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G. F. BOWEN, Governor.  
 A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Bridges and Ferries Act 1868 Amendment Act, 1869," it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, by Proclamation in the *New Zealand Gazette*, declare "The Bridges and Ferries Act, 1868," to be in operation in any Province, and on a day to be fixed in such Proclamation "The Bridges and Ferries Act, 1868," shall come into operation in such Province:

Now therefore, I, Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Governor of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the power and authority vested in me by the said first-mentioned Act, do hereby proclaim and declare that on the twenty-third day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy, the said "Bridges and Ferries Act, 1868," shall be in operation in the Province of Canterbury.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir George Ferguson Bowen, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same, at the Government House, at Wellington; and issued under the Public Seal of the said Colony, this twenty-second day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy.

W. GISBORNE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.  
 ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At Wellington, this twenty-second day of June, 1870.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Bridges and Ferries Act 1868 Amendment Act, 1869," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, at the

time of making any Proclamation bringing "The Bridges and Ferries Act, 1868," into operation in any Province, or at any time thereafter, to delegate all or any of the powers by "The Bridges and Ferries Act, 1868," vested in the Governor, and exercisable by him within the Province in such Proclamation mentioned, except the powers conferred by the second section of the said "Bridges and Ferries Act, 1868," to the Superintendent of the Province in which the said Act shall be so brought into operation, or to any other person or persons, and such delegation from time to time to alter and revoke:

And whereas by a Proclamation bearing even date herewith, His Excellency the Governor has declared that the said "Bridges and Ferries Act, 1868," shall be in operation in the Province of Canterbury, on the twenty-second day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy:

Now therefore, His Excellency the Governor, in exercise and pursuance of the powers vested in him by the said "Bridges and Ferries Act 1868 Amendment Act, 1869," and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony, doth hereby delegate to

WILLIAM ROLLESTON, Esq.,

Superintendent of the Province of Canterbury, all the powers by "The Bridges and Ferries Act, 1868," vested in the Governor, and exercisable by him within the said Province of Canterbury, except the powers conferred by the second section of the said Act.

FORSTER GORING,  
 Clerk of the Executive Council.

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.  
 ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, the twenty-eighth day of May, 1870.

Present:

THE HONORABLE WM. FOX, THE PREMIER, PRESIDING,  
 AND MEMBERS OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Marine Act, 1867," it is enacted that the Governor may, by Order in

Council, from time to time delegate all or any of the powers and authorities vested in him by the said Act unto any person or persons, for any period, and subject to any regulations, restrictions, or stipulations which may be specified in such Order, and every such delegation may from time to time alter or revoke; and it is by the said Act provided that any such delegation may be so made to any person holding office in or under the General Government of New Zealand, or in or under any Provincial Government thereof, by the title of his office, and may be therein expressed to be made to such officer and his successors in such office, and, when so expressed to be made, the powers and authorities thereby delegated shall from time to time, until revocation thereof, be held and exercised only by the person for the time being holding such office, and no other person:

Now therefore, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony, in exercise and pursuance of the power in him vested by the said Act, doth hereby delegate unto the

SECRETARY OF CUSTOMS,

and his successors in office, all the powers conferred on the Governor by the eighteenth section of the said Act.

WILLIAM FOX,  
Presiding.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

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AND MEMBERS OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Marine Act, 1867," it is enacted that the Governor may, by Order in Council, from time to time delegate all or any of the powers and authorities vested in him by the said Act, and every such delegation from time to time alter or revoke: And whereas by an Order in Council dated the eighth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the consent of the Executive Council of the Colony, did delegate unto the Marine Engineer for the Colony, and his successors in office, certain powers conferred on him by section eighteen of the said Act: And whereas it is expedient to revoke the delegation so made as aforesaid:

Now therefore, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony, doth hereby revoke the said Order in Council of the eighth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, and the delegation made thereby.

WILLIAM FOX,  
Presiding.

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And whereas by an Order in Council dated the eighth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony, did delegate unto each of the Collectors of Customs at the Ports of Auckland, New Plymouth, Wellington, Napier, Nelson, Blenheim, Lyttelton, Dunedin, and Invercargill, and to his successors in office, certain powers conferred on him by section eighteen of the said Act: And whereas it is expedient to revoke the delegation so made as aforesaid:

Now therefore, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony, and in pursuance of the power vested in him by the said Act, doth hereby revoke the said Order in Council of the eighth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, and every delegation made thereby.

WILLIAM FOX,  
Presiding.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 18th June, 1870.

THE following Despatch from Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies is published for general information.

W. GISBORNE.

Downing Street,  
15th March, 1870.

SIR,—I have the honor to transmit to you a copy of a Convention of Commerce, which was signed at Vienna on the 30th of December last, between Her Majesty and the Emperor of Austria, the ratifications of which were exchanged on the 23rd ultimo.

I have, &c.,  
GRANVILLE.

Governor Sir G. F. Bowen, G.C.M.G.

CONVENTION OF COMMERCE BETWEEN HER MAJESTY  
AND THE EMPEROR OF AUSTRIA.

Signed at Vienna, December 30, 1869.—Ratifications exchanged at Vienna, February 23, 1870.

