9.30 am	Sat, 5 pm
82	Tuparoa ...	Gisborne ...	Every alt. Tues, 3 pm; Sat, 1.55 pm	Every alt. Fri, 5 pm; Sat, 11.30 am	Every alt. Sat, 12.30 pm	Every alt. Tues, 9.30 am
23	Turakina ...	Wanganui ...	Daily, 3.30 pm; also Wed,	Daily, 5.50 pm; also Wed,	Daily, 10.45 am, 4.45 pm	Daily, 1.30 pm, 10.10 pm
134	Turakina (from	Wellington)...	Daily, 7.30 pm ...	Daily, 8.25 pm ...	Daily, 4.45 pm ...	Daily, 5.30 pm
54	Turiroa ...	Napier ...	Tues, 10 am ...	Thurs, 9 am ...	Sat, 10 am ...	Mon, 10 am
8	Turua ...	Grahamstown	As opportunity offers ...	As opportunity offers ...	As opportunity offers ...	As opportunity offers
10	TwelveMileLanding	Greymouth ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10 am...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 3 pm ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 pm
72	Upper Ferry ...	Timaru ...	Tues, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Fri, 6 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 8.30 am ...	Wed, Sat, 7.40 pm
20	Upper Hutt ...	Wellington ...	Daily, 7 am, 3 pm ...	Daily, 8.50 am, 4.45 pm...	Daily, 10.45 am, 4.20 pm	Daily, 12.30 pm, 6.10 pm
74	Upper Matakitaki	Westport ...	Every alt. Mon, 10 pm	Every alt. Thurs, 4 pm ...	Every alt. Fri, 8 am ...	Every alt. Wed, 7 pm
20	Upper Moutere ...	Nelson ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 9 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 12.45 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 2.30 pm
3	Upper Riccarton	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 8.30 am ...	Daily, 6 pm ...	Daily, 6.45 pm
78	Upper Waiau Ferry	Christchurch	Tues, 6 am ...	Tues, 6.30 pm ...	Thurs, 7 am ...	Thurs, 7.45 pm
42	Upper Waiwera ...	Auckland ...	Fri, 8.15 am ...	Fri, 3 pm ...	Fri, 4 pm ...	Sat, 3.30 pm
19	Urenui ...	New Plymouth	Tues, Fri, 10 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 2.30 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 5 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 7.50 pm
154	Uretara ...	Auckland ...	Every steamer to Tauranga	Mon, Fri, with tide ...	Tues, Sat, with tide ...	Every steamer from Tauranga
180	Victoria Bridge	Dunedin ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 3 pm ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 9 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 pm
201	Victoria Valley ...	Auckland ..	Mon, 4 pm ...	Thurs, 1.30 pm ...	Wed, noon ...	Sat, 9 am
48	View Hill ...	Christchurch	Sat, 6 am ...	Sat, noon ...	Sat, 1.30 pm ...	Sat, 7.45 pm
36	Waddington ...	Christchurch	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 10.20 am ...	Daily, 3 pm ...	Daily, 6.45 pm
28	Wade ...	Auckland ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 8.15 am...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 2 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 3.30 pm
8	Waerangahika ...	Gisborne ...	Tues, Sat, 1 pm ...	Tues, Sat, 3 pm ...	Tues, Sat, 9.30 am ...	Tues, Sat, 11 am
12	Waianiwa ...	Invercargill...	Wed, Sat, 10.15 am ...	Wed, Sat, 12.30 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 3 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 5.12 pm
75	Waiau ...	Christchurch	Mon, Thurs, 6 am ...	Mon, Thurs, 6.15 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 7 am ...	Tues, Fri, 7.45 pm
142	Waihaha ...	Auckland ...	Fortnightly, Mon, 4 pm...	Fortnightly, Tues, 8 pm...	Fortnightly, Mon, 7 pm...	Fortnightly, Sat, 9 am
30	Waihao ...	Timaru ...	Daily, 4.30 pm ...	Daily, 9.45 am ...	Daily, 8 am ...	Daily, 3.5 pm

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60	Waihemo ...	Dunedin ...	Mon, Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, Fri, 1 pm ...	Tues, Sat, 1 pm ...	Tues, Sat, 8.40 pm
52	Waihenga ...	Wellington ...	Mon, Thurs, 2.30 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 10 am ...	Wed, Sat, 11.30 am ...	Wed, Sat, 6.10 pm
38	Waihoa Forks ...	Timaru ...	Tues, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Fri, 11.15 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 2.30 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 7.40 pm
26	Waihola ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 9.45 am ...	Daily, 4.50 pm ...	Daily, 7 pm
32	Waihola Gorge ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 10.5 am ...	Daily, 4.30 pm ...	Daily, 7 pm
126	Waihou ...	Auckland ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 7.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 2 pm ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 11 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5 pm
18	Waikuku ...	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 10 am ...	Daily, 11.55 am ...	Daily, 2.45 pm
115	Waikaka (from	Dunedin) ...	Mon, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Sat, 5 pm ...	Mon, Fri, 8 pm ...	Tues, Sat, 7 pm
56	Waikaka ...	Invercargill ...	Tues, Sat, 6.45 am ...	Tues, Sat, 6 pm ...	Tues, Sat, 5 am ...	Tues, Sat, 4.35 pm
135	Waikaia ...	Dunedin ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 pm ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 7.30 am	Mon, Wed, Fri, 7 pm
77	Waikaia (from Inve	rcargill) ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 9.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6 pm ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 7 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 4.35 pm
45	Waikari ...	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, noon ...	Daily, 2 pm ...	Daily, 7.45 pm
44	Waikanae ...	Wellington ...	Mon, Thurs, 7.30 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 9.30 am ...	Wed, Sat, 10.30 am ...	Wed, Sat, 5.30 pm
25	Waikoukou ...	Auckland ...	Fri, 2.15 pm ...	Sat, 10 am ...	Sat, 7 am ...	Sat, 11 am
32	Waikouaiti ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am, 2.30 pm ...	Daily, 9.30 am, 5.15 pm...	Daily, 10.15 am, 6.15 pm	Daily, 12.45 pm, 8.40 pm
177	Waikawa (from	Dunedin) ...	Every alt Mon, 6 am ...	Every alt Wed, 10 pm ...	Every alt Tues, 9 am ...	Every alt Thurs, 7 pm
4	Waikivi ...	Invercargill ...	Daily, 2.30 pm ...	Daily, 3 30 pm ...	Daily, 8.30 am ...	Daily, 9.45 am
169	Waima ...	Auckland ...	Mon, 4 pm ...	Tues, 5 pm ...	Wed, 6 pm ...	Sat, 9 am
10	Waimangaroa ...	Westport ...	Daily, 1.45 pm ...	Daily, 2.45 pm ...	Daily, 5 pm ...	Daily, 6 pm
30	Waimate ...	Timaru ...	Daily, 6 am, 12.40 pm, 4 pm	Daily, 9.30 am, 2.50 pm, 6.35 pm	Daily, 7.15 am, 12.50 pm, 5 pm	Daily, 10.45 am, 3.5 pm, 7.45 pm
130	Waimate (from	Christchurch)	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 3 pm ...	Daily, 1.30 pm ...	Daily, 8.30 pm
112	Waimate (from	Dunedin) ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 1.30 pm ...	Daily, 1 pm ...	Daily, 8.40 pm
28	Waimate (from	Oamaru) ...	Daily, 6 am, 11.50 am, 3.15 pm ...	Daily, 9.30 am, 1.30 pm, 6.30 pm	Daily, 7.50 am, 1 pm, 4.50 pm	Daily, 10.50 am, 3.30 pm, 8 pm
149	Waimate ...	Auckland ...	Mon, 4 pm ...	Tues, 1 pm ...	Thurs, 1.45 pm ..	Sat, 9 am
23	Waimauku ...	Auckland ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 2.15 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 5.30 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8.10 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 11 am
10½	Waimea ...	Hokitika ...	Daily, 8.30 am, 2 pm ...	Daily, 10.15 am, 4.45 pm	Daily, 9.45 am, 1.45 pm...	Daily, 11 am, 4 pm
16	Waimea West ...	Nelson ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 4 pm...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6.16 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 7.13 am	Mon, Wed, Fri, 9 am
	Waikawa ...	Invercargill...	Every alt. Fri, 9.30 am ...	Every alt. Tues, 1 pm ...	Every alt. Mon, 9 am ...	Every alt. Tues, 7.58 pm

60	Wainui ...	Christchurch	Mon, 7 m ...	Tues, 10.30 am ...	Tues, 8 am ...	Wed, 6 pm
89	Wainui ...	Napier ...	Mon, Thurs, 6 am ...	Tues, Fri, 11 am ...	Tues, Fri, 2.30 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 6.40 pm
15	Wainuiomata ...	Wellington ...	Tues, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Fri, 11 am ...	Tues, Fri, 8 am ...	Tues, Fri, 12.30 pm
90	Waipahi ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 1.14 pm ...	Daily, 1 pm ...	Daily, 7 pm
50	Waipahi (from Inv	ercargill) ...	Daily, 9.30 am ...	Daily, 1.14 pm ...	Daily, 1 pm ...	Daily, 4.35 pm
43	Waipawa ...	Napier ...	Daily, 6 am, 3.30 pm ...	Daily, 10.15 am, 7 pm ...	Daily, 7 am, 3.30 pm ...	Daily, 9.50 am, 6.40 pm
43	Waipori ...	Dunedin ...	Tues, 6 am; Fri, 8.30 am	Tues, 6 pm; Fri, 5 pm ...	Tues, 8.45 am; Sat, 9.45 am	Tues, 7 pm; Sat, 6.5 pm
102	Waipu ...	Auckland ...	Tues, Fri, 4 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 9 am ...	Mon, Thurs, 10 am ...	Tues, Fri, 9 am
48	Waipukurau ...	Napier ...	Daily, 6 am, 3.30 pm ...	Daily, 10.30 am, 7.20 pm	Daily, 6.30 am, 3 pm ...	Daily, 9.50 am, 6.40 pm
64	Wairaki ...	Invercargill ...	Tues, Sat, 5 pm ...	Mon, Wed, 11 am ...	Mon, Thurs, 10 am ...	Tues, 9.49 am; Thurs, 5.10
25	Wairau Valley ...	Blenheim ...	Sat, 10 am ...	Sat, 5 pm ...	Fri, 8.30 am ...	Fri, 2.30 pm [pm
28	Wairoa ...	Auckland ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, noon ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 1 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5 pm
54	Wairoa ...	Napier ...	Tues, 10 am, and by sailing vessel	Thurs, 10 am ...	Sat, 9 am ...	Mon, 10 am
86	Wairau Creek ...	Auckland ...	Sat, 10 am ...	Sun, 2 pm ...	Fri, 1 pm ...	Mon, 6 pm
52	Waitahuna ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 11.50 am ...	Daily, 3.20 pm ...	Daily, 7 pm
55	Waitahuna Gully	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 1.30 pm ...	Daily, 1.30 pm ...	Daily, 7 pm
88	Waitaki (from	Dunedin) ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 1 pm ...	Daily, 2.30 pm ...	Daily, 8.40 pm
37	Waitaki ...	Timaru ...	Daily, 6 am, 12.40 pm ...	Daily, 10 am, 3 pm ...	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 10.40 pm
14	Waitaki (from	Oamaru) ...	Daily, 6 am, 11.50 am ...	Daily, 8.15 am, 1 pm ...	Daily, 9.30 am ...	Daily, 10.50 am
52	Waitapu ...	Nelson ...	By sea as opportunity offers	...	...	...
37	Waitekauri ...	Grahamstown	By steamer as opportunity offers	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 12.30 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 1 pm ...	By steamer as opportunity offers
10	Waitara ...	New Plymouth	Mon, 6 am, 10 pm; Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri, 10 pm	Daily, 8 am, 5 pm ...	Daily, 8 am, 6.30 pm ...	Daily, 9.30 am, 7.50 pm
105	Waitetuna ...	Auckland ...	Thurs, Sat, 7 pm ...	Mon, Fri, 5 pm ...	Tues, Sat, 7 am ...	Tues, Sat, 5 pm
18	Waitemata Mills	Auckland ...	Daily, 2.15 pm ...	Daily, 5 pm ...	Daily, 8.30 am ...	Daily, 11 am
59	Waitepeka ...	Dunedin ...	Tues, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Fri, 1.30 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 11 am ...	Wed, Sat, 7 pm
21	Waitohi Flat ...	Timaru ...	Wed, Sat, 6 am ...	Wed, Sat, 4 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 12.30 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 8.20 pm
15	Waitohi Valley ...	Blenheim ...	Daily, 3.15 pm ...	Daily, 5 pm ...	Daily, 8.15 am ...	Daily, 10 am
22	Waitotara ...	Wanganui ...	Daily, 3.30 pm, 9 pm ...	Daily, 9.25 am, 6 pm ...	Daily, 8 am, 5 pm ...	Daily, 10 am, 7.15 pm
78	Waitotara (from N	ew Plymouth)	Mon, 6 am, 10 pm; Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri, 10 pm	Daily, 6.20 pm ...	Daily, 8 am ...	Daily, 7.50 pm
45	Waiuku ...	Auckland ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 7.30 am	Mon, Wed, Fri, 1.30 pm...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6.45 am	Mon, Wed, Fri, 5 pm
66	Waiwera South ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 12.7 pm ...	Daily, 2 pm ...	Daily, 7 pm
35	Waiwera ...	Auckland ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 8.15 am; Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10 am	Mon, Wed, Fri, 3.30 pm; Tues, Thurs, Sat, 2 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, noon; Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8 am	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 pm; Tues, Thurs, Sat, 3.30 pm
59	Wakanui ...	Christchurch	Mon, Wed, Fri, 12.15 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 9 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8.30 pm
8	Wakapuaka ...	Nelson ...	Wed, Sat, 2.30 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 4.30 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 9 am ...	Wed, Sat, 10.30 am

List of Post Offices.—Arrivals and Departures of Mails—*continued.*

Miles distant from Head Office.	Post Office.	Head Office.	Mail closes at Head Office.	Mail arrives at Post Town.	Mail closes at Post Office.	Mail arrives at Head Office.
17	Wakefield ...	Nelson ...	Daily, 9 am, 4 pm ...	Daily, 10.30 am, 5.30 pm	Daily, 7.30 am, 1 pm ...	Daily, 9 am, 2.30 pm
7	Wallacetown ...	Invercargill ...	Daily, 2.30 pm ...	Daily, 4.30 pm ...	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 9.45 am
65	Wallingford ...	Napier ...	Mon, Thurs, 6 am ...	Mon, Thurs, 2 pm ...	Tues, Sat, 11 am ...	Tues, Sat, 6.40 pm
7	Wallsend ...	Greymouth ...	Daily, 11 am ...	Daily, 12.30 pm ...	Daily, 5 pm ...	Daily, 6 pm
139	Wangaehu (from	Wellington) ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7.30 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 9 pm ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 5 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5.30 pm
18	Wangaehu ...	Wanganui ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 3.30 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5.30 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 11.30 am	Mon, Wed, Fri, 1.30 pm
60	Wangaloa ...	Dunedin ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 3.40 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 12.30 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 7 pm
35	Wangaparoa ...	Auckland ...	Fri, 8.15 am ...	Fri, 2 pm ...	Fri, 11.30 am ...	Sat, 3.30 pm
96	Wangarei ...	Auckland ...	Tues, Wed, Fri, 4 pm ...	Wed, Thurs, Sat, 10 am	Mon, Thurs, Sat, with tide	Mon, Tues, Fri, 9 am
70	Wangarei Heads	Auckland ...	Tues, Wed, Fri, 4 pm ...	Wed, Thurs, Sat, 9 am ...	Mon, Thurs, Sat, with tide	Mon, Tues, Fri, 9 am
164	Wangaroa ...	Auckland ...	Mon, 4 pm ...	Wed, 9 am ...	Thurs, noon ...	Sat, 9 am
	WANGANUI.					
157	Wanganui & Wellin	gton (Overland)	Daily, 7.30 pm ...	Daily, 10 pm ...	Daily, 3.30 pm ...	Daily, 4.45 pm
	Wanganui and Nap	ier (Overland)	Mon, Wed, Fri, 3.30 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6.40 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 1.20 pm
100	Wanganui & New Pl	ymouth (Ovlnd)	Daily, 9 pm ...	Daily, 7.50 pm ...	Mon, 6 am, 10 pm; Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri, 10 pm	Daily, 7.15 pm
158	Wangaruru ...	Auckland ...	Mon, 4 pm ...	Fortnightly, Wed, noon ...	Fortnightly, Mon, 3 pm...	Sat, 9 am
61	Warepa ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 11.30 am ...	Daily, 2.30 pm ...	Daily, 7 pm
43	Warkworth ...	Auckland ...	Thurs, Sat, 10 am ...	Thurs, Sat, 6 pm ...	Mon, Fri, 9 am ...	Mon, Fri, 6 pm
3	Washdyke ...	Timaru ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 7.22 am ...	Daily, 10.30 am ...	Daily, 11.20 am
66	Waterton ...	Christchurch	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 6.30 pm ...	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 2.10 pm
29	Waverley ...	Wanganui ...	Daily, 3.30 pm, 9 pm ...	Daily, 9.55 am, 6.30 pm...	Daily, 4.15 pm, 8 pm ...	Daily, 10 am, 7.15 pm
71	Waverley (from N	ew Plymouth)	Mon, 6 am, 10 pm; Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri, 10 pm	Daily, 5.30 pm ...	Daily, 9 am ...	Daily, 7.50 pm
62	Weatherstone ...	Dunedin ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 2 pm ...	Daily, 2 pm ...	Daily, 7 pm
	WELLINGTON.					
195	Wellington and Na	pier (Overland)	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6.40 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 4.45 pm
261	Wellington & New	Plymouth ,,	Daily, 7.30 pm ...	Daily, 7.50 pm ...	Mon, 6 am, 10 pm; Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri, 10 pm	Daily, 5.30 pm
217	Wellington and	Hawera ...	Daily, 7.30 pm ...	Daily, 1.30 pm ...	Daily, noon ...	Daily, 5.30 pm
197	Wellington and	Patea ...	Daily, 7.30 pm ...	Daily, 10.40 am ...	Daily, 3.15 pm ...	Daily, 5.30 pm
118	Wellington and	Tahoraiti ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 9.50 am	Mon, Wed, Fri, 2 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 4.45 pm
157	Wellington and	Waipukurau	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 3.35 pm	Mon, Wed, Fri, 10 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 4.45 pm
59	Wellsford ...	Auckland ...	Wed, 2.15 pm; Sat, 10 am	Thurs, 6 pm; Sat, 10 pm	Thurs, 3 pm; Sat, 11.30 am	Mon, 6 pm; Sat, 11 am

