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THE following Report and Returns, furnished by the Provincial Surgeon, are published for general information.

J. WILLIAMSON,
Superintendent.

Provincial Hospital,
February 19th, 1861.

SIR,—I beg to forward the "Annual Medical Report" of the Hospital and other institutions under my charge, and remain

Your obedient servant.

T. M. PHILSON, M.D.,
Provincial Surgeon.

To His Honor
the Superintendent.

ANNUAL MEDICAL REPORT OF THE PROVINCIAL HOSPITAL, LUNATIC ASYLUM, AND PRISONS, FOR 1860.

It will be seen from the table annexed, that the average mortality in the Provincial Hospital for the year above mentioned, has been 9 per cent., a proportion considerably less than the mortality for 1859, but raised to its present amount by the fact that many of our fatal cases were admitted within a few days

(in some instances only one day) of their termination. Practitioners in town and country, who are in the habit of attending poor patients until their cases have become desperate, and then shovelling them into hospital, would do well to discontinue a practice hurtful to the sick and injurious to the reputation of a public institution.

The cases of Fever which have been admitted during the year are not numerous; but the type of all of them was typhoid, demanding the administration of stimulants, which were freely given in all; notwithstanding, only ten recovered, while five died, all of whom were in a hopeless state when admitted. The 1st is the case of C. B., a woman of intemperate habits, admitted in a state of utter exhaustion on Feb. 2nd, and dying on the 5th.—2nd. W. M., a young man, a farm servant, had been ill for a fortnight before admission on the 9th April. He had not been seen by any medical man, and had, in fact, been utterly neglected. He was delirious on admission, and soon became unconscious. He sunk in the space of 8 days.—3rd. C. P., a young woman attended by a practitioner in town for three weeks, and sent to hospital in a hopeless state on May 22nd; sank in 9 days thereafter.—4th. T. D., a male, similar to last case, admitted, June 22nd; died, July 1st.—5th and

last. P. L., male, died within 2 days after admission.

We next come to a fatal case of abscess, in L. V., a young woman, domestic servant in the country; admitted Sept. 14th, with an enormous abscess, extending over the right shoulder and neighbouring portion of the chest, she stated that it began three weeks before. She laboured under great difficulty of breathing and prostration of strength. She survived 16 days, and in addition to the external abscess, an immense collection of matter and serum was found in the right side of the chest. The disease originated from cold and hardship and was much aggravated by her voyage to Auckland in a small vessel.

J. M., male, was admitted February 12th, in a state bordering on idiocy, the effect of the disease styled, "Softening of the Brain;" he soon became comatose and died in 10 days after admission.

S. C., male, an inveterate drinker and subject to Epileptic fits, was admitted on the 30th November, with "Delirium tremens" He passed a favourable night; but next day was suddenly seized with convulsions and died in the fit. Great congestion of the cerebral vessels was found. No opium was given to this patient.

Under Pleurisy and Pneumonia we had 5 deaths:—1st. J. G., male, admitted Feb. 27th, moribund, and died next day. The most extensive inflammation was found in both lungs.—2nd. L. M., female, caught a violent cold in the bush while following the fortune of her seducer, who brought her to town and placed her under medical treatment. Some weeks having elapsed, she was sent to hospital on May 14th and found to be labouring under intense pleurisy and inflammation of the Pericardium. She survived only 10 days. Examination fully confirmed the diagnosis given of her disease.—3rd. M. B., an aged woman, destitute, sent to hospital on Sunday, June 10th; moribund; died next day. Intense double pneumonia found.—4th. E. McD., male, sent to hospital by the Police, on July 11th, in a state of the utmost prostration; died next day; Intense pneumonia discovered. A few days before, this man while under the influence of intoxicating liquor had fallen into the harbour out of a boat, but had been speedily rescued and, as was supposed, perfectly restored.—5th and last. W. J., male, admitted October 4th in a dying state, breathing very difficult, and pulse almost gone; died next day. On examination the right lung was found to be universally inflamed.

