

RETURN No. 17—*continued.*STATEMENT of STORES CONTRACTS, &c.—*continued.*

Service.	Period.	Name of Contractor.	Rate.
General stores—<i>continued.</i>			
Westport—<i>continued.</i>			
Soap and candles	31/3/1911	John Newton and Sons (Limited) ..	As per tender (ga-
			zatted).
Drapery	"	Ross and Glendining ..	Ditto.
Chemicals, drugs, &c. ..	"	Kemphorne, Prosser, and Co. (Limited) ..	"
Disinfectants	"	G. H. Gothard (Limited) ..	"
Iron and steel	"	" ..	"
Brushware—			
North Island Sections	"	G. Trevethick ..	As per tender.
South Island	"	Bunting and Co. (Limited) ..	"
Candles and soap—			
South Island Sections	"	McLeod Bros. (Limited) ..	"
Printing and stationery			
Horse-forage, at Christchurch	31/3/1910	Government Printer ..	As per agreement.
	"	T. Wreaks ..	As per tender.
Cartage at Wellington			
.. ..	"	Munt, Cottrell, and Co. (Limited) ..	"
Coal-supply—			
Whangarei Section	"	Hikurangi Coal Company (Limited) ..	"
Auckland	"	Taupiri Coal-mines ..	"
Dunedin	"	New Zealand Coal and Oil Company (Limited) ..	"
Southland	"	Nightcaps Coal Company ..	"
Auckland	"	State Mines ..	17/6 to 23/ per ton.
"	"	Westport Coal Company ..	21/6 to 25/ "
"	"	Westport-Stockton Coal Company ..	23/ "
"	"	Greymouth-Point Elizabeth Coal Com-	23/ "
		pany ..	
"	"	Importers ..	19/8 to 20/3 "
"	"	State Mines ..	16/6 to 25/ "
Wellington—Manawatu and Napier Sec-			
tions			
Ditto	"	Westport Coal Company ..	21/6 to 27/6 "
"	"	Westport-Stockton Coal Company ..	20/6 to 26/6 "
"	"	Greymouth-Point Elizabeth Coal Com-	16/6 to 22/ "
		pany ..	
"	"	Blackball Coal Company ..	21/ to 25/ "
"	"	Paparoa Coal Company ..	15/6 to 18/6 "
"	"	Importers ..	20/ to 23/6 "
Christchurch Section			
"	"	State Mines ..	17/6 to 21/6 "
"	"	Westport Coal Company ..	19/6 to 25/ "
"	"	Westport-Stockton Coal Company ..	18/6 to 23/6 "
"	"	Blackball Coal Company ..	22/ to 23/ "
"	"	Paparoa Coal Company ..	22/6 "
"	"	Greymouth-Point Elizabeth Coal Com-	21/6 "
		pany ..	
"	"	H. Levick ..	13/ "
"	"	Importers ..	20/6 to 22/6 "
Dunedin			
"	"	State Mines ..	18/6 to 22/6 "
"	"	Westport Coal Company ..	21/6 to 25/ "
"	"	Greymouth-Point Elizabeth Coal Com-	20/ to 23/ "
		pany ..	
"	"	Westport-Stockton Coal Company ..	19/6 to 23 "
"	"	Blackball Coal Company ..	24/ "
"	"	Bruce Railway and Coal Company ..	7/10 to 8/ "
"	"	Importers ..	21/9 to 22/6 "
Invercargill			
"	"	State Mines ..	19/6 to 23/6 "
"	"	Westport Coal Company ..	25/ "
"	"	Greymouth-Point Elizabeth Coal Com-	23/ "
		pany ..	
"	"	Blackball Coal Company ..	24/6 "
Westland			
"	"	State Mines ..	10/2 to 13/2 "
"	"	Paparoa Coal Company ..	10/ "
"	"	Greymouth-Point Elizabeth Coal Com-	12/6 to 15 "
		pany ..	
Westport			
"	"	State Mines ..	7/6 to 8/10 "
"	"	Westport Coal Company ..	11/ "
Native Timber Supply—			
Dunedin	"	Massey and Co. ..	As per tender.
Invercargill	"	" ..	"
North Island	"	Kakahi State Sawmill ..	"
Uniforms—			
Stationmasters	31/3/1911	Ross and Glendining (Limited) ..	"
Guards and porters	"	A. Levy ..	"
Uniform caps—			
Stationmasters, summer	"	Ross and Glendining (Limited) ..	9/8 each.
" winter	"	" ..	9/9 "
Drivers and firemen, summer	"	" ..	3/6 "
" winter	"	" ..	4/6 "
Guards and porters, summer	"	" ..	3/6 "
" winter	"	" ..	3/9 "
White linen cap-covers	"	" ..	10 1/2d. "
Rainproof cap-covers	"	" ..	2/ "