174	*Westbrook* ...	*Greymouth* ...	*Mon, Wed, Fri, 7.30 am*...	*Mon, Wed, Fri, 12.15 pm*	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 11 am...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 4 pm
28	West Eyreton ...	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 10.20 am; Tues, Thurs, Sat, 12.5 pm	Daily, 4.20 pm ...	Daily, 7.45 pm
4	Weston ...	Oamaru ...	Mon, Tues, Th, Sat, 3.15 pm	Mon, Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5 pm	Mon, Tues, Th, Sat, 6.45 pm	Mon, Tues, Th, Sat, 7.45 pm
77	Weston (from Dun	edin) ...	Mon, Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6 am	Mon, Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5 pm	Mon, Tues, Th, Sat, 10 am	Mon, Tues, Th, Sat, 8.40 pm
	WESTPORT.					
103	Westport & Greymo	uth (overland)	Tues, Fri, 6.30 am ...	Wed Sat, 4 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 7.45 am ...	Wed, Sat, 7 pm
145	Westport and Nels	on (overland)	Fortnightly, Fri, 6.30 am	Fortnightly, Sat, 9.15 am	Fortnightly, Mon, 4 pm...	Fortnightly, Sat, 7 pm
15	West Melton ...	Christchurch	Wed, Sat, 2.45 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 5.45 pm	Wed, Sat, 8 am ...	Wed, Sat, 10.15 am
106	Whakahara ...	Auckland ...	Tues, 6 am; Wed, 2.15 pm	Tues, 3 pm; Thurs, with tide	Wed, 9 am; Fri, with tide	Wed, 8 p.m.; Sat, 11 am
126	Whakataki ...	Wellington ...	Mon, Thurs, 3 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 4 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 6.30 am ...	Mon, Thurs, 12.30 pm
186	Whakatane ...	Auckland ...	By every steamer ...	Fri, 11 am ...	Tues, 1 pm ...	By every steamer from Tauranga
69	Wharehine ..	Auckland ...	Sat, 10 am ...	Sun, 1 pm ...	Sat, 9.45 am ...	Mon, 6 pm
86	Whatawhata ...	Auckland ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7 pm ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 2 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10.45 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5 pm
17	Whatipu ...	Auckland ...	Tues, 6 am ...	Sat, 9.30 am ...	Sat, 2 pm ...	Wed, 1.50 pm
6	Whau Bridge ...	Auckland ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 8 am ...	Daily, 8 am ...	Daily, 9.15 am
187	Whirinaki ...	Auckland ...	Mon, 4 pm ...	Wed, 1 pm ...	Tues, 1 pm ...	Sat, 9 am
41	White Cliffs ...	Christchurch	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 11.5 am ...	Daily, 3 pm ...	Daily, 6.45 pm
85	Whitiangi ...	Auckland ...	By every steamer ...	By every steamer ...	By every steamer ...	By every steamer
16	Winchester ...	Timaru ...	Daily, 6 am, 2.50 pm ...	Daily, 8.7 am, 4 pm ...	Daily, 9 am, noon ...	Daily, 10.55 am, 12.55 pm
12	Windsor ...	Oamaru ...	Mon, Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6 am, 3.15 pm	Mon, Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8.10 am, 6 pm	Mon, Tues, Thurs, Sat, 9.15 am, 6.5 pm	Mon, Tues, Thurs, Sat, 10.35 am, 7.45 pm
	Windsor (from Du	nedin)	Mon, Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6 am	Mon, Tues, Thurs, Sat, 6 pm	Mon, Tues, Th, Sat, 9.15 am	Mon, Tues, Th, Sat, 8.40 pm
52	Windwhistle House	Christchurch	Fri, 7.30 am ...	Fri, 2 pm ...	Sat, 11 am ...	Sat, 6.45 pm
58	Winslow ...	Christchurch	Daily, 7.30 am ...	Daily, 10.50 am ...	Daily, 7 pm ...	Daily, 9.45 am
19	Winton ...	Invercargill ...	Daily, 6 am, 3.30 pm ...	Daily, 8 am, 5.27 pm ...	Daily, 7.30 am, 5 pm	Daily, 9.26 am, 6.49 pm
30	Woodbury ...	Timaru ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 7.30 pm ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 10.35 am
27	Woodbridge ...	Timaru ...	Daily, 6 am, 2.50 pm ...	Daily, 8.48 am, 4.30 pm...	Daily, 6 pm ...	Daily, 8.20 pm
11	Woodlands ...	Invercargill ...	Daily, 9.30 am, 2.45 pm...	Daily, 10.37 am, 4 pm ...	Daily, 9 am, 3.50 pm ...	Daily, 10.30 am, 4.35 pm
20	Woodside ...	Dunedin ...	Mon, Thurs, 3.45 pm ...	Tues, Fri, noon ...	Tues, Fri, 3.30 pm ...	Tues, Fri, 6.5 pm
16	Woodend ...	Christchurch	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 9.45 am ...	Daily, 12.15 pm ...	Daily, 2.45 pm
5	Woodstock ...	Hokitika ...	Daily, 2 pm ...	Daily, 3.30 pm ...	Daily, 10.45 am .	Daily, noon
110	Woodville ...	Wellington ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 8 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 4 pm ...	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 4.45 pm
100	Woodville (from	Napier) ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 6 am ...	Mon, Wed, Fri, 4.30 pm	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 7.30 am	Tues, Thurs, Sat, 5.30 pm
3	Woolston ...	Christchurch	Daily, 9.20 am, 4.40 pm...	Daily, 11 am, 6 pm ...	Daily, 8.30 am, 3.30 pm	Daily, 9.30 am, 4.30 pm
30	Wyndham ...	Invercargill ...	Daily, 9.30 am ...	Daily, noon ...	Daily, 5 pm ...	Daily, 7.38 pm
120	Wyndham (from Du	nedin) ...	Daily, 6 am ...	Daily, 5 pm ...	Daily, 9 am ...	Daily, 7 pm
7	YALDHURST ...	Christchurch	Wed, Sat, 2.45 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 4.30 pm ...	Wed, Sat, 9 am ...	Wed, Sat, 10.15 am

Receiving Offices and Iron Pillar Receivers.

LIST of RECEIVING OFFICES and IRON PILLAR RECEIVERS (for the receipt of Letters only) in the following Towns, with the hours at which they are cleared :—

AKAROA.

Receiving Office, Wood Brothers, 7 a.m. and 3 p.m.

ASHBURTON.

Iron Pillar Receiver, corner of East Street, 9.45 a.m., 5 p.m.

AUCKLAND.

Receiving Office, Victoria Street (Hill and Hudson), 7 a.m., 3 p.m.
" Drake Street (Ogilvie), 12.15 p.m.
" Parnell (Vaughan), 6.40 a.m., noon.
" " (Talbot), 6.35 a.m., 11.5 a.m.
" Upper Parnell (Leslie), 6.30 a m., 11 a.m.
" Upper Symonds Street (Holmes), 6.40 a.m., 3 p.m.
" Princes Street (J. T. Halswell), 7 a.m., 4 p.m.
" Great North Koad (J. Burney), 11 a.m.
" Ponsonby Road (J. Henderson), 11 a.m.
" Eden Terrace (Morley and White), 6.30 a.m., 10.45 a.m.
Iron Pillar Receiver, Hobson Street, corner of Wellington Street, 6.30 a.m., 3.30 p.m.
" Symonds Street, Karangahape Road, 6.45 a.m., 3.5 p.m.
" Seafield View, 9.30 a.m., 3 p.m.
" Upper Queen Street (near Market), 6.40 a.m., 4 p.m.
" Junction Wellington and Franklin Streets, 7.45 a.m., 3.15 p.m.
" Corner of Queen and Darby Streets, 6.45 a.m., 4.5 p.m.
" Corner of Wellesley and Drake Streets, 12.5 p.m.

BLENHEIM.

Receiving Office, Grove Road (R. and W. Parker), 2 p.m.

CHRISTCHURCH.

Receiving Office, High Street (J. & T. Goodman), 5.15 a.m., noon, 4.30 p.m.
" High Street (C. W. Duckworth), 5.30 a.m., noon, 4.30 p.m.
" Cashel Street (J. S. Sutherland), 5.20 a.m., noon, 4.30 p.m.
" Cashel Street (R. Binstead), 5.25 a.m., noon, 4.30 p.m.
" Montreal and Tuam Streets (J. H. Symmonds), 5.30 a.m., 11 a.m., 4 p.m.
" High Street (E. S. Ellisdon), 5.20 a.m., noon, 4.30 p.m.
" Corner of Victoria and Salisbury Streets (H. B. Grisbrook), 5.30 a.m., 10 a.m., 3 p.m.
" Hereford Street (W. W. Price), 5 a.m., 10 a.m., 3 p.m.
" St. Asaph Street (Borrett's), 5 am., 10.15 a.m., 3.45 p.m.
" Corner of Colombo and Tuam St. (I. B. Sheath), 5.30 a.m., noon, 4.30 p.m.
" Newtown (W. Mills), 6 a.m., 4 p.m.
" Waltham (D. Gow), 2.15 p.m.
" Addington (W. Wells), 6 a.m., 4 p.m.
" Bingsland (Jas. Bockett), 6 a.m., 4 p.m.
" Caledonian Road (G. Hawker), 6 a.m., 3.30 p.m.
" Cashel Street East (J. Otley), 6 a.m., 4 p.m.
" Knightstown (W. Crabbtree), 6 a.m., 3.30 p.m.
" Colombo Street (Mrs. Pope), 5.30 a.m., 11 a.m., 4 p.m.
" Carlton Mills Road (Money's), 6 a.m., 4 p.m.
" Corner of Barbadoes and Kilmore Streets (W. J. Stoupe), 5 a.m., 9.30 a.m., 3 p.m.
" Phillipstown (James Williams), 6 a.m., 4.15 p.m.
" St. Albans (D. Pine), 6 a.m., 3.35 p.m.
" Selwyn Street, Sydenham (Casbolt's), 1 p.m.
" Manchester Street (W. Suckling), 5.15 a.m., noon, 4.30 p.m.
" Willow Bank, Sydenham (M. Bonnington), 6.30 a.m., 4 p.m.
Iron Pillar Receiver, South Town Belt (corner of Manchester Street), 5.10 a.m., 9.30 a.m., noon, 4.30 p.m.
" Mechanics' Institute, Oxford Terrace, 5 a.m., 11 a.m., 4.15 p.m.
" Durham Street South and St. Asaph Street, 5.30 a.m., 11 a.m., 3.30 p.m.
" Corner of Victoria and Kilmore Streets, 5.30 a.m., 11 a.m., 4.30 p.m.
" Stanmore Bridge, 6 a.m., 4 p.m.
" Corner of Antigua and Armagh Streets, 5.30 a.m., 9 a.m., 3 p.m.

DUNEDIN.

Receiving Office, George Street North (C. A. Anning), 5.35 a.m., 1.32 pm., 2.35 p.m.
" Great King Street (Miss Miller), 5.25 a.m., 1 p.m.
" The Glen (James Thomas), 12.30 p.m.
" Caversham (W. Menzies), 3 p.m.
" Kew (A. J. Larking), 10.30 a.m.
" Forbury (J. Rosiver), noon.
" North-East Valley (J. H. Whelpdale), 11.30 a.m.
" " (W. J. Prictor), 11.45 a.m.
" Murrayville (P. Sherwin), 12.15 p.m.
" Opoho (J. Fearon), 9.30 a.m.

Receiving Office, Waikari (W. T. Bunting), 2 p.m.
" Kaikorai Hill (Angus Ross), 5.40 a.m., 2.30 p.m.
" " Valley (C. Taylor), 2.20 p.m.
" Mornington (P. Rutherford), 10 a.m.
" " (W. J. Frost), 10.30 a.m.
" Woodhaugh (E. S. Clarke), noon.
" Anderson's Bay (James Walker), 2 p.m.
" Kensington (Chas. Crapp), 11 a.m.
Iron Pillar Receiver, Corner of Rattray Street and York Place, 5.10 a.m., 12.40 p.m.
" Corner of Clyde and Albany Streets, 5.30 a.m., 1.15 p.m.
" Octagon, 5.40 a.m., 1.40 p.m., 2.40 p.m.
" Corner of Manor Place and Princess Street, 5.45 a.m., 12.30 p.m.
" Corner of Castle and Dundas Streets, 5.30 a.m., 1.10 p.m.
" Corner of George and St. Andrew Streets, 5.35 a.m., 1.35, 2.35 p.m.

FEATHERSTON.

Receiving Office, Fitzherbert Street (Toogood's), 2.15 p.m.
" Resident Magistrate's Court, 2.20 p.m.

GERALDINE.

Receiving Office, South Geraldine (Maslin's), 6.45 a.m., 1 p.m.

GISBORNE.

Receiving Office, Gladstone Road (East), 1 p.m., and one hour before closing seaborne mails.

GRAHAMSTOWN.

Receiving Office, Corner of Burke and Owen Streets, Grahamstown (Stone Brothers) 9 a.m., and at the advertised time of closing mails for Auckland.
Iron Pillar Receiver, Corner of Richmond and Rolleston Streets, Shortland, 8.30 a.m., and ½-hour before the advertised time for closing mails for Auckland.
Iron Pillar Receiver, Corner of Mary and Pollen Streets, Shortland, 9 a.m., and at the advertised time for closing mails at Chief Office.
" Corner of Pollen and Willoughby Streets, Shortland, 8.45 a.m., and ¼-hour before the advertised time for closing mails for Auckland.

GREYMOUTH.

Receiving Office, Mawhera Quay (J. W. Parkinson), noon and 7 p.m., and fifteen minutes before the advertised time of closing seaborne mails.

GREYTOWN.

Receiving Office, Main Street (A. B. Jackson), 7.30 a.m., 1 p.m.

HAMPDEN.

Receiving Office, London Street (N. Campbell's), 4 p.m.

HERBERT.

Receiving Office, Otepopo Street (C. Beckingsale), 10.45 a.m., 3.45 p.m.

HOKITIKA.

Receiving Office, Revel Street (John Crerar and Co.), 9.30 a.m., 4.30 p.m.
" Revel Street (J. Williams), 9.45 a.m., 4.30 p.m.
" Fitzherbert Street North (Mrs. Ellery's), 11 a.m.

HUTT.

Receiving Office, Railway Station, 10.30 a.m., 4.15 p.m.

INVERCARGILL.

Receiving Office, Dee Street (Mrs. Hanan), 8 a.m., 2 p.m.
" Don Street (Kingsland and Son), 8 a.m., 2 p.m.
" Tay Street (D. Smyth), 8 a.m., 2 p.m.
" Corner Ettrick and Nith Streets (T. Smith), 8 a.m.

KAPANGA.

Receiving Office, Kapanga Road (F. Woollams, Storekeeper), 10 a.m., 4 p.m., and 20 minutes before closing mails for Auckland or Thames.
" Kapanga Road (G. Marston), 10 a.m., 4 p.m., and 20 minutes before closing mails for Auckland and Thames.

KUMARA.

Receiving Office, Seddon Street (W. Barnett), 9 a.m.
" Seddon Street East (R. J. Seddon), 9.15 a.m.

LAWRENCE.

Receiving Office, Whitehaven Street, Corner Ross Place, 2.45 p.m., 8.45 p.m.

LYTTELTON.

Receiving Office, London Street (Davis), 6.50 a.m., 1.10 p.m.
" Canterbury Street (Collins), 6.50 a.m., 1.5 p.m.
Iron Pillar Receiver, Norwich Quay, 6.55 a.m., 1 p.m.

NAPIER.

Receiving Office, Shakespeare Road, opposite Coote Road (L. White), 11 a.m., 4 p.m.
" Corner of Hastings and Edwards Streets (McAneny's), 11.15 a.m., 4.15 p.m.
" Carlyle Street (Jones's), 11 a.m., 4 p.m.

NELSON.

Receiving Office, Trafalgar Street (J. Hounsell), 8.30 a.m., 2 p.m.
Iron Pillar Receiver, Hardy Street (at the Infants' School), 8.30 a.m., 2 p.m.
" College Hill, 7.30 a.m., 2.30 p.m.
" Bridge Street, opposite old Post Office, 8.30 a.m., 2 p.m.

NEW PLYMOUTH.

Receiving Office, Devon Street (Jas. Pugh), 10 a.m., 4 p.m., and ½-hour before closing mails.
" Corner of Courtnay and Elliot Streets (J. Handy), 8 a.m., 1 p.m.
" Brougham St. (W. Beale), 10 a.m., 4 p.m., and ½-hour before closing mails.

OAMARU.

Receiving Office, Thames Street (Aitken), 9.30 a.m., 4.30 p.m.
" Ure Street (Bunting), 9.30 a.m., 4.30 p.m.

ONEHUNGA.

Receiving Office, Trafalgar Street (W. White), 11 a.m.
" Regent Street (Perrin), 10.30 a.m.

REEFTON.

Receiving Office, Broadway (S. Schulhoff), Daily, 9 a.m., and at 8 p.m. on nights previous to departure of mail coach.

SOUTHBRIDGE.

Iron Pillar Receiver, corner of High Street and Tamutu Road, 7 a.m., 3.30 p.m.

TIMARU.

Receiving Box, William Street and Main South Road (E. Cornish), 8 a.m., 3.30 p.m.
" Corner of North and Bank Streets (Hall's), 8 a.m., 3.45 p.m.
" Corner of Church Street and Grey Road (Chrickmore's), 8.15 a.m., 3.15 p.m.
" Main South Road (P. W. Hutton and Co.), 8.45 a.m., 12.40, 2.40, 8 p.m.

WAIKOUAITI.

Iron Pillar Receiver, Beach Street, 8.50 a.m., 4.30 p.m.

WAITOTARA.

Receiving Office, Mr. Fisher's Store, 8 a.m., 5 p.m.

WANGANUI.

Receiving Office, Taupo Quay (C. P. O'Hanlon), 11 a.m., 3 p.m.
" Corner of Bell and Guyton Streets (Mrs. Nance), 8 a.m., 3 p.m.

WELLINGTON.

Receiving Office, Lambton Quay North (S. J. Hill), 7.30 a.m., 12.30 p.m.
" Willis Street (J. and H. Barber), 8 a.m., 1 p.m.
" Tory Street (C. Stagg), 8 a.m., 1 p.m.
" Courtenay Place (H. Innes), 8 am, 1 p.m.
" Tinakori Road (Greig and Co.), 7.45 a.m.
" Riddiford Street (A. Wilson), 7.30 a.m., noon.
" Adelaide Road (V. S. Aston), 7.30 a.m., noon.
" Taranaki Street (R. Smith), 8 a.m., 1 p.m.
" Wordsworth Street (John Collins), 7.30 a.m., 12.30 p.m.
" Railway Station, 7.30 a.m., 12.30 p.m.
Iron Pillar Receiver, Molesworth and Pipitea Streets, 7.30 a.m., 12.45 p.m.
" Cuba and Ghuznee Streets, 8 a.m., 1 p.m.
" Taranaki Street and Courtenay Place, 8 a.m., 1 p.m.

WESTPORT.

Receiving Office, Palmerston Street, Central (A. Richardson), 7 p.m., and fifteen minutes before the advertised time for closing seaborne mails.
Receiving Office, Corner of Palmerston and Cobden Streets (A. Horn), 7 p.m., and fifteen minutes before advertised time for closing seaborne mails.

Letter-Carriers' Deliveries.

Letters, &c., are delivered daily by Letter-carriers at the under-mentioned cities and towns, as follows:—

Auckland, 8 a.m., 2 p.m., and in principal streets at noon.
Auckland Suburbs ... ... 10.30 a.m., 2.30 p.m.
Ashburton ... ... 11 a.m., 3.15 p.m.
Blenheim ... ... 10 a.m., 1.45 p.m.
Christchurch, 8 a.m., 2.30 p.m., and in principal streets at 3 p.m.
Christchurch (Sydenham) ... ... 8 am.
Dunedin, 8 a.m., 2 p.m., and in principal streets at noon.
Dunedin Suburbs ... ... 8 a.m.
Featherston ... ... 12.30 p.m.
Gisborne, 9.30 a.m., and after arrival of steamers.
Grahamstown, 9.30 a.m., 4.30 p.m., and on arrival of mails from Auckland up to 6 p.m.
Greymouth ... ... 9.30 a.m., 11.30 a.m., 4 p.m.
Hokitika ... ... 10 a.m., 2.30 p.m.
Hutt ... ... 9 a.m., 4 p.m.
Invercargill, 9.30 a.m., 5 p.m., and in principal streets at noon.
Kaiapoi ... ... 9 a.m., 2 p.m.
Kapanga, 9 a.m. and 3 p.m, and after arrival of steamer from Auckland.
Kumara ... ... 9 a.m., 1 p.m.
Lawrence ... ... 1.30 p.m.

