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Despatch from Secretary of State for the Colonies.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 30th December, 1873.

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

JOHN BATHGATE,
(in the absence of the Colonial Secretary).

[CIRCULAR.]

Downing Street, 4th March, 1873.

SIR,—I transmit to you, for information in the Colony under your Government, copies of a correspondence between the Foreign Office and this Department respecting the reorganization of the limits of the districts of German Consuls in the Colonies.

I have, &c.,
KIMBERLEY.

The Officer Administering
the Government of New Zealand.

*Lord Enfield to the Under Secretary of State,
Colonial Office.*

Foreign Office, 18th January, 1873.

SIR,—I am directed by Earl Granville to request that you will inform the Earl of Kimberley that the German Ambassador states that his Government has decided to assign definite official districts to the German Consuls in the British Colonies and foreign possessions. The annexed list shows the extensions and new delimitations proposed to be made in the Consular Districts situated in the Colonies. It will be seen that the alterations from the existing arrangements will be considerable, and Lord Granville would be glad to be favoured with the Earl of Kimberley's opinion as to whether it would be desirable, under the circumstances, to issue fresh exequaturs to the Consuls affected by the changes. I am to observe that the German Government is quite ready to issue fresh commissions, if fresh exequaturs should be required.

I have, &c.,
ENFIELD.

The Under Secretary of State,
Colonial Office.

LIST of those Imperial German Consulates in the British Colonies the limits of which have been newly defined.

A. Seat of the Consular Authority.	B. Name and Rank of the Consular Officer.	C. Present Official District.
Gibraltar ...	Ferd. Schott, Consul	The whole British Possession of Gibraltar.
La Valette	H. C. Ferro, Consul	The Island of Malta.
Montreal ...	C. Munderloh, Consul	The Official District is extended over the Western part of the Province of Quebec to Three Rivers, exclusively thereof, as well as over the Eastern Counties of the Province of Ontario to the Counties of Grenville and Carlton inclusively.
Toronto ...	J. A. Simmers, Consul	The Official District is extended over the Province of Ontario exclusively of the part of this Province assigned to the Consulate of Montreal, which consists of the Eastern Counties of Grenville and Carlton inclusively.
Quebec ...	C. Pitt, Consul	The Official District is extended over the Eastern part of the Province of Quebec to Three Rivers inclusively.
Halifax ...	C. A. Creighton, Consul	The Official District is extended over the whole Province of Nova Scotia.
St. John's...	R. H. Prowse, Consul	The Official District is extended over the Port of Harbour Grace.
St. George	W. Musson, Consul	The whole Territory of the Bermuda Islands.
Nassau ...	Th. Williams, Consul	The whole of the Bahama Islands.
Belize ...	B. Cramer, Consul	The whole Province of British Honduras.
Lagos ...	L. Heldbeck, Consul	The Official District is extended over the Settlement of Lagos and Port Novo.
Cape Town	C. S. Poppe, Consul	The Official District is extended over the Western Division of Cape Colony (Cape Division), exclusively of Simons Town District.
Port Eliza- beth	H. Schabbel, Consul	The Eastern Division of Cape Colony (Eastern Districts), with British Kaffraria and the Diamond Fields (New Griqua Land).
Simons Town	P. D. Martin, Vice-Consul	The Simons Town District.
D'Urban ...	G. Dentzelmann, Consul	The whole Colony of Natal.
Penang ...	Alf. Hasche, Consul	The Island of Penang.
Brisbane ...	Arn. Nannizer, Consul	The Official District is extended over the Colony of Queensland.
Melbourne	A. Brahe, Consul	The Official District is extended over the Colony of Victoria.
Adelaide ...	A. Von Treuer, Consul	The Official District is extended over the Colony of South Australia.
Hobart Town	F. Buck, Consul	The Official District is extended over the Colony of Tasmania.

*Mr. Meade to the Under Secretary of State,
Foreign Office.*

Downing Street, 25th January, 1873.

SIR,—I am directed by the Earl of Kimberley to state, for the information of Earl Granville, with

ERRATUM.—In *Gazette* No. 72, dated 18th instant, page 716, resignation of "Captain F. Pavitt, for No. 1 Company, Canterbury Engineer Volunteers," read "No. 2 Company."

reference to your letter of the 18th instant, that his Lordship is of opinion that if the limits of the Consular Districts are defined in the Exequaturs issued to German Consuls, new Exequaturs should be issued.

