

RETURN of FIELD-WORK executed by STAFF and CONTRACT SURVEYORS, from 1st July, 1881, to 30th June, 1882.  
PROVINCIAL DISTRICT OF OTAGO.

Surveyor.	District.	Minor Triangulation.			Topographical and Trigonometrical Survey.			Rural and Suburban.			Town Section Survey.			Native Land Court Survey.			Gold-Mining Survey.			Roads, Railways, and Water-races.			Detention by Native Opposition or other Causes.	Other Work.	Total Cost of Surveyor and Party from 1st July, 1881, to 30th June, 1882.	Remarks.				
		Acres.	Cost per Acre.	Total Cost.	Acres.	Cost per Acre.	Total Cost.	Acres.	No. of Sections.	Cost per Acre.	Total Cost.	Acres.	No. of Allotments.	Cost per Allotment.	Total Cost.	Acres.	No. of Sections.	Cost per Acre.	Total Cost.	Miles.	Cost per Mile.	Total Cost.	Cost.	Cost.	£ s. d.					
John Strauchon	Otago, Tuturau, Toitoto, Mokoreta, Slopdown, Kuriwao	...	...	100 0 0	...	...	...	5,969	35	1 13 4	346 14 4	...	...	...	28	3	6 8	9 6 8	...	19 1/2	18 2 6	346 13 3	...	67 0 5	929 14 8	£100 for triangulation begun in Waikawa and Mokoreta Districts, for which area cannot be estimated. £60 P.D.P. survey of Run No. 132, just begun. Cadet assisting. Unusually wet season.				
David Barron	Blackstone, St. Bathans, Turnagain, Maniototo, Naseby, Long Valley, Manorside	...	...	...	...	...	17,753	43	0 9 1/2	707 6 11	...	...	...	...	...	68	8 14 9 1/2	50 5 10	...	...	...	...	262 18 1	1,020 10 10	Cadet assisting.					
A. R. Mackay	Leaning Rock, Tiger Hill, Poolburn, Nevis, Lander, Bannockburn, Fraserside, Wakefield	...	...	...	222,454	92	852 14 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	61 9 8	914 4 4	High, cold country, and surveyor has great amount of travelling.				
George Mackenzie	Kurou, Waikouaiti, Mount Hyde, Moe-raki, Otago Peninsula, North Harbour and Blueskin, Hawkesbury, Otago, Clarendon	...	...	...	...	...	2,900	152	4 2	604 3 4	26	32	31 6	50 7 6	334	38	11 1	185 1 10	...	...	...	55 0 0	12 0 11	906 13 7	Mostly rough bush land and small sections. Surveys small and far apart, involving a great amount of travelling.					
W. B. D. Murray	Waikaia, Wart Hill, Lammerlaw, Hedgehope, Glenkenich, Rankleburn	...	...	...	175,000	66	484 14 6	8,912	45	0 10 1/2	398 9 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0 0	903 3 10	Cadet for four months. Rough and high, but all open country.				
John Langmuir	Waitahuna, Table Hill, Teviot, Tuapeka East	...	...	...	...	...	11,120	60	0 9 1/2	440 18 5	...	...	...	...	5	115	0	3 15 0	3	9 0 3	27 0 9	...	12 0 0	483 14 2	Cadet assisting five and a half months; on leave six months. All open country.					
E. H. Wilmot	Coneburn, Shotover, Nevis, Kawarau, Earnslaw, Skippers Creek, Dart, Upper Wakatipu, Glenorchy, Martin's Bay	...	...	349 4 3	118,000	57	285 3 4	148	...	2 4	17 5 4	...	...	...	...	46	921	0	48 6 0	4	5 0 0	20 0 0	...	69 11 4	789 10 3	Cadet assisting. £349 4s. 3d. minor triangulation in Martin's Bay, work incomplete; all bush-work. £69 11s. 4d. cost of search for young Raymond. Rural sections, no number reported. Nevis triangulation is very rough, but open country.				
W. Armstrong	Nenthorn, Strath Taieri	...	...	...	...	...	18,524	20	0 5 1/2	401 7 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	95 2 11	496 10 0	Open country.				
D. W. Gibson	Waitahuna, Teviot, Benger, Pomahaka	...	...	...	...	...	1,143	22	4 10 1/2	278 12 2	...	...	...	...	...	111	7 10 8 3/4	59 5 7	2 3/4	...	42 14 0	...	...	380 11 9	A cadet assisting. Partly bush surveys.					
H. A. R. Farquhar	Lower Wanaka, Lower Hawea, Cardrona	...	...	...	...	...	13,690	36	0 5	288 12 7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	156 16 1	445 8 8	Open country.					
Private Surveyor.	J. Campbell	...	...	449 4 3	515,454	76	1,622 12 6	80,159	413	0 10 1/2	3,543 9 6	26	32	31 6	50 7 6	362	41	10 9	194 8 6	230	25	14 0 1/2	161 12 5	28 1/2	15 6 2	436 8 0	55 0 0	756 19 5	7,270 2 1	Scattered and small surveys. Great delay caused by bad weather and excessive ruggedness of country.
Contract.	Dennison & Grant	...	...	...	160,000	60	400 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	400 0 0	...	400 0 0	...	
Means and totals	...	...	...	449 4 3	675,454	72	2,022 12 6	80,464	418	0 10 1/2	3,586 12 6	26	32	31 6	50 7 6	362	41	10 9	194 8 6	924	39	5 11 1/2	275 17 5	28 1/2	15 6 2	436 8 0	55 0 0	756 19 5	7,827 10 1	