



SUPPLEMENT
TO THE
NEW ZEALAND GAZETTE

OF
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Scale of Fares, Rates, and Charges on the New Zealand Government Railways.

THE New Zealand Railway Commissioners, in pursuance of the powers conferred by "The Government Railways Act, 1887," do hereby fix the following regulations and scale of fares, rates, and charges for the New Zealand Government railways, to come into force on the twenty-fourth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, from which date all previous scales are declared to be hereby revoked, save and except the sectional fares for Messrs. Cook and Son's tours, published in *Gazette* No. 46, of the 28th August, 1890; No. 16, of the 26th February, 1891; No. 28, of the 23rd April, 1891; No. 54, of the 7th July, 1892; No. 90, of the 23rd November, 1893; and No. 88, of the 6th December, 1894; and the special scale of fares, rates, and charges on the New Zealand Midland Railway Company's Railway.

The common seal of the New Zealand Railway Commissioners was hereunto affixed, this fifth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, in the presence of

JAMES MCKERROW,
T. RONAYNE,
JOHN L. SCOTT, } New Zealand Railway
Commissioners.

PART I.—PASSENGERS.

GENERAL FARES AND REGULATIONS.

1. TICKETS which entitle the holders to travel on the railways will be issued at the fares specified hereinafter.

Ordinary Tickets.

2. Ordinary tickets are to be obtained at the booking-office at stations where there are officers in charge; at flag-stations, where there are no officers in charge, they are to be obtained from the guard of the train:—

SCHEDULE OF FARES.					SCHEDULE OF FARES—continued.				
No. of Miles.	Fares.				No. of Miles.	Fares.			
	Single.		Return.			Single.		Return.	
	First.	Second.	First.	Second.		First.	Second.	First.	Second.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.		s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1	0 4	0 3	0 6	0 6	27	5 8	3 9	7 7	5 0
2	0 6	0 4	0 9	0 6	28	5 10	3 11	7 9	5 3
3	0 9	0 6	1 0	0 9	29	6 1	4 1	8 1	5 5
4	1 0	0 8	1 3	0 10	30	6 3	4 2	8 4	5 7
5	1 2	0 9	1 6	1 0	31	6 6	4 4	8 8	5 9
6	1 4	0 10	1 9	1 2	32	6 8	4 6	8 11	6 0
7	1 6	1 0	2 0	1 4	33	6 11	4 7	9 3	6 1
8	1 8	1 1	2 3	1 5	34	7 1	4 9	9 5	6 4
9	1 10	1 3	2 5	1 8	35	7 4	4 11	9 9	6 7
10	2 1	1 5	2 9	1 11	36	7 6	5 0	10 0	6 8
11	2 4	1 7	3 1	2 1	37	7 9	5 2	10 4	6 11
12	2 6	1 8	3 4	2 3	38	7 11	5 4	10 7	7 1
13	2 9	1 10	3 8	2 5	39	8 2	5 5	10 11	7 3
14	2 11	2 0	3 11	2 8	40	8 4	5 7	11 1	7 5
15	3 2	2 1	4 3	2 9	41	8 7	5 9	11 5	7 8
16	3 4	2 3	4 5	3 0	42	8 9	5 10	11 8	7 9
17	3 7	2 5	4 9	3 3	43	9 0	6 0	12 0	8 0
18	3 9	2 6	5 0	3 4	44	9 2	6 2	12 3	8 3
19	4 0	2 8	5 4	3 7	45	9 5	6 3	12 7	8 4
20	4 2	2 10	5 7	3 9	46	9 7	6 5	12 9	8 7
21	4 5	2 11	5 11	3 11	47	9 10	6 7	13 1	8 9
22	4 7	3 1	6 1	4 1	48	10 0	6 8	13 4	8 11
23	4 10	3 3	6 5	4 4	49	10 3	6 10	13 8	9 1
24	5 0	3 4	6 8	4 5	50	10 5	7 0	13 11	9 4
25	5 3	3 6	7 0	4 8	51	10 8	7 1	14 3	9 5
26	5 5	3 8	7 3	4 11	52	10 10	7 3	14 5	9 8

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SCHEDULE OF FARES—continued.					SCHEDULE OF FARES—continued.												
No. of Miles.	Fares.				No. of Miles.	Fares.											
	Single.		Return.			Single.		Return.									
	First.	Second.	First.	Second.		First.	Second.	First.	Second.								
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.							
53	11	1	7	5	14	9	9	11	113	23	7	15	9	31	5	21	0
54	11	3	7	6	15	0	10	0	114	23	9	15	10	31	8	21	1
55	11	6	7	8	15	4	10	3	115	24	0	16	0	32	0	21	4
56	11	8	7	10	15	7	10	5	116	24	2	16	2	32	3	21	7
57	11	11	7	11	15	11	10	7	117	24	5	16	3	32	7	21	8
58	12	1	8	1	16	1	10	9	118	24	7	16	5	32	9	21	11
59	12	4	8	3	16	5	11	0	119	24	10	16	7	33	1	22	1
60	12	6	8	4	16	8	11	1	120	25	0	16	8	33	4	22	3
61	12	9	8	6	17	0	11	4	121	25	3	16	10	33	8	22	5
62	12	11	8	8	17	3	11	7	122	25	5	17	0	33	11	22	8
63	13	2	8	9	17	7	11	8	123	25	8	17	1	34	3	22	9
64	13	4	8	11	17	9	11	11	124	25	10	17	3	34	5	23	0
65	13	7	9	1	18	1	12	1	125	26	1	17	5	34	9	23	3
66	13	9	9	2	18	4	12	3	126	26	3	17	6	35	0	23	4
67	14	0	9	4	18	8	12	5	127	26	6	17	8	35	4	23	7
68	14	2	9	6	18	11	12	8	128	26	8	17	10	35	7	23	9
69	14	5	9	7	19	3	12	9	129	26	11	17	11	35	11	23	11
70	14	7	9	9	19	5	13	0	130	27	1	18	1	36	1	24	1
71	14	10	9	11	19	9	13	3	131	27	4	18	3	36	5	24	4
72	15	0	10	0	20	0	13	4	132	27	6	18	4	36	8	24	5
73	15	3	10	2	20	4	13	7	133	27	9	18	6	37	0	24	8
74	15	5	10	4	20	7	13	9	134	27	11	18	8	37	3	24	11
75	15	8	10	5	20	11	13	11	135	28	2	18	9	37	7	25	0
76	15	10	10	7	21	1	14	1	136	28	4	18	11	37	9	25	3
77	16	1	10	9	21	5	14	4	137	28	7	19	1	38	1	25	5
78	16	3	10	10	21	8	14	5	138	28	9	19	2	38	4	25	7
79	16	6	11	0	22	0	14	8	139	29	0	19	4	38	8	25	9
80	16	8	11	2	22	3	14	11	140	29	2	19	6	38	11	26	0
81	16	11	11	3	22	7	15	0	141	29	5	19	7	39	3	26	1
82	17	1	11	5	22	9	15	3	142	29	7	19	9	39	5	26	4
83	17	4	11	7	23	1	15	5	143	29	10	19	11	39	9	26	7
84	17	6	11	8	23	4	15	7	144	30	0	20	0	40	0	26	8
85	17	9	11	10	23	8	15	9	145	30	3	20	2	40	4	26	11
86	17	11	12	0	23	11	16	0	146	30	5	20	4	40	7	27	1
87	18	2	12	1	24	3	16	1	147	30	8	20	5	40	11	27	3
88	18	4	12	3	24	5	16	4	148	30	10	20	7	41	1	27	5
89	18	7	12	5	24	9	16	7	149	31	1	20	9	41	5	27	8
90	18	9	12	6	25	0	16	8	150	31	3	20	10	41	8	27	9
91	19	0	12	8	25	4	16	11	151	31	6	21	0	42	0	28	0
92	19	2	12	10	25	7	17	1	152	31	8	21	2	42	3	28	3
93	19	5	12	11	25	11	17	3	153	31	11	21	3	42	7	28	4
94	19	7	13	1	26	1	17	5	154	32	1	21	5	42	9	28	7
95	19	10	13	3	26	5	17	8	155	32	4	21	7	43	1	28	9
96	20	0	13	4	26	8	17	9	156	32	6	21	8	43	4	28	11
97	20	3	13	6	27	0	18	0	157	32	9	21	10	43	8	29	1
98	20	5	13	8	27	3	18	3	158	32	11	22	0	43	11	29	4
99	20	8	13	9	27	7	18	4	159	33	2	22	1	44	3	29	5
100	20	10	13	11	27	9	18	7	160	33	4	22	3	44	5	29	8
101	21	1	14	1	28	1	18	9	161	33	7	22	5	44	9	29	11
102	21	3	14	2	28	4	18	11	162	33	9	22	6	45	0	30	0
103	21	6	14	4	28	8	19	1	163	34	0	22	8	45	4	30	3
104	21	8	14	6	28	11	19	4	164	34	2	22	10	45	7	30	5
105	21	11	14	7	29	3	19	5	165	34	5	22	11	45	11	30	7
106	22	1	14	9	29	5	19	8	166	34	7	23	1	46	1	30	9
107	22	4	14	11	29	9	19	11	167	34	10	23	3	46	5	31	0
108	22	6	15	0	30	0	20	0	168	35	0	23	4	46	8	31	1
109	22	9	15	2	30	4	20	3	169	35	3	23	6	47	0	31	4
110	22	11	15	4	30	7	20	5	170	35	5	23	8	47	3	31	7
111	23	2	15	5	30	11	20	7	171	35	8	23	9	47	7	31	8
112	23	4	15	7	31	1	20	9	172	35	10	23	11	47	9	31	11

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SCHEDULE OF FARES—continued.					SCHEDULE OF FARES—continued.												
No. of Miles.	Fares.				No. of Miles.	Fares.											
	Single.		Return.			Single.		Return.									
	First.	Second.	First.	Second.		First.	Second.	First.	Second.								
	s.	d.	s.	d.		s.	d.	s.	d.								
173	36	1	24	1	48	1	32	1	220	45	10	30	7	61	1	40	9
174	36	3	24	2	48	4	32	3	230	47	11	32	0	63	11	42	8
175	36	6	24	4	48	8	32	5	240	50	0	33	4	66	8	44	5
176	36	8	24	6	48	11	32	8	250	52	1	34	9	69	5	46	4
177	36	11	24	7	49	3	32	9	260	54	2	36	2	72	3	48	3
178	37	1	24	9	49	5	33	0	270	56	3	37	6	75	0	50	0
179	37	4	24	11	49	9	33	3	280	58	4	38	11	77	9	51	11
180	37	6	25	0	50	0	33	4	290	60	5	40	4	80	7	53	9
181	37	9	25	2	50	4	33	7	300	62	6	41	8	83	4	55	7
182	37	11	25	4	50	7	33	9	310	64	7	43	1	86	1	57	5
183	38	2	25	5	50	11	33	11	320	66	8	44	6	88	11	59	4
184	38	4	25	7	51	1	34	1	330	68	9	45	10	91	8	61	1
185	38	7	25	9	51	5	34	4	340	70	10	47	3	94	5	63	0
186	38	9	25	10	51	8	34	5	350	72	11	48	8	97	3	64	11
187	39	0	26	0	52	0	34	8	360	75	0	50	0	100	0	66	8
188	39	2	26	2	52	3	34	11	370	77	1	51	5	102	9	68	7
189	39	5	26	3	52	7	35	0	380	79	2	52	10	105	7	70	5
190	39	7	26	5	52	9	35	3	390	81	3	54	2	108	4	72	3
191	39	10	26	7	53	1	35	5	400	83	4	55	7	111	1	74	1
192	40	0	26	8	53	4	35	7	410	85	5	57	0	113	11	76	0
193	40	3	26	10	53	8	35	9	420	87	6	58	4	116	8	77	9
194	40	5	27	0	53	11	36	0	430	89	7	59	9	119	5	79	8
195	40	8	27	1	54	3	36	1	440	91	8	61	2	122	3	81	7
196	40	10	27	3	54	5	36	4	450	93	9	62	6	125	0	83	4
197	41	1	27	5	54	9	36	7	460	95	10	63	11	127	9	85	3
198	41	3	27	6	55	0	36	8	470	97	11	65	4	130	7	87	1
199	41	6	27	8	55	4	36	11	480	100	0	66	8	133	4	88	11
200	41	8	27	10	55	7	37	1	490	102	1	68	1	136	1	90	9
210	43	9	29	2	58	4	38	11	500	104	2	69	6	138	11	92	8

3. Return tickets are issued daily and are available for return as follows:—

Distances.	Issued.	Available for Return.
1 to 20 miles ...	{ Daily ... { On Saturdays ...	Up to and including the day after issue. From Saturday till following Monday.
21 to 200 miles ...	Daily ...	For one calendar month.*
Over 200 miles ...	Daily ...	For two calendar months.*

* That is to say, from the 15th of one month to the 15th, inclusive, of the next or second succeeding month, as the case may be. But in all cases return tickets issued on the last day of any month are available only up to and including the last day of the following month, or second succeeding month, as the case may be. Thus, a ticket for 50 miles issued on 31st May is available only up to and including the 30th (being the last day) of June, and a ticket for 250 miles issued on 31st July is available only up to and including the 30th September.

The journey must be commenced on the day of issue and completed on or before the date on which the ticket expires. Should there be no train running on the day of expiry which would enable the traveller to complete his journey he may use his ticket by the first available train thereafter.

4. Single tickets will be available for the day of issue only.

5. Single or return tickets for distances of 20 miles and under will not be available for break of journey. Passengers holding single or return tickets for distances over 20 miles may break the journey at any station, at which the train is timed to stop, after travelling 20 miles from the original starting-station. In the case of single tickets the journey must be completed on the day the ticket is taken out.

6. Children under 3 years of age travel free; children under 12 years of age at half-rates.

7. Flag-station tickets will be issued only to the next rebooking station.

8. When tickets are issued in the train to passengers entering at any station where there is an officer in charge, instead of being issued from the booking-office at such station, sixpence in addition to the ordinary fare will be charged.

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Extended Excursion Tickets.

9. The time for which these tickets are available may be extended to make them available for the return journey for such further limited period as may be publicly notified, by payment of the difference in value between an ordinary single ticket and half the excursion fare. Persons desiring an extension of time must apply at the station to which the excursion ticket was originally issued before the expiration of the ticket, and deliver up the unused half of the excursion ticket with the proper excess fare; the extension ticket will then be issued.

Railway Employes' Tickets.

10. Privilege Ordinary Tickets, at one-fourth the ordinary rates, may be issued to railway employes and to their wives. Privilege Season Tickets, at one-fourth the ordinary rates, may be issued to railway employes. The minimum charge for privilege ordinary tickets to be 6d. first-class, 4d. second-class, single or return, and for season tickets the minimum charge to be 5s.

Volunteer Tickets.

11. Tickets will be issued to Volunteers in uniform without charge, upon written order from the Officer Commanding the District.

Season Tickets.

12. Application for Season Tickets must be made to the Manager of the line, upon a form to be obtained at any booking-office.

13. Fares will be charged as follows:—

FIRST CLASS.					SECOND CLASS.				
Miles.	12 Months.	6 Months.	3 Months.	1 Month.	Miles.	12 Months.	6 Months.	3 Months.	1 M th .
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
2	3 0 0	1 15 0	1 2 6	0 10 0	2	2 5 0	1 4 0	0 15 0	0 6 6
3	4 10 0	2 12 6	1 13 9	0 15 0	3	3 7 6	1 16 0	1 2 6	0 10 0
4	6 0 0	3 10 0	2 5 0	1 0 0	4	4 10 0	2 8 0	1 10 0	0 13 0
5	7 10 0	4 10 0	2 10 0	1 2 6	5	5 15 0	3 0 0	2 0 0	0 18 0
6	8 10 0	5 5 0	3 0 0	1 7 0	6	6 10 0	3 12 0	2 5 0	1 0 0
7	9 10 0	5 15 0	3 5 0	1 10 0	7	7 5 0	4 5 0	2 10 0	1 2 6
8	10 10 0	6 10 0	3 15 0	1 14 0	8	8 0 0	4 12 0	2 15 0	1 5 0
9	11 10 0	7 0 0	4 0 0	1 16 0	9	8 15 0	5 8 0	3 0 0	1 7 0
10	12 10 0	7 10 0	4 10 0	2 0 0	10	9 10 0	6 0 0	3 5 0	1 10 0
11	13 10 0	8 5 0	4 15 0	2 3 0	11	10 5 0	6 10 0	3 10 0	1 12 0
12	14 10 0	8 15 0	5 5 0	2 7 0	12	11 0 0	7 0 0	3 15 0	1 14 0
13	15 5 0	9 5 0	5 10 0	2 10 0	13	11 10 0	7 7 6	3 19 0	1 16 6
14	16 0 0	9 15 0	5 15 0	2 13 0	14	12 0 0	7 15 0	4 3 0	1 19 0
15	16 15 0	10 5 0	6 0 0	2 16 0	15	12 10 0	8 2 6	4 7 0	2 1 6
16	17 10 0	10 15 0	6 5 0	2 19 0	16	13 0 0	8 10 0	4 11 0	2 4 0
17	18 5 0	11 5 0	6 10 0	3 2 0	17	13 10 0	8 17 6	4 15 0	2 6 6
18	19 0 0	11 15 0	6 15 0	3 5 0	18	14 0 0	9 5 0	4 19 0	2 9 0
19	19 15 0	12 5 0	7 0 0	3 8 0	19	14 10 0	9 12 6	5 3 0	2 11 6
20	20 10 0	12 15 0	7 5 0	3 11 0	20	15 0 0	10 0 0	5 7 0	2 14 0

FOR EVERY MILE ABOVE 20 MILES.

FIRST CLASS.				SECOND CLASS.			
12 Months.	6 Months.	3 Months.	1 Month.	12 Months.	6 Months.	3 Months.	1 Month.
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
10 0	8 0	4 0	2 0	8 0	6 0	3 0	2 0

14. Annual Tickets, available over the whole of the Railways for one year from the date of issue, will be charged £50. These tickets are not available by the New Zealand Midland Railway Company's trains between Greymouth and Brunner.

15. Children under 12 years of age will be charged half rates for Season Tickets.

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Family Season Tickets.

16. Family Season Tickets will be issued to families at two-thirds of the rate of ordinary Season Tickets for each person. Family Tickets for less than four persons will be charged as for four persons.

Single Commutation Tickets.

17. Fifty-trip tickets are issued for distances not over twenty miles. They will be sold only to persons resident in the neighbourhood of the issuing Station. They are available only for the purchaser, whose name must be inscribed thereon. They are available for two months from the date of issue. Any portion punched, detached, or not used before the ticket expires is not available for use. No reduction in charge is made for children. The tickets are not transferable. They will be charged as follows:—

SCALE.

Miles.	First Class.	Second Class.	Miles.	First Class.	Second Class.
2	£ s. d. 0 7 6	£ s. d. 0 5 0	12	£ s. d. 1 14 0	£ s. d. 1 6 0
3	0 10 6	0 7 6	13	1 16 6	1 8 0
4	0 13 6	0 10 0	14	1 19 0	1 10 0
5	0 16 6	0 12 0	15	2 1 6	1 12 0
6	0 19 0	0 14 0	16	2 4 0	1 14 0
7	1 1 6	0 16 0	17	2 6 6	1 16 0
8	1 4 0	0 18 0	18	2 9 0	1 18 0
9	1 6 6	1 0 0	19	2 11 6	2 0 0
10	1 9 0	1 2 0	20	2 14 0	2 2 0
11	1 11 6	1 4 0			

Family Commutation Tickets.

18. Fifty-trip family tickets are issued for distances not over twenty miles. They are available for three months from the date of issue. Any portion punched, detached, or not used before the ticket expires is not available for use. They will be sold only to heads of families resident in the neighbourhood of the issuing station. They are available only for the purchaser or any member of his family. Members of families are deemed to be persons living with the purchaser in his house. If used by any other person the ticket will be forfeited. Two children over three and not over twelve years old may go as one passenger; but not less than one portion will be punched if only one goes. The family tickets will be charged as follows:—

SCALE.

Miles.	First Class.	Second Class.	Miles.	First Class.	Second Class.
2	£ s. d. 0 10 0	£ s. d. 0 7 6	12	£ s. d. 2 5 0	£ s. d. 1 14 0
3	0 14 0	0 10 6	13	2 8 6	1 16 6
4	0 18 0	0 13 6	14	2 12 0	1 19 0
5	1 1 6	0 16 6	15	2 15 6	2 1 6
6	1 4 0	0 19 0	16	2 19 0	2 4 0
7	1 7 6	1 1 6	17	3 2 6	2 6 6
8	1 11 0	1 4 0	18	3 6 0	2 9 0
9	1 14 6	1 6 6	19	3 9 6	2 11 6
10	1 18 0	1 9 0	20	3 13 0	2 14 0
11	2 1 6	1 11 6			

Workmen's Commutation Tickets.

19. Twelve-trip tickets are issued for distances not over twenty miles. They will be sold only to persons resident in the neighbourhood of the issuing station.

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They are available only for the purchaser, whose name must be inscribed thereon. They are available for a fortnight from date of issue. Any portion punched, detached, or not used before the ticket expires is not available for use.

No reduction in charge is made for children.

The tickets are not transferable.

They will be charged as follows :—

Miles.	Second Class.	Miles.	Second Class.	Miles.	Second Class.
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.
2	1 6	9	5 0	15	8 0
3	2 0	10	5 6	16	8 6
4	2 6	11	6 0	17	9 0
5	3 0	12	6 6	18	9 6
6	3 6	13	7 0	19	10 0
7	4 0	14	7 6	20	10 6
8	4 6				

Apprentices' and Pupil-teachers' Season Tickets.

20. Season Tickets at half the rate of ordinary Season Tickets will be issued to apprentices and pupil-teachers whose age does not exceed 19 years, upon production of certificates in the following form from their masters or employers that the applicants are actually serving as apprentices or pupil-teachers, and that their age is within the prescribed limit :—

"I hereby certify that A.B. is a *bonâ fide* apprentice [or pupil-teacher] employed in , and that present age is years months."

Newspaper Reporters' Season Tickets.

21. Season Tickets will be issued at half rates to newspaper reporters, upon application from the proprietor or manager of the newspaper, specifying the name of the reporter, and certifying that he is a *bonâ fide* reporter, permanently engaged upon the staff of the newspaper, and not following any other profession or occupation. The maximum charge for either Island will be £10.

Newsboys' Season Tickets.

22. Season Tickets at half the rate of ordinary Season Tickets will be issued to newsboys, for use in travelling on the railways only for the purpose of selling newspapers, upon the production of a certificate from the proprietor or manager of the newspaper that the tickets are required and will be used for that purpose only, and that the person who makes the application is in his service. Newsboys are allowed to take not more than 56lb. of papers for distribution along the line.

School Season Tickets.

23. Season Tickets available for three months will be issued to scholars and students at the following rates, and subject to the following conditions :—

	First Class.	Second Class.
For students and scholars not exceeding 16 years of age	30s.	10s.
For students and scholars over 16 and not exceeding 19 years	40s.	20s.

For students and scholars over 19 years of age half the rate for ordinary three-monthly season tickets will be charged. Minimum charge, first class, 50s.; second class, 30s.

A certificate in the following form must be produced from the professor or schoolmaster that the applicant is a *bonâ fide* student or scholar in attendance at college or school, and that his or her age is within the prescribed limit :—

"I hereby certify that A.B. is a *bonâ fide* scholar in attendance at school at , and that present age is years months."

School Tickets will be available for any distance not exceeding 55 miles. They are available only for travelling to and from school.

Free School Season Tickets.

24. Second-class Quarterly Tickets may be issued to school children not over 15 years of age,—

- (a.) To those attending the Government primary schools; from railway stations where there is no primary school in the vicinity, and only to the station in the vicinity of the nearest primary school:
- (b.) To those attending private schools for primary education.

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Tickets will be issued only on the certificate of the schoolmaster (forwarded to the District Manager) having charge of such school, in the following form:—

"I hereby certify that A.B., residing at _____, whose present age is _____ years _____ months, is entitled to a free school ticket from _____ to _____, for the purpose of attending the school at the latter place."

These tickets are available only for travelling to and from school.

School-boarders.

25. Tickets at single fares for the double journey, available for return for two months, will be issued to school-boarders, not exceeding eighteen years of age, returning home for holidays at the end of recognised school-terms only, on production of certificate to the District Manager from the master or mistress of the school, in the following form:—

"To the District Railway Manager at _____
 "I hereby certify that _____ is a boarder attending my school, that present age is _____ years _____ months, and that _____ is going home from School on the _____ day of _____, 189 _____, for _____ holidays; and I request that you will issue a _____ class return ticket accordingly, from _____ Station to _____ Station.
 (Signed) _____
 "Headmaster [or Mistress], _____ School."

Teachers must give six days' notice to the District Manager before the tickets are required.

Teachers' Saturday Season Tickets.

26. Teachers' Saturday Tickets will be issued at the following rate per term, not exceeding four months, or fractional part of a term, for public-school teachers attending Saturday training classes:—

(a.) Allowing teachers to travel to class on Friday and return on Saturday	... ..	First Class.
		30s.
(b.) Allowing teachers to travel to class on Saturday and return on Monday	... ..	30s.
(c.) Allowing teachers to travel to class on Saturday and return the same day	... ..	20s.

These tickets cannot be used unless the holder is proceeding to or coming from the training school.

Application must be made in the following form, and certified to by the Secretary of the Education Board before a ticket will be issued:—

FORM OF APPLICATION AND CERTIFICATE.

"I hereby declare that I, _____, am employed by the _____ Education Board as teacher at _____ District School, and that I intend, during the session ending _____, to attend the Teachers' training classes or University lectures at _____; and I hereby request the Railway Commissioners to supply me with a Teachers' Saturday Season Ticket, at fare as per (a) _____, which I undertake to use solely for the purpose of attending the said training classes or lectures as indorsed, and subject to the by-laws, rules, and regulations in force on the New Zealand Government Railways; and I agree that the ticket shall be forfeited should I at any time fail to observe such by-laws, rules, and regulations, or to fulfil this undertaking.
 Applicant."

"I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief this application is correct, and that the applicant is entitled to a Teachers' Saturday Ticket.
 Secretary, Education Board."

"Signed by applicant before me, this _____ day of _____, 189 _____
 Postmaster or Stationmaster."

Official Season Tickets.

27. Official Season Tickets, for use by Government officers travelling on public service only, will be issued at rates to be fixed in each case by the Commissioners.

Religious Bodies and Friendly Societies.

28. Return Tickets will be issued to delegates of religious bodies and friendly societies to enable them to attend meetings, upon production of certificate in writing from the Secretary or other duly-authorised officer that the holder has been selected to attend such meeting. Tickets will be granted for seven days previous to the first day of sitting, and will be available for the return journey for a month from date of issue. Certificates must state on what date the meeting commences. Delegates are allowed to travel as many times as necessary during the sitting of the meeting; but a fresh ticket must be taken out, and paid for, for each double journey, and a fresh certificate from the authorised officer must be presented for each ticket. In all cases application must first be made by the religious body or friendly society to the New Zealand Railway Commissioners, who reserve to themselves the right to decline to issue such tickets.

Excursion Trains.

29. Excursion Trains at special fares may be run by special request upon payment of a deposit (as a guarantee, returnable if the takings exceed the amount) equivalent to the charge for 80 second-class ordinary return tickets. Minimum charge, £5. Excursion Trains will be run only at the option of the Commissioners.

Special Trains.

30. Special Trains will be charged as follows:—		£	s.	d.
For one 6-wheel or bogie carriage, per mile up to	30 miles	0	10	0
For every additional mile ... ..	...	0	7	6
For every additional 6-wheel carriage, per mile ... ..	...	0	5	0
For every additional long bogie carriage, per mile ... ..	...	0	7	6
Minimum charge ... ..	...	5	0	0

The mileage will be counted one way only.

The charge will in no case be less than for the total number of passengers carried charged at fares computed at rate and a quarter of the ordinary fares.

A charge of 5s. per mile will be made for all special trains of one large or two small carriages required by any Government department to convey passengers or mails; 2s. 6d. per mile for each extra vehicle. Minimum charge, £3 sterling. When engine is ordered and not used half the minimum charge will be made.

Special Trains will be permitted to wait five hours at the station of destination, after which period half special-train rates will be charged for the return journey until seven hours' detention from time of arrival; after which full special-train rates will be charged for the return journey.

The distance which a train has to run empty to commence a service will be charged at the rate of 5s. per mile.

Special trains will be run only at the option of the Railway Commissioners.

School Excursions.

31. First-class ordinary Return Tickets, available for any ordinary trains, will be issued at the option of the Commissioners to the managers of school parties numbering not less than 20 children, at the rate of one ticket for every four children, and of one ticket for every two *bonâ fide* teachers accompanying them. No fractional part of a ticket will be issued.

Although first-class tickets will be issued, first-class carriages will not be guaranteed.

Reserved Carriages.

32. The Commissioners do not undertake to supply reserved carriages or compartments, but in such cases as carriages or compartments are reserved for invalids or specially-authorized parties, the charge will be not less than as for four first-class ordinary fares. If more persons than four travel the usual fares will be charged.

Football, Cricket, Tennis, Rowing, Bowling Teams, Rifle Clubs, and Pleasure Parties.

33. Second-class ordinary return tickets, available for first-class carriages, will be issued to football, cricket, tennis, rowing, bowling teams, rifle clubs, and pleasure parties of not less than twelve members. Where a single journey only is to be made, second-class single tickets will be issued available for first-class carriages.

Pleasure parties of not less than twenty passengers wishing to travel second class will be charged single second-class fares for the double journey; minimum fare, 1s.

Teams and parties will be required to give three days' notice to the District Manager before travelling.

Theatrical, Concert, and Circus Companies.

34. Theatrical, concert, and circus companies of ten adults and upwards will be allowed to travel first class at second-class ordinary fares. Application for this concession must be made to the District Manager.

Free Passes, &c.

35. Free Passes, Season or School Tickets, do not entitle the bearers thereof to travel by Special or Excursion Train, except the ordinary trains are suspended.

Public Vehicles.

36. The driver of any public vehicle plying for hire within the precincts of any railway will be charged a fee of 10s. for a twelve months' license, to be issued at the option of the Manager. No public vehicle will be allowed to ply within the limits of the railway without a license.

Miscellaneous.

37. No fractions of a mile will be used in computing fares. Five chains and over will be counted as an additional mile; less than five chains will be omitted.

Tickets are not transferable; if they are used by any other than the person to whom issued they will be forfeited.

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LOCAL FARES AND REGULATIONS.

38. The following local fares will be charged on the lines specified herein in lieu of those specified under general fares and regulations preceding.
All the regulations under general fares and regulations preceding, except number 2, will apply, except otherwise specified.

SUBURBAN TRAFFIC.

The following fares will be charged :—

- Between Wellington and stations not exceeding 10 miles distance therefrom.
- Between Christchurch and stations not exceeding 10 miles distance therefrom.
- Between Dunedin and stations not exceeding 10 miles distance therefrom.

No. of Miles.	Fares.			
	Single.		Return.	
	First.	Second.	First.	Second.
1	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
2	0 0 3	0 0 2	0 0 6	0 0 4
3	0 0 5	0 0 3	0 0 6	0 0 4
4	0 0 7	0 0 5	0 0 9	0 0 6
5	0 0 9	0 0 6	0 1 0	0 0 8
6	0 1 0	0 0 8	0 1 3	0 0 10
7	0 1 2	0 0 9	0 1 6	0 1 0
8	0 1 4	0 0 11	0 1 9	0 1 2
9	0 1 6	0 1 0	0 2 0	0 1 4
10	0 1 9	0 1 2	0 2 3	0 1 6
10	0 1 11	0 1 3	0 2 6	0 1 8

KAWAKAWA SECTION.