It will be also desirable to furnish the Governors of the different Colonies interested in these changes with a copy of the new Consular Districts, but Lord Kimberley proposes to delay taking this step until he learns what decision has been arrived at with reference to the issue of new Exequaturs.

I am, &c.,
R. H. MEADE.

The Under Secretary of State,
Foreign Office.

*Lord Enfield to the Under Secretary of State,
Colonial Office.*

Foreign Office, 24th February, 1873.

SIR,—With reference to your letter of the 25th ultimo, respecting the proposed reorganization of the limits of the Districts of the German Consuls in the British Colonies and Possessions, I am directed by Earl Granville to request you to inform the Secretary of State for the Colonies, that as no limits are specifically laid down in the Commissions and Exequaturs with which these Consuls have been furnished, new Exequaturs are unnecessary; but it will be sufficient to notify to the proper authorities, with a view to their being duly recognized, the limits of each Consular District as they are specified in Count Bernstorff's note.

I am accordingly to request that the necessary notifications may be made to the proper authorities; but I am to add that, as fresh appointments are made, the new Commissions and Exequaturs will, in each case, be made to specify the limits actually laid down for the Consular District.

I am, &c.,
ENFIELD.

The Under Secretary of State,
Colonial Office.

Number and Tonnage of Vessels which have passed in and out of the Manukau Harbour.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 29th December, 1873.

THE following letter from His Honor the Superintendent of Auckland, with enclosed statement by the Harbour Master at Manukau, are published for general information.

JOHN BATHGATE,
(in the absence of the Colonial Secretary).

Superintendent's Office,
Auckland, 12th December, 1873.

SIR,—Herewith I have the honor to forward, for the information of the General Government, copy of a statement by the Harbour Master of the Manukau Harbour, showing the number and tonnage of vessels which have passed in and out of that Harbour during the last three years without a single casualty.

I have, &c.,
J. WILLIAMSON,
Superintendent.

The Hon. the Colonial Secretary,
Wellington.

STATEMENT of the Number of Vessels, and Tonnage, in and out of the Manukau, during the last Three Years.

Months of the Year.	Tonnage.			Number of Steamers and Sailing Vessels.
	1871.	1872.	1873.	
January	1,626	1,661	1,695	In 1871, 121 steamers and 95 sailing vessels passed in and out of the Heads.
Feb'y.	1,407	1,988	1,987	
March	1,279	1,711	2,381	
April	1,217	2,618	1,885	In 1872, 112 steamers and 73 sailing vessels passed in and out of the Heads.
May	1,902	2,211	2,050	
June	1,436	1,705	1,702	
July	1,094	1,514	2,492	From 1st January to 8th December, 1873, 102 steamers and 94 sailing vessels passed in and out of the Heads.
August	1,384	1,851	2,238	
Sept.	2,084	1,750	2,006	
October	1,521	2,132	2,365	
Nov.	2,122	1,810	2,618	
Dec.	1,577	1,367	654	
	18,649	22,398	24,063	Total, 65,110 tons.

THOMAS WING,
Harbour Master,
8th December, 1873.

His Honor the Superintendent, Auckland.

Mayors elected.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 30th December, 1873.

IT is hereby notified, that, in conformity with Clause 133 of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1867," the names of the following persons have been sent in to this office by the Town Clerks as having been elected Mayors for the places set opposite their names, viz. :—

GEORGE CLIFF—Timaru.
MICHAEL BRANNAN HART—Christchurch.
PHILIP AARON PHILIPS—Auckland.
JOHN BATHGATE,
(in the absence of the Colonial Secretary).

Appointment of Volunteer Officers.

Colonial Defence Office,
Wellington, 23rd December, 1873.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the under-mentioned promotions and appointments, viz. :—

In the Napier Artillery Volunteers.

Roope Brooking to be Sub-Lieutenant. Date of commission, 21st November, 1873.

In the No. 3 Company, Auckland Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant John McConnell to be Captain. Date of commission, 2nd October, 1873.

In the No. 1 (Royal) Company, Auckland Rifle Volunteers.

Henry George Payne to be Sub-Lieutenant. Date of commission, 8th July, 1873.

In the North Dunedin Rifle Volunteers.

Sub-Lieutenant Frank Pell to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 7th July, 1873.

