

GOODS—continued.

87. Food Products and Clothing for Charitable Purposes.

By omitting from paragraph 1 the words " will be conveyed as goods traffic " and substituting the words " will be conveyed as parcels or goods traffic (at the option of the Department)."

92. Exhibits forwarded to and from Shows, Horses forwarded to and from Ploughing-matches.

Paragraph 1: By adding after the word "implements" in first line, the word "tractors."

97. Haulage between Sheds and Sidings and Handling Charges.

Paragraph 6: By omitting from the first line the words "any wagon" and substituting the words "a wagon."

125. Miscellaneous.

By omitting from paragraph 8 the words "is not responsible for the fulfilment of coach, steamer, or other services not managed and controlled by the Department and".

By adding the following new paragraph:—

8A. The Department will not be responsible for any loss of or damage or delay to any goods or for any loss or delay to any person caused by the non-fulfilment of any road motor, shipping, or other service not managed and controlled by the Department. In the event of the failure or refusal of any such service to accept any goods from the Department such goods will either be held by the Department at the sole risk in every respect of the owner or delivered to the direction of the owner, subject in every case to the payment of the charges for carriage already performed and also of any charges and expenses for the custody, care, and maintenance of the goods, or incurred in the fulfilment of the direction of the owner.

GOODS—LOCAL RATES SCALE OF CHARGES.

NORTH ISLAND MAIN LINE AND BRANCHES.

1. Butter and Cheese.

By omitting:—

From	To	Rate.
		Per Ton.
		s. d.
Waitara Road ..	Moturoa	8 6
†Ngaere	Moturoa	13 6

By adding:—

From	To	Rate
*Dargaville	Auckland or Southdown	£9 5s. per 8-ton four-wheeled wagon.
		Per Ton.
		s. d.
Waitara Road ..	Moturoa	7 0
†Ngaere	Moturoa	13 9
*Bunyahorpe ..	Wellington	24 0

5. Sugar, Golden Syrup, and Treacle.

By adding:—

From	To	Rate.
		Per Ton.
		s. d.
*Auckland	Stations Parore to Donnelly's Crossing, inclusive	40 0
*Auckland	Dargaville, Tangowahine, Kirikopuni, Pukehuia	32 6
*Auckland or Newmarket	Waitoa	33 9

6. Miscellaneous.

By omitting:—

From	To	Description of Goods.	Rate.
Auckland ..	Wellington ..	Biscuits and confectionery in crates or tins	88s. per ton. Minimum quantity, 4 tons per consignment.
Auckland ..	Stations on the North Island Main Line and branches except Wellington	Plaster, direct ex factory ..	Class N, including the cost of tarpaulins.
Auckland ..	Wellington ..	Plaster, direct ex factory ..	47s. per ton, including cost of tarpaulins. Minimum quantity, 10 tons per 10-ton L or LA wagon. Owners to load and unload.

Minimum quantity, 2,000 tons per annum.