Lyttelton ... ... 9 a.m., 1.15 p.m., 3.15 p.m.
Napier ... ... 9.15 a.m., 2.15 p.m.
Nelson ... ... 9.30 a.m., 3 p.m.
New Plymouth, 10 a.m., and in principal streets on arrival of seaborne mails.
Oamaru, 9 a.m., 4 p.m., and in principal streets at 12.30 p.m.
Port Chalmers ... ... 9 a.m., 3.30 p.m.
Reefton ... ... 9.30 a.m.
Timaru, 9 a.m., 3.15 p.m., and in principal streets at 11.15 a.m.
Wanganui ... ... 9.30 a.m., 2 pm.
Wellington and Suburbs ... ... 9 a.m., 1.30 p.m.
Westport, 10.30 a.m., and after arrival of steamers.

WINDOW DELIVERIES.

Deliveries from the windows are made from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on week days, but at certain Post Offices specially authorized by the Postmaster-General the windows may be closed during the periods of sorting and despatching mails. When English mails arrive on a Public Holiday, the windows will be open for delivery for two hours.

SEABORNE MAILS.

Seaborne mails, as a general rule, are closed one hour previous to the despatch of the mails from the Post Offices; and at Christchurch, Dunedin, and Invercargill late letters may be posted in the Guard's Van at the respective Railway Stations until the hour of departure of the trains for Lyttelton, Port Chalmers, and Bluff, provided such letters bear, in addition to the ordinary postage, a further single rate of postage as a late fee. Late letters should not be posted at the Iron Pillar Receiver, Christchurch Railway Station.

PRIVATE BOXES AND BAGS.

Private letter-boxes are provided for merchants and others upon payment, in advance of the following fees:—

For a term exceeding six calendar months and not exceeding one year, one pound (£1).
For a term not exceeding six calendar months, ten shillings (10s.).

All such fees to be paid in advance: Provided that no private box shall be let save for a term ending on the 30th day of June or the 31st day of December next after the day on which the same shall be let; and that, where there are two or more applicants for the same box at the same time, the preference shall be given to the person desiring to have the same for the longest term.

Persons residing upon mail routes requiring the accommodation of private bags can obtain the same upon payment, in advance, of the under-mentioned fees to the Chief or Head Postmaster of the district, and subject to the following regulations:—

1. The fees payable for private mail bags shall be—For a term exceeding six calendar months and not exceeding one year, two pounds (£2); for a term not exceeding six calendar months, one pound (£1). Provided that no private mail bag shall be let save for a term ending on the 30th day of June or the 31st day of December next after the day on which the same shall be let.
2. The bag must be of leather, with a lock and two keys, and provided and kept in repair at the cost of the person requiring it.
3. The Postmaster must securely lock the bag before despatching it, and it must be returned to the Postmaster in the same manner.
4. The bag must only contain correspondence for persons connected with the establishment of the owner of the bag, or who may be in his employment; and it must be distinctly understood that such owner is responsible for the postage of all unpaid letters, and for returning receipts for all those which may be registered.

A mail contractor is bound to convey and deliver, free of charge, all private bags given to him by Postmasters, but is not required to deviate from the prescribed mail route, and is on no account to be delayed. Should the return bag not be ready at the appointed time and place, the Contractor is not required to wait for it.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

On the first day of each month a list is exhibited at each Post Office in the Colony of the addresses of all letters received from places beyond the Colony that have remained unclaimed for two months at such Post Office; and such of these letters as remain unclaimed at the end of a further period of one month are then forwarded to the Dead Letter Office, to be returned unopened to the countries where they originated. Unclaimed letters (excepting special-request letters) originating in the Colony are not advertised, but at the end of one month are forwarded to the Dead Letter Office, Wellington, there to be opened and returned to the writers.

SPECIAL REQUEST LETTERS.

Letters posted within the colony, with the names and addresses of the senders written, printed, or embossed on the address side or on the fly of the envelopes, shall, if not claimed within one month, be returned unopened to the writer or sender by Chief Postmasters. Letters posted within the colony, having the names and addresses of the senders written, printed, or embossed on the address side or on the fly of the envelopes, together with a request on the address side of the cover that the letters be returned if not claimed within a stated period, shall also be returned as above described. No unclaimed letters shall, however, be returned unless they shall have remained in the Post Office to which they may be addressed at least ten days.

Letters of this class originating at hotels, clubs, or places of public resort shall not be returned unopened through Chief Postmasters unless, in addition to the printed or embossed address on the cover, the name of the actual sender shall also appear.

The above instructions do not apply to the following classes of letters, which will be sent to the Dead Letter Office as heretofore:—Registered letters, official letters, surcharged letters, and letters containing coin.

Rates of Postage, and Conditions of Transmission.

All letters, newspapers, and book and pattern parcels, posted in New Zealand, must be prepaid by postage stamps.

INLAND LETTERS.

Letters posted in New Zealand for places within the Colony, not properly prepaid, will be forwarded charged with double the amount of deficiency. For rates of postage on town and inland letters, see page 48.

Late letters for despatch by steamers will be received until within twenty minutes of the despatch from the Post Office, provided such letters bear, in addition to the full postage, a further single rate of postage as a late fee.

Late letters placed on board mail steamers must also bear, in addition to the full postage, a further single rate of postage as a late fee. When such letters are posted unpaid, or insufficiently paid, they will be charged, on delivery, with double the deficient postage and the late fee.

Letters redirected from one part of the Colony to another are chargeable with fresh rates of postage, as if they were then posted for the first time, prepayment being optional.

CONSIGNEES' LETTERS.

Consignees' letters, when received loose from vessels for delivery through the Post Office, are not treated as ordinary loose letters, but allowed to pass at the single rate of postage (twopence per half-ounce), whether for town or country delivery.

Letters posted altogether unpaid will be taxed the above rate, and letters partly prepaid simply the deficiency.

The words "Consignees' Letters," or "Consignees" should always appear on the face of letters to be granted the privilege.

LETTERS FOR PLACES BEYOND THE COLONY.

The rates of postage on letters to the United Kingdom, the Australian and other British Colonies, and Foreign Countries, are enumerated in the Table of Rates of Postage, at page 50.

Letters posted in the Colony for the Colonies of New South Wales, Victoria, South Australia, Queensland, Tasmania, Western Australia, and for the United States of America, although insufficiently prepaid, if bearing postage stamps of the value of at least one single rate, will be forwarded charged with the deficient postage, together with an additional single rate as a fine. Insufficiently prepaid letters for the United Kingdom (whether for transmission *via* San Francisco or *via* Brindisi) will, if, bearing postage stamps of the value of at least one single rate, be forwarded, charged with the deficient postage, together with an additional rate of sixpence as a fine; but letters for the United Kingdom, marked "*via* Brindisi," will, unless bearing postage stamps of the value of one single rate for such route (*i.e.*, eightpence), be forwarded *via* San Francisco, charged with the deficiency and fine.

Late letters for places beyond the Colony will be received until twenty minutes before the hour of despatch from the Post Office, provided such letters bear, in addition to the full postage, a further single rate of postage as a late fee.

Late letters placed on board steamers must also bear, in addition to the full postage, a further single rate of postage as a late fee.

Letters re-directed to the United Kingdom, the Colonies of New South Wales, Victoria, South Australia, Queensland, Tasmania, and Western Australia, respectively, are charged with a new and distinct rate of postage—prepayment optional; the postage on re-directed letters for all other places beyond the Colony must be prepaid.

Re-directed letters received from places beyond the Colony, on which the re-direction postage has not been prepaid, will be charged full postage rates on delivery.

Letters, &c., received at any Post Office in the Colony from places beyond the Colony, which have not been regularly posted at the place of despatch, will be charged with full postage, according to the rates fixed in the Table of Postage Rates, unless they are letters which it is not compulsory by law to send by post, in which case they are chargeable with the Inland letter rate of postage only.

No letter (whether registered or otherwise) containing either gold or silver money, jewels, or precious articles, or any other article whatever, liable to Customs duties, can pass through the post to any of the countries comprised within the General Postal Union (the United Kingdom excepted)—a list of which appears at the end of the table of rates of postage published from time to time in the New Zealand Postal Guide.

POST CARDS.

Penny Post Cards for transmission between places in New Zealand, and also to certain other places, hereafter mentioned, at letter rates, may be purchased at any Post Office or from any licensed stamp vendor.

The front or stamped side of the card is for the address only, and, beyond the written or printed address, nothing whatever must be printed or written upon that side of the card. On the reverse side, any communication, whether of the nature of a letter or otherwise, may be printed or written. Nothing whatever may be attached to the card, nor may it be folded, cut, or otherwise altered. If any of the above conditions be infringed, the card shall be charged one penny on delivery.

An exception, however, has been made in the case of post cards used for receipt purposes, to the back of which a duty stamp may be affixed.

No cards other than those issued by the Government, or private cards stamped by the Government with a penny stamp, under the special authority of the Postmaster-General, can be used for the purpose of making a written communication through the Post Office, unless such cards be prepaid the ordinary full letter postage.

Any post card observed to bear upon it anything of an obscene, libellous, or obviously objectionable nature, will be detained and sent to the Dead Letter Office for disposal.

When, owing to a great and unusual influx of letters, books, &c., the transmission of letters would be delayed if the whole mail were dealt with without distinction, post cards (unless paid for and posted as letters) may be kept back until the next despatch or delivery.

Post cards may be transmitted to the Colonies of Victoria and South Australia under the same conditions as they are transmitted within New Zealand, except that in addition to the impressed stamp they must have an extra penny stamp affixed to them.

All post cards addressed to other places out of New Zealand will be detained, and sent to the Dead Letter Office for disposal.

Private cards will be received from the public, and impressed with the penny postage stamp, under the following conditions:—A week's notice must be given by the applicant, and a sample of the card to be used should be forwarded for the Postmaster-General's inspection. None but card of approved quality and colour will be accepted. Each sheet must be of the size of 22 inches by 15 inches, and must not exceed two ounces in weight. Not fewer than fifty sheets of card can be received at one time. On each sheet presented for impression, the applicant's name or monogram must be embossed or printed, and any printing must be thoroughly dry. Cards when impressed will be returned to the applicant in sheets of twenty-one impressions. No fee will be charged for stamping. Cash must accompany all cards to be impressed. No commission will be allowed upon private cards impressed for licensed vendors.

NEWSPAPER WRAPPERS.

Newspaper wrappers are issued by the Department.

The wrappers are intended for the transmission through the post of newspapers within New Zealand; but they may also be used for forwarding newspapers to places beyond the colony, on prepayment of the additional postage.

An extra charge of one penny per eighteen wrappers is made, to cover the cost of paper, &c.

The wrappers are made up and sold in the following parcels:—18 wrappers for 10d.; 270 wrappers for 12s. 6d.; 540 wrappers for 25s.; 1,080 wrappers for 50s.

INLAND PATTERN AND SAMPLE AND PARCEL POST.

The regulations prohibiting any complete article having a value of its own, parcels of goods sent for sale, or in execution of an order (however small the quantity), and also articles sent by one private individual to another, which were not actually patterns or samples, being sent by pattern and sample post, have been repealed.

Every article of merchandise, whether raw or manufactured, and of a character not likely to injure the contents of the mail bags, or to do bodily harm to any officer of the Post Office, is now accepted, under the regulations of the inland pattern and sample and parcel post.

The following are the rules of the inland pattern and sample and parcel post:—

(1.) A pattern sample or parcel packet may contain patterns, samples, or articles of merchandise, goods sent for sale or in execution of an order, or any articles sent by one private individual to another; seeds, cuttings, bulbs, roots, and scions may also be forwarded.

(2.) The postage is one penny not exceeding two ounces; twopence not exceeding four ounces; and one penny for every additional two ounces or fraction of two ounces.

(3.) No packet must exceed two feet in length or one foot in width or depth, nor must it exceed five pounds in weight; any packet exceeding that weight will be sent to the Dead Letter Office.

(4.) There must be no writing or printing on the packet or its cover in addition to the address of the person for whom the packet is intended, except the address of the sender and the nature of the contents, a trade mark and numbers, and the prices of the articles, otherwise the packet will be charged double letter postage. The name and address of the sender of any parcel should invariably be given, so that, if for any reason the packet cannot be forwarded or delivered, it may be returned to the sender.

(5.) There must be no enclosure other than the articles themselves. The particulars which are allowed to be furnished under the preceding rule, as to the trade marks and numbers, and the prices of the articles, must in all cases be given, not on loose pieces of paper, but on small labels attached to the articles or the bags containing them. Should this rule be infringed, the packet will be charged double letter postage.

(6.) A pattern, sample, or parcel packet must be sent in a stout and durable cover, open at the ends, so as to be easy of examination. Seeds, drugs, &c., may be enclosed in tin boxes, or in bags of linen, or other material, fastened in such a manner that they may be readily opened, or in the case of seeds in bags entirely closed, provided that they are transparent, so that the officers of the department may be able to satisfy themselves as to the nature of the contents. If this rule be infringed, the packet will be charged double letter postage.

(7.) Insufficiently paid packets will be treated as described in section 10 of the Inland Book Post Regulations.

(8.) In order to prevent any interruption to the regular transmission of letters, any packet may, when it is necessary, be kept back by any Postmaster until the following despatch.

(9.) The rule which forbids the transmission through the post of any article which might injure the contents of the mail bags or the officers of the Post Office is so far relaxed as to permit the transmission of scissors, knives, razors, forks, steel pens, nails, keys, watch machinery, metal tubing, pieces of metal or ore, and such like, as samples, provided that they be packed and guarded in so secure a manner as to afford complete protection to the contents of the mail bags and officers of the Post Office, while at the same time the samples may be easily examined. If any packet containing such articles as these be posted which is found not to be sufficiently guarded, it will be detained, and a notice of its detention will be sent to the person to whom it is addressed or to the sender, who may then obtain it upon personal application; but the packet will be charged with a fine equal in amount to the postage to which the packet was liable as a packet of patterns.

Packets or parcels containing gold, silver, jewellery, &c., cannot be forwarded under the inland pattern and sample and parcel post regulations, but they may be sent as letters.

Parcels containing gunpowder, glass, any perishable substance such as leeches, game, fish, flesh, fruit, vegetables, &c., any liquid (except liquid medicine), matches, or other inflammable or explosive substance, or compound poison, or whatever is dangerous to the mails, or offensive or injurious to the persons dealing with the mails, shall not be transmitted by the post whether as a parcel or otherwise. Postmasters must refuse to transmit by post any parcel which shall contain, or be reasonably suspected to contain, any such articles. Liquid medicines strongly packed in tin cases, and marked "Liquid Medicine," may, however, be posted.

INLAND BOOK POST.

The following are the regulations of the inland book post:—

(1.) The postage is one penny not exceeding two ounces; twopence not exceeding four ounces; and one penny for every additional two ounces or fraction of two ounces. Book packets which may be insufficiently prepaid will be charged with double the deficiency.

(2.) An inland book packet must be sent either without a cover (in which case it must not be fastened, whether by means of gum, wafer, sealing-wax, postage stamp, or otherwise), or in a cover entirely open at both ends or sides, so as to admit of the contents being easily withdrawn for examination. For the greater security of the contents, the packet may be tied at the ends with string, but in such case Postmasters are authorized to cut the string, although if they do so they must again tie up the packet.

(3.) A book packet may contain any number of separate books or other publications (including printed or lithographed letters intended for transmission in identical terms to several persons), photographs (when not on glass or in cases containing glass or such like substance), drawings, engravings, prints, or maps, and any quantity of paper, parchment, or vellum; and the books or other publications, prints, maps, &c., may be either printed, written, engraved, lithographed, or plain, or any mixture of these. Further, all legitimate binding, mounting, or covering of a book, &c., or of a portion thereof, is allowed, whether such binding, &c., be loose or attached; as also rollers in the case of prints or maps; markers (whether of paper or otherwise) in the case of books; pens or pencils in the case of pocket-books, &c.; and, in short, whatever is necessary for the safe transmission of such articles, or usually appertains thereto.

(4.) A book packet may also comprise bills of lading, printed catalogues, manuscript of books or pamphlets (if plainly superscribed as such, together with the name of the sender), music (written or printed, and, in the case of proof sheets, manuscript corrections), paintings, pass-books, printed placards, printers' proofs (indorsed as such on the covers), scrip, deeds, policies of assurance, insurance policies, filled-in forms of insurance and assurance proposals (and other printed documents connected therewith), plans, powers of attorney, specifications, prospectuses, returns (if filled in in accordance with the printed headings, and without note or any comment whatever), invoices, legal documents, recognizances, drafts, trade circulars, prices current, and, in fact, any written or printed communication not of the character of an actual and personal correspondence, may pass as articles within the meaning of the Inland Book Post Regulations.

(5.) Press manuscript intended for publication is not regarded as actual and personal correspondence, provided the packet bears the words "Press Manuscript," and is addressed to the office of any newspaper published within the colony. If posted in accordance with the foregoing directions, press manuscript will be permitted to pass at book-packet rates of postage.

(6.) No book packet may contain anything which is sealed or otherwise closed against inspection; nor must there be any letter, nor any communication of the nature of a letter, whether separate or otherwise. Entries, however, merely stating who sends the book, &c., or to whom it is given, are not regarded as a letter. Indeed, as respects the name and address of the sender, not only is the writing permitted, but it is even recommended; so that if the cover come off, or for any other reason the packet cannot be forwarded, it may be returned. A book may also contain a manuscript dedication, or a complimentary inscription from the author. Passages in the text to which it is desired to call attention may be marked with a simple stroke.

(7.) No book packet must exceed two feet in length, or one foot in width or depth,—nor must it exceed five pounds in weight; and if any such packet be presented at a Post Office it will not be received.

(8.) Any packet which shall not be open at the ends or sides, or shall have any letter or any communication of the nature of a letter written in it, or upon its cover, will be charged double letter postage.

(9.) If a packet be found to contain any letter, whether closed or open, or any enclosure sealed or otherwise closed against inspection, or any other unauthorized enclosure, the packet will be charged double letter postage, and forwarded to its address.

(10.) If a book packet be not sufficiently prepaid with stamps, but nevertheless bear stamps of the value of one rate, it will be forwarded charged with double the deficiency. Book packets posted wholly unpaid will not be forwarded.

(11.) All *bonâ fide* printed or lithographed matter enclosed in envelopes slit or partially open at the ends, *and having the fly turned inside*, instead of gummed over in the usual manner, is permitted to pass through the post at book-post rates.

(12.) Trade and professional accounts passing between creditor and debtor cannot pass at book rates of postage, but must be prepaid as letters.

Legal documents include acts or deeds of all kinds drawn up by public functionaries, copies or extracts of deeds under private seal, *and in general all manuscript papers and documents which have not the character of an actual and personal correspondence.*

It is the duty of Postmasters, whenever they have ground for suspecting an infringement of any of the above conditions, and occasionally even where there is no ground for suspicion, to open and examine book packets posted at or passing through their offices.

To prevent obstacles to the regular transmission of letters, a Postmaster may, when necessary, delay forwarding any book packet until the following despatch.

The main business of the Post Office being the transmission of *letters*, the forwarding of books and newspapers (which no one is compelled to send through the Post Office), though an important, is only a secondary object, for which no arrangement can be made which would interfere with the quick and regular conveyance and delivery of letters. Books, therefore, which would be injured by being thrust into a bag and hurriedly pressed down like a bundle of letters, should not be sent through the post.

NEWSPAPERS.

1. All newspapers published in the colony, and registered at the General Post Office for transmission by post, may either be forwarded like other printed matter under the regulations of the book post, or may be transmitted within the colony on payment of a postage rate of one halfpenny each in postage stamps, and to places beyond the colony at the rates set forth in the Postal Guide.

The conditions of registration are as follows, viz.:—

(1.) The publication must consist wholly or in great part of political or other news, or of articles relating thereto or to other current topics, with or without advertisements.

(2.) It must be printed and published in the Colony of New Zealand, and must be published in numbers at intervals of not more than one month.

(3.) The full title and date of publication must be printed at the top of the first page, and the whole or part of the title and the date of publication at the top of every subsequent page; and this regulation extends to "Tables of Contents" and "Indices."

