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G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS power is vested in the Governor of New Zealand by Proclamation to declare any house, building, enclosure, or place to be a Public Gaol:

Now therefore, I, Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Governor, as aforesaid, do hereby declare and proclaim the following house or building, that is to say,

The House or Building situated on Block 43 in the Town of Lawrence, in the Province of Otago, heretofore used as a Lock-up, to be a Public Gaol.

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; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at Wellington, this seventh day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

W. GISBORNE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Marriage Act Amendment Act, 1858," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor at any time, by Proclamation in the *New Zealand Gazette*, to divide the Colony of New Zealand, for the purposes of the said Act, into such and so many districts as he may think fit, and that every such district shall be called by a distinct name, and shall be a Registrar's district; and it is provided that the Governor may at any time revoke the whole or any part of such Proclamation, and issue a new Proclamation dividing the Colony or

any part of it anew into districts or increasing the number or altering the boundaries of districts, as from time to time he may think requisite:

And whereas by a Proclamation duly made and issued, bearing date the twelfth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven, the Governor, in pursuance of the said recited power and authority, did amongst others constitute a district for the purposes of the said Act, called the "Gabriel's" District, the boundaries whereof were therein set forth, which said Proclamation came into operation and took effect on the second day of December, one thousand eight hundred and sixty seven:

And whereas by a Proclamation duly made and issued, bearing date the thirtieth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, the Governor, in pursuance of the said recited power and authority, did amongst others constitute districts for the purposes of the said Act, called the "Waikouaiti" and "Hamilton" Districts, the boundaries whereof were therein set forth, which said Proclamation came into operation and took effect on the first day of February, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six:

And whereas it is expedient to revoke so much of the said Proclamations as relates to the said districts, and to divide anew the territory formerly comprised within such districts:

Now therefore, I, Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Governor of the said Colony, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the said recited Act, do hereby revoke the said Proclamations so far as relates to the said districts, and do proclaim and declare that the territory formerly comprised within such districts shall be and is hereby divided, for the purposes of the said Act, into five districts, the names and boundaries whereof shall be as follows:—

BLUE SPUR DISTRICT

Comprises all that area bounded by a line commencing at a point in the road line along the north-western watershed of Monro's Gully, bearing due east from Trigonometrical Station E, Tuapeka East Survey District, and proceeding thence in

an Easterly direction to the road line along the south-eastern watershed of the said Monro's Gully; thence in a South-westerly direction along the said road line to the south boundary of Block XVIII., Tuapeka East Survey District aforesaid; thence in a Westerly direction along the said boundary to a point due south of Trigonometrical Station E aforesaid; thence in a Northerly direction to the road line first above mentioned; thence in a North-easterly direction along the said road line to the starting point.

GABRIEL'S DISTRICT

Comprises all that area described in the Proclamation above referred to, bearing date the 12th of November, 1867, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 61, 14th November, 1867, excepting therefrom the area contained in Blue Spur District above described.

HYDE DISTRICT

Comprises all that area bounded towards the North by the Taieri River and Run 203, from Sowburn to Kakanui Peak; thence along the north-eastern and south-eastern boundaries of Run 255 to Deep Dell Creek, at its junction with the Waihemo River; thence due South to a point due east of the north-eastern corner of Run 307; thence Westerly to Run 307; thence along the south-eastern boundary of the said Run 307 and Sutton's Stream to the Rock and Pillar Ranges; thence along the western boundaries of Runs 213 and 204 to the Taieri River, at the junction of Sowburn, the starting point.

HAMILTON DISTRICT

Comprises all that area bounded by a line proceeding from Lammerlaw along the western watershed of the Upper Taieri River to South Roughridge Hill; thence to North Roughridge Hill; thence to Mount Ida; thence along the ranges to Kyeburn Hill; thence to Kakanui Peak; thence along the northern and western boundary of Hyde District, before described, to Sutton's Stream; thence along Sutton's Stream to its source; and thence to Lammerlaw, the starting point.

WAIKOUAITI DISTRICT

Comprises all that area bounded towards the North-west by Hyde District, before described; towards the North-east by the Kakanui Mountains and the Horse Range to the ocean; towards the South-east by the ocean; and towards the South and South-west by the Dunedin, North Taieri, and West Taieri Districts.

And I do declare that this Proclamation shall come into operation and take effect on the fifteenth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

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; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at Wellington, this eleventh day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

W. GISBORNE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Registration Act, 1858," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor at any time, by Proclamation in the *New Zealand Gazette*, to divide the Colony of New Zealand, for the purposes of the said Act, into such and so

many districts as he may think fit, and that every such district shall be called by a distinct name, and shall be a Registrar's district; and it is provided that the Governor may at any time revoke the whole or any part of such Proclamation, and issue a new Proclamation dividing the Colony or any part of it anew into districts, or increasing the number or altering the boundaries of districts, as from time to time he may think requisite:

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And whereas it is expedient to revoke so much of the said Proclamations as relates to the said districts, and to divide anew the territory formerly comprised within such districts:

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W. GISBORNE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

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

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of December, 1870.