HER Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, on the one part, and His Majesty the Emperor of Austria, King of Bohemia, &c., and Apostolic King of Hungary, on the other part, have resolved to conclude the following Convention in lieu of the Supplementary Convention stipulated in Article V. of the Treaty of Commerce of the 16th December, 1865, and have named for their Plenipotentiaries, that is to say:

Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, the Right Honorable John Arthur Douglas, Baron Bloomfield of Oakhampton and Redwood, a Peer of Ireland, a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Her Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to His Imperial and Royal Apostolic Majesty; and

His Imperial and Royal Apostolic Majesty, Frederic Ferdinand Count Beust, His Imperial Majesty's Privy Councillor, Chancellor of the Empire, and Minister of the Imperial House and of

Foreign Affairs, Grand Cross of the Orders of St. Stephen and Leopold;

Who, after having communicated to each other their respective full powers, found to be in due and proper form, have agreed upon and concluded the following Articles:—

ARTICLE I.

During the continuance of the present Convention, British Produce and Manufactures shall be admitted upon importation into both the dominions of His Imperial and Royal Apostolic Majesty, at the rates of duty enumerated in the Tariff annexed to the Treaty of Commerce between His Imperial and Royal Apostolic Majesty and His Majesty the King of Prussia, representing the sovereign States and Territories united to the Prussian system of Customs and Contributions, of the 9th of March, 1868.

ARTICLE II.

His Imperial and Royal Apostolic Majesty further engages that on and after the 1st of January, 1870, the following articles of British Manufacture shall be admitted upon importation into both the dominions of His Imperial and Royal Apostolic Majesty, at the rates of duty hereinafter specified:—

	Per Centner Fl. kr.
<i>Cotton Wares</i> , viz., woven or knitted wares of cotton, or of cotton and linen; also in combination with metal threads or spun glass, but without admixture of silk, wool, or other animal hair:—	
(a.) Most common, viz.: woven wicks, gitter (marly) girths, nets (fish, horse, bird, and similar coarse nets); also stiffened nets for linings (stiff nets) ... ..	12 0
(b.) Common, viz.:	
1. Plain, not figured, unbleached (made of unbleached yarn), close-woven tissues, also twills, croisés, napped, or dressed, bleached; also	
2. Figured, unbleached, close-woven tissues. All the wares named under 1 and 2, except velvet-like (with cut or uncut nap) and those comprised under (f) ... ..	16 0
(c.) Middle fine, i.e.:—	
1. Plain, close-woven tissues, dyed ... ..	
2. Figured, close-woven wares, bleached or dyed ... ..	20 0
(d.) 1. Open-woven tissues, unbleached ... ..	
2. All many-coloured and all red-coloured close-woven wares ... ..	
3. All velvet and velvet-like woven wares (with cut or uncut nap) ... ..	
4. Ribbon, button-makers', haberdashery and hosiery wares; also bobbinet-like curtain-stuffs (furniture and curtain nets) ... ..	30 0
5. All printed close-woven wares ... ..	
All the above-named wares under 2, 3, 4, and 5, so far as they are not comprised under (e) and (f) ... ..	
(e.) Fine, viz.:—	
All open-woven wares except those named under (d) and (f) ... ..	45 0
(f.) Finest, viz.:—	
Tulle, English façon (bobbinets, pettinets), except those furniture and curtain-nets named under (d) 4, laces, and embroidered woven wares, and all wares in combination with metal threads or spun glass ... ..	60 0
<i>Woollen wares</i> , viz.: all woven and knitted wares of wool or other animal hair; also in combination with metal threads or spun glass, or with other weaving and knitting materials (except silk):—	
(a.) Most common, viz.: horse-cloths, Halina cloth, Matrosen cloth (Sigona cloth), coarse unfulled cloth (Loden), oil cloths, press cloths (filtering-cloths), sieve bottoms and plaitings (cords, ropes) of horse-hair, not combined with other materials; hat chippings, cloth list, carpets of dog, calf, or cow hair, felts (also tarred and lacquered), not printed; cylinder covers (endless felts), net-work and knitted nets, both undyed; hair soles (for boots and shoes of felt, also lacquered on one side), and girths ... ..	4 50
(b.) Common, viz.: filled, not printed, and not velvet-like tissues; felt wares, unprinted; also carpets, except those named under (a) ... ..	18 0
And from 1st January, 1871 ... ..	15 0

	Per Centner Fl. kr.
(c.) Middle fine, viz.:	
1. All velvet-like, all unfulled, close, and all printed, woollen wares, except those named under (d) and (e) ... ..	35 0
2. Haberdashery, button-makers' and hosiery wares ... ..	
(d.) Fine, viz.: Tulle and other open-woven wares, except those named under (e), also shawls and scarfs (without mixture of silk) ... ..	50 0
(e.) Finest, viz.: lace (also lace-cloths), embroidered woven wares, and all wares in combination with metal threads or spun glass ... ..	60 0

ARTICLE III.

The 3rd, 4th, and 5th Articles of the Treaty of Commerce between Her Britannic Majesty and His Imperial and Royal Apostolic Majesty, of the 16th of December, 1865, and the 2nd and 3rd Articles of the Final Protocol annexed to that Treaty, are hereby suppressed.

ARTICLE IV.

This Convention shall have the same duration as the Treaty of the 16th of December, 1865.

ARTICLE V.

The present Convention shall be ratified, and the ratifications shall be exchanged at Vienna within six weeks, or sooner if possible.

In witness whereof the respective Plenipotentiaries have signed the same, and have affixed thereto the seal of their arms.

Done at Vienna, this thirtieth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine.

(L.S.) BLOOMFIELD.  
(L.S.) BEUST.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 16th June, 1870.

THE following Ordinance passed by the Provincial Council, and assented to by the Superintendent of the Province of Taranaki, intituled

“The Waitara Bridge Ordinance, 1870.”

having been laid before the Governor, His Excellency has not been advised to exercise his power of disallowance in respect of it.