We next notice the case of R. H., male, sent in from one of the Pensioner Settlements on the 8th Feb., in the advanced stage of peritoneal inflammation. He was much injured by the jolting of the vehicle. His abdomen was swollen and exceedingly tender, he had constant vomiting, and was almost pulseless. He died next day, and on examination the most extensive inflammation was found in the abdominal viscera. The cause of the attack could not be satisfactorily ascertained.

Two fatal cases of *Heart-disease* are returned: 1st. P. S., male, admitted April 19th, with all the symptoms of hypertrophy, depending on valvular disease; died suddenly 8 day afterwards; diagnosis confirmed by examination.—2nd. T. D., male, admitted April 23rd, and died suddenly Sept. 28th, following. In this case an aneurism was found at the origin of the aorta, which burst within the pericardium, and occasioned immediate death. During life the morbid sounds of this patient's heart were very remarkable and were audible to the man himself.

Under *Liver-disease* are returned two fatal cases: 1st. D. H., male, admitted March 23rd, with "Jaundice," uneasiness in the region of the liver, and diarrhæa. No benefit resulted from treatment and death took place on the 9th April. On examination an enormous cancerous mass was found enveloping the first division of the small intestine, and preventing the flow of bile from the gall-bladder. Death was occasioned by gradual wasting and exhaustion. The affection was evidently of very old standing.—2nd. The other case was that of G. S., who had been an inmate of the hospital in April, 1858; and attracted much attention from visitors, in consequence of extreme bodily attenuation co-existing with entire possession of his mental faculties, as well as severe suffering with the utmost resignation. However, his extreme emaciation was abundantly counterbalanced by the prodigious enlargement of his liver, which literally filled the entire abdomen, compressing the remaining viscera into the narrowest compass possible. He died on July 12th.

The fatal cases of Pulmonary consumption amounted to 9: 1st. J. B., a native woman, admitted Feb. 25th, in the last stage of exhaustion and died March 29th.—2nd. A. P., male, admitted Jan. 2nd; died May 19th. He had occasional attacks of spitting of blood, and was hectic for months before his death.—3rd. W. R., male, admitted June 14th, died within the next 3 days.—4th. H. S., male, admitted August 20th, 1859, died June 28th, wasted to a skeleton.—5th. J. M., a Portuguese Lascar, admitted August 10th, died August 14th.—6th. J. T., an American creole, admitted August 18th, died Sept. 2nd.—7th. J. R., male, admitted Oct. 13th, died Oct. 18th.—8th. J. D., male, admitted Nov. 2nd, and died December 13. All of these cases, with one exception, were examined and the most extensive ravages of tubercular disease discovered.

Under *Dysentery* is the fatal case of a child, H. McH. admitted Oct. 6th, in a most emaciated state, and died Oct. 22nd.

Under *Dropsy* is the case of P. B., male, admitted Feb. 1st, and died April 27th. The cause of the disease in this case was a diseased liver, the consequence of intemperate habits.

The case of *Stone in the Bladder*, the subject of which had been in hospital for several years, enduring unexampled sufferings, has at length terminated fatally, the child dying on March 27th. On inspection a phosphatic calculus weighing 6 ounces was found in the bladder,

which was greatly contracted, and communicated by dilated ureters with two membranous pouches, occupying the situation of the kidneys, the substance of which was completely absorbed. The patient had suffered from urinary impediment even when a very young child, and it is probable that had lithotomy been performed sufficiently early, a cure might have been effected, but no operation would have been advisable during the several last years of his life.

