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Declaring Districts under "Native Land Act, 1873."

JAMES FERGUSSON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eighteenth day of February, 1874.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Native Land Act, 1873," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council from time to time to divide the Colony into districts for the purposes set forth in the said Act, and the limits of such districts from time to time to alter as occasion may require:

Now therefore I, Sir James Fergusson, Baronet, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Colony, and in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the said in part recited Act, do hereby order and declare that the Colony shall be divided into districts for the purposes of the said Act, as such are respectively defined in the Schedule hereunder written.

DONALD McLEAN.

FORSTER GOBING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

SCHEDULE.

NORTHERN.

THIS district comprises all that portion of the North Island which lies to the northward of a right line drawn from Rocky Bay to the mouth of the Koatu River, together with the adjacent islands.

KAIPARA.

This district is bounded towards the North by the Northern District; towards the East by the sea to the Tamaki Portage; thence by the said portage to Manukau Harbour; thence towards the South by that harbour; and towards the South-west by the sea; together with Mokohinou, Hen and Chickens, Little Barrier, Kawau, Kaitu, Motuhora, Orwaikē, Tiritiri Matangi, and other adjacent islands.

WAIKATO.

This district is bounded towards the North and East by Manukau Harbour, Tamaki Portage, Tamaki Strait, and the Frith of Thames from Manukau Heads to Pukorokoro; thence by the eastern boundary of

the Waikato confiscated lands by Hapuakohe and Pukemoremore to Opuahau; thence towards the South-east, South, and West by the boundaries of the said confiscated lands to Whaingaroa Harbour; thence towards the South and South-west by that harbour and the sea to Manukau Harbour; together with Waiheke, Ponui, Taylor's, Motuihi, Motutapu, Rangitoto, and other adjacent islands.

THAMES.

This district is bounded towards the North and West by the Frith of the Thames and the Hauraki Gulf from Pukorokoro to Cape Colville; thence towards the North-east and East by the sea to Ngakuri-a-whare; thence towards the South-east by a right line to the summit of Te Aroha Mountain; thence again towards the East by the summit of the watershed of Tauranga Harbour to a point near Wairere; thence again towards the South-east by a right line through Wairere to Opuahau; and thence again towards the West by the Waikato District to Pukorokoro, the commencing point; together with the Great Barrier and its adjacent islands, Mercury, Alderman, and other adjacent islands, but excepting Mayor Island.

BAY OF PLENTY.

This district is bounded towards the North-east by the summit of the watershed of Tauranga Harbour from Wairere to Otane Wainuku; thence towards the North-west by a right line to Otara, and thence by a right line to Wairakei; thence towards the North-east by the Bay of Plenty to Matata; thence towards the East by the Te Awa-o-te-Atua, Rangitaiki, and Whirinaki Rivers to the most southerly source of the latter, thence by a right line to the summit of Tiwatawata Mountain, and thence by a right line to the point where the Waipunga River intersects the southern boundary of the Province of Auckland; thence on the South by that boundary to the Wanganui River; thence again towards the North-west by a right line to the summit of Titiraupenga Mountain, thence by a right line to Te Niho-o-te-Kiore on the Waikato River; thence towards the South-west by the Waikato River to the south-east boundary of the Waikato District; and thence again towards the North-west by the Waikato and Thames Districts to the commencing point near Wairere; inclusive of Plate Island.

OPOTIKI.

This district is bounded towards the North by the

Bay of Plenty from Matata to Cape Runaway; towards the South-east by a right line to the most southerly source of the Opotiki River; towards the South by a right line to the junction of the Rangataiki and Whirinaki Rivers; and towards the West by the Bay of Plenty District; together with Whale, White, and other adjacent islands.

HAWKE'S BAY.

This district is bounded towards the North and East by the sea from Cape Runaway to the southern boundary of the Province of Hawke's Bay; thence towards the South-west by a right line to the south-western corner of the Bay of Plenty District; thence towards the North and West by the boundaries of the Bay of Plenty and Opotiki Districts to the commencing point; together with the adjacent islands.

TARANAKI.

This district comprises all that portion of the Province of Taranaki which lies to the southward of a right line drawn from Paranihinihi to the south-western corner of the Bay of Plenty District.