W. GISBORNE.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 20th June, 1870.

IT is hereby notified, that Writs issued for the election of Members of the Provincial Council of the Province of Canterbury have been returned with Certificates to the effect that—

For the District of Town of Lyttelton,

Edward Richardson, of Glenmore on Heathcote, Leaseholder;  
Henry Richard Webb, of Lyttelton, Leaseholder;

For the District of City of Christchurch,  
William Henry Wynn Williams, of Christchurch, Freeholder;  
Henry Sawtell, of Hereford Street, Householder;  
James George Hawkes, of Cashel Street West, Freeholder;

For the District of Lincoln,

Henry John Tancred, of Christchurch, Freeholder;  
Arthur Charles Knight, of Newlands, Freeholder;

For the District of Port Victoria,

Alfred Hornbrook, of Mount Pleasant, Freeholder;

*For the District of Rakaia,*  
John Hall, of Christchurch, Leaseholder;  
John Davies Enys, of Castle Hill Station, Freeholder;

*For the District of Wainui,*  
Hugh Buchanan, of Kenloch, Little River, Elector;

*For the District of Akaroa,*  
Richard Westenra, junr., of Camla Station, River Selwyn, Elector;

*For the District of Riccarton,*  
William Browning Tosswill, of Templeton, Freeholder;  
Frederick William Delamain, of Christchurch, Freeholder;

*For the District of Heathcote,*  
Joshua Strange Williams, of Opawa Farm, Freeholder;  
James Temple Fisher, of Heathcote, Householder;  
William Patten Cowlshaw, of Merivale, Freeholder;

*For the District of Ashburton,*  
John Studholme, of Christchurch, Runholder and Freeholder;

*For the District of Mount Cook,*  
Alfred Kingsford Matson, Esq., of Mountnessing, in Timaru, Runholder;

*For the District of the Bays,*  
Robert Heaton Rhodes, of Elmswood, near Christchurch, Elector;

*For the District of Geraldine,*  
Arthur Ormsby, of Pleasant Valley, Freeholder;  
Launcelot Walker, of Mount Four Peaks, Freeholder;

*For the District of Town of Timaru,*  
George Healey, of Timaru, Freeholder;

*For the District of Seadown,*  
Walter Kennaway, of Heathcote, Freeholder;  
Arthur Perry, of Timaru, Freeholder;

*For the District of Waimate,*  
George Buckley, of Waitangi, Freeholder;

*For the District of Waitangi,*  
George Babington Parker, of Silver Springs, Freeholder;

*For the District of Sefton,*  
William Miles Maskell, of River Kowai, Freeholder;  
Frederick Henry Melville Walker, of Christchurch, Leaseholder;

*For the District of Waipawa,*  
John Willoughby Mallock, of Stonyhurst, Freeholder;

*For the District of Oxford,*  
George Leslie Lee, of Stoke Grange, Freeholder;

*For the District of Rangiora,*  
John Evans Brown, Swannanon, River Eyre, Householder;

*For the District of Mandeville,*  
Marmaduke Dixon, of Eyrewell Station, Freeholder;  
Joseph Beswick, of North Road, Kaiapoi, Leaseholder;

*For the District of Town of Kaiapoi,*  
Josiah Birch, of Kaiapoi, Freeholder;

*For the District of Papanui,*  
John Thomas Peacock, of Papanui Road, Freeholder;  
Alfred Cox, of Papanui Road, Freeholder;

have been duly elected.

W. GISBORNE.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 16th June, 1870.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to grant Letters Patent, under "The Patents Act, 1860," dated 14th instant, in favour of

EDWIN WISE HOLLIS,

of Shortland, in the Province of Auckland, Architect, for an Invention of an "Improved Rotary Machine for Gold Saving Purposes."

W. GISBORNE.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 16th June, 1870.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to grant Letters of Registration under "The Patents Act, 1860," dated the 14th instant, on Letters Patent granted in the Colony of Victoria, dated the 10th day of January, 1870, in favour of

WILLIAM COLLARD SMITH,

of Ballarat, in the County of Grenville, in the Colony of Victoria, Mining Agent, for an Invention intitled "Improvements in Machinery for Crushing Quartz Ores and other Substances."

W. GISBORNE.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 18th June, 1870.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to issue Letters of Naturalization, under "The Aliens Act, 1866," in favour of the under-mentioned persons, viz. :—

Name.	Residence.	Occupation.
William Petersen ...	Dunedin ...	Seaman.
Henry Bylore Sørensen ...	Christchurch ...	Storeman.
Bernard Mora ...	Akaroa, Canterbury	Farmer.
Charles Ziele ...	Dunedin ...	Merchant.
Francis Fredericks ...	Pictou ...	Labourer.

W. GISBORNE.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 20th June, 1870.

THE following Tender has been accepted by the General Government, viz. :—  
J. DRANSFIELD, Wellington, for the supply of Coal, for the p.s. "Luna," at the rate of twenty-eight (28) shillings per ton, for the twelve (12) months commencing on this date.

G. S. COOPER,

Under Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
(Judicial Branch.)  
Wellington, 16th June, 1870.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Commander HENRY C. BURLEIGH, R.N.,  
of the Bay of Islands, and

Captain ROBERT SCOTT MACHELL,  
of Three Kings, Auckland, to be Justices of the Peace for the Colony.

