

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.—ACCOUNTS AND CORRESPONDENCE.

T. H. RAWSON, Assistant Engineer, Palmerston North: Travelling-expenses, &c.

April 1, 1890—	Breakfast 2s., dinner 2s., tea 2s., at Marton	...	...	£0	6	0
" 16, "	Cab at Wanganui for conveyance of luggage to station	...	...	0	3	0
" 17, "	Breakfast 2s., dinner 2s., at Wanganui	...	...	0	4	0
" 3 to 16, 1890—	Allowance for personal expenses, fourteen nights away from home at 10s.	...	...	7	0	0
Total				£7	13	0

IMPRESTEE, Public Works Office, Auckland: Travelling-expenses, &c.

April 6 to 13, 1890—	J. W. Ellis, to supply of horse-feed	...	...	£11	13	5
" 6 to 13, "	Thomas Short, to hire of seven horses for nine days at 7s. 6d., and man ten days at 7s.	...	...	27	2	6
" 10 to 28, "	C. W. Hursthouse, to sundry expenses and travelling-expenses	...	...	13	13	6
Total				£52	9	5

J. W. ELLIS, Te Porootarao: Horse-feed.

April 6, 1890—	2 sacks bran at 13s. 3d....	...	...	£1	6	6
" 6, "	10 $\frac{3}{4}$ bushels oats at 6s....	...	...	3	5	1
" 6, "	4 sacks chaff at 7s.	...	...	1	8	0
" 9, "	4 sacks chaff at 7s.	...	...	1	8	0
" 9, "	9 $\frac{3}{4}$ bushels oats at 6s.	...	...	2	19	5
" 13, "	4 $\frac{1}{2}$ bushels oats at 6s.	...	...	1	6	5
Total				£11	13	5

THOMAS SHORT, Te Kuiti: Packers and Horses.

April 6 to 15, 1890—	To hire of two riding- and five pack-horses, seven horses for nine days at 7s. 6d. per day per horse	...	...	£23	12	6
" 6 to 15, "	To ten days' wages of packers at 7s.	...	...	3	10	0
Total				£27	2	6

C. W. HURSTHOUSE, Resident Engineer, Te Kuiti: Travelling-expenses and -allowance.

April 10, 1890—	Paid Maori for pitching tents	...	...	£0	5	0
" 11, "	Maori at Te Koura, storing and taking care of horse-feed	...	...	0	7	6
" 12, "	Maori boys at Taumaranui, getting bedding	...	...	0	3	6
" 12, "	T. Karahi, 8 bushels oats at 6s.	...	...	2	8	0
" 12, "	T. Karahi, kit potatoes	...	...	0	2	6
" 12, "	boy, two days' hire at 5s.	...	...	0	10	0
" 12, "	man, two days' hire at 7s.	...	...	0	14	0
" 18, "	porter with luggage, hotel to railway-station, Wanganui	...	...	0	1	0
" 18, "	station to house, New Plymouth (at night)	...	...	0	2	0
" 26, "	porter with luggage, house to railway-station, New Plymouth	...	...	0	1	0
" 27, "	steamer-fare, New Plymouth to Onehunga	...	...	1	10	0
" 27, "	cab at Onehunga	...	...	0	1	0
" 28, "	cab from Onehunga to Auckland	...	...	0	3	0
" 28, "	porter with luggage, hotel to railway-station, Auckland...	...	...	0	1	0
" 28, "	breakfast at Auckland	...	...	0	2	0
" 28, "	lunch at Mercer	...	...	0	2	0
	Allowance for personal expenses, fourteen nights away from home at 10s.	...	...	7	0	0
Total				£13	13	6

IMPRESTEE, Palmerston North: Stores, Horse-hire, &c.

April, 1890—	Stores, Joseph Nathan and Co.	...	...	£22	19	9
	Horse-hire, &c., W. Gardiner	...	...	32	9	0
"	J. Johnson	...	...	28	7	0
"	R. J. Smith	...	...	26	12	6
"	A. McIndoe	...	...	15	5	0
"	E. H. Temperley	...	...	12	15	0
	Purchase of horse, J. Hall	...	...	12	0	0
	In charge of horses, W. E. Pearson	...	...	8	17	8
	Horse-hire, J. M. Johnston	...	...	5	12	6
	Canoe-hire, &c., Tuhaia	...	...	106	0	0
	Horse-hire, T. Roe	...	...	0	16	0
	Livery, &c., A. Dalziell	...	...	4	15	6
Total				£276	9	11