WHANGANUI.

This district is bounded towards the North-west by the Taranaki District from the mouth of the Patea River to the south-west corner of the Bay of Plenty District; towards the North-east by the Hawke's Bay District; and towards the South by a right line from the southern corner of the Hawke's Bay District to the mouth of the Turakina River, and by the sea to the mouth of the Patea River, the commencing point.

WELLINGTON.

This District comprises all that portion of the North Island which lies to the southward of the Whanganui District; together with Kapiti, Mana, and other adjacent islands.

SOUTHERN.

This district comprises the Middle Island, its adjacent islands; together with Stewart's Island and its adjacent islands.

Delegation under "The Prisons Act, 1873," to Superintendent of Taranaki.

JAMES FERGUSON, Governor.

WHEREAS by the fifty-first section of "The Prisons Act, 1873," it is enacted that the Governor in Council may, under his hand and the Public Seal of the Colony, from time to time delegate to the Superintendent of any Province the powers by the forty-seventh and fiftieth sections of the said Act vested in the Governor, to be exercised within such Province and not elsewhere, and may from time to time in like manner rescind any such delegation: Now therefore, I, Sir James Fergusson, Baronet, the Governor of the said Colony, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the said in part recited Act, do hereby, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, delegate unto

FREDERIC ALONZO CARRINGTON, Esq.,

as Superintendent of the Province of Taranaki, all the powers vested in me by the forty-seventh and fiftieth sections of the said Act, to be exercised within such Province and not elsewhere.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honorable Sir James Fergusson, Baronet, a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council, 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 eighteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

Approved in Council.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

The Limits of South Port.

JAMES FERGUSON, Governor.

IN exercise of the power in me for this purpose vested by "The Customs Regulation Act, 1858," I, Sir James Fergusson, Baronet, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint that on and from the day of the date hereof, there shall be within the Province of Otago, a Port, to be called

SOUTH PORT,

the limits whereof shall be as follows:—The South or Stewart Island, with all the navigable waters included therein, and extending to one league from the coast thereof.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honorable Sir James Fergusson, Baronet, a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same, at Dunedin, this tenth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

WILLIAM H. REYNOLDS.

Governor's Order, No. 110.]

Name and Address of General Manager of Railways registered.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 14th February, 1874.

IT is hereby notified for public information, that, in accordance with the provisions of "The Railways Regulation and Inspection Act, 1873," the name and address of the person mentioned in the first column of the Schedule hereto have been registered in the Office of the Colonial Secretary, at Wellington, for the railway mentioned in the second column of the said Schedule, and set opposite such name.

Dated at Wellington, this 14th day of February, 1874.

WILLIAM H. REYNOLDS,
(in absence of the Colonial Secretary).

SCHEDULE.

Name and Address of General Manager.	Name of Railway.
James Richard Davies, Barrack Square, Auckland.	Auckland and Onehunga Branch Railway.

Bonus offered for production of Kerosene.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 13th February, 1874.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Bonus will be paid for the production of Kerosene under the following conditions:—

A bonus of sixpence per gallon will be paid on

Kerosene produced within the Colony to an extent not exceeding 50,000 gallons, on quantities of not less than 10,000 gallons at a time; the Kerosene to be of a quality approved of by Government, and to be sold at a fair average market price.

Notice of intention to claim this bonus must be given to the Colonial Secretary on or before the 31st December, 1874.

WILLIAM H. REYNOLDS.

Public Vaccinators appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 17th February, 1874.

IT is hereby notified for public information, that, under the provisions of "The Public Health Act, 1872," His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned gentlemen to be Public Vaccinators, to perform gratuitous vaccination in accordance with the provisions of the said Act, and any Regulations made or to be made thereunder, for the several Districts mentioned in the Schedule hereto, and set opposite their names therein.

WILLIAM H. REYNOLDS,
(in absence of the Colonial Secretary).

SCHEDULE.

Province of Wellington,—Julius Decimus Tripe, Wangaehu.
Province of Canterbury,—John Charles Crozier Durham, Akaroa.
Province of Westland,—Jacob Selig Caro, Wai-mea, Westland.
Province of Otago,—Ebenezer Halley, Lawrence.

