

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

Service.	Period.	Name of Contractor.	Rate.
Westport District—			
Red-pine timber	31/3/1911	Merchants and mills in district ..	9/ to 18/ per 100 ft.
Yellow-pine "	"	" ..	21/
White-pine "	"	" ..	8/6 to 9/
Birch "	"	" ..	13/6
Totara "	"	" ..	20/
Nelson District—			
Red-pine timber	"	Merchants in district ..	10/6 to 14/
Yellow-pine "	"	" ..	27/
White-pine "	"	" ..	10/ to 12/
Birch "	"	" ..	15/6 to 16/6
Totara "	"	" ..	21/6 to 28/
Matai "	"	" ..	16/3
Picton District—			
Red-pine timber	"	" ..	10/ to 23/6
White-pine "	"	" ..	14/ 3
Matai "	"	" ..	20/
Kauri "	"	" ..	27/ to 39/ 4
Ironbark or tallow-wood timber—			
98,100 ft. at Auckland	30/11/1911	Samuel Brown (Limited)	Ironbark, 29/6 per 100 ft. Tallow-wood, 26/6 per 100 ft.
5,800 " Wellington	"		
13,800 " Lyttelton	"		
1,500 " Dunedin or Pt. Chalmers	"		
Jarrah timber—			
97,000 ft. at Auckland	31/8/1911	Millar's W.A. Hardwood Company (Limited)	21/ per 100 ft.
126,500 " Wellington	"		
22,500 " Lyttelton	"		
26,700 " Dunedin or Pt. Chalmers	"		