W. GISBORNE.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
(Judicial Branch.)  
Wellington, 15th June, 1870.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

EDMUND BARFF, Esq.,  
to be Clerk at Kanieri of the Warden's Court of the Westland Gold Fields.

W. GISBORNE.

Treasury,  
Wellington, 20th June, 1870.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation by

READER GILSON WOOD, Esq.,

of his office as a Trustee of the Auckland Savings Bank.

JULIUS VOGEL.

Treasury,  
Wellington, 20th June, 1870.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM MOULE, Esq.,

to be a Paymaster at Tauranga, in the District of the Bay of Plenty.

JULIUS VOGEL.

Treasury,  
Wellington, 20th June, 1870.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

GRATTAN McCABE, Esq.,

to be a Receiver of Gold Revenue at Coromandel, in the Province of Auckland, *vice* Thomas Scott, Esq., resigned.

JULIUS VOGEL.

Native Office,  
Wellington, 20th June, 1870.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to license

DUDLEY R. EYRE, Esq.,

of Shortland, to survey lands under "The Native Lands Act, 1865."

DONALD McLEAN.

Native Office,  
Wellington, 13th June, 1870.

IT is hereby notified, that the Native Title has been extinguished over the block of land whereof the boundaries are described in the Schedule hereto.

DONALD McLEAN.

SCHEDULE.

PROVINCE OF AUCKLAND,—DISTRICT OF WHANGAREI.  
*Mimiwhangata Block.*

Boundary—Commencing at Rukupo, thence inland along a line bearing  $101^{\circ} 25'$  625 links,  $340^{\circ} 40'$  872 links,  $286^{\circ} 45'$  787 links, until it reaches the swamp; following through the swamp to the Rewa Stream, and following the stream to the sea coast; thence along the coast to Kaituna, Tarapata, Pongahaka; and thence to Rukupo the point of commencement.

General Post Office,  
Wellington, 16th June, 1870.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the Post Office now known as "Ferry Road," in the Province of Canterbury, will in future be called

WOOLSTON.

JULIUS VOGEL.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

Customs Department,  
(Marine Branch),  
Wellington, 13th June, 1870.

THE following Notices to Mariners, are published for general information.

JULIUS VOGEL.

No. 13 of 1870.

BEACON ON FLAT ROCK, OFF KAWAU ISLAND,  
HAURAKI GULF.

NOTICE is hereby given, that an Iron Beacon, painted black, has been erected on Flat Rock, off Kawau Island, Hauraki Gulf.

The Beacon is 38 feet high over all. It consists of 6 iron standards, braced together, the upper part being surrounded by a cage 14 feet 6 inches long, and 5 feet 6 inches in diameter, the whole being surmounted by a diamond-shaped finial 2 feet high.

JULIUS VOGEL.

No. 14 of 1870.

INNER CUTTING, BRISBANE HARBOUR.

IN consequence of the Silt deposited in the Inner Cutting during the recent flood, the tidal signals at the Lightship will in future show a depth of only five feet more water in the cutting than on the Bar, instead of five feet six inches (the least depth in the Outer Cutting), as published in Pugh's Almanac, in the Sailing Directions for 1870.

G. P. HEATH, Commander, R.N.,

Portmaster.

Department of Ports and Harbours,  
Brisbane, 28th March, 1870.

IN pursuance of "The Patents Act, 1860," we the undersigned, Alexander Peyman and John Thomas Chaplin, of Dunedin, in the Province of Otago, New Zealand, hereby give notice that we have applied for a grant of Letters Patent, for the sole use, benefit, and advantage in New Zealand and Victoria, of a certain adaptation of Vulcanized Indiarubber for the Tires of Locomotive Engine Wheels, Railway Carriage and Truck Wheels.

Any person who may wish to prefer any objection to the granting of such Letters Patent, is required, within four months after the publication of this advertisement, to send to the office or address of John Boyle Bennett, Esquire, at Wellington, a statement in writing, setting forth the grounds of such objection, subscribed with his proper name and address.

ALEXANDER PEYMAN,

JOHN THOMAS CHAPLIN.

Dunedin, 20th May, 1870.

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IN pursuance of "The Patents Act, 1860," I, Alexander Peyman, of Dunedin, in the Province of Otago, New Zealand, hereby give notice that I have applied for a grant of Letters Patent for the sole use, benefit, and advantage in New Zealand of a certain Improvement and Adaptation in the Construction, Manufacture, and Erection of Wrought-Iron Wire-Rope Suspension Bridges.

Any person who may wish to prefer any objection to the granting of such Letters Patent, is required, within four months after the publication of this advertisement, to send to the office or address of John Boyle Bennett, Esquire, at Wellington, a statement in writing setting forth the grounds of such objection, subscribed with his proper name and address.

ALEXANDER PEYMAN.

Dunedin, 20th May, 1870.

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STATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Mulum in Parvo Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 31st May, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company—"Mulum in Parvo Gold Mining Company, Registered."

When formed, and Date of Registration—Formed 23rd May, 1869; Registered 29th May, 1869.

Where Business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager—Wyndham Street, Auckland; Henry Chapman.

Nominal Capital—£32,000.

Amount of paid-up Scrip given to Shareholders—£30,000.

Number of Shares in which Capital is divided—8,000.

Number of Shares taken—8,000.

Amount of Calls made—£566 13s. 4d.

Total amount of subscribed Capital paid up—£566 13s. 4d.

Number of Shareholders at time of Registration of Company—15.

Amount of Cash in hand—£228 13s. 0½d.

Whether in operation or not—Yes.

Total amount of Dividends declared—Nil.

Number of Shares unallotted—None.