Provincial Auditor, Wellington, appointed.

Treasury,
Wellington, 19th February, 1874.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to remove

WILLIAM DORSET, Esq.,
from the office of Auditor of the Public Accounts of the Province of Wellington, and to appoint

BENJAMIN SMITH, Esq.,
to that office.

WILLIAM H. REYNOLDS,
(in absence of the Colonial Treasurer).

Appointment of Chief Judge, Native Land Court, under "Native Land Act, 1873."

Native Office,
Wellington, 18th February, 1874.

HIS Excellency the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint

FRANCIS DART FENTON, Esq.,
to be Chief Judge of the Native Land Court of New Zealand. This appointment to date from the 1st day of January, 1874.

DONALD McLEAN.

Appointment of Judges under "Native Land Act, 1873."

Native Office,
Wellington, 18th February, 1874.

HIS Excellency the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint

FREDERICK EDWARD MANING, Esq.,
JOHN ROGAN, Esq.,

THOMAS HENRY SMITH, Esq., and
HENRY ALFRED HORNE MONRO, Esq.,
to be Judges of the Native Land Court of New Zealand. These appointments to date from 1st January, 1874.

DONALD McLEAN.

Appointment of Assessors under "The Native Land Act, 1873."

Native Office,
Wellington, 18th February, 1874.

HIS Excellency the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint

WIREMU TE METE HIKAIRO,
HORI TE WHETUKI, and
ENOKA TE WHANAKE,

to be Assessors of the Native Land Court of New Zealand. These appointments to date from the 1st day of January, 1874.

DONALD McLEAN.

Appointments of District Officers under "The Native Land Act, 1873."

Native Office,
Wellington, 18th February, 1874.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the following persons to be District Officers under "The Native Land Act, 1873," for the Districts set opposite their names:—

EDWARD WALTER PUCKEY, Esq.,—Thames.
CHARLES MARSHALL, Esq.,—Waikato.
Captain GILBERT MAIR,—Bay of Plenty.
SAMUEL LOCKE, Esq.,—Hawke's Bay.
JAMES BOOTH, Esq.,—Wellington.
ALEXANDER MACKAY, Esq.,—South District.

DONALD McLEAN.

Post Office closed.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 11th February, 1874.

IT is hereby notified for general information, that the Post Office at

HOROKIWI,
in the Province of Wellington, has been closed.

JULIUS VOGEL.

Immigration Officer appointed.

Immigration Office,
Wellington, 12th February, 1874.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the under-mentioned appointment:—

CHARLES ELLIOTT, Esq.,
to be Immigration Officer at Nelson, *vice* Alfred Greenfield, Esq., resigned.

C. E. HAUGHTON,
Under Secretary, Immigration.

Member of Immigration Commission appointed.

Immigration Office,
Wellington, 12th February, 1874.

IT is hereby notified for general information, that

CHARLES ELLIOTT, Esq.,
has been appointed a Member of the Commission to inspect and report upon the State and Condition of Immigrants and Emigrant Ships upon their arrival at the Port of Nelson, *vice* Alfred Greenfield, Esq., resigned.

C. E. HAUGHTON,
Under Secretary, Immigration.

Clerk, Immigration Office, appointed.

Immigration Office,
Wellington, 12th February, 1874.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the under-mentioned appointment in the Immigration Department, Head Office, Wellington:—

ROBERT FRANCIS LYNCH, Esq.,
to be Clerk. Appointment to date from 26th April, 1873.

C. E. HAUGHTON,
Under Secretary, Immigration.

Notification of Resignation of Seat in the House of Representatives for the Electoral District of Franklin.

IN compliance with the provisions of the 13th section of "The Regulation of Elections Act, 1870," I hereby notify that ARCHIBALD CLARK, Esquire, resigned his seat in the House of Representatives for the Electoral District of Franklin on the 2nd day of February, 1874; and that the said seat is vacant by reason of such resignation.

Dated at Shag Valley, the 14th day of February, 1874.

F. D. BELL,
Speaker.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

No. 3 of 1874.

Customs Department (Marine Branch),
Wellington, 14th February, 1874.

