

APPENDIX G.

CONTRACTS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF ROADS.

SCHEDULE of CONTRACTS for the CONSTRUCTION of ROADS from 1st July, 1877, to 30th June, 1878.

		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
WESTLAND ROAD CONTRACTS:—							
John Allen, contract for section 4, 3 miles, Bowen-Okarito Road, north end	...	949	15	0			
John Allen, contract for section 5, 3 miles, Bowen-Okarito Road, north end	...	829	4	0			
Rikard O'Donovan, contract for section 6, 3 miles, Bowen-Okarito Road, north end	...	834	0	0			
John Butler, contract for section 7, 3 miles, Bowen-Okarito Road, north end	...	694	17	0			
Rikard O'Donovan, contract for section 8, 296 ch., Bowen-Okarito Road, north end	...	1,472	12	0			
James Clarke, contract for section 9, 251 ch., Bowen-Okarito Road, north end	...	1,563	10	0			
James Clarke, contract for section 10, 285 ch., Bowen-Okarito Road, north end	...	3,164	0	0			
James Clarke, contract for section 11, 320 ch., Bowen-Okarito Road, north end	...	2,958	0	0			
James Clarke, contract for section 12, 286 ch., Bowen-Okarito Road, north end	...	1,391	0	0			
					13,856	18	0
NELSON AND SOUTH-WEST GOLD FIELDS CONTRACTS:—							
Maurice O'Connor, contract for construction of bridge over the Grey River	...	4,543	15	0			
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APPENDIX H.

ANNUAL REPORT ON WORKING RAILWAYS BY THE COMMISSIONER OF RAILWAYS, NORTH ISLAND.

The COMMISSIONER of RAILWAYS, North Island, to the Hon. the MINISTER for PUBLIC WORKS.
Wellington, 1st August, 1878.

SIR,— I have the honor to report on the working of the North Island railways for the twelve months ending 30th June, 1878.

The mileage of railways opened for traffic in the North Island on the 30th June, 1877, was 206 miles 17 chains, and on 30th June, 1878, 309 miles 1 chain, being an increase of 102 miles 63 chains.

The dates of opening the several lengths are given in Table No. 1.

				Length of Main Line and Branches.				Totals.	
Section.				Main Line.		Branches.		Mls. Chs.	
				Mls. Chs.		Mls. Chs.			
Kaipara	...	...	...	15	68	...	...	15	68
Auckland	...	...	...	94	0	2	53	96	53
Napier	...	...	...	64	13	...	...	64	13
Wellington	...	...	...	27	7	...	...	27	7
Wanganui	...	...	...	85	27	...	...	85	27
New Plymouth	...	...	...	11	13	8	60	19	73
Totals	...	...	...	297	48	11	33	309	1