Under Wound, is the fatal case of J. W., a sawyer, admitted March 24th, for an extensive laceration of the integument of the left ham; the injury was quite superficial apparently, being merely a stripping off of the skin from the subjacent parts, and seemed likely to heal favourably, but deep-seated and wide spreading suppuration took place, sinuous abscesses formed; the knee joint became carious; the patient became hectic, and death ensued on May 13th. Had amputation of the thigh been performed on his admission, his life might have been saved, but few would have thought themselves warranted in doing so, under the circumstances.—Under general debility is the fatal case of W. H., a very old man, admitted Oct. 11th, 1859, and died Nov. 5th, 1860.—No fatal case of Erysipelas occurred during the year.

58 cases of Accident were admitted including 4 dislocations and 17 fractures. Two capital operations were performed, 1 of the forearm, and 1 of the leg; the former was in the case of W. D., a Taranaki refugee, admitted for diseased state of the right hand and wrist, originally caused by a sprain. The operation was done under the influence of chloroform by the circular incision, and the patient speedily and perfectly recovered. The latter was in the case of W. M., farm servant, who was run over by a loaded dray and sustained a compound and comminuted fracture of the right thigh, immediately above the knee. The fracture was set, and for several days everything seemed to be doing well, when it was perceived that a dry gangrene of the foot had supervened. In process of time the whole of the foot and part of the leg shrivelled up and mortified. Meanwhile the consolidation of the fracture went on steadily, and 7 weeks after the accident the flap-amputation of the leg was performed below the knee. The patient is still under treatment. I have to express my gratitude to several of my professional brethren, military and civil, who readily gave me their valuable assistance, on this as well as on other occasions.

Under this head we may notice the case of W. M., farm servant, admitted with a compound dislocation of his right ankle, caused by the wheel of a cart passing over it. The foot was $\frac{3}{4}$ severed from the leg, and the skin tightly nipped under the lower end of the fibula. In consultation, one medical man strongly recommended amputation, but a majority decided to give nature a fair trial, and although great inflammation and suppuration supervened; in seven weeks the wound had completely closed. There is no doubt that a useful limb will be obtained.

The cases remaining in the hospital at the

end of the year amount to 41 and are mostly doing well.

Provincial Lunatic Asylum.

Twenty-three new cases were admitted during the year, consisting of 17 Europeans, divided into 9 males and 8 females;—and 6 Maories, divided into 4 males and 2 females.

Of the new cases 10 have been discharged 8 European (4 male and 4 female) and 2 Maories (1 male and 1 female); 1 has died, (a European male) and 12 remain, divided into 8 Europeans (4 males and 4 females); and 4 Maories (3 males and 1 female). The total discharged amounted to 12, consisting of 9 Europeans (5 males and 4 females) and 3 Maories (2 male and 1 female). Six of the new cases were the result of intemperance, and the remainder seemed to depend on mental and moral causes—some proceeded from epilepsy or other disease of the brain. The deaths amounted to 4:—1st. William Bigg, aged 22 years, admitted with mania, Jan. 28th, 1856; subject to epileptic fits and latterly afflicted with intractable diarrhoea; died May 12th, 1860.—2nd. Mary Argall, aged 69 years, admitted Oct. 21st, 1856; sank through infirmity Sept. 1st, 1860.—3rd. James Fisher, aged 24 years, seaman; admitted May 13th, 1858; died August 20th, 1860, with every symptom of pressure on the brain; on examination, opposite to an extensive scar on the top of his head, a large clot of blood was discovered resting on the surface of the brain; insanity was clearly the result of mechanical injury.—4th. James Pridie, aged 39, admitted from Taranaki April 30th, 1860; had frequent epileptic fits, and was almost idiotic; died Nov. 3rd, 1860; on examination the brain was found of extraordinary size; its weight amounted to 4lbs. 7ozs., being 11 ounces above the average; its substance was dry and firm, and the cranium was of remarkable thinness, being nearly transparent in several parts.

From the breast of one of the female patients, a cancerous tumour of considerable size was removed by operation under chloroform—the patient bore the operation well, and made a favourable recovery.

Of the 40 who remain, consisting of 33 Europeans (20 males and 13 females), and 7 Maories (5 males and 2 females), little can be said, most of them have been in the Asylum a long time, and they are becoming worse rather than better.

