The quantity of wood cut this season was 404 cords, last year it was 370 cords. The labour test your Committee considers of great value, and recommends its energetic continuance in the future work of the House of Industry.

Men-Casuals in	1	11		a	r	d	8					٠				•			7,018
Worked .																			4,250
Refused to)	W	7)1	.1	í								1					264
Incapables	;																		363
Sent away																			

The expenditure on capital account since last reporting was \$1,690.00, and the expenditure for the support of the Way-farer's Lodge was \$1,606.93.

Your Committee adopted the following resolution: That a Register be kept at the House of the Casuals who are either seeking shelter or employment, or both, so that any one who wants labourers may know whether any such are applying at the House of Industry.

There were admitted to the Casual Ward from the 1st April, 1889, to 31st March, 1890, 1,481 men and 128 women.

NO.	NIGUTS.	NO.	NIGHTS.	NO.	NIGHTS.	NO.	NIGHTS.	20.	NIGHTS.
530	1	3	18	3	35	2	58	1	99
300	2	5	19	2	36	2	59	1	100
147	3	9	20	2	37	1	60	1	101
90	4	5	21	2	38	2	62	1	102
51	5	4	22	2	39	2	63	1	103
36	6	5	23	2	40	2	64	1	105
46	7	10	24	1	43	3	65	1	106
27	8	1	25	3	44	2	66	1	108
22	9	4	26	1	4.5	1	71	1	118
15	× 10	5	27	1	46	1	72	1	120
11	11	4	28	2	48	1	73	1	122
17	12	5	29	3	49	1	75	2	126
11	13	4	30	9	50	1	77	1	161
7	14	2	31	3	53	- 1	79	1	198
4	15	1	32	1	54	1	80		
12	16	5	33	2	56	1	84	1481	
6	17	4	34	1	57	1	92		

All of which is respectfully submitted,

ARCHIBALD MACMURCHY,

A. H. BALDWIN,

Secretary of Committee.

Chairman.