(4.) A supplement must consist wholly or in great part of matter like that of a newspaper, or of advertisements, printed on a sheet or sheets or on a piece or pieces of paper, unstitched; or wholly or in part of engravings, prints, or lithographs illustrative of articles in the newspaper. The supplement must in every case be published with the newspaper, and must have the title and date of publication of the newspaper printed at the top of every page, or, if it consist of engravings, prints, or lithographs, at the top of every sheet or side. The added matter must be a genuine supplement, that is, matter supplied in order to complete that to which it is added or supplemented, but left out of the regular issue for want of space, time, or greater convenience. As used in relation to newspapers, a supplement is held to be matter proper to be inserted in the newspaper to which it is supplied, but has not been for want of space, or want of time, or because it is more convenient regarding space or time, or either, that it should be printed on a separate sheet.

2. A newspaper must not contain any enclosures other than the supplement or supplements proper to the newspaper, nor any writing, beyond the name and address of the person to whom it is sent, nor anything on the cover but the name and address, the printed title of the newspaper, and the printed name and address of the publisher or vendor who sends it. *Insets, advertising sheets*, or *handbills* placed between the pages of newspapers, but having no connection with such publications as properly parts thereof, will subject the entire packages to letter rates of postage.

3. If a newspaper addressed to any place within the colony be found to contain writing or any enclosure, it must be forwarded to its destination charged according to its weight, with the full rate of letter postage from the country where it originated; but if such newspaper be addressed to any place beyond the colony, it must be detained, and in due course sent to the Dead Letter Office.

4. If more than one newspaper be enclosed in a packet addressed to any place within the colony, and for which the full amount of postage has not been paid, a charge of one penny must be made for each extra newspaper enclosed. Packets of newspapers posted for places beyond the colony not fully prepaid must be detained.

5. Newspapers posted in pillar-boxes, which are intended for the receipt of letters only, must, if addressed to places within the colony, be sent on charged a single rate of one halfpenny; but if for places beyond the colony, they must be detained for one month in case of inquiry, and then destroyed.

6. Newspapers, if posted in single numbers, addressed to the Manager, Keeper, Clerk, Secretary, Librarian, or other person having the charge of any Athenæum, Mechanics' Institute, Hospital, Public Library, or Lunatic Asylum in the colony, are permitted to pass through the post, and to be delivered free of postage.

7. Newspapers, whether originating in the colony or beyond the colony, re-directed from one Post Office to another within the colony may be transmitted accordingly, but are chargeable with a fresh newspaper rate of one halfpenny each, which may be paid either on re-direction or delivery.

8. "Newspaper exchanges" (*i.e.*, newspapers exchanged between newspaper offices) are permitted to pass through the post free of postage, if posted in single numbers, from any newspaper office within the colony and addressed to the Editor, Proprietor, Publisher, or Manager of any newspaper published in the colony, and properly franked. The title of the newspaper, and the words "Newspaper Exchange only," must be written or printed on each cover above the address; and the frank or certificate of exchange must be signed by the authorized person, either by affixing his signature, or a *fac-simile* thereof by means of an autograph stamp. Newspaper exchanges not posted in accordance with the foregoing rules will be charged full letter rates.

9. In order to facilitate inquiry into complaints of alleged delay in transmission of newspapers through the post, the postage stamps or wrappers, as the case may be, are cancelled with the date stamp of the despatching office.

FOREIGN BOOK POST.

The following are the regulations of the foreign book post:—

(1.) The postage to the United Kingdom, Australian Colonies, the Dominion of Canada, and the United States of America *via* San Francisco is one penny not exceeding one ounce; twopence not exceeding two ounces; and twopence for every additional two ounces or fraction of two ounces. The postage to all other foreign places may be ascertained on reference to the table of rates of postage published from time to time in the New Zealand Postal Guide. Book packets which may be insufficiently prepaid will be treated as described in section 8.

(2.) Every packet must be sent either without a cover, or in a cover open at the ends or sides, so as to admit of the enclosures being examined. For the greater security of its contents, the packet may be tied at the ends with string, but in such case the Postmaster is authorized to cut the string, although if he do so he must again tie up the packet.

(3.) A book packet may contain any number of separate books or other publications (including printed or lithographed letters), photographs (when not on glass or in cases containing glass or such like substance), drawings, prints, or maps, and any quantity of paper, parchment, or vellum; and the books or other publications, prints, maps, &c., may be either printed, written, engraved, lithographed, or plain, or any mixture of these; but no printed matter or prints will be allowed, except such as may be printed on paper, parchment, or vellum. Further, all legitimate binding, mounting, or covering of a book, &c., or of a portion thereof, will be allowed, whether such binding, &c., be loose or attached; as also rollers in the case of prints or maps, markers (whether of paper or otherwise) in the case of books, and, in short, whatever is necessary for the safe transmission of such articles, or usually appertains thereto; but the binding, rollers, &c., must not be sent as a separate packet.

(4.) No book packet may contain anything which is sealed or otherwise closed against inspection; nor must there be any letter, nor any communication of the nature of a letter, whether separate or otherwise, unless the whole of such letter or communication be printed. Entries, however, merely stating who sends the book, &c., or to whom it is given, are not regarded as a letter. Indeed, as respects the name and address of the sender, not only is the writing permitted, but it is even recommended; so that if the cover come off, or for any other reason the packet cannot be forwarded, it may be returned.

(5.) No book packet must exceed two feet in length, or one foot in width or depth, nor must it exceed five pounds in weight. The limit of weight on a book packet addressed to any of the countries comprised within the General Postal Union, a list of which appears at the end of the table of rates of postage published from time to time in the New Zealand Postal Guide, is four pounds. Parcels of patterns or samples for transmission by post to any Postal Union country must not exceed eight ounces in weight, nor must they exceed eight inches in length, four inches in width, and two inches in depth. Packets exceeding the foregoing weights and dimensions will not be received at any Post Office.

(6.) Any packet which shall not be open at the ends or sides, or shall have any letter or any communication of the nature of a letter written in it, or upon its cover, will be charged with double letter postage, less the value of postage stamps affixed, and forwarded to its address.

(7.) If a packet be found to contain any letter not wholly printed, whether closed or open, or any enclosure sealed or otherwise closed against inspection, or any other unauthorized enclosure, the packet will be charged with double letter postage, less the value of postage stamps affixed, and forwarded to its address.

(8.) If a book packet be not sufficiently prepaid with stamps, but nevertheles bear stamps of the value of one rate, it is forwarded charged with the deficient postage, together with an additional rate of fourpence in all cases, except for parcels marked for transmission *viâ* Brindisi, and when marked *viâ* Brindisi, sixpence.

(9.) All *bonâ fide* printed matter enclosed in envelopes slit or partially open at the ends, *and having the fly turned inside*, so that the contents may be examined without cutting or tearing the envelope, instead of being gummed over in the usual manner, is permitted to pass through the post at book-post rates.

It is the duty of Postmasters, whenever they have ground for suspecting an infringement of any of the above conditions, and occasionally even where there is no ground for suspicion, to open and examine book packets posted at or passing through their offices.

To prevent obstacles to the regular transmission of letters, a Postmaster may, when necessary, delay forwarding any book packet until the following despatch.

The main business of the Post Office being the transmission of *letters*, the forwarding of books and newspapers (which no one is compelled to send through the Post Office), though an important, is only a secondary object, for which no arrangement can be made which would interfere with the quick and regular conveyance and delivery of letters. Books, therefore, which would be injured by being thrust into a bag and hurriedly pressed down like a bundle of letters, should not be sent through the post.

FOREIGN PATTERN AND SAMPLE POST.

The following are the rules of the foreign pattern and sample post:—

(1.) A pattern parcel is a *bonâ fide pattern or sample of merchandise*. Goods sent for sale or in execution of an order (however small the quantity may be), or any

articles sent by one private individual to another, which are not actually patterns or samples, are not admissible.

(2.) The rates of postage are the same as for book packets. (*See* clause 1 of the Foreign Book Post Regulations.)

(3.) No packet of patterns or samples must exceed twenty-four ounces in weight; and to countries comprised within the General Postal Union the limit of weight for patterns and samples is eight ounces. Packets exceeding these weights will be sent to the Dead Letter Office.

(4.) There must be no writing or printing on the packet or its cover in addition to the address of the person for whom the packet is intended, except the address of the sender, a trade mark and numbers, and the prices of the articles, otherwise the packet will be treated as a letter.

(5.) There must be no enclosure other than the samples themselves. The particulars, which are allowed to be furnished under the preceding rule, must in all cases be given, not on loose pieces of paper, but on small labels attached to the samples or the bags containing them.

(6.) The patterns or samples must be sent in covers open at the ends, so as to be easy of examination. Samples, however, of seeds, drugs, &c., may be enclosed in boxes, or in bags of linen, or other material, fastened in such a manner that they may be readily opened, or in the case of samples of seeds in bags entirely closed, provided that they are transparent, so that the officers of the department may be able to satisfy themselves as to the nature of the contents. If this rule be infringed, the packet will be treated as a letter.

(7.) Insufficiently paid packets of patterns or samples will be treated as described in section 10 of the Inland Book Post Regulations.

(8.) In order to prevent any interruption to the regular transmission of letters, a packet of patterns or samples may, when it is necessary, be kept back by any Postmaster until the following despatch.

(9.) The rule which forbids the transmission through the post of any article which might injure the contents of the mail bags or the officers of the Post Office is so far relaxed as to permit the transmission of scissors, knives, razors, forks, steel pens, nails, keys, watch machinery, metal tubing, pieces of metal or ore, and such like, as samples, provided they be packed and guarded in so secure a manner as to afford complete protection to the contents of the mail bags and the officers of the Post Office, while at the same time the samples may be easily examined. If any packet containing such articles as these be posted which is found not to be sufficiently guarded it will be detained, and a notice of its detention will be sent to the person to whom it is addressed or to the sender, who may then obtain it upon personal application; but the packet will be charged with a fine equal in amount to the postage to which the packet was liable as a packet of patterns.

(10.) Bags entirely closed, even though they be transparent, must not be used for the transmission of seeds to any foreign country except the United Kingdom, the United States of America, Holland and its possessions, Belgium, Denmark, Greece, Portugal and its possessions, and Switzerland; and samples of intrinsic value must not be sent to foreign countries.

(11.) No packet (whether registered or otherwise) containing either gold or silver money, jewels, or precious articles, or any other article whatever, liable to Customs duties, can pass through the post to any of the countries comprised within the General Postal Union (the United Kingdom excepted)—a list of which appears at the end of the table of rates of postage published from time to time in the New Zealand Postal Guide.

Postage Stamps, Post Cards, and Newspaper Wrappers.

Every Postmaster is required to keep for sale to the public a sufficient stock of the various postage labels and post cards in use in the Colony, and to sell them at the following prices:—

	s.	d.	
Halfpenny labels (newspapers only)	0	½	each
Penny labels	0	1	„
Twopenny labels	0	2	„
Threepenny labels	0	3	„
Fourpenny labels	0	4	each
Sixpenny labels	0	6	„
One-shilling labels	1	0	„
Two-shilling labels	2	0	„

	£	s.	d.	
Five-shilling labels ...	0	5	0	each
Post Cards	0	0	1	„
Newspaper Wrappers—				
Parcels of 18 ...	0	0	10	
Parcels of 270 ...	0	12	6	
Parcels of 540 ...	1	5	0	
Parcels of 1,080 ...	2	10	0	

The postage stamps should be placed on the front of the letter, and upon the right-hand corner of the upper side. On re-directed letters, however, care should be taken not to place fresh stamps over the stamps which have been previously used.

Receipt or duty stamps cannot be used in place of postage stamps, nor can postage stamps which have been torn, cut, or otherwise rendered imperfect, be used.

The halfpenny postage stamp should not be affixed to letters.

The regulations relating to post cards will be found on pages 40 and 41.

English postage stamps may be obtained by persons desirous of sending a stamp or stamped envelope to their relatives or friends in the United Kingdom, in order to relieve them of the cost of the postage when sending replies. *These stamps cannot be purchased in quantities, nor are they permitted to be used for the purpose of making remittances.*

Registration.

By the prepayment of a fee of sixpence in addition to the full postage, any letter, newspaper, book, or other packet, may be registered to any place in the Colony. For registration to the United Kingdom, British Colonies, and certain Foreign Countries, see Table of Postage Rates, page 50.

The registration of a packet makes its transmission much more secure; and the loss of a registered packet is a very rare occurrence. Nevertheless, the Post Office is not responsible for the safe delivery of registered packets, though any officer who may neglect his duty on this point will be called to strict account. Valuable articles sent in *unregistered* letters are exposed to risk; and the Department cannot in any way undertake the safe conveyance of such packets. All Inland and Colonial letters, therefore, which unquestionably contain coin, even though they be posted without registration, are treated as registered, and charged on delivery with a double registration fee of one shilling, in addition to the ordinary postage; and any such letters which cannot be registered in time to be forwarded by the mail for which they are posted are detained for the next despatch.

No letter or packet containing coin or articles of value liable to Customs duty, addressed to any Postal Union country, will be received at any Post Office.

Every letter to be registered should be presented at the window, and a receipt obtained for it, and should on no account be dropped into the letter-box. If, contrary to this rule, a letter marked "Registered" be dropped into the letter-box, it will, *if directed to any place in the Colony, the United Kingdom, or the British Colonies,* be liable to a double registration fee.

Letters may be registered during the ordinary office hours, and for despatch by any mail, one hour before the closing of such mail. No letter-carrier, messenger, or other servant of the Post Office is allowed to carry a letter for any person to be registered.

A registered letter, which has not been delivered, when re-directed to any place within the Colony, is not liable to any further charge than an ordinary re-directed letter. If, however, a registered letter be re-directed to any place without the Colony, the second postage and registration fee must be prepaid.

No letter or other postal packet addressed to initials, or to a fictitious name, can be registered.

Delivery.

Letter-carriers and messengers are prohibited from distributing any letters, newspapers, &c., whether before beginning their rounds, whilst on their rounds, or after they may have completed them, except such as have passed through a Post Office. Nor are they allowed to receive any payment beyond the postage for the delivery or collection of any letter or newspaper, nor to deviate from the route laid down for them. The prohibition, however, from receiving payment in addition to the postage does not extend to Christmas gratuities.

No person living within the town free delivery, can claim to have his letters delivered at the office window if a delivery by letter-carrier is about to take place; but letters which arrive by a mail, after which there is no immediate delivery by letter-carrier, may be obtained by any person on application at the office window, so long as the office is open for delivery.

Letters addressed to the Post Office, or to be kept till called for, may be obtained at the office window, except where it is ascertained that it is the practice of persons living within the town delivery to have their letters so addressed, in which cases they will be sent out by letter-carrier. Letters for persons residing beyond any official delivery, will be delivered on application at the window. It is not permitted to return any letter to the writer or sender, or to any one else, or to delay forwarding it to its destination according to the address, even though a request to such effect be written thereon, as every letter must be delivered to the person to whom it is originally directed, and to him alone. No information must be given by a postal officer respecting letters, &c., which pass through a Post Office, except to the persons to whom they are addressed.

Rates of Postage chargeable on Letters, Book Packets, Newspapers, &c., posted in New Zealand.

I.—*Town Letters.*

Posted at any Post Office within the Colony for delivery at or from the same Post Office—

	s.	d.
Not exceeding half an ounce	0	1
Exceeding half an ounce but not exceeding one ounce	0	2
For every additional half ounce or fraction of half an ounce ...	0	1

II.—*Inland Letters.*

Posted at any Post Office within the Colony for delivery at or from any other Post Office within the Colony—

	s.	d.
Not exceeding half an ounce	0	2
Exceeding half an ounce but not exceeding one ounce	0	4
For every additional half ounce or fraction of half an ounce ...	0	2

III.—*Book Packets, Patterns, Samples, and Parcels.*

Posted at any Post Office within the Colony for delivery at or from any Post Office within the Colony—

	s.	d.
Not exceeding two ounces	0	1
Not exceeding four ounces	0	2
For every additional two ounces or fraction of two ounces ...	0	1

No book packet, pattern, sample, or parcel must exceed five pounds in weight.

IV.—*Newspapers.*

	s.	d.
For each newspaper posted in the Colony for delivery at any Post Office within the Colony	0	0½
For each newspaper posted in the Colony for delivery at places without the Colony, except to the Foreign countries mentioned in Table of Postage Rates	0	1

V.—*Registration.*

For every letter, book packet and pattern parcel, or newspaper registered at any Post Office within the Colony for delivery at or from any Post Office within the Colony, a fee of sixpence will be charged in addition to the postage.

VI.—*Soldiers' and Sailors' Letters.*

Letters addressed to or forwarded by any non-commissioned officer, army schoolmaster (not of the first class), army schoolmistress, soldier, or seaman, while actually employed in Her Majesty's service, may be transmitted within the Colony, and between the Colony and the Australian Colonies, India, British Ports in the Mediterranean, and the United Kingdom, at a charge of one penny each; and to any Post Office within the British Dominions, *via* the United Kingdom, by British Mail Packet, at twopence each, provided that the following regulations are observed:—

(1.) Each letter must not exceed half an ounce in weight.

(2.) If sent by any such privileged person, it must be superscribed with the name of the writer, his description or class in the regiment or vessel, and signed by the officer at the time in command.

(3.) If addressed to any such privileged person, his description or class in the regiment or vessel must be specified thereon.

(4.) If posted within the Colony, the postage must be prepaid.

Letters of this description posted or received in the Colony, not in accordance with the foregoing regulations, will be treated as ordinary letters. Soldiers' and sailors' letters addressed to foreign places, are chargeable with the foreign transit rates due to the countries through which such letters may pass.

Articles not allowed to be sent by Post.

It is forbidden to forward by post any indecent or obscene print, painting, photograph, lithograph, engraving, book, or card, or any other indecent or obscene article, or any letter, newspaper, publication, packet, or card having thereon any words marks, or designs of an indecent, obscene libellous, or grossly offensive character

Postmasters are instructed not to receive any letter which there is good reason to believe contains anything likely to injure the contents of the mail bag, or to do bodily harm to any officer of the Post Office. The following are examples of the articles referred to:—

A glass bottle, or glass in any form; leeches, game, fish, meat, fruit, or vegetables; bladders or other vessels containing liquids; gunpowder, lucifer matches, or anything which is explosive or liable to sudden combustion.

Miscellaneous Regulations and Suggestions.

The Post Office is not, by law, responsible for any loss or inconvenience which may arise from the non-delivery, mis-sending, or mis-delivery of any letter, book, or other postal packet (even if the packet be registered); nor is the Post Office responsible for any injury which a packet may sustain during its transmission.

To guard against such injury, all postal packets which are likely to suffer from stamping or from great pressure should be placed in strong covers; and even with this precaution no fragile article should be sent through the Post.

No information can be given respecting letters which pass through a Post Office except to the persons to whom they are addressed; and in no other way is official information of a private character allowed to be made public.

Postmasters are not allowed to return any letter or other packet to the writer or sender, or to any one else, or to delay forwarding it to its destination according to the address, even though a request to such effect be written thereon.

Postmasters are not bound to weigh any letters or other packets for the public, but they *may* do so if their duty be not thereby impeded.

Postmasters are not bound to give change, or authorized to demand change.

No postal officer is permitted to take money in prepayment of postage, or to affix postage stamps on letters, &c., posted at any Post Office. Postage stamps should in all cases be affixed by the sender or person posting the correspondence.

Every letter should contain the full address of the writer, in order to insure its return if the person to whom it is directed cannot be found. A much larger portion of the undelivered letters could be returned if the names and addresses of the senders were always either fully and plainly written inside or embossed on the envelopes.

The practice of sealing letters passing to and from countries with hot climates with wax (except such as is specially prepared) is attended with much inconvenience, and frequently with serious injury, not only to the letters so sealed, but to the other letters in the mail, from the melting of the wax and adhesion of the letters to each other. The public are therefore recommended, in all such cases, to use either wafers or gum, and to advise their correspondents in the countries referred to to do the same.