In concluding, I would call attention to the necessity of enlarging the building to prevent over crowding, and afford room for other cases, which are constantly occurring.

Mount Eden and City Gaols.

The prisoners have enjoyed excellent health during the year, and there have been no deaths.—One case of typhoid fever was treated in the town prison, and some cases of scarlatina occurred at the stockade.

T. M. PHILSON, M.D.,
Provincial Surgeon.

Provincial Hospital,
February, 1861.

TABULAR RETURN OF PATIENTS TREATED IN THE PROVINCIAL HOSPITAL OF AUCKLAND, DURING THE YEAR 1860.

No.	DISEASES,	Remained 31st De- cember, 1859.	Admitted in 1860.	Treated in 1860.	Discharged in 1860.	Died in 1860.	Remaining 31st De- cember, 1860.
1	Febris	1	6	7	2	5	...
2	Phlegmon and Abscess	1	9	10	9	1	...
3	Paronychia (Whitlow)	1	1	2	2	...	...
4	Ophthalmia and Affections of the Eye	2	4	6	3	...	3
5	Diseases of Brain and Paralysis	5	7	12	6	1	5
6	Delirium Tremens ... ..	...	5	5	4	1	...
7	Pneumonia and Pleurisy ... ..	...	11	11	5	5	1
8	Peritonitis ... ..	...	1	1	...	1	...
9	Diseases of the Heart ... ..	...	4	4	2	2	...
10	Bronchitis	2	9	11	11	...	...
11	Liver Disease and Jaundice	1	3	4	2	2	...
12	Necrosis and Disease of Bone	1	3	4	4	...	...
13	Inflammation of Knee... ..	1	...	1	1	...	...
14	Rheumatism	12	28	40	34	...	6
15	Searlatina ... ..	...	1	1	1	...	...
16	Hæmoptysis ... ..	...	1	1	1	...	...
17	Erysipelas	1	5	6	5	...	1
18	Phthisis Pulmonalis	2	15	17	6	9	2
19	Hæmorrhoids	1	2	3	1	...	2
20	Dysentery and Diarrhoea ... ..	...	7	7	6	1	...
21	Dyspepsia ... ..	...	4	4	4	...	...
22	Epilepsy	1	...	1	...	...	1
23	Asthma	1	...	1	...	...	1
24	Dropsy	1	3	4	3	1	...
25	Scrofula ... ..	...	6	6	5	...	1
26	Syphilitic Affections and Stricture of Urethra	2	17	19	16	...	3
27	Stone in Bladder	1	...	1	1	...	...
28	Urinary Complaints ... ..	...	2	2	2	...	...
29	Varicose Veins	1	...	1	1	...	...
30	Tumors ... ..	...	1	1	1	...	...
31	Dislocations ... ..	...	4	4	4	...	...
32	Wounds	1	9	10	9	1	...
33	Contusions ... ..	...	15	15	15	...	...
34	Sprains	4	8	12	11	...	1
35	Ulcers ... ..	...	17	17	13	...	4
36	Skin Diseases ... ..	...	3	3	3	...	...
37	Schirrhus or Cancer ... ..	...	1	1	1	...	...
38	Fractures	1	16	17	14	...	3
39	Hernia ... ..	...	2	2	2	...	...
40	Fistula ... ..	...	3	3	1	...	2
41	Anchylosis or Stiff Joints ... ..	...	1	1	...	...	1
42	Menorrhagia ... ..	...	2	2	2	...	...
43	General Debility	5	6	11	6	1	4
	Total	49	*242	291	218	32	41

* Of this number 12 were Maories.

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Provincial Surgeon.

RETURN OF SICK TREATED IN AUCKLAND GAOL DURING THE YEAR 1860.