In the Waikouaiti Rifle Volunteers.

Henry Orbell to be Captain. Date of commission, 3rd April, 1873.

In the Thames Naval Volunteers.

Willoughby Brassey to be Captain. Date of commission, 25th June, 1873.

Thomas Gavin to be Sub-Lieutenant. Date of commission, 25th June, 1873.

In the Auckland Rifle Volunteer Brigade Cadets.

Honorary Sub-Lieutenant Edward Moss to be Honorary Lieutenant. Date of commission, 14th November, 1873.

Arthur Beale to be Honorary Sub-Lieutenant. Date of commission, 14th November, 1873.

JOHN BATHGATE,
(in the absence of Mr. McLean).

Resignation of Militia and Volunteer Officers accepted.

Colonial Defence Office,
Wellington, 23rd December, 1873.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation of the commissions held by the under-mentioned officers, viz. :—

- Captain A. H. Russell, New Zealand Militia.
- Captain J. M. Jamieson, No. 2 (Dunedin Scottish) Company, Otago Rifle Volunteers.
- Lieutenant R. H. Leary, North Dunedin Rifle Volunteers.
- Lieutenant F. J. Gane, Spring Creek Rifle Volunteers.
- Sub-Lieutenant E. D. Butts, Invercargill Artillery Volunteers.

JOHN BATHGATE,
(in the absence of Mr. McLean).

Services of Volunteer Corps accepted.

Colonial Defence Office,
Wellington, 23rd December, 1873.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the services of

The Queenstown Rifle Volunteer Cadet Corps.
Date of acceptance, 18th November, 1873.

JOHN BATHGATE,
(in the absence of Mr. McLean).

Volunteer Corps disbanded.

Colonial Defence Office,
Wellington, 23rd December, 1873.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to disband

The Motueka Rifle Volunteer Cadet Corps.

The under-mentioned gentlemen have therefore ceased to hold the rank of officers, their commissions having, under the provisions of "The Volunteer Act, 1865," lapsed :—

- Mr. Edmund Parker, late Honorary Captain.
- Mr. Wynford Horneman, late Honorary Lieutenant.
- Mr. Solomon Bucholz, late Honorary Sub-Lieutenant.

JOHN BATHGATE,
(in the absence of Mr. McLean).

Auckland Rifle Volunteer Brigade dissolved.

Colonial Defence Office,
Wellington, 23rd December, 1873.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to dissolve

The Auckland Rifle Volunteer Brigade,
consisting of Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4 Companies ;

To discontinue the services of the No. 2 Company at their own request ;

And to make the following alterations in the designations of the Nos. 1, 3, and 4 Companies, viz.,—

- No. 1 Company to be No. 2 (City) Company, Auckland Rifle Volunteers.
- No. 3 Company to be No. 3 Company, Auckland Rifle Volunteers.
- No. 4 Company to be No. 4 Company, Auckland Rifle Volunteers.

The under-mentioned gentlemen will therefore cease to hold the rank of officers in the Brigade, their commissions having, under the provisions of "The Volunteer Act, 1865," lapsed :—

Lieutenant-Colonel W. C. Lyon, late Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major Wm. Gordon, late Major Commanding.

J. H. Hooper, Esq., L.S.A.L., late Surgeon.

Thomas Barnett, Esq., late Captain, No. 2 Company.

JOHN BATHGATE,
(in the absence of Mr. McLean).

Designation of Volunteer Corps changed.

Colonial Defence Office,
Wellington, 23rd December, 1873.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to alter the designation of the No. 1 Company, Auckland Rifle Volunteers, to

The No. 1 (Royal) Company, Auckland Rifle Volunteers.

JOHN BATHGATE,
(in the absence of Mr. McLean).

Money Order Offices.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 24th December, 1873.

THE following Notice, received from the General Post Office, London, is published for general information.

By order,
W. GRAY,
(for the Secretary).

MONEY ORDER OFFICES.
ENGLAND.

On the 1st of October the following alterations will be made, viz.,—

1. Money Order Offices will be opened in London and the Suburbs at—

	Postal District.
Devon's Road, Bromley	E.
Junction Road, Upper Holloway (No. 245) ...	N.
Stoke Newington Road (No. 5)	N.
Walworth Road (No. 388)	S.E.

