APPENDIX.

STATEMENT containing List of Alleged Overcharges put in by Mr. G. Hutchison.

		Should be.	Charged.	Correct Price.	Price charged.	Over- charged.
1895. Feb. 15. Mar. 8. Feb.	Ironwork. Survey Department District Land. Jumpers	0 3 7	cwt. qr. lb. 2337lb. 3 0 16 13 2 0 5 1 16 4 8 14 15 0 3 16 3 22 2 0 0 0 12 0 0 20 0 1 14 1 3 7	£ s. d. 24 6 0 4 4 0 16 17 6 5 18 71 18 18 82 1 15 4 0 10 6 0 2 10 0 2 8 0 7 4	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	\$ s. d. 3 10 7 1 13 7 0 1 7 0 1 7 0 1 7 0 1 7 0 1 7 0 1 7 0 0 1 7 6 0 0 8 4 0 2 11 0 9 0
March.	Inspector's house. Piece 5lb. lead	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	1 2 14 2 1 21 1 2 22 0 0 43 2 3 20 0 0 2 3 3 0 0 0 2 2 3 18 0 0 28 7 0 8	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
March.	Artillery. Cast-steel "Sash-line State Farm. Tail vice Public Works. Compo. pipe Mount View. 36 sqrs. glass (Tingey, 10/4/95) Workshop. 20 sheets P.G. iron Mount View. 26 sheets 8' iron Glate There. 26 sheets 10 G. iron 2'	$\begin{array}{ccccc} 0 & 0 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 4\frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & 1 & 24 \\ 0 & 0 & 19 \\ 180 & & & \\ 2 & 2 & 7 \\ 3 & 2 & 26 \\ 4 & 2 & 7 \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{cccc} 0 & 0 & 17 \\ 0 & 0 & 7\frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & 2 & 24 \\ 0 & 1 & 9 \\ 380 \text{ft.} \\ 2 & 3 & 7 \\ 4 & 1 & 26 \\ 5 & 2 & 7 \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{ccccc} 0 & 2 & 4\frac{1}{4} \\ 0 & 6 & 9 \\ 0 & 16 & 3 \\ 0 & 3 & 4\frac{1}{4} \\ 3 & 7 & 6 \\ 3 & 11 & 9 \\ 3 & 3 & 5\frac{1}{2} \\ 3 & 17 & 6\frac{3}{4} \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{ccccc} 0 & 5 & 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & 11 & 3 \\ 1 & 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 6 & 6\frac{1}{4} \\ 7 & 2 & 6 \\ 3 & 18 & 9 \\ 3 & 16 & 11\frac{1}{2} \\ 4 & 14 & 6\frac{2}{3} \end{array}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & 41 \\ 0 & 4 & 6 \\ 0 & 8 & 9 \\ 0 & 3 & 2 \\ 3 & 15 & 0 \\ 0 & 7 & 0 \\ 0 & 13 & 6 \\ 0 & 17 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$
April.	State Farm. 32 sheets C.G. iron, 8' 32 " 9' 20 " 7' 53 " 6' x 7'	5 0 3 2 2 0 4 3 0	5 2 7 6 0 3 3 0 21 5 3 0	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	0 17 0 0 18 0 0 11 7½ 0 17 0

Letters put in by Mr. G. Hutchison.

Wellington, 10th May, 1895. I have to bring under your notice the fact that quantities of goods supplied under contract to the Public Works Department are being deliberately misstated, and that that department is, in consequence, being charged for quantities of goods which were never delivered.

I have now been aware of this for some time past, but have been unable to determine what my

duty was under the circumstances.

I have now decided that, unless the practice is at once discontinued, I shall approach the Hon. the Minister for Public Works and place before him evidence in my possession which I venture to I have, &c., think he will consider conclusive. JAMES H. JENKINS.

A. W. Gellatly, Esq., Messrs. Briscoe, MacNeil, and Co.

Wellington, 11th May, 1895. DEAR SIR, I have to acknowledge receipt of your communication of the 10th instant. As I am aware your statement is entirely without foundation I shall inquire into the matter. Yours, &c., A. W. Gellatly. James H. Jenkins, Esq.

Letter put in by Mr. Skerrett.

MEMORANDUM to Mr. J. H. JENKINS, City. Wellington, 11th May, 1895. DEAR SIR, We have to notify you that your temporary services are no longer required from this date. In lieu of a week's notice we purpose paying you one week's salary, and have to call your atten-Yours, &c., tion to enclosed account. Briscoe, MacNeil, & Co. (per A. Newbold).