

APPENDIX D—continued.

SCHEDULE of SLEEPER CONTRACTS CURRENT on 1st April, 1899, and CONTRACTS ENTERED INTO by the Public Works Department, &c.—continued.

Date of Contract or Agreement.	Contractor's Name.	Address.	No. of Sleepers contracted for, and Class of Timber.	Rate per Sleeper.	Place of Delivery.	Rate per Month.	Date for Completion.	Total delivered to Date.	Date of Completion.
SOUTH ISLAND—continued.									
WESTLAND DISTRICT—continued.									
21 Aug., 1897	D. Dwyer	Ho Ho	500 silver-pine	s. d. 2 6	Hokitika	No fixed rate	No fixed rate	500	5 April, 1899.
21 Aug., "	E. Rowe	Blue Spur	500 ditto	2 6	"	"	"	500	28 April, "
1 Nov., "	R. Watson	Dillmanstown	2,000 "	2 6	Kumara	"	"	2,000	20 Sept., "
29 Dec., "	C. Murtha	Kumara	1,000 "	2 6	"	"	"	1,000	14 Sept., "
29 Dec., "	J. Anderson	Lamplough	1,000 "	2 6	Chesterfield	"	"	1,000	14 April, "
21 Jan., 1898	J. Sutherland and party	Okarito	2,000 "	2 6	Hokitika	"	"	2,000	14 April, "
21 Jan., "	I. Danston	Chesterfield	500 "	2 6	Chesterfield	"	"	500	24 Aug., "
29 Jan., "	W. Stephens and party	Rimu	1,000 "	2 6	Hokitika	"	"	1,000	14 Dec., "
7 Mar., "	T. and R. Stephens	"	1,000 "	2 6	"	"	"	1,000	2 Oct., "
30 Mar., "	J. F. Dwyer	Ho Ho	500 "	2 6	"	"	"	500	13 April, "
4 April, "	Butler Brothers	Kokiri	1,500 "	2 6	Brunner	"	"	1,500	22 Aug., "
4 April, "	C. Murtha	Kumara	1,000 "	2 6	Stafford	"	"	1,000	9 Mar., 1900.
13 April, "	W. Peacock	Goldborough	500 "	2 6	"	"	"	500	9 Aug., 1899.
27 April, "	Baxter Bros. and Foord	Kokiri	2,000 "	2 6	Brunner	"	"	2,000	18 May, "
22 Nov., "	J. Taylor	Cobden	500 "	2 6	"	"	"	500	11 April, "
22 Nov., "	R. Watson	Dillmanstown	500 "	2 6	Kumara	"	"	500	20 Sept., "
28 Nov., "	C. E. Fellowes	Ross	1,000 "	2 6	Hokitika	"	"	1,000	6 May, "
6 Dec., "	C. Jones	"	500 "	2 6	"	"	"	500	14 Dec., "
6 Dec., "	A. Meharry, jun.	Lower Kokatahi	700 "	2 6	"	"	"	667	"
21 Dec., 1899	S. Dixon	Kawhaka	1,000 "	2 6	"	"	"	1,000	19 Aug., "
17 Jan., "	J. McDiarmid	Hokitika	500 "	2 6	"	"	"	500	17 July, "
14 May, "	D. J. Smith	Ross	500 "	2 6	"	"	"	500	27 July, "
23 May, "	Lawson and Stewart	Kumara	500 "	2 6	"	"	"	500	28 June, "
7 July, "	E. McCormick	Kokatahi	500 "	2 6	Hokitika	"	"	390	"
6 Oct., "	A. C. Campbell	Kumara	500 "	2 6	"	"	"	500	8 Nov., "
13 Nov., "	Baxter Brothers	Kokiri	1,000 "	2 6	Brunner	"	"	1,000	18 Dec., "
23 Dec., "	A. C. Campbell	Kumara	500 "	2 6	"	"	"	"	"
6 Feb., 1900	Baxter Brothers	Kokiri	1,000 "	2 6	Brunner	"	"	"	"
1 Mar., "	"	"	2,000 "	2 6	"	"	"	"	"
10 Mar., "	C. W. Murtha	Kumara	500 "	2 6	Stafford	"	"	"	"
10 Mar., "	W. L. Stewart	Greymouth	500 "	2 6	Acre Creek	"	"	"	"
23 Mar., "	G. H. Blank	Dillmanstown	500 "	2 6	Kumara	"	"	"	"
Various*	Sundry small contractors	Various	69,124 "	2 6	Various	"	"	50,743	"
OTAGO DISTRICT.									
16 Nov., 1898	G. A. Whealler	Bluff	1,350 ironbark 19/ per 100 b.m.	19/6 ditto	Bluff	The lot within two months..	15 Jan. 1899	1,350	11 July, 1899.
15 April, 1899	Murray, Arnold, and Co.	Dunedin	2,000 "	19/6 ditto	(1,000 at Dunedin... 1,000 at Wellington	No fixed rate	15 July, "	{ 831 at Dunedin. 863 at Wellington.	"
20 June, "	Jack Brothers	Winton	1,000 black-pine	2 6	Forest Hill Railway	"	Not fixed	933	7 Aug., "
9 Aug., "	W. St. George	"	165 ditto	2 6	"	"	"	165	9 Aug., "

* Contracts entered into for supply of sleepers in lots of less than 500.