2. The Offices at Campbell Road, E., Shacklewel Lane, E., and Upper Tachbrook Street, S.W., will be abolished.

3. A Branch Office will be opened at Churton Street, S.W., in place of the present Receiving Office

4. Money Order Offices will be opened in the Country at—

	Head Office.	County.
Burlington Street R.O.	Barrow-in-Furness	Lancaster.
Cockfield ...	Darlington	Durham.
Dagenham ...	Romford	Essex.
Daubhill R.O. ...	Bolton	Lancaster.
Dunsop Bridge ...	Clitheroe	Lancaster.
Dymock ...	Gloucester	Gloucester.
Eaton Bray ...	Dunstable	Bedford.
Enfield Wash ...	Ponder's End	Middlesex.
Felinfoel ...	Llanely	Carmarthen.
Goring ...	Reading	Oxford.
Hanging Ditch R.O.	Manchester	Lancaster.
Iver ...	Uxbridge	Bucks.
Linslade R.O. ...	Leighton Buzzard	Bucks.
Lytchett Matra- vers.	Poole	Hants.
Mountnessing ...	Brentwood	Essex.
Oaken ...	Wolverhampton	Stafford.
Ton-y-pandy ...	Pontypridd	Glamorgan.
Walkley R.O. ...	Sheffield	York.

5. The Money Order Offices at Stretton (Warrington) and Whitewall (Clitheroe) will be abolished.

6. The Railway Sub-Office at Castle Eden Colliery has been reduced to a Sub-Office and is now served from Castle Eden Station R.S.O. (Ferryhill).

SCOTLAND.

7. Money Order Offices will be opened at—

	Head Office.	County.
Eaglesfield	Ecclefechan	Dumfries.
Grahamstown R.O.	Falkirk	Stirling.
Grantshouse	R. S. O.	Berwick.

IRELAND.

8. A Money Order Office will be opened at—

	Head Office.	County.
Barrackton R.O.	Cork	Cork
General Post Office, London, 29th September, 1873.		

Henry Scott, Deceased.

Public Trust Office,
Wellington, 23rd December, 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Will of Henry Scott, formerly of Arapawanui, has been duly accepted by the Board of the Public Trust Office.

J. WOODWARD,
Public Trustee.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

No. 24 of 1873.

Customs Department (Marine Branch),
Wellington, 20th December, 1873.

THE following Notice to Mariners relative to a Lightship on the Timaru Bank, Dunedin Harbour, is published for general information.

JOHN BATHGATE,
(in the absence of Mr. Reynolds).

LIGHTSHIP ON THE TIMARU BANK, DUNEDIN HARBOUR.

NOTICE is hereby given, that, on and after the 1st January, 1874, a Fixed White Light will be exhibited from a Lightship moored on the Timaru Bank, in the Lower Harbour of Dunedin. It will show an unbroken light all round, and may be seen in clear weather five miles.

GEO. TURNBULL,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Dunedin, 25th November, 1873.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

No. 25 of 1873.

Customs Department (Marine Branch),
Wellington, 20th December, 1873.

THE following Notice to Mariners received from the Portmaster, Brisbane, is published for general information.

JOHN BATHGATE,
(in the absence of Mr. Reynolds).

ALTERATIONS IN TIDAL SIGNALS EXHIBITED FROM LIGHTSHIP, BRISBANE BAR.

ON and after the 1st January, 1874, the Tidal Signals now in use at the Lightship will be superseded by the following Code; the Signals being made from the yard-arms of the new Lightship, instead of from a gaff-end as at present:—

Day Signals.

	On Bar. Ft. in.	In Cutting. Ft. in.
Pendant at yard-arm	4 6	11 0
Flag ditto	5 0	11 6
Ditto ditto dipped	5 6	12 0
Ball ditto	6 0	12 6
Ditto ditto dipped	6 6	13 0
Two balls vertical ditto	7 0	13 6
Ditto ditto dipped	7 6	14 0
Ball over flag ditto	8 0	14 6
Ditto ditto dipped	8 6	15 0
Flag over ball ditto	9 0	15 6
Ditto ditto dipped	9 6	16 0
Ball at each yard-arm	10 0	16 6
Ditto ditto dipped	10 6	17 0
Flag at each yard-arm	11 0	17 6
Ditto ditto dipped	11 6	18 0
Ball at one yard-arm and Flag at the other	12 0	18 6

Night Signals.