Stations.		Single.		Return.	
From or To	To or From	First.	Second.	First.	Second.
Kawakawa ...	Taumarere ...	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
" ...	Te Akeake ...	0 9	0 6	1 2	0 9
" ...	Opua ...	1 0	0 8	1 6	1 0
Taumarere ...	" ...	2 0	1 4	3 0	2 0
" ...	Te Akeake ...	1 6	1 0	2 3	1 6
Te Akeake ...	Opua ...	0 6	0 4	0 9	0 6
		1 0	0 8	1 6	1 0

Return Tickets will be issued on Saturdays and Sundays at single fares.

WHANGAREI SECTION.

For the purpose of charging fares the section will be divided into five subsections, as below :—

- Opau to Whangarei.
- Whangarei to Kamo.
- Kamo to Kauri.
- Kauri to Hikurangi.
- Hikurangi to Waro.

The following fares will be charged for each subsection :—

Single.		Return.	
First.	Second.	First.	Second.
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
0 9	0 6	1 0	0 9

The charge for any portion of a subsection will be the same as for the whole subsection.

Half-tickets will not be issued, but two children under twelve years of age may travel together on one ticket.

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KAIHU SECTION.

The following fares will be charged :—

Single, first class, 3d. per mile; return, first class, 4½d. per mile.

Single, second class, 2d. per mile; return, second class, 3d. per mile.

Return Tickets will be issued on Saturdays at single fares.

AUCKLAND SECTION.

SUBURBAN TRAFFIC.

For the purpose of charging fares between Auckland and the stations hereunder the distances will be counted as follows :—

From Auckland to Newmarket, 2 miles.

From Auckland to Remuera, 3 miles.

	Single.		Return.	
	First.	Second.	First.	Second.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Auckland to or from Newmarket ...	0 4	0 3	0 6	0 4
Auckland to or from Mount Eden ...	0 6	0 3	0 9	0 6
Auckland to or from Kingsland ...	1 0	0 8	1 3	0 10
Auckland to or from Morningside ...	1 0	0 8	1 3	0 10
Auckland to or from Mount Albert ...	1 0	0 9	1 6	1 2
Auckland to or from Avondale ...	1 0	0 9	1 6	1 2
Auckland to or from Remuera ...	0 7	0 5	1 0	0 8
Auckland to or from Green Lane ...	0 9	0 6	1 0	0 8
Auckland to or from Ellerslie ...	1 0	0 8	1 3	0 10
Auckland to or from Penrose ...	1 0	0 9	1 6	1 0
Auckland to or from Te Papapa ...	1 0	0 9	1 6	1 2
Auckland to or from Onehunga ...	1 0	0 9	1 6	1 2
Auckland to or from Otahuhu ...	1 6	1 0	2 0	1 6
Auckland to or from Papatoitōi ...	2 0	1 6	3 0	2 0
Newmarket to or from Mount Eden ...	0 6	0 3	0 9	0 6
Newmarket to or from Mount Albert ...	1 0	0 9	1 6	1 0
Newmarket to or from Avondale ...	1 0	0 9	1 6	1 2
Newmarket to or from Green Lane ...	0 6	0 3	0 9	0 6
Newmarket to or from Te Papapa ...	1 0	0 9	1 6	1 0
Newmarket to or from Onehunga ...	1 0	0 9	1 6	1 2
Newmarket to or from Otahuhu ...	1 6	1 0	2 0	1 4
Newmarket to or from Papatoitōi ...	1 9	1 3	2 6	1 8
Remuera to or from Onehunga ...	1 0	0 9	1 6	1 0

CONVEYANCE OF FUNERALS FROM AUCKLAND, NEWMARKET, AND MOUNT EDEN TO WAIKOMITI CEMETERY.

Notices for funerals must be sent in writing to the District Traffic Manager of Railways, Auckland, by the Auckland City Treasurer, who will pay all charges.

The accommodation required must be specified in the order.

If a special train is wanted, not less than twelve hours' notice must be given. If the funeral is to be carried by ordinary train, eight hours' notice must be given.

A special carriage and van will be set apart for the conveyance of funerals by the ordinary trains.

Corpses must be loaded at the places provided at Auckland, Newmarket, and Mount Eden twenty minutes before the time of departure of the train by which the funeral is to be conveyed.

For special trains the charges will be according to Regulation (30), Part I. The charge for a special train of one carriage with special van for the corpse will be £8 5s. The charge per corpse by ordinary train will be 10s.

Return fares by ordinary trains from Auckland, Newmarket, or Mount Eden to Waikomiti Cemetery will be—1st class, 2s.; 2nd class, 1s. 6d.; children, half-price.

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NAPIER-TARANAKI SECTION.

Return tickets between Wellington and Napier *via* Manawatu Company's line will be available for return for two months from date of issue.

NEW PLYMOUTH BREAKWATER LINE.

	Single.		Return.	
	First.	Second.	First.	Second.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
New Plymouth or Goods Depôt to or from Moturoa and Breakwater	0 9	0 6	1 0	0 8
Moturoa to or from Breakwater	0 6	0 4	...	...

NAPIER-TARANAKI AND WELLINGTON SECTIONS.

From or to	To or from	Including Coach-fare between Woodville and Eketahuna.			
		Single First.	Single Second.	Return First.	Return Second.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Te Aro ..	(Napier ..	2 0 0	1 7 0	2 10 6	1 15 4
Wellington ..	Hastings ..	1 18 0	1 6 0	2 8 2	1 14 2
Ngahauranga ..	Te Aute ..	1 15 0	1 4 0	2 4 8	1 11 10
Petone ..	Waipawa ..	1 13 0	1 2 0	2 2 4	1 9 6
Lower Hutt ..	Waipukurau ..	1 13 0	1 2 0	2 2 4	1 9 6
	Dannevirke ..	1 7 0	0 18 0	1 15 4	1 4 10

Single Tickets will be available on the day of issue and on the following day only. Return tickets will be available for one month from date of issue, with the exception of return tickets from Te Aro, Wellington, Ngahauranga, Petone, and Lower Hutt to Napier and *vice versa*, which will be available for return for two months from date of issue.

WELLINGTON SECTION.

For the purpose of charging fares for passengers carried over the Rimutaka Incline the distance will be counted as five miles more than the actual distance.

WESTPORT SECTION.

Fares between stations on the Government railway (Waimangaroa Junction excepted) and stations on the Waimangaroa Branch-line will be charged 2d. on each single and 3d. on each return fare in addition to the through ordinary fare.

Passengers conveyed over the Mokihinui Coal Company's line, or any portion of it, will be charged 1s. each for the single journey. Return tickets will not be issued.

PICTON SECTION.

Return tickets between Blenheim and Picton will be available for return for a month.

HURUNUI-BLUFF SECTION.

For the purpose of charging fares between Dunedin and the stations below the distances will be counted as follows :—

- From Dunedin to Caversham, 2 miles.
- „ Ravensbourne, 2 miles.
- „ Burnside, 4 miles.
- „ Abbotsford, 5 miles.
- „ Burke's, 4 miles.
- „ Sawyer's Bay, 7 miles.
- „ Port Chalmers Lower, 8 miles.

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The following fares will be charged between Pelichet Bay and the stations named :—

Stations.	Single.		Return.	
	First.	Second.	First.	Second.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Ravensbourne	0 5	0 3	0 6	0 4
Burke's	0 9	0 6	1 0	0 8
St. Leonard's	1 0	0 8	1 3	0 10
Sawyer's Bay	1 4	0 11	1 9	1 2
Port Chalmers	1 6	1 0	2 0	1 4

For the purpose of charging season and commutation tickets the distance between Pelichet Bay and Burke's will be counted as three miles, and between Pelichet Bay and Port Chalmers as seven miles.

The following fares will be charged between Cattle-yards and the stations named :—

Stations.	Single.		Return.	
	First.	Second.	First.	Second.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Dunedin	0 8	0 5	1 0	0 7
Caversham	0 6	0 3	0 9	0 4

For the purpose of charging season and commutation tickets the distance between Dunedin and Cattle-yards will be counted as three miles.

The following fares will be charged between Bluff, or Ocean Beach, and Invercargill, viz. :—

	First.	Second.
	s. d.	s. d.
Single	3 0	2 0
Return	3 6	2 6

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PART II.—LUGGAGE, PARCELS,
HORSES, &c.

Passengers' Luggage.

The Department will not be responsible for luggage which is not carried in the van, or which passengers may have neglected to see labelled.

Passengers must have their luggage at the station at least ten minutes before the advertised time of departure of the train, and excess luggage (the charges on which must be prepaid) must be at the station at least thirty minutes before the advertised time of departure of the train, or the Department will not be responsible for its despatch.

No luggage will be allowed to be taken into the carriages unless it can be placed under the seat without inconvenience.

Passengers who have lost luggage should give notice to the Stationmasters at once.

The Department will not be responsible for any luggage or parcels improperly left about the station premises.

When any luggage is left at a station it should be placed in the cloak-room.

"Personal luggage" is confined to that which is personal to the passenger and carried for his personal use or convenience when travelling from one place to another, as also tourists', sportsmen's, or artists' gear; it does not include household furniture, provisions or other merchandise.

Each passenger will be allowed to take one bicycle or tricycle or one perambulator as "personal luggage."

Excess Luggage.

Each passenger will be allowed to take 112lb. of <i>bona fide</i> personal luggage, not including merchandise of any kind, free of charge.	s. d.
For every 56lb. or fraction of 56lb. above this weight, for every 50 miles or fraction of 50 miles, the charge will be	1 0

Commercial Travellers' Luggage.

Each passenger will be allowed to take 112lb. of luggage free of charge.	
For every 56lb. or fraction of 56lb. above this weight, for every 50 miles or fraction of 50 miles, the charge will be	0 6

Provided that the maximum quantity which will be carried at this rate is 10cwt.; any additional quantity, if sent by passenger train, will be charged at the ordinary rates for passengers' luggage; or it may be consigned as goods at goods rates (Class B).

Theatrical Companies' Luggage.

Each passenger will be allowed to take 112lb. free of charge, the same as an ordinary passenger.

For every 56lb. or fraction of 56lb. above this weight the charge will be the same as that made for commercial travellers' excess luggage.

Theatrical companies' luggage by goods trains will be charged Class B, half rate.

Lost Luggage.

Luggage left in a train will be charged for booking as lost luggage, at per package, in addition to cloak-room charges	s. d.
The platform will be cleared after each train, and all property found will be treated as lost luggage, and if not claimed within one month will be sold.	0 4

Left Luggage.

Luggage left in the Cloak-room will be charged, for the first day, per parcel not exceeding 56lb. in weight	s. d.
Ditto, over 56lb., and not over 112lb.	0 2
Ditto, over 112lb.	0 4
And for each day or part of a day after 24 hours, per parcel	0 6
	0 1

In computing the charges, Sunday is considered a *dies non*, unless it be the day on which the articles are deposited or taken out, in which case it must be reckoned.

Any luggage not claimed within a month will be sold.

The Department reserves the right to refuse any package which may be deemed offensive or objectionable by the Department.

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In all cases where a Luggage-room Ticket is given for more than one package, and the holder of the ticket applies for and takes some, *but not all*, of the packages away, a fresh ticket will be issued for the packages left, and the usual booking fee for the fresh ticket will be charged.

Left Parcels.

Left-parcels labels, of the value of 2d. each, may be obtained upon application at the principal stations, which, when attached to parcels not exceeding 28lb. weight sent to the station, and delivered to the person in charge of the Cloak-room, will entitle the bearer of the duplicate to receive the parcel at the Cloak-room on application. A further charge of 1d. per day will be made after the day on which it is left. Any parcel not claimed within a month will be sold.

Parcel Rates.

Miles.	Not exceeding						
	3lb.	7lb.	14lb.	28lb.	56lb.	84lb.	112lb.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
15	0 6	0 6	0 6	0 9	0 9	1 0	1 3
20	0 6	0 6	0 6	0 9	1 3	1 9	2 0
30	0 6	0 6	0 9	1 0	1 6	2 0	2 6
40	0 6	0 6	1 0	1 3	1 9	2 3	2 9
60	0 6	0 6	1 0	1 6	2 0	2 9	3 3
80	0 6	0 9	1 3	1 9	2 3	3 0	3 6
100	0 6	1 0	1 6	2 0	2 6	3 3	4 0
125	0 6	1 0	1 9	2 6	3 0	3 9	4 9
150	0 6	1 0	1 9	3 0	4 0	4 9	5 6
200	0 6	1 0	2 0	3 6	5 0	6 3	7 6
250	0 6	1 0	2 0	4 0	6 0	7 9	9 6
300	0 6	1 0	2 0	4 0	7 0	9 9	11 6
400	0 6	1 0	2 0	4 0	8 0	12 0	15 6
500	0 6	1 0	2 0	4 0	8 0	12 0	15 6

In addition to the above rates a charge of 3d. for each cwt. or part of a cwt. will be made upon all parcels consigned to Auckland, Christchurch, Dunedin, or Invercargill.

When more parcels than one to the same person are sent by the same train they will be charged for separately, except in the case of fish, game, dead rabbits, hares, birds in cages, live and dead poultry, meat, bread, butter, eggs, cheese, vegetables, flowers, plants, shrubs, seeds, fruit, and ice, in more packages than one, from one consignor to one consignee, which will be charged upon the gross weight.

Consignments to stations where no officer of the Department is in charge must be prepaid. They will be put out at such places at the risk of the consignor.

Parcels over 1cwt. will be charged as for an additional hundredweight for each hundredweight or fractional part of a hundredweight.

Parcels must be at the station at least thirty minutes before the advertised time of departure of the train by which they are to be forwarded.

The charges on parcels must be prepaid or paid on delivery.

All letter parcels must be prepaid.

Canoes double rate.

Parcels containing—

Artificial flowers,
Dress stands,
Paper, bonnet, and hat boxes,
Cases of stuffed birds and animals,
Birds in cages,
Picture frames and mouldings,
Glass and china, except druggists' bottles,
Basketware,

Pasteboard boxes containing millinery, feathers, &c.,
Basket chairs,
Bath chairs,
Perambulators,
Hand carts,
Racecourse stalls,
Bicycles, tricycles,
Bicycle and tricycle wheels,

will be charged rate and a quarter,

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Parcels containing—
 Cartridges, Stamps,
 Cash, Coin,
 Bank notes, Plate, gold, or silver,
 Jewellery, Bills of exchange,
 Valuable documents,
 will be charged double rates.

Parcels for Distribution at Destination.

When more parcels or articles than one are packed in hampers, crates, bags, cases, or other packing, or fastening, and are consigned from one consignor to one consignee for express companies or forwarding agents, and are for distribution at destination, the whole weight will be charged at rate and a half.
 The onus of proving that parcels are not packed rests with consignors.

Newspapers and Stereotype Casts.

Newspapers (published at intervals not exceeding seven days), periodicals (published at intervals not exceeding one month), and stereotype casts (consigned by or to newspaper proprietors) will be conveyed subject to the following regulations, viz.:

Packages of newspapers and periodicals must be open at both ends.
 No receipts will be given for the packages; they will be conveyed at owner's risk, the Commissioners not being liable for damage, delay, detention, or loss; and they must be brought to, and taken from, the railway by the owners. If the owner desires them conveyed at Commissioners' risk, the ordinary parcel rates will be charged.

The packages must be prepaid by affixing stamps, which can be obtained from the Managers' offices. Packages insufficiently stamped will be charged the difference between the amount represented by the labels affixed and the full ordinary parcel rates, and the Commissioners will not be responsible for any delay which may arise in consequence.

A declaration that the parcels do not contain other than the articles mentioned above must be printed or plainly written on the address, thus: "Newspapers only," "Stereotype Casts only," as the case may be.

The Commissioners reserve the right to open out and examine packages.

Rates.

Lb.	Not exceeding		151 Miles or over.
	75 Miles.	150 Miles.	
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
3	0 1	0 2	0 3
7	0 2	0 3	0 4
14	0 4	0 5	0 6
28	0 6	0 7	0 8
42	0 8	0 9	0 10
56	0 9	0 11	1 0
84	1 0	1 4	1 8
112	1 3	1 9	2 0

Single newspapers will be conveyed, irrespective of distance, at the uniform charge of $\frac{1}{4}$ d. per copy, otherwise at the scale preceding.

Horses and Carriages.

	For any Distance not exceeding 10 Miles.	For every Mile after the first 10 Miles.
	s. d.	s. d.
A single horse	8 8	0 3
Each additional horse belonging to the same owner ...	6 0	0 2
Two-wheeled carriages, each	10 0	0 3
Four-wheeled " "	10 0	0 4

Entire horses requiring a special box will be charged a rate and a half, but if allowed to travel with an additional horse belonging to the same owner ordinary rates will be charged.

Shetland ponies, foals one year old and under, mules, and asses, half-rate.

Horses, Shetland ponies, foals, mules, and asses may be sent in cattle trucks, at rates charged for cattle in truck-loads.

Horses of members of Hunt or Polo Clubs travelling to meets and returning on or before the third day will be carried the return journey for the single charge.

Horses, Carriages, and Dogs.

The Railway Department does not undertake to forward horses, carriages, or dogs by any particular train; but when sent they must be at the forwarding station half an hour before the departure of the train. The owners of horses must provide means of securing them in the horse-box, and the Railway Department will not be accountable for any injuries sustained through their breaking loose or otherwise, nor will it undertake to carry unbroken or vicious horses.

Horse Boxes and Carriage Trucks.

Persons requiring a horse box or carriage truck must (except at Auckland, Napier, Wanganui, Wellington, Christchurch, Hornby, Dunedin, and Invercargill Railway Stations), when ordering it, pay a deposit of 5s., which will be forfeited if the box be not used. Requisitions for horse boxes and carriage trucks must be made the day before they are wanted.

Dogs.

Dogs must be provided with chains, or sufficient means of securing them. They will not be allowed in carriages, and the sender must obtain a ticket, to be given up at the end of the journey before the dog is delivered. Owners must see their dogs safely placed in the train, and take delivery of them immediately on arrival at destination.

The charge for conveyance of dogs, for every twenty-five miles or fractional s. d.
part of twenty-five miles, will be for the first twelve dogs, per head ... 0 6
The maximum charge per head 5 0

Each additional dog above twelve will be charged half-rates.

The charges on dogs must be prepaid.

Calves, Sheep, Goats, Pigs, Rabbits, and other small Animals, and Poultry,

Properly secured in crates, baskets, or sacks, so as to prevent injury to other goods, will be carried at parcel rates.

Milk.

For distances of not more than 10 miles ½d. per gallon.
For every additional 10 miles or fraction thereof up to 30 miles ... ¼d. „
For each additional 30 miles or fraction thereof ¼d. „

Milk consigned to cheese and butter factories, and to and from creameries, will be charged ½d. per gallon for distances of 15 miles and under, and ¼d. per gallon for the next 15 miles, and ¼d. per gallon for each additional 25 miles or fraction thereof.

Minimum charge, 6d.

Empties will be returned free.

Where milk is sent by rail to dairy factories, and the consignors of the milk have their skim-milk sent back to them, the skim-milk will be conveyed free of charge in the cans returning from the factory.

Milk will be carried only at the owners' sole risk, who will take all responsibility of loading and unloading.

Cream will be charged same rates as milk.

Corpses.

Sixpence per mile. Minimum, £1.

Children's, half-rates. Minimum, 10s.

Miscellaneous.

No fractions of a mile will be used in computing rates and charges. Five chains and over will be taken as an additional mile; less than five chains will be omitted.

LOCAL RATES AND REGULATIONS.

WHANGAREI SECTION.

For the purpose of charging for the conveyance of parcels the section will be divided into three subsections, as below:—

Opau to Kamo.

Kamo to Hikurangi.

Hikurangi to Waro.

LUGGAGE, PARCELS, HORSES, ETC.

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The rates for parcels will be as follow :—

For conveyance over	Not exceeding			
	28lb.	56lb.	112lb.	224lb.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
One subsection	0 3	0 3	0 6	0 9
Two subsections	0 3	0 6	0 9	1 0
Three subsections	0 6	0 9	1 0	1 6

The charge for any portion of a subsection will be the same as for the whole subsection.

Parcels will be conveyed subject to the following regulations, viz. :—

No receipts will be given for parcels. They will be conveyed at owners' risk, the Commissioners not being liable for damage, delay, detention, or loss. If the sender desires them to be conveyed at Commissioners' risk, double rates will be charged.

Parcels must be prepaid by affixing stamps. The stamps, which can be obtained from the Stationmaster (or from the guard at stations where there is no officer of the department in charge), must be affixed by senders.

If parcels are insufficiently stamped the consignee will be required to pay double the amount of the deficiency.

Except in the respects specified herein, the general rates and regulations under Part II. of the scale of charges will apply.

AUCKLAND SECTION.

Milk between Mount Eden, Auckland, or Newmarket and stations not exceeding 10 miles distance from Auckland, will be charged $\frac{1}{2}$ d. per gallon.

WELLINGTON SECTION.

For the purpose of charging for the conveyance of parcels carried over the Rimutaka Incline, the mileage of such Incline will be deemed to be 5 miles more than its actual mileage.

Milk consigned to Wellington will be charged for distances not over 11 miles, $\frac{1}{2}$ d. per gallon; for each additional 10 miles or fraction thereof, up to 31 miles, $\frac{1}{4}$ d. per gallon; and for each additional 30 miles or fraction thereof, $\frac{1}{4}$ d. per gallon.

For the purpose of charging for the conveyance of milk from Mungaroa to Petone, the distance will be deemed to be 15 miles.

HURUNUI-BLUFF SECTION.

For the purpose of computing the charges for parcels conveyed between Rangiora and Christchurch, the distance will be deemed to be 15 miles.

For the purpose of computing the charges for parcels conveyed between Christchurch and Springston, and other stations on Southbridge Branch, up to and including Southbridge, the distance will be deemed to be 15 miles.

PART III.—GOODS.

CLASSIFIED RATES.

Dis- tance.	A.	B.	C.	D.	E.	F.	H.
Miles.	Per Ton.	Per Ton.	Per Ton.	Per Ton.	Per Ton.	Per Truck.	Undumped per Bale.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1	4 6	4 0	4 0	4 0	2 3	7 0	1 0
2	4 6	4 0	4 0	4 0	2 6	7 0	1 0
3	4 6	4 0	4 0	4 0	2 9	7 0	1 0
4	4 6	4 0	4 0	4 0	2 11	7 0	1 0
5	5 0	4 6	4 4	4 2	3 0	7 6	1 0
6	5 6	5 0	4 9	4 6	3 1	8 0	1 0
7	6 0	5 6	5 2	4 10	3 2	8 6	1 0
8	6 6	6 0	5 7	5 2	3 3	9 0	1 0
9	7 0	6 6	6 0	5 6	3 4	9 6	1 0
10	7 6	7 0	6 5	5 10	3 5	10 0	1 0
11	8 0	7 6	6 10	6 2	3 6	10 0	1 1
12	8 6	8 0	7 3	6 6	3 7	10 0	1 2
13	9 0	8 6	7 8	6 10	3 8	10 0	1 3
14	9 6	9 0	8 1	7 2	3 9	10 6	1 5
15	10 0	9 6	8 6	7 6	3 10	11 0	1 6
16	10 8	10 0	8 11	7 10	3 11	11 6	1 7
17	11 4	10 6	9 4	8 2	4 0	12 0	1 8
18	12 0	11 0	9 9	8 6	4 2	12 6	1 9
19	12 8	11 6	10 2	8 10	4 4	13 0	1 10
20	13 4	12 0	10 7	9 2	4 6	13 6	1 11
21	14 0	12 6	11 0	9 6	4 8	14 0	2 0
22	14 8	13 0	11 5	9 10	4 10	14 6	2 2
23	15 4	13 6	11 10	10 2	5 0	15 0	2 3
24	16 0	14 0	12 3	10 6	5 2	15 6	2 4
25	16 8	14 6	12 8	10 10	5 4	16 0	2 5
26	17 4	15 0	13 0	11 2	5 6	16 6	2 6
27	18 0	15 6	13 5	11 6	5 8	17 0	2 7
28	18 8	16 0	13 9	11 10	5 10	17 6	2 8
29	19 4	16 6	14 2	12 2	6 0	18 0	2 9
30	20 0	17 0	14 6	12 5	6 2	18 6	2 11
31	20 8	17 6	14 11	12 8	6 4	19 0	3 0
32	21 4	18 0	15 3	12 11	6 6	19 6	3 1
33	22 0	18 6	15 8	13 2	6 8	20 0	3 2
34	22 8	19 0	16 1	13 5	6 10	20 6	3 3
35	23 4	19 6	16 6	13 8	7 0	21 0	3 4
36	24 0	20 0	16 11	13 11	7 2	21 6	3 5
37	24 8	20 6	17 4	14 2	7 4	22 0	3 6
38	25 4	21 0	17 9	14 5	7 6	22 6	3 8
39	26 0	21 6	18 2	14 8	7 8	23 0	3 9
40	26 6	22 0	18 7	14 11	7 10	23 6	3 10
41	27 0	22 6	19 0	15 2	7 11	23 10	3 11
42	27 6	23 0	19 5	15 5	8 0	24 2	4 0
43	28 0	23 6	19 10	15 8	8 1	24 6	4 1
44	28 6	24 0	20 5	15 11	8 2	24 10	4 2
45	29 0	24 6	20 10	16 2	8 3	25 2	4 3

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CLASSIFIED RATES.

Dis- tance.	H.	K.	M.	M.	N.	P.	Q.
Miles.	Double- dumped, per Bale.	Per 100 Super- ficial Feet.	Double- floor, per Truck.	Single- floor, per Truck.	Per Ton.	Per Ton.	Per Ton.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1	1 9	0 8	15 0	15 0	2 6	2 6	1 9
2	1 9	0 8	15 0	15 0	2 6	2 6	1 9
3	1 9	0 8	15 0	15 0	2 6	2 6	1 9
4	1 9	0 8	15 0	15 0	3 6	2 6	1 9
5	1 9	0 8	15 0	15 0	3 6	2 6	1 9
6	1 9	0 8	15 0	15 0	3 6	2 6	1 9
7	1 9	0 8	15 0	15 0	3 6	2 6	1 9
8	1 9	0 8	15 0	15 0	3 6	2 6	1 9
9	1 9	0 8	15 0	15 0	3 6	2 6	1 9
10	1 9	0 8	15 0	15 0	3 6	2 6	1 9
11	1 11	0 9	15 0	15 0	3 6	2 6	1 9
12	2 1	0 10	15 0	15 0	3 6	2 6	1 9
13	2 2	0 11	15 0	15 0	3 8	2 8	1 11
14	2 6	1 0	15 0	15 0	3 10	2 10	2 0
15	2 8	1 1	15 0	15 0	4 0	3 0	2 2
16	2 9	1 2	15 9	15 0	4 2	3 2	2 3
17	2 11	1 3	16 6	15 0	4 4	3 3	2 5
18	3 1	1 3	17 3	15 0	4 6	3 5	2 6
19	3 3	1 4	18 0	15 0	4 8	3 6	2 8
20	3 4	1 4	18 9	15 0	4 10	3 8	2 9
21	3 6	1 5	19 6	15 6	5 0	3 10	2 11
22	3 10	1 5	20 3	16 0	5 2	3 11	3 0
23	3 11	1 5	21 0	16 6	5 4	4 1	3 2
24	4 1	1 6	21 9	17 0	5 6	4 2	3 3
25	4 3	1 6	22 6	17 6	5 8	4 4	3 4
26	4 5	1 6	23 3	18 0	5 10	4 6	3 5
27	4 6	1 7	24 0	18 6	6 0	4 7	3 6
28	4 8	1 7	24 9	19 0	6 2	4 9	3 7
29	4 10	1 7	25 6	19 6	6 4	4 10	3 8
30	5 1	1 8	26 3	20 0	6 6	5 0	3 9
31	5 3	1 8	27 0	20 6	6 8	5 2	3 10
32	5 5	1 8	27 9	21 0	6 10	5 3	3 11
33	5 7	1 9	28 6	21 6	7 0	5 5	4 0
34	5 8	1 9	29 3	22 0	7 2	5 6	4 1
35	5 10	1 9	30 0	22 6	7 4	5 8	4 2
36	6 0	1 10	30 9	23 0	7 6	5 10	4 3
37	6 2	1 10	31 6	23 6	7 8	5 11	4 4
38	6 5	1 10	32 3	24 0	7 10	6 1	4 5
39	6 7	1 11	33 0	24 6	8 0	6 2	4 6
40	6 9	1 11	33 9	25 0	8 2	6 4	4 7
41	6 10	1 11	34 2	25 6	8 4	6 6	4 8
42	7 0	2 0	34 9	26 0	8 6	6 7	4 9
43	7 2	2 0	35 3	26 6	8 8	6 9	4 10
44	7 4	2 0	35 9	27 0	8 10	6 10	4 11
45	7 5	2 1	36 3	27 6	9 0	7 0	5 0

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CLASSIFIED RATES—continued.

Dis- tance.	A.	B.	C.	D.	E.	F.	H.
Miles.	Per Ton.	Per Ton.	Per Ton.	Per Ton.	Per Ton.	Per Truck.	Undumped per Bale.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
46	29 6	25 0	21 3	16 5	8 4	25 6	4 4
47	30 0	25 6	21 8	16 8	8 5	25 10	4 5
48	30 6	26 0	22 1	16 11	8 6	26 2	4 6
49	31 0	26 5	22 6	17 2	8 7	26 6	4 7
50	31 6	26 10	22 11	17 5	8 8	26 10	4 8
51	32 0	27 3	23 4	17 8	8 9	27 2	4 9
52	32 6	27 8	23 9	17 11	8 10	27 6	4 10
53	33 0	28 1	24 2	18 2	8 11	27 10	4 10
54	33 6	28 6	24 6	18 5	9 0	28 2	4 11
55	34 0	28 11	24 10	18 8	9 1	28 6	5 0
56	34 6	29 4	25 2	18 11	9 2	28 10	5 1
57	34 11	29 8	25 5	19 2	9 3	29 2	5 1
58	35 4	30 0	25 8	19 5	9 4	29 6	5 2
59	35 9	30 4	25 11	19 8	9 5	29 10	5 3
60	36 2	30 8	26 2	19 11	9 6	30 2	5 4
61	36 7	31 0	26 5	20 2	9 7	30 6	5 4
62	37 0	31 4	26 8	20 5	9 8	30 10	5 5
63	37 5	31 8	26 11	20 8	9 9	31 2	5 6
64	37 10	32 0	27 2	20 11	9 10	31 6	5 7
65	38 3	32 4	27 5	21 2	9 11	31 10	5 7
66	38 8	32 8	27 8	21 5	10 0	32 2	5 8
67	39 1	33 0	27 11	21 8	10 1	32 6	5 9
68	39 6	33 4	28 2	21 11	10 2	32 10	5 10
69	39 11	33 7	28 5	22 2	10 3	33 2	5 10
70	40 2	33 10	28 8	22 4	10 4	33 6	5 11
71	40 6	34 1	28 11	22 6	10 5	33 10	6 0
72	40 10	34 4	29 2	22 8	10 5	34 2	6 1
73	41 2	34 7	29 4	22 10	10 6	34 6	6 1
74	41 6	34 10	29 6	23 0	10 6	34 10	6 2
75	41 10	35 1	29 8	23 2	10 7	35 2	6 3
76	42 2	35 4	29 10	23 4	10 7	35 6	6 4
77	42 6	35 7	30 0	23 6	10 8	35 10	6 4
78	42 10	35 10	30 2	23 8	10 8	36 2	6 5
79	43 2	36 1	30 4	23 10	10 9	36 6	6 6
80	43 6	36 4	30 6	24 0	10 9	36 10	6 7
81	43 10	36 7	30 8	24 1	10 10	37 2	6 7
82	44 2	36 10	30 10	24 3	10 10	37 6	6 8
83	44 6	37 1	31 0	24 4	10 11	37 10	6 9
84	44 10	37 4	31 2	24 6	10 11	38 2	6 10
85	45 2	37 7	31 4	24 7	11 0	38 6	6 10
86	45 6	37 10	31 6	24 9	11 0	38 10	6 11
87	45 10	38 1	31 8	24 10	11 1	39 2	7 0
88	46 2	38 4	31 10	25 0	11 1	39 6	7 1
89	46 6	38 7	32 0	25 1	11 2	39 10	7 1
90	46 10	38 10	32 2	25 3	11 2	40 2	7 2
91	47 1	40 0	32 5	25 4	11 3	40 6	7 3
92	47 4	40 2	32 7	25 6	11 3	40 10	7 3
93	47 7	40 4	32 9	25 7	11 4	41 2	7 3
94	47 10	40 6	32 10	25 9	11 4	41 6	7 3
95	48 1	40 8	33 0	25 10	11 5	41 10	7 4

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CLASSIFIED RATES—continued.