4th June, 1870.

HENRY CHAPMAN,

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Manager.

STATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Band of Hope Gold Mining Company, Registered."

Name of Company—"The Band of Hope Gold Mining Company."

When formed, and Date of Registration—13th October, 1869.

Where Business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager—Operations of the Company were at Moonlight Creek, in the Province of Nelson; and the name of the Legal Manager is William Perkins.

Nominal Capital—Seven thousand pounds.

Amount of paid-up Scrip given to Shareholders—None.

Number of Shares in which Capital is divided—1,400.

Number of Shares taken—1,000.

Amount of Calls made—£200.

Total subscribed Capital paid up—£200 by payment of calls.

Number of Shareholders at time of Registration of Company—five.

Amount of Cash in hand—£30.

Whether in operation or not—No.

Total amount of Dividend declared—None.

Number of Shares unallotted—400.

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WILLIAM PERKINS,

Legal Manager.

STATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Moonlight Quartz Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ending 31st May, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company—"Moonlight Quartz Mining Company."

When formed, and Date of Registration—Formed 21st April, 1869; Registered 27th May, 1869.

Where Business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager—Moonlight Creek, Province of Nelson; Richard Nancarrow, Greymouth, County of Westland.

Nominal Capital—Five thousand four hundred pounds.

Amount of paid-up Scrip given to Shareholders—Thirty shares of ten pounds each, equal to three hundred pounds.

Number of Shares in which Capital is divided—Seven hundred and seventy.

Number of Shares taken—Three hundred and sixty.

Amount of Calls paid—One hundred and fifty-two pounds.

Total amount of subscribed Capital paid up—Three thousand four hundred and forty-eight pounds.

Number of Shareholders at time of Registration of Company—Eight.

Amount of Cash in hand—Fifty pounds nine shillings and sixpence.

Whether in operation or not—In operation.

Total amount of Dividend declared—None.

Number of Shares unallotted—Three hundred and sixty.

Greymouth, 31st May, 1870.

RICHARD NANCARROW,

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Legal Manager.

STATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Otago Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 31st May, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company—"Otago Gold Mining Company, Registered."

When formed, and Date of Registration—30th July, 1869.

Where Business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager—Wyndham Street, Auckland; James Scott McKellar.

Nominal Capital—£36,000.

Amount of paid-up Scrip given to Shareholders—£28,000.

Number of Shares in which Capital is divided—7,200.

Number of Shares taken—7,200.

Amount of Calls made—3s. 6d.

Total amount of subscribed Capital paid up—£1,124 1s. 4d.

Number of Shareholders at time of Registration of Company—9.

Amount of Cash in hand—£19 8s. 6d.

Whether in operation or not—In operation.

Total amount of Dividends declared—None.

Number of Shares unallotted—None.

31st May, 1870.

J. S. MCKELLAR,

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Manager.

STATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Tokatea Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 10th June, 1870.

Name of Company—"Tokatea Gold Mining Company, Registered."

When formed, and Date of Registration—30th day of September, 1869.

Where Business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager—Coromandel; William Home.

Nominal Capital—£100,000.

Amount of paid-up Scrip given to Shareholders—£80,000 (in scrip).

Number of Shares in which Capital is divided—20,000.

Number of Shares taken—20,000.

Amount of Calls made—Nil.

Total amount of subscribed Capital paid up—£1,000 in cash, £79,000 in scrip.

Number of Shareholders at time of Registration of Company—15.

Amount of Cash in hand—£526 6s. 3d.

Whether in operation or not—In operation.

Total amount of Dividends declared—Nil.

Number of Shares—Area of ground held under lease for fifteen years, 12 acres, in 20,000 shares.

10th day of June, 1870.

W. HORNE,

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Manager.

**STATEMENT** of the Affairs of "The Royal Charter Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 6th June, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company—"Royal Charter Gold Mining Company."

When formed, and Date of Registration—Formed 15th July, 1869; Registered 3rd September, 1869.

Where Business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager—Exchange Buildings, Pollen Street, Shortland; James Hull, Legal Manager.

Nominal Capital—£6,000.

Amount of paid-up Scrip given to Shareholders—£4,500.

Number of Shares in which Capital is divided—6,000.

Number of Shares taken—5,400.

Amount of Calls made—£90.

Total amount of subscribed Capital paid up—£4,571 6s. 8d.

Number of Shareholders at time of Registration of Company—24.

Amount of Cash in hand—£4 8s. 6d.

Whether in operation or not—Not in operation.

Total amount of Dividends declared—None.

Number of Shares unallotted—600.

6th June, 1870. JAMES HULL,  
134 Manager.

**STATEMENT** of the Affairs of "The Springfield Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 3rd June, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company—"Springfield Gold Mining Company, Registered."

When formed, and Date of Registration—Formed 1869; Registered 6th October, 1869.

Where Business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager—Exchange Buildings, Pollen Street, Shortland; James Hull, Legal Manager.

Nominal Capital—£3,600.

Amount of paid-up Scrip given to Shareholders—£2,970.

Number of Shares in which Capital is divided—3,600.

Number of Shares taken—3,600.

Amount of Calls made—£240.

Total amount of subscribed Capital paid-up—£3,182 18s. 6d.

Number of Shareholders at time of Registration of Company—14.

Amount of Cash in hand—9s. 0½d.

Whether in operation or not—Not in operation.

Total amount of Dividends declared—None.

Number of Shares unallotted—None.

6th June, 1870. JAMES HULL,  
133 Manager.