	On Bar. Ft. in.	In Cutting. Ft. in.
White light	4 6	11 0
Red light	5 0	11 6
Green light	5 6	12 0
Red over white	6 0	12 6
Red under white	6 6	13 0
Green over white	7 0	13 6
Green under white	7 6	14 0
Red over green	8 0	14 6
Red under green	8 6	15 0
Two red lights vertical	9 0	15 6
Two green lights vertical	9 6	16 0
Two red lights horizontal	10 0	16 6
Two green lights horizontal	10 6	17 0
Red and white horizontal	11 0	17 6
Green and white horizontal	11 6	18 0
Red and green horizontal	12 0	18 6

The pendant and flags exhibited during flood tide will be red, and during the ebb tide blue.

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

Department of Ports and Harbours,
Brisbane, 27th November, 1873.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

No. 26 of 1873.

Customs Department (Marine Branch),
Wellington, 29th December, 1873.

THE following Notice to Mariners, received from the President of the Marine Board of New South Wales, is published for general information.

JOHN BATHGATE,
(in the absence of Mr. Reynolds).

DISCOVERY OF A ROCK AWASH IN THE SANTA CRUZ ISLANDS.

LIEUTENANT COMMANDER SUCKLING, of H.M.S. "Reynard," reports the discovery of a rock awash in lat. 10° 40' 45" S., long. 165° 44' E.

The following magnetic bearings were taken from the "Reynard," when the rock bore N. 60° W., 100 yards distant, viz.:—
Centre of Tinakula or Volcano Id., N. 3° W.,
north end of Guerta N. 70° E.

FRANCIS HIXSON,
President.

Office of the Marine Board of New South Wales,
Sydney, 28th November, 1873.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 31st day of January next.

MASTERTON.—Small Farm Settlement, Section "61," 48½ acres.—In occupation of WILLIAM ADAMS, the Applicant.

WELLINGTON.—Reclaimed Land, Allotments Nos. "7" and "8," 35 perches. In occupation of Philip Moeller.—JOHN MARTIN, of Wellington, Merchant, Applicant.

WELLINGTON.—Sections "166" and "189," 2 acres.—In occupation of GEORGE HUNTER, the Applicant. (Hart and Buckley, Solicitors.)

TOWN DISTRICT.—Section "9," 100 acres.—In occupation of GEORGE HUNTER, the Applicant. (Hart and Buckley, Solicitors.)

WELLINGTON.—Section "210," 1 acre.—In occupation of GEORGE HUNTER, the Applicant. (Hart and Buckley, Solicitors.)

WELLINGTON.—Part Section "209," 1 rood 37 perches. Bounded—North-east, 122 feet 9 inches by Lambton Harbour; South-east, 42 feet 10½ inches by other part of Section "209," and 119 feet 5½ inches and 154 feet 5½ inches by Cornhill, other part of same section; on the South-west, 7 feet 11 inches and 25 feet 1 inch by Cornhill aforesaid, and 9 feet 6 inches by other part of same section, and 38 feet 4 inches by Manners Street; on the North-west, 30 feet by other part of Section "209," and 299 feet 6 inches by Section "208."—In occupation of GEORGE HUNTER, the Applicant. (Hart and Buckley, Solicitors.)

TOWNSHIP OF FEATHERSTON.—Section "258," 200 acres.—In occupation of STEPHEN CARKEEK, the Applicant. (C. B. IZARD, Solicitor.)

WELLINGTON.—Part Section "739," 2 roods 12 perches. Bounded—North, 400 links, by other part of "739;" East, 145 links, by Section "740;" South, 400 links, by Drummond Street; West, 145 links, by Tasman Street. Unoccupied.—WILLIAM FREDERICK PARSONS, of Wellington, Builder, Applicant.

WELLINGTON.—Part Section "141," 19 perches. Bounded—North, 146 feet, and South 146 feet, by other parts of Section "141;" West, 37 feet 3 inches, by other part of Section "141;" and East, 37 feet 3 inches, by Willis Street; the southern boundary whereof runs parallel with and distant 76 feet 6 inches from Ingestre Street. In occupation of Bertie Willoughby.—WILLIAM FREDERICK PARSONS aforesaid, Applicant.