Neither money nor any other valuable article ought ever to be sent through the post, except by means of a money order or in a registered letter. Any person who sends money or jewellery in an unregistered letter, not only runs a risk of losing his property, but exposes to temptation every one through whose hands his letter passes, and may be the means of ultimately bringing some clerk or letter-carrier to moral ruin.

Whenever bank notes are sent by post, even in registered letters, they should be cut in halves, and the second halves should not be posted till it has been ascertained that the first halves have been received; and further, in order to afford the means of identification, a memorandum should always be made of the number of each bank note.

Any person conveying (otherwise than by the Post) a letter not exempted from the exclusive privilege of the Postmaster-General, incurs, by law, a penalty of £20 for every letter so conveyed.

Much difficulty is experienced in the delivery to their right owners of letters imperfectly addressed; and the Post Office has frequently incurred unjust censure either for unintentionally delivering such letters to wrong persons, or for declining the responsibility of delivering them at all. The address of every letter ought to be full and distinct; but in the cases referred to it is obvious that the correct delivery cannot be secured unless the name of the street (and occupation when any) be added in the address of the letter to the name of the person for whom the letter is intended to be given. The practice of addressing letters to a town only, prevails to a large extent, and it has become necessary to call special attention to the matter, in order to prevent not only the delay which such letters are in all cases liable to suffer, but also the danger to which they are exposed of being delivered to wrong persons and lost altogether.

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	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
ACCRA,—See Africa.											
ADEN,—By direct mail *via* Ceylon	0 6	0 6	0 6	1	...	...	...	0 1	0 2	0 4	0 2
AFRICA,—Cape of Good Hope and Natal, Delagoa Bay, Mozambique, and Zanzibar,—											
via San Francisco and England	0 11	0 11	0 8	...	...	0 2	0 2	0 3	0 4	0 6	0 4
via Aden	1 4	1 4	0 10	2	...	...	...	0 3	0 4	0 6	0 4
—— (West Coast),—Accra (British), Fernando Po(*a*) and Gambia, Gold Coast, Lagos, Liberia, Senegal(*a*), and Sierra Leone,—											
via San Francisco and England	0 9	0 9	0 8	...	...	0 2	0 2	0 2	0 3	0 6	0 3
via Brindisi	0 11	0 11	0 8	...	...	0 3	0 3	0 3	0 5	0 8	0 4
—— Other parts of West Coast of Africa,—											
via San Francisco and England	0 11	0 11	None.	2	...	...	...	0 3	0 4	0 6	0 4
via Brindisi	1 1	1 1	None.	...	...	0 3	0 3	0 4	0 6	0 8	0 5
ALEXANDRIA,—See Egypt.											
ALGERIA,—See France.											
AMERICA (NORTH),—Canada (including Vancouver's Island and British Columbia), New Brunswick, Newfoundland, Nova Scotia, and Prince Edward's Island,—											
via San Francisco	0 6	0 6	0 6	1	...	...	...	0 1	0 2	0 4	0 2
via Brindisi	0 10	0 10	0 8	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 4	0 6	0 8	0 4
—— *United States of,(a)—Same as Canada.*											
—— *Mexico,—*											
via San Francisco	1 0	1 0	None.	2	...	...	0 1	0 4	0 5	0 7	0 5
via Brindisi	0 11	0 11	0 8	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 3	0 5	0 8	0 4
AMERICA (CENTRAL),—Costa Rica, Guatemala, New Granada, and Nicaragua,—											
via San Francisco	1 0	1 0	None.	2	...	...	0 2	0 4	0 5	0 7	0 4
via Brindisi	1 7	1 7	None.	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 4	0 6	0 8	0 5
—— Honduras (Republic of) and San Salvador,—Same as Mexico.											
AMERICA (SOUTH),—Argentine Confederation, Brazil, British and Foreign Guianas, Chili, Ecuador, Peru, and Uruguay,—											
via San Francisco	1 0	1 0	0 8	2	...	...	0 2	0 4	0 5	0 7	0 5a
via Brindisi	0 11	0 11	0 8	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 3	0 5	0 8	0 4a
—— Bolivia, Paraguay, and Venezuela,—											
via San Francisco	1 0	1 0	None.	...	...	0 2	0 2	0 4	0 5	0 7	0 5
via Brindisi	1 7	1 7	None.	...	...	0 3	0 3	0 5	0 7	0 9	0 6
ASCENSION,—											
via San Francisco and England	0 11	0 11	None.	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 3	0 4	0 6	0 4
via Brindisi	1 1	1 1	None.	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 4	0 6	0 8	0 5
AUSTRALIA	0 2	0 2	0 6	1	...	...	...	0 1	0 2	0 4	0 2
AUSTRIA,—											
via San Francisco and England	0 8	0 8	0 8	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	0 3a
By direct mail to Brindisi	0 9	0 9	0 6	...	0 2	0 3	0 2	0 3	0 4	0 7	0 4a
AZORES,—See Portugal.											
BAHAMAS,—See West Indies (British)											
BELGIUM,—											
via San Francisco and England	0 8	0 8	0 8	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	0 3a
By direct mail to Brindisi	0 9	0 9	0 6	...	0 2	0 3	0 2	0 3	0 4	0 7	0 4a

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	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
BERMUDA,—											
via San Francisco	0 10	0 10	0 8	...	...	0 2	0 2	0 4	0 5	0 7	0 5
via Brindisi	0 11	0 11	0 8	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 3	0 5	0 8	0 4
BRITISH GUIANA,—See America (South).											
BRITISH HONDURAS.—See West Indies British).											
CANARY ISLANDS,—											
via San Francisco and England	0 8	0 8	0 8	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	0 3*a*
via Brindisi	0 10	0 10	0 8	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 3	0 5	0 8	0 4*a*
CAPE DE VERD'S,—											
via San Francisco and England	0 9	0 9	0 8	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	0 3*a*
via Brindisi	0 11	0 11	0 8	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 3	0 5	0 8	0 4*a*
CAPE OF GOOD HOPE,—See Africa.											
CAYENNE,—See America (South).											
CEYLON,—By direct mail	0 6	0 6	0 6	1	...	...	...	0 1	0 2	0 4	0 2
CHINA,—*Via* Galle or Torres Straits ...	1 0	1 0	0 6	1	...	...	...	0 1	0 2	0 4	0 2
DENMARK,—											
via San Francisco and England	0 8	0 8	0 8	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	0 3*a*
By direct mail to Brindisi	0 9	0 9	0 6	...	0 2	0 3	0 2	0 3	0 4	0 7	0 4*a*

EGYPT,—											
By direct mail to Suez	0 6	0 6	0 6	1	...	...	...	0 1	0 2	0 4	0 2*a*
via San Francisco and England	0 8	0 8	0 8	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	0 3*a*
FALKLAND ISLANDS,—											
via San Francisco and England	0 9	0 9	0 8	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	0 3
via Brindisi	0 11	0 11	0 8	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 3	0 5	0 8	0 4
FIJI ISLANDS	0 2	0 2	0 6	1	...	...	...	0 1	0 2	0 4	0 2
FRANCE AND ALGERIA,—											
via San Francisco and England	0 8	0 8	0 8	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	0 3*a*
By direct mail *via* Modane and Paris	1 1	1 1	0 6*b*	1*d*	...	...	...	0 1*d*	0 2	0 4	0 2*a*
via Alexandria	0 11	0 11	0 6*b*	1*d*	...	...	...	0 1*d*	0 2	0 4	0 2*a*
GALATZ,—See Moldavia.											
GIBRALTAR,—											
via Brindisi	0 9	0 9	0 6	...	0 2	0 3	0 2	0 3	0 4	0 7	0 4*a*
via San Francisco and England	0 8	0 8	0 8	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	0 3*a*
GERMAN STATES, viz., Baden, Bavaria, Birkenfeld, Bremen, Frankfort, Hamburg, Hesse, Hesse-Homburg, Lippe Detmold, Lubeck, Luxemburg, Nassau, Reuss, Prussia, Schaumburg Lippe, Schwarzburg-Rudoldstadt, Schwarzburg-Sonderhausen, Saxe-Coburg-Gotha, Saxe-Meiningen, Saxe-Weimar, Wurtemburg, Brunswick, Hanover, Mecklenburg-Schwerin, Mecklenburg-Strelitz, and Oldenburg—											
via San Francisco and England	0 8	0 8	0 8	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	0 3*a*
By direct mail to Brindisi	0 9	0 9	0 6	...	0 2	0 3	0 2	0 3	0 4	0 7	0 4*a*
GREECE AND IONIAN ISLES,—											
via San Francisco and England	0 8	0 8	0 8	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	0 3*a*
By direct mail to Suez	0 7	0 7	None.	...	0 2	0 3	0 2	0 2	0 3	0 6	0 3*a*
HELIGOLAND,—											
via San Francisco and England	0 8	0 8	0 8	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	0 3*a*
By direct mail to Brindisi	0 9	0 9	0 6	...	0 2	0 3	0 2	0 3	0 4	0 7	0 4*a*

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	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
HOLLAND,—											
via San Francisco and England	0 8	0 8	0 8	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	0 3*a*
By direct mail to Brindisi	0 9	0 9	0 6	...	0 2	0 3	0 2	0 3	0 4	0 7	0 4*a*
HONG KONG.—See China.											
INDIA,—By direct mail *via* Ceylon	0 6	0 6	0 6	1	...	...	...	0 1	0 2	0 4	0 2*a*
INDIAN ARCHIPELGO,—Including Borneo, Celebes, Java (Batavia), Labuan, Macassar, Malacca, Moluccas, Philipine Islands (Manila), Sumatra, Sunda Islands,—											
By direct mail *via* Galle or Torres Straits... ...	1 0	1 0	0 6	1	...	...	...	0 1	0 2	0 4	0 2*a*
ITALY,—											
via San Francisco and England	0 8	0 8	0 8	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	0 3*a*
By direct mail to Brindisi	0 7	0 7	0 6	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 5	0 3*a*
JAPAN,—See China.											
MADEIRA,—*via* San Francisco and England	0 8	0 8	0 8	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	0 3*a*
via Brindisi	0 9	0 9	0 8	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 3	0 5	0 8	0 4*a*
MALTA,—*via* San Francisco and England	0 8	0 8	0 8	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	0 3*a*
via Brindisi	0 9	0 9	0 6	...	0 2	0 3	0 2	0 3	0 4	0 7	0 4*a*
MAURITIUS AND REUNION,—By direct mail to Aden ...	1 0	1 0	0 6	2	...	...	...	0 1	0 2	0 4	0 2
MONTENEGRO,—See Roumania.											
NATAL,—See Africa.											
NETHERLANDS,—See Holland.											

NEW CALEDONIA,—By direct mail via Sydney	0 6	0 6	0 6	.	...	...	...	0 1	0 2	0 4	0 2*a*
NEWFOUNDLAND,—See America.											
NORWAY AND SWEDEN,—											
via San Francisco and England	0 8	0 8	0 8	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	0 3*a*
By direct mail to Brindisi	0 9	0 9	0 6	...	0 2	0 3	0 2	0 3	0 4	0 7	0 4*a*
POLAND,—See Russia.											
PORTUGAL AND AZORES,—											
via San Francisco and England	0 8	0 8	0 8	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	0 3*a*
via Brindisi	0 9	0 9	0 8	...	0 2	0 3	0 2	0 3	0 5	0 8	0 4*a*
PRINCE EDWARD'S ISLAND,—See America.											
REUNION,—See Mauritius.											
ROUMANIA, including Moldavia and Wallachia,—											
via San Francisco and England	0 8	0 8	0 8	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	0 3*a*
By direct mails to Brindisi	0 9	0 9	0 6	...	0 2	0 3	0 2	0 3	0 5	0 8	0 4*a*
RUSSIA AND POLAND,—											
via San Francisco and England	0 8	0 8	0 8	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	0 3*a*
By direct mail to Brindisi	0 9	0 9	0 6	...	0 2	0 3	0 2	0 3	0 5	0 8	0 4*a*
ST. HELENA,—											
via San Francisco and England	1 5	1 5	0 8	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 3	0 4	0 6	0 4
via Brindisi	1 7	1 7	0 8	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 4	0 6	0 8	0 5
SANDWICH ISLANDS (Honolulu),—By direct mail ...	0 6	0 6	0 6	1	...	...	...	0 1	0 2	0 4	0 2
SERVIA,—Same as Turkey.											
SMYRNA,—											
via San Francisco and England	0 8	0 8	0 8	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	0 3*a*
By direct mail to Suez	0 7	0 7	0 6*c*	...	2	0 3	0 2	0 2	0 3	0 6	0 3*a*
SOUTH SEA ISLANDS, including Friendly, Cook, Austral (Tubuai), Marquesas, Norfolk, Loyalty, Phœnix, and Solomon Islands, New Hebrides, Samoa, and Society Islands (Tahiti),—											
By direct mail	0 2	0 2	None.	1	...	...	...	0 1	0 2	0 4	0 2
SPAIN AND BALEARIC ISLES,—											
via San Francisco and England	0 8	0 8	0 8	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	0 3*a*
via Brindisi	0 9	0 9	0 6	...	0 2	0 3	0 2	0 3	0 5	0 8	0 4*a*
By direct mail to France, *via* Suez	1 0	1 0	None.	1*c*	...	...	...	0 1*c*	0 2	0 4	0 2*a*

TABLE OF RATES OF POSTAGE—*continued.*

COUNTRIES, ETC.	LETTERS. Not exceeding ½ ounce.	LETTERS. Every additional ½ ounce.	Registration Fee.	NEWSPAPERS. Each Newspaper.	NEWSPAPERS. By weight (each Newspaper). Not exceeding 2 ounces.	NEWSPAPERS. By weight (each Newspaper). 2 ounces to 4 ounces.	NEWSPAPERS. By weight (each Newspaper). Every additional 4 ounces.	BOOKS OR PATTERN PARCELS. Not exceeding 1 ounce.	BOOKS OR PATTERN PARCELS. 1 ounce to 2 ounces.	BOOKS OR PATTERN PARCELS. 2 ounces to 4 ounces.	BOOKS OR PATTERN PARCELS. Every additional 2 ounces.
	s.	s. d.	s. d.	d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
STRAITS' SETTLEMENTS, including Malacca, Penang, Singapore, Wellsley, &c.,—											
By direct mail *via* Galle or Torres Straits,—See Indian Archipelago.											
SUEZ,—By direct mail	0 6	0 6	0 6	1	...	...	...	0 1	0 2	0 4	0 2
via San Francisco	0 8	0 8	0 8	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	0 3
SWEDEN,—See Norway.											
SWITZERLAND,—											
via San Francisco and England	0 8	0 8	0 8	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	0 3*a*
By direct mail to Brindisi	0 9	0 9	0 6	...	0 2	0 3	0 2	0 3	0 4	0 7	0 4*a*
SYRIA,—See Turkey.											
TANGIERS AND TUNIS,—											
via San Francisco and England	0 8	0 8	0 8	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	0 3
Bydirect mail to Alexandria	0 8	0 8	0 6*b*	1*c*	...	...	...	0 1*c*	0 2	0 4	0 2
TASMANIA	0 2	0 2	0 6	1	...	...	...	0 1	0 2	0 4	0 2
TUNIS,—See Tangiers.											
TAHITI,—See South Sea Islands.											
TURKEY AND THE LEVANT, including Candia, Cyprus, excepting Larnica, and Syria, excepting Beyrout,—											
By direct mail to Suez	0 7	0 7	None.	...	0 2	0 3	0 2	0 2	0 3	0 6	0 3*a*
Via San Francisco and England	0 8	0 8	None.	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	0 3*a*

TURKEY,—Including Levant—*continued.*											
—— Beyrout, Constantinople, Dardanelles, Gallipoli, Larnica, Mytelene, Rhodes, Salonica, Samsoun, Tchesme, Tenedos, Trebizond, Tultscha, and Varna,—											
via San Francisco and England	0 8	0 8	0 8	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	0 3*a*
UNITED KINGDOM,—											
via San Francisco	0 6	0 6	0 6	1	...	...	...	0 1	0 2	0 4	0 2
via Brindisi or *via* Naples	0 8	0 8	0 6	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 4	0 6	0 3
VANCOUVER ISLAND,—See America.											
WALLACHIA,—See Roumania.											
WEST INDIES (BRITISH), except British Honduras, Grenada, Jamaica, St. Lucia, Tobago, Trinidad, and Turks Island,—											
via San Francisco	0 10	0 10	0 8	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 4	0 5	0 7	0 5
via Brindisi	1 7	1 7	0 8	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 4	0 6	0 9	0 4
—— British Honduras, Grenada, Jamaica, St. Lucia, The Bahamas, Tobago, Turks Island, and Trinidad,—											
via San Francisco	0 10	0 10	0 8	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 4	0 5	0 7	0 5
via Brindisi	0 11	0 11	0 8	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 3	0 5	0 8	0 4
WEST INDIES (FOREIGN),—Cuba, Curaçoa, Hayti, Porto Rico, St. Croix, St. Domingo, St. Kitts, St. Thomas, St. Martin's, St. Eustatius, Guadaloupe, Martinique, and the Republic of Honduras and Salvador,—											
via San Francisco	1 4	1 4	0 8	3	...	...	...	0 4	0 5	0 10	0 5*a*
via Brindisi	0 11	0 11	0 8	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 3	0 5	0 8	0 4*a*

a. Nespapers and book packets must not exceed 4lbs. in weight, and pattern parcels must not exceed 8 ounces in weight, except that packets not exceeding 12 ounces may be sent to Belgium, Greece, and Franee. Pattern parcels must not exceed 8 inches in length, 4 inches in width, and 2 inches in depth, except to Belgium, Greece, and France, to which countries packets may be sent measuring 12 inehes by 8 inches by 4 inches. *b.* And 3d. per quarter of an ounce additional. *c.* An additional charge will be made on delivery.

NOTE.—*Letters, Books, and Newspapers* to all places, except the Australian Colonies and Fiji, can be forwarded by private ship direct, as opportunity offers, upon payment of the ordinary ship rates, viz.:—Letters, 6d. per half ounce; newspapers, 1d. each; book packets, 2d. per two ounces.

LIST OF COUNTRIES, ETC., COMPRISING THE GENERAL POSTAL UNION.

Argentine Confederation.
Austro-Hungary.
Belgium.
Brazil.
Bulgaria (Principality of).
Canada.
Chili.
Cyprus.
Denmark.
Danish Colonies, viz.,—
Greenland, St. Croix, St. John, and St. Thomas.
Ecuador.
Egypt.
France.
French Colonies, viz.,—
Martinique, Guadaloupe and dependencies; French Guiana (Cayenne), Senegal and dependencies; Gaboon, Réunion, Mayotte and dependencies; St. Mary (Madagascar), New Caledonia and dependencies; the French portion of the Low Archipelago, and the French Establishments in India (Pondichéry, Chandernagor, Karikal, Mahé, and Yanaon) and in Cochin China, St. Pierre-et-Miquelon, and Tahiti.
Germany.
Gibraltar.
Great Britain.
British Colonies (in addition to those separately mentioned, viz.,—
Bahamas, Bermuda, British Guiana, Ceylon, Hong Kong, Jamaica, Labuan, Mauritius and dependencies; Straits Settlements, Trinidad, British Honduras, Gold Coast, Gambia, Grenada, Lagos, Sierra Leone, Falkland Islands, Newfoundland, and the Leeward Islands (comprising Antigua, Dominica, Montserrat, Nevis, St. Kitts, and Tortola), St. Lucia, Tobago, and Turks Island.
Greece.
Hayti, Republic of.
Honduras, Republic of.
India.
Italy.
Japan.
Liberia, Republic of.
Luxemburg.
Malta.
Mexico.
Netherlands.
Netherland Colonies, viz.,—
Dutch Guiana (Surinam), Curaçoa and dependencies, viz., Bonaire, Aruba, the Netherland portion of St. Martin, St. Eustache and Saba; Java, Madura, Sumatra, Celebes, Borneo (except North-west part), Billiton, Archipelago of Banca, Archipelago of Riouw, Sunda Islands (Bali, Lombok, Sumbawa, Floris, and the South-west part of Timor), the Archipelago of the Moluccas, and the North-west part of New Guinea (Papua).
Norway.
Persia.
Peru.
Portugal.
Portuguese Colonies, viz.,—
Azores, Madeira, Goa and its dependencies (Damao and Diu); Macao Timor, Cape de Verd and dependencies (Bissau and Cacheu); Islands of St. Thomas and Prince (in Africa), with the Establishment of Ajuda, Mozambique, and Angola.
Roumania.
Russia.
Salvador.
Servia.
Spain.
Spanish Colonies, viz.,—
Cuba, Porto Rico, Fernando Po, Annobon and dependencies, Philippine Islands, Marian Islands, and Marquesas Islands.
St. Domingo.
Sweden.
Switzerland.
Turkey.
United States.
Uruguay.