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

WILLIAM H. REYNOLDS.

HULK AT GLENELG.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on and after Thursday, the 29th January, 1874, a Hulk will be moored in 6½ fathoms at low water, 1¼ mile west of Glenelg Jetty.

Two bright lights, vertical, 3 feet apart, will be exhibited from sunset to sunrise.

R. H. FERGUSON,
President, Marine Board.
Marine Board Office, Port Adelaide,
24th January, 1874.

Tenders for Additions to Public Works Offices.

Public Works Offices,
(Colonial Architect's Branch),
Wellington, 12th February, 1874.

TENDERS are invited for Additions to the Public Works Offices, Wellington.

General conditions, specifications, and drawings may be seen at the Offices of the Colonial Architect, Wellington.

Tenders addressed to the Hon. the Minister for Public Works, and marked outside "Tender for Additions to Public Works Offices," will be received at the office of the undersigned up to noon of Monday, the 23rd day of February, 1874.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. H. CLAYTON,
Colonial Architect.

Tenders for Post and Telegraph Office.

Public Works Offices,
(Colonial Architect's Branch),
Wellington, 12th February, 1874.

TENDERS are invited for the erection of a Post and Telegraph Office at Roxburgh, in the Province of Otago.

General conditions, specifications, and drawings may be seen at the Offices of the Colonial Architect, Wellington, and at the Post Office, Roxburgh.

Tenders addressed to the Hon. the Minister for Public Works, and marked outside "Tender for Post Office," will be received at the office of the undersigned up to noon of Thursday, the 5th day of March, 1874.

Telegraphic tenders will be received, provided the original tender and deposit are lodged with the nearest District Engineer at the time specified above.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. H. CLAYTON,
Colonial Architect.

I JOHN STEPHENSON SMITH, a Commissioner duly appointed, by virtue of an Ordinance, No. 15, Session XI, of the Legislative Council of the Islands of New Zealand, to hear and decide Claims to Land by persons claiming title thereto from, through, or under the New Zealand Company, report that the Claims of the persons whose names appear in the Schedule hereto, having been duly referred to me for investigation, I do hereby decide that the said persons are respectively entitled to Crown Grants of the land set against their names in the annexed Schedule.

Land Office, Taranaki, 4th February, 1874.

J. STEPHENSON SMITH,
Commissioner of Land Claims.

SCHEDULE.

No. of Report.	No. of Claim.	Name of Claimant.	Commissioner's Decision.
1144	1478	Edward John Sartoris ...	Entitled to a grant of Town Allotment No. 703, Town of New Plymouth.
1145	1479	Ditto	Entitled to a grant of Town Allotment No. 980, Town of New Plymouth.
1146	1480	Ditto	Entitled to a grant of Town Allotment No. 1397, Town of New Plymouth.
1147	1481	Ditto	Entitled to a grant of Town Allotment No. 1451, Town of New Plymouth.
1148	1482	Ditto	Entitled to a grant of Town Allotment No. 1485, Town of New Plymouth.

No. of Report.	No. of Claim.	Name of Claimant.	Commissioner's Decision.
1149	1483	Edward John Sartoris ...	Entitled to a grant of Town Allotment No. 1192, Town of New Plymouth.
1150	1484	Ditto	Entitled to a grant of Town Allotment No. 1264, Town of New Plymouth.
1151	1485	Ditto	Entitled to a grant of Town Allotment No. 1663, Town of New Plymouth.
1152	1488	Ditto	Entitled to a grant of Town Allotment No. 125, Town of New Plymouth.
1153	1489	Ditto	Entitled to a grant of Town Allotment No. 674, Town of New Plymouth.
1154	1491	Ditto	Entitled to a grant of Town Allotment No. 1449, Town of New Plymouth.
1155	1490	Ditto	Entitled to a grant of Town Allotment No. 1392, Town of New Plymouth.
1156	1492	Ditto	Entitled to a grant of Town Allotment No. 1508, Town of New Plymouth.
1157	1493	Ditto	Entitled to a grant of Town Allotment No. 1509, Town of New Plymouth.
1158	1494	Ditto	Entitled to a grant of Town Allotment No. 2153, Town of New Plymouth.
1159	1495	Ditto	Entitled to a grant of Town Allotment No. 1242, Town of New Plymouth.
1160	1496	Ditto	Entitled to a grant of Town Allotment No. 1243, Town of New Plymouth.
1161	1497	Ditto	Entitled to a grant of Town Allotment No. 1858, Town of New Plymouth.
1162	1498	Ditto	Entitled to a grant of Town Allotment No. 1690, Town of New Plymouth.
1163	1475	William Henwood ...	Entitled to a grant of Town Allotment No. 642, Town of New Plymouth.
1164	1462	William Spurdle	Entitled to a grant of part of Town Allotment No. 895, Town of New Plymouth, 10 perches.
1165	1461	John Perry	Entitled to a grant of part of Town Allotment No. 895, Town of New Plymouth, 29 perches.
1166	1474	Frederick Wm. Remnant	Entitled to a grant of Town Allotment No. 1454, Town of New Plymouth.