Dis- tance.	H.	K.	M.	M.	N.	P.	Q.
Miles.	Double- dumped, per Bale.	Per 100 Super- ficial Feet.	Double- floor, per Truck.	Single- floor, per Truck.	Per Ton.	Per Ton.	Per Ton.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
46	7 7	2 1	36 9	28 0	9 2	7 2	5 1
47	7 9	2 1	37 3	28 6	9 4	7 3	5 2
48	7 11	2 2	37 9	29 0	9 6	7 5	5 3
49	8 0	2 2	38 3	29 6	9 8	7 6	5 4
50	8 2	2 2	38 9	30 0	9 10	7 8	5 5
51	8 4	2 3	39 3	30 6	9 11	7 9	5 6
52	8 6	2 3	39 9	31 0	10 0	7 10	5 7
53	8 6	2 3	40 3	31 6	10 1	7 10	5 8
54	8 7	2 4	40 9	32 0	10 2	7 11	5 9
55	8 9	2 4	41 3	32 6	10 3	8 0	5 10
56	8 11	2 4	41 9	33 0	10 4	8 1	5 11
57	8 11	2 5	42 3	33 6	10 5	8 2	6 0
58	9 1	2 5	42 9	34 0	10 6	8 2	6 1
59	9 2	2 5	43 3	34 6	10 7	8 3	6 2
60	9 4	2 6	43 9	35 0	10 8	8 4	6 3
61	9 4	2 6	44 2	35 6	10 9	8 5	6 4
62	9 6	2 6	44 6	36 0	10 10	8 6	6 4
63	9 8	2 6	44 11	36 6	10 11	8 6	6 5
64	9 9	2 7	45 3	37 0	11 0	8 7	6 5
65	9 9	2 7	45 8	37 6	11 1	8 8	6 6
66	9 11	2 8	46 0	38 0	11 2	8 9	6 6
67	10 1	2 8	46 5	38 6	11 3	8 10	6 7
68	10 3	2 8	46 9	39 0	11 4	8 10	6 7
69	10 3	2 9	47 2	39 6	11 5	8 11	6 8
70	10 4	2 9	47 6	40 0	11 6	9 0	6 8
71	10 6	2 9	47 11	40 4	11 7	9 1	6 9
72	10 8	2 10	48 3	40 8	11 8	9 2	6 9
73	10 8	2 10	48 8	41 0	11 9	9 2	6 10
74	10 10	2 11	49 0	41 4	11 10	9 3	6 10
75	10 11	2 11	49 5	41 8	11 11	9 4	6 11
76	11 1	2 11	49 9	42 0	12 0	9 4	6 11
77	11 1	2 11	50 2	42 4	12 0	9 5	7 0
78	11 3	2 11	50 6	42 8	12 1	9 5	7 0
79	11 5	2 11	50 11	43 0	12 1	9 6	7 1
80	11 6	3 0	51 3	43 4	12 2	9 6	7 1
81	11 6	3 0	51 8	43 8	12 3	9 6	7 2
82	11 8	3 0	52 0	44 0	12 3	9 7	7 2
83	11 10	3 0	52 5	44 4	12 3	9 7	7 3
84	12 0	3 0	52 9	44 8	12 4	9 8	7 3
85	12 0	3 0	53 2	45 0	12 4	9 8	7 4
86	12 1	3 0	53 6	45 4	12 5	9 8	7 4
87	12 3	3 0	53 11	45 8	12 5	9 9	7 5
88	12 5	3 1	54 3	46 0	12 6	9 9	7 5
89	12 5	3 1	54 8	46 4	12 6	9 10	7 6
90	12 7	3 1	55 0	46 8	12 7	9 10	7 6
91	12 8	3 1	55 5	47 0	12 7	9 10	7 7
92	12 8	3 1	55 9	47 4	12 8	9 11	7 7
93	12 8	3 1	56 2	47 8	12 8	9 11	7 8
94	12 8	3 1	56 6	48 0	12 9	10 0	7 8
95	12 10	3 1	56 11	48 4	12 9	10 0	7 9

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CLASSIFIED RATES—*continued.*

Dis- tance.	A.	B.	C.	D.	E.	F.	H.
Miles.	Per Ton.	Per Ton.	Per Ton.	Per Ton.	Per Ton.	Per Truck.	Undumped per Bale.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
96	48 4	40 10	33 1	26 0	11 5	42 2	7 4
97	48 7	41 0	33 3	26 1	11 6	42 6	7 4
98	48 10	41 2	33 4	26 3	11 6	42 10	7 4
99	49 1	41 4	33 6	26 4	11 7	43 2	7 5
100	49 4	41 6	33 7	26 6	11 7	43 6	7 5
101	49 7	41 8	33 9	26 8	11 8	43 9	7 5
102	49 10	41 10	33 10	26 9	11 8	44 0	7 5
103	50 1	42 0	34 0	26 11	11 9	44 3	7 6
104	50 4	42 2	34 1	27 0	11 9	44 6	7 6
105	50 7	42 4	34 3	27 2	11 10	44 9	7 6
106	50 10	42 6	34 4	27 3	11 10	45 0	7 6
107	51 1	42 8	34 6	27 5	11 11	45 3	7 7
108	51 4	42 10	34 7	27 6	11 11	45 6	7 7
109	51 7	43 0	34 9	27 8	12 0	45 9	7 7
110	51 10	43 2	34 10	27 9	12 0	46 0	7 7
111	52 1	43 4	35 0	27 11	12 1	46 3	7 8
112	52 4	43 6	35 1	28 0	12 1	46 6	7 8
113	52 7	43 8	35 3	28 2	12 2	46 9	7 8
114	52 10	43 10	35 4	28 3	12 2	47 0	7 8
115	53 1	44 0	35 6	28 5	12 3	47 3	7 9
116	53 4	44 2	35 7	28 6	12 3	47 6	7 9
117	53 7	44 4	35 9	28 8	12 4	47 9	7 9
118	53 10	44 6	35 10	28 9	12 4	48 0	7 9
119	54 1	44 8	36 0	28 11	12 5	48 3	7 10
120	54 4	44 10	36 1	29 0	12 5	48 6	7 10
121	54 7	45 0	36 3	29 2	12 6	48 9	7 10
122	54 10	45 2	36 4	29 3	12 6	49 0	7 10
123	55 1	45 4	36 6	29 5	12 7	49 3	7 11
124	55 4	45 6	36 7	29 6	12 7	49 6	7 11
125	55 7	45 8	36 9	29 8	12 8	49 9	7 11
126	55 10	45 10	36 10	29 9	12 8	50 0	7 11
127	56 1	46 0	37 0	29 11	12 9	50 3	8 0
128	56 4	46 2	37 1	30 0	12 9	50 6	8 0
129	56 7	46 4	37 3	30 2	12 10	50 9	8 0
130	56 10	46 6	37 4	30 3	12 10	51 0	8 0
131	57 1	46 8	37 7	30 4	12 11	51 3	8 1
132	57 4	46 10	37 9	30 6	12 11	51 6	8 1
133	57 7	47 0	37 10	30 7	13 0	51 9	8 1
134	57 10	47 2	38 0	30 9	13 0	52 0	8 1
135	58 1	47 4	38 1	30 10	13 1	52 3	8 2
136	58 4	47 6	38 3	31 0	13 1	52 6	8 2
137	58 7	47 8	38 4	31 1	13 2	52 9	8 2
138	58 10	47 10	38 6	31 3	13 2	53 0	8 2
139	59 1	48 0	38 7	31 4	13 3	53 3	8 3
140	59 4	48 2	38 9	31 6	13 3	53 6	8 3
141	59 7	48 4	38 10	31 7	13 4	53 9	8 3
142	59 10	48 6	39 0	31 9	13 4	54 0	8 3
143	60 1	48 8	39 1	31 10	13 5	54 3	8 4
144	60 4	48 10	39 3	32 0	13 5	54 6	8 4
145	60 7	49 0	39 4	32 1	13 6	54 9	8 4
146	60 10	49 2	39 6	32 3	13 6	55 0	8 4
147	61 1	49 4	39 7	32 4	13 7	55 3	8 5
148	61 4	49 6	39 10	32 6	13 7	55 6	8 5
149	61 7	49 8	40 0	32 7	13 8	55 9	8 5
150	61 10	49 10	40 1	32 9	13 8	56 0	8 5

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CLASSIFIED RATES—continued.

Dis- tance.	H.	K.	M.	M.	N.	P.	Q.
Miles.	Double- dumped, per Bale.	Per 100 Super- ficial Feet.	Double- floor, per Truck.	Single- floor, per Truck.	Per Ton.	Per Ton.	Per Ton.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
96	12 10	3 2	57 3	48 8	12 10	10 0	7 9
97	12 10	3 2	57 8	49 0	12 10	10 1	7 10
98	12 10	3 2	58 0	49 4	12 11	10 1	7 10
99	13 0	3 2	58 5	49 8	12 11	10 2	7 11
100	13 0	3 2	58 9	50 0	13 0	10 2	7 11
101	13 0	3 2	59 0	50 3	13 0	10 2	8 0
102	13 0	3 2	59 3	50 6	13 1	10 3	8 0
103	13 2	3 2	59 6	50 9	13 1	10 3	8 1
104	13 2	3 3	59 9	51 0	13 2	10 4	8 1
105	13 2	3 3	60 0	51 3	13 2	10 4	8 2
106	13 2	3 3	60 3	51 6	13 3	10 4	8 2
107	13 3	3 3	60 6	51 9	13 3	10 5	8 3
108	13 3	3 3	60 9	52 0	13 4	10 5	8 3
109	13 3	3 3	61 0	52 3	13 4	10 6	8 4
110	13 3	3 3	61 3	52 6	13 5	10 6	8 4
111	13 5	3 3	61 6	52 9	13 5	10 6	8 5
112	13 5	3 4	61 9	53 0	13 6	10 7	8 5
113	13 5	3 4	62 0	53 3	13 6	10 7	8 6
114	13 5	3 4	62 3	53 6	13 7	10 8	8 6
115	13 7	3 4	62 6	53 9	13 7	10 8	8 7
116	13 7	3 4	62 9	54 0	13 8	10 8	8 7
117	13 7	3 4	63 0	54 3	13 8	10 9	8 8
118	13 7	3 4	63 3	54 6	13 9	10 9	8 8
119	13 9	3 4	63 6	54 9	13 9	10 10	8 9
120	13 9	3 5	63 9	55 0	13 10	10 10	8 9
121	13 9	3 5	64 0	55 3	13 10	10 10	8 10
122	13 9	3 5	64 3	55 6	13 11	10 11	8 10
123	13 10	3 5	64 6	55 9	13 11	10 11	8 11
124	13 10	3 5	64 9	56 0	14 0	11 0	8 11
125	13 10	3 5	65 0	56 3	14 0	11 0	9 0
126	13 10	3 5	65 3	56 6	14 1	11 0	9 0
127	14 0	3 5	65 6	56 9	14 1	11 1	9 1
128	14 0	3 6	65 9	57 0	14 2	11 1	9 1
129	14 0	3 6	66 0	57 3	14 2	11 2	9 2
130	14 0	3 6	66 3	57 6	14 3	11 2	9 2
131	14 2	3 6	66 6	57 9	14 3	11 2	9 3
132	14 2	3 6	66 9	58 0	14 4	11 3	9 3
133	14 2	3 6	67 0	58 3	14 4	11 3	9 4
134	14 2	3 6	67 3	58 6	14 5	11 4	9 4
135	14 4	3 6	67 6	58 9	14 5	11 4	9 5
136	14 4	3 6	67 9	59 0	14 6	11 4	9 5
137	14 4	3 7	68 0	59 3	14 6	11 5	9 6
138	14 4	3 7	68 3	59 6	14 7	11 5	9 6
139	14 5	3 7	68 6	59 9	14 7	11 6	9 7
140	14 5	3 7	68 9	60 0	14 8	11 6	9 7
141	14 5	3 7	69 0	60 3	14 8	11 6	9 8
142	14 5	3 7	69 3	60 6	14 9	11 7	9 8
143	14 7	3 7	69 6	60 9	14 9	11 7	9 9
144	14 7	3 8	69 9	61 0	14 10	11 8	9 9
145	14 7	3 8	70 0	61 3	14 10	11 8	9 10
146	14 7	3 8	70 3	61 6	14 11	11 8	9 10
147	14 9	3 8	70 6	61 9	14 11	11 9	9 11
148	14 9	3 8	70 9	62 0	15 0	11 9	9 11
149	14 9	3 8	71 0	62 3	15 0	11 10	10 0
150	14 9	3 8	71 3	62 6	15 1	11 10	10 0

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CLASSIFIED RATES—continued.

Dis- tance.	A.	B.	C.	D.	E.	F.	H.
	Miles.	Per Ton.	Per Ton.	Per Ton.	Per Ton.	Per Truck.	Undumped per Bale.
Not ex- ceeding	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
155	62 0	50 0	40 2	32 10	13 9	56 3	8 6
160	62 8	50 6	40 6	33 2	13 11	57 3	8 7
165	63 6	51 1	40 11	33 7	14 1	58 6	8 8
170	64 4	51 9	41 4	34 0	14 4	59 9	8 9
175	65 2	52 4	41 9	34 5	14 6	61 0	8 11
180	66 0	53 0	42 2	34 10	14 9	62 3	9 0
185	66 10	53 7	42 7	35 3	14 11	63 6	9 1
190	67 8	54 3	43 0	35 8	15 2	64 9	9 2
195	68 6	54 10	43 5	36 1	15 4	66 0	9 4
200	69 4	55 6	43 10	36 6	15 7	67 3	9 5
205	70 2	56 1	44 3	36 11	15 9	68 6	9 6
210	71 0	56 9	44 8	37 4	16 0	69 9	9 8
215	71 10	57 4	45 1	37 9	16 2	71 0	9 9
220	72 8	58 0	45 6	38 2	16 5	72 3	9 10
225	73 6	58 7	45 11	38 7	16 7	73 6	9 11
230	74 4	59 3	46 4	39 0	16 10	74 9	10 1
235	75 2	59 10	46 9	39 5	17 0	76 0	10 2
240	76 0	60 6	47 2	39 10	17 2	77 3	10 3
245	76 10	61 1	47 7	40 3	17 5	78 6	10 4
250	77 8	61 9	48 0	40 8	17 7	79 9	10 6
255	78 6	62 4	48 5	41 1	17 10	81 0	10 7
260	79 4	62 11	48 10	41 6	18 0	82 3	10 9
265	80 2	63 4	49 3	41 11	18 3	83 6	10 10
270	81 0	63 9	49 8	42 4	18 5	84 9	10 11
275	81 10	64 2	50 1	42 9	18 8	86 0	11 0
280	82 8	64 7	50 6	43 2	18 10	87 3	11 2
285	83 6	65 0	50 11	43 7	19 1	88 6	11 3
290	84 4	65 5	51 4	44 0	19 3	89 9	11 4
295	85 2	65 10	51 9	44 5	19 5	91 0	11 5
300	86 0	66 3	52 2	44 10	19 8	92 3	11 7
305	86 10	66 8	52 7	45 3	19 10	93 6	11 8
310	87 8	67 1	53 0	45 8	20 1	94 9	11 9
315	88 6	67 6	53 5	46 1	20 3	96 0	11 10
320	89 4	67 11	53 10	46 6	20 6	97 3	12 0
325	90 2	68 4	54 3	46 11	20 8	98 6	12 1
330	91 0	68 9	54 8	47 4	20 11	99 9	12 2
335	91 10	69 2	55 1	47 9	21 1	101 0	12 3
340	92 8	69 7	55 6	48 2	21 4	102 3	12 5
345	93 6	70 0	55 11	48 7	21 6	103 6	12 6
350	94 4	70 5	56 4	49 0	21 9	104 9	12 7
355	95 2	70 10	56 9	49 5	21 11	106 0	12 8
360	96 0	71 3	57 2	49 10	22 2	107 3	12 10
365	96 10	71 8	57 7	50 3	22 4	108 6	12 11
370	97 8	72 1	58 0	50 8	22 7	109 9	13 0
375	98 6	72 6	58 5	51 1	22 9	111 0	13 1
380	99 4	72 11	58 10	51 6	23 0	112 3	13 3
385	100 2	73 4	59 3	51 11	23 2	113 6	13 4
390	101 0	73 9	59 8	52 4	23 5	114 9	13 5
395	101 10	74 2	60 1	52 9	23 7	116 0	13 6
400	102 8	74 7	60 6	53 2	23 10	117 3	13 8

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CLASSIFIED RATES—continued.

Dis- tance.	H.	K.	M.	M.	N.	P.	Q.
Miles.	Double- dumped, per Bale.	Per 100 Super- ficial Feet.	Double- floor, per Truck.	Single- floor, per Truck.	Per Ton.	Per Ton.	Per Ton.
Not ex- ceeding	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
155	14 11	3 8	71 6	62 9	15 1	11 10	10 3
160	15 1	3 9	72 6	63 9	15 4	12 1	10 5
165	15 3	3 10	73 9	65 0	15 7	12 4	10 8
170	15 6	3 10	75 0	66 3	15 10	12 7	10 10
175	15 8	3 11	76 3	67 6	16 1	12 10	11 1
180	15 11	3 11	77 6	68 9	16 4	13 1	11 3
185	16 1	4 0	78 9	70 0	16 8	13 5	11 6
190	16 4	4 1	80 0	71 3	16 11	13 8	11 8
195	16 6	4 1	81 3	72 6	17 2	13 11	11 11
200	16 9	4 2	82 6	73 9	17 5	14 2	12 1
205	17 0	4 3	83 9	75 0	17 8	14 5	12 4
210	17 2	4 3	85 0	76 3	17 11	14 8	12 6
215	17 5	4 4	86 3	77 6	18 2	14 11	12 9
220	17 7	4 4	87 6	78 9	18 6	15 3	12 11
225	17 10	4 5	88 9	80 0	18 9	15 6	13 2
230	18 0	4 6	90 0	81 3	19 0	15 9	13 4
235	18 3	4 7	91 3	82 6	19 3	16 0	13 7
240	18 5	4 9	92 6	83 9	19 6	16 3	13 9
245	18 8	4 10	93 9	85 0	19 9	16 6	14 0
250	18 10	4 11	95 0	86 3	20 0	16 9	14 2
255	19 1	5 0	96 3	87 6	20 3	17 0	14 5
260	19 3	5 2	97 6	88 9	20 6	17 3	14 7
265	19 6	5 3	98 9	90 0	20 9	17 6	14 10
270	19 8	5 4	100 0	91 3	21 0	17 9	15 0
275	19 11	5 6	101 3	92 6	21 3	18 0	15 3
280	20 1	5 7	102 6	93 9	21 6	18 3	15 5
285	20 4	5 8	103 9	95 0	21 9	18 6	15 8
290	20 6	5 9	105 0	96 3	22 0	18 9	15 10
295	20 9	5 11	106 3	97 6	22 3	19 0	16 1
300	20 11	6 0	107 6	98 9	22 6	19 3	16 3
305	21 2	6 1	108 9	100 0	22 9	19 6	16 6
310	21 4	6 2	110 0	101 3	23 0	19 9	16 8
315	21 7	6 4	111 3	102 6	23 3	20 0	16 11
320	21 9	6 5	112 6	103 9	23 6	20 3	17 1
325	22 0	6 6	113 9	105 0	23 9	20 6	17 4
330	22 2	6 7	115 0	106 3	24 0	20 9	17 6
335	22 5	6 9	116 3	107 6	24 3	21 0	17 9
340	22 7	6 10	117 6	108 9	24 6	21 3	17 11
345	22 10	6 11	118 9	110 0	24 9	21 6	18 2
350	23 0	7 0	120 0	111 3	25 0	21 9	18 4
355	23 3	7 1	121 3	112 6	25 3	22 0	18 7
360	23 5	7 3	122 6	113 9	25 6	22 3	18 9
365	23 8	7 4	123 9	115 0	25 9	22 6	19 0
370	23 10	7 5	125 0	116 3	26 0	22 9	19 2
375	24 1	7 7	126 3	117 6	26 3	23 0	19 5
380	24 3	7 8	127 6	118 9	26 6	23 3	19 7
385	24 6	7 9	128 9	120 0	26 9	23 6	19 10
390	24 8	7 10	130 0	121 3	27 0	23 9	20 0
395	24 11	8 0	131 3	122 6	27 3	24 0	20 3
400	25 1	8 1	132 6	123 9	27 6	24 3	20 5

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CLASSIFIED RATES—continued.

A.	B.	C.	D.	E.	F.	G.
-	-	-	-	-	-	Un-dumped.
For each additional five miles or fraction thereof beyond 400, 10d. per ton will be added.	For each additional five miles or fraction thereof beyond 400, 5d. per ton will be added.	For each additional five miles or fraction thereof beyond 400, 5d. per ton will be added.	For each additional five miles or fraction thereof beyond 400, 5d. per ton will be added.	For each additional five miles or fraction thereof beyond 400, 2½d. per ton will be added.	For each additional five miles or fraction thereof beyond 400, 1s. 3d. per truck will be added.	For each additional five miles or fraction thereof beyond 400, 1½d. per bale will be added.

H.	K.	M.	M.	N.	P.	Q.
Double-dumped.	-	Double-floor.	Single-floor.	-	-	-
For each additional five miles or fraction thereof beyond 400, 2½d. per bale will be added.	For each additional five miles or fraction thereof beyond 400, 1½d. per 100 superficial feet will be added.	For each additional five miles or fraction thereof beyond 400, 1s. 3d. per truck will be added.	For each additional five miles or fraction thereof beyond 400, 1s. 3d. per truck will be added.	For each additional five miles or fraction thereof beyond 400, 3d. per ton will be added.	For each additional five miles or fraction thereof beyond 400, 3d. per ton will be added.	For each additional five miles or fraction thereof beyond 400, 2½d. per ton will be added.

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Regulations.

All goods specified, and not otherwise provided for, will be charged in accordance with the classified rates in the preceding tables, but subject to the following conditions and regulations, viz. :—

- (1.) Goods from different consignors to one consignee, or from one consignor to different consignees, will be charged separately.
- (a.) Goods of Classes A, B, C, D, E, from one consignor to one consignee, will be charged at the classified rate, or at the rates prescribed by Parts III., IV., or V. hereof, as may be provided, except the charge at scale for small lots amounts to more.
- (b.) Any number of consignments of different classes from one consignor to one consignee will be charged separately or as one consignment of the highest class to which either of them belongs.
- (c.) But when a consignment which would be charged at classified rates, and not at the scale for small lots, is sent with small lots, such consignment may be charged separately, and the small lots may be treated independently under regulation (b).

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REGULATIONS.

(2.) Scale for Small Lots.

Where classified rates are varied by regulations or provisions in Parts III., IV., or V. hereof, such varied rates shall be substituted for the classified rates in computing charges for small lots.

Where the rate per ton exceeds	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
...	...	8 0	10 0	12 0	14 0	16 0	20 0	20 0	0
But does not exceed	...	8 0	10 0	12 0	14 0	16 0	20 0	24 0	0
Not exceeding	1 cwt.	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 3	1 6	2 0	2 3	3
Above 1 cwt. and not exceeding	1 1/4 "	1 0	1 0	1 1	1 3	1 6	2 0	2 5	5
"	1 1/2 "	1 0	1 0	1 2	1 4	1 7	2 1	2 6	6
"	1 3/4 "	1 0	1 1	1 3	1 5	1 8	2 2	2 7	7
"	2 "	1 0	1 2	1 4	1 6	1 9	2 3	2 8	8
"	2 1/4 "	1 2	1 5	1 7	1 11	2 2	2 8	3 2	2
"	2 1/2 "	1 3	1 7	1 9	2 0	2 4	2 11	3 6	6
"	2 3/4 "	1 4	1 8	1 11	2 3	2 6	3 2	3 9	9
"	3 "	1 5	1 9	2 0	2 4	2 8	3 5	4 0	0
"	3 1/4 "	1 6	1 11	2 2	2 7	2 11	3 8	4 4	4
"	3 1/2 "	1 7	2 1	2 4	2 9	3 2	3 11	4 9	9
"	3 3/4 "	1 8	2 2	2 6	2 11	3 4	4 2	5 0	0
"	3 1/2 "	1 9	2 3	2 8	3 0	3 6	4 6	5 4	4
Where the rate per ton exceeds	...	24 0	28 0	32 0	36 0	40 0	44 0	48 0	0
But does not exceed	...	28 0	32 0	36 0	40 0	44 0	48 0	52 0	0
Not exceeding	1 cwt.	2 8	2 8	2 11	2 11	3 2	3 2	4 0	0
Above 1 cwt. and not exceeding	1 1/4 "	2 10	2 11	3 3	3 5	3 8	3 9	4 6	6
"	1 1/2 "	3 0	3 2	3 7	3 9	4 2	4 5	5 0	0
"	1 3/4 "	3 2	3 5	3 11	4 2	4 8	5 0	5 6	6
"	2 "	3 3	3 8	4 2	4 8	5 1	5 7	6 0	0
"	2 1/4 "	3 8	4 1	4 8	5 3	5 8	6 3	6 9	9
"	2 1/2 "	4 0	4 7	5 3	5 9	6 4	6 11	7 5	5
"	2 3/4 "	4 4	5 0	5 8	6 3	6 11	7 6	8 2	2
"	3 "	4 9	5 5	6 1	6 10	7 5	8 2	8 10	10
"	3 1/4 "	5 2	5 10	6 7	7 4	8 0	8 9	9 5	5
"	3 1/2 "	5 6	6 4	7 1	7 10	8 8	9 4	10 0	0
"	3 3/4 "	5 10	6 9	7 6	8 5	9 3	10 0	10 8	8
"	3 1/2 "	6 2	7 1	8 0	8 10	9 9	10 7	11 3	3
Where the rate per ton exceeds	...	52 0	56 0	60 0	64 0	68 0	72 0	76 0	0
But does not exceed	...	56 0	60 0	64 0	68 0	72 0	76 0	80 0	0
Not exceeding	1 cwt.	4 0	4 9	4 9	4 9	5 6	6 4	6 4	4
Above 1 cwt. and not exceeding	1 1/4 "	4 8	5 4	5 5	5 6	6 4	6 11	7 1	1
"	1 1/2 "	5 3	5 10	6 1	6 3	7 0	7 6	7 10	10
"	1 3/4 "	5 10	6 5	6 10	7 1	7 9	8 2	8 7	7
"	2 "	6 6	6 11	7 5	7 11	8 5	8 9	9 3	3
"	2 1/4 "	7 3	7 9	8 3	8 10	9 4	9 10	10 5	5
"	2 1/2 "	8 0	8 7	9 2	9 8	10 4	10 11	11 5	5
"	2 3/4 "	8 9	9 4	10 0	10 7	11 3	11 10	12 6	6
"	3 "	9 5	10 1	10 11	11 5	12 2	12 9	13 6	6
"	3 1/4 "	10 2	10 11	11 8	12 4	13 1	13 10	14 7	7
"	3 1/2 "	11 0	11 9	12 7	13 2	14 1	14 9	15 8	8
"	3 3/4 "	11 8	12 6	13 4	14 1	15 0	15 9	16 8	8
"	3 1/2 "	12 5	13 2	14 1	14 11	15 11	16 8	17 8	8

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(2.) Scale for Small Lots—continued.

Where the rate per ton exceeds	...	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
...	...	80	0	84	0	88	0	92	0	96	0	100	0
But does not exceed	...	84	0	88	0	92	0	96	0	100	0	104	0
Not exceeding	1 cwt.	7	1	7	10	8	8	8	8	9	6	10	3
Above 1 cwt. and not exceeding	1 1/4 "	7	9	8	6	8	7	9	3	9	6	10	10
"	1 1/2 "	8	6	9	1	9	3	9	11	10	2	10	11
"	1 3/4 "	9	1	9	7	9	11	10	6	10	10	11	11
"	2 "	9	8	10	1	10	7	11	0	11	6	12	6
"	2 1/4 "	10	10	11	4	11	10	12	4	12	11	13	0
"	2 1/2 "	12	0	12	7	13	0	13	8	14	4	14	6
"	2 3/4 "	13	1	13	9	14	3	15	0	15	8	16	10
"	3 "	14	2	14	10	15	6	16	3	17	0	17	3
"	3 1/4 "	15	3	16	0	16	8	17	6	18	3	19	8
"	3 1/2 "	16	5	17	2	17	11	18	9	19	7	20	1
"	3 3/4 "	17	6	18	3	19	2	19	11	20	10	21	6
"	3 1/2 "	18	6	19	5	20	3	21	2	22	0	23	9
Where the rate per ton exceeds	...	108	0	112	0	116	0	120	0	124	0	128	0
But does not exceed	...	112	0	116	0	120	0	124	0	128	0	132	0
Not exceeding	1 cwt.	10	3	11	0	11	9	11	10	12	8	13	6
Above 1 cwt. and not exceeding	1 1/4 "	10	11	11	8	12	4	12	6	13	3	13	0
"	1 1/2 "	11	10	12	3	12	10	13	0	13	9	14	7
"	1 3/4 "	12	3	12	10	13	5	13	8	14	3	14	2
"	2 "	12	11	13	5	13	11	14	2	14	9	15	8
"	2 1/4 "	14	5	15	0	15	7	15	11	16	6	17	6
"	2 1/2 "	16	0	16	6	17	2	17	8	18	3	18	4
"	2 3/4 "	17	6	18	1	18	8	19	5	20	0	20	2
"	3 "	19	0	19	7	20	3	21	0	21	8	22	0
"	3 1/4 "	20	6	21	1	21	10	22	8	23	4	24	9
"	3 1/2 "	21	10	22	7	23	6	24	3	25	0	25	6
"	3 3/4 "	23	3	24	1	25	0	25	10	26	8	27	3
"	3 1/2 "	24	8	25	6	26	6	27	4	28	3	29	11
Where the rate per ton exceeds	...	136	0	140	0	144	0	148	0	152	0	156	0
But does not exceed	...	140	0	144	0	148	0	152	0	156	0	...	...
Not exceeding	1 cwt.	14	2	14	2	15	0	15	9	15	9	...	...
Above 1 cwt. and not exceeding	1 1/4 "	14	8	14	9	15	0	15	8	16	4	16	5
"	1 1/2 "	15	3	15	5	15	9	16	3	17	0	17	2
"	1 3/4 "	15	9	16	0	16	5	16	11	17	6	17	10
"	2 "	16	2	16	7	17	2	17	6	18	0	18	6
"	2 1/4 "	18	1	18	6	19	2	19	7	20	1	20	8
"	2 1/2 "	20	0	20	6	21	2	21	8	22	3	22	10
"	2 3/4 "	21	10	22	4	23	2	23	8	24	4	25	0
"	3 "	23	8	24	4	25	1	25	9	26	5	27	1
"	3 1/4 "	25	6	26	3	27	0	27	9	28	5	29	1
"	3 1/2 "	27	5	28	1	28	11	29	8	30	5	31	2
"	3 3/4 "	29	1	29	11	30	10	31	7	32	5	33	2
"	3 1/2 "	30	10	31	9	32	8	33	6	34	4	35	2

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(3.) Scale for Small Lots of Class E Goods, Poultry, Butter, Eggs, Honey, Beeswax, Game, Dead Rabbits, Cheese, Fish, Fresh or Cured Bacon or Hams, Rabbit, Sheep, and Calf-skins, Wool, Hides, Lard, Fat, Tallow, Meat, Bread, Seeds, Vegetables, Trees, Plants, and Shrubs, of 1cwt. or under.