Money Orders.

Money Orders are issued at the following Post Offices in New Zealand, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., except on Saturday, when the Offices are not closed before 5 p.m.

The Money Order Offices at Auckland, Christchurch, Dunedin, and Wellington close at 2 p.m. on Saturday.

Ahaura, Greymouth
Akaroa, Christchurch
Albany Street, Dunedin
Alexandra, Auckland
Amberley, Christchurch
Aratapu, Auckland
Arrow River, Dunedin
Ashburton, Christchurch
Auckland, C.O.
Balclutha, Dunedin
Blenheim, C.O.
Blueskin, Dunedin
Bull's, Wanganui
Cambridge, Auckland
Campbelltown, Invercargill
Castlepoint, Wellington
Carterton, Wellington
Caversham, Dunedin
Charleston, Westport
Chatham Islands, Wellington
Cheviot, Christchurch
Christchurch, C.O.
Clinton, Dunedin
Clyde, Dunedin
Collingwood, Nelson
Cromwell, Dunedin
Dargaville, Auckland
Drury, Auckland
Dunedin, C.O.
Dunsandel, Christchurch
Duntroon, Oamaru
Duvauchelle, Christchurch
Elbow, Invercargill
Featherston, Wellington
Feilding, Wellington
Foxton, Wellington
Geraldine, Timaru
Gisborne, C.O.
Gore, Invercargill
Grahamstown, C.O.
Green Island, Dunedin
Greymouth, C.O.
Greytown, Wellington
Halcombe, Wellington
Hamilton, Auckland
Hamilton's, Dunedin
Hampden, Oamaru
Hastings, Napier
Havelock, Blenheim
Hawera, Wanganui
Helensville, Auckland
Herbert, Oamaru
Hokianga, Auckland
Hokitika, C.O.
Huntly, Auckland.
Hurunui, Christchurch
Hutt, Wellington
Hyde, Dunedin
Inglewood, New Plymouth
Invercargill, C.O.
Kaiapoi, Christchurch
Kaikoura, Blenheim
Kaitangata, Dunedin
Kaitoke, Wellington
Kakanui, Oamaru
Kapanga, Auckland
Kawakawa, Auckland
Kihikihi, Auckland
Kingston, Invercargill
Kopua, Napier
Kumara, Hokitika
Lawrence, Dunedin
Leeston, Christchurch
Longford, Westport
Lyell, Westport
Lyttelton, Christchurch
Mangapai, Auckland
Mangawhare, Auckland
Manuherikia, Dunedin
Manutahi, Wanganui
Marton, Wanganui
Masterton, Wellington
Mataura, Invercargill
Mercer, Auckland
Milton, Dunedin
Mohaka, Napier
Mongonui, Auckland
Mosgiel, Dunedin
Motueka, Nelson
Napier, C.O.
Naseby, Dunedin
Nelson, C.O.
Nelson Creek, Greymouth
New Plymouth, C.O.
Newton, Auckland
Ngaruawahia, Auckland
Normanby, Wanganui
Oamaru, C.O.
Ohaeawai, Auckland
Ohaupo, Auckland
Ohinemutu, Auckland
Onehunga, Auckland
Ophir, Dunedin
Opotiki, Auckland
Opunake, New Plymouth
Otahuhu, Auckland
Otaki, Wellington
Otautau, Invercargill
Owake, Dunedin
Oxford, Christchurch
Outram, Dunedin
Pahi, Auckland
Palmerston, Dunedin
PalmerstonNorth, Wellington
Patea, Wanganui
Picton, Blenheim
Pokeno, Auckland
Porangahau, Napier
Port, Nelson
Port Ahuriri, Napier
Port Albert, Auckland
Port Chalmers, Dunedin
Pukekohe, Auckland
Queenstown, Invercargill
Raglan, Auckland
Rakaia, Christchurch
Rangiora, Christchurch
Reefton, Greymouth
Richmond, Nelson
Riverton, Invercargill
Ross, Hokitika
Roxburgh, Dunedin
Russell, Auckland
Sanson, Wellington
Sheffield, Christchurch
Southbridge, Christchurch
Springfield, Christchurch
St. Bathans, Dunedin
Sydenham, Christchurch
Takapau, Napier
Tapanui, Dunedin
Taupo, Napier
Tauranga, Auckland
Te Awamutu, Auckland
Te Kopuru, Auckland
Temuka, Timaru
Te Nui, Wellington
Timaru, C.O.
Turakina, Wanganui
Upper Hutt, Wellington
Uretara, Auckland
Waihola, Dunedin
Waikaia, Dunedin
Waikari, Christchurch
Waikouaiti, Dunedin
Waimate, Timaru
Waipawa, Napier
Waipukurau, Napier
Waiau, Christchurch
Waipu, Auckland
Wairoa, Napier
Waitahuna, Dunedin
Waitara, New Plymouth
Waitotara, Wanganui
Waiuku, Auckland
Waiwera, Auckland
Wakefield, Nelson
Wanganui, C.O.
Wangarei, Auckland
Wangaroa, Auckland
Warkworth, Auckland
Waverley, Wanganui
Wellington, C.O.
Westport, C.O.
Winton, Invercargill
Woodlands, Invercargill
Woodville, Wellington
Woolston, Christchurch
Wyndham, Invercargill

When two places are mentioned in the above List, the Office at the first is a Sub-Office, and that at the second is the Head Office to which the Sub-Office is subordinate.

Telegraph Money Orders can be transmitted between the above Offices

Lists of the Money Order Offices in the Australian Colonies, Tasmania, and the United Kingdom, on which Orders are issued, may be seen at any Money Order Office in the Colony.

The commission charged on Money Orders is as follows:—

Within New Zealand.

(By Post.)

	s.	d.
For sums not exceeding £5	0	6
" " £10	1	0

(By Telegraph.)

For every £1 or fraction of £1—4d., and a telegraph fee of 1s. for each order.

Urgent Money Order Telegrams.

Money Order Telegrams can now be sent as *urgent* upon payment of 2s. on each Order addition to the previous rates. Such telegrams will rate as *Urgent Ordinary Telegrams* and be sent in the order of their receipt with other telegrams of the like code.

On the United Kingdom.

	s.	d.
For sums not exceeding £2	1	0
" " £2, and not exceeding £4	2	0
" " £4, " " £6	3	0
" " £6, " " £8	4	0
" " £8, " " £10	5	0

On the Australian Colonies and Tasmania.

For sums not exceeding £5	1	0
" " £10	2	0

No single Order can be granted for more than £10.

Post Office Savings Bank.

Every Money Order Office is also a Post Office Savings Bank, and open for Bank business during the same hours as for Money Orders.

The Savings Bank Offices at Auckland, Christchurch, Dunedin, and Wellington close, however, at 2 p.m. on Saturdays, but open again from 6.30 to 8.30 p.m. on Saturdays for the receipt of Savings Bank deposits and the opening of new accounts only.

Deposits of one shilling, or of any multiple of one shilling, may be made at any Post Office Savings Bank.

Interest is allowed to each depositor at the rate of 4½ per cent. per annum on the balance at the credit of his account when it does not exceed £200, and at the rate of 4 per cent. when it exceeds £200; but no interest will be allowed on more than £500.

Electric Telegraph.

REGULATIONS AND CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH TELEGRAMS ARE AUTHORIZED TO BE TRANSMITTED BY THE TELEGRAPH BELONGING TO THE GENERAL GOVERNMENT OF NEW ZEALAND.

1. The Government is not responsible for errors, omissions, or delays in the transmission of telegrams, nor for the non-transmission of any telegram.

2. Printed forms, upon which telegrams should be written, may be obtained at all Stations on application; but all telegrams, whether written upon the prescribed form, upon any other printed form, or upon plain paper, will be considered as presented for transmission under the several conditions contained in these regulations.

3. All telegrams presented for transmission must be written in ink, in a clear and legible manner; they shall contain a proper address, and bear a genuine signature in the usual handwriting of the sender.

4. In order to prevent errors in the transmission of telegrams, all words must be written in full, and no abbreviation will be allowed. It is advisable to write all numbers in words in full, and not in figures.

5. Telegrams will be transmitted in the following order of priority:—

(1.) Telegrams of the General Government marked *urgent*.

(2.) Telegrams relative to the arrest of criminals or persons accused, or the discovery or prevention of crime.

(3.) Telegrams relating to cases of pressing emergency, such as accident, sickness, or death, may be transmitted in priority to any others.

Subject to the above exceptions, all telegrams will be transmitted in the order in which they may be received by the Officers of the Department.

6. In order to prevent a monopoly of the line by any one company or individual, when several telegrams are presented for transmission about the same time, and any one of these telegrams is of considerable length, then no officer shall transmit more than two hundred words of any such telegram at one time.

7. Telegrams may be written in cypher, which will be counted according to the following scale, whether for figures or letters: Separate cyphers count as one word; groups of five cyphers, or fractional part of five cyphers, count as one word; groups exceeding five cyphers are counted at the rate of five cyphers to the word, and any fractional portion remaining is to be counted as one word.

8. Where cyphers are used, the sender is recommended to pay for the repetition of such telegram, in order to insure accuracy.

9. In the event of serious delays occurring through accident to the lines which may prevent the transmission of a telegram within a reasonable time, or may destroy the value of any telegram, notice thereof will be sent to the sender of such telegram, should his address be known. The sender may, on a written application to the Officer in Charge of the Station at which such telegram was presented and paid for, receive back the amount paid thereon, and the telegram will be cancelled.

10. Telegrams will be delivered free of charge within one mile of the Station to which they may be transmitted by wire; but if required to be delivered beyond that distance, cab or omnibus fares, or horse hire, will be charged, as may be found necessary. All telegrams requiring to be delivered on shipboard, or on the water, or across the water, will bear an extra charge to defray any boat expenses incurred.

11. When the sender of a telegram desires it, the reply to such telegram may be prepaid, and the messenger will be instructed to wait for such prepaid reply for the space of ten minutes; after which time the reply must be forwarded to the Station by the receiver of the original telegram. Persons presenting for transmission a "Reply-paid" message which has already been paid for, must distinctly state this at the time of its presentation

12. Should the sender of a telegram desire to have the telegram repeated, to insure accuracy, such repetition will be made at a charge of half the rate of the original telegram.

13. On special occasions, when Telegraph Stations are kept open beyond the usual hours of business, a double charge will be made on all telegrams presented for transmission.

14. Telegrams may be taken from the sender with the word "Collect" written thereon, and in such case the payment for the telegram will be collected from the receiver of the telegram; but in the event of the receiver refusing to pay, the sender of the telegram shall be held responsible for the due payment thereof.

15. Telegrams may be taken from the sender of a telegram with the words "Reply-paid" written thereon, and in such case the payment for the telegram in reply will be collected from the sender of the first telegram.

URGENT TELEGRAMS.

Telegrams marked *Urgent* will be received at any Telegraph Station and transmitted as *Urgent Messages* in the order of their priority with other messages of the like code.

Urgent telegrams will take precedence of all ordinary messages.

The fee for an urgent telegram is double that charged for an ordinary telegram.

DELAYED TELEGRAMS.

Delayed telegrams are now received at any Telegraph Station throughout the colony for transmission, final delivery to the address given being effected by post.

The rates chargeable on all such messages are as follows, viz.: Sixpence (6d.) for the first 10 words (exclusive of address and signature up to 10 words), and a half-penny (½d.) for every additional word. Fractions of a penny in computing charges are not allowed. Senders of delayed telegrams are requested to give as full address as possible, and are also requested to write, in "Instructions" on the message, the word "Delayed."

In addition to the rates above mentioned, postage is charged as follows: If the delivery is within the postal district of any town, one penny (1d.); outside the postal district, two-pence (2d.). In dealing with these telegrams, the department undertakes to telegraph them to their destination on the day of their receipt, and to post them the same evening.

STAMPED TELEGRAMS.

In order to encourage the use of the Telegraph, and as a matter of convenience to the Public, telegrams will be received for transmission at any Telegraph Office throughout the Colony, if sufficiently stamped with the ordinary postage stamps in lieu of payment by coin.

The stamps are to be affixed on the top right-hand corner, immediately under the heading "Fees received."

Telegraph forms and envelopes, having the words (printed in red) "Telegram for transmission to the Officer in charge Telegraph Station," can be procured at Post Offices in towns where there is no Telegraph Station.

WEATHER TELEGRAMS FOR SHIPPING.

Masters of vessels are permitted to forward messages at an uniform rate of sixpence for each message (including reply) to the Harbour Masters of the various ports, seeking information as to the state of the weather, &c., at the port to which they are bound, or from any port which may lie in their route. These telegrams must be concise, and should be filled in in accordance with the directions to be seen at the various telegraph stations.

In no case will a larger number of words than ten in the body of the telegram be allowed under these Rules.

LIST OF TELEGRAPH STATIONS IN NEW ZEALAND.

Abbotsford, Taieri.
Addington, Selwyn.
Ahaura, Grey.
†Akaroa, Akaroa.
Alexandra, Waipa.
Amberley, Ashley.
Arrow, Lake.
†Ashburton, Ashburton.
†*Auckland, Eden.
Balclutha, Clutha.
Bealey, Selwyn.
†Blenheim, Marlborough.
†*Bluff, Southland.
Bull's, Rangitikei.
Burnham, Selwyn.
Cambridge, Waikato.
Carterton, Wairarapa West.
Castlepoint, Wairarapa East.
Caversham, Taieri.
Charleston, Buller.
Chertsey, Ashburton.
†Cheviot, Cheviot.
†*Christchurch, Selwyn.
Christchurch Railway, Selwyn
†Clinton, Clutha.
†Clyde, Vincent.
Coalgate, Selwyn.
Collingwood, Collingwood.
Coromandel, Coromandel.
Cromwell, Vincent.
Cust, Ashley.
Darfield Junction, Selwyn.
Dargaville, Hobson.
†Drury, Manukau.
†*Dunedin, Taieri.
Dunedin North, Taieri.
Dunedin Railway Stat., Taieri
Dunsandel, Selwyn.
Duntroon, Waitaki.
Duvauchelle Bay, Akaroa.
Ealing, Ashburton.
Edendale, Southland.
Elbow, Southland.
Farndon, Hawke's Bay.
†Featherston, Wairarapa West.
Feilding, Manawatu.
Foxhill, Waimea.
†Foxton, Manawatu.
Geraldine, Geraldine.
†Gisborne, Cook.
Goodwood, Waikouaiti.
Gore, Southland.
Govt. Buildings (Wellington) [Hutt.
†*Grahamstown, Thames.
†Greymouth, Grey.
Greytown North, Wairarapa West.
Greytown South, Taieri.
Halcombe, Manawatu.
Hamilton, Waikato.
Hampden, Waitaki.
Hastings South, Hawke's Bay.
Hastings North, Thames.
†Havelock, Marlborough.
Hawera, Patea.
Helensville, Waitemata.
Herbert, Waitaki.
Hokianga, Hokianga.
†Hokitika, Westland.
Hornby, Selwyn.
Huntly, Waikato.
Hurunui, Ashley.
Hutt, Hutt.
†Inglewood, Taranaki.
†*Invercargill, Southland.
†Kaiapoi, Ashley.
†Kaikoura, Kaikoura.
Kaitangata, Bruce.
Kaitoke, Wairarapa West.
Kakanui, Waitaki.
Kawakawa, Bay of Islands.
†Kekerangu, Marlborough.
Kihikihi, Waipa.
Kingston, Lake.
Kirwee, Selwyn.
Kopua, Waipawa.
Kopuru, Hobson.
Kumara, Westland.
Lawrence, Tuapeka.
Leeston, Selwyn
†Longford, Inangahua.
Lyell, Buller.
†*Lyttelton, Selwyn.
Maheno, Waitaki.
Maketu, Tauranga.
Makikihi, Geraldine.
Manuherikia, Vincent.
†Manukau Heads, Manukau.
Manutahi, Patea.
†Marton, Rangitikei.
†Masterton, Wairarapa West.
†Mataura, Southland.
†Mercer, Waikato.
†Miranda, Thames.
Mohaka, Wairoa.
Mongonui, Mongonui
Mosgiel, Taieri.
Motueka, Waimea.
†*Napier, Hawke's Bay.
Naseby, Maniototo.
†*Nelson, Waimea.
Newmarket, Eden.
†New Plymouth, Taranaki.
Newton, Eden.
Ngaruawahia, Waikato.
Normanby, Taranaki.
†Oamaru, Waitaki.
Ohaeawai, Bay of Islands.
Ohaupo, Waipa.
†Ohinemutu, Tauranga.
‡Okato, Taranaki.
†Onehunga, Eden.
Ophir, Vincent.
Opotiki, Whakatane.
Opunake, Taranaki.
Orari, Geraldine.
Oreti, Southland.
Otago Heads, Peninsula.
Otahuhu, Manukau.
†Otaki, Manawatu.
Otautau, Wallace.
Outram, Taieri.
Owake, Clutha.
Oxford, Ashley.
Pahi, Rodney.
†Palmerston, Waikouaiti.
†Palmerston N., Manawatu.
Papatoitoi, Manukau.
†Patea, Patea.
Penrose, Eden.
†Picton, Marlborough.
Pokeno, Manukau.
†Porangahau, Waipawa.
Port Albert, Rodney.
†Port Chalmers, Waikouaiti.
Portobello, Waikouaiti.
Pukekohe, Manukau.
Pukeuri Junction, Waitaki.
Queenstown, Lake.
Rahotu.
Rakaia, Ashburton.
Rangiora, Ashley.
Rangitata South, Ashburton.
†Reefton, Inangahua.
Richmond, Waimea.
Riverhead, Waitemata.
Riverton, Wallace.
Rolleston, Selwyn.
Rolleston Railway, Selwyn.
Ross, Westland.
Roxburgh, Tuapeka.
Russell, Bay of Islands.
Sanson, Manawatu.
Sefton, Ashley.
Sheffield, Selwyn.
Southbridge, Selwyn.
Spit, Hawke's Bay.
Springfield, Selwyn.
Springston, Selwyn.
St. Andrews, Waimate.
St. Bathans, Maniototo.
Stirling, Bruce.
Stratford, Taranaki.
Studholme Junc., Waimate.
Sydenham, Selwyn.
Takaka, Collingwood.
Takapau, Waipawa.
Tapanui, Tuapeka.
†Tarawera, Wairoa.
†Taupo, East Taupo.
†Tauranga, Tauranga.
†Te Awamutu, Waipa.
†Temuka, Geraldine.
†Te Nui, Wairarapa East.
Thornbury, Southland.
†Timaru, Geraldine.
†Tokomairiro, Bruce.
†Tophouse, Waimea.
†Turakina, Rangitikei.
†Upper Hutt, Hutt.
†Uretara, Tauranga.
Waiau, Amuri.
Waihola, Bruce.
Waikaia, Southland.
Waikari, Ashley.
Waikouaiti, Waikouaiti.
Waimate, Waimate.
†Wainui, Waipawa.
Waipahi, Southland.
Waipawa, Waipawa.
Waipu, Wangarei.
†Waipukurau, Waipawa.