DISEASES.					Remained 31st De- cember, 1859.	Admitted in 1860.	Total treated in 1860.	Discharged in 1860.	Died in 1860.	Remaining 31st De- cember, 1860.
Fever Typhoid	...	...	...	...	..	1	1	1	..	..
Phlegmon and Abscess...	...	...	...	...	..	3	3	3	..	..
Ophthalmia	...	...	...	...	..	1	1	..	..	1
Delirium Tremens	...	...	...	...	..	2	2	2	..	..
Scarlatina	...	...	...	...	..	1	1	1	..	..
Varicella	...	...	...	...	..	1	1	1	..	..
Bronchitis	...	...	...	...	..	6	6	5	..	1
Periostitis	...	...	...	...	..	1	1	1	..	..
Rheumatism	...	...	...	...	..	3	3	3	..	..
Phthisis	...	...	...	...	..	1	1	1	..	..
Hæmorrhoids...	...	...	...	...	..	1	1	1	..	..
Liver Disease...	...	...	...	...	..	1	1	1	..	..
Scrofula	...	...	...	...	..	1	1	1	..	..
Diarrhoea	...	...	...	...	..	5	5	5	..	..
Dyspepsia	...	...	...	...	..	3	3	3	..	..
Hernia	1	1	1
Constipation	3	3	3
Sprain	1	1	1
Wound	2	2	2
Insanity	2	2
Total	2	38	40	36	..	4

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Provincial Surgeon.

RETURN OF SICK TREATED IN MOUNT EDEN PRISON, DURING THE YEAR 1860.

DISEASES.					Remained 31st De- cember, 1859.	Admitted in 1860.	Total treated in 1860.	Discharged in 1860.	Died in 1860.	Remaining 31st De- cember, 1860.
Phlegmon and Abscess	...	...	...	...	1	12	13	13	..	..
Quinsy	...	...	...	...	..	2	2	2	..	..
Hæmorrhoids...	...	...	...	...	..	1	1	1	..	..
Bronchitis	...	...	...	...	..	14	14	14	..	..
Pleurisy	...	...	...	...	..	1	1	1	..	..
Rheumatism	...	...	...	...	..	26	26	26	..	..
Scarlatina	...	...	...	...	..	5	5	5	..	..
Dyspepsia	...	...	...	...	2	5	7	7	..	..
Diarrhoea	...	...	...	...	..	11	11	11	..	..
Gonorrhoea	...	...	...	...	..	1	1	1	..	..
Hernia Humoralis	...	...	...	...	..	1	1	1	..	..
Colic	...	...	...	...	..	3	3	3	..	..
Palpitatio	...	...	...	...	..	2	2	2	..	..
Wound	...	...	...	...	..	3	3	3	..	..
Ulcer	...	...	...	...	..	1	1	1	..	..
Contusion	...	...	...	...	..	10	10	9	..	1
Sprain	...	...	...	...	..	9	9	9	..	..
Head Ache	...	...	...	...	1	2	3	3	..	..
Constipation	...	...	...	...	..	2	2	2	..	..
Fracture	...	...	...	...	1	2	3	3	..	..
Burn	...	...	...	...	..	1	1	1	..	..
Retention of Urine	...	...	...	...	..	2	2	2	..	..
Total	...	...	...	...	5	116	121	120	..	1

T. M. PHILSON, M. D.,
Provincial Surgeon.

RETURN OF PATIENTS TREATED IN THE PROVINCIAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, AUCKLAND, DURING THE YEAR 1860.

	In Asylum 31st December, 1859.			Admitted in 1860.			Discharged in 1860.			Died in 1860.			In Asylum 31st December, 1860.			Total Number treated in 1860.		
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female,	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Europeans and others	19	10	29	9	8	17	5	4	9	3	1	4	20	13	33	28	18	46
Aboriginal Natives	3	1	4	4	2	6	2	1	3	...	...	...	5	2	7	7	3	10
Total	22	11	33	13	10	23	7	5	12	3	1	4	25	15	40	35	21	56

T. M. PHILSON, M.D.,
Provincial Surgeon.

Superintendent's Office, Auckland,
March 8th, 1861.