Where the rate per ton exceeds ..	8/	10/	12/	14/	16/	20/	24/	28/	32/	36/	40/	44/	48/	
But does not exceed ...	8/	10/	12/	14/	16/	20/	24/	28/	32/	36/	40/	44/	48/	
lb.														
28	/9	/9	/9	1/	1/	1/2	1/2	1/4	1/4	1/6	1/6	1/9	1/9	2/
56	/10	/10	/10	1/1	1/2	1/5	1/7	1/9	1/9	1/11	1/11	2/2	2/2	2/8
84	/11	/11	/11	1/2	1/4	1/9	1/11	2/3	2/3	2/5	2/5	2/8	2/8	3/4
112	1/	1/	1/	1/3	1/6	2/	2/3	2/8	2/8	2/11	2/11	3/2	3/2	4/
Where the rate per ton exceeds ..	52/	56/	60/	64/	68/	72/	76/	80/	84/	88/	92/	96/	100/	104/
But does not exceed ..	56/	60/	64/	68/	72/	76/	80/	84/	88/	92/	96/	100/	104/	108/
lb.														
28	2/	2/3	2/3	2/6	2/9	3/	3/3	3/3	3/6	3/6	3/9	3/9	4/	4/
56	2/8	3/	3/	3/3	3/9	4/	4/3	4/6	4/9	4/9	5/	5/	5/3	5/9
84	3/4	4/	4/	4/	4/6	5/	5/3	5/9	6/	6/	6/6	6/6	6/9	7/6
112	4/	4/9	4/9	4/9	5/6	6/4	6/4	7/1	7/10	7/10	8/8	8/8	9/6	10/3

(4.) Class E.—Grain and other Agricultural Produce.

Minimum quantity, 1½ tons. Any less quantity will be charged as such minimum, or at rate and a half Class E, not exceeding the rate for Class D.

At Auckland, Onehunga, Spit, Wellington, Foxton, Wanganui, New Plymouth Breakwater, Waitara, Greymouth, Westport, Nelson, Nelson Port, Picton, Blenheim, Lyttelton, Christchurch, Timaru, Oamaru, Breakwater, Port Chalmers, Dunedin, Invercargill, and the Bluff, 6d. per ton will be charged in addition to the classified rates, except at private sidings at those stations, or except local rates otherwise provide.

At all other stations, when the loading or unloading is done by the owners, or when loaded by owners into sheds, owing to trucks not being available after reasonable notice is given, the classified rates only will be charged. When the loading or unloading is done by the Railway Department 6d. per ton will be charged for each operation; minimum charge, 3d.

At all private stores or sidings the loading or unloading shall be done by the owners. The following method of computing the tonnage of grain will be followed:—

- Wheat—10 bags of 4 bushels to the ton.
- Barley—12 bags of 4 bushels to the ton.
- Oats—14 bags of 4 bushels to the ton.
- Flour, Bran, and Pollard—2,200lb. to the ton.
- Oats (crushed) and other grain by actual weight.
- 60lb. of wheat, or 50lb. of barley, or 40lb. of oats count as 1 bushel.

The number of bags and the quantity they contain must be declared upon the consignment notes.

(5.) Class F.—Hay, Straw, Chaff, Turnips, &c.

The Railway Department may require all loading and unloading to be done by the owner. For each loading or unloading done by the department 5s. per truck will be charged. When loading by consignors is done negligently, and so as to entail reloading on the road, £1 per truck may be charged for reloading.

Beet, carrots, mangolds, pumpkins, turnips, pressed chaff, pressed hay, and pressed straw in quantities under a truck-load will be charged as a truck, or as Class E. Other goods of Class F under a truck-load will be charged as a truck, or as Class E, rate and a half. A truck-load must not exceed 6 tons in weight; any truck loaded with more than this quantity will be charged rate and a half.

Double-bogie trucks will be charged double the classified or local rates.

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For undumped bales of more than 4cwt., and double-dumped bales of more than 8cwt., $\frac{1}{4}$ d. per bale per mile will be added to the classified rates.

Scoured wool, undumped, in bales not exceeding $2\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. each, will be charged one-fifth less than the *classified rates*. Minimum charge, 1s. per bale. This will supersede the local rates specified in Part IV. where bales do not exceed $2\frac{1}{2}$ cwt., unless otherwise specified under Part IV.

The Railway Department may require all loading and unloading to be done by the owner.

For each loading or unloading done by the Railway Department 3d. per bale for undumped, and 6d. per bale for double-dumped, will be charged.

(7.) Class K.—Timber.*Sawn Timber, Squared Logs, and Mouldings.*

Timber carried in single wagons, minimum quantity, 1,200 superficial feet for each wagon for distances of 75 miles and under; 2,000 superficial feet for each wagon for distances over 75 miles: when timber is over 26ft. long a check wagon or wagons will be charged for. Timber carried in timber-trucks, minimum 2,000 superficial feet per pair of trucks for distances of 75 miles and under; minimum, 4,000 superficial feet per pair of trucks for distances over 75 miles: when timber is over 26ft. long a check wagon or wagons will be charged for except when conveyed in double-bogie trucks; when conveyed in double-bogie trucks check wagon or wagons will be charged for when required.

The minimum quantity for a double-bogie truck to be the same as for a pair of timber-trucks.

Any less quantity which can be carried in one truck will be charged as such minimum, or at 1d. per 100 superficial feet per mile up to 40 miles; for each additional mile up to 80 miles, $\frac{1}{2}$ d. per 100 superficial feet, and for each additional mile, $\frac{1}{4}$ d. per 100 superficial feet. Where this rate is charged the minimum quantity will be 100ft., and the minimum charge 1s. per 100 superficial feet, without further charge for loading or unloading.

The minimum charge for each consignment will be 2s. 6d.

Mouldings will be carried solely at owners' risk.

In computing the charges for timber 50ft. or under in excess of any multiple of 100 are to be foregone; over 50ft. to be charged as the next 100.

Australian and Tasmanian timbers will be charged at a rate and a half; any less quantity than the minimum will be charged as such minimum at a rate and a half, or as ordinary timber at the rate for small lots.

Round timber, measurement as follows: The average girth in inches to be squared and divided by 152, the result to be multiplied by length in feet; the product will be deemed to be the contents of the log in superficial feet.

Odd lengths of 6in. and upwards are to be counted as a foot in measuring the length of timber; less than 6in. are to be omitted.

No allowance to be made for bark by ringing or otherwise, or for tops, butts, or unsound wood.

One hundred palings, or 1,000 shingles, as 100ft. timber.

The full over-all dimensions will be used in computing the measurement of rusticated or moulded boards.

The Railway Department may require all loading and unloading to be done by the owner. For each loading or unloading done by the Railway Department 3d. per 100 superficial feet additional will be charged.

Where senders who do their own loading require a receipt for number of pieces, 3d. per 100 superficial feet additional will be charged, as if loading had been done by the department.

(8.) Class M.—Live Stock.

Cattle, Sheep, Pigs, Goats, and Calves, in Truck-loads, carried at Owners' risk.

No more animals are to be put into a truck than it will conveniently hold.

One *bond fide* drover and his dogs will be allowed to accompany each consignment of not less than three trucks of live-stock. He will be furnished with a free return pass for himself and his dogs, available for a week. He must ride in the Guard's van or a second-class carriage, as may be directed by the department. In cases where the stock is conveyed by more than one train a return pass will be issued for each train. The drover must travel by the same train as the stock, otherwise a pass will not be issued.

Mixed consignments of cattle and horses will be charged separately, or as one lot, as cattle.

All animals must be loaded and unloaded by the owners at their own risk and responsibility.

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Double-bogie wagons will be charged double rates, either single- or double-floored.

Cattle, Calves, Sheep, Goats, and Pigs, in small lots,

May be charged at truck-load rate, or at the following rates:—

	For any Distance not exceeding 10 Miles.	For every Mile after the First 10 Miles.
Cattle, one only	s. d. 7 0	d. 3
Cattle, each additional one in the same truck, belonging to the same owner	1 0	1
Calves (one year old and under), sheep, goats, or pigs, one only, carried loose	2 6	2
Calves, sheep, goats, or pigs, each additional one in the same truck, belonging to the same owner	0 3	0½

When a truck is only partially occupied by a consignment of live-stock the Commissioners have the right to fill it up to its full carrying-capacity with other stock. Where a truck is specially required by sender the truck rate will be charged.

All animals must be loaded and unloaded by owners at their own risk and responsibility.

The Commissioners reserve the right to supply single-floored trucks for the conveyance of sheep, &c., when double-floored trucks are not available, and in such cases two single-floored trucks will be charged as one double-floored truck.

Calves, sheep, goats, and pigs properly secured in crates, baskets, or sacks, so as to prevent injury to other goods, may be sent as goods, Class A.

Store Cattle and Sheep, in Large Mobs, for 100 Miles and upwards.

For distances of 100 miles and over, cattle and sheep certified by the consignor to be *bona fide* store stock, not consigned for slaughter, will be charged for the first 100 miles 5s. 9d. per truck for the first thirteen trucks, and for each additional truck 30s. per truck. For each additional mile 3d. per truck per mile will be charged. For distances under 100 miles the charge as for 100 miles will be made if lower than at classified rates.

(9.) Class N.—Special.

Minimum quantity, 4 tons, except for offal, for which it will be 2 tons. Any less quantity will be charged as such minimum, or at the classified rates for Class D.

The Railway Department may require loading or unloading to be done by the owner. For each loading or unloading done by the Railway Department 1s. per ton will be charged. When cramage is charged for or provided, 6d. per ton only will be charged for each loading or unloading done by the department.

(10.) Class P.—Native Coal (Anthracite or Bituminous), &c.

Minimum quantity, 4 tons, except otherwise specified below. Any less quantity will be charged as such minimum, or at the classified rates for Class D.

The minimum quantity of bonedust, guano, manure-salt, rock-salt, salt for agricultural or pastoral purposes, soot, and artificial manure will be 1½ tons; any less quantity will be charged as such minimum or as Class E (actual weight), single rate.

Mixed consignments of Classes N, P, or Q from one consignor to one consignee will be charged separately, or as one consignment at the highest class to which any of them belongs.

The Railway Department may require loading or unloading to be done by the owner. For each loading or unloading done by the Railway Department 1s. per ton will be charged. When cramage is charged for or provided, 6d. per ton only will be charged for each loading or unloading done by the department.

(11.) Class Q.—Road Materials, Brown Coals, Firewood, &c.

Firewood, posts and rails, railway-sleepers, and split house-blocks, minimum quantity, 6 tons per 4-wheel truck and 16 tons per double-bogie truck. The minimum quantity of other goods will be 4 tons per 4-wheel truck, and 15 tons per double-bogie truck. Any less quantities will be charged as such minimum, or at the classified rates for Class D, except in the case of bones, which will be charged as such minimum, or as Class P. The minimum quantity of bones to be charged at Class P rates will be 1½ tons; any less quantity will be charged as such minimum or as Class E (actual weight), single rate.

The Railway Department may require loading or unloading to be done by the owner. For each loading or unloading done by the Railway Department 1s. per ton will be charged. When cramage is charged for or provided, 6d. per ton only will be charged for each loading or unloading done by the department.

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Trucks will be allowed to remain at coal-pits, sand-pits, ballast-pits, or limekilns for eight working hours for the purpose of loading, after which demurrage will be charged at the rate of 10s. per truck per day or part of a day.

Any time from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. counted as working hours.

(12.) Goods and Live Stock conveyed by Special Trains.

Special trains ordered by consignors for conveyance of goods and live stock, which could be worked by the ordinary train service, will be charged 10s. per mile; minimum charge, £3. This charge will be in addition to the ordinary charges for the conveyance of the goods. The mileage will be counted one way only. The distance which a train has to run empty to commence a service will be charged at the rate of 5s. per mile.

(13.) Circuses.

Circuses conveyed by ordinary trains will be charged as follows:—

Animals, living, including animals in cages, at live-stock rates.

Vehicles, empty, at rates for carts, drays, &c.

Vehicles loaded with material, or in same truck with material, as material, see below.

Material, 9d. per 4-wheel truck per mile; 1s. 6d. per double-bogie truck per mile. Minimum charge per 4-wheel truck, 15s.; per double-bogie truck, 30s.

Circuses which could be conveyed by ordinary trains, but for which special trains are ordered by the owners, will be charged as follows:—

	s.	d.
Per carriage containing passengers	2	6 per mile.
Per 4-wheel truck	1	0 "
Per double-bogie truck	2	0 "
Minimum charge	20	0 "

The distance which a train has to run to commence a service will be charged at the rate of 5s. per mile. The minimum charge for a special train will be £20. Special trains will be run only at the option of the Railway Commissioners.

All loading and unloading to be performed by the owners at their own risk and responsibility.

(14.) Locomotive Engines.

Locomotive engines running on their own wheels will be charged 1s. 6d. per mile; minimum charge, £1.

(15.) Carts, Drays, Express Wagons, and Wagons.

	s.	d.
For any distance of not more than 10 miles	1	0 per mile.
For every mile after the first 10 miles	0	3 "
Minimum charge	10	0 "

Heavy wagons, over one ton in weight, rate and a half.

(16.) Returned Empties.

Packages returning empty are those which on the outward journey were carried full by railway between the same stations, and from the original consignee to the original sender of the goods.

	s.	d.
For any distance of not more than 25 miles	0	4 per cwt.
For any distance over 25 miles and not more than 50 miles	0	6 "
For each 50 miles or part of 50 miles beyond the first 50	0	3 "

Minimum, 1cwt.

Empties must be certified by consignors to have passed over the line full.

Carriage must be prepaid, unless there be an arrangement with the consignee to the contrary.

(17.) Port Traffic.

At port stations goods hauled or conveyed between private stores or Government sheds and ships, including handling at the ship's side, will be charged 1s. 6d. per ton. Haulage or conveyance only will be charged 1s. per ton; minimum charge, 6d.

In addition to the above charge of 1s. 6d. per ton, a charge of 1s. 6d. per ton will be made on transshipment goods handled in Government sheds.

Haulage of timber between private stores or Government sheds and ships, including handling at the ship's side, will be charged as follows, viz.:—

Timber (except Australian and Tasmanian), 4d. per 100 superficial feet.
Timber, Australian and Tasmanian, 6d. per 100 superficial feet.

Haulage of ships' ballast from ships' side and tipping to spoil will be charged 1s. 6d. per ton; minimum charge, £1.

(18.) Cranage.

Cranage will be charged 6d. per ton, or fraction of a ton, and in addition, where the crane has to be fetched, a charge will be made of 10s.

REGULATIONS—*continued.***(19.) Check and Empty Railway Wagons.**

Check wagons and empty railway-wagons hauled on their own wheels will be charged 3d. per truck per mile up to 50 miles, and 2d. per truck per mile for each additional mile.

(20.) Storage.

Sixpence (6d.) per ton *per day* storage will be charged on all goods not removed by consignee within twelve working hours of their arrival, except at country stations, when 2s. per ton *per week* or fraction of a week will be charged; minimum charge, 6d.

All stations except those at Invercargill, Port Chalmers, Dunedin, Oamaru, Timaru, Christchurch, Lyttelton, and the head stations on all other sections, are deemed to be country stations for the purpose of charging storage.

(21.) Demurrage.

Charges for demurrage on trucks will be made as follows: On trucks standing for unloading, after five working hours from arrival and up to eight working hours, 5s. per truck; and after eight working hours, 10s. per truck per day or part of a day; or the goods will be unloaded and stored at the usual rates for unloading and storage, at the option of the department, and at the risk of the owner. On empty trucks delivered to order, not loaded and consigned, after six working hours and up to eight working hours, 5s. per truck; and after eight working hours 10s. per truck per day or part of a day. On double-bogie trucks double rates will be charged.

(22.) Private Stores and Sidings.

Where the loading or unloading of traffic is done by owners at private stores and sidings, the department will take no responsibility for the condition of the goods or for delivery of quantities or weights as declared by owners.

At private sidings all loading and unloading must be done by owners or consignees. For each loading or unloading done by the department 1s. per ton will be charged. Demurrage at the rate of 10s. per truck per day or part of a day will be charged on trucks not loaded or unloaded within five working hours after arrival; or the goods may be removed, unloaded, and stored at the usual rates, at the option of the department, and at the risk and expense of the owner.

Goods hauled between private sidings or between any private stores or sidings and other sheds or sidings at the same station will be charged 1s. per ton.

No consignment of less than two tons will be delivered at or received from private stores or sidings.

Holders of private sidings are held responsible for the safe custody of railway property of any kind while in their sidings, and must give up the same in good order as required.

(23.) Weighing.

When weights are supplied to any persons requiring them, the following charges will be made:—

- Wool, rabbitskins, and sheepskins, in bales, 4d. per bale.
- Sheepskins in bundles, $\frac{1}{2}$ d. per bundle.
- Grain, $\frac{1}{2}$ d. per bag.
- Potatoes, &c., $\frac{1}{2}$ d. per cwt.
- Other goods, 1d. per cwt.

When goods are weighed on the truck weighbridge, and the weights given are per truck-load, 1s. per truck-load will be charged. Double-bogie trucks will be charged 2s.

Goods carried by railway, 3d. per load (cart weighbridge).

Goods not carried by railway, 6d. per load (cart weighbridge).

The Railway may refuse to supply weights.

(24.) Stock, Implements, Dogs, Poultry, Produce, &c., exhibited at Agricultural, Horticultural, Dog and Poultry Shows; and Entire Horses exhibited at Horse Parades.

Stock, implements, dogs, poultry, produce, &c., consigned for exhibition at Agricultural, Horticultural, Dog and Poultry Shows, and entire horses consigned for exhibition at Horse Parades, will be charged ordinary rates going to the Show or Parade; such rates must be prepaid. Returning from the Show they will be carried as follows:—

For all exhibits which may have been sold, ordinary rates will be charged.

If part of a consignment is sold, the balance, if returned to the original station within one month from the closing of the Show or Parade, will, on production of a certificate in writing from the Secretary that such balance is *unsold*, be carried back *free*, but at *owners' risk*.

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If the whole of a consignment is returned unsold to the original station within one month from the closing of the Show or Parade, the exhibits will, on production of a certificate in writing from the Secretary that they are all *unsold*, be carried back *free*, but at *owners' risk*, and one-half of the railway rate paid for conveyance to the Show or Parade will be refunded.

All loading, unloading, collection, and delivery to be performed by the owners at their own risk and expense.

Poultry-pens and -coops for use at poultry-shows will be conveyed under this regulation.

(25.) **Thrashing-machines, Chaff-cutters, Hay-presses, with Engines (Portable or Traction).**

Thrashing-machines, chaff-cutters, and hay-presses, with engines (portable or traction), consigned to country stations for thrashing, chaff-cutting, or pressing purposes, will, if returned within two months, from the original receiving station to the original sending station, be carried back at half the ordinary rates.

A certificate in the following form, signed by the owner, must be attached to the consignment note: "I hereby certify that the _____, consigned by me from _____ to _____ Station, has been working in this district, and that on it was conveyed by rail from _____ to _____ Station."

(26.) **Parcels for Distribution at Destination.**

When more articles or parcels than one are sent packed or loose from one consignor to one consignee for express companies or forwarding agents, and are for distribution at destination, the minimum charge will be as for 2cwt. at small-lots rates.

Small parcels or articles must be properly packed, or they may be charged separately at parcels rates at the option of the department.

The onus of proving that parcels are not packed rests with consignors.

(27.) **Miscellaneous.**

Goods for stations where no officer of the department is in charge must be *pre-paid*. They will be put out at such places at the risk of the consignor.

Poisonous or injurious substances will not be received on the Railways unless securely packed.

The Commissioners may decline to receive broken, damaged, insecurely packed, or leaky packages.

The Commissioners will not be responsible for loss of or damage to goods arising from their being insufficiently protected or packed.

The department does not provide sheets for Classes F, N, P, Q, and will take no responsibility on these classes of goods on account of damage from water unless insured. Sheets, if required by owner, for these classes of goods will be charged for at the rate of 1s. per day, or part of a day, per sheet.

Consignors shall make good all damage to trucks or sheets arising from goods insufficiently or negligently covered, secured, or protected.

When loading or unloading of goods is done by owners, the department will take no responsibility as to quantity or condition.

For loading and unloading any package weighing over 2 tons an extra charge will be made; packages over 2 tons weight will also be charged extra for crannage.

Where cartage delivery of goods is performed, no packages weighing more than 2 tons will be delivered, except under special agreement at special rates.

Wherever an alternative charge is specified, it is intended that the lower charge shall be taken, unless otherwise provided.

When goods are packed for carriage, the weight or measurement of the consignment will include the weight or dimensions of the case or description of packing used, provided that the charge shall not be less than for such case or other description of packing when consigned alone.

Fractions of less than 1cwt. in the tonnage will be taken as follows:—

	Under $\frac{1}{4}$ cwt. as	...	$\frac{1}{4}$ cwt.
Over $\frac{1}{4}$ cwt., but not over $\frac{1}{2}$	" $\frac{1}{2}$ "	...	$\frac{1}{2}$ "
" $\frac{1}{2}$ "	" $\frac{3}{4}$ "	...	$\frac{3}{4}$ "
" $\frac{3}{4}$ "	" 1 "	...	1 "

In computing rates and charges any fraction less than $\frac{1}{4}$ d. in the result will be omitted; $\frac{1}{4}$ d. and above will be taken as 1d.

No fractions of a mile will be used in computing rates and charges. Five chains and over will be taken as an additional mile; less than five chains will be omitted.

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Goods which have arrived at destination and are not taken delivery of by the consignees within four working hours after arrival are thereafter held by the Commissioners as warehousemen at the owners' sole risk, subject to the by-laws and regulations.

When "owners' risk" is specified against goods in Part V., such goods, when charged at the ordinary rates, will be received, held, and conveyed at the sole risk of the owner. But they may be received, held, and conveyed at the risk of the Railway Department, subject to the limitations prescribed below, upon the consignor specifying in the consignment-note "at Railway risk," in which case the rate will be increased by one-sixth of the ordinary rates.

In accordance with the 144th section of "The Public Works Act, 1882," the liability of the Commissioners for loss or damage is limited in respect to certain classes of goods termed "special goods," unless such goods are declared by the consignor to be "special goods," and the value is stated in the consignment-note.

The following are the limitations in value, namely:—

	£	s.	d.
Each horse, per head	15	0	0
„ cattle, „	8	0	0
„ sheep, goat, or pig, per head ...	0	15	0
„ dog, per head	2	0	0
Any package containing any special goods ...	10	0	0

Goods declared to be "special goods" are specified in Part V. Any package or animal which exceeds in value the sum of £500 is also declared to be "special goods," and will be carried under special contract only, and a charge will be made in addition to the special rates to cover the cost of sending a messenger in charge of the consignment. When goods are declared in the consignment-note to be "special goods," and the value is also stated therein, an additional charge of one-third of the ordinary rates and charges for each £100 or fraction of £100 of value so stated will be made thereon. The value of each package must be separately stated.

Notices for the supply of trucks given by persons intending to consign goods thereby will be accepted for fulfilment conditionally only upon its being found convenient to the Commissioners to supply them upon the due date. The Railway Commissioners will not be responsible for any loss or damages arising through their failure from any cause to have trucks available by any particular date or train.

The Railway Commissioners will not be responsible for the delivery of goods by any particular train or at any particular time.

(28.) Imperial Institute, London.

Exhibits consigned for shipment to the Agent-General for New Zealand, and marked "For exhibition at the Imperial Institute, London," will be carried free of Railway charge.

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PART IV.—LOCAL RATES.

The following rates will be charged upon the lines herein specified, instead of the classified rates specified in Part III. Small lots will be charged as specified in Part III., unless otherwise provided to the contrary. Except in the respects specified herein, the general regulations under Part III. will apply:—

KAWAKAWA SECTION.

Goods of Classes A, B, C, D, E, and H will be charged as Class A, weight or measurement, as the department may direct.

Flax, native, dressed, pressed, from Kawakawa to Opua, will be charged at the classified rate for Class D.

Native coals, Class Q, from the Kawakawa Coal-mine to port for shipment, will be charged 2s. per ton, including weighing and discharging into ships.

Goods of Classes F, M, and N, 15s. per truck.

Goods of Class K, 9d. per 100 superficial feet.

WHANGAREI SECTION.

For the purpose of charging for the conveyance of goods, the section will be divided into three subsections, as below:—

Opau to Kamo.

Kamo to Hikurangi.

Hikurangi to Waro.

The rates for goods will be as follow:—

Classes.	One Subsection.	Two Subsections.	Three Subsections.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
A, B, C, D, E, per ton	3 0	6 0	8 0
F, per truck	7 0	10 6	14 0
H, per bale	1 0	1 6	2 0
K, per 100 sup. feet	0 6	0 9	1 0
M, per truck	10 0	15 0	16 0
N, per ton	3 0	4 2	5 0
P, Q, per ton	1 10	2 3	2 6

The minimum charge for goods of Classes A, B, C, D, E will be, for one subsection, 1s.; for two subsections, 1s. 6d.; for three subsections, 2s.

The charge for any portion of a subsection will be the same as for the whole subsection.

The minimum quantity of goods of Classes N, P, Q will be as per regulations under Part III. of the Scale of Charges. Any less quantity will be charged as such minimum or at the above rates for A, B, C, D, E goods.

Goods of Classes A, B, C, D, E will be charged by weight or measurement, at the option of the department. The rate includes all charges, and will apply in lieu of small-lots rates.

Goods of Classes P and Q consigned from Waro to Opau for shipment will be charged 2s. per ton, including weighing and delivery to ship by skip.

Goods of Classes P and Q consigned from Ruatangata to Opau for shipment will be charged 1s. 10d. per ton, including weighing and delivery to ship by skip.

The minimum charge for carts, drays, wagons, and carriages will be 5s. each.

Sixpence per ton per day storage will be charged on all goods not removed within three working-days of their arrival.

KAIHU SECTION.

Goods of Classes A, B, C, D, E, and H will be charged as Class A.

Classes F and M will be charged as Class M.

Classes N and P will be charged as Class N.

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Timber consigned to Dargaville for shipment will be charged as follows, per 100 superficial feet:—

	Sawn.	Log.
	s. d.	s. d.
For distances not over 10 miles	0 8	0 9
Over 10 miles and not over 17 miles	0 9	0 10

The Railway Department may require owners to unload timber from the railway-wagons at Dargaville. For unloading done by the Railway at Dargaville the following charges will be made, per 100 superficial feet:—

	s. d.
At the skids	0 0½
At the Railway Wharf	0 3

All logs unloaded at the skids shall be taken delivery of by consignees in the river within the booms. Delivery will be deemed to be complete when the logs are placed within the booms.

AUCKLAND SECTION.

When goods of Classes A, B, C, D, E are consigned to Auckland, except such as are consigned to private sidings at that station, or to the Auckland Railway Wharf for shipment there, both the classified rates, Part III., and the local rates will be increased by 1s. 8d. per ton, except otherwise specified. The minimum charge for small lots will be 1s. 4d., except for small lots of Class E goods, poultry, butter, and other articles enumerated in section 3 of Part III.

Goods of Classes A, B, C, D, E, H, between Onehunga and Auckland or Newmarket, will be charged as follows, except otherwise specified:—

Between Auckland or Newmarket and	Sawn Timber, per 100ft.	A, B, C, D, H, per ton.
	s. d.	s. d.
Onehunga Town	0 8	4 0
Onehunga Wharf	0 9	5 3

The rate to the wharf includes all charges on Classes A, B, C, D, H, for wharfage at Onehunga, loading or unloading in the yards or sheds, and delivery to or receipt from ships in trucks alongside the Railway Wharf. The rate on timber includes wharfage.

CLASS E, PER TON.

	s. d.
Auckland or Newmarket to Onehunga Town	4 0
" " to Onehunga Wharf*	4 6
Onehunga Town to Auckland (consignor to load; includes delivery at Auckland)	4 6
Onehunga Town to Newmarket	4 0
Onehunga Wharf to Auckland (does not include delivery at Auckland)*	4 6
" " to Newmarket*	4 6

Ships' goods will be charged according to ships' bill of lading, or by weight or measurement, at the option of the department.

Sugar for shipment from Auckland Railway Wharf to Onehunga Railway Wharf will be charged 5s. per ton, including haulage at Auckland Railway Wharf, all charges for wharfage at Onehunga, and delivery to ships in trucks alongside the Railway Wharf. Minimum quantity, 2 tons.

The following rates will be charged per ton on goods of Classes A, B, C, D, carried between Auckland, Newmarket, or Onehunga and the stations named, except otherwise specified:—

Between Auckland, Newmarket, or Onehunga and	A.	B.	C.	D.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Te Aroha	25 0	25 0	25 0	25 0
Waihou	34 0	31 6	30 0	27 0
Waitoa				
Murray's	34 0	33 6	32 6	27 0
Morrinsville				

* The rates to and from the wharf include all charges for wharfage at Onehunga, loading or unloading in the yards or sheds, and delivery to or receipt from ships in trucks alongside the Railway Wharf.

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Sugar, fencing wire and materials, galvanised iron, bar, rod, sheet, angle and plate iron, from Auckland or Newmarket to Te Aroha, will be charged 18s. per ton.

Class H, undumped, consigned from stations on the Te Aroha Branch, including Morrinsville, to Auckland, will be charged as follows:—

From Te Aroha, Waihou, and Waitoa, 5s. 6d. per bale.

From Murray's, Tatua, and Morrinsville, 6s. per bale.

Class H, undumped, from Rotorua to Auckland, will be charged 8s. 11d. per bale.

Goods of Classes A, B, C, D, for or from ports on the Kaipara, will be charged, per ton weight, as under, between Auckland or Newmarket and Helensville, wharfage at Helensville included, ships to place in and take delivery of goods from trucks at Helensville Wharf:—

Class A	20s.
Classes B, C, D	15s.

CLASS K.