**STATEMENT** of the Affairs of "The Nil Desperandum Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 10th June, 1870.

Name of Company—"Nil Desperandum Gold Mining Company, Registered," Coromandel.

When formed, and Date of Registration—5th day of August, 1869.

Where Business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager—Coromandel; W. Home, manager.

Nominal Capital—£30,000.

Amount of paid-up Scrip given to Shareholders—£19,240 (in scrip).

Number of Shares in which Capital is divided—6,000 shares.

Number of Shares taken—4,810.

Amount of Calls made—First call of 1s. 6d. per share.

Total amount of subscribed Capital paid up—£24,000.

Number of Shareholders at time of Registration of Company—12.

Amount of Cash in hand—£51 sterling, on the 1st day of June.

Whether in operation or not—In operation.

Total amount of Dividends declared—Nil.

Number of Shares—An area of ten men's ground, and battery of four stamps, in 6,000 shares.

10th June, 1870. W. HORNE,  
138 Manager.

**STATEMENT** of the Affairs of "The Providence Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 31st May, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company—"Providence Gold Mining Company, Registered."

When formed, and Date of Registration—24th August, 1869; 15th November, 1869.

Where Business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager—Wyndham Street, Auckland; James Scott McKellar.

Nominal Capital—£20,000.

Amount of paid-up Scrip given to Shareholders—£16,000.

Number of Shares in which Capital is divided—4,000.

Number of Shares taken—4,000.

Amount of Calls made—2s. 6d.

Total amount of subscribed Capital paid up—£486 19s.

Number of Shareholders at time of Registration of Company—7.

Amount of Cash in hand—£1 15s. 10d.

Whether in operation or not—In operation.

Total amount of Dividends declared—Nil.

Number of Shares unallotted—Nil.

2nd June, 1870. J. S. MCKELLAR,  
119 Manager.

**STATEMENT** of the Affairs of "The Great Ross Extended Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 1st June, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company—"Great Ross Extended Gold Mining Company, Registered."

When formed, and Date of Registration—9th September, 1869; 13th September, 1869.

Where Business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager—Ross, Westland; the registered office is in Christchurch, Canterbury; Joshua Henry Williams.

Nominal Capital—£10,000.

Amount of paid-up Scrip given to Shareholders—£4,000.

Number of Shares in which Capital is divided—2,000.

Number of Shares taken—2,000.

Amount of Calls made—£4,000.

Total amount of subscribed Capital paid up—£6,045.

Number of Shareholders at time of Registration of Company—11.

Amount of Cash in hand—£7 2s. 6d.

Whether in operation or not—In operation.

Total amount of Dividends declared—Nil.

Number of Shares unallotted—Nil.

7th June, 1870. JOSHUA HENRY WILLIAMS,  
126 Manager.

**S**TATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Lone Star Gold Mining and Quartz Crushing Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 7th June, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company—"Lone Star Gold Mining and Quartz Crushing Company, Registered."

When formed, and Date of Registration—24th August, 1869; 28th October, 1869.

Where Business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager—Vaile's Building, Owen Street, Graham's Town; Roderick McDonald Scott.

Nominal Capital—£39,000.

Amount of paid-up Scrip given to Shareholders—£32,920.

Number of Shares in which Capital is divided—13,000.

Number of Shares taken—11,000.

Amount of Calls made—£1,787 10s.

Total amount of subscribed Capital paid up—£32,979 7s. 3d.

Number of Shareholders at time of Registration of Company—46.

Amount of Cash in hand—Nil.

Whether in operation or not—Mine sold under Judgment of Court; Company waiting Voluntary Liquidation.

Total amount of Dividends declared—None.

Number of Shares unallotted—2,000.

7th June, 1870. R. McDONALD SCOTT,  
129 Manager.

**S**TATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Royal Standard Extended Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 6th June, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company—"The Royal Standard Extended Gold Mining Company, Registered."

When formed, and Date of Registration—Formed in August, 1869; Registered 30th September, 1869.

Where Business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager—Business conducted at 120 Pollen Street, Shortland, Thames; Richard Laishley, Legal Manager.

Nominal Capital—Nine thousand pounds (£9,000), in nine thousand shares of one pound each.

Amount of paid-up Scrip given to Shareholders—Paid-up scrip allotted to the estimated value of £6,750.

Number of Shares in which Capital is divided—Nine thousand (9,000).

Number of Shares taken—Eight thousand four hundred and eight (8,408).

Amount of Calls made—Ninepence (9d.) per share, amounting to £337 10s. (exclusive of a preliminary call made of £3 an original full share).

Total amount of subscribed Capital paid up—Represented by paid-up scrip, £6,750; Represented by cash payments, £239 17s.—Total, £6,989 17s. (This is exclusive of £42 15s. received on account of preliminary call, and £4 3s. 6d. received for interest, &c.)

Number of Shareholders at time of Registration of Company—Twenty-five (25), (exclusive of the Manager holding shares in trust for certain Shareholders).

Amount of Cash in hand—Nine pounds fourteen shillings and twopence (£9 14s. 2d.)

Whether in operation or not—Not in operation.

Total amount of Dividends declared—None.

Number of Shares unallotted—Five hundred and ninety-two (592).

7th June, 1870. R. LAISHLEY,  
128 Manager.

**S**TATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Clydesdale Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 7th June, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company—"The Clydesdale Gold Mining Company, Registered."

When formed, and Date of Registration—Formed in August, 1869; Registered 16th August, 1869.

