

INVERCARGILL ABSTRACTS OF AUTHORIZED ALTERATIONS—continued.
September, October, November, and December, 1873, and January, 1874.

Reductions from Contract.			Additions to Contract.							
Work, &c.			Position.	Work.	Item.	Quantity.	Rate.	Amount.	Total.	
Position.	31 35 Matai and totara, deducted for birch used	Total for Month. £ s. d. 20 14 0	M. ch.	Brought forward ...	...	...	..	£ s. d. ...	£ s. d. 985 16 9	
			31 35 Foundations ...	c. y.	170	4/	34 0 0			
20 40 Felling and clearing bush for extra slopes in big cutting ...			...	acre	2	130/	13 0 0			
31 35 Birch ...			...	b.m.	13.80	50/	34 10 0			
9 0 Chipping fish-bolt holes in rails ...			...	day	4	15/	3 0 0			
25 to 26 Extra culverts ...			...	b.m.	5,000	30/	75 0 0			
25 31 " ironwork ...			...	lb.	109	/7	3 3 7			
31 35 " " ...			...	"	200	/7	5 16 8			
31 35 Cast-iron washers ...			...	No.	36	/6	0 18 0			
31 35 Pattern for " ...			...	...	...	...	0 5 6			
4 13 } Spiking sleepers to beams--			...							
5 4 } Spikes ...			...	lb.	66	/7	1 18 6			
9 7 } Carpenter ...			...	day	2	14/	1 8 0			
9 39 }										
31 35 Extra timber ...			...	b.m.	68	50/	1 14 0			
31 35 " labour ...			...	...	...	...	7 0 0			
			Laying siding at Invercargill Railway - station (1 man) ...	...	day	105½	9/	47 11 9	}	
			Points and crossings ...	...	set	1	£12	12 0 0		
			Erecting platform—							
			Carpenter ...	...	days	30	13/	19 10 0		
			Timber ...	...	b.m.	30.00	11/	16 10 0		
			Nails ...	...	lb.	88	/7	2 11 4		
11 11			Points and crossings ...	...	sets	1	£12	12 0 0		291 17 4
								£ 1,277 14 1		

The abstracts of authorized alterations for the months of September, October, November, and December, 1873, have been cancelled in consequence of the contractors' agent not giving prices. He is now authorized to do so.—W. E. BRUNTON, Resident Engineer.

*(£110 3s. 1d. deducted in abstract for April, 1874.)

(Original.)

Correct.—W. E. BRUNTON, Resident Engineer.

ALEX. ARMSTRONG, Agent for John Brogden and Sons.

February, 1874.

Brought forward	£20 14s.	25 32 28 10 25 32 28 10 36 23 28 15	Brought forward ... Extra culverts and box drains ... Felt clips ... Cutting and fixing felt clips ... Temporary platform at Woodlands ... Carpenter's time ... Labourers ... Nails ... Lock and hinges for shed door ... Extra labour in bracing ... Extra price paid Contractors for matai, in consequence of cancelling order birch ... Altering ironwork, purchase of screws, &c., in erecting carriages and wagons ...	... b.m. No. No. b.m. d. h. " lb. set b.m.	... 4,461 3,600 34,200 826 15 2 3 6 33 1 6,000	... 30/ 2/ per 100 60/ 11/ 14/ 10/ /6 5/	... 66 18 4 3 12 0 102 12 0 4 10 10 10 13 6 1 17 6 0 16 6 0 8 0 5 0 0 15 0 0 4 16 6	1,277 18 8 <
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