

RETURN No. 11—continued.

STATEMENT OF STORES CONTRACTS, &c.—continued.

Service.	Period.	Name of Contractor.	Rate.
Coal supply ... Whangarei	For 1889	James Smith	8/ per ton.
" ... Auckland	"	Taupiri Extended Coal-mining Company	6/ "
" ... Napier	"	Grey Valley Coal Company	24/ "
" ... Wellington	"	"	20/3 "
" ... Wanganui and New Plymouth	"	Union Steamship Company	23/9 "
" ... Picton	"	Grey Valley Coal Company	24/ "
" ... Nelson	"	Anchor Steam Shipping Company	19/ "
<i>Hurunui-Bluff.</i>			
Coal supply ... Lyttelton	"	Grey Valley Coal Company	21/ "
" ... Springfield	"	Springfield Coal Company	10/ "
" ... Whitecliffs	"	W. Leeming and Co.	10/ "
" ... Timaru	"	Grey Valley Coal Company	22/3 "
" ... Oamaru	"	"	22/ "
" ... Bushey	"	A. McIntosh	12/ "
" ... Stirling	"	Kaitangata Coal Company	8/3 "
" ... Nightcaps	"	Nightcaps Coal Company	7/6 "
" ... Newmarket shops	"	Grey Valley Coal Company	22/6 "
" ... Petone shops	"	"	19/ "
" ... Addington shops	"	"	19/6 "
" ... Hillside shops	"	"	20/6 "
Timber supplies, as under—			
Birch piles ... Nelson	Delivery by 2/10/89	Thomas and Holland	£5 each.
" ... Picton	Delivery by 22/7/89	G. A. Smith and Co.	18/ per roof.
Ironbark ... Auckland	Delivery by 29/1/90	James Fox	18/10½ per roof., hewn; 1/8 per lin. ft., piles.
" ... Napier			
" ... Wanganui			
" ... Wellington			
" ... Lyttelton			
" ... Dunedin	Delivery by 23/10/89	"	20/ per roof.
" ... Bluff			
Tallow-wood ... Wellington	Delivery by 22/7/89	Higgins and Price	7/6 "
" ... Lyttelton	Delivery by 1/7/89	Fritz Jenssen	14/ "
Birch, sawn ... Port Chalmers	Delivery by 7/10/89	G. F. Mellars	8/ & 9/ per roof.
Totara, sawn ... Auckland	Delivery by 8/11/89	Fritz Jenssen	14/ per roof.
Rimu, sawn ... Oamaru	Delivery by 23/3/90	Henry Baigent	8/6 "
Totara, sawn ... Nelson	For 1890	Thomas Price	As per schedule.
Birch, sawn ... Wellington	"	Fritz Jenssen	"
Native timber ... Napier	"	Alexander Bell	"
" ... Wanganui	"	John Waller and Co.	"
" ... Christchurch	"	New Zealand Pine Company	"
" ... Southland	"	Williams, Stephens, and Co.	"
Kauri and foreign ... Christchurch	"	James Gilmour	"
" ... Dunedin	"	"	"
Iron castings ... Auckland	Delivery by 30/6/90	T. and S. Morrin and Co.	10/10 & 11/8 p.cwt.
" ... Hurunui-Bluff	"	A. and T. Burt	10/ & 11/6 "
Sleepers, as under—			
3,000 birch ... West Oxford	Delivery by 30/9/89	E. B. Youngman	3/ each.
2,000 " ... "	"	John Sharplin	"
1,000 " ... "	"	Walter Ryde	"
3,000 " ... "	"	John Ingram	"
3,000 " ... "	"	John M. Booth	"
2,000 " ... "	"	Anders Jensen	"
2,000 " ... Bennett's and East Oxford	"	Thomas Vincent	"
2,000 " ... View Hill	"	Alice Perham	"
2,000 " ... "	"	Louis Langesen	"
2,000 " ... Sheffield	"	John Lace	"
1,500 black-pine ... Little River	"	William Coop	"
1,000 " ... "	"	Johnston, Wood, and Co.	"
3,000 " ... "	"	W. H. Hargreaves	3/1 each.
2,000 silver-pine ... Greymouth	Delivery by 29/11/89	Stratford and Blair	1/9 each.
1,000 birch ... Belgrove	Delivery by 30/9/89	Higgins Brothers	"
2,000 " ... Wai-iti	"	Francis Currin	1/7½ each.
3,000 long totara ... Lyttelton	Delivery by 27/9/89	Lycett and Cross	13/3 per roof.
2,000 birch ... Waimangaroa	Delivery by 31/12/89	W. and J. Marris	2/ each.
1,000 " ... Picton	"	Bragg and Yarrall	2/8½ "
2,000 " ... Silverstream	Delivered by April, 1890	Prouse Brothers	2/11 "
2,000 totara ... Tahoraite	Delivery by 31/1/90	Fritz Jenssen	2/3 "
1,000 broad kamai ... Wakapatu	"	W. J. Perry	2/8 "
1,000 " ... Riverton	"	James More	2/6 "
2,000 kamai ... Wakapatu	Delivery by 31/12/89	W. J. Perry	1/10 "
3,000 " ... Pahia	"	Watson Brothers	1/11 "
2,000 " ... Riverton	"	Small and Co.	1/10 "
5,000 " ... Union Mill Siding, Waimatua and Woodend	"	New Zealand Pine Company	1/11½ "