Where Business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager—Business conducted at 120 Pollen Street, Shortland; Richard Laishley, Legal Manager.

Nominal Capital—Twenty-four thousand pounds (£24,000), in 9,600 shares of £2 10s. each.

Amount of paid-up Scrip given to Shareholders—9,600 shares, £2 5s. each considered as paid up, representing £21,600.

Number of Shares in which Capital is divided—Nine thousand six hundred (9,600).

Number of Shares taken—Nine thousand six hundred (9,600).

Amount of Calls made—Threepence per share, amounting to £120 (exclusive of a preliminary call of £1 10s. each original full share).

Total amount of subscribed Capital paid up—Represented by paid up scrip, £21,600; Represented by cash payments, £91 14s. 4d.—Total, £21,691, 14s. 4d. (exclusive of preliminary calls paid, £35 12s. 6d. interest and fines).

Number of Shareholders at time of Registration of Company—Twenty-five (25).

Amount of Cash in hand—Amount of cash in my hands on account of the Company, £13 0s. 2d. (This is exclusive of an amount of £2 8s. 6d. to be accounted for by the late Manager.)

Whether in operation or not—Not in operation.

Total amount of Dividends declared—None.

Number of Shares unallotted—None.

7th June, 1870. R. LAISHLEY,  
132 Manager.

**S**TATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Golden Hill Quartz Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 31st May, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company—"The Golden Hill Quartz Mining Company, Registered."

When formed, and Date of Registration—Formed 5th January, 1870; Registered 5th January, 1870.

Where Business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager—Moonlight Creek, Nelson; George W. Moss, Greymouth, Westland.

Nominal Capital—£5,000.

Amount of paid-up Scrip given to Shareholders—£100.

Number of Shares in which Capital is divided—1,000.

Number of Shares taken—1,000.

Amount of Calls made—£269 10s.

Total amount of subscribed Capital paid up—£230.

Number of Shareholders at time of Registration of Company—11.

Amount of Cash in hand—£4 4s. 11d.

Whether in operation or not—Not.

Total amount of Dividends declared—None.

Number of Shares unallotted—None.

1st June, 1870. GEORGE W. MOSS,  
141 Manager.

**S**TATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Break of Day Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 15th June, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company—"Break of Day Gold Mining Company."



When formed, and Date of Registration—25th June, 1869.

Where Business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager—I. Plimmer's, Wellington.

Nominal Capital—£160.

Amount of paid-up Scrip given to Shareholders—Never issued.

Number of Shares in which Capital is divided—16.

Number of Shares taken—16.

Amount of Calls made—£160; additional Capital subscribed—£50.

Total amount of subscribed Capital paid up—£210.

Number of Shareholders at time of Registration of Company—16.

Amount of Cash in hand—None.

Whether in operation or not—Not at present.

Total amount of Dividends declared—None.

Number of Shares unallotted—None.

15th June, 1870.

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L. LEVY,  
Manager.

**S**TATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Kelly's Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 10th June, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company—"Kelly's Gold Mining Company, Registered."

When formed, and Date of Registration—8th July, 1869.

Where Business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager—Canada Buildings, Queen Street, Auckland; Thomas Leigh White.

Nominal Capital—£20,000.

Amount of paid-up Scrip given to Shareholders—£16,000.

Number of Shares in which Capital is divided—4,000.

Number of Shares taken—4,000.

Amount of Calls made—Nil.

Total amount of subscribed Capital paid up—£16,000.

Number of Shareholders at time of Registration of Company—19.

Amount of Cash in hand—None.

Whether in operation or not—In operation.

Total amount of Dividends declared—£600.

Number of Shares unallotted—None.

10th June, 1870.

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THOMAS LEIGH WHITE,  
Manager.

**S**TATEMENT of the Affairs of "The New Zealand Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 31st May, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company—"New Zealand Gold Mining Company, Registered."

When formed, and Date of Registration—17th August, 1869; 18th August, 1869.

Where Business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager—Wyndham Street, Auckland; James Scott McKellar.

Nominal Capital—£20,000.

Amount of paid-up Scrip given to Shareholders—£10,000.

Number of Shares in which Capital is divided—4,000.

Number of Shares taken—4,000.

Amount of Calls made—7s.

Total amount of subscribed Capital paid up—£931 13s.

Number of Shareholders at time of Registration of Company—96.

Amount of Cash in hand—£74 16s. 5d.

Whether in operation or not—In operation.

Total amount of Dividends declared—Nil.

Number of Shares unallotted—Nil.

2nd June, 1870.

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J. S. McKELLAR,  
Manager.

**S**TATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Una Quartz Crushing and Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 31st May, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company—"Una Quartz Crushing and Gold Mining Company, Registered."

When formed, and Date of Registration—19th August, 1869.

Where Business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager—Karakia Creek; Fred. F. Day.

Nominal Capital—£75,000.

Amount of paid-up Scrip given to Shareholders—£56,700.

Number of Shares in which Capital is divided—15,000.

Number of Shares taken—12,600.

Amount of Calls made—Nil.

Total amount of subscribed Capital paid up—£67,500.

Number of Shareholders at time of Registration of Company—28.

Amount of Cash in hand—8s. 11d.

Whether in operation or not—In operation.

Total amount of Dividends declared—£1,260.

Number of Shares unallotted—2,400.

1st June, 1870.

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FRED. F. DAY,  
Manager.

**S**TATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Grahamstown Consols Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 31st May, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company—"Grahamstown Consols Gold Mining Company, Registered."

When formed, and Date of Registration—9th December, 1869.