THE following Tenders have been received, and are published for general information.

J. WILLIAMSON,
Superintendent.

SUPPLY OF BOOTS FOR PRISONERS IN AUCKLAND GAOL AND MOUNT EDEN STOCKADE

Accepted Tender.

Thos. C. Law at 11s per pair

Non-Accepted Tender.

Henry H. Adams..... at 14s per pair

SUPPLIES FOR REFITTING SIGNAL STATION, MANUKAU HARBOUR.

ACCEPTED TENDER—C. A. HARRIS.

Schedule of Tenders Received.

Articles.	C. A. Harris.			Lillewall & Rattray		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Rope, 5 inch Europe, at per lb	0	0	6 $\frac{3}{4}$	3	5	0 per cwt
Ditto 5 ditto ditto 4 strand, ditto	0	0	8			
Chain $\frac{1}{2}$ ditto and $\frac{3}{8}$, at per lb	0	0	4	2	0	0 ditto
Rope, 3 ditto Europe, ditto.....	0	0	6 $\frac{3}{4}$	3	0	0 ditto
Ditto 3 ditto 4 strand, ditto.....	0	0	8			
Ditto 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ditto Manilla, ditto	0	0	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	3	10	0 ditto
Whale Line.....	0	1	0			
2 yarn Spun Yarn	0	0	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	0	0	6
Duck common, per yard	0	0	8	0	0	10
Ditto good, ditto	0	1	0			
Hambro' Line, per lb.....	0	0	8	0	1	0
Marline per Skein	0	1	6	0	1	6
Roping Twine, per lb	0	1	4	0	0	9 pr skein
Stockholm Tar, per gallon	0	4	0	0	2	6
Ring Bolts, at per lb	0	0	10	0	2	6
Scrap Lead.....			No tender	0	0	4
Rope, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ inch Europe, per lb	0	0	7	3	0	0 per cwt
Blocks, 6 and 7 inch, per inch	0	0	7	3s	6d	& 4s each
Ditto Patent Rollers ditto	0	2	0			
Thimbles, per dozen, 3s to	0	9	0	0	4	0
Clip Hooks and Thimbles.....	0	1	0	1	2	0 per doz
Round Iron, per lb	0	0	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	0	0	2
Spike Nails, ditto	0	0	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	0	0	4 $\frac{1}{2}$
Ditto galvanized at per lb	0	1	0	0	0	6
Ditto composition, ditto	0	1	6	0	0	0
Sawn Timber, per 100 feet	0	12	0	0	11	0
Nails assorted, per lb	0	0	5	0	0	5
Boiled Oil, per gallon	0	5	0	0	5	0
White Lead, per lb	0	0	5	2	5	0 per cwt
Ditto best ditto.....	0	0	6			
Manilla Rope, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ inch, at per lb	0	0	8	3	10	0 ditto

ONEHUNGA WHARF AND ROAD LEADING TO DITTO.

ACCEPTED TENDERS—FOR WHARF, D. SIMPSON. FOR ROAD, H. LAVERY.

Schedule of Tenders Received.

Names.	Repairing Wharf.			Forming Road.			Extra Cuttings, per cubic yard.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
D. Simpson	23	0	0	83	0	0	0	0	7
J. Gallagher	49	15	0	No tender			No tender		
Charles Moore	No tender			187	0	0	0	1	3
Philip Cooper	59	10	0	No tender			No tender		
Henry Lavery	No tender			51	3	0	0	1	1

IRON BUOYS FOR THE HARBOUR OF MANUKAU.