BY virtue of the fifteenth clause of the New Zealand Company's Land Claimants Ordinance, Session XI, No. 15, I do hereby report that it is expedient that the legal estate in the Lands specified in the following Schedule, and comprised in Reports on Claims made on the 4th February, 1874, should be deemed to have been in the Claimants thereto respectively from and after the date placed opposite to the descriptions of the lands respectively.

Land Claims Office, Taranaki, 4th February, 1874.

J. STEPHENSON SMITH,
Commissioner of Land Claims.

SCHEDULE.

No. of Report.	Name of Claimant.	Description of Land claimed.	Date of Legal Estate.
1144	Edward John Sartoris ...	Town Allotment No. 703, Town of New Plymouth	31 December, 1861.
1145	Ditto	Ditto 980, "	"
1146	Ditto	Ditto 1397, "	"
1147	Ditto	Ditto 1451, "	"
1148	Ditto	Ditto 1485, "	"
1149	Ditto	Ditto 1192, "	"
1150	Ditto	Ditto 1264, "	"
1151	Ditto	Ditto 1663, "	"
1152	Ditto	Ditto 125, "	"
1153	Ditto	Ditto 674, "	"
1154	Ditto	Ditto 1449, "	"
1155	Ditto	Ditto 1392, "	"
1156	Ditto	Ditto 1508, "	"
1157	Ditto	Ditto 1509, "	"
1158	Ditto	Ditto 2153, "	"
1159	Ditto	Ditto 1242, "	"
1160	Ditto	Ditto 1243, "	"
1161	Ditto	Ditto 1858, "	"
1162	Ditto	Ditto 1690, "	"
1163	William Henwood ...	Ditto 642, "	"
1164	William Spurdle ...	Part of ditto 895, "	"
1165	John Perry	Ditto 895, "	"
1166	Frederick Wm. Remnant	Town Allotment No. 1454, "	"

STATEMENT of the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of New Zealand, in the Colony, during the Quarter ended 29th September, 1873.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in Circulation	...	374,688	7	1
Bills in Circulation	...	25,041	19	6
Balances due to other Banks	...	4,042	0	3
Government Deposits	...	989,337	10	3
Other Deposits—				
Not bearing Interest	...	1,225,735	13	3
Bearing Interest	...	486,735	11	5
Total average Liabilities		£3,105,581	1	9

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metal	...	473,588	5	6
Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars	...	168,773	19	7
Notes and Bills of other Banks	...	8,386	3	11
Balances due from other Banks	...	33,343	11	5
Landed Property	...	23,691	5	3
Amount of all other Securities—				
1. Notes and Bills Discounted	...	922,545	3	0
2. Colonial Government Securities	...	157,600	0	0
3. Other Funded Securities	...			
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad)	...	1,389,181	17	8
5. Securities not included under the above heads	...	315,359	11	1
Total average Assets		£3,492,474	17	5

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ended 29th September, 1873, £600,000.

Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders, equal to 12½ per cent. per annum.

Amount of the last Dividend declared, £37,500.

Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend, £226,154 3s. 6d.

Dated at Auckland, this 30th day of October, 1873.