Present:

THE HONORABLE WILLIAM FOX, PRIME MINISTER, PRESIDING, AND MEMBERS OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, intituled "The New Zealand Post Office Act, 1858," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council from time to time, by Proclamation to be published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, to fix, alter, and abolish the rates of postage at any time within the Colony for the transmission of letters and newspapers by post, either between places within New Zealand or to and from places beyond seas: And whereas by "The New Zealand Post Office Act Amendment Act, 1866," it is enacted that the postage on newspapers posted within the Colony for delivery within the Colony shall be one penny each: And whereas by "The New Zealand Post Office Act Amendment Act, 1870, No. 2," it is enacted that notwithstanding anything contained in "The New Zealand Post Office Act Amendment Act, 1866," it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council from time to time to make regulations for the transmission by post of newspapers, and any such regulations to alter and revoke, and subject to such regulations and the conditions

therein contained to exempt from payment of postage all newspapers addressed to the Manager, Keeper, Clerk, Secretary, Librarian, or other person having the charge of any Athenæum, Mechanics' Institute, Hospital, Public Library, or Lunatic Asylum in New Zealand; or to any such Athenæum, Mechanics' Institute, Hospital, Public Library, or Lunatic Asylum, without the addition of the name or description of any person: Provided that it shall not be lawful by any such regulations to permit the delivery free of postage of any newspaper except to such Athenæum, Mechanics' Institute, Hospital, Public Library, or Lunatic Asylum in New Zealand, of more than one copy of any issue or number of any newspaper to any such Athenæum, Mechanics' Institute, Hospital, Public Library, or Lunatic Asylum: And whereas it has been considered expedient, subject to the provisions of the said last-mentioned Act, to exempt from payment of postage newspapers addressed to the institutions or establishments mentioned in the Schedule hereto without the addition of the name or description of any person:

Now therefore, His Excellency Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Governor of New Zealand, in pursuance of the said recited power and authority, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of New Zealand, doth by this present Order exempt from payment of postage, subject to such conditions specified in the said recited section of the said last-mentioned Act, all newspapers transmitted by post addressed to such institutions or establishments as are mentioned in the Schedule hereto, without the addition of the name or description of any person: And further doth declare that this Order shall take effect on and after the first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy.

SCHEDULE.

Athenæums.	Public Libraries.
Mechanics' Institutes.	Lunatic Asylums.
Hospitals.	

WILLIAM FOX,
Presiding.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME,
GREETING:

WHEREAS by "The Regulation of Elections Act, 1870," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, by Warrant under his hand, from time to time to appoint Polling Places for each Electoral District, within or within one mile of the limits thereof, and to appoint any one of such Polling Places to be the Principal Polling Place for the district, and all or any of such Polling Places from time to time to abolish, and, if he think fit, to appoint other Polling Places in lieu of those abolished, and that every such Warrant shall be published in the *New Zealand Gazette*: Provided always that no Polling Place shall be appointed by the Governor under the said Act unless he shall be first satisfied that the place to be appointed is more convenient than any other for at least twenty electors to record their votes thereat:

And whereas by Warrant under the hand of the Governor, bearing date the thirtieth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy, the School House, North Harbour, was appointed a Polling Place for the District of Caversham, for the Election of Members of the House of Representatives:

And whereas it is expedient to abolish the same:

Now know ye that I, Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Governor of New Zealand, in pursuance of the

power and authority in me vested by the said Act, do hereby abolish the above-named Polling Place for the District of Caversham, for the Election of Members of the House of Representatives, and do appoint in lieu thereof—

The School House, North-east Harbour.

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; and issued at Wellington, this eleventh day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

W. GISBORNE.

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

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GREETING:

WHEREAS by "The Regulation of Elections Act, 1870," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, by Warrant under his hand, from time to time to appoint Polling Places for each Electoral District, within or within one mile of the limits thereof, and to appoint any one of such Polling Places to be the Principal Polling Place for the District, and all or any of such Polling Places from time to time to abolish, and, if he think fit, to appoint other Polling Places in lieu of those abolished, and that every such Warrant shall be published in the *New Zealand Gazette*: Provided always that no Polling Place shall be appointed by the Governor under the said Act unless he shall be first satisfied that the place to be appointed is more convenient than any other for at least twenty electors to record their votes thereat:

And whereas by Warrant under the hand of the Governor, bearing date the thirty-first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy, the School House, North Harbour, was appointed a Polling Place for the Province of Otago, for the Election of a Superintendent thereof:

And whereas it is expedient to abolish the same:

Now know ye that I, Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Governor of New Zealand, in pursuance of the power and authority in me vested by the said Act, do hereby abolish the above-named Polling Place for the Province of Otago, for the election of Superintendent thereof, and do appoint in lieu thereof—

The School House, North-east Harbour.

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; and issued at Wellington, this eleventh day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

W. GISBORNE.

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

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GREETING:

WHEREAS by "The Regulation of Elections Act, 1870," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, by Warrant under his

hand, from time to time to appoint Polling Places for each Electoral District, within or within one mile of the limits thereof, and to appoint any one of such Polling Places to be the Principal Polling Place for the District, and all or any of such Polling Places from time to time to abolish, and, if he think fit, to appoint other Polling Places in lieu of those abolished, and that every such Warrant shall be published in the *New Zealand Gazette*: Provided always that no Polling Place shall be appointed by the Governor under the said Act unless he shall be first satisfied that the place to be appointed is more convenient than any other for at least twenty electors to record their votes thereat:

Now know ye that I, Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Governor of New Zealand, in pursuance of the power and authority in me vested by the said Act, do hereby appoint the following places to be additional Polling Places for the Electoral Districts hereinafter specified, for the election of Members of the House of Representatives, namely,—

For the District of Wakaia—

Mr. Stevenson's Store, Horse Shoe Bend.
House of Mr. James Forbes, Potter's Gully.
School House, Miller's Flat West.

For the District of Maitaia—

Waiopai Downs Station.

For the District of Ashley—

Cust Road Board Office.

For the District of City of Dunedin—

North Dunedin School House.

