

STATEMENT B.

J BROGDEN and SONS, Wellington.—MONTHLY IMMIGRANT REPORT to Firm in London.

Date of Report.	Number Working for Firm.	Number Not Working for Firm.	Total.	Approximate Expenditure in New Zealand on Works.	Remarks.	Date of Report.	Number Working for Firm.	Number Not Working for Firm.	Total.	Approximate Expenditure in New Zealand on Works.	Remarks.
1873.						1874.					
April ...	236	1,055	1,291	16,000	All lines at work.	September	34	1,257	1,291	26,000	All lines at work except Hutt line.
May ...	321	970	"	19,000	"	October	25	1,266	"	17,000	"
June ...	278	1,013	"	15,000	"	November	23	1,268	"	29,000	"
July ...	219	1,072	"	25,000	"	December	14	1,277	"	23,000	"
August ...	133	1,158	"	13,000	"	1875.					
Sept. 4 ..	125	1,166	"	18,000	"	January	18	1,273	"	21,000	"
" 30 ...	86	1,205	"	13,000	"	February	13	1,278	"	28,000	"
October ...	75	1,216	"	26,000	"	March ...	11	1,280	"	23,000	"
November	77	1,214	"	17,000	"	April ...	9	1,282	"	23,000	"
December	48	1,243	"	29,000	"	May ...	7	1,284	"	19,000	"
1874.						June ...	5	1,286	"	22,000	"
January	56	1,235	"	18,000	"	July ...	4	1,287	"	19,000	"
February	46	1,245	"	21,000	"	August ...	3	1,288	"	16,000	"
March ...	50	1,241	"	22,000	"	September	3	1,288	"	23,000	"
April ...	43	1,248	"	21,000	"	October	3	1,288	"	10,000	{ Ditto, except Hutt and Napier.
May ...	33	1,258	"	29,000	"	November	2	1,289	"	10,000	
June ...	32	1,259	"	8,000	"	December	...	1,291	"	8,000	
July ...	51	1,240	"	32,000	"						
August ...	39	1,252	"	16,000	"						

STATEMENT C.

MESSRS. JOHN BROGDEN and SONS' IMMIGRATION ACCOUNT.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Total amount of promissory notes given to the Government under the Immigration contract for passages ...	18,240	0	0				Brought forward ...	1,854	17	11	35,500	17	5
Interest impounded by the Government ...	2,499	15	10				Law charges, expenses of collection, and other disbursements in connection with the promissory notes in the colony ...	2,253	3	2			
											4,108	1	1
Total amount impounded by Government	20,739	15	10				Total disbursements				39,608	18	6
Interest to March 28, 1874, paid in London	1,380	3	0				Less recoveries from immigrants on promissory notes ...				5,192	18	7
Sundry other payments to Agent-General	290	0	0										
Total of principal and interest, &c., received by Government ..				22,409	18	10	Approximate interest to June 30, 1881 ...				34,415	19	11
Cost of outfits and sundry other disbursements paid by the firm in London ...											12,687	0	9
Rations, &c., hospital expenses, and moving immigrants in the colony ...							Total disbursements and interest to June 30, 1881 ...				£47,103	0	8
Less repaid by Government ...													
Carried forward ...													

STATEMENT D.

NUMBER of STATUTE ADULT IMMIGRANTS Arriving in the Colony during the Time of Messrs. BROGDEN and SONS' Immigration.

—	Introduced by		
	Government.	Brogden.	Total.
From July 9 to Dec. 28, 1872 ...	2,520½	1,339	3,859½
" January 5 to April 5, 1873	742	538½	1,280½
Totals ...	3,262½	1,877½	5,140

MILEAGE of Railway-works under Construction.

—	By Brogden.	By Others.	Total.
	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.
During 1872 ...	180	70	250
" 1873 ...	239	164	403
" 1874 ...	183	342	525
" 1875 ...	95	437	532
" 1876 ...	38	344	382

RULING RATES of WAGES per Day for Pick- and Shovel- Men, during the following Half-yearly Periods:—

—	Mataura.	Waikato.	Pictou.	Napier.	Clutha.	Oamaru.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
December, 1872 ..	7 4	5 6	5 10	5 6	6 8	...
June, 1873 ...	8 0	6 0	6 3	6 0	6 10	...
December, 1873 ...	8 0	6 6	6 9	7 0	7 0	6 6
June, 1874 ...	9 0	6 6	7 11	7 6	7 10	8 0
December, 1874 ...	10 0	6 8	8 2	8 0	7 10	8 0
June, 1875 ...	10 0	7 0	8 8	8 0	8 5	8 0
Average for six half-years*	8'76	6'38	7'26	7'0	7'58	...

* The quotations given above are arrived at by taking Messrs. Brogden and Sons' pay-sheets, and averaging the rate of wages for each six months separately.