WELLINGTON.—Part Section "183," 14 perches. Bounded—North, 53 links, and East, 171¼ links, by other parts of Section "183;" South, 53 links by Ghuznee Street; and West, 171¼ links, by a roadway, also other part of Section "183;" the eastern boundary running parallel with and distant 53 links from Section "185."—In occupation of JOHN VALENTINE, the Applicant. (Hart and Buckley, Solicitors.)

WELLINGTON.—Part Section "134," 10 perches. Bounded—North 58 feet, North-west 37 feet, West, 18 feet; and South 92 feet, by other parts of Section "134;" East, 33 feet, by Taranaki Street; the southern boundary whereof runs parallel with and distant 99 feet from Section "133." In occupation of Septimus de Leon.—THOMAS JOHN MOUNTAIN, of Wellington, Storekeeper, Applicant.

WELLINGTON.—Reclaimed land. Part Allotment "1," 10 perches. Bounded—North, 150 feet,

by other part of Allotment 1; South, 150 feet by the Sewer Reserve; West, 20 feet, by Willis Street; and East, 20 feet, by Lambton Harbour.—In occupation of JAMES FARMER, the Applicant.

WELLINGTON.—Part Section "465," 3 roods 20 perches. Bounded—North, 500 links, by Section "466;" East, 153 links, by Wellington Terrace, and 47 links by other part of "465;" South, 265 links, by other part of Section "465," and 235 links by Section "464;" and West, 200 links, by the Town Belt.—In occupation of THOMAS KEMMIS WARBURTON, the Applicant.

WELLINGTON.—Part Section "141," 21 perches. Bounded—North, 146 feet, and West, 39 feet 3 inches, by other part of Section "141;" East, 39 feet 3 inches, by Willis Street; and South, 146 feet, by Ingestre Street.—In occupation of ANDREW YOUNG, the Applicant.

WELLINGTON.—Part Section "178," 34 perches. Bounded—North, 241 links, by other part of Section "178;" South, 241 links, by Section "177;" East, 90 links, by Cuba Street; and West, 90 links by Section "176."—In occupation of EDWARD DIXON, the Applicant.

WELLINGTON.—Part Section "72," 25 perches. Bounded—North, 159 links, by Section "73;" South, 159 links, by a road, other part of Section "72;" West, 98 links, by other part of Section "72;" and East, 98 links, by Hopper Street.—In occupation of HENRY JOHN PILCHER, the Applicant.

WELLINGTON.—Part Section "223," 10 perches. Bounded—North, 30 feet, by Lambton Harbour; East, 100 feet, and West, 100 feet, by other part of Section "223;" and South, 30 feet, by Grainger Street, other part of Section "223;" the western boundary whereof runs parallel with and distant 20 feet from Section "222."—In occupation of JOHN BOYCE, the Applicant.

SETTLEMENT OF MASTERTON.—Section "117," 8 acres 6 perches.—In occupation of JOHN MORRIS, the Applicant. (B. Smith, Broker.)

GREYTOWN.—Town Section "54," 1 acre. In occupation of Joseph Warrington, Lessee.—GEORGE HUNTER, of Wellington, Merchant, Applicant. (Hart and Buckley, Solicitors.)

WELLINGTON.—Section "444," 1 acre.—In occupation of GEORGE HUNTER, the Applicant. (Hart and Buckley, Solicitors.)

WELLINGTON.—Part Section "625," 1 rood 8 perches. Bounded—North-east, 100 feet 3 inches, by Section "626;" South-east, 132 feet, by other part of Section "625;" South-west, 100 feet 2 inches, by Section "624;" and North-west, 132 feet, by Grant Road.—In occupation of JOHN DAVIES, the Applicant. (B. Smith, Broker.)

WELLINGTON.—Parts Sections "540" and "541," 22 perches. Bounded—North, 147 feet; West, 43 feet; and South, 112 feet 4 inches, by other parts of Section 541, and 29 feet 8 inches by Section "540;" East, 40 feet, by Thorndon Quay. Unoccupied.—MICHAEL MAHER, of Wadestown, Farmer, Applicant. (Hart and Buckley, Solicitors.)

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 23rd day of December, 1873, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

E. STAFFORD,

Deputy District Land Registrar.

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LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the parcel of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," unless caveat in the meantime be lodged forbidding the same.

Part of Section 16 (sixteen), Block 59 (fifty-nine), Town of Invercargill.—Applicant, ROBERT SMITH, of Grahamstown, in the Province of Auckland, Store-keeper.