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; and issued at Wellington, this twelfth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

W. GISBORNE.

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

WHEREAS by the fifteenth section of "The Juries Act, 1868," it is enacted that in case any Circuit Court or sittings of the Supreme Court for trial of civil or criminal cases, or District Court, or Court of Sessions of the Peace, shall thereafter be lawfully directed or appointed to be holden at any town other than those at which Courts are now holden, the Clerk of the Resident Magistrate's Court there, if there be one, or a Jury Officer to be appointed for the jury district of such town in manner in the said Act mentioned shall act as Jury Officer for the jury district of such town, and such Jury Officer, and all Justices of the Peace, and the Registrars, Clerks, or other officers of Courts, constables and officers of police, and Sheriffs, shall within such time as the Governor shall order for that occasion only do and perform all such acts, matters, and things, in and towards preparing, collecting, allowing, sending, and delivering the lists of men qualified and liable to serve on juries, and making out the jury books for every such jury district as are thereinbefore required ordinarily to be done at a different time or period, and all such last-mentioned jury books shall be brought into use and the persons whose names shall be therein set down shall be liable to serve immediately after the same shall have been made out by the Sheriff, and the said last-mentioned

books shall be used until new books shall have been prepared under the provisions hereinbefore contained: And whereas sittings of the District Court have been lawfully directed or appointed to be holden at the Town of Timaru, being a town other than one at which Courts were then holden: Now therefore, I, Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Governor of New Zealand, in exercise of all powers and authorities in this behalf vested in me by the said Act, do hereby order that the Jury Officer for the jury district of Timaru, and all Justices of the Peace, and the Registrars, Clerks, or other officers of Courts, constables and officers of police, and Sheriffs, shall before the first day of March next do and perform all such acts, matters, and things, in and towards preparing, collecting, allowing, sending, and delivering the lists of men qualified and liable to serve on juries, and making out the jury books for the jury district of Timaru, as are thereinbefore in the said Act ordinarily required to be done at a different time or period.

And I do order that for the purposes aforesaid, the words in the sections of the said Juries Act, 1868, specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto shall respectively be construed and read as if the words in the second column of the said Schedule were inserted in lieu of such words in the said sections respectively.

Words as in "Jury Act, 1868."	How to be Read.
Section 8. "Last day of January in every year"	Sixteenth day of January, 1871.
Section 10. "First two Sundays in March in every year"	Fourth Sunday in January, 1871.
Section 11. "First Friday in April of every year"	First Friday in February, 1871.
Section 11. "Twenty-third day of April then next"	Fifteenth day of February, 1871.
Section 12. "The month of February in every year"	Month of January, 1871.
Section 14. "Fourteenth day of May"	First day of March, 1871.

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; and issued at Wellington, this tenth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

W. GISBORNE.

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

WHEREAS by the one hundred and thirty-third section of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, intituled "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1867," it is enacted that it shall be the duty of the Town Clerk of every borough, as soon as conveniently may be after every election of a Mayor for such borough, to give notice to the Colonial Secretary for the time being of such election, and of the person elected; and it shall be lawful for the Governor, if he shall think fit, and if such person shall not then be a Justice of the Peace, by warrant under his hand published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, to appoint such person to be a Justice of the Peace for the Colony; and it is also thereby enacted that in every such appointment it shall be expressed that it is made under the one hundred and thirty-third section of the said Act; and it is further declared that such appointment shall continue in force only during the Mayoralty of such person, and the person so appointed shall not, by virtue of such appointment,

be authorized to sit or act as a Justice of the Peace elsewhere than within the borough:

Now therefore, I, Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority in me vested in this behalf, do hereby appoint

JAMES PURVIS JAMESON, Esq.,

the person elected to be the Mayor of the Borough of Christchurch, to be a Justice of the Peace under the one hundred and thirty-third section of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1867."

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; and issued at Wellington, this fifth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

W. GISBORNE.

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

WHEREAS by the one hundred and thirty-third section of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, intituled "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1867," it is enacted that it shall be the duty of the Town Clerk of every borough, as soon as conveniently may be after every election of a Mayor for such borough, to give notice to the Colonial Secretary for the time being of such election, and of the person elected; and it shall be lawful for the Governor, if he shall think fit, and if such person shall not then be a Justice of the Peace, by warrant under his hand published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, to appoint such person to be a Justice of the Peace for the Colony; and it is also thereby enacted that in every such appointment it shall be expressed that it is made under the one hundred and thirty-third section of the said Act; and it is further declared that such appointment shall continue in force only during the Mayoralty of such person, and the person so appointed shall not, by virtue of such appointment, be authorized to sit or act as a Justice of the Peace elsewhere than within the borough:

Now therefore, I, Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority in me vested in this behalf, do hereby appoint

HENRY ALLWRIGHT, Esq.,

the person elected to be the Mayor of the Borough of Lyttelton, to be a Justice of the Peace under the one hundred and thirty-third section of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1867."

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; and issued at Wellington, this sixth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

W. GISBORNE.

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

WHEREAS by the one hundred and thirty-third section of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, intituled "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1867," it is enacted that it shall be the duty of

the Town Clerk of every borough, as soon as conveniently may be after every election of a Mayor for such borough, to give notice to the Colonial Secretary for the time being of such election, and of the person elected; and it shall be lawful for the Governor, if he shall think fit, and if such person shall not then be a Justice of the Peace, by warrant under his hand published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, to appoint such person to be a Justice of the Peace for the Colony; and it is also thereby enacted that in every such appointment it shall be expressed that it is made under the one hundred and thirty-third section of the said Act; and it is further declared that such appointment shall continue in force only during the Mayoralty of such person, and the person so appointed shall not, by virtue of such appointment, be authorized to sit or act as a Justice of the Peace elsewhere than within the borough:

Now therefore, I, Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority in me vested in this behalf, do hereby appoint

HENRY CAIN, Esq.,

the person elected to be the Mayor of the Borough of Timaru, to be a Justice of the Peace under the one hundred and thirty-third section of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1867."