Timber to Mount Eden, Auckland, and Onehunga Wharf will be charged as follows, per 100 superficial feet:—

From	To Mount Eden.		To Auckland.		To Onehunga Wharf.	
	Sawn.	Log.	Sawn.	Log.	Sawn.	Log.
Kanohi	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Helensville, Waitakerei, and intermediate stations	1 9	2 0	1 9	2 0	1 11	2 1
Helensville, Waimauku, and intermediate stations ... ..	...	...	1 4	1 6	1 6	1 9
Waitakerei	1 4	1 6	...	...	...	...
Onehunga Wharf	1 1	1 3	...	...	...	...
Onehunga Wharf	0 9	0 11	0 9	0 11	...	...

These rates are exclusive of loading and unloading charges. The rates from Helensville, and to and from Onehunga Wharf, are inclusive of wharfage.

Skidding kauri logs at Auckland, ½d. per 100 superficial feet.

Consignees shall take delivery of logs at Auckland in the harbour within the booms. Delivery will be deemed to be complete when the logs are placed within the booms and advice of arrival has been handed to the consignees.

Loading kauri logs at Helensville timber-slip will be charged 2½d. per 100 superficial feet.

Timber from Hunua to Auckland or Newmarket will be charged 1s. per 100 superficial feet.

Sulphur, Rotorua to Westfield or Auckland, will be charged as Class N.

Goods of Classes P and Q from Kimihia Siding will be charged 1d. per ton in addition to the classified rates.

Coke from Auckland to Onehunga will be charged 3s. per ton.

Coal between Onehunga and Auckland will be charged 2s. 6d. per ton.

Pig-iron, Auckland to Onehunga, will be charged 3s. per ton.

Bar and sheet iron, iron castings, and tram-rails from Onehunga to Auckland, will be charged 4s. 4d. per ton, including all charges at Auckland. Minimum, 2 tons per truck. The loading must be done by the sender.

Copra, candlenuts, peanuts, rape-seed, linseed, sodas, and other raw material for the manufacture of oil, soap, candles, and acids, and earthenware empties for sulphuric acid, from Auckland and Onehunga to Westfield, will be charged 3s. 6d. per ton, including all charges; minimum charge, 7s.

Raw materials, ex ship, for the manufacture of artificial manures, from the Railway Wharf to Westfield, will be charged 2s. 6d. per ton; minimum charge, 12s. 6d.

Oil, soap, candles, soda crystals, refined tallow, sulphuric acid, and oilcake from Westfield to Auckland or Onehunga will be charged 3s. 6d. per ton; minimum charge, 7s.

Haulage upon all descriptions of merchandise, timber, minerals, or live stock, s. d. between the Railway-station and the Railway Wharf at Auckland, at per truck, except for Waikato coals, which are free 2 6

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ROTORUA DISTRICT RAILWAY.

Class H, undumped, will be charged $\frac{3}{4}$ d. per bale per mile upon the Rotorua District Railway, except otherwise specified.

For local traffic on the District Railway, and between the Junction Station and the District Railway-stations, the minimum charge will not be less than the classified rate.

NAPIER-TARANAKI SECTION.

Coal between Spit and Napier will be charged as Class Q.

Goods of Classes A, B, C, D, E, N, P, between Palmerston and Longburn, booked between Palmerston and stations on the Wellington-Manawatu Railway Company's line, will be charged 2s. 6d. per ton; and Class H 6d. per bale undumped, 1s. per bale double-dumped.

CLASS H.—WOOL, ETC.

Class H, undumped, from Whakatu, Tomoana, or Hastings to Spit will be charged 11d. per bale. Class H, undumped, between Farndon and Spit will be charged 8d. per bale. These rates will apply to scoured wool in bales not exceeding 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. each, notwithstanding regulation under Part III.

Class H, undumped, from stations between Dannevirke and Woodville inclusive, consigned to Spit, will be charged 6s. 4d. per bale.

Class H, undumped, consigned from Feilding to Foxton for shipment will be charged 3s. per bale, including wharfage.

Class H, undumped, from Palmerston or Longburn to Foxton will be charged 2s. per bale, including wharfage.

Class H, undumped, from Carnarvon to Foxton will be charged 9d. per bale. This rate will also apply to scoured wool (undumped) in bales not exceeding 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. each, notwithstanding regulation under Part III.

Class H, undumped, from Turakina or Wangaehu to Wanganui will be charged 1s. 6d. per bale.

CLASS K.—TIMBER.

Logs consigned from stations in bush districts to sawmills will be charged 3d. per 100 superficial feet less than the classified rates; minimum charge, 8d. per 100 superficial feet.

Timber consigned from saw-mills to Spit, New Plymouth, New Plymouth Breakwater, Waitara, Wanganui, or Foxton, to vessels for shipment will be charged 3d. per 100 superficial feet less than the classified rates; minimum charge, 8d. per 100 superficial feet.

White-pine timber consigned to Spit, New Plymouth, New Plymouth Breakwater, Waitara, Wanganui, or Foxton for export will be charged at the same rates as white-pine, Wellington Section. Consignments of white-pine not made direct to the export ship, and white-pine to be used in the manufacture of casks and boxes for export of dairy produce and tallow, will be charged the same rate, upon a statutory declaration being furnished to the effect that the timber is for export or for use as indicated herein, such declaration being made under "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882," sections 233 and 234, in the form prescribed.

Timber other than white-pine for export to places outside the Colony of New Zealand, and rimu for export, consigned direct to the ship, will be charged as follows at per 100 superficial feet:—

From 40 to 50 miles	...	...	...	1s. 8d.
Over 50 miles and not over 60 miles	...	...	...	1s. 9d.
" 60 " " 70 "	...	...	...	1s. 10d.
" 70 " " 80 "	...	...	...	1s. 11d.
" 80 " " 90 "	...	...	...	2s. 1d.

Timber from Waitara to New Plymouth will be charged 8d. per 100 superficial feet.

CLASS P.

Goods of Class P (except bonedust, guano, manure-salt, rock-salt, salt for agricultural or pastoral purposes, soot, and artificial manure) will be charged as Class N when not otherwise specified.

Native coals between Waitara and New Plymouth will be charged 3s. per ton.

Native coal (anthracite or bituminous) consigned from Foxton to Longburn will be charged 5s. per ton, including wharfage.

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Dead meat, &c., consigned from Woodville to Spit, will be charged at the following rates, viz. : Dead meat and hides, per ton, 28s. ; tallow and pelts, per ton, 26s.

The maximum rate for butter and cheese, in 4-ton lots, consigned by way of the Manawatu Company's line to Wellington, will be 40s. per ton.

Flax and tow delivered at Foxton Railway-station to await shipment will be charged 6d. per bale, which will include receiving into shed, loading-up, and delivery to ships in trucks alongside wharf.

Limed pelts and tallow, in casks, consigned from Longburn to Foxton, will be charged 7s. 6d. per ton, including wharfage. Minimum quantity, 4 tons.

Live stock which are not carried by rail, occupying or using the Railway Cattle-yards at Wanganui Station, will be charged as follows :—

Cattle ... ..	...	...	6d. per head.
Calves, sheep, goats, or pigs	...	...	2d. per head.

NEW PLYMOUTH BREAKWATER LINE.

Goods of Classes A, B, C, D will be charged according to ships' manifest, or by weight or measurement, at the option of the Railway Department, at the following rates :—

Between the Breakwater and Morley Street Goods Dépôt, 3s. per ton ; between the Breakwater and New Plymouth Station, 3s. 6d. per ton ; and for goods to be despatched inland by rail, 1s. per ton for re-despatching, minimum charge, 6d.

Goods despatched inland will be charged at the classified rates from the Breakwater.

Goods for shipment requiring storage at the Goods Dépôt will be charged 1s. 6d. per ton for the first week or fraction of a week, and 2d. per ton per week for each additional week.

Goods consigned to the Breakwater for shipment, and not taken delivery of by the ship within six working hours, will be held thereafter at the risk of the consignor, and may be returned, unloaded, and stored at the Goods Dépôt, at the risk and expense of the consignor.

Cattle, sheep, horses, and pigs carried between the Moturoa Cattle-yards and the Breakwater will be charged 7s. 6d. per truck.

NAPIER-TARANAKI AND WELLINGTON SECTIONS.

CLASS M.

Sheep to Petone, Ngahauranga, and Wellington, *via* Eketahuna, in four-wheel trucks will be charged at the following through rates per truck, which include haulage to Woodville, and from Eketahuna to the respective stations :—

From	To Petone.		To Ngahauranga.		To Wellington.	
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
Hastings	90	6	91	6	92	6
Kaikora	83	0	84	0	85	0
Waipukurau	79	9	80	9	81	9
Takapau	74	6	75	6	76	6
Tahoraite	63	0	64	0	65	0

Goods of Class M consigned to Johnsonville, Wellington, Ngahauranga, and Petone Stations, from stations between New Plymouth and Wanganui inclusive, will be charged as follows for the Government portion of the journey :—

Single-floor trucks, 4s. per truck less than the classified rates ; double-floor trucks, 7s. 6d. per truck less than the classified rates ; but the rates from stations south of Wanganui to the said stations must not exceed the rates from Wanganui.

Dead meat consigned by way of the Manawatu Railway Company's line to Wellington, or to stations on the Wellington Section, will be charged as Class D upon the Government Railway. Minimum, 2 tons per truck.

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WELLINGTON SECTION.

CLASS H.

Wool, undumped, dried sheepskins and rabbitskins to Wellington will be charged as follows:—

	s.	d.
From Mangamahoe	6	8 per bale.
" Mauriceville	6	4 "
" Kopuaranga	6	1 "
" Opaki	6	1 "
" Masterton, Carterton, and intermediate Stations... ..	5	1 "
" Greytown... ..	5	1 "

CLASS K.—TIMBER.

Timber consigned from saw-mills to Lower Hutt, Wellington, and intermediate stations will be charged 3d. per 100 superficial feet less than the classified rates; minimum charge, 8d. per 100 superficial feet.

Rimu from Eketahuna, Opaki, and intermediate stations to Wellington will be charged 2s. 6d. per 100 superficial feet.

Timber, previously carried not less than thirty miles by rail to Booth's Siding, will be charged as follows, per 100 superficial feet, Booth's Siding to Wellington:—

	s.	d.
Timber, except otherwise specified	1	7
Timber other than white-pine for export to places outside the Colony of New Zealand, and rimu for export, consigned direct to the ship	1	4

White-pine timber consigned for export will be charged as follows:—

8d. per 100 superficial feet for all distances from 1 to 20 miles inclusive, and at the following rates per 100 superficial feet for distances beyond:—

Miles ...	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
	0 9	0 9	0 10	0 10	0 11	0 11	1 0	1 0	1 1	1 1
Miles ...	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
	1 1	1 1	1 2	1 2	1 2	1 2	1 2	1 2	1 3	1 3
Miles ...	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
	1 3	1 3	1 3	1 3	1 4	1 4	1 4	1 4	1 4	1 4
Miles ...	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
	1 5	1 5	1 5	1 5	1 5	1 5	1 6	1 6	1 6	1 6
Miles ...	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
	1 6	1 6	1 7	1 7	1 7	1 7	1 7	1 7	1 8	1 8
Miles ...	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
	1 8	1 8	1 8	1 8	1 9	1 9	1 9	1 9	1 9	1 9

For every additional mile ½d. per 100 superficial feet will be added.

Consignments of white-pine not made direct to the export ship, and white-pine to be used in the manufacture of casks and boxes for dairy produce and tallow, will be charged the same rate, upon a statutory declaration being furnished to the effect that

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the timber is for export or for use as indicated herein, such declaration being made under "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882," sections 233 and 234, in the form prescribed.

Timber other than white-pine for export to places outside the Colony of New Zealand, and rimu for export, consigned direct to the ship, will be charged as follows at per 100 superficial feet:—

	s.	d.
From 40 to 50 miles	1	10
Over 50 miles and not over 60 miles	1	11
" 60 " " 70 "	2	0
" 70 " " 80 "	2	1
" 80 " " 90 "	2	3
" 90 " " 100 "	2	4

CLASS P.

Goods of Class P (except bonedust, guano, manure-salt, rock-salt, salt for agricultural or pastoral purposes, soot, and artificial manure) will be charged as Class N except otherwise specified.

Coke for lime-burning purposes, from Masterton to Mauriceville, will be charged at the classified rates for Class P, single rate.

Coal from Wellington to Petone will be charged 3s. 2d. per ton.

Coal from Wellington to Ngahauranga will be charged 2s. 6d. per ton.

Coal-dross for lime-burning purposes, from Wellington to Mauriceville, will be charged at the classified rates for Class P.

MILEAGE.

For the purpose of charging for the conveyance of all goods carried over the Rimutaka Incline, the mileage of such Incline will be deemed to be 5 miles more than its actual mileage.

PORT TRAFFIC.

Haulage, Class H, double-dumped wool from shed to ship's side, ship to take delivery in the trucks alongside, per double bale	0	4
Class H (except double-dumped wool), haulage between ship's side and station, ship to receive from or deliver into trucks alongside, per bale ...	0	2
Ships' goods, Classes A, B, C, D, E, haulage between ship's side and railway sheds, including weighing and handling in railway sheds, ships to receive from and deliver into trucks alongside, per ton, weight or measurement ...	2	3
Ships' goods, Classes A, B, C, D, E, haulage between ships and station sidings, ships to receive from and deliver into trucks alongside, per ton, weight or measurement	1	0
Timber, haulage between ships and station sidings, ships to receive from and deliver into trucks alongside, owner to load and unload, per 100 superficial feet	0	2
For use of crane, per ton	0	6
Classes F, N, P, haulage between ships and station sidings, owner to load and unload, per ton	1	0
Goods for transhipment, haulage between ships and sheds or sidings, including handling at shed or sidings and redelivery to ships, ships to deliver into and receive from trucks alongside, and including seven days' storage in railway shed, per ton, weight or measurement	2	6
Ships' goods' storage: 2s. per week or fraction thereof will be charged on all goods (when not otherwise provided) if not removed within eight working hours of arrival for the first week, and 1s. per ton each week after, weight or measurement, according to ship's bill of lading.		
For goods passing directly between ships and inland stations the usual railway charges only will be made.		

Bark in bags or bundles from Wellington Wharf to Kaiwarra or Ngahauranga will be charged 3s. 3d. per ton.

Haulage of goods and live-stock between the Wellington-Manawatu Railway Company's Station at Wellington and the Government Railway-station or sidings at Wellington, or the Railway Wharf or private sheds or sidings at that station, will be charged as follows:—

Goods—	s.	d.
Wool, undumped, per bale	0	2
Other goods, per ton	1	0

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Live Stock—	s.	d.
In double-bogie trucks (single or double floor), per truck	... 10	0
In four-wheel trucks (single or double floor), per truck	... 5	0
Class M, consigned from stations on the Wellington-Manawatu Railway to Kaiwarra, Ngahauranga, or Petone, will be charged 7s. 6d. per four-wheel truck for conveyance on the Government Railway.		
Cased meat, tallow, pelts, and Class H (undumped) consigned from Petone to Wellington, will be charged at the following rates, viz. :—		
Cased meat, per ton, 2s. 8d.	Minimum quantity, 5 tons per truck.	
Tallow and pelts, per ton, 3s.	Minimum quantity, 5 tons.	
Class H, undumped, per bale, 8d.	Minimum quantity, 12 bales per truck.	
Cased meat, tallow, &c., consigned from Ngahauranga to Wellington, will be charged at the following rates, viz. :—		
Cased meat, tallow, pelts, and manure, per ton, 2s. 6d.	Minimum quantity, 5 tons per truck.	
Class H, undumped, per bale, 6d.	Minimum quantity, 12 bales per truck.	

GREYMOUTH-BRUNNERTON SECTION.

Goods of Classes A, B, C, D, E, will be charged as Class A. Maximum rate, 5s. per ton.

Coals and coal dross consigned to port for shipment will be charged 1s. 10d. per ton for distances not over eight miles, and for each additional mile or part of a mile $\frac{1}{4}$ d. per ton will be charged, including weighing and delivering to the ship. Minimum quantity, 5 tons per truck.

Coal to Greymouth will be charged 2s. per ton.

Clay and bricks from Brunnerton Sidings to Greymouth will be charged 2s. per ton, including weighing.

Coke consigned to Greymouth for shipment, where not otherwise specified, will be charged 3s. per ton, including weighing and discharging into ships. Minimum, 14s. per truck.

Coke consigned to Greymouth for export to ports beyond the Colony of New Zealand will be charged 2s. 4d. per ton, including weighing and delivering to ships. Minimum, 4 tons per truck.

Timber will be charged 9d. per 100 superficial feet, with the exception of timber from Kaiata and Dobson to Greymouth, which will be charged 7d. per 100 superficial feet.

Timber, not otherwise specified, loaded at Greymouth will be charged 3d. per 100 superficial feet for haulage from sidings to ships, including wharfage.

Timber loaded at Greymouth, previously carried to Greymouth by rail, will be charged 2d. per 100 superficial feet for haulage from sidings to ships.

Receiving and discharging ships' ballast will be charged 1s. per ton. Minimum charge, 10s.

Railway plant and material, in full truck-loads, Greymouth to Brunnerton, will be charged 3s. 6d. per ton; consignee to take delivery in the railway-trucks and perform the unloading.

Shunting rate on slack between Brunnerton and Wallsend, 9d. per ton. Minimum quantity, 5 tons.

HYDRAULIC CRANES.

Loading or unloading by hydraulic cranes will be done at the option of the Railway Manager, and when not otherwise provided the charge will be 6d. a ton, with a minimum charge of 2s. 6d. per lift.

When cranes are not in general use the Railway Manager may, at his option, make special charges for their use, but no less charge than 30s. per hour or part thereof, will be made per crane.

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The following are the classified rates to be charged on the Greymouth-Brunnerton Section of the Government Railway for traffic interchanged with the New Zealand Midland Railway Company, except otherwise specified:—

		Miles								
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
<i>Class</i>		s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
A	Merchandise .. per ton	2 0	2 6	2 9	3 3	3 9	4 3	4 9	5 3	
B	" .. "	2 0	2 6	2 9	3 0	3 5	3 11	4 5	4 11	
C	" .. "	2 0	2 6	2 9	2 9	3 1	3 7	4 1	4 7	
D	" .. "	2 0	2 6	2 9	2 9	2 9	3 3	3 9	4 3	
E	Grain, &c. .. "	2 0	2 6	2 9	2 9	2 9	2 9	2 9	3 0	
F	Hay, Straw, &c. per truck	5 0	6 6	7 6	8 0	8 6	9 0	9 0	9 0	
H	Wool, &c., undumped per bale	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 0	
H	Ditto, double-dumped "	1 9	1 9	1 9	1 9	1 9	1 9	1 9	1 9	
K	Timber per 100 super. ft.	0 7	0 7	0 7	0 7	0 7	0 7	0 7	0 7	
M	Cattle, Sheep, &c., single or double floors per truck	12 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	
N	Special .. per ton	1 9	1 9	2 0	2 0	2 0	2 0	2 0	2 0	
P	Native Coal .. " }	1 9	1 9	1 9	1 9	1 9	1 9	1 9	1 9	
Q	" .. " }									

Timber for export consigned to Greymouth from stations on the New Zealand Midland Railway will be charged 7d. per 100 superficial feet for conveyance upon the Government Railway from Brunnerton to Greymouth, including all charges.

Railway sleepers consigned to Greymouth from stations on the New Zealand Midland Railway will be charged as timber if cheaper than Class Q.

Coal consigned to Greymouth from the Black Ball Coal Company's mine will be charged 1s. 8d. per ton for conveyance upon the Government Railway from Brunnerton to Greymouth. This charge includes weighing and delivering to the ship at Greymouth Wharf on coal for export.

GREYMOUTH-HOKITIKA SECTION.

Goods of Classes E, F, and N will be charged as Class D. Goods of Class Q will be charged as Class P, except otherwise specified.

Ships' goods, of Classes A, B, C, D, E, F, from Greymouth to stations on the Hokitika line, will be charged 8s. 6d. per ton, weight or measurement, at the option of the department, including wharfage and all charges.

Hides, sheepskins (in bundles not exceeding 10wt.), and tallow, from Hokitika to Greymouth, will be charged 8s. 6d. per ton.

Beer, in bulk, from Hokitika to Greymouth or Greymouth Wharf, will be charged 8s. 6d. per ton. The rate to the wharf includes wharfage.

Timber, consigned to Greymouth from the Hokitika line, will be charged as follows, per 100 superficial feet:—

	s. d.
From one to seven miles	0 8
Over seven miles and not over eleven miles	0 10
Over eleven miles and not over fifteen miles	1 0
Over fifteen miles and not over twenty-two miles	1 1

These rates include all charges on timber for export. Where the classified rates for timber for local use at Greymouth are less than these rates, the classified rates will be charged.

Timber from Ho Ho to Hokitika will be charged 7d. per 100 superficial feet.

Railway sleepers will be charged as timber if cheaper than under Class P.

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WESTPORT SECTION.

The charge for receiving and discharging ships' ballast will be 1s. per ton. Minimum charge, £1.

One penny per ton will be charged for use of gravel shoot.

Goods of Classes A, B, C, D, E, will be charged as Class A. Flax, native, dressed, screw-pressed, is exempted from this regulation.

Timber, minimum charge, 10d. per 100 superficial feet.

Coals and coal dross consigned to port for shipment will be charged 1s. 10d. per ton for distances not over eight miles, and for each additional mile or part of a mile $\frac{1}{2}$ d. per ton will be charged, including weighing and discharging from the coal-staiths. Minimum quantity, 5 tons per truck.

Coals and coal dross, not otherwise specified, from Mokihinui to Westport, will be charged 3s. 6d. per ton.

Coals and coal dross consigned from Waimangaroa Branch line to Westport, Waimangaroa, Fairdown, or Sergeant's Hill will be charged 2s. 3d. per ton.

Goods booked through between stations on the Government railway (Waimangaroa Junction excepted) and stations on the Waimangaroa Branch line will be charged upon the branch, in addition to the charges on the Government railway, as follows:—

Between the Junction and Conn's Creek: Timber, 3d. per 100 superficial feet; coals and minerals, in 5 ton loads, 1d. per ton; other goods, 1s. 3d. per ton. Minimum charge, 3d.

Between the Junction and the Wellington Mine: Timber, 2d. per 100 superficial feet; coals and minerals, in 5 ton loads, 2d. per ton; other goods, 9d. per ton. Minimum charge, 3d.

Goods booked between stations upon the Waimangaroa branch (including Waimangaroa Junction) will be charged at the classified rates.

Contractors' plant and permanent-way material, in full truck-loads, Westport to Ngakawau, will be charged 7s. per ton. Consignee to take delivery in the railway-trucks, and perform the unloading.

Goods conveyed over the Mokihinui Coal Company's line, or any portion of it, will be charged as follows:—

	s.	d.
Goods (not otherwise specified herein), per ton	...	3 0
Minimum charge	...	0 6
Sheep, per head (minimum charge as for twenty)	...	0 2
Cattle, per head	...	2 6
Coal and minerals from Mokihinui Coal Company's mine, per ton	...	0 5
Coal and minerals from Westport-Cardiff Coal Company's mine, per ton	...	0 3

NELSON SECTION.

NELSON STATION AND PORT.

Goods passing over the Railway Wharf, and paying wharfage, which are conveyed between Nelson Station and Port, will be charged at the rates for Port traffic, Part III., weight or measurement, according to bill of lading; other goods by weight or measurement, as the department directs.

CLASSES C AND D.—GOODS.

Goods of Classes C and D will be charged as Class B.

CLASS H.

Class H, undumped, consigned from Belgrove to Nelson or Port will be charged 1s. 9d. per bale.

CLASS K.—TIMBER.

Timber consigned from Wakefield, Wai-iti, Foxhill, and Belgrove to Nelson or the Port will be charged 3d. per 100 superficial feet less than the classified rates.

CLASSES N AND P.

Goods of Class P will be charged as Class N.

Cement, Port to Belgrove, will be charged rate and a half, Class N.

Bark, native, rough, from Wai-iti or Wakefield to Nelson, will be charged at the classified rates for Class P. Minimum quantity, 6 tons per truck.

MISCELLANEOUS.—Dipping sheep, minimum for 10 sheep, 10s.; each additional sheep, 3d. Yarding sheep, 1d. per head per day; minimum charge, 1s. Yarding cattle, 6d. per head per day; minimum charge, 2s.

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PICTON SECTION.

Tallow, hides, and pelts consigned to Picton for export by ship will be charged maximum rate, 7s. 6d. per ton, including loading, unloading, and wharfage.

Goods of Classes A, B, C, D will be charged as Class A, except otherwise specified.

Ships' goods of Classes A, B, C, D, from Picton, will be charged as Class B. Maximum charge, including wharfage, loading, and unloading, 7s. 6d. per ton, weight or measurement, according to ships' bill of lading.

Fresh meat consigned to Picton will be charged at the classified rates for Class C. Goods of Class E consigned to Picton for shipment will be charged 5s. a ton; if to private sidings, 4s. 6d. a ton; including wharfage and handling at ship's side. At Tua Marina and Spring Creek Stations, on goods of Class E preceding, no storage will be charged for the first four weeks, after which 1d. per ton per week will be charged. The department does not guarantee storage room.

Storage at Blenheim on Classes E and F, consigned for conveyance by rail only, will be charged as follows:—

For the first month or fraction of a month, at per ton	6d.
For each week or fraction of a week afterwards, at per ton	1d.

CLASS F.—HAY, ETC.

The maximum rate on goods of Class F consigned to Picton for shipment will be 15s. per truck, including wharfage and unloading.

CLASS H.—WOOL, ETC.

Class H consigned from Blenheim to Picton for shipment will be charged 1s. per bale for undumped, and 1s. 9d. per bale for double-dumped, including wharfage and handling at Picton. An extra charge of 3d. per undumped bale and 6d. per double-dumped bale will be made for loading by the Railway at Blenheim. Double-dumped Class H must be in truck-loads of not less than 13 double-dumped full-sized bales, or 14 double-dumped small-sized bales. Undumped Class H must be in truck-loads of not less than 23 bales. If in lesser loads the classified rates will be charged.

CLASS K.—TIMBER.

Minimum rates for distances not exceeding four miles, 8d. per 100 superficial feet; over four miles, 9d. per 100 superficial feet.

Timber, from Picton to Blenheim, ex ship, will be charged 1s. 3d. per 100 superficial feet, including wharfage.

CLASS P.

Goods of Class P will be charged as Class N, except otherwise specified.

Native coals, ex ship, Picton to Blenheim, will be charged 5s. per ton, including all charges; owners to load and unload.

HURUNUI-BLUFF SECTION.

RATES FOR SHIPS' GOODS, CLASSES A, B, C, D.

Ships' goods of Classes A, B, C, D, will be charged as follows by weight or measurement, according to the ship's bill of lading, or at the option of the department; minimum quantity, 10 tons:—

Between Lyttelton and Timaru	15s. per ton.
„ Lyttelton and Oamaru	20s. „
„ Lyttelton and Dunedin	28s. „
„ Port Chalmers, or Dunedin and Christchurch	28s. „
„ Port Chalmers, or Dunedin and Timaru	18s. „
„ Port Chalmers, or Dunedin and Bluff	25s. „
„ Timaru and Oamaru	11s. „
„ Timaru and Bluff	30s. „
From Timaru to Christchurch	15s. „
„ Oamaru to Christchurch	20s. „

These rates will not be used for computing the charges on small lots of goods.

A, B, C, D GOODS, CHRISTCHURCH TO TIMARU.

Goods of Classes A, B, C, D, from Christchurch to Timaru, in quantities of 5cwt. and over, will be charged at the rate of 18s. per ton. Quantities of less than 5cwt. will be charged 3s. 2d. for the first hundredweight and 1d. for each additional quarter or fraction of a quarter. But this regulation will not apply to goods consigned under Regulation (3), Part III.

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Parcels for Distribution at Destination.—When more articles or parcels than one are sent packed or loose, from one consignor to one consignee, for express companies or forwarding agents, and are for distribution at destination, the minimum charge will be 6s.

GOODS FOR CHRISTCHURCH, DUNEDIN, AND INVERCARGILL.

When goods of Classes A, B, C, D, and E are consigned to Christchurch, Dunedin, and Invercargill, the classified rates will be increased as follows:—

	s.	d.	per ton.
To Christchurch by	1	1	per ton.
To Dunedin by	1	2	„
To Invercargill by	1	3	„

But such increase will not be made when goods are consigned to private sidings at those stations; or, in the case of Dunedin, when they are consigned to the Railway Wharf for shipment in vessels lying there; or, in the case of Invercargill, when they are consigned to the Jetty.

When goods of Class H are consigned to Dunedin the classified rates will be increased by 5½d. per bale. Such increase will not be made when goods are consigned to private sidings.

CLASS H.—WOOL, ETC.

Class H, undumped, from Culverden to Christchurch or Lyttelton, will be charged 6d. per bale less than the classified rates.

The following rates will be charged on Class H, undumped, per bale from stations named below:—

From	To Christchurch.	To Lyttelton.
	s. d.	s. d.
Springfield, Whitecliffs	*3 0	*3 6
South Malvern	*3 0	3 6
Sheffield, Racecourse Hill, Glentunnel, Coalgate, Homebush	*2 6	*3 0
Darfield, Hawkins	2 6	3 0

The rates marked * will also apply to scoured wool, undumped, in bales not exceeding 2½cwt. each, notwithstanding regulation under Part III.

Class H, from stations between Ealing and Deborah inclusive, and from stations on the Albury, Waimate, Duntroon, Ngapara, and Livingston Branches, will be charged classified rates up to seventy-one miles inclusive, and ¼d. per bale per mile for undumped, and ½d. per bale per mile for double-dumped, for each additional mile, when not otherwise specified.

The following rates will be charged on Class H, undumped, from stations named below to Timaru, viz.:—

	s.	d.
Eversley, Fairlie, Winscombe	*2	3
Cricklewood, Albury	*2	0
Coal Creek	2	0
Cave	1	9
Sutherland's	1	6

The rates marked * will also apply to scoured wool, undumped, in bales not exceeding 2½cwt. each, notwithstanding regulation under Part III.

Class H, to Timaru from stations on the main line, within 25 miles distance, will be charged 1s. per bale undumped for distances up to and including 14 miles, and 1½d. per bale for each additional mile. Scoured wool, undumped, in bales not exceeding 2½cwt. each, from Winchester and Otaio, will also be charged in accordance with this regulation, notwithstanding regulation under Part III.

Class H, undumped, from Waimate, and from stations on the Waimate District Railway, to Timaru, Oamaru, or Breakwater, will be charged 4d. per bale less than the classified rates.

Class H, undumped, consigned to Oamaru or Breakwater, will be charged as follows from the stations named, viz.:—

Hakateramea and Kurow, 6d. per bale less than the classified rates.

Hilles, Duntroon, and intermediate stations, 4d. per bale less than the classified rates.

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Class H, undumped, consigned to Dunedin or Port Chalmers, will be charged as follows from the stations named, viz. :—

Dunback, 4d. per bale less than the classified rates.

Hyde, 6d. per bale less than the classified rates.

Heriot, Waipahi, and intermediate stations, 9d. per bale less than the classified rates.

Lawrence and Waitahuna, 6d. per bale less than the classified rates.

Wairuna, Lovell's Flat, and intermediate stations, 6d. per bale less than the classified rates.

Class H, undumped, consigned to Bluff from Heriot, Waipahi, and intermediate stations, will be charged 4d. per bale less than the classified rates.

Class H from Invercargill to Bluff will be charged 1s. 4d. per bale undumped, 2s. 4d. double-dumped.

Class H, undumped, from Ocean Beach to Bluff, will be charged 6d. per bale.

CLASS K.—TIMBER.

