

	£	s.	d.	Taxed off. £ s. d.
<i>Feb. 13, 1882—</i>				
Letter enclosing copy Deputy Returning Officer's roll	0	5	6	
<i>Feb. 25, 1882—</i>				
Drawing affidavit of increase by Mr. Cowlshaw, 6 folios	0	9	0	
Engrossing	0	3	0	
Attending swearing	0	6	8	
Paid	0	2	0	
Drawing further affidavit of increase by respondent, 2 folios	0	3	0	
Engrossing	0	1	0	
Letter to him therewith to be sworn	0	5	4	
Paid oath	0	2	0	
Attending filing affidavit	0	6	8	
Paid	0	6	0	
Copies for service	0	4	0	
Service	0	5	0	
Drawing bill of costs and copy, 25 folios	1	5	0	
Copy for Registrar	0	12	6	
Copy for service	0	12	6	
Præcipe and appointment to tax	0	2	0	
Attending obtaining appointment	0	6	8	
Paid	0	5	0	
Copy appointment for service	0	0	6	
Service of costs and appointment	0	5	0	
Attending taxation	0	6	8	
Paid	0	5	0	
Letters, attendances, &c.	1	1	0	
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Taxed off	0	2	14	7
Certified at	124	12	9	

A. R. BLOXAM,
Registrar.

26th April, 1882.

In the Supreme Court of New Zealand, Canterbury District.

In the matter of "The Petitions Elections Act, 1880."

ROBERT RUTHERFORD, Petitioner, and JAMES HUTCHISON SUTTER, Respondent.

Respondent's Costs, under Order of the 4th day of March, 1882.

	£	s.	d.	Taxed off. £ s. d.
<i>Feb. 6, 1882—</i>				
Instructions to act for respondent herein, and retain Mr. C. Perry, and advising him to see Deputy Returning Officer (T. Squires) at once, and arrange to have his evidence taken down in writing	0	6	8	
Perusing petition	0	13	4	
Retainer to Mr. C. Perry	1	3	6	
<i>Feb. 7, 1882—</i>				
Attending respondent, perusing letter received by him from Mr. Gall <i>re</i> witnesses, and subsequently appointing to-morrow for conference	0	13	4	
<i>Feb. 8, 1882—</i>				
Attending Mr. Perry's chief clerk hereon, and afterwards examining Deputy Returning Officer (Squires) as to early closing of polling-place, Fairlie Creek, and he denied the truth of that allegation	0	13	4	
Attending respondent, Mr. Perry's chief clerk, and the Deputy Returning Officer in long conference, and taking down evidence of the latter in writing, engaged over an hour	2	2	0	
Telegram to Messrs. Harper and Co. for copies of all documents filed in the Supreme Court office, Christchurch, by the petitioner	0	5	0	
Attending transmitting	0	6	8	
Paid	0	2	0	
Paid for reply	0	1	2	
Received from them letter containing copies, bonds, &c., and perusing	0	13	4	
Paid Messrs. Harper and Co.'s charges as under: Feb. 8. Instructions to obtain office copies of documents filed herein, 6s 8d.; telegram (collect) informing you that Court closed to day, 5s. Feb. 9. Attending for office copies as above, when could not obtain same at once owing to pressure of business at Supreme Court. Feb. 10.	1	0	4	

Feb. 8, 1882—continued.

	£	s.	d.	Taxed off. £ s. d.
Attending at Supreme Court to make copies, 6s 8d.; copy bond, 4 folios, 1s.; copy petition, 4 folios, 1s.	0	6	8	
Attending respondent, when he instructed me to see Mr. Stubbs, the Returning Officer, and to obtain information <i>re</i> election from him	0	13	4	
Attending respondent on his bringing notice that petition set down for hearing on the 24th instant, at Washdyke, and perusing same	0	13	4	
<i>Feb. 9, 1882—</i>				
Attending Mr. Stubbs, requesting information in writing <i>re</i> the circumstances relating to the election for Gladstone, and afterwards, on his bringing the same, engaged a long time	0	13	4	
<i>Feb. 10, 1882—</i>				
Attending respondent, when he informed me that the Principal Returning Officer (Mr. Stubbs) had been served with a copy of petition	0	6	8	
Perusing and carefully considering rules under "Election Petitions Act, 1880"	1	1	0	
Attending Mr. Perry in long conference as to moving to strike out petition for non-compliance with Act and rules, and as to propriety of applying at once to have petition taken off the file on various grounds, instead of waiting to take objection at the hearing, when it was arranged to adopt the former course	0	13	4	
Paid Mr. C. Perry, consultation fee	1	3	6	
Telegram to Mr. George Harper to know if he had been retained by the petitioner	0	5	0	
Attending transmitting	0	6	8	
Paid	0	2	3	
<i>Feb. 11, 1882—</i>				
Attending respondent, giving him memo. of particulars required relating to dates of service of various documents, transmission of same, insertion of advertisements, &c.	0	6	8	
On receipt thereof, perusing and considering same	0	6	8	
Attending respondent and Mr. Gall, Fairlie Creek, obtaining from the latter names and addresses of the persons who could give evidence on behalf of the respondent, and taking notes of substance of their evidence	0	13	4	
<i>Feb. 13, 1882—</i>				
Attending Mr. Perry, conferring <i>re</i> evidence and generally hereon	0	13	4	
Telegram to Messrs. Joynt and Percival, Solicitors, Christchurch, to apply to Judge to fix a time for hearing of motion to strike petition off the files of Court	0	5	0	
Attending transmitting	0	6	8	
Paid	0	4	6	
Agents' instructions herein	0	6	8	
Agents' telegram for further particulars	0	5	0	
Attending transmitting	0	6	8	
Paid	0	3	8	
Perusing their telegram, and urgent telegram to them in reply	0	5	0	
Attending transmitting	0	6	8	
Paid	0	3	8	
Agents' attendance at Supreme Court, searching <i>re</i> petition, &c.	0	6	8	
Drawing notice of motion and copy	0	6	0	
Engrossing	0	1	6	
Attending to set down	0	6	8	
Paid	0	2	0	
Counsel's fee attending Court, making application, when Judge held that objection could be taken at the hearing, and suggested the adoption of that course	1	1	0	
Telegram with result	0	5	0	
Attending transmitting	0	6	8	
Paid	0	1	8	
Attending Mr. Stubbs on his bringing letter from Mr. Ormiston and con-	1	1	0	