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; and issued at Wellington, this sixth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

W. GISBORNE.

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

WHEREAS by the one hundred and thirty-third section of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, intituled "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1867," it is enacted that it shall be the duty of the Town Clerk of every borough, as soon as conveniently may be after every election of a Mayor for such borough, to give notice to the Colonial Secretary for the time being of such election, and of the person elected; and it shall be lawful for the Governor, if he shall think fit, and if such person shall not then be a Justice of the Peace, by warrant under his hand published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, to appoint such person to be a Justice of the Peace for the Colony; and it is also thereby enacted that in every such appointment it shall be expressed that it is made under the one hundred and thirty-third section of the said Act; and it is further declared that such appointment shall continue in force only during the Mayoralty of such person, and the person so appointed shall not, by virtue of such appointment, be authorized to sit or act as a Justice of the Peace elsewhere than within the borough:

Now therefore, I, Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority in me vested in this behalf, do hereby appoint

JAMES MIDGLEY HIGGIN, Esq.,

the person elected to be the Mayor of the Borough of Hokitika, to be a Justice of the Peace under the one hundred and thirty-third section of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1867."

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; and issued at Wellington, this sixth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

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Now therefore, I, Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority in me vested in this behalf, do hereby appoint

EDMUND WICKS, Esq.,

the person elected to be the Mayor of the Borough of Greymouth, to be a Justice of the Peace under the one hundred and thirty-third section of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1867."

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; and issued at Wellington, this sixth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

W. GISBORNE.

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

IN pursuance of the power vested in me by the Regulations contained in the Schedule to the Proclamation dated the seventeenth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine, by the Governor in Council, of regulations for the sale, letting, disposal, occupation, and management of the Waste Lands within the County of Westland:

I, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint

GERHARD MÜLLER, Esq.,

to be the Chief Surveyor for the said County of Westland, to hold such office during my pleasure.

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; and issued at Wellington, this tenth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

W. GISBORNE.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 4th January, 1871.

HIS Excellency the Governor directs the publication of the accompanying Letter, with Enclosures, from Commodore F. H. Stirling, regarding the positions of certain Islands recently visited by H.M.S. "Rosario."

W. GISBORNE.

"Clio," at Auckland,
21st December, 1870.

YOUR EXCELLENCY,—I beg to forward for your Excellency's information, and with a view to promulgation in New Zealand if you think fit, the accompanying particulars received from Her Majesty's ship "Rosario," regarding the positions of certain Islands visited during her cruise to the Gilbert Group.

I have, &c.,
F. H. STIRLING,
Commodore and Senior Officer.

His Excellency Sir George Bowen,
G.C.M.G., &c., Governor of
New Zealand.

H.M.S. "Rosario," Ovalau,
Fiji Islands, 17th November, 1870.

SIR,—I beg to forward a list of the positions of the Islands visited by the "Rosario," during her cruise to the Gilbert Islands.

I would here observe that Byron Island is about 1° west of the position assigned to it on Chart No. 2,464; and also that the small island which lies almost midway between the position of Independence and Sophia Islands, and may be either, would be especially dangerous to a vessel passing this longitude at night.

I have been informed by several people used to navigating these seas, that Onaseuse or Hunter Island does not exist, and this is borne out by our observations on the 7th instant.

I have, &c.,
HENRY J. CHALLIS,
Commander.
Commodore F. H. Stirling,
Senior Officer, H.M.S. "Clio,"
Australia.

List of Positions obtained by the "Rosario," on a Cruise between Fiji and Gilbert Islands. Chart 2,464, Pacific Ocean, Sheet 6.

- An Island about 3 miles in circumference, Independence or Sophia Island. (Centre.) Lat. 10° 46' S. Long. 179° 31' E.
- Famfute. (South Islet.) Lat. 8° 31' S. Long. 179° 10' E.
- Tracy Island. (South point.) Lat. 7° 30' S. Long. 178° 42' E.
- Byron Island. (South point.) Lat. 1° 25' S. Long. 176° 40' E.
- Peru Island. (South point.) Lat. 1° 25' S. Long. 176° 02' E.
- Drummond Island. (North point.) Lat. 1° 08' S. Long. 174° 42' E.
- Island at South entrance of Apamana Lagoon. (South point.) Lat. 0° 23' N. Long. 173° 52' E.

5th November, 1870, at 10 a.m., passed 3 miles west of position of reef (?), Lat. 12° 30' S., Long. 176° 30' E., without seeing any signs of it.

7th November, 1870, at 3 p.m., passed 4 miles west of Lat. 15° 31' S., Long. 176° 11' E. (position assigned to Onaseuse or Hunter Island). Nothing in sight from mast-head.

The above Longitudes depend on the meridian of observation point, Levuka, Ovalau, Fiji, being in Longitude 178° 49' 3" E.

Dated on board the "Rosario," at Levuka, Fiji, this 17th day of November, 1870.

HENRY J. CHALLIS,
Commander.

BENJAMIN S. JACKSON,
Navigating Lieutenant.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 11th January, 1871.

IT is hereby notified, that
WILLIAM GISBORNE, Esq., and
NATHANIEL LEVIN, Esq.,
have resigned their seats in the Legislative Council of New Zealand, and that His Excellency the Governor has, in Her Majesty's name, accepted such resignations.