Timber from View Hill, East Oxford, West Oxford, or Bennett's to stations on the Oxford and Eyreton Branches, or to Ashley and Kaiapoi, and intermediate stations, will be charged 6d. per 100 superficial feet less than the classified rates. Minimum rate per 100 superficial feet, 8d.

Timber from Springburn to Tinwald and Ashburton will be charged 6d. per 100 superficial feet less than the classified rates. Timber from Buccleugh to Tinwald and Ashburton will be charged the same rates as from Springburn.

Timber from Rangitata to Ashburton, Timaru, and intermediate stations will be charged 6d. per 100 superficial feet less than the classified rates. Minimum rate per 100 superficial feet, 8d.

Timber from saw-mills in Southland consigned to Dunedin or Oamaru will be charged 6d., and to Timaru, Temuka, Winchester, or Orari, 9d., per 100 superficial feet less than the classified rates.

White-pine timber consigned to Bluff or Invercargill Jetty for export to ports outside New Zealand will be charged as on Wellington Section. Consignments of white-pine for ports outside New Zealand not made direct to the export ship, and white-pine to be used in the manufacture of casks and boxes for export of dairy produce and tallow, will be charged the same rate, upon a statutory declaration being furnished to the effect that the timber is for export or for use as indicated herein, such declaration being made under "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882," sections 233 and 234, in the form prescribed.

Timber other than white-pine for export to places outside the Colony of New Zealand, consigned direct to the ship, will be charged as follows, at per 100 superficial feet :—

		s. d.	
From 30 to 50 miles	1 8
Over 50 miles and not over 60 miles	1 9
" 60 " " 70 "	1 10
" 70 " " 80 "	1 11
" 80 " " 90 "	2 1

ROUGH STONE AND STONE PILES.

Stone and stone piles, rough, will be charged classified rates for distances not exceeding 51 miles, and at the following rates for distances over 51 miles :—

		s. d.		
Over 51 miles and not over 60 miles	5 7	per ton.
" 60 " " 70 "	5 9	"
" 70 " " 80 "	5 11	"
" 80 " " 90 "	6 1	"
" 90 " " 100 "	6 3	"
" 100 " " 110 "	6 5	"
" 110 " " 120 "	6 6	"
" 120 " " 130 "	6 8	"
" 130 " " 140 "	6 9	"
" 140 " " 150 "	6 11	"
" 150 " " 160 "	7 0	"
" 160 " " 170 "	7 2	"

For every additional 10 miles or fraction thereof 1½d. per ton will be added.

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CHRISTCHURCH TO STATIONS BETWEEN ASHLEY AND AMBERLEY, INCLUSIVE.
Goods of Classes A, B, C, from Christchurch to stations between Ashley and Amberley, inclusive, will be charged as Class D.

RANGIORA, KAIAPOI, AND CHRISTCHURCH.

Rates for the conveyance of goods between Christchurch and Rangiora, and Christchurch and Kaiapoi, including collection and delivery within the Boroughs of Rangiora and Kaiapoi, and delivery at Christchurch:—

Between Christchurch and Rangiora ... 8s. A, B, C, D, per ton.
Kaiapoi ... 6s.

For goods of Classes A, B, C, D, from other stations to Kaiapoi or Rangiora, the classified or local rates will be increased by 1s. per ton.

SHUNTING BETWEEN PRIVATE SIDINGS, RICCARTON AND ADDINGTON.

Shunting rate on all goods carried between private sidings at Riccarton and private sidings at Addington, 1s. per ton or portion of a ton. Minimum charge 5s.

SOUTHBROOK AND CHRISTCHURCH.

Goods of Classes A, B, C, D, conveyed between Christchurch and Southbrook, will be charged 8s. per ton, including delivery at Christchurch.

CHRISTCHURCH AND LYTTTELTON.

Goods of Classes A, B, C, D, from Christchurch to Lyttelton, will be charged	s. d.
...	5 0 per ton.
Goods of Classes A, B, C, D, from Lyttelton to Christchurch, not to private sidings, will be charged	6 1 "
Goods of Classes A, B, C, D, from Lyttelton to Christchurch, to private sidings, will be charged	5 0 "

Goods of Classes A, B, C, D, from Lyttelton or Christchurch to other stations on the Lyttelton-Christchurch line, or *vice versa*, will be charged as Class B.
Ships' goods will be charged according to bill of lading, or by weight or measurement, at the option of the department; other goods by weight or measurement, as the department directs.

LYTTTELTON TO STATIONS BEYOND CHRISTCHURCH.

Goods of Classes A, B, C, D, from Lyttelton to stations beyond Christchurch, will be charged 2s. 11d. per ton from Lyttelton to Christchurch, and at the rates specified in Part III. from Christchurch to destination.

From Lyttelton to Christchurch ships' goods will be charged according to bill of lading, or by weight or measurement, at option of the department; other goods by weight or measurement as the department directs; and from Christchurch to destination such ships' or other goods will be charged by weight.

Small lots as specified in Part III.

LYTTTELTON AND CHRISTCHURCH TO GLENTUNNEL, SOUTH MALVERN, AND SPRINGFIELD.

White lead, Cornish stone, flint, calcined bone, baryta, manganese, borax, metallic oxides, and other raw materials used in the manufacture of earthenware, consigned from Lyttelton or Christchurch to Glentunnel, South Malvern, or Springfield, will be charged Class D.

KAIAPOI, CHRISTCHURCH, ETC.

Sand and shingle from Kaiapoi to stations between Christchurch and Papanui inclusive will be charged 1s. 9d. per ton. Minimum quantity, 5 tons per truck.

HORNBY TO CHRISTCHURCH, ETC.

Sand and shingle from Hornby to stations between Christchurch and Papanui inclusive will be charged 1s. 6d. per ton. Minimum quantity, 5 tons per truck.

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SOUTHBRIDGE BRANCH.

Scale for small lots between Christchurch and all stations on Southbridge Branch:—

Where the rate per ton exceeds	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
But does not exceed ..	8 0	10 0	12 0	14 0	16 0	18 0	20 0	22 0	
Not exceeding 1 cwt.	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 1	
Above 1 cwt.	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 2	1 3	1 5	
" 1 1/2 "	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 1	1 3	1 5	1 6	1 8	
" 1 3/4 "	1 0	1 0	1 1	1 3	1 5	1 7	1 9	1 11	
" 2 "	1 0	1 0	1 3	1 5	1 7	1 10	2 0	2 2	
" 2 1/4 "	1 0	1 2	1 5	1 7	1 10	2 1	2 3	2 6	
" 2 1/2 "	1 0	1 3	1 6	1 9	2 0	2 3	2 6	2 9	
" 2 3/4 "	1 2	1 5	1 8	2 0	2 2	2 6	2 9	3 0	
" 3 "	1 3	1 6	1 10	2 2	2 5	2 9	3 0	3 4	
" 3 1/4 "	1 4	1 8	2 0	2 4	2 7	3 0	3 3	3 7	
" 3 1/2 "	1 5	1 9	2 2	2 6	2 10	3 2	3 6	3 10	
" 3 3/4 "	1 6	1 11	2 3	2 8	3 0	3 5	3 9	4 2	
" 3 1/2 "	1 7	2 0	2 5	2 10	3 2	3 7	4 0	4 5	

LYTTELTON STATION.

For all goods of Classes A, B, C, and D not taken delivery of by consignees within 5 working hours after arrival, the storage charges will be, for each week or fraction of a week, at per ton	£ s. d.
Minimum charge	0 2 0
For all goods of Class H not taken delivery of by consignees within 5 working hours after arrival, the storage charges will be, for each week or fraction of a week, for each bale, including handling	0 1 0
When delivered to ship's side an additional charge for haulage will be made, at the rate of, per ton	0 1 6
Frozen meat and butter in insulated trucks from shed to ship's side will be charged, per ton	0 2 6
Minimum charge	0 5 0
For all goods of Class E not taken delivery of by the consignees within 5 working hours after arrival, and kept in the railway-wagons or unloaded and stored at the risk of the owner, and, at the option of the department, for receiving and delivering to the ship and storage thereon, for the first week or fraction of a week, at per ton	0 2 6
For each additional week or fraction of a week up to the seventh week inclusive, for each ton	0 0 2
For each additional week or fraction of a week, for each ton	0 0 1
On goods consigned to the station for delivery on shore and delivered instead to vessels, a charge for haulage will be made at the rate of, per ton	0 0 6
On goods consigned to private sidings but not placed there, being delivered instead to vessels, a charge for haulage will be made at the rate of, per ton	0 0 6

GOODS FOR TRANSHIPMENT AT LYTTELTON.

When goods are landed ex ship and taken into shed for redelivery they will be charged 8s. per ton according to ships' manifest, or by weight or measurement, at the option of the department, including one week's storage. If examined by the Customs, 1s. per ton in addition will be charged where an extra removal of the goods from the examination shed is entailed. If left on the railway premises more than one week, storage will be charged at the following rates:—

For each additional week or fraction of a week up to the sixth week inclusive, for each ton or fraction of a ton	s. d.
For each additional week or fraction of a week, for each ton or fraction of a ton	0 6
For each additional week or fraction of a week, for each ton or fraction of a ton	0 3

PELTS, REFRIGERATING SIDING, TIMARU, TO ISLINGTON.

Pelts, from Refrigerating Siding, Timaru, to Islington, will be charged 18s. per ton. Minimum quantity, 4 tons per truck.

TALLOW, WASHDYKE TO DUNEDIN.

Tallow, packed, from Washdyke to Dunedin, will be charged 21s. per ton, including all charges. Minimum quantity, 4 tons per truck.

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OAMARU AND BREAKWATER.

	To or from Station Yard or Goods Shed.	To or from Harbour Board Sidings.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
General merchandise, per ton	0 2 0	0 1 6
Coal and other minerals, including loading, un- loading being done by consignees, per ton ...	0 1 6	0 1 6
Grain, flour, and other produce, per ton ...	0 1 6	0 1 6
Class H, screw-pressed, per bale	0 0 9	0 0 6
Rails and posts, per truck	0 6 6	0 6 6
Live stock, per truck	0 5 0	0 5 0
Returned empties, each	0 0 6	0 0 6

Goods to or from Government sheds will be loaded by the department, and those to or from Harbour Board sidings by Harbour Board tenants.

Ships' goods will be charged according to bill of lading, or by weight or measurement, at option of the department; other goods by weight or measurement, as the department directs.

All through goods will be charged at ordinary rates; one mile for the Breakwater Branch line will be added to the mileage to or from Oamaru.

DEAD MEAT, OAMARU TO PORT CHALMERS.

Dead meat, from Oamaru to Port Chalmers, will be charged 15s. per ton.

DUNEDIN OR PORT CHALMERS AND OAMARU.

Goods of Classes A, B, C, and D, between Dunedin or Port Chalmers and Oamaru, will be charged 12s. 6d. per ton, except otherwise specified. Minimum charge, 1s. 4d.

Parcels for Distribution at Destination.—When more articles or parcels than one are sent, packed or loose, from one consignor to one consignee, for express companies or forwarding agents, and are for distribution at destination, the minimum charge will be 5s.

GRAVEL.—MENLOVE'S SIDING TO OAMARU.

Gravel, from Menlove's Siding to Oamaru, will be charged 1s. 6d. per ton. Minimum quantity, 5 tons per truck.

PELTS, MAHENO TO WOOLSTON.

Pelts, from Maheno to Woolston, will be charged 22s. per ton. Minimum quantity, 4 tons per truck.

STONE AND STONE PILES FROM MAHENO, ETC.

Stone and stone piles, rough, from Maheno, Oamaru, and intermediate stations to Port Chalmers or Dunedin, will be charged 5s. 6d. per ton.

DUNEDIN AND PORT CHALMERS.

Goods of Classes A, B, C, and D, from Port Chalmers to Dunedin, not to private sidings	s. d.
...	5 8 per ton.
Goods of Classes A, B, C, and D, from Port Chalmers to Dunedin, to private sidings	4 6 "
Goods of Classes A, B, C, and D, from Dunedin to Port Chalmers ...	4 6 "

Ships' goods will be charged according to bill of lading, or by weight or measurement, at option of the department; other goods by weight or measurement, as the department directs.

DUNEDIN AND INVERCARGILL.

Goods of Classes A, B, C, and D not otherwise specified below, between Dunedin and Invercargill, in quantities of 5cwt. and over, will be charged 18s. per ton. Quantities of less than 5cwt. will be charged 3s. 6d. for the first hundredweight, and 3d. for each additional hundredweight or fraction of a hundredweight. But this regulation will not apply to goods consigned under Regulation (3), Part III. These rates cover all charges.

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Threshing-machines, reapers-and-binders, winnowing-machines, bulky machinery, carriage- and gig-bodies, and furniture between Dunedin and Invercargill, in quantities of 5cwt. and over, will be charged 30s. per ton. Quantities of less than 5cwt. will be charged 5s. 6d. for the first hundredweight, and 6d. for each additional hundredweight or fraction of a hundredweight. These rates cover all charges.

Parcels for Distribution at Destination.—When more articles or parcels than one are sent packed or loose, from one consignor to one consignee, for express companies or forwarding agents, and are for distribution at destination, the minimum charge will be 7s. 6d.

MILEAGE.

The distance between Dunedin and the following stations for the purpose of computing the charges will be deemed to be as follows:—

	Miles.		Miles.
Caversham	2	Burke's	4
Ravensbourne	2	Sawyer's Bay	7
Burnside	4	Port Chalmers Lower Station	8
Abbotsford	5		

And between Pelichet Bay and Port Chalmers Upper Station, 8 miles.

CLASSES N AND Q, FROM PORT CHALMERS QUARRY.

Goods of Classes N and Q, from Port Chalmers Quarry to Port Chalmers Station or Wharf, will be charged 1s. 6d. per ton. Minimum quantity, 5 tons per truck.

Goods of Classes N and Q, from Port Chalmers Quarry to stations on the main line, Hurunui-Bluff, will be charged 2d. per ton in addition to the classified rates.

GOODS FOR TRANSHIPMENT AT PORT CHALMERS.

When goods are landed ex ship, and taken into shed and redelivered to other ships, they will be charged 3s. per ton, according to ship's manifest, or by weight or measurement, at the option of the department, including one week's storage, after which storage will be charged for.

BARK, PORT CHALMERS TO SAWYER'S BAY.

Bark, in bags, from Port Chalmers to Sawyer's Bay will be charged 3s. per ton.

QUARRY REFUSE, ETC., SAWYER'S BAY TO PORT CHALMERS.

Quarry refuse and rough stone from Sawyer's Bay to Port Chalmers will be charged 1s. 3d. per ton. Minimum quantity, 5 tons per truck.

BURNSIDE TO CHRISTCHURCH, TIMARU, OAMARU, AND INVERCARGILL.

Bar iron and castings, in 4-ton lots, locally manufactured, from Burnside, will be charged as follows:—

To Christchurch	25s. per ton.
To Timaru	21s. per ton.
To Oamaru... ..	15s. per ton.
To Invercargill	18s. per ton.

BURNSIDE AND DUNEDIN.

Goods of Class E, oil, soap, tallow, candles, bar iron, iron castings, artificial manures, sulphur, linseed, guano, tar, raw materials used in the manufacture of artificial manures and acids, sulphuric acid, in 2-ton lots, between Dunedin and Burnside or the Cattle-yards, will be charged 3s. 8d. per ton; when consigned to private sidings, 2s. 6d. per ton.

DUNEDIN AND PORT CHALMERS TO MILTON.

Whitelead, Cornish stone, flint, calcined bone, baryta, manganese, borax, metallic oxides, and other raw materials used in the manufacture of earthenware, Dunedin or Port Chalmers to Milton, will be charged Class D.

KENSINGTON TO WINGATUI.

Nightsoil, Kensington to Wingatui, will be charged 12s. per truck; owners to load and unload.

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LOCAL RATES—continued.

FAT, MATAURA TO WALLACETOWN.

Fat, packed, Mataura to Wallacetown, will be charged 12s. 6d. per ton.

BLUFF AND INVERCARGILL.

Goods of Classes A, B, C, and D, from Bluff to Invercargill, not to private sidings	s. d.
Goods of Classes A, B, C, and D, from Bluff to Invercargill, to private sidings	7 9
Goods of Classes A, B, C, and D, from Invercargill to Bluff	6 6
Ships' goods will be charged according to bill of lading, or by weight or measurement, at option of department, provided that the charges shall not be computed on more than twice the actual weight of any package. Other goods by weight or measurement, as the department directs.	6 6

INVERCARGILL JETTY AND RAILWAY-STATION.

	To or from Station Yard or Goods Shed.
	£ s. d.
General merchandise, per ton	0 2 6
Coal and other minerals, loading and discharging being done by consignees, per ton	0 1 0
Grain, flour, and other produce, per ton	0 1 6
Class H, screw-pressed, per bale	0 0 9
Timber, per 100 superficial feet, loading and discharging being done by consignees	0 0 3½
Rails and posts, per truck	0 6 6
Live stock, per truck	0 5 0
Returned empties, each	0 0 6

All timber booked from country stations to this jetty will be charged at ordinary rates, one mile for the Branch line between Invercargill Station and Jetty being added to the mileage to or from Invercargill.

BRICKS, TILES, AND CLAY TO INVERCARGILL.

Bricks, earthenware tiles, and clay (native produce) will be charged as follows:—

Buxton's to Invercargill	s. d.
Minimum quantity, 5 tons per truck.	1 6

CLASS E, BLUFF STATION.

For storage on all goods of Class E not taken delivery of by consignees within five working hours after arrival, and kept in the railway wagons or stored at the risk of the owner, at the option of the department, and for delivering to the ship, the charges will be,—

For the first week or fraction of a week, at per ton or fraction of a ton	s. d.
All labour in store for loading, unloading, and stacking must be provided by consignors; and, if trucks are standing for unloading after the time specified, demurrage will be charged.	2 0
For the second week or fraction thereof, per ton or fraction of a ton	0 6
For each additional week or fraction of a week, for each ton or fraction of a ton	0 2

BLUFF AND OCEAN BEACH.

The following rates will be charged between Bluff and Ocean Beach:—

- Cased meats, tallow, and pelts, 2s. 6d. per ton; minimum quantity, 4 tons per truck.
- Native coal and artificial manures, 2s. per ton; minimum quantity 5 tons per truck.
- Ballast, ships', 1s. 6d. per ton; minimum quantity, 5 tons per truck.

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CLASS Q, FROM GREENHILLS.

Road-metal, ships' ballast, and gravel from Greenhills to Bluff or Invercargill will be charged 1s. 6d. per ton. Minimum quantity, 5 tons per truck.

CLASSES A, B, C, D, DISTRICT RAILWAYS.

The following rates for goods of Classes A, B, C, and D (except mining machinery and plant, and preserved meat from local factories) will be charged upon the District Railways stated below, viz. :—

Ashburton Forks, Waimate, Duntroon and Hakateramea, and Waimea Plains—

	s.	d.
Classes A, B, per ton per mile	...	0 9
Classes C, D, per ton per mile	...	0 6

For local traffic on the district railway-lines and between the terminal stations and stations intermediate the minimum charges will be not less than the classified rates.

Goods booked through between stations not situated on the Waimea Plains District Railway will be charged for conveyance over the District Railway—

	s.	d.
Classes A, B, per ton	...	16 0
Classes C, D, per ton	...	10 0

COAL FROM JETTY STREET WHARF, DUNEDIN.

Shunting coal from Jetty Street Wharf, Dunedin, to Pelichet Bay Sidings will be charged 1s. 6d. per ton; minimum charge, 7s. 6d. per truck.

COAL FROM NIGHTCAPS.

A terminal charge of 2s. 6d. per ton will be made on all coal loaded at the public sidings on the Nightcaps Coal Company's Railway at Nightcaps Station in addition to the ordinary rates.

PAPER FROM LOCAL PAPER-MILLS.

Paper consigned from local paper-mills will be charged Class C, half-rate. Minimum quantity, 10cwt. Any less quantity will be charged as such minimum, or at the classified rates for Class D.

CHEESE.

The maximum rate for cheese in 4-ton lots, consigned from factories south of Dunedin to Bluff, Invercargill, Dunedin, or Port Chalmers will be 23s. per ton. For cheese in 4-ton lots, consigned from factories north of Oamaru to Oamaru, Timaru, Christchurch, or Lyttelton, the maximum rate will be 23s. per ton.

GOODS OF CLASSES A, B, C, D (BRANCH LINES).

One penny per ton per mile will be charged in addition to the classified rates on goods of Classes A, B, C, D, on the following branch lines: Rangiora to Sheffield, Eyreton, Springfield, Whitecliffs, Lincoln to Little River, Mount Somers, Waimate, Duntroon, Ngapara, Livingstone, Waihemo, Otago Central, Catlin's River, Tapanui, Wyndham, Seaward Bush, Invercargill to Kingston, Mararoa, Riverton, and Riverton-Nightcaps; but such addition to be made only for the distance goods are carried on the branch. Mining machinery and plant is excepted from this regulation.

SHIPS' GOODS ON PORT LINES.

The following ships' goods will be carried by measurement at half-rates on the lines stated below, viz.: Combines, grass-seed-cleaning machines, omnibuses, trams, cars, and flock and kapok in bales.

LINES:—

Onehunga-Auckland.
Picton-Blenheim.

Lyttelton-Christchurch.
Port Chalmers-Dunedin.

PART V.—CLASSIFICATION OF GOODS.

All goods carried on the railways will be charged under the class specified in this classification.

If any goods are required to be carried which are not mentioned in this classification they shall be carried as Class A until the Railway Commissioners shall determine in what class they shall be charged.

If any package contains any of the goods specified in this list as "*dangerous*," the word "*dangerous*" must be marked on the package, and full particulars of the contents thereof must be specified on the consignment-note. The Railway is not bound to carry any such goods.

Where goods are described as "*packed*," it is intended that they shall be properly and securely packed in cases, casks, bags, crates, or otherwise, for safe transit by rail, in the manner in which such goods are usually packed in the trade, and that they shall not be carried loose or in bulk.

Except in the case of goods carried by measurement, the words "*rate and a quarter*," "*rate and a half*," or "*double rate*," mean that the classified or local rate for the conveyance of any article in the following classification to which any such words apply shall be increased by "*one-fourth*," or by "*one-half*," or "*doubled*," as the case may be. When any such goods (except dangerous goods) are carried by measurement, such increase of the classified or local rate shall not apply. The increased rate shall apply to dangerous goods in all cases. The words "*half-rate*," means that only half the classified or local rate is to be charged whether the goods are carried by weight or measurement.

	CLASS
Acid, acetic and tartaric, packed. Owners' risk	A
Acids, packed. Double rate. Owners' risk. <i>Dangerous</i>	A
Acid, carbolic, packed in wrought-iron drums. Owners' risk.	A
Acid, sulphuric, packed, from local factories in consignments of not less than 2 tons. Owners' risk. <i>Dangerous</i>	A
Ale	As beer
Almonds, packed	A
Alum, packed	C
Ammunition. Double rate. Owners' risk. <i>Dangerous</i>	A
Anchors and Chain Cables	D
Animals, living, not otherwise specified. In crates or cases. Owners' risk	A
Animals and Birds stuffed, in cases. Rate and a quarter	As parcels, see Part II.
Antimony, smelted	C
Anvils	D
Apparatus, distillery. Double rate. Owners' risk	A
Apple blight-mixture, packed	B
Arrowroot, packed	A
Arsenic, packed	A
Asphalt	D
Axles	C
Bacon, loose. Owners' risk	B
Bacon, packed	C
Bags, paper	A
Ballast, ships'. Owners' risk	Q
Bank Notes. <i>Special goods</i> . Double rate	As parcels, see Part II.
Banners, packed. If loose, owners' risk	A
Bark, packed, in bags or bundles. Owners' risk	D
Bark, loose. Owners' risk	C
Bark, native, packed in bags or bundles. Owners' risk	N
Bark, native, loose	D
Bark extract, in casks	C
Barley, grain, in bags. Owners' risk	E
Barley, pearl, packed. Owners' risk	E
Basils, in bales	B

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	CLASS
Baskets and Basketware. Rate and a half. (If through parcels, rate and a quarter)	A
Baths, plunge or shower. If loose, owners' risk. Rate and a half	A
Baths, wood, lined with zinc or tin. Rate and a half	A
Bath-chairs. Rate and a half. (If through parcels, rate and a quarter)	A
Beans, imported, packed	B
Beans, colonial produce, whole or crushed	E
Beds and Bedding, packed. If loose, rate and a half, owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	A
Bedsteads, packed, in cases	A
Bedsteads (loose), in sacking, matting, straw bands, partially or wholly exposed. Rate and a quarter. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	A
Beef, salt, packed	C
Beehives. Owners' risk	C
Beer, bottled, packed. Owners' risk	B
Beer, in bulk (4 hhds. to the ton)	C
Beeswax	A
Beetroot. Owners' risk	F
Bellit. Double rate. Owners' risk. <i>Dangerous</i>	A
Bellows. Owners' risk	B
Bells of all kinds. Owners' risk	A
Belting, leather or rubber. Owners' risk	B
Benzole, packed. Double rate Owners' risk. <i>Dangerous</i>	A
Berries, Juniper, packed	A
Bicycles, packed. Owners' risk	A
Bicycles and bicycle wheels, unpacked. Rate and a quarter. Owners' risk. As parcels, see Part II.	
Bills of Exchange and other Securities. <i>Special goods.</i>) Double rate)	"
Binder twine	D
Birds in cages. Rate and a quarter. Owners' risk. As parcels, see Part II.	
Birds and Animals stuffed, in cases. Rate and a quarter	"
Biscuits, in tins and cases. Owners' risk	A
Biscuits, in tins and cases, beyond 140 miles (minimum rate as Class A for 140 miles). Owners' risk	B
Biscuits, in bags and casks	C
Bitters, packed. Owners' risk	A
Blacking, packed	B
Blacklead, packed	B
Blades, scythe, in bundles	A
Blasting-gelatine. Double rate. Owners' risk. <i>Dangerous</i>	A
Bleach Soda Ash, packed, consigned to paper-mills. Owners' risk	D
Blight Mixture, apple, packed	B
Blinds, Venetian, packed. If in bundles, owners' risk	A
Blocks, concrete. Owners' risk	N
Bluestone, packed	B
Blue, washing, packed	A
Boats. Minimum charge as for 1 ton. Owners' risk	B
Bodies, Shafts, and Wheels, dray. Minimum charge as for 1 ton each consignment	C
Boilers and Shell Flues, copper or iron, kitchen, washing, or other open, not otherwise specified. Owners' risk.	A
Boilers, Steam-engine. Owners' risk	C
Bolts and Nuts, packed	C
Bone-dust, packed. Owners' risk	P
Bones. Owners' risk	Q
Books, packed. Owners' risk	A
Boots, packed	B
Bottles, druggists', packed. Owners' risk	A
Bottles, empty, "returned empties"	See Part III.
Bottles, empty, packed, not otherwise specified. Owners' risk	C
Boulders. Owners' risk	Q
Boxes, cardboard, colonial manufacture, packed in crates. Rate and a half. Owners' risk	A
Boxes, paper, bonnet and hat. Rate and a quarter As parcels, see Part II.	
Boxes, pasteboard, containing millinery, feathers, &c. Rate and a quarter As parcels, see Part II.	