<i>Accepted Tender.</i>		£
KINLOCH AND BIRLEY		
3 of cast iron with malleable iron hoops and lugs, at	..	15
3 of malleable iron, at	..	19
<i>Non-Accepted Tenders.</i>		£
Malleable iron { Wm. Thomas, at	..	40
{ Wm. Vickery, at	..	30

FERRY SERVICE BETWEEN ONEHUNGA AND AWITU,

<i>Accepted Tender.</i>		
John Featon .. .. .	..	£1 10s per month
<i>Non-Accepted Tenders.</i>		£ s.
William Davies .. .. .	..	3 0 per week
John F. Powell .. .. .	..	1 0 ditto
J. D. and S. Williams	..	7 0 per month
James Simpson .. .. .	..	0 15 per week

Regulations for the Ferry.

The Contractor to provide and keep in repair a Boat of not less than 5 tons.
 The Boat to cross from Awitu every Monday, and from Onehunga every Wednesday
 (wind and weather permitting).
 The charge for each passenger shall not exceed 2s.

FERRY SERVICE BETWEEN ONEHUNGA AND MANGARU.

<i>Accepted Tender.</i>		
Joseph Bradley .. .. .	..	£2 19s per month
<i>Non-Accepted Tenders.</i>		
Phillip Cooper .. .. .	..	£6 0s per month

THE CONSTRUCTION AND ERECTION OF AN IRON BEACON ON A REEF OFF
BROWN'S ISLAND.

<i>Accepted Tender.</i>			
Edward Wall..	..	..	£29 10s
<i>Non-Accepted Tenders.</i>			
James Williamson	..	..	£ 95 10
Jeremiah Casey	..	..	50 0
Kinloch and Birley	..	..	45 0

FILLING IN WITH EARTH A PORTION OF THE ROADWAY IN LOWER QUEEN-STREET.

<i>Accepted Tender.</i>			
John McGrath	..	..	£ s. d. 95 10 0
<i>Non-Accepted Tenders.</i>			
John Leckie	..	..	£ s. d. 250 0 0
Henry Allright	..	..	178 0 0
W. Kirkland	..	..	140 0 0
Jas. Williamson	..	..	98 10 0

FOR WORKS ON THE GREAT SOUTH ROAD AND MAINTAINING THE SAME IN REPAIR
UNTIL 1ST OCTOBER 1861.

	NAMES.	Sectn. 1.	Sectn. 4.	Sectn. 6.	Sectn. 7.	Section 7A.	Section 7B.	Section 8.
		£ s.	£ s.	£ s.	£ s.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
ACCEPTED TENDERS.	James Gallagher ...	99 0						
	Morris McGuire ...	80 290 0						
	Henry Snelgar ...		235					
	G. Gruchy and A. Muir, junior ...			238 12				
	William Cossey ...							34 7 6
	W. J. Young... ..					615 0 0		
	Seymour Wells ...						1249 5 6	
NON-ACCEPTED TENDERS.	G. Gruchy and A. Muir, junior ...			295	1813 8 628 17 6		1297 12 6	
	Seymour Wells ...			Ss. 280 0	2175 0 672 10 6			
	James Williamson ...	119 10						
	Daniel Simpson ...		598 480 0					
	James Foley ...		392 10					
	G. G. Walter ...		Tender in formal for	No. 7.				
	Andrew McAnulty ...	100 0 85						
	Henry Snelgar ...		422 0	265 284 5				
W. J. Young ...			425 445 0				55 0 0	

FORMATION OF PORTION OF FORT AND COMMERCE STREETS.

<i>Accepted Tender.</i>			
William Wells	..	..	£617 10s
<i>Non-Accepted Tenders.</i>			
Allright and Hyde	..	..	£ 993 0
D. Simpson	..	..	837 0
McGrath and Muir	..	..	897 10

OF AUCKLAND during the Quarter ended 31st December, 1860.