LIST OF TELEGRAPH STATIONS—*continued.*

†Wairoa, Wairoa.
Waitahuna, Tuapeka.
Waitaki, Waitaki.
Waitara, Taranaki.
Waitati, Waikouaiti.
Waitotara, Patea.
Waiuku, Manukau.
Waiwera, Rodney.
*†Wakapuaka, Waimea.
Wakefield, Waimea.
†Wanganui, Wanganui.
Wangarei, Wangarei.
Whangaroa, Mongonui.
Warkworth, Rodney.
Washdyke, Geraldine.
Waverley, Patea.
†*Wellington, Hutt.
Wellington Railway, Hutt.
†Westport, Buller.
†*White's Bay, Sounds.
Winchester, Geraldine.
Winslow, Ashburton.
Winton, Southland.
Woodlands, Southland.
Woodville, Waipawa.
Worser's Bay, Hutt.
Wyndham, Southland.

* The Stations marked with an asterisk are open from 8 a.m. till 8 p.m.; all others from 9 a.m. till 5 p.m., except Onehunga and Riverton, which open at 8 a.m. and close at 5 p.m., and Government Buildings, which opens at 10 a.m. and closes at 4.30 p.m., except on Saturdays, when it closes at 2 p.m. This Station is also closed on Sundays.

† On Sundays and public holidays the office hours at the stations marked † are from 10 a.m. till 10.30 a.m., and from 5 p.m. till 5.30 p.m.; at all other stations from 5 p.m. till 5.30 p.m. only.

‡ Open for defence purposes only.

In addition to the ordinary hours, the following Stations are open for the transaction of general business, as under (Sundays and Holidays excepted):—

Blenheim	From 7 p.m. till 8 p.m. daily; and 10 p.m. Tuesdays and Fridays during session.
Greymouth	From 7 p.m. till 7.30 p.m. daily.
Hamilton	From 7 30 p.m. till 10 p.m. Monday, Wednesday, and Friday.
Hokitika	From 7 p.m. till 7.30 p.m. daily.
Kawakawa	From 7·30 p.m. till 8 p.m. every Friday.
Kumara	From 7.30 p.m. till 8 p.m. daily.
Oamaru	From 7 p.m. till 8 p.m. daily.
Reefton	From 7.30 p.m. till 8 p.m. daily.
Ross	From 7.30 p.m. till 8 p.m. daily.
Timaru	From 7 p.m. till 8 p.m. daily.
Wanganui	From 7 p.m. till 8 p.m. daily.
Westport	From 7.30 p.m. till 8 p.m. daily.

For the convenience of the Press, the following Stations are open for the receipt and despatch of Press Messages on the days and hours given opposite the name of each Station:—

Akaroa	From 7.30 p.m. till 8 p.m. every Monday and Thursday.
Arrow	From 7 p.m. till 7.30 p.m. every Wednesday.
Ashburton	From 7.30 p.m. till 8.30 p.m. every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday.
Balclutha	From 7.30 p.m. till 8 p.m. every Thursday.
Cambridge	From 7.30 p.m. till 8 p.m. every Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday.
Charleston	From 7.30 p.m. till 8 p.m. every Tuesday and Friday.
Clyde	From 7 p.m. till 8 p.m. every Thursday.
Cromwell	From 7.30 p.m. till 8 p.m. every Monday.
Feilding	From 7 p.m. till 7.30 p.m. every Tuesday and Friday.
Foxton	From 7 p.m. till 7.30 p.m. every Monday and Thursday.
Gisborne	From 7.30 p.m. till 8 p.m. daily.
Gore	From 7.30 p.m. till 8 p.m. every Thursday.
Greytown	From 7 p.m. till 7.30 p.m. every Friday.
Hamilton	From 8 p.m. till 10 p.m. every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday.
Hawera	From 7 p.m. till 7.30 p.m., every Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday.
Lawrence	From 7.30 p.m. till 8 p.m. every Tuesday and Friday.
Maketu	From 7.30 p.m. till 8 p.m. every Tuesday and Friday.
Marton	From 7 p.m. till 7.30 p.m. every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday.
Masterton	From 7.30 p.m. till 8 p.m. daily.
Mataura	From 7.30 p.m. till 8 p.m. every Thursday.
Naseby	From 7.30 p.m. till 8 p.m. every Friday.
Nelson	From 8 p.m. till 9 p.m. every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday.
Opotiki	From 7 p.m. till 7.30 p.m. every Tuesday and Friday.
Palmerston North	From 7 p.m. till 7.30 p.m. every Tuesday and Friday.
Patea	From 7 p.m. till 8 p.m. every Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday.
Picton	From 7 p.m. till 7.30 p.m. every Thursday.
Queenstown	From 7.30 p.m. till 8 p.m. every Thursday.
Riverton	From 7 p.m. till 8 p.m. every Friday.
Tapanui	From 7 p.m. till 8 p.m. every Tuesday.
Tauranga	From 7.30 p.m. till 8 p.m. every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday.
Temuka	From 7 p.m. till 7.30 p.m. every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday.
Tokomairiro	From 7.30 p.m. till 8 p.m. every Monday and Thursday.

Waimate .....From 7.30 p.m. till 8 p.m. every Tuesday and Friday.
Waikouaiti .....From 7.30 p.m. till 8 p.m. every Tuesday.
Waipawa.....From 7.30 p.m. till 8 p.m. every Tuesday and Friday.
Wairoa .....From 7 p.m. till 7.30 p.m. every Tuesday and Friday.
Wangarei .....From 7.30 p.m. till 8 p.m. every Tuesday.

TARIFF RATES IN NEW ZEALAND.

ORDINARY TELEGRAMS.

From any Station to any Station:—

For the first 10 words	1s. 0d.
For every additional word	0s. 1d.

On Sundays, double the above rates.

PRESS TELEGRAMS.

From any Station to any Station:—

Between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. (week days),—

For the first 10 words or fraction of 10 words ...	0s. 6d.
For every additional word	0s. ½d.

EVENING RATES.

Between the hours of 5 p.m. and 8 p.m. (week days):—

For the first 25 words or fraction of 25 words ...	0s. 6d.
For every additional 25 words or fraction of 25 words after the first 25	0s. 3d.

Papers publishing before 5 p.m. each day, in addition to Australian or San Francisco Mail telegrams, will be allowed to receive at any period of the day telegrams amounting in the aggregate to 1,500 words, and will be charged for the same at Evening rates; any excess over the 1,500 words to be paid for at the rates in force between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.

On Sundays, double the above rates.

No charge will be made for address and signature up to 10 words; every word over 10 will be charged for at Tariff rates.

CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH TELEGRAMS ARE TRANSMITTED, AND TARIFF RATES FOR PLACES BEYOND THE AUSTRALIAN COLONIES.

CONDITIONS.

The following are the conditions under which messages will be transmitted on and after 1st April, 1880:—

1. No responsibility is accepted for any delay or errors in the transmission of telegrams, nor for the non-delivery of telegrams from whatever cause arising. Every care, however, will be taken to insure both accuracy in transit and speed in delivery.

MODE OF WRITING AND ACCEPTANCE OF TELEGRAMS.

2. All telegrams should be legibly written.

3. Telegrams may be written in plain language, in code language, or in secret language (*langage chiffré*).

4. Telegrams in plain language must present a clear meaning in any one of the languages allowed to be used for telegraphic purposes.

5. By code language is understood the employment of words which are to be found in vocabularies, but not arranged to form intelligible phrases.

6. Telegrams in code languages may contain words belonging to any one or to all of the following languages, but to no others, viz., English, French, German, Italian, Dutch, Portuguese, Spanish, and Latin.

7. Proper names of persons and places in the text of code messages must be used only in their natural sense.

8. The Government has the right to ask for the production of code vocabularies should any word in a telegram appear open to question.

9. Secret-language telegrams may be composed of cyphers, or they may contain series or groups of figures, the signification of which shall be unknown to the sending station, or they may be written in languages not admitted under paragraphs 6, 7, 8. Secret-language telegrams are charged in accordance with paragraph 25.

10. Telegrams composed of secret letters are not admitted.

REGISTRATION OF ADDRESSES.

11. The Government will, at any of its stations, register free of charge the names and addresses of firms receiving messages, so that this information may be given in two words, but not less than two words, thus, "Ariel, Singapore." This registration can only be effected locally. If a firm in Singapore should desire to register a code address in any other place, they must instruct their correspondents in the town where the registration is to be effected to make the necessary application at the telegraph office.

12. The name of the sender of a message need not necessarily be transmitted. Every message form, however, must be signed either by the sender or his representative.

COUNTING AND CHARGING OF TELEGRAMS.

13. Messages are charged according to a tariff per word, including the names and addresses of the sender and receiver.

14. The maximum length of a single word is fixed at ten letters, any additional letters being counted and charged for as extra words, at the rate of ten letters to the word.

Examples—Responsibility (14 letters) ... ... 2 words.
Irresponsibility (16 letters) ... ... 2 words.

15. Expressions joined by a hyphen are counted according to the number of words employed in their formation.

16. Words separated by an apostrophe are counted as so many separate words.

17. Proper names of places and persons, names of places, streets, boulevards, and titles, as well as numbers written in words, are counted according to the number of words used to express them, the limitation as to the number of letters in words being always applied.

18. Any instruction the sender may have to give as to the delivery at destination, prepayment of reply, or cost of repetition or acknowledgment of receipt, should be written before the address of the messages. These indications may be given in the following abbreviated form, when they will be counted as one word only:—

RP Answer paid.
TC Repetition paid.
CR Acknowledgment of receipt.
PP Postage paid.
XP Express paid.

19. Every rectifying or completing telegram, and generally every communication exchanged between the sender and receiver, or by one or the other of them, with a telegraphic office in respect to a telegram already transmitted or in course of transmission, must be paid for. The charge made will be reimbursed if the communication has arisen under the circumstances mentioned in paragraphs 34 and 35.

20. Illegitimate compound words—that is, words combined in a manner contrary to the usage of the language—are not accepted. Abbreviated and misspelt words are inadmissible.

21. The following examples denote the manner of counting, charging, and signalling compound words:—

		Words.			Words.
Linendraper	(11 letters) ...	2	Linen-draper	... ...	2
Shipbroker	(10 letters) ...	1	Ship-broker	... ...	2
Frostbitten	(11 letters) ...	2	Frost-bitten	... ...	2
Ironworks	(9 letters) ...	1	Iron-works	... ...	2
Tomorrow	(8 letters) ...	1	To-morrow	... ...	2
Today	(5 letters) ...	1	To-day	... ...	2
Aujourdhui	(10 letters) ...	1	Aujourd'hui	... ...	2
Oclock	(6 letters) ...	1	O'clock	... ...	2
Macdonald	(9 letters) ...	1	McDonald	... ...	2
Dejersey	(8 letters) ...	1	De-jersey	... ...	3
Delarue	(7 letters) ...	1	De la rue	... ...	2
Oneill	(6 letters) ...	2	O'Neill	... ...	3
Vandebrande	(11 letters) ...	1	Van de Brande	... ...	2
Newzealand	(10 letters) ...		New-Zealand	...	

Newyork	(7 letters)	... 1	New-York	...	..
Saintalbans	(11 letters)	... 2	St. Albans	... .	... 2
Debeauvoir	(10 letters)	... 1	De Beauvoir	...	... 2
Charterhouse	(11 letters)	... 2	Charter House	...	.. 2
Saintjames	(10 letters)	... 1	Saint-James	...	. 2

22. The amounts twopence, threepence, &c., and the words "fob" (made up of the initials of "free on board") "cif" ("cost insurance freight,") and "cfi" ("cost freight insurance"), if written together must be accepted and charged for as one word.

23. If written separately or joined by a hyphen, two-pence, &c., up to eleven-pence, must be counted as two words, and "F.O.B.," "C.I.F.," and "C.F.I.," as three words.

24. "Elevenpence," consisting as it does of 11 letters, must be charged for as two words.

25. Every separate character, whether figure, or letter, or under-line, must be counted and charged for as one word. Every group of three figures, or less, must be counted and charged for as one word. Larger groups must be charged for at the rate of three figures per word, plus one word for any excess. Words or names not admitted under paragraphs 6 and 7, will be counted and charged for in the same way as groups of figures.

26. Bars of division, decimal points, commas, and stops used in the formation of numbers will each be counted as a figure.

27. Letters added to figures to form ordinal numbers will each be counted as a figure.

28. An underline must be counted and charged for as a word. Signs of punctuation (except when used in conjunction with figures), apostrophes, hyphens, inverted commas, and parentheses, *will not be counted, charged for, or transmitted.*

29. Examples of counting under the preceding paragraphs :—

		Words.			Words.
E must be counted as	...	... 1	Send <u>messenger</u> today <u>without fail</u> must be counted as	...	... 7
E.M.	,,	 2	44·45	,, ...	... 2
25	,,	 1	444·56	,, ...	... 2
250000	,,	 2	2°/₀	,, ...	... 2
5 bis	,,	 2	2 p°/₀	,, ...	... 3
44/	,,	 1	£10 10	,, ...	... 3
44/2	,,	 2	£10 10*s.*	,, ...	... 4
44½	,,	 2	17th	,, ...	... 2
444½	,,	 2	1725th	,, ...	.. 2
A-t-il	,,	 3	Eight/10	,, ...	. . 2
<u>Come</u>	,,	 2	Le 17me	,, ...	... 3
Come quickly	,,	 2	Le 1529me	,, ...	... 3
			C'est-a-dire	,, ...	... 4

30. The sender is responsible for any expense which may be incurred in the delivery of a message beyond the receiving station. He is also responsible for the consequences of giving an incomplete or incorrect address.

REPEATED OR COLLATED TELEGRAMS.

31. To insure greater accuracy in transmission, the sender may have his message repeated from station to station on payment of half the usual rates additional.

32. The words "repetition paid," or the abbreviation "T.C." must be inscribed immediately after the receiver's address, and is charged for.

RECTIFYING TELEGRAMS.

33. The receiver of a message suspecting an error in transmission may have the whole or any part repeated on payment of the cost of a message demanding the repetition and a reply containing as many words as are required to be repeated. The sender can also have the whole or any portion of his message repeated on payment of the price of the telegram he forwards and of the reply if one be required.

34. These charges will only be returned if the repetition asked for relates to a prepaid *repeated or collated message* which the repetition proves to have suffered mutilation in transmission.

35. To obtain reimbursement it will be necessary to fill up a form of reclamation, to be had on application at any telegraph office.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RECEIPT.

36. The date and hour at which a message has been delivered will be notified to the sender by wire if he inserts the words "acknowledgment paid" or the abbreviation "CR." immediately after the receiver's address, paying the charge for 10 words.

PREPAID REPLIES.

37. The reply to a message can be prepaid, the sender determining its length, *which must not exceed thirty words.* The indication "reply prepaid" or "RP" will have to be inserted after the receiver's address, and paid for: this indication will represent the prepayment of a reply of ten words. If a longer or shorter reply be expected the number of words prepaid for the reply must be added thus, "RP fifteen words," or "RP three words:" this instruction counting as three words.

38. The sum prepaid for reply will be held for a period of six weeks at the disposition of the receiver of the original message to cover the cost of his reply.

39. Should the reply contain more words than have been prepaid, the sender of the reply must pay the excess charge.

40. If the original message cannot be delivered, or if the receiver refuse to send a reply, the delivery or terminal station will, on demand, at the end of six weeks, repay the amount deposited to the office of origin, by whom it will be returned to the sender of the original telegram.

MULTIPLE MESSAGES.

41. Messages may be addressed to several receivers in the same place, or to the same receiver at several residences in the same place.

42. Telegrams addressed to several receivers or to the same receiver in different towns are, in all cases, charged as so many separate telegrams.

43. Telegrams addressed to several persons in the same town or the same person at several addresses in the same town, with or without re-expedition by post, will bear only a single charge, with an extra tax of fivepence for every copy not exceeding 100 words, and fivepence additional for every extra 100 words.

Multiple messages are not accepted for North or South America.

MESSAGES BY WIRE AND POST.

44. Telegrams for places beyond the limits of the telegraph system must bear the indication "express" or "post paid" in the following form: "Miller, Steigletz, express, Berlin," "Gordon, Mauritius, post Aden," the name of the terminal or delivery station being last stated.

45. The public wishing to supplement or modify the contents of letters already despatched to distant places can address a telegram to their correspondents for transmission by wire to any port on the route, to be posted thence to destination; if addressed in the following manner, "—— Calcutta, post——": the Government will not, however, be responsible should any telegram fail to arrive in time to catch the steamer by which it is intended to be forwarded.

SECRET-LETTER MESSAGES

46. Telegrams composed of secret letters (such as b x k l m) cannot be taken.

REIMBURSEMENTS.

47. When a telegram has suffered a delay of 144 hours from any other cause than an interruption of the telegraph lines, the charges will be returned after investigation, provided they be applied for on a reclamation form within six months after date.

48. The cost of a repeated or collationné message which has been mutilated in such a way as to alter its sense will also be returned, but no reimbursement will be made for errors *in ordinary or unrepeated messages.*

49. Should a telegram fail to reach its destination owing to any neglect on the part of the telegraph service, the charge for its transmission will be refunded.

50. The receiver of a message may present a claim for reimbursement on behalf of the sender.

URGENT MESSAGES.

51. Telegrams may be forwarded marked "urgent" for which three rates are charged.

CYPHER MESSAGES.

52. Cypher telegrams must be collated, that is, repeated back in their entirety from station to station. Half rate extra is charged for collating.

TARIFF RATES.

To the under-mentioned rates add for New Zealand and Australian Cable rates 1s. 2d. per word.

—	Price per Word. £	s.	d.
Aden direct	0	10	3
„ *viâ* Hong Kong	1	0	0
China—Hong Kong	0	8	1
„ Shanghai and Amoy	0	9	9
„ *viâ* Suez	0	19	0
„ Cochin China	0	6	10
Egypt and Cyprus	0	11	6
Europe direct	0	10	8
Europe, *viâ* Hong Kong	0	16	5
India, *viâ* Madras—			
West of Chittagong	0	7	11
East of Chittagong and Ceylon	0	8	1
Native Burmah	0	8	3
India, *viâ* Rangoon—			
West of Chittagong	0	8	1
East of Chittagong	0	7	11
Ceylon	0	8	4
Native Burmah	0	8	1
India, *viâ* Hong Kong—			
West of Chittagong	0	18	7
East of Chittagong and Ceylon	0	18	10
Japan—Other places	0	12	4

—	Price per Word. £	s.	d.
Java	0	4	3
Malacca, *viâ* Singapore	0	5	7
„ *viâ* Penang	0	6	5
Manilla	0	9	11
Penang	0	5	7
Persia, *viâ* Kurrachee	0	10	1
Persian Gulf—Bushire	0	9	3
„ Gwadur, Jask, and Henjam	0	9	3
Russia in Asia—1st Region	0	11	9
„ „ 2nd Region	0	12	8
„ Europe and Caucasus, *viâ* Teheran... ...	0	10	10
„ Asia, *viâ* Teheran, 1st and 2nd Regions ...	0	11	8
Singapore	0	5	7
Turkey in Asia, *viâ* Suez—			
Islands (except Rhodes)	0	11	7
Rhodes	0	10	10
1st Region	0	11	2
2nd Region	0	11	5
Chios, *viâ* Tyra cable	0	10	8
Turkey in Europe and Islands, *viâ* Fao	0	9	10
„ Asia—1st Region	0	9	5
„ „ 2nd Region	0	9	8

AFRICA.

Zanzibar	14s. 3d. per word.
Mozambique and Delagoa Bay	15s. 4d. „
Natal—Durban	15s. 3d. „
Natal—Other places	15s. 9d. per word.
Cape Colony—Transvaal and Orange Free State	15s. 9d. „

Messages for Mauritius to be posted from the Cape should be addressed "Post Durban," not "Natal."