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	Rate and	CLASS
Boxes, empty, not "returned empties," not otherwise specified. a half	...	A
Brads, packed	...	B
Bran, packed. Owners' risk	...	E
Brass, rod, sheet, wire, nails	...	B
Bread, packed. Owners' risk	...	C
Bread, unpacked	As parcels, see Part II.	
Breeze	...	P
Bricks, Bath	...	C
Bricks, imported. Owners' risk	...	N
Bricks, scouring, clay, native produce. Owners' risk	...	P
Bricks, native produce. Owners' risk	...	Q
Briquettes, coal	...	P
Britannia Metal Goods, packed	...	A
Brooms, Corn, packed. Double rate	...	A
Brooms, Corn, New Zealand manufacture, packed. Rate and a half	...	A
Brooms, packed	...	A
Brushware	...	A
Buckets, tin or other metal, in nests. Owners' risk	...	A
Buckets, tubs, &c., wood	...	A
Butter, packed	...	C
Butter, packed, in consignments of not less than 10cwt.	...	D
Butter-boxes in pieces, packed in crates, not "returned empties." Half-rate	...	B
Cables, chain	...	D
Cages, bird. Double rate. Owners' risk	...	A
Cake, linseed. Owners' risk	...	E
Calfskins	...	B
Calves. <i>Special goods.</i> Owners' risk	...	M
Candied Peel, packed	...	A
Candles, packed	...	A
Canoes. Minimum as for 5cwt. Owners' risk	...	A
Canvas, in bolts or bales	...	B
Cardboard boxes, colonial manufacture, packed in crates. Rate and a half. Owners' risk	...	A
Carpeting, packed	...	A
Carpeting, unpacked. Rate and a half	...	A
Carriages. <i>Special goods.</i> Owners' risk	See Part II.	
Carriage- and Gig-bodies. Minimum charge as for 15cwt. Owners' risk	...	A
Carriage-shafts and -wheels. Owners' risk	...	A
Carriage-covers (returned empty free)	...	A
Carrots	...	F
Cars, Tram	...	A
Carts	See Part III.	
Carts, hand. Rate and a quarter	As parcels, see Part II.	
Cartridges, packed. Double rate. Owners' risk. <i>Dangerous</i>	...	A
Cases, empty, not "returned empties," not otherwise specified. Rate and a half	...	A
Cash. Double rate. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods.</i>	As parcels, see Part II.	
Casks, empty, not "returned empties," not otherwise specified. Rate and a half	...	A
Castings. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	...	C
Castings, iron, turned and polished, light and fragile. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	...	A
Castings, iron, rough. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	...	D
Casts, stereotype, consigned by or to newspaper proprietors.	See Part II.	
Cattle. <i>Special goods.</i> Owners' risk	...	M
Cement. Owners' risk	...	D
Cement, manufactured from colonial products and consigned from local manufactories. Owners' risk. Rate and a half; but in no case are total charges to exceed Class D	...	N
Chaff. If pressed, rate and a half. Owners' risk	...	F
Chaff-cutters. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	...	C
Chain (not cable)	...	C
Chairs, Bath and basket. Rate and a half. (If through parcels, rate and a quarter)	...	A
Chalk	...	C

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	CLASS
Chalk, native. Owners' risk	N
Chandeliers, packed. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	A
Charcoal. Rate and a half. Owners' risk	N
Charcoal, crushed. Owners' risk	N
Cheese, packed	C
Cheese, loose or in bags. Owners' risk	B
Cheese, packed, consigned from makers' factories, in consignments of not less than 10cwt.	D
Chicory, packed	A
Chicory-roots	E
Chimney-pots. Owners' risk	C
Chimney-pieces. Owners' risk. If marble or slate, <i>Special goods</i>	A
Chimneys, galvanised iron. Owners' risk. Rate and a half	A
China-clay	N
China, parcels containing. Rate and a quarter	As parcels, see Part II.
China, packed. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	A
Chinese Goods, packed. Owners' risk	A
Chocolate, packed	A
Chocolate, packed, beyond 140 miles. Minimum rate as Class A for 140 miles	B
Churns. Owners' risk	A
Chutney, packed	A
Cider, bottled, packed. Owners' risk	B
Cider, in bulk	C
Cigars and Cigarettes, packed. Owners' risk. Double rate	A
Circuses. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	See Part III.
Clay, imported	N
Clay scouring Bricks, native produce. Owners' risk...	P
Clay, native produce. Owners' risk	Q
Clocks, packed. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	A
Closets, earth	A
Cloths, wire. Owners' risk	A
Coal, imported. Owners' risk	N
Coal, native, brown	Q
Coal, native, anthracite or bituminous	P
Coal, cinders. Owners' risk	Q
Cocoa, packed	A
Cocoa, packed, beyond 140 miles. Minimum rate as Class A for 140 miles	B
Cocoanuts, packed	C
Coffee, ground or roasted, packed	A
Coffee, raw, packed	B
Coffins, empty. Double rate	A
Coin. Double rate. <i>Special goods</i> . Owners' risk	As parcels, see Part II.
Coke. Rate and a half. Owners' risk	P
Colours, packed. Owners' risk	A
Combines. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	B
Concrete Blocks. Owners' risk	N
Confectionery, packed	A
Confectionery, packed, beyond 140 miles. Minimum rate as Class A for 140 miles	B
Contractors' plant, 2 tons and over. Owners to load and unload	D
Contractors' plant, under 2 tons	B
Copper, rod, sheet, nails, wire, and rivets	B
Copper, ingot and bar	C
Copper Ore. Owners' risk	Q
Copper, scrap	N
Copper, Sulphate of, packed	B
Copperas	B
Cordage	B
Cordials, packed. Owners' risk	A
Cordials, in bulk	B
Corks. Rate and a half	A
Corn-flour, packed	A
Cornices, in bundles, 40 cubic feet to the ton. Owners' risk	A
Corpses	See Part II.
Cotton Gunpowder, packed. Double rate. Owners' risk. <i>Dangerous</i>	A
Cotton Waste	B
Counters, Shop	A

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	CLASS
Coverings used for fresh meat conveyed by rail, returned	Free
Covers, Carriage (returned empty, free)	A
Covers, Horse	B
Crabs and crab-winchies	C
Cream. Owners' risk	As milk, <i>see</i> Part II.
Cream of Tartar, packed	A
Creosote	D
Crowbars	D
Crucibles	B
Currants, packed	A
Curry Powder, packed	A
Cutlery, packed	A
Dairy Produce, not otherwise specified	B
Dates, packed	A
Demijohns, glass, in wickerwork. Owners' risk	B
Demijohns, glass, without wickerwork. Rate and a half. Owners' risk	B
Demijohns, earthenware. Owners' risk	D
Dholl, packed	E
Disinfectants, packed	B
Documents, valuable. Double rate. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	As parcels, <i>see</i> Part II.
Dogs. <i>Special goods.</i> Owners' risk.	<i>See</i> Part II.
Door-fittings. Owners' risk	B
Doors, wooden. Owners' risk	C
Doors, glass. Owners' risk	A
Doors, glass, packed. Owners' risk	C
Drapery, packed. Owners' risk	A
Drays	<i>See</i> Part III.
Dray-shafts and -wheels	B
Dray-bodies, -shafts, and -wheels. Minimum charge as for 1 ton each consignment	C
Dress-stands. Rate and a quarter.	As parcels, <i>see</i> Part II.
Driers, packed	A
Drugs, packed. Owners' risk	A
Duck, in bolts or bales	B
Dyes, packed	A
Dyewoods, not otherwise specified	C
Dynamite. Double rate. Owners' risk. <i>Dangerous</i>	A
Earth-closets	A
Earthenware, packed, not otherwise specified. Owners' risk	C
Earthenware, native, packed, consigned direct from local factories, in lots of not less than 30cwt., half-rate Class B. Any less quantity will be charged as such minimum or at the classified rates for Class D.	
Eggs, only when safely packed. Owners' risk	B
Empties, returned	<i>See</i> Part III.
Empties: Casks, cases, kegs, jars, tins, and tubs for butter, cement, cheese, cider, fish, fruit, honey, preserved meat, and tallow, and crates and cases for poultry, not "returned empties," but to be reconsigned over the railway full.	As returned empties, <i>see</i> Part III.
Empties, not "returned empties," not otherwise specified. Rate and a half	A
Encaustic Tiles	C
Engines, Locomotive, running on their own wheels. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods.</i>	<i>See</i> Part III.
Engines, Portable and Traction. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	B
Engravings, loose. Double rate. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	A
Engravings, in cases. Rate and a quarter. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	A
Explosive Materials, not otherwise specified (excepting lithofracteur, nitro-glycerine, dualine, glyoxiline, methylic nitrate, glonine oil, gun-cotton, pyrolithe, metallic sodium, which will not be carried). Double rate.	
Owners' risk. <i>Dangerous</i>	A
Express-bodies, -shafts, and -wheels. Minimum charge as for 1 ton each consignment	C
Fancy Goods, packed. Rate and a quarter. Owners' risk	A
Fascines. Owners' risk	F

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Fat	...	C
Feathers, packed. Double rate. Owners' risk	...	A
Felloes, manufactured	...	C
Felloes, unmanufactured	...	D
Felt	...	B
Fenders. Owners' risk	...	A
Fibre, cocoanut	...	E
Field-rollers. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	...	C
Figs, packed	...	A
Firearms, packed	...	A
Firearms, unpacked	As parcels, <i>see</i> Part II.	
Fire-bars and -bearers, Dumb-plates, and Furnace-doors	...	D
Fireirons	...	A
Firewood. Owners' risk	...	Q
Fireworks, packed. Double rate. Owners' risk. <i>Dangerous</i>	...	A
Fish, in brine	...	C
Fish, in tins	...	A
Fish, dried. Owners' risk	...	C
Fish, fresh, under 2 tons. Owners' risk	...	D
Fish, fresh, 2-ton lots and over. Half rates. Owners' risk	...	C
Fish-cans, empty, for carriage of ova for acclimatisation purposes	...	Free
Fittings, gas, packed	...	B
Fittings, shop	...	A
Flagging. Owners' risk	...	N
Flags, packed. If loose, owners' risk	...	A
Flax, dressed, pressed. If unpressed, rate and a half	...	D
Flax, native, dressed, screw-pressed. Otherwise, rate and a half	...	E
Flax, green. Owners' risk	...	F
Flax Straw. If pressed, double rate. Owners' risk	...	F
Flax Matting	...	B
Flock, in bales	...	A
Floorcloth. Owners' risk	...	B
Flour, packed	...	E
Flour-bags, in bags or bales	...	D
Flower-pots, packed	...	C
Flower-pots, loose. Owners to load and unload	...	B
Flowers, artificial. Rate and a quarter	As parcels, <i>see</i> Part II.	
Flues, shell. <i>See</i> Boilers.	...	
Fluid, boiler. Owners' risk	...	B
Fog-signals. Double rate. Owners' risk. <i>Dangerous</i>	...	A
Foot-rot Preparation, in casks	...	D
Forks, hay or other agricultural	...	A
Frames, picture. Rate and a half. Owners' risk	...	A
Fruit, fresh, packed. Owners' risk	...	D
Fruit, New-Zealand-grown, fresh, packed, rate and a half (but in no case are total charges to exceed Class D)	...	E
Fruit, dried	...	A
Fungus, in bales or bags	...	B
Furniture, in packing-cases or crates. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	...	A
Furniture, loose, in sacking, matting, straw bands, partially or wholly exposed. Rate and a quarter. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	...	A
Furniture, skeleton. Double rate. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	...	A
Furniture, marble tops. Double rate. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	...	A
Furs, packed. Double rate. <i>Special goods</i>	...	A
Fuze, packed. Owners' risk. <i>Dangerous</i>	...	A
Game, dead. Owners' risk	...	A
Garden-roots	...	D
Garden-seats. Owners' risk. If cast, <i>Special goods</i>	...	B
Gasaliers. Owners' risk	...	A
Gas, liquefied carbonic acid, in solid drawn steel tubes. Owners' risk. <i>Dangerous</i>	...	A
Gasoline and Gazogen. Double rate. Owners' risk. <i>Dangerous</i>	...	A
Gas-oil. Double rate. Owners' risk. <i>Dangerous</i>	...	A
Gas-water, in tanks	...	C
Gas-water, in 5-ton lots	...	N
Gates, house and garden. Owners' risk	...	B
Gates, field	...	D

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	CLASS
Germina, packed. Owners' risk	E
Gig-bodies. Minimum charge as for 15cwt. Owners' risk	A
Gig-shafts and -wheels. Owners' risk	A
Ginger, packed	A
Girders, iron	B
Glass, broken, packed	D
Glass doors, packed. Owners' risk	C
Glass, parcels containing. Rate and a quarter	As parcels, see Part II.
Glass, plate, packed. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	A
Glass, window, packed. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	A
Glasses, looking-, packed. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	A
Glasses, looking-, not packed. Double rate. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	A
Glassware, native, packed, consigned direct from local factories, in lots of not less than 30cwt., half-rate Class B. Any less quantity will be charged as such minimum, or at the classified rates for Class D.	
Glassware, packed, not otherwise specified. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	A
Glucose, packed	B
Glue and Glue Pieces, packed	C
Goats. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	M
Gold Coin. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i> . Double rates	As parcels, see Part II.
Gold, manufactured or unmanufactured. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i> . Double rates	As parcels, see Part II.
Grain, in bags, not specified	E
Grain, poisoned	D
Grain, phosphorized. Double rate. <i>Dangerous</i>	A
Gram, in bags	E
Granite, dressed or polished. Owners' risk	D
Granite, rough. Owners' risk	N
Grass, tussock. Owners' risk	F
Grass, brushmakers'	D
Grates. If loose, owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	A
Gravel. Owners' risk	Q
Gravestones. Owners' risk	D
Grease, lubricating	D
Grindery, not otherwise specified	A
Grindstones. Owners' risk	C
Groats, packed	B
Guanó, packed	P
Gum, kauri	C
Gum, shellac, packed	B
Gunpowder. Double rate. Owners' risk. <i>Dangerous</i>	A
Guttering, zinc, tin, copper, brass, or iron	A
Haberdashery, packed. Owners' risk	A
Hair, upholsterers'	A
Hair, plasterers'	C
Hammers	B
Hams, loose. Owners' risk	B
Hams, packed	C
Handles, wooden, packed	B
Handles, wooden, packed, consigned direct from factory	D
Hand-trucks	C
Hardware, not otherwise specified. Owners' risk	A
Harmoniums, packed. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	A
Harmoniums, unpacked. Rate and a half. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	A
Harness, packed	B
Harness, loose. Owners' risk	A
Harrows. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	C
Hat-boxes. Double rate	A
Hats, packed. Double rate	A
Hay, pressed or unpressed. Owners' risk	F
Hearthstones. Owners' risk	D
Hessian, packed. Owners' risk	A
Hides, green or salted. To be taken at 40 to the ton	B
Hides, dried	B
Hobby Horses. Owners' risk	A
Holloware. Owners' risk	A

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	CLASS
Honey, in bottles, tins, or jars. Owners' risk	A
Honey, in kegs or casks. Owners' risk	B
Honey, extracted, packed, locally produced. Owners' risk	C
Honey, extracted, for export, in consignments of not less than 10cwt. Owners' risk	D
Hoofs and Horns	D
Hops, packed. Owners' risk	C
Horsecovers	B
Horsefeed, mixed, pressed. If unpressed, double rate. Owners' risk	E
Horsefeed, green. Owners' risk	E
Horse-powers. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	C
Horses. <i>Special goods.</i> Owners' risk	<i>see Part II.</i>
Horseshoes	C
Hose, indiarubber. Owners' risk	A
Hosiery, packed. Owners' risk	A
Houses, wooden, packed	C
House-blocks, split. Owners' risk	Q
Hurdles, iron and wood	D
Husks, grain	F
Ice, packed. Owners' risk	C
Images, marble, packed. If unpacked, double rate. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	<i>Special goods</i>
Implement, agricultural, not otherwise specified. Owners' risk	A
Indiarubber Goods or Hose. Owners' risk	B
Ink, printers'	A
Ink, writing. Owners' risk	B
Instruments, musical, packed. If unpacked, rate and a half. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	A
Instruments, scientific. Owners' risk	A
Iron, corrugated, loose. Owners' risk	C
Iron, corrugated, packed. Owners' risk	D
Iron, galvanised, loose	C
Iron, galvanised, packed	D
Iron, angle, bar, rod, hoop, sheet, and plate, unmanufactured...	D
Iron, angle, bar, rod, hoop, sheet, and plate, manufactured	C
Iron fencing material	D
Iron, pig	N
Iron rails, new, and fastenings	N
Iron rails, old, for scrap	Q
Iron, scrap	Q
Jam, packed, consigned direct from local factories in consignments of not less than 10cwt.	B
Japanned Ware. Owners' risk	A
Jewellery. Double rate. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	As parcels, <i>see Part II.</i>
Joinery. Owners' risk	A
Kapok, in bales	A
Kauri-gum	C
Kerosene. Owners' risk	A
Lace, packed. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods.</i> Double rate	A
Ladders (measurement to be taken over all extreme dimensions as if solid)	K
Lamps, hall and street, loose. Double rate	A
Lamps and Lampware, packed. Owners' risk	A
Lampblack	B
Lamp-posts, iron. Owners' risk	B
Lard	C
Lasts, packed	B
Laths, in bundles	C
Lead, pig, sheet, and pipe. Owners' risk	D
Lead, red and white	D
Leather, bookbinders' or fancy	A
Leather, in bales or bundles	B
Lignite. Owners' risk	Q
Lime gas refuse	Q
Lime. Owners' risk	N

CLASSIFICATION— <i>continued.</i>		CLASS
Lime from local kilns, consigned to country stations for agricultural purposes, or to ship for export	... ..	Q
Lime from local kilns, for cement-making	... ..	Q
Limejuice, in cases. Owners' risk	... ..	A
Limejuice, in casks	... ..	C
Limestone. Owners' risk	... ..	Q
Linseed. Owners' risk	... ..	E
Linseed Cake. Owners' risk	... ..	E
Linseed Meal	... ..	B
Liquorice	... ..	A
Liquors, in glass, not otherwise specified. Owners' risk	... ..	A
Liquors, in bulk, not otherwise specified	... ..	B
Locomotive Engines, running on their own wheels. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	... ..	<i>See Part III.</i>
Logs, squared. Owners' risk	... ..	K
Logwood	... ..	D
Looking-glasses, packed. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	... ..	A
Looking-glasses, not packed. Double rate. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	... ..	A
Luggage	... ..	B
Luggage, theatrical companies', by goods trains. Half-rate	... ..	B
Machines.—Winnowing, leather-cutting, stripping, printing, threshing, reaping, soda-water, clod-crushing, smut, weighing, flour-dressing; reapers-and-binders set up, minimum charge as for 1 ton; engines—fire, beer, and garden; hay-rakes and elevators, horse-works; garden-rollers, lawn-mowers; cheese, wool, hay, and wine presses; steam-ploughs, mangles, and all machines not otherwise specified. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>		
	... ..	B
Machines.—Reapers-and-binders, packed; chaff-cutters, field-rollers, horse-powers, stone-crushers. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	... ..	C
Machines, sewing, loose. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	As parcels, see Part II.	
Machines, sewing, packed. <i>Special goods</i>	... ..	A
Machinery, light and fragile. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	... ..	A
Machinery, mining. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	... ..	D
Machinery, refrigerating and paper-making. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	... ..	C
Machinery, not otherwise specified, including cylinders, sole-plates, and fly-wheels. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	... ..	B
Magnite, packed. Owners' risk	... ..	A
Maize. Owners' risk	... ..	E
Malt. Owners' risk	... ..	E
Manganese-ore	... ..	N
Mangolds. Owners' risk	... ..	F
Manilla Fibre. Owners' risk	... ..	B
Manures, animal. Owners' risk	... ..	Q
Manure, artificial. Owners' risk	... ..	P
Manure, salt	... ..	P
Maps, packed. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	As parcels, see Part II.	
Marble Images, packed. If unpacked, double rate. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	... ..	A
Marble, loose and polished. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	... ..	A
Marble, manufactured, packed. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	... ..	B
Marble, rough blocks. Owners' risk.	... ..	N
Marble Slabs, rough. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	... ..	B
Marble Tiles, packed. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	... ..	B
Marble Tops (furniture). Double rate. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	... ..	A
Matches, packed. Owners' risk. <i>Dangerous</i>	... ..	A
Mats, coir	... ..	A
Mats, woollen, packed. Owners' risk	... ..	A
Matting. Unspecified	... ..	A
Matting, flax	... ..	B
Mattresses, packed	... ..	A
Mattresses, unpacked. Rate and a half. Owners' risk	... ..	A
Meal, oat, packed	... ..	E
Meal, linseed	... ..	B
Meat, preserved	... ..	D
Meat, fresh. Owners' risk. (Coverings returned free.)	C
Merry-go-rounds. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	B
Metal, road	Q

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	CLASS
Metal, scrap (not otherwise specified)	N
Meters, gas or water. Owners' risk	B
Milk. Owners' risk	See Part II.
Milk, preserved, packed	A
Milk, preserved, packed, consigned direct from local factories in consignments of not less than 10cwt.	B
Millinery, packed. Double rate	A
Millstones. Owners' risk	C
Mining Machinery and Plant, not otherwise specified. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	D
Molasses, in casks	C
Money. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i> . Double rate As parcels, see Part II.	As parcels, see Part II.
Monkeys, pile-driving	D
Mouldings, in bundles. Owners' risk	K
Mouldings, in bundles, gilt and fancy	A
Musical Instruments, packed. If unpacked, rate and a half. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	A
Mustard, packed	A
Nails, iron, packed	C
Naphtha and Naphthaline. Rate and a half. Owners' risk. <i>Dangerous</i>	A
Naves, manufactured	C
Naves, unmanufactured	D
Netting, wire. Owners' risk	D
Netting, rope, packed	B
Newspapers	See Part II.
Nuts, edible (except coconuts)	A
Nuts, cocoa, packed	C
Nuts, iron, packed	C
Oars	A
Oatina, packed. Owners' risk.	E
Oats. Owners' risk	E
Oats, crushed. Owners' risk	E
Oatmeal, packed. Owners' risk	E
Ochre	B
Offal. Owners' risk	N
Oil, packed, not otherwise specified. Owners' risk	B
Oil, Chinese. Owners' risk	B
Oil, gas. Double rate. Owners' risk. <i>Dangerous</i>	A
Oilcake, not otherwise specified	D
Oilcake, New Zealand made. Owners' risk	E
Oilcloth	A
Oily Canvas, Paper, Rags, or Waste. Owners' risk. <i>Dangerous</i>	A
Omnibuses	A
Onions, packed (not to exceed Class D rate), rate and a half	E
Opium. Double rate	A
Ore, copper, iron, and other, not otherwise specified. Owners' risk	Q
Ova, trout and salmon, for Acclimatisation Societies. Free of charge.	Free of charge.
Ovens, camp and colonial. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	B
Oysters and other Shellfish, under 2 tons. Owners' risk	D
Oysters and other Shellfish, 2 ton lots and over. Half-rates. Owners' risk	C
Paints, packed. Owners' risk	B
Palings	K
Paper, waste	N
Paper, waste, for paper-making, consigned to a paper-mill. Half-rate	C
Paper Bags	A
Paper Bags, colonial manufacture	D
Paper, in reams or bales	B
Paper, in reams or bales, colonial manufacture	D
Paperhangings	A
Paper-making machinery. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	C
Paper Maché Goods. Owners' risk	A
Parcels, unspecified. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	See Part II.
Pearl barley, packed. Owners' risk.	E
Peas, colonial produce, whole or crushed	E

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Peas, imported	...	B
Peas, split, packed	...	B
Peat. Owners' risk	...	Q
Pegs, surveyors'	...	D
Pelts, green or limed, in bags	...	D
Pelts, limed, in 2 ton lots, owners to load and unload	...	D
Pepper, packed	...	A
Perambulators, packed. Rate and a half	...	A
Perambulators, loose. Rate and a quarter. Owners' risk	As parcels, see Part II.	
Perfumery. Owners' risk	...	A
Perry, in bottle. Owners' risk	...	A
Perry, in bulk	...	C
Petroleum. Owners' risk. <i>Dangerous</i>	...	A
Phosphorus. Double rate. <i>Dangerous</i>	...	A
Phosphorized Grain. Double rate. <i>Dangerous</i>	...	A
Pianos, packed. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	...	A
Pianos, unpacked. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods.</i> Rate and a half	...	A
Pickles, packed. Owners' risk	...	B
Picks	...	B
Pictures, loose. <i>Special goods.</i> Double rate. Owners' risk	...	A
Pictures, packed. <i>Special goods.</i> Rate and a half. Owners' risk	...	A
Picture-frames. Rate and a half. Owners' risk	...	A
Pigs. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	...	M
Piles or Heavy Timber. Owners' risk	...	K
Piles, stone, rough. Owners' risk	...	Q
Piles, iron, cast. <i>Special goods</i>	...	D
Piles, iron, wrought	...	D
Pile-shoes	...	D
Pipeclay, packed	...	D
Pipes, smoking. Owners' risk	...	A
Pipes, cast-iron, water or gas. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	...	D
Pipes, drain, earthenware. Owners' risk	...	N
Pipes, unglazed earthenware, flangeless, drain, up to 6in. in diameter	...	Q
Pipes, copper, brass, and wrought iron	...	B
Pipes, unflanged wrought-iron, and wrought-iron fluming, for mining purposes; minimum quantity, 2 tons per single truck, 5 tons per double-bogie truck. Class D. Any less quantity will be charged as such minimum, or at the classified rates for Class B. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	...	D
Pitch	...	D
Plants, packed. Owners' risk	...	C
Plaster. Owners' risk	...	D
Plaster of Paris, packed	...	C
Plaster of Paris Ornaments, loose. Double rate. Owners' risk	...	A
Plaster of Paris Ornaments, packed. Rate and a half. Owners' risk	...	A
Plate, Gold and Silver. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods.</i> Double rate	As parcels, see Part II.	
Plated Goods. Rate and a half. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	...	A
Plate-glass, packed. <i>Special goods.</i> Owners' risk	...	A
Ploughs	...	B
Ploughshares. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	...	B
Poles, hop	...	Q
Pollard, packed	...	E
Pork, salt, packed	...	C
Porter	...	As beer.
Posts, lamp, iron, loose. Owners' risk	...	B
Posts and Rails	...	Q
Posts, verandah, iron, loose. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	...	B
Potash	...	B
Pots, iron. (<i>See castings.</i>) Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	...	
Potatoes	...	E
Poultry, living, in crates or cases. Owners' risk.	...	A
Poultry, dead. Owners' risk	...	B
Powder, baking	...	A
Powder, bleaching	...	B
Powder, blasting. Double rate. <i>Dangerous</i>	...	A
Precious Stones. (<i>See Jewellery.</i>) <i>Special goods.</i> Owners' risk. Double rate.	...	

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	CLASS
Preserves, in bottles. Owners' risk	A
Preserves, in cases, not otherwise described	A
Presses, copying. If loose, owners' risk	A
Printing Materials and Type. Owners' risk	B
Provisions, preserved	B
Pumice Stone. Owners' risk.	Q
Pumpkins. Owners' risk	F
Pumps. Owners' risk	B
Putty, packed	B
Pyrites. Owners' risk	Q
Quartz and Quartz Tailings. Owners' risk	Q
Quicksilver	A
Rabbit exterminator	D
Rabbit-skins, in bales. Owners' risk	H
Rabbit-skins, in bags or fadges	A
Rabbits, dead. Half-rate. Owners' risk	C
Rabbits, living, in crates or cases. Owners' risk	See Part II.
Rabbit-traps, packed	C
Racecourse Stalls. Rate and a quarter	As parcels, see Part II.
Rackarock. Double rate. Owners' risk. <i>Dangerous</i>	A
Racks, sheep. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods.</i>	C
Rags	N
Rags, in bales, not for export. Half-rates	C
Railings, iron. Owners' risk. If cast, <i>Special goods.</i> Owners' risk	B
Rails, iron and steel, new, and fastenings	N
Rails, iron, old, for scrap	Q
Raisins, packed	A
Rape-seed	E
Rattans	C
Reapers-and-binders, set up, minimum charge as for 1 ton. Owners' risk.	B
<i>Special goods</i>	C
Reapers-and-binders, packed. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	C
Refrigerating machinery. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	C
Refuse from Gold-smelting	B
Resin	D
Retorts, clay. Owners' risk	B
Retorts, iron. Owners' risk	C
Rice	C
Ridging, zinc or tin. If loose, owners' risk	A
Riding galleries. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	B
Rims for wheels, manufactured	C
Rims for wheels, unmanufactured	D
Rivets, iron, packed	C
Road-metal. Owners' risk	Q
Roburite. Double rate. Owners' risk. <i>Dangerous</i>	A
Rock salt	P
Roots—turnips, mangolds, beet	F
Root, chicory	E
Roots, garden	D
Roots, not otherwise specified	E
Rope, hemp or wire	C
Ruddle, packed	B
Rugs, woollen, packed. Owners' risk	A
Runners, sheep, in casks	D
Rye	E
Sacking, Waste Paper, Cotton Waste, and other fibrous material for paper-making, consigned to a paper-mill. Half-rate	C
Sacking, old, not otherwise specified	N
Sacks, loose	A
Sacks, in bags and bales	E
Saddlery, packed	B
Saddlery, loose. Owners' risk	A
Safes, bread, meat, and milk. Owners' risk	A
Safes, iron	B
Sago	A
Sails, ships'	B

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	CLASS
Salmon-ova, for Acclimatisation Societies. Free of charge.	D
Salt, packed, not otherwise specified	P
Salt, manure, or for agricultural or pastoral purposes	C
Saltpetre, packed	Q
Sand. Owners' risk	A
Sardines, packed	A
Sashes, window, glazed. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	A
Sashes, window, glazed, packed. Owners' risk	C
Sashweights, loose. Owners' risk	A
Sashweights, packed	C
Sausage-skins, packed	A
Sawdust, in bags	F
Saws, loose	As parcels, see Part II.
Saws, packed	A
Scab Specific, packed	B
Scales and Scale Beams. Owners' risk	A
Scenery, theatrical. Owners' risk	A
Scheelite. Owners' risk	N
Scoria. Owners' risk	Q
Screwjacks	B
Screws, packed	B
Scrim, packed	A
Scythes, packed	A
Seats, garden. Owners' risk. If cast, <i>Special goods</i>	B
Seaweed, in bulk	F
Seeds, garden, and agricultural seeds not specified	B
Seeds, turnip, clover, mangold	D
Seeds, grass. Rate and a half; but in no case are total charges to exceed Class D	E
Semolina, packed. Owners' risk	E
Shafts and Wheels, dray	A
Shafts and Wheels, carriage and gig. Owners' risk	A
Shags' heads, consigned from country stations to Acclimatisation Societies	Free
Shale	Q
Sharps, packed	E
Shavings, packed	C
Sheep. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	M
Sheep-dip, packed. Owners' risk	B
Sheep-dip, colonial manufacture, consigned from the factory. Owners' risk	D
Sheep-feeding Boxes, minimum charge, as for 10cwt. Owners' risk	C
Sheep-racks. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	C
Sheep-runners, in casks	D
Sheepskins, green, in bundles not exceeding 1cwt. If loose, or in bundles exceeding 1cwt., rate and a quarter	B
Sheepskins, green, loose or in bundles, between private sidings	B
Sheepskins, dried, in bales	H
Sheepskins, dried, in bundles	B
Sheeting, in bales, for manufacture of flour-bags	D
Sheeting, in bales, for fellmongeries, or consigned to, or to be used by, frozen-meat companies, for manufacture of coverings for frozen meat	D
Shellac, packed	B
Sherbet, in bottles. Owners' risk	A
Shingle. Owners' risk	Q
Shingle, tarred. Owners' risk	N
Shingles, roofing	K
Shooks	D
Shooting galleries. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	B
Shop-fittings or -counters, packed. If loose, owners' risk	A
Shot, packed	B
Shovels	B
Shrubs, in packages. Owners' risk	C
Sieves. Owners' risk	A
Signboards	A
Silk Goods. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i> Rate and a half	A
Silver Coin. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i> . Double rate	As parcels, see Part II.
Silver, manufactured or unmanufactured. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i> .	As parcels, see Part II.
Double rate	As parcels, see Part II.