Where Business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager—Wyndham Street, Auckland; James Scott McKellar.

Nominal Capital—£24,000.

Amount of paid-up Scrip given to Shareholders—£12,000.

Number of Shares in which Capital is divided—12,000.

Number of Shares taken—1,000.

Amount of Calls made—Nil.

Total amount of subscribed Capital paid up—Nil.

Number of Shareholders at time of Registration of Company—4.

Amount of Cash in hand—Nil.

Whether in operation or not—Not in operation.

Total amount of Dividends declared—Nil.

Number of Shares unallotted—11,000.

31st May, 1870.

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J. S. McKELLAR,  
Manager.

**S**TATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Never Despair Gold Mining Amalgamated Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 31st May, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company—"Never Despair Gold Mining Amalgamated Company."

When formed, and Date of Registration—3rd January, 1870; 21st March, 1870.

Where Business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager—Mr. E. W. Mills' Office, Lambton Quay; John Fortescue Evelyn Wright.  
 Nominal capital—£1,000.  
 Amount of paid-up Scrip given to Shareholders—Nil.  
 Number of Shares in which Capital is divided—1,000.  
 Number of Shares taken—601.  
 Amount of Calls made—£259 4s.  
 Total amount of subscribed Capital paid up—£223 14s. 6d.  
 Number of Shareholders at time of Registration of Company—117.  
 Amount of Cash in hand—£21.  
 Whether in operation or not—In operation.  
 Total amount of Dividends declared—None.  
 Number of Shares unallotted—399.  
 1st June, 1870. J. F. E. WRIGHT,  
 127 Manager.

Total amount of subscribed Capital paid up—£219,520.  
 Number of Shareholders at time of Registration of Company—31.  
 Amount of Cash in hand—£1,184 17s.  
 Whether in operation or not—In operation.  
 Total amount of Dividends declared—£9,520.  
 Number of Shares unallotted—None.  
 10th June, 1870. THOMAS LEIGH WHITE,  
 136 Manager.

**S**TATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Shotover No. 1 Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 10th June, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."  
 Name of Company—"Shotover No. 1 Gold Mining Company, Registered."  
 When formed, and Date of Registration—12th August, 1869.  
 Where Business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager—Canada Buildings, Queen Street, Auckland; Thomas Leigh White.  
 Nominal Capital—£224,000.  
 Amount of paid-up Scrip given to Shareholders—£219,520.  
 Number of Shares in which Capital is divided—22,400.  
 Number of Shares taken—22,400.  
 Amount of Calls made—None.

**S**TATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Golden Calf Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 7th June, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."  
 Name of Company—"Golden Calf Gold Mining Company, Registered."  
 When formed, and Date of Registration—11th August, 1869; 14th February, 1870.  
 Where Business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager—Vaile's Building, Owen Street, Grahams-town; Roderick McDonald Scott, Legal Manager.  
 Nominal Capital—£18,000.  
 Amount of paid-up Scrip given to Shareholders—£14,940.  
 Number of Shares in which Capital is divided—3,600.  
 Number of Shares taken—3,600.  
 Amount of Calls made—£540.  
 Total amount of subscribed Capital paid up—£14,908 4s.  
 Number of Shareholders at time of Registration of Company—12.  
 Amount of Cash in hand—£10 6s. 3d.  
 Whether in operation or not—Not.  
 Total amount of Dividends declared—None.  
 Number of Shares unallotted—All allotted.  
 7th June, 1870. R. McDONALD SCOTT,  
 130 Manager.

**P**ARTICULARS of the Estates of Deceased Persons which have been placed under the charge of ALFRED CHETHAM-STRODE, Esq., Curator of the Estates of Deceased Persons, during the Month of May, 1870.

No.	Name of Deceased.	Colonial Residence.	Supposed British or Foreign Residence.	Date of Rule or Order.	Value or Estimated Value of Personal Estate.	Time of Deceased's Death.	Remarks.
1	Henry Oliphant Thomson	Upper Molyneux, Otago	Kirkaldy, Scotland	None required ...	Under £10	1 Feb., 1870	Drowned in Lake Hawea.
2	James Fagan ...	Lawrence, Otago	Not known	Ditto ...	Under £25	3 Feb., 1870	
3	Thomas Geddes ...	Alexandra, Otago	Not known	12 April, 1870 ...	Under £150	3 Jan., 1870	
4	William Smith ...	Lake Wanaka, Otago	Banbury, England	None required ...	Under £5	11 Jan., 1870	Drowned in Lake Wanaka.
5	Ann Patterson ...	Dunedin ...	England, particular place not known	Ditto ...	Under £5	13 Feb., 1870	
6	Thomas Barr ...	Dunedin ...	Scotland, particular place not known	Ditto ...	Under £10	22 Feb., 1870	Found dead in Town Belt of Dunedin.

Dated at Dunedin, the 1st day of June, 1870. A. CHETHAM-STRODE, Curator.

**P**ARTICULARS of the Estates of Deceased Persons which have been placed under the charge of FREDERICK NUTTER, Esq., Curator of the Estates of Deceased Persons, during the Month of May, 1870.

No.	Name of Deceased.	Colonial Residence.	Supposed British or Foreign Residence.	Date of Rule or Order.	Value or Estimated Value of Personal Estate.	Time of Deceased's Death.	Remarks.
1	William Reid Miller	Avondale ...	Scotland ...	17 May, 1870 ...	£220	1 May, 1870.	

Dated at Invercargill, the 1st day of June, 1870. F. NUTTER, Curator.