W. GISBORNE.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 11th January, 1871.

THE following Ordinance, passed by the Provincial Council of the Province of Otago, intituled
"The Otago Representation Ordinance (No. 2),
1870,"

having been laid before the Governor, His Excellency has been pleased to assent to the same.

W. GISBORNE.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 11th January, 1871.

HIS Excellency the Governor in Council has been pleased to make the following appointment under "The Crown Lands Act, 1869," viz. :—

GERARD GEORGE FITZGERALD, Esq.,
to be Commissioner of Crown Lands for the County of Westland.

W. GISBORNE.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 11th January, 1871.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HOPKINS CLARKE, Esq.,
to be Registrar of Marriages, and of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, for the District of Tauranga, as the same is defined in Proclamation of thirtieth day of January, 1865, and published in *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 3, of 31st day of January, 1865, *vice* William Gilbert Mair, Esq., resigned.

W. GISBORNE.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 11th January, 1871.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

GEORGE C. CHAPMAN, Esq.,
to be the Deputy of the Registrar of Marriages, and of Births, Deaths and Marriages, for the District of Gabriels, as the same is defined in Proclamation of eleventh day of January, 1871, and published in this *Gazette*.

W. GISBORNE.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 11th January, 1871.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned persons to be Registrars of Marriages, and of Births, Deaths and Marriages, for the Districts set opposite their names respectively, as the same are defined in Proclamation of eleventh day of January, 1871, and published in this Gazette:—

WILLIAM McLELLAND, Esq., Blue Spur.
HENRY JOHN ABEL, Esq., Gabriels.
SEYMOUR HARRIS SAUNDERS, Esq., Hyde.
EDGAR HALL CAREW, Esq., Hamilton.
FRANCIS FRANKS, Esq., Waikouaiti.

W. GISBORNE.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 11th January, 1871.

IT is hereby notified, that the Secretary to the Central Board of Civil Service Examiners has reported that the under-mentioned Candidates have passed their Examinations under the Civil Service Regulations:—

E. OSBORNE GIBBES, Wangarei, Auckland.
R. H. VINCENT, Parnell, Auckland.

W. GISBORNE.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
(Judicial Branch),
Wellington, 9th January, 1871.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

CHARLES PERCY COX, Esq., of Mount Somers, and
WILLIAM CAMPBELL WALKER Esq., of Mount Possession, Canterbury,

to be Justices of the Peace for the Colony.

W. GISBORNE.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
(Judicial Branch),
Wellington, 3rd January, 1871.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM KERR NESBITT, Esq., J.P.,
to be a Resident Magistrate for the District of Waiapu.

W. GISBORNE.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
(Judicial Branch),
Wellington, 7th January, 1871.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WALTER LAWRY BULLER, Esq.,
to be Sheriff for the District of Wanganui, *vice* T. Harper, Esq., deceased.

W. GISBORNE.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
(Judicial Branch),
Wellington, 9th January, 1871.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN WILLIAM WHITE, Esq.,
to be Crown Prosecutor for the District of Timaru.

W. GISBORNE.

Native Office,
Wellington, 31st December, 1870.

IT is hereby notified, that the Native Title has been extinguished over the blocks of land whereof

the boundaries are described and the names given in the Schedule hereto.

DONALD McLEAN,
Native Minister.

SCHEDULE.

PROVINCE OF AUCKLAND.—THAMES DISTRICT.

Wharepoha-Omahu Block No. 2, containing 50 Acres.

BOUNDARIES.

Bounded towards the North-east and South by the Wharepoha-Omahu Block, 2,450 links and 2,044 links respectively; and towards the West by the Wharepoha-Omahu Block No. 3, 2,450 links.

Wharepoha-Omahu Block No. 3, containing about 20 Acres.

BOUNDARIES.

Bounded towards the North by the Katinga Stream; towards the East by the Wharepoha-Omahu Block No. 2, 2,450 links, and by a line 150 links; towards the South by the Aongoringori Stream; and towards the West by the Waihou River.

TENDERS are invited for the Erection of a Post Office and Telegraph Station at Cromwell, in the Province of Otago.

General Conditions, Specifications, and Drawings may be seen at the Offices of the Colonial Architect, Wellington; at the Telegraph Office, Dunedin; and the Post Office, Cromwell.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to Noon on Monday, the first day of February next.

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

W. H. CLAYTON,
Colonial Architect.

9th January, 1871.

TENDERS are invited for Painting the Supreme Court House at Wellington.

General Conditions and Specifications may be seen at the Offices of the Colonial Architect, Wellington.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to Noon on Monday, the sixteenth day of January next.

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

W. H. CLAYTON,
Colonial Architect.

9th January, 1871.

STATEMENT of the affairs of "The Golden Calf Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 17th December, 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: 3rd September, 1869; 3rd February, 1870.

Where business is conducted and name of Legal Manager: Grahamstown Stock Exchange, Owen Street Grahamstown.

Nominal Capital: £18,000.

Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders: £17,481 6s.

Number of shares in which capital is divided: 3,600.

Number of shares taken: 3,600.

Amount of calls made: £720.

Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: £518 14s. £180 preliminary capital was subscribed and spent on the ground in addition to above.

Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company: 11.

Amount of cash in hand: Nil.

Whether in operation or not: No. Works stopped temporarily in consequence of being drowned out with water, and pending terms with "Just in Time," for use of their machinery and for amalgamation.

Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.

Number of shares unallotted: All allotted.

19th December, 1870. R. McDONALD SCOTT.

480 Manager.

STATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Long Drive Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 30th November, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company: "Long Drive Gold Mining Company, Registered."

When formed, and date of registration: 20th July, 1868; 25th February, 1869.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Shortland Street, Auckland; Charles Tothill.

Nominal capital: £6,000.

Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders: £4,500.

Number of shares in which capital is divided: 1,200.

Number of shares taken: 1,200.

Amount of calls made: Nil.

Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: Nil.

Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company: 15.

Amount of cash in hand: £732 14s. 9d.

Whether in operation or not: In operation.

Total amount of dividends declared: £9,600.

Number of shares unallotted: Nil.

15th December, 1870. CHARLES TOTHILL,
472 Manager.

STATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Wild Missouri Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 30th November, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company: "Wild Missouri Gold Mining Company, Registered."

When formed, and date of registration: 12th July, 1869; 14th July, 1869.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Shortland Street, Auckland; Charles Tothill.

Nominal capital: £36,000.

Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders: £32,400.

Number of shares in which capital is divided: 3,600.

Number of shares taken: 3,600.

Amount of calls made: £2,700.

Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: £2,304 5s.

Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company: 17.

Amount of cash in hand: Nil.

Whether in operation or not: In operation.

Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.

Number of shares unallotted: Nil.

15th December, 1870. CHARLES TOTHILL,
473 Manager.

STATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Belfast Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 30th November, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company: "Belfast Gold Mining Company, Registered."

When formed, and date of registration: 4th August, 1869; 24th September, 1869.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Shortland Street, Auckland; Charles Tothill.

Nominal capital: £28,000.

Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders: £22,400.

Number of shares in which capital is divided: 5,600.

Number of shares taken: 5,600.

Amount of calls made: £840.

Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: £825 11s.

Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company: 19.

Amount of cash in hand: £411 16s. 11d.

Whether in operation or not: In operation.

Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.

Number of shares unallotted: Nil.

15th December, 1870. CHARLES TOTHILL,
474 Manager.

STATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Criterion Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 30th November, 1870, in accordance

with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company: "Criterion Gold Mining Company, Registered."

When formed, and date of registration: 16th June, 1869; 20th July, 1869.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Shortland Street, Auckland; Charles Tothill.

Nominal capital: £5,000.

Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders: £5,000.

Number of shares in which capital is divided: 500.

Number of shares taken: 500.

Amount of calls made: Nil.

Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: Nil.

Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company: 5.

Amount of cash in hand: Nil.

Whether in operation or not: In operation.

Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.

Number of shares unallotted: Nil.

15th December, 1870. CHARLES TOTHILL,
475 Manager.

STATEMENT of the Affairs of "Nolan's Candlelight No. 1 Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 15th December, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company: "Nolan's Candlelight No. 1 Gold Mining Company, Registered."

When formed, and date of registration: 14th October, 1869.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Davy Street, Grahamstown; W. Rowe.

Nominal capital: £18,000.

Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders: £14,400.

Number of shares in which capital is divided: 3,600.

Number of shares taken: 3,600.

Amount of calls made: £520.

Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: £14,920.

Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company: 9.

Amount of cash in hand: £10 7s. 6d.

Whether in operation or not: In operation.

Total amount of dividends declared: £360.

Number of shares unallotted: Nil.

15th December, 1870. W. ROWE, Manager,
476 per R. HUDSON.

STATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Waitemata Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 8th December, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company: "Waitemata Gold Mining Company, Registered."

When formed, and date of registration: 13th August, 1869.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Davy Street, Grahamstown; Richard Hudson.

Nominal capital: £22,850.

Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders: £21,136 5s.

Number of shares in which capital is divided: 4,570.

Number of shares taken: 4,570.

Amount of calls made: £438 10s.

Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: £21,574 15s.

Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company: 15.

Amount of cash in hand: £17 5s.

Whether in operation or not: In operation.

Total amount of dividends declared: £571 5s.

Number of shares unallotted: Nil.

14th December, 1870. RICHARD HUDSON,
477 Manager.

STATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Dauntless and Sink to Rise Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 17th December, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company: "The Dauntless and Sink to Rise Gold Mining Company, Registered."

When formed, and date of registration: 3rd August, 1869.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Grahamstown Stock Exchange, Grahamstown; Roderick McDonald Scott.

Nominal capital: £16,000.
 Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders: £15,206 8s.
 Number of shares in which capital is divided: 3,200.
 Number of shares taken: 3,200.
 Amount of calls made: £153 12s.
 Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: £793 12s.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company: 14.
 Amount of cash in hand; £250 in gold, and estimated £603 in gold in addition.
 Whether in operation or not: In operation.
 Total amount of dividends declared: £880.
 Number of shares unallotted: Nil.
 19th December, 1870. R. McDONALD SCOTT,
 478 Manager.

S STATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Eureka Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 17th December, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company: "Eureka Gold Mining Company, Registered."
 When formed, and date of registration: 19th May, 1869.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Grahamstown Stock Exchange, Owen Street, Grahamstown.
 Nominal capital: £21,740 5s.
 Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders: £21,540 13s. 6d.
 Number of shares in which capital is divided: 20,705.
 Number of shares taken: 20,705.
 Amount of calls made: £1,035 5s.
 Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: £835 12s. 6d.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company: 9.
 Amount of cash in hand: £114 9s. in gold.
 Whether in operation or not: In operation.
 Total amount of dividends declared: £2,588 2s. 6d.
 Number of shares unallotted: Nil.
 19th December, 1870. R. McDONALD SCOTT,
 479 Manager.

S STATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Nonpareil Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 17th December, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company: "Nonpareil Gold Mining Company, Registered."
 When formed, and date of registration: 3rd August, 1869; 12th August, 1869.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Grahamstown Stock Exchange, Owen Street; Grahamstown.
 Nominal capital: £28,500.
 Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders: £25,650.
 Number of shares in which capital is divided: 5,700.
 Number of shares taken: 5,700.
 Amount of calls made: £2,850.
 Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: £2,750.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company: 21.
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
 Whether in operation or not: In operation.
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
 Number of shares unallotted: Nil.
 19th December, 1870. R. McDONALD SCOTT,
 481 Manager.

S STATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Surprise Water Race and Sluicing Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 1st December, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company: "The Surprise Water Race and Sluicing Company, Registered."
 When formed, and date of registration: 9th of April, 1868.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Naseby, Mount Ida: Jacob Lory.
 Nominal capital: £2,400.
 Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders: £2,400.
 Number of shares in which capital is divided: 240.
 Number of shares taken: 240.
 Amount of calls made: None.
 Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: £2,400.

Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company: Six (6).
 Amount of cash in hand: None.
 Whether in operation or not: In operation.
 Total amount of dividends declared: £189.
 Number of shares unallotted: Nil.
 15th December, 1870. JACOB LORY,
 484 Manager.

S STATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Otago Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ending 31st December, 1870.

Name of Company: "Otago Gold Mining Company, Registered."
 When formed, and date of registration: 4th October, 1869.
 Where business is conducted and name of Legal Manager: Blue Spur, Gabriel's Gully: James Campbell.
 Nominal capital: £4,800.
 Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders: £4,800.
 Number of shares in which capital is divided: Eight (8).
 Number of shares taken: Eight (8).
 Amount of calls made: None.
 Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: £4,800.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company: Eight (8).
 Amount of cash in hand: £127 19s. 9d.
 Whether in operation or not: In operation.
 Total amount of dividends declared: £608 7s. 10d.
 Number of shares unallotted: Nil.
 485 JAMES CAMPBELL,
 Manager.

S STATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Otago Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 20th December, 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; J. S. McKellar, Manager.
 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: 4s. 6d.
 Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: £29,606 3s.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company: 9.
 Amount of cash in hand: £81 19s. 2d.
 Whether in operation or not: In operation.
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
 Number of shares unallotted: Nil.
 22nd December, 1870. J. S. MCKELLAR,
 503 Manager.

S STATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Waiotahi Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 17th December, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company: "Waiotahi Gold Mining Company, Registered."
 When formed, and date of registration: Formed 20th April, 1868; registered 8th May, 1868.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Wyndham Street, Auckland; William Henry Davis.
 Nominal capital: Original, £4,000; second issue, £8,000; total, £12,000.
 Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders: £6,810.
 Number of shares in which capital is divided: 1,200.
 Number of shares taken: 1,200.
 Amount of calls made: £5,190.
 Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: £11,779 8s.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company: 12.
 Amount of cash in hand: £2 16s. 1d.
 Whether in operation or not: In operation.
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
 Number of shares unallotted: Nil.
 22nd December, 1870. W. H. DAVIS,
 501 Manager.

STATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Enterprise Water Race Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 1st December, 1870.

Name of Company: "Enterprise Water Race Company."
When formed, and date of registration: May, 1866; registered 1st June, 1866.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: St. Bathans; John O'Regan.

Nominal capital: £4,500.

Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders:

Number of shares in which capital is divided: Nine (9).

Number of shares taken: Nine (9).

Amount of calls made:

Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: £4,500.

Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company: Nine (9).

Amount of cash in hand: £353 2s.

Whether in operation or not: In operation.

Total amount of dividends declared: £400.

Number of shares unallotted:

17th December, 1870.

JOHN O'REGAN,
Manager.

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

Name of Company: "Multum in Parvo."

When formed, and date of registration: Formed 23rd September, 1869; date of registration, 13th December, 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: £383 17s. 1d.

Whether in operation or not: In operation.

Total amount of dividends declared: £200.

Number of shares unallotted: Nil.

19th December, 1870.

HENRY CHAPMAN,
Manager.

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STATEMENT of the affairs of "The Tapu Creek Tramway and Crushing Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 1st December, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company: "Tapu Creek Tramway and Crushing Company, Registered."

When formed, and date of registration: 15th July, 1863.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Hastings, Tapu Creek; Firth Wrigley.

Nominal capital: £5,000.

Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders: Nil.

Number of shares in which capital is divided: 500.

Number of shares taken: 500.

Amount of calls made: Nil.

Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: £2,500.

Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company: 4.

Amount of cash in hand: £2 8s.

Whether in operation or not: In operation.

Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.

Number of shares unallotted: Nil.

25th December, 1870.

FIRTH WRIGLEY,
Manager.

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STATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Scandinavian Water Race Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 1st December, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act, 1869."

Name of Company: "Scandinavian Water Race Company."

When formed, and date of registration: 1865; 6th May, 1863.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: St. Bathans; George Turton,

Nominal capital: £12,000.

Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders: £12,000.

Number of shares in which capital is divided: 240.

Number of shares taken: 240.

Amount of calls made: Nil.

Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: £12,000.

Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company: 28.

Amount of cash in hand: £456 13s. 1d.

Whether in operation or not: In operation.

Total amount of dividends declared: £1,200.

Number of shares unallotted:

17th December, 1870.

GEORGE TURTON.

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Manager.

STATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Mountain Water Race Company, Registered," for the half-year ending 17th December, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company: "Mountain Water Race Company."

When formed, and date of registration: 6th August, 1866.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: St. Bathans; Samuel Turner.

Nominal capital: £4,000.

Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders: £4,000.

Number of shares in which capital is divided: 10.

Number of shares taken: 10.

Amount of calls made:

Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: £4,000.

Number of shares at time of registration: 10.

Amount of cash in hand: £702 16s. 10d.

Whether in operation or not: In operation.

Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.

Number of shares unallotted:

December, 1870.

SAMUEL TURNER,

488

Manager.

STATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Colclough Quartz Reef Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 1st December, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company: "Colclough Quartz Reef Company, Registered."

When formed, and date of registration: April, 1870; 30th July, 1870.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Bendigo Gully; Thomas Black.

Nominal capital: £8,400.

Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders: £4,800.

Number of shares in which capital is divided: 48.

Number of shares taken: 48.

Amount of calls made: £1,464.

Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: £5,884 12s. 3d.

Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company, 17.

Amount of cash in hand: £29 5s. 7d.

Whether in operation or not: In operation.

Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.

Number of shares unallotted: Nil.

December, 1870.

THOMAS BLACK,

489

Manager.

STATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Enterprise Water Race Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 1st December, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company: "Enterprise Water Race Company, Registered."

When formed, and date of registration: 14th September, 1863; 7th February, 1867.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Mount Ida; William Newman.

Nominal capital: £4,800.

Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders: £4,800.

Number of shares in which capital is divided: 16.

Number of shares taken: 16.

Amount of calls made: Nil.

Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: £4,800.

Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company: 16.

Amount of cash in hand: 4s. 6d.

Whether in operation or not: In operation.

Total amount of dividends declared: £127 4s.

Number of shares unallotted: Nil.

December, 1870.

WILLIAM NEWMAN,

490

Manager.

STATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Great Extended Sluicing Company, Registered," for the half-year ended December, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company: "Great Extended Sluicing Company, Registered."
When formed, and date of registration: May, 1866; 13th August, 1866.
Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Blue Spur, Tuapeka; William Cummings.
Nominal capital: £4,000.
Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders: £1,750.
Number of shares in which capital is divided: 400.
Number of shares taken, 350.
Amount of calls made: £1,575.
Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: £3,325.
Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company: 8.
Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
Whether in operation or not: In operation.
Total amount of dividends declared: £568 15s.
Number of shares unallotted: 50.

December, 1870. **WILLIAM CUMMINGS,**
491 **Manager.**

STATEMENT of the Affairs of "Ross United Steam Drainage Company, Registered," for the half-year ending 15th December, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company: "Ross United Steam Drainage Company, Registered."
When formed, and date of registration: 5th June, 1869.
Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Ross, Westland; Francis Burton.
Nominal capital: £6,000.
Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders: Nil.
Number of shares in which capital is divided: 1,200.
Number of shares taken: 1,200.
Amount of calls made: £6,000.
Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: £5,750 16s.
Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company: 228.
Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
In operation or not: In operation.
Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
Number of unallotted shares: Nil.

19th December, 1870. **FRANCIS BURTON,**
492 **Manager.**

STATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Mawhera Quartz Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 15th December, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company: "Mawhera Quartz Mining Company, Registered."
When formed, and date of registration: 27th October, 1869.
Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Moonlight Creek, Nelson; G. W. Moss, Greymouth, Westland.
Nominal capital: 4,200.
Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders: Nil.
Number of shares in which capital is divided: 840.
Number of shares taken: 840.
Amount of calls made: £504.
Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: £478 7s. 10d.
Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company: 6.
Amount of cash in hand: £14 3s. 6d.
Whether in operation or not: Not in operation.
Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
Number of shares unallotted: Nil.

17th December, 1870. **G. Moss,**
493 **Manager.**

STATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Golden Hill Quartz Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 30th November, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company: "Golden Hill Quartz Mining Company, Registered."

When formed, and date of registration: 5th January, 1870.
Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Moonlight Creek, Nelson; G. 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: £255.
Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company: 11.
Amount of cash in hand: £4 0s. 5d.
Whether in operation or not: Not in operation.
Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
Number of shares unallotted: Nil.

17th December, 1870. **G. W. Moss,**
494 **Manager.**

STATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Argus Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 15th December, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company: "The Argus Gold Mining Company, Registered."
When formed, and date of registration: 8th November, 1870; 22nd November, 1870.
Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: New River, Westland; G. W. Moss, Greymouth, Westland.
Nominal capital: £2,400.
Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders: Nil.
Number of shares in which capital is divided: 12.
Number of shares taken: 12.
Amount of calls made: £1,559 18s. 6d.
Total amount of subscribed capital paid-up: £1,439 18s. 6d.
Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company: 12.
Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
Whether in operation or not: In operation.
Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
Number of shares unallotted: Nil.

15th December, 1870. **G. W. Moss,**
495 **Manager.**

STATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Murray Creek Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 1st December, 1870, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company: "The Murray Creek Gold Mining Company, Registered."
When formed, and date of registration: 2nd August, 1870; 8th August, 1870.
Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Murray Creek, Nelson; G. W. Moss, Greymouth, Westland.
Nominal capital: £6,000.
Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders: Nil.
Number of shares in which capital is divided: 1,200.
Number of shares taken: 1,200.
Amount of calls made: £1,500.
Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: £1,200.
Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company: 13.
Amount of cash in hand: 4s.
Whether in operation or not: In operation.
Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
Number of shares unallotted: Nil.

22nd December, 1870. **G. W. Moss,**
496 **Manager.**

I SAMUEL HAMMOND, a Licentiate of the Royal College of Physicians, Edinburgh, 1860; member of the Royal College of Surgeons, England, 1858; Licentiate of the Apothecaries' Society, London, 1858; now residing at the Criterion Hotel, Dunedin, Otago, hereby give notice that it is my intention to apply, on the twentieth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, to the Registrar of Births, Marriages, and Deaths for the district of Dunedin, to be registered as Physician, Surgeon, and Apothecary, in the terms of "The Medical Practitioners Registration Act, 1869"; and I, with this notice, have deposited my diplomas in the office of the said Registrar in Dunedin, for public inspection, this 20th day of December, 1870. 483