

Table 1.—RETURN of FIELD-WORK executed by the STAFF and CONTRACT SURVEYORS, from 1st April, 1907, to 31st March, 1908—continued.

Surveyor and District.	Minor Triangulation and Topographical Survey.		Rural and Suburban.		Town Section Survey.		Native Land Survey.		Gold-mining Survey.		Roads, Railways, and Water-races.		Other Work.		Total Cost of Surveyor and Party from 1st April, 1907, to 31st March, 1908.		Remarks.
	Acres.	Cost per Acre.	Acres.	No. of Sections.	Cost per Section.	Acres.	No. of Allotments.	Cost per Allotment.	Acres.	No. of Recs. or Divs.	Cost per Acre.	Miles.	Cost per Mile.	Cost.	£ s. d.		
LAND DISTRICT OF MARLBOROUGH.																	
Staff Surveyors.																	
D. W. Gillies. Wakamarina, Cloudy Bay	..	d	3,840	60	4.3	..	..	..	..	..	..	2.2	22.00	£ 77 18 8	£ s. d. 806 12 6	6	Settlement-surveys in heavy bush; sometimes in very high country, adjoining old surveys. "Other work" comprises sowing grass-seed on Crown Land, defining old boundaries, reports, &c. Cost was largely increased by bush fires.
F. E. Greenfield. (Various districts)	206 18 2	206 18 2	2	Party casually employed. Work comprises inspection, £39 11s. 7d.; cutting out scenic reserves along East Coast Road, £50 5s. 10d.; compass survey of sawmill area, Opouri Valley, £73 2s. 8d.; standard surveys, £38 18s. 1d.
Temporary Surveyors.																	
A. P. Seymour. Orieti, Gore, Link-water	911	5	3.00	..	..	..	..	..	..	28.00	21.75	43 12 0	826 17 10	10	Small isolated surveys in heavy bush, road surveys are mostly through heavy bush in the Sounds, and are very tortuous. "Other work" consists of cutting old boundary-lines, reports, &c.
A. J. Wicks. Wakamarina, Onamalutu	2,987	27	2.00	..	..	..	..	..	..	6.2	18.00	169 15 4	790 8 0	0	Settlement surveys in heavy bush in high country, adjoining old surveys. "Other work" comprises compass surveys of sawmill areas, report on Upper Wakamarina Valley, sowing grass-seed on Crown land, office-work, &c.
Means and totals	7,738	92	3.26	..	..	..	..	..	..	36.4	21.12	498 4 2	2,630 16 6	6	
LAND DISTRICT OF WESTLAND.																	
W. Wilson. General	140 7 0	0	Mr. Wilson was fully occupied on roads and construction works. Transferred on 1st August as District Road Engineer.
C. H. Morison. Mawheranui, Mawheratai, Kopara, Haupiri	1,950	85	5.18	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	120 7 11	856 18 11	11	Surveys in heavy-bush country, with many connecting traverses. Other work includes reobserving new trig.-point and repairing old trigs.