EXPENDITURE.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<i>Establishments,—</i>							
His Honor the Superintendent -	-	1,200	0	0			
The Provincial Council -	-	189	9	4			
The Superintendent's Office -	-	407	6	5			
Waste Lands' Office -	-	441	4	1			
Roads' Office -	-	97	15	8			
Harbours—Auckland -	-	182	0	0			
Manukau -	-	228	18	1			
Russell -	-	50	18	0			
Mongonui -	-	50	0	0			
Hokianga -	-	18	15	0			
Kaipara -	-	63	8	0			
Police—Auckland, Russell, and Mongonui -	-	1,756	10	11			
Hospital -	-	924	18	6			
Asylum -	-	603	8	6			
Provincial Solicitor -	-	116	13	4			
Registry of Deeds -	-	20	12	7			
Prisons -	-	507	13	8			
Inspector of Sheep and Thistles -	-	91	13	4			
					7,271	5	5
<i>Miscellaneous,—</i>							
Rent of Public Offices -	-	42	10	0			
Education -	-	839	12	6			
North Shore Ferry -	-	89	3	4			
Panmure Ferry -	-	59	13	9			
Wangarei Ferry -	-	15	0	0			
Onehunga Ferry -	-	12	0	0			
Karaka Ferry -	-	17	10	0			
Waipu Ferry -	-	6	5	0			
Relief of Sick and Destitute -	-	370	3	2			
Repairs of Fire Engines -	-	5	8	0			
Interest -	-	217	13	11			
Printing and Stationery -	-	25	5	2			
Refund on account of Pukekohe Road Rate -	-	41	5	4			
Auckland Improvement Act Expenses -	-	11	13	0			
Diversion of Roads Act Expenses -	-	5	5	0			
					1,768	8	2
<i>Public Buildings,—</i>							
Repairs of Buildings -	-						
					31	13	1
<i>Roads and Bridges,—</i>							
Road Repairs -	-	499	8	9			
Road from Mangawai to Kaiwaka -	-	90	8	11			
Streets and Branch Roads -	-	519	15	7			
Great North Road -	-	3	9	0			
City of Auckland, Streets Lighting and Cleansing -	-	63	5	0			
					1,176	7	3
<i>Surveys, Opening Blocks of Land -</i>	-				2,319	9	0
<i>Immigration -</i>	-				46	12	6
<i>Advances to be accounted for -</i>	-				290	13	0
<i>Deposits,—</i>							
Harbour Trust -	-	141	5	8			
City of Auckland Trust -	-	345	13	2			
Impounded Cattle sold, Repayment -	-	3	11	6			
New Zealand Government -	-	49	14	6			
A. F. Ridgway & Sons -	-	468	5	0			
					1,008	9	10
					£13,912	18	3
					6,476	19	0
					£20,389	17	3
Balance on 31st December, 1860	-						

R. B. LUSK,
Provincial Accountant.

RETURN of CATTLE Slaughtered in the Auckland District,
from 1st to 31st December, 1860 (inclusively)

Place of Slaughter.	Great Cattle.	Sheep.	Pigs.	Calves.	Total.
At Newmarket	136	543	13	9	701
At other Slaughter-houses	65	437	28	10	540
Total	201	980	41	19	1241

JOSEPH BRENNAN,
Inspector of Slaughter-houses and Brands.

for Articles required in refitting the Flagstaff on Mount Victoria.

A detailed list of the articles may be seen on application at this Office.

Tenders to be endorsed "Tender for Signal Station Supplies."

J. WILLIAMSON,
Superintendent.

SIGNAL STATION SUPPLIES.

Superintendent's Office,
Auckland, 9th March, 1861.

TENDERS will be received at this Office until noon of MONDAY the 18th instant,

RETURN of CATTLE Slaughtered in the Auckland District,
from 1st to 31st January, 1861 (inclusively).

Place of Slaughter.	Great Cattle.	Sheep.	Pigs.	Calves.	Total.
At Newmarket.....	194	885	40	34	1153
At other Slaughter-houses	64	393	44	14	515
Total.....	258	1278	84	48	1668

JOSEPH BRENNAN,
Inspector of Slaughterhouses and Brands.