Caveat must be lodged within one calendar month after the gazetting of this notice.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 20th day of December, 1873, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

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W. RUSSELL,
District Land Registrar.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the parcel of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," unless caveat in the meantime be lodged forbidding the same.

Section 198, Revell Street, Hokitika, Province of Westland.—Applicant, DUNCAN MACFARLANE, of Hokitika, Miner.

Caveat may be lodged at this office within one calendar month after the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 12th day of December, 1873, at the Lands Registry Office, Hokitika.

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J. M. BATHAM,
District Land Registrar.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," unless caveat in the meantime be lodged forbidding the same.

THOMAS STOKES.—122 acres 3 roods 8 perches, Rural Section 9185, and parts of 10026 and 13717, Lincoln District. (John Lewis, Broker.) 1094.

JOHN WILLIAM WHITE.—1 rood, part of Rural Section 1541, Timaru District; commencing at a point on western boundary of section 483 links from its north-western corner; thence southerly along said boundary 100 links, and extending easterly therefrom in a rectangular block 250 links. (J. W. White, Solicitor.) 1116.

THOMAS WILLIAMSON HALL.—10 acres 3 roods 27 perches, parts of Rural Sections 1297 and 1701, Timaru District, adjoining each other, and having a frontage of 1218 links to a road through Section 1297 of 1105 links to Main South Road, and of 855 links to Foster Street, reserved out of Section 1701. (J. W. White, Solicitor.) 1151.

HENRY PANNETT.—49 acres, Rural Section 2725, Lincoln District. (Duncan and Jameson, Solicitors.) 1161.

WILLIAM ATTWOOD.—33 acres, Rural Section 34, Christchurch District, excepting thereout the portions thereof conveyed to the Bishop of New Zealand and Samuel Stuckey. (Charles Clark, Broker.) 1288.

JANE DICKY.—16 perches, part of Lot 134, Christchurch Town Reserve; commencing at a point on western boundary of lot 51 feet south from its north-western corner; thence south along same boundary 52 feet 10 inches, and extending easterly therefrom in a rectangular block 82½ feet. (J. C. Helmore, Solicitor.) 1303.

CHARLES CLARK, as Attorney for Fanny Howes and Henry Howes.—48 acres 2 roods 13

perches.—Rural Section 89, Christchurch District, excepting thereout that portion thereof occupied by the Lyttelton and Christchurch Railway. (W. H. Wynn Williams, Solicitor) 1314.

Caveat in each case must be lodged within one calendar month after publication of this notice.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 24th day of December, 1873, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

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JOSHUA STRANGE WILLIAMS,
District Land Registrar.

* MUTUAL MINING INVESTMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders in the above Company, held 18th December, 1873; a Resolution was passed to the effect that the affairs of the Company had been fairly wound-up.

CARTWRIGHT AND SON,
Liquidators.

Shortland Street, Auckland,
19th December, 1873.

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STATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Golden Crown Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 30th November, 1873, in accordance with section 135 of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872."

Name of Company: "The Golden Crown Gold Mining Company, Registered."
When formed, and date of registration: 18th March, 1869; 1st April, 1869.

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

Nominal capital: £96,000.

Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders: £96,000.

Number of shares in which capital is divided: 9,600.

Number of shares taken: 9,600.

Amount of calls made: Nil.

Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: Nil.

Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company: 14.

Amount of cash in hand: £848 9s. 4d.

Whether in operation or not: In operation.

Total amount of dividends declared: £125,368.

Number of shares unallotted: Nil.

16th December, 1873.

CHARLES TOTHILL,
Manager.

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STATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Caledonian Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ending 30th November, 1873, in accordance with section 135 of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872."

Name of Company: "The Caledonian Gold Mining Company, Registered."

When formed, and date of registration: 5th August, 1868; 14th October, 1868.

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

Nominal capital: £34,329.

Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders: £34,340.

Number of shares in which capital is divided: 2,860.

Number of shares taken: 2,860.

Amount of calls made: Nil.

Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: £30,960.

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

Amount of cash in hand: £1,031 9s. 4d.

Whether in operation or not: In operation.

Total amount of dividends declared: £584,370.

Number of shares unallotted: Nil.

16th December, 1873.

CHARLES TOTHILL,
Manager.

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