Telegrams intended for the Colony of Natal should be addressed to Durban, or the town for which they are intended. If addressed "Natal" only, they run the risk of delay.

SOUTH AMERICA.

Telegrams can be accepted for the following places in South America, to be transmitted *via* New York and the West Indies. They are forwarded by telegraph to Panama, from thence by post to Lima or Callao, and then telegraphed to destination. The words "Mail Panama Wire Lima" must be inserted and paid for as far as Panama, but are not charged for beyond. The charge will be as follows :—(1.) The rate from London to Panama, 11s. 6d. per word. (2.) Postage from Panama to Lima or Callao, 1s. (3.) The rate from Lima or Callao to destination, viz. :—

—	Price per Word. £	s.	d.
Peru—Mollendo, Islay, Arequipa, Puno	0	4	2
„ Arica, Tacna	0	6	3
„ Iquique	0	8	3
Chili—Caldera	0	9	8
„ La Serano, Coquimbo	0	11	0
„ Valparaiso and all other places	0	12	5

—	Price per Word. £	s.	d.
Argentine Republic—Buenos Ayres and all other places ...	0	14	3
Uruguay—Monte Video and all other places	0	17	7
Brazil—Rio Grande du Sol	1	1	2
„ Santa Catarina...	1	2	6
„ Para, Pernambuco, Bahia, Rio de Janeiro, Santos, and all other places	1	4	7

Steamers leave Panama for Callao every Wednesday, the passage occupying about ten days.

During the continuance of the Peruvian and Chilian war all telegrams for Chili are intercepted and examined at Valparaiso. Telegrams can only be accepted at the risk of the senders, and the amounts paid for any that may be stopped cannot be refunded.

POSTAGES.

In future the postage on telegrams for places out of Europe has been fixed as follows :—From Portugal and Gibraltar, 10*d.* ; from Madeira, St. Vincent, and South America, 1s. ; from Great Britain, 1s. 3d ; and from all other places, including China, 1s. 6d.

NORTH AMERICA.

To Places situated in the following States :—

—	Price per Word. s.	d.
Alabama	13	1
Arizona	13	6
Arkansas	13	4
California	13	6
Canada, East and West ...	12	8
Cape Breton	12	8
Carolina, North and South	13	1
Colorado Territory ...	13	6
Columbia, District of ...	12	10
Columbia, British ...	14	2
Connecticut	12	8
Dakota Territory ...	13	6
Delaware	12	10
Florida—		
Lake City	13	1
Pensacola	13	1
St. Mark's	13	1
Tallahassee	13	1

—	Price per Word. s.	d.
Florida—*continued.*		
All other places ...	14	2
Georgia	13	1
Idaho Territory ...	13	6
Illinois	12	11
Indiana	12	11
Indian Territory ...	13	4
Iowa	13	4
Kansas Territory ...	13	4
Kentucky	12	11
Louisiana	13	4
Maine	12	8
Manitoba Territory ...	13	6
Maryland	12	10
Massachusetts ...	12	8
Mexico—		
Matamoras ...	13	6
All other places ...	15	4

—	Price per Word. s.	d.
Michigan	12	11
Minnesota	13	4
Mississippi	13	1
Missouri—		
St. Louis	12	11
All other places ...	13	4
Montana Territory ...	13	6
Nebraska Territory ...	13	4
Nevada Territory ...	13	6
New Brunswick ...	12	8
Newfoundland ...	12	2
New Hampshire ...	12	8
New Jersey	12	10
New Mexico	13	6
New Orleans ...	13	1
New York—		
New York and Brooklyn	12	8
All other places ...	12	10

—	Price per Word. s.	d.
Nova Scotia	12	8
Ohio	12	11
Oregon	13	6
Pennsylvania ...	12	10
Prince Edward Island ...	12	8
Rhode Island ...	12	8
St. Pierre, Miquelon ...	12	2
Tennessee	13	1
Texas	13	4
Utah Territory ...	13	6
Vancouver's Island ...	14	2
Vermont	12	8
Virginia	12	11
Virginia, West ...	12	11
Washington Territory ...	13	6
Wisconsin—Milwaukee ...	12	11
All other places ...	13	4
Wyoming	13	6

WEST INDIES.

The word rate is now adopted for telegrams to these stations: the charges are in addition to the rates from New Zealand. From Sydney to places situated in West India Islands, &c.

—	Price per Word. £ s. d.	—	Price per Word. £ s. d.	—	Price per Word. £ s. d.
Antigua ...	1 2 8	Cuba—Santiago ...	0 15 11	Grenada ...	1 4 5
Barbadoes ...	1 4 6	All other stations ...	0 15 0	Guadaloupe ...	1 3 1
Berbice ...	1 6 9	„ Guantanamo ...	0 16 2	Jamaica ...	0 18 3
Colon (Aspinwall), Isthmus of Panama ...	1 1 4	„ Manzanillo ...	0 16 2	Martinique ...	1 3 6
Cuba—Havanna ...	0 14 9	Demerara ...	1 6 8	Panama, Isthmus of ...	1 2 2
„ Cienfuegos ...	0 15 6	Dominica ...	1 3 3	Porto Rico ...	1 1 7
				St. Croix ...	1 1 11
				St. Kitts ...	1 2 5
				St. Lucia ...	1 3 9
				St. Thomas ...	1 1 8
				St. Vincent ...	1 4 0
				Trinidad ...	1 4 11

EXAMPLE for charging for message to London— *John Williamson, Windsor Castle, London.*
Remit cash per Suez Mail.
JOHN THOMPSON.

	£ s. d.
Charges from Sydney to London, 12 words at 10s. 8d. ...	6 8 0
„ Australian Cable Rates to—	
Sydney, 1s. per word ...	0 12 0
„ New Zealand Rates, 2d. per word ...	0 2 0
	£7 2 0

THE following notice has been received from the General Post Office, London:—

REGISTRATION OF ABBREVIATED ADDRESSES.

General Post Office, London, 1872.

1. On and after this date, a register will be opened at the Central Telegraph Station for the registration of the full address, at which telegrams reaching London from the provinces, or from abroad, and marked with an abbreviated or arbitrary address, are to be delivered.

2. The charge for registration will be one guinea per annum, payable in advance, and will become due on the 1st of August in each year. The payment made during the current year will cover the period to the 31st July, 1873.

3. For an address registered in London, the fee of one guinea should be remitted by means of a cheque on a London Bank, crossed "Bank of England," in favour of the Postmaster-General or order, or by Post Office order payable at the Chief Office, London.

4. On and from the 1st of October next, the Postmaster-General will not undertake the delivery of any telegrams at addresses which are not either full and complete, or which have not been registered at the General Post Office, or which cannot be traced in the Post Office London Directory, whether the record of the actual address has already been notified to the Post Office or not.

5. In the provinces, and in Scotland and Ireland, the addressees of telegrams may have their addresses registered at the Chief Office of the Town in which they reside, upon payment at that office of the registration fee.

Persons in New Zealand desirous of availing themselves of the arrangement above notified should request their correspondents in the United Kingdom to register any abbreviated address that may be agreed upon, at the Chief Office of the Town in which they reside.

REPETITION OF MESSAGES *VIA* JAVA CABLE.

Notice has been received from the Agent of the British Australian Telegraph Company in Adelaide, South Australia, that messages sent *viâ* the Java Cable may be repeated back, to insure accuracy, at one-half the usual rate for transmission.

NOTICES.

Postage to Aden, Cape Town, any part of China or Japan, and Manilla, 1s. 6d.

Messages for Manilla may be sent "Post Singapore," or "Post Hong Kong"—these words being added to the receiver's address, and charged for.

The Telegraph Companies register names and addresses of telegraph correspondents free of charge at all their stations, and in London at 74, Old Broad Street, 8, Leadenhall Street, and 42, Finsbury Circus.

The postage on telegrams for places out of Europe has been fixed as follows:—From Portugal and Gibraltar, 10d.; from Madeira, St. Vincent, and South America, 1s.; from Great Britain, 1s. 3d.; and from all other places, including China, 1s. 6d.

NOTE.—Two routes are available for telegraphic communication between the Colonies and the United Kingdom, &c., the one by submarine cable *viâ* Suez, Gibraltar, and Falmouth; the other *viâ* Teheran in Persia. The sender of a telegram is at liberty to prescribe (without charge) by which of the above routes he may wish his telegram transmitted.

RULES FOR COUNTING, ETC.

The rules for counting Telegrams will be the same as those in force in New Zealand, as per "General Rules for Counting," issued 8th May, 1872, no contractions such as "can't," "don't," &c., now being allowed, with this exception,—that words consisting of more than ten letters must be dealt with as indicated in paragraph 1, under the head of "Conditions," notified herein.

TARIFF OF RATES UNDER WHICH TELEGRAMS ARE TRANSMITTED TO PLACES WITHIN THE AUSTRALIAN COLONIES.

TARIFF RATES TO VICTORIA.

NEW ZEALAND RATES:—

First 10 words, 6d., and 1d. each additional word; address and signature free up to 10 words.

AUSTRALIAN CABLE AND RATE TO VICTORIA:—

First 10 words, 8s., and 9d. each additional word; address and signature counted in message.

Example for charging for Telegram to Victoria.

Robert Johnson, 99 Collins Street, Melbourne.

Ship goods per first steamer.

JOHN READ.

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Charges 13 words.		
„ Australian cable, &c., first 10 words	0 8 0	0 10 3
„ 3 words additional at 9d.	0 2 3	
„ New Zealand rates (5 words in body of message charged as 10, address and signature up to 10 words free)		0 0 6
Total		£0 10 9

TARIFF RATES TO SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

NEW ZEALAND RATES:—

First 10 words, 6d., and 1d. each additional word; address and signature free up to 10 words.

AUSTRALIAN CABLE AND RATE TO SOUTH AUSTRALIA:—

First 10 words, 8s., and 9d. each additional word; address and signature counted in message.

Example for charging for Telegram to South Australia.

William Brooks, Queen Street, Adelaide.

Ship one hundred tons flour.

ARCHIBALD ROSS.

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Charges 12 words.		
„ Australian cable, &c., first 10 words	0 8 0	0 9 6
„ 2 words, additional, at 9d.	0 1 6	
„ New Zealand rates		0 0 6
Total		0 10 0

TARIFF RATES AND LIST OF STATIONS ON OVERLAND LINE TO PORT DARWIN.

NEW ZEALAND RATES:—

First 10 words, 6d., and 1d. each additional word; address and signature free up to 10 words.

AUSTRALIAN CABLE AND RATES AS UNDER.

	Ten Words.		Each additional Word.	
	s.	d.	s.	d.
Alice Springs	13	3	1	2
Barrow's Creek	14	0	1	3
Charlotte Waters...	12	0	1	1
Daly Waters	17	0	1	6
Katherine	18	0	1	6
Peake	10	0	0	11
Pine Creek	18	0	1	6
Port Darwin	18	0	1	6
Powell Creek	16	0	1	5
Strangway's Springs	10	0	0	11
Southport	18	0	1	6
Tennant's Creek	15	0	1	4
Yam Creek	18	0	1	6

Address and signature counted in message.

Example for charging for Message for any Station on Overland Line to Port Darwin.

William Brassey, Barrow's Creek.

Forward me draft for amount due per first mail.

CHARLES LENNOX.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Charges 15 words.						
„ Australian cable, &c., first 10 words	0	14	0	1	0	3
„ 5 words additional, at 1s. 3d.	0	6	3			
„ New Zealand rates				0	0	6
Total				£1	0	9

TARIFF RATES TO NEW SOUTH WALES.

NEW ZEALAND RATES:—

First 10 words, 6d., and 1d. each additional word; address and signature free up to 10 words.

AUSTRALIAN CABLE, AND RATES TO SYDNEY:—

First ten words, 6s. 6d.; every additional word, 7½d.

To all other places in New South Wales—

First 10 words, 7s.; every additional word, 8d.

Address and signature to Sydney, and all other places in New South Wales, counted in message.

Examples for charging for Messages to New South Wales.

Henry Gibson, Princess Street, Sydney.

Forward sugar per first steamer.

HENRY YOUNG.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Charges 12 words.						
„ Australian cable, &c., first 10 words	0	6	6	0	7	9
„ 2 words additional, at 7½d.	0	1	3			
„ New Zealand rates				0	0	6
Total				£0	8	3

William Smith, Berrima.

Ship potatoes as soon as possible.

HENRY JERVIS.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Charges 11 words.						
„ Australian cable, &c., first 10 words	0	7	0	0	7	8
„ 1 word additional	0	0	8			
„ New Zealand rates				0	0	6
Total				£0	8	2

TARIFF RATES TO QUEENSLAND.

NEW ZEALAND RATES:—

First 10 words, 6d., and 1d. each additional word; address and signature free up to 10 words.

AUSTRALIAN CABLE AND RATE TO QUEENSLAND:—

First 10 words, 8s., each additional word, 9d.; address and signature counted in message.

Example for charging for Message to Queensland.

John Smith, Brisbane.

Can you come by next steamer.

ALEXANDER MONRO.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Charges 11 words.						
„ Australian cable, &c., first 10 words	0	8	0	0	8	9
„ 1 word additional	0	0	9			
New Zealand rates				0	0	6
Total				£0	9	3

TARIFF RATES TO TASMANIA.

NEW ZEALAND RATES:—

First 10 words, 6d., and 1d. each additional word; address and signature free up to 10 words.

AUSTRALIAN CABLE AND RATES ON TASMANIAN LAND LINE, TASMANIAN CABLE CHARGES INCLUSIVE:—

First 10 words, 13s.; each additional word, 1s. 3d.

Example for charging for Message to Tasmania.

William Henry Jones, jun., Castle Street, Launceston.

Send one thousand cases mixed apples as quickly as possible.

HENRY JONES & Co.

Charges 21 words (11 words in address, 10 words in body).

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
„ Australian cable and Tasmanian land line, &c., first 10 words	0	13	0	1	6	9
„ 11 words additional, at 1s. 3d.	0	13	9			
„ New Zealand rates (10 words in body of message) ...	0	0	6	0	0	7
„ 1 word additional in address (all words over 10 in address and signature charged for)	0	0	1			
Total				£1	7	4

Direct communication is now established with Western Australia.

TARIFF RATES TO WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

NEW ZEALAND RATES:—

First 10 words, 6d., and 1d. each additional word; address and signature free up to 10 words.

AUSTRALIAN CABLE AND RATES TO WESTERN AUSTRALIA:—

First 10 words, 9s.; each additional word, 10d.; address and signature counted in message.

NEW ZEALAND
GOVERNMENT LIFE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT.

THE ONLY NEW ZEALAND LIFE INSURANCE OFFICE.

ASSURANCES IN FORCE EXCEED £4,100,000.
ANNUAL INCOME EXCEEDS £150,000.
ACCUMULATED FUND EXCEEDS £500,000.

INVIOLABLE SECURITY COMBINED WITH MUTUAL ASSURANCE AT MODERATE PREMIUMS.—Payment of every policy is guaranteed by the colony. The premiums are so low that an Assurance of £1,200 or £1,250 may be secured for the yearly payment which would generally assure only £1,000. The whole of the profits is by law divisible amongst the Policy-holders.

NO BUSINESS TRANSACTED OUT OF THE COLONY.—The full benefit of the low rate of mortality in New Zealand is thus secured, and the extra risks of inferior climates are avoided.

LIBERAL REGULATIONS.—Policy-holders of five years' standing may travel all over the world, or change their occupation, without extra charge.

POLICIES ARE NOT FORFEITED for non-payment of premiums as long as the surrender value is sufficient to pay the overdue premiums.

POLICIES that have existed for five years, and on which the age has been admitted, *are absolutely indisputable* and *unchallengeable.*

POLICY-HOLDERS MAY BORROW, on the security of their policies, 90 per cent. of the surrender value.

CLAIMS ARE PAID IMMEDIATELY after proof of death.

PROTECTION FROM BANKRUPTCY.—Policies after two years' duration are protected to the extent of £200; after five years, £500; after seven years, £1,000; after ten years, £2,000. Policies effected for the benefit of wife or children are protected to the extent of £2,000 from the date of issue.

EXAMPLES of the Low Rates of Premiums charged, with Participation in Profits.

Age next Birthday.	Premiums to secure £100, payable at Death.			Endowment Assurance.—Annual Premium to secure £100, to be paid as indicated, or at Death, if prior.			Age next Birthday.
	Annual Premium. Whole Life.	Annual Premiums to cease after 10 years.	Annual Premiums to cease after 20 years.	In 15 years.	In 25 years.	In 35 years.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
25	1 15 9	4 2 9	2 11 1	5 15 3	3 5 1	2 6 6	25
30	*2 0 10	*4 10 10	2 16 4	†5 16 8	3 7 0	2 9 3	30
35	2 7 2	5 0 0	3 2 7	5 18 4	3 9 7	2 13 2	35
40	2 15 2	5 10 7	3 10 0	6 0 9	3 13 6	2 19 0	40
45	3 5 11	6 3 5	3 19 7	6 4 9	3 19 10	...	45
50	4 0 2	6 18 10	4 12 1	6 10 11	4 9 7	...	50
55	4 19 4	7 17 5	5 8 8	7 1 0	...	...	55

* Example, Table I.—A person aged 30 may secure £1,000 at death by a yearly payment during life of £20 8s. 4d. This premium, if paid to private offices, would only secure a policy for about £850 instead of £1,000.

† Example.—A person aged 30 may secure £1,000, payable to himself if he survives 15 years, or to his family if he dies before the expiration of 15 years, by fifteen payments of £58 6s. 8d.

Under Table II. premiums may also be limited to five or fifteen payments.

Under Table III. Endowment Assurances may also be effected, payable in 10, 20, or 30 years.

Half-yearly and quarterly premiums under each table at proportionate slightly increased rates.

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There are branches of the Bank of New Zealand at all agencies marked thus *. Policy-holders remitting overdue premiums to the Head Office at Wellington may do so at par at any of the above-named branches of the Bank, on obtaining the proper form of Bank receipt from the local Agent.

Policy-holders leaving the colony to reside in Great Britain can, on application to the Head Office at Wellington, arrange to pay their premiums at the office of the Agent-General, 7, Westminster Chambers, Victoria Street, London, provided they do so *on or before the due date*, as no days of grace are allowed outside the colony.

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ESTABLISHED UNDER THE "PUBLIC TRUST OFFICE ACT, 1872."

Guaranteed by the State.

The Office undertakes the following Business:—

1. The Administration of all Intestate Estates of which Letters of Administration have not been granted to the widow or other person entitled, the realization and distribution of the personalty, the payment of the debts, and the care of the realty for the absent heir.

2. The Executorship of the Wills of persons who may appoint the Public Trustee their executor, and thus avoid the necessity which otherwise would exist of committing their friends to the responsibilities involved by such position.

3. The Administration of all kinds of Money Trusts, including Marriage Settlements and every kind of fund, the trusts of which are definitely set forth in the deed creating the Trust.

4. The Administration of the Estates of Lunatics and Lunatic Patients. This duty was transferred to the Public Trustee by "The Public Trust Office Act Amendment Act, 1873."

5. The Protection and Administration of all Lands lying waste, of which the owner is unknown, or has been absent from the colony for ten years without having left any known agent.

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For management of estates, including collection of rents and receipt of interest on investments	£1 10s. per cent. on the respective amounts, in addition to the usual charges for local agency, or to such charges as may be fixed at or before the time of the acceptance of the trust.
For disbursements under the several trusts, or incidental to the management of estates	
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For sale of property when directed to be sold by deed of trust will, and for realizing securities when required for distribution	
For receiving and recording wills deposited for safe custody	10s.
For delivering will to testator or his agent	Nil
For delivering will to testator and receiving and recording another will in lieu thereof	10s.
For investment of money in Government securities, or in such other way as may be directed by deed of trust or will,—	
If the amount does not exceed £1,000	10s. per cent.
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