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	CLASS
Slate Slabs, for furniture and house-fitting. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	A
Slate Slabs, for tanks. Owners' risk	B
Slates, roofing. Owners' risk	N
Slates, school, packed. Owners' risk	A
Sleepers, railway	Q
Slops, in cases. If in bales, owners' risk	A
Snow, packed. Owners' risk	C
Snuff	A
Soap, fancy	A
Soap, in cases	C
Soap, packed, locally manufactured, consigned to ship for export	D
Soap-boxes, in pieces, packed in crates, not "returned empties," half-rates	B
Soda, packed	C
Soda ash, packed	D
Soda, bicarbonate of, packed	A
Soda, caustic, packed. Owners' risk	C
Soda, caustic, packed, consigned to paper-mills. Owners' risk	D
Soda Crystals, packed	D
Soot, in bags, as artificial manure. Owners' risk	P
Spades	B
Spices, packed	A
Spirits, in cases or jars. Owners' risk	A
Spirits, in bulk	A
Sponge, packed. Double rate	A
Spokes, manufactured	C
Spokes, unmanufactured	D
Spouting, iron. Owners' risk. If cast, <i>Special goods</i>	A
Spouting, zinc or tin. Owners' risk	A
Springs	B
Stalls, racecourse. Rate and a quarter	As parcels, see Part II.
Stamps. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i> . Double rate	As parcels, see Part II.
Standards (iron) for fencing, in bundles	D
Standards (iron) for fencing, loose	C
Staples, packed	C
Starch	A
Stationery. Owners' risk	A
Staves	D
Steel	C
Steel Plates, unmanufactured	D
Steel Rails, new, and fastenings	N
Stereotype Casts, consigned by or to newspaper proprietors	See Part II.
Stone-crushers. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	C
Stone, carved, for building purposes. Owners' risk	C
Stone, kerb or dressed. Owners' risk	N
Stone, pumice. Owners' risk	Q
Stone, rough. Owners' risk	Q
Stones, scythe, packed	B
Stout, as Beer.	
Stoves and Stovepipes. Owners' risk	A
Strainers, iron, for fencing	D
Straw, pressed or unpressed. Owners' risk	F
Straw-flax. If pressed, double rate. Owners' risk	F
Sugar, loaf, loose. Owners' risk	A
Sugar, packed	B
Sulkies, with wheels removed. Double rate. Owners' risk	A
Sulphur, packed. Owners' risk	C
Sulphur, loose. Owners' risk	D
Sumach	C
Sundries, contents not specified, packed. Owners' risk	A
Surveyors' Pegs	D
Tables, billiard or bagatelle, packed. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	A
Tables, billiard or bagatelle, loose. Double rate. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	A
Tacks, packed	B
Tailings, quartz	Q
Tallow	C
Tan-pit refuse. Owners' risk	Q

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	CLASS
Tanks, corrugated iron, empty. Double rate	A
Tanks, iron, empty, up to 400 gallons. Minimum charge 2s. 6d. each.	A
Owners' risk	A
Tanks, iron, empty, over 400 gallons. Minimum charge 2s. 6d. each.	A
Rate and a half	A
Tanks, containing water	C
Tanks, containing gas-water	C
Tapioca	A
Tar	D
Tarred Shingle. Owners' risk	N
Tar, spirits of. Owners' risk	A
Tares	E
Tarpaulins	B
Tea. Owners' risk	A
Tea, packed beyond 140 miles (minimum rate as Class A for 140 miles).	B
Owners' risk	B
Tents, in bundles	B
Theatrical Companies' Luggage, by goods-trains. Half-rate	B
Theatrical scenery. Owners' risk	A
Tiles, encaustic	C
Tiles, earthenware, imported. Owners' risk	N
Tiles, earthenware, native. Owners' risk	Q
Timber, sawn or balk. Owners' risk	K
Tin, ingot and bar	C
Tin Plates and Gold Grating	B
Tin Plates, packed, consigned to rabbit-factories	D
Tinware, packed. If loose, owners' risk	A
Title Deeds. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods.</i> Double rate. As parcels, <i>see</i> Part II.	A
Tobacco, smoking	A
Tobacco-leaf, in bags. Owners' risk	E
Tobacco, sheepwash, packed	B
Tools, loose	A
Tools, packed	B
Tow, dressed, pressed. If unpressed, rate and a half	D
Tow, native, dressed, pressed. If unpressed, rate and a half	E
Toys, packed. <i>Special goods.</i> Owners' risk. Rate and a quarter	A
Tramcars	A
Treacle, in bottles. Owners' risk	A
Treacle, in casks or tins	C
Trees, in packages. Owners' risk	C
Trees and shrubs consigned to Public Domain Boards for planting in public domains. Free of charge.	A
Tricycles, packed. Owners' risk	A
Tricycles and tricycle wheels, unpacked. Rate and a quarter. Owners' risk. As parcels, <i>see</i> Part II.	A
Trimnings, upholsterers'	A
Trimnings, coach	A
Trinkets. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods.</i> Double rate. As parcels, <i>see</i> Part II.	A
Tripon. Owners' risk	Q
Troughing, zinc and tin. Owners' risk	A
Trout-ova, for Acclimatisation Societies. Free of charge.	A
Trunks, empty, not "returned empties"	A
Tubing, copper, brass, and iron	B
Tubs, tin or other metal. Owners' risk	A
Tubs, wooden.	A
Turf	Q
Turnery, loose. Owners' risk	A
Turnery, packed	B
Turnips. Owners' risk	F
Turpentine. Owners' risk	B
Turpentine, spirits of. Owners' risk	A
Tussock grass. Owners' risk	F
Twine	B
Twine, binder	D
Type. Owners' risk	B
Umber, for paper-making purposes	D
Umbrellas, in cases. If in bundles, owners' risk	A

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	CLASS
Varnish. Owners' risk	A
Vats. Double rate	A
Vegetables, not otherwise specified, packed. Rate and a half (but in no case are total charges to exceed Class D)	E
Vegetable refuse, in bags	Q
Venetian Red, packed, consigned to paper-mills. Owners' risk	D
Ventilators, all kinds	A
Vestas, packed. Owners' risk. <i>Dangerous</i>	A
Vices	B
Vinegar, in casks	C
Vinegar, in cases and jars. Owners' risk	A
Wagons. <i>Special goods</i>	See Part III.
Wagons, empty, railway	See Part III.
Wagons, express	See Part III.
Washers, iron and lead	C
Waste, cotton	B
Watches, packed. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i> . Double rate	As parcels, see Part II.
Water in, tanks	C
Water, gas, in tanks	C
Water, gas, in 5-ton lots	N
Waters, aerated, of all kinds	B
Wheat. Owners' risk	E
Wheels, iron, cast, or wrought. If cast, owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	C
Wheelbarrows	C
Wheels and Shafts, dray	B
Whips	A
Whiting	C
Whiting, native. Owners' risk	N
Willows, in bundles	D
Willows, green. Owners' risk	N
Winches, crab	C
Window-sashes, glazed. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i>	A
Window-sashes, glazed, packed. Owners' risk	C
Wine, in cases or jars, not otherwise specified. Owners' risk	A
Wine, in bulk, not otherwise specified	A
Wine, New Zealand made, in cases or jars. Owners' risk.	C
Wine, New Zealand made, in bulk	C
Wine-butts, -pipes, or -vats, empty. Double rate	A
Wire, iron, fencing, in bundles	D
Wire, iron, barbed	C
Wire, binding	C
Wire-cloth. Owners' risk	A
Wire-netting. Owners' risk	D
Wood Patterns for Castings. Owners' risk	A
Woodenware, buckets, tubs, &c.	A
Wool	H
Wool in bags or fadges	A
Woollen Goods, packed. Owners' risk	A
Woolpacks, in bales and bundles	D
Writings. Owners' risk. <i>Special goods</i> . Double rate.	As parcels, see Part II.
Yeast, in casks. Owners' risk	A
Zinc, packed	B
Zinc, perforated. Owners' risk	A
Zinc and Tin Spouting and Ridging. Owners' risk	A
Zinc, scrap	N

PART VI.—WHARVES.

The following rates and charges will be made on goods for shipment or ex ship and for the other purposes specified, at the places named, in addition to the other rates and charges made under the preceding parts, where not otherwise provided in Parts III. and IV.

GENERAL.

SHIPS WORKING OVERTIME.

The working-hours of the Railway Department are from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. on working days. Ships discharging or taking in cargo at any other time will be charged for extra labour at the rate of 1s. 6d. per head per hour for each employé engaged by the department at shunting, tallying, supervising, or in any way upon or in connection with such work.

KAWAKAWA SECTION.

OPUA WHARF STATION RATES.

Goods conveyed to or from Opuia Wharf or Station to inland stations by rail—Free.

On goods loaded from or into ships lying at the wharf, but not conveyed to or from the Opuia Wharf or Station to inland stations by railway, the following rates shall be paid by the owners, masters, or agents of ships or vessels:—

On all goods not otherwise specified, by weight or measurement, as the	s.	d.
department may direct, per ton	...	2 0
Cattle and horses, per head	...	2 6
Sheep, pigs, and goats	...	0 6
Wool, per bale	...	0 6
Timber, per 100 superficial feet	...	0 3
Classes N, P, Q, per ton	...	0 3
Minimum charge	...	0 6

Goods from or to ports beyond the colony, transhipped from or into ships lying at the wharf, will be charged half-rates.

Charges for Use of Wharf.

On every vessel lying within the limits of the railway, per day or part thereof, per ton gross register up to 150 tons	...	0 0½
For each ton above 150 tons, per day or part thereof	...	0 0½
For vessels trading within the Bay of Islands using the wharf, per quarter	10	0
Minimum charge per day	...	2 6

WHANGAREI SECTION.

WHANGAREI RAILWAY WHARF.

Rates.

Goods conveyed to or from wharf by the railway ... Free.

On goods loaded from or into ships, but not conveyed to or from the wharf by railway, the following rates shall be paid by the owners, masters, or agents of ships or vessels:—

On all goods not otherwise specified, by weight or measurement, as the	s.	d.
department may direct, per ton	...	2 6
Cattle and horses, per head	...	2 0
Sheep, pigs, and goats, per head	...	0 6
Wool, per bale	...	0 3
Timber, per 100 superficial feet	...	0 3
Classes N, P, Q, per ton	...	0 3
Minimum charge	...	0 6

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WHANGAREI RAILWAY WHARF—continued.

Charges for Use of Wharf.

On every vessel lying at the wharf, per working-day or part thereof, per ton	s. d.
gross register up to 150 tons	... 0 0½
For each ton above 150 tons	... 0 0¼
Minimum charge per day	... 1 0

KAIHU SECTION.

DARGAVILLE WHARF.

Rates.

Goods carried between the wharf and stations inland by rail—free.

On all goods not otherwise specified (by weight or measurement, as the department may direct), per ton	s. d.
Cattle and horses, per head	... 2 0
Sheep, pigs, and goats, per head	... 2 6
Timber, per 100ft.	... 0 6
Classes N, P, and Q, per ton	... 0 3
Minimum charge	... 1 0
	... 0 6

Goods transhipped from or to vessels lying at the wharf, half-rates.
 The department may require the owners of goods to find all labour for landing or shipping goods. On all goods not otherwise provided for, for which the department finds labour, 1s. per ton will be charged for landing or shipping. For unloading charges on timber shipped at Dargaville, see Local Rates (Part IV.).

Charges for Use of Wharf.

For every vessel not over 20 tons gross register trading within the Kaipara Heads, lying at the wharf, per quarter, payable in advance	s. d.
For every vessel over 20 tons gross register trading within the Kaipara Heads, lying at the wharf, per quarter, payable in advance	... 15 0
For every vessel, not otherwise specified, lying at the wharf, per working-day or part thereof, per ton gross register up to 150 tons	... 30 0
For each ton above 150 tons	... 0 0½
Minimum charge per day or part thereof	... 0 0¼
	... 2 6

AUCKLAND SECTION.

HELENSVILLE WHARF.

Rates.

On all goods not otherwise specified, per ton	s. d.
Class F, per ton	... 3 0
Cattle and horses, per head	... 1 0
Sheep, pigs, and goats, per head	... 0 6
Wool, per bale	... 0 1
Timber, per 100 superficial feet	... 0 3
Classes N, P, Q, per ton	... 0 3
Minimum charge	... 0 6
Class E, carried by rail	... 0 3
Returned empties	... Free.
	... Free.

The ordinary wharf rates will be charged to the owners, masters, or agents of ships or vessels on all goods loaded or unloaded from or into boats or other craft into or from boats or other craft lying at the wharf.

Storage.

On goods not taken away within twelve working hours, per ton, per week or fraction thereof	s. d.
On timber not taken away within one week, per 100 superficial feet, per week or fraction thereof	... 1 0
Working hours, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. on week-days.	... 0 6

Cranage.

On all timber, per 100 superficial feet	... 0 2
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RAILWAY WHARF, AUCKLAND.

Cranage (10-ton crane), per hour	s. d.
Minimum charge	... 10 0
Minimum charge	... 2 6
	... 5 0

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ONEHUNGA WHARF.

When consignees do not take delivery of ships' goods from the ships' slings at the Onehunga Wharf such goods will be received by the Railway Department, and will be subject to the charges provided under Part III. of the scale of fares, rates, and charges on the New Zealand Railways, for loading, unloading, haulage, and storage.

<i>Rates.</i>	s.	d.
Goods, landed, not otherwise specified, weight or measurement, at the option of the department, per ton	2	0
Goods, shipped, not otherwise specified, for export beyond the Provincial District of Auckland, weight or measurement, at the option of the department, per ton	1	0
Goods, shipped, not otherwise specified, for places within the Provincial District of Auckland	Free.	
Goods of Classes A, B, C, D, E, carried by rail between Auckland and Onehunga Wharf	Free.	
Returned empties	Free.	
Bonedust, guano, and artificial manures, carried by rail (imported)	Free.	
Goods, Classes E and F, per ton	1	0
Kauri-gum, shipped, per ton	1	0
Cattle and horses, per head (two calves as one head cattle)	1	6
Sheep, pigs, and goats, per head	0	1
Timber, per 100 superficial feet	0	2
Goods of Classes N, P, Q, per ton	0	3
Native coal	Free.	
Wool, sheepskins, and rabbitskins, in bales not over 4cwt., per bale	0	3
Flax, in bales not over 2cwt., per bale	0	0½
Four-wheel vehicles, each	2	6
Two-wheel vehicles, each	1	3
400-gallon iron tanks, each	1	0
Minimum charge in all cases	0	3

Goods transhipped from or into lighters or vessels into or from vessels lying alongside the wharves will be charged half rates.

Charges for Use of Wharf.

	s.	d.
For every vessel under 20 tons, and every vessel trading within the Manukau Heads, lying at the wharf, per quarter, payable in advance	10	0
For every other vessel lying at the wharf, per working-day or part thereof, per ton gross register	0	0¼
Minimum charge per working day or part thereof	1	0
For every wagon using the wharf, drawn by one horse, each time	1	0
For each additional horse	0	6
For each express, cart, or other vehicle, drawn by one horse	0	6
For every barrow or hand-truck, each time	0	2

Cranage.

For use of crane on wharf, per ton ... 0 6
 Exceptional cargoes (as may be determined by the Railway Department) to be charged per day, or otherwise by special arrangement. The charge for cranage does not include the cost of haulage to the crane when the goods have been previously deposited at a distance therefrom.

The working hours are from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. on week-days.

MERCER WHARF.

	s.	d.
Cattle and horses, per head	0	6
Sheep, pigs, goats, per head	0	1
Grain and flour, per ton	1	0
Timber, per 100 superficial feet	0	3
Posts and rails, per 100	1	0
Shingles, per 1000	0	3
Palings, per 100	0	2
Firewood, per cord	1	0
Bricks, per 100	0	3
Slates, per 100	0	6
Coal (native), per ton	Free.	
Lime, limestone, sand, per ton	0	6
Shells, undressed building stones, or shingle, per ton	0	6
Drainpipes, per ton (ship measurement)	1	0

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	s.	d.
400-gallon tanks (empty), each	...	1 0
Manure of any kind or bones, per ton	...	1 0
Wool, per bale, not exceeding 4 cwt.	...	0 3
Flax and tow	...	Free.
Tallow, per ton	...	1 3
Hides, each	...	0 0½
Sheepskins and rabbitskins, per bale, not exceeding 2cwt.	...	0 2
For every vehicle of four wheels	...	5 0
" " two wheels	...	2 6
Agricultural produce, not otherwise specified, per ton	...	1 0
Fencing-wire and materials, per ton	...	0 6
Other goods not enumerated above, per ton, weight or measurement, at the option of the Wharfinger	...	2 0
Minimum charge in all cases	...	0 6
Returned empties	...	Free.

Labour.

Receiving and delivering, for all kinds of goods, per ton	...	1 0
Packages exceeding half a ton weight, by arrangement.		
Timber—For each handling by the Railway, 3d. per 100ft. will be charged. (Handling not compulsory.)		

NAPIER-TARANAKI SECTION.

FOXTON WHARF.

This wharf shall be open for receipt and delivery of goods on all days (Sundays and holidays observed at H.M. Customs excepted) from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., but on Saturdays it may be closed at 2 p.m. Vessels may load or discharge from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., but on Saturdays until 1 p.m. only.

Rates.

	s.	d.
Cattle, per head	...	1 0
Horses, per head	...	2 6
Sheep, pigs, goats, per head	...	0 1
Grain and flour, per ton	...	1 6
Timber, per 100 superficial feet	...	0 2
White-pine, per 100ft. superficial	...	0 1
Posts and rails, per 100	...	1 0
Shingles, per 1,000	...	0 3
Palings, per 100	...	0 2
Firewood, per cord	...	1 0
Bricks, per 100	...	0 3
Slates, per 100	...	0 6
Coal (imported), per ton	...	1 0
Coal (native), per ton	...	1 0
Lime, limestone, sand, per ton	...	1 0
Shells, undressed building-stones, and shingle, per ton	...	0 6
Drainpipes, per ton (ships' measurement)	...	1 0
400-gallon tanks (empty), each	...	1 0
Manure of any kind or bones, per ton	...	1 0
Wool, per bale, not exceeding 4cwt.	...	0 3
Flax and tow, per bale	...	0 3
Tallow, per ton	...	1 3
Hides, each	...	0 0½
Sheepskins and rabbitskins, per bale (not exceeding 2cwt.)	...	0 3
For every vehicle, four-wheel	...	5 0
" " two-wheel	...	2 6
Agricultural produce not otherwise specified, per ton	...	1 6
Fencing-wire and fencing materials, per ton	...	0 6
Poultry of all kinds, each	...	0 1
Other goods not enumerated above, per ton, weight or measurement, at option of Wharfinger	...	2 0
Minimum charge in all cases	...	0 6
Returned empties, half-rates.		

Half wharfage rates will be charged on all goods loaded or unloaded from or into lighters into or from ships lying at the wharf.

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FOXTON WHARF—*continued.**Labour.*

Packages exceeding half a ton weight, by arrangement.
 Timber, for each handling by the Railway, 3d. per 100ft. will be charged.
 (Handling not compulsory).

Storage.

Storage will be charged on all import goods or merchandise not taken away	s.	d.
within 12 working hours, per ton, per day or fraction thereof	...	1 0
On all export goods or merchandise, if not shipped per first steamer for which		
they are consigned, storage, per ton, per day or fraction thereof	...	0 6
On wool, flax, tow, sheepskins and rabbitskins, per bale, per day or fraction		
thereof	...	0 3
On tallow, per cask, per day or fraction thereof	...	0 3
On timber remaining over sixty-four working hours, per 100ft. superficial,		
per week	...	0 2

The working-hours are from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. on week-days.

The above storage charges do not include handling.

WANGANUI STATION.

Ships' Goods.

Storage at the rate of 1s. 6d. per ton per week or fraction of a week will be charged on goods for town delivery not removed within 24 hours, on goods received from or to be forwarded by railway after 72 hours.

No ship shall discharge or take in cargo at other times than ordinary working hours without written notice being given by the ship's officer to the wharfinger, under a penalty of £5 for each offence.

Goods for Transhipment.

When goods are landed on wharf ex ship, and redelivered to other ships, they will be charged 2s. 6d. per ton, according to ship's manifest, or by weight or measurement, at the option of the department, including handling and one week's storage, after which storage will be charged for.

WELLINGTON SECTION.

KAIWARA RAILWAY WHARF.

Rates.

Gunpowder and explosives landed or shipped, per ton or part of a ton	...	2 6
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Regulations.

Gunpowder and explosives may be landed or shipped from this wharf between the hours of sunrise and sunset only.

The owner must give all particulars in writing of the quantities and description of such goods to the Railway Stationmaster at Wellington during working-hours, stating the dates and times it is proposed to land or ship them, at least two hours before the goods are landed or shipped.

The owner of such goods shall not allow them to remain on the Railway Wharf after dark, nor at any time, without a man is left in charge of them for their proper custody.

No person is allowed to smoke, or to strike lights, or light any fire on or about the wharf, or on any vessel lying thereat.

No goods, other than gunpowder or explosives, may be landed or shipped at the wharf.

Every person committing any breach of these regulations shall, upon conviction, be liable to a penalty not exceeding £10.

GREYMOUTH SECTION.

GREYMOUTH WHARF.

Charges for Use of Wharf.

For every vessel lying at a wharf, per ton register, per trip	...	0 6
For every vessel coming in ballast for coal or timber, for the first four days,		
per ton register	...	0 1
For each additional day, per ton register	...	0 0½
The maximum charge on any vessel to be £5 10s. per trip.		
The minimum charge on any vessel coming for coal or timber in ballast to be	5	0

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GREYMOUTH WHARF—*continued.*

For every vessel, sailing or steam, with one-eighth cargo (or less), one-eighth rates to be charged.

If with more than one-eighth but not more than one-fourth cargo, one-fourth rates to be charged.

If with more than one-fourth but not more than one-half cargo, half-rates to be charged.

If with more than one-half cargo, full rates to be charged.

Rates.

	s.	d.
On all goods and luggage not otherwise specified, per ton weight or measurement, at the option of the department	...	2 0
Minimum charge	...	0 3
Wool, per bale	...	0 6
Flax and tow, per bale	...	0 3
Sheepskins, per bale not exceeding 2cwt.	...	0 3
Hides, each	...	0 1
Shingles, per 1,000	...	0 6
Palings, per 100	...	0 6
Slates, per 1,000	...	2 0
Minerals, per ton	...	0 6
Timber not otherwise specified, per 100 superficial feet	...	0 2
Timber (carried by rail for export)	...	Free
Cattle and horses, per head (first 20)	...	2 0
" " (each additional)	...	1 6
Sheep, pigs, goats, &c., per head (first 50)	...	0 3
" " (each additional)	...	0 1
Poultry, each	...	0 1
Vehicles, four-wheel	...	5 0
" two-wheel	...	2 6

Goods for Transhipment.

When goods are landed on wharf ex ship, and redelivered to other ships, they will be charged 2s. 6d. per ton, according to ship's manifest, or by weight or measurement, at the option of the department, including wharfage, handling, and one week's storage, after which storage will be charged for.

Goods transhipped into lighters or vessels from vessels lying alongside the wharves, per ton
 ... | 1 0 |

Cranage.

For use of steam-crane on wharf or in yard, per ton (minimum charge, 15s.)
 0 6 |

Exceptional cargoes (as may be determined by the Railway Department) to be charged per day, or otherwise by special agreement.

The charge for cranage does not include the cost of haulage to the crane when the goods have been previously deposited at a distance therefrom.

Minimum charge for use of 12-ton steam-crane
 ... | 20 0 |

Storage.

On goods not removed within 12 working-hours, per day, per ton
 ... | 1 0 |

On timber not removed within one week, per 100 superficial feet, per day
 ... | 0 2 |

The working-hours are from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. on week-days.

No ship shall discharge or take in cargo at other times without written notice being given by the ship's officer to the Wharfinger, under a penalty of £5 for each offence.

The captain or agent of each vessel must supply the Wharfinger with a correct copy of the vessel's manifest prior to discharging any cargo, under a penalty of £5 for each offence.

WESTPORT SECTION.

WESTPORT WHARF.

Charges for Use of Wharf.

	s.	d.
For every vessel lying at a wharf, per day, per ton register	..	0 0 $\frac{1}{4}$
Minimum charge	..	5 0
The maximum charge on any vessel to be £5 10s. per trip.		

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WESTPORT WHARF—*continued.*

<i>Rates.</i>		s.	d.
On all goods and luggage not otherwise specified, per ton weight or measurement, at the option of the department	2	0
Minimum charge	.. ..	0	3
Wool, per bale	.. ..	0	6
Flax and tow, per bale	.. ..	0	3
Sheepskins, per bale not exceeding 2cwt.	.. ..	0	3
Hides, each	.. ..	0	1
Shingles, per 1,000	.. ..	0	6
Palings, per 100	.. ..	0	6
Slates, per 1,000	.. ..	2	0
Minerals, per ton	.. ..	0	6
Timber not otherwise specified, per 100 superficial feet	.. ..	0	2
Timber (carried by rail for export)	.. ..	Free	
Cattle and horses, per head (first 20)	.. ..	2	0
(each additional)	.. ..	1	6
Sheep, " pigs, goats, &c., per head (first 50)	.. ..	0	3
" " " (each additional)	.. ..	0	1
Poultry, each	.. ..	0	1
Vehicles, four-wheel	.. ..	5	0
" two-wheel	.. ..	2	6

Goods for Transhipment.

When goods are landed on wharf ex ship, and redelivered to other ships, they will be charged 2s. 6d. per ton, according to ship's manifest, or by weight or measurement, at the option of the department, including wharfage, handling, and one week's storage, after which storage will be charged for.

Goods transhipped into lighters or vessels from vessels lying alongside the wharves, per ton	1	0
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Cranage.

For use of steam-crane on wharf or in yard, per ton (minimum charge 15s.)	0	6
Exceptional cargoes (as may be determined by the Railway Department) to be charged per day, or otherwise by special agreement.		
The charge for crantage does not include the cost of haulage to the crane when the goods have been previously deposited at a distance therefrom.		
Minimum charge for use of 12-ton steam-crane	20	0

Storage.

On goods not removed within 12 working-hours, per day, per ton	1	0
On timber not removed within one week, per 100 superficial feet, per day	0	2

The working-hours are from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. on week-days.

No ship shall discharge or take in cargo at other times without written notice being given by the ship's officer to the Wharfinger, under a penalty of £5 for each offence.

The captain or agent of each vessel must supply the Wharfinger with a correct copy of the vessel's manifest prior to discharging any cargo, under a penalty of £5 for each offence.

NELSON SECTION.

NELSON WHARF.

Rates, including Labour.

		s.	d.
Wharfage on all goods and luggage not otherwise specified, per ton weight or measurement	.. ..	2	0
Hops, per bale	.. ..	1	0
Wool, per bale	.. ..	1	0
Native bark, packed, per ton	.. ..	1	0
Flax and tow, per bale	.. ..	0	6
Green flax, per ton	.. ..	0	6
Sheepskins and rabbitskins per bale, not exceeding 2cwt.	.. ..	0	3
Sheepskins, loose, per 100	.. ..	2	6
Hides, each	.. ..	0	1
Poultry, each	.. ..	0	1
Carts and carriages, each	.. ..	2	6
Heavy wagons (four-wheel), each	.. ..	5	0
Hand-carts or trucks, each	.. ..	1	0
Corpses, each	5	0
Minimum charge	0	6
Classes E and F, per ton	1	6
Returned empties	Free	

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<i>Rates, excluding Labour.</i>		s.	d.
Posts and rails per 100, and firewood per cord	...	0	6
Sawn timber, per 100ft.	...	0	1
Horses, bullocks, and other great cattle, first ten, each	...	2	6
Horses, bullocks, and other great cattle, over ten, each	...	1	6
Calves, under one year, sheep, pigs, and other small cattle, each	...	0	2
Bricks, per 1,000	...	1	6
Slates, per 1,000	...	3	0
Shingles, per 1,000	...	0	6
Coals, coke, ballast, ore, limestone, sand, and manure, per ton	...	1	0

Half dues for wharfage to be charged on all goods transhipped into lighters, &c., from vessels lying alongside the wharf.

Vessels lying alongside the wharf without landing or receiving cargo shall pay $\frac{1}{2}$ d. per ton net register per day. Minimum charge, £1.

Masters or agents to supply Wharfinger with a list of cargo to be shipped or landed, together with the particulars of weight or measurement on which freight is calculated, and wharfage to be paid accordingly, unless the measurement or weight be found incorrect, in which case the same is to be paid on the correct measurement or weight.

Goods reshipped without being removed from the wharf, and upon which inward wharfage has been paid, to be free of outward wharfage.

Storage.

	s.	d.
Any coal or other goods remaining on the platform more than forty-eight hours after landing to pay at the rate of 1s. per ton for every week or part of a week. Storage on all goods sent to the sheds and stored for vessels which are not then in harbour or not ready to receive, and goods delivered from ship and not taken away within eight working hours, per ton, per week or part of a week	...	1 6
Receiving and delivering, per ton	...	1 0
Wool, flax, and tow per bale, and tallow per cask (storage)	...	0 6
Receiving and delivering ditto	...	0 6

Miscellaneous.

Weighing, Receiving, and Delivering.

Pipes, puncheons, or butts, each	...	2	0
Hogsheads, each	...	1	6
Barrels, quartercasks, each	...	0	6
Octaves, each	...	0	6
Cases or baskets (4 gallons) and gin-cases	...	0	3
" (2 gallons)	...	0	2
Tobacco, half-tierces	...	1	6
" kegs, cases, and quarter-tierces	...	1	0
Cigars and cigarettes, cases not over 50lb.	...	1	0
" cases over 50lb. and not over 100lb.	...	1	6
" cases over 100lb.	...	2	0
Sugar, per ton	...	1	0
Kerosene, per case	...	0	6
Goods, weight or measurement, according as freight shall be paid thereon or at option of Railway Commissioners, per ton	...	2	0
Minimum charge	...	0	6
Bondmarking, per package	...	0	0 $\frac{1}{2}$

Cranage.

For use of crane on wharf, per ton	...	0	6
For use of donkey-engine, per day	...	30	0
For use of shear-legs, for lifting heavy weights, per ton	...	10	0

Exceptional cargoes (as may be determined by the Railway Department) by special agreement.

The working hours are from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. on week-days.

No ship shall discharge or take in cargo at other times without written notice being given by the ship's officer to the Wharfinger, under a penalty of £5 for each offence.

The time allowed vessels to occupy berths at the wharf for the purpose of discharging cargo shall be (exclusive of Sundays and holidays and the day of removal)—

For vessels under 50 tons Two days.

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NELSON WHARF—continued.

For vessels from 50 to 100 tons	Three days.
For vessels from 100 to 150 tons	Five days.
For vessels from 150 to 200 tons	..	..	Seven days.
For vessels from 200 to 250 tons	..	..	Nine days.
For vessels from 250 to 300 tons	..	..	Ten days.

And an additional three days for every additional 100 tons register.

Vessels occupying berths at the wharf longer than the times above specified will be charged with rent for every day or part of a day beyond the times above specified, at the following rates, which shall be paid to the Wharfinger before the vessel shall be removed, viz. :—

	£	s.	d.
For vessels under 50 tons	0 10 0
For vessels from 50 to 100 tons	0 15 0
For vessels from 100 to 150 tons	1 0 0
For vessels from 150 to 200 tons	1 10 0
For vessels from 200 to 250 tons	2 0 0
For vessels from 250 to 400 tons	2 10 0
For vessels above 400 tons	3 0 0

PICTON SECTION.

PICTON WHARF.

	s.	d.
Grain or flour, per ton	...	1 6
Grain or flour, not exceeding 200lb., per bag	...	0 3½
Posts and rails per 100, and firewood per cord	...	0 6
Sawn timber, per 100ft.	...	0 3
Single bag or parcel	...	0 3
Horses, if not more than one	...	2 6
Horses, after the first, each	...	1 6
Cattle, per head	...	0 6
Sheep or pigs, not exceeding 50, each	...	0 2
Sheep or pigs, all over 50, each	...	0 1
Bricks, per 1,000	...	2 6
Coals, per ton	...	1 0
Wool, per bale	...	0 3
Flax and tow, per bale	...	0 2
Hides (40 to the ton) per ton	...	2 0
Sheepskins, per bale	...	0 3
Tallow, per cask	...	0 3
All other goods not enumerated, per ton, either weight or measurement, at the option of the Wharfinger	...	2 0
Wagons	...	5
Carts, drags, and carriages	...	3 0
Hand-carts or trucks	...	0 6

Empties at per ton measurement, including labour, half rates.

All goods landed on the Government lands adjacent to the wharves shall be subject to the same dues as if landed on wharf.

Goods loaded or unloaded from or into lighters into or from ships lying alongside the wharf, half-rates.

Minimum charge on any goods, 6d.

Class E for Shipment.

Goods of Class E for shipment from Picton which have been previously carried over the Picton-Blenheim line will be charged 1s. per ton.

Exemptions.

Such passengers' luggage or ships' stores as are carried in hand.

All goods, produce, or stock coming from or going to settlers residing in Queen Charlotte Sound.

Labour.

	s.	d.
On all goods, with the exception of timber and live stock, and except on packages exceeding one-half ton weight (when the Wharfinger shall be at liberty to make an additional charge for extra labour, if required), per ton	...	1 0
Labour loading carts, not compulsory, per ton	...	0 6

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PICTON WHARF—*continued.*

<i>Charges for Use of Wharf.</i>		s. d.
On every vessel lying within the limits of the railway, for the first month, per working-day or part thereof, per ton register up to 150 tons	...	0 0½
For each additional working-day or part thereof after the first month	...	0 0½
For each additional ton above 150 tons, for the first month, per working-day or part thereof	...	0 0½
For each additional working-day or part thereof after the first month	...	0 0½
Minimum charge per day or fraction thereof	...	2 6
Vessels occupying berths outside other vessels lying alongside the wharf will be charged half dues.		
For vessels trading within the Sounds, using the wharf, per quarter	...	10 0

HURUNUI-BLUFF SECTION.

PORT CHALMERS WHARVES.

Rates.

A rate of 1s. per ton will be charged to the masters of ships on all goods loaded or unloaded from or into lighters into or from ships lying at Port Chalmers Railway Wharf.

All goods not carried by rail loaded on to or discharged from the railway wharves will be charged 1s. per ton.

For live stock which are not carried by rail landed at or shipped from the railway wharves at Port Chalmers the following charges will be made:—

	s. d.
Cattle and horses, per head	2 0
Sheep, pigs, goats	0 2

Charges for Use of the Wharves.

For every vessel lying at the wharves, or within the limits of the railway, for each day or part thereof, for each ton register, ¼d. Maximum charge per ton register, 1d. per month. The minimum charge to be £1, and the maximum charge to be £15, per month or part of a month respectively.

Coal-hulks not occupying berths, but lying outside other vessels at the wharf, will be charged half-dues. Passenger-steamers trading within the harbour only, 10s. a quarter.

Vessels and dredges, the property of the Otago Harbour Board, used for the construction or improvement of the harbour, will be free of charge.