D. L. MURDOCH, Inspector.
FREDK. BATTLE, Inspector's Accountant.

STATEMENT of the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the Union Bank of Australia, within the Colony of New Zealand, during the Quarter ended 29th September, 1873.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in Circulation	...	122,915	6	6
Bills in Circulation	...	10,758	19	11
Balances due to other Banks	...	68	16	3
Government Deposits	...	268	1	6
Other Deposits—				
Not bearing Interest	...	539,592	3	1
Bearing Interest	...	382,251	13	4
Total average Liabilities		£1,055,855	0	7

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metals	...	335,498	16	7
Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars	...	19,345	5	5
Notes and Bills of other Banks	...	1,918	11	6
Balances due from other Banks	...	11,635	9	9
Landed Property	...	45,000	0	0
Amount of all other Securities—				
1. Notes and Bills Discounted	...	405,200	1	2
2. Colonial Government Securities	...			
3. Other Funded Securities	...			
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad)	...	598,655	14	0
5. Securities not included under the above heads	...	11,099	14	10
Total average Assets		£1,428,353	13	3

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ended 29th September, 1873, £1,250,000.

Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders, 13 per cent. per annum.

Amount of the last Dividend declared, £81,250.

Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend, £488,550 12s. 8d.

Dated at Wellington, this 13th day of October, 1873.

A. JACKSON, Manager.
WM. JAMIESON, Accountant.

STATEMENT of the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of New South Wales, in New Zealand, during the Quarter ended 30th September, 1873.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in Circulation	...	108,861	11	6
Bills in Circulation	...	1,522	7	7
Balances due to other Banks	...	9,829	7	0
Government Deposits	...			
Other Deposits—				
Not bearing Interest	...	292,373	6	10
Bearing Interest	...	281,041	17	5
Total average Liabilities		£693,628	10	4

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metal	...	265,891	9	5
Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars	...	45,268	18	11
Notes and Bills of other Banks	...	1,503	18	3
Balances due from other Banks	...	12,269	15	9
Landed Property	...	22,196	14	7
Amount of all other Securities—				
1. Notes and Bills Discounted	...	361,005	0	1
2. Colonial Government Securities	...			
3. Other Funded Securities	...			
4. Debts due to Bank (exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad)	...	407,231	11	7
5. Securities not included under the above heads	...	129,846	16	4
Total average Assets		£1,245,214	4	11

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ended 30th September, 1873, £1,000,000.

Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders, 15 per cent. per annum.

Amount of last Dividend declared, £75,000.

Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend, £336,308 8s.

Dated at Wellington, this 20th day of October, 1873.

EDWD. MILLER, Manager.
A. WARBURTON, p. Accountant.

GENERAL Abstract showing the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of Australasia, within the Colony of New Zealand, taken from the several Weekly Statements during the Quarter from the 1st July to 30th September, 1873.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in Circulation	...	36,616	16	11
Bills in Circulation	...	2,577	9	1
Balances due to other Banks	...			
Government Accounts	...	638	8	4
Deposits—				
Not bearing Interest	...	123,047	6	6
Bearing Interest	...	79,337	17	2
Total amount of Liabilities		£242,217	18	0

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined Gold and Silver and other coined Metals	...	68,769	10	6
Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars	...	3,546	11	5
Landed Property	...	31,221	0	0
Notes and Bills of other Banks	...	320	6	1
Balances due from other Banks	...			
Amount of all other Securities—				
1. Notes and Bills Discounted	...	808,063	15	0
2. Colonial Government Securities	...			
3. Other Funded Securities	...			
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad)	...	105,782	14	11
5. Securities not included under the above heads	...	6,060	17	7
Total amount of Assets		£523,764	15	6

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at this date, £1,200,000.

Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders, 10 per cent. per annum.

Amount of the last Dividend declared, £60,000.

Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend, £330,908 10s. 7d.

Dated at Wellington, this 4th day of November, 1873.

THOS. BUCHANAN, Manager.
H. DAVIS, Accountant.

STATEMENT of the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of Otago, Limited, at Dunedin, during the Quarter ended 30th September, 1873.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in Circulation	...	53,983	0	0
Bills in Circulation	...	...	...	...
Balances due to other Banks	...	...	...	...
Government Deposits	...	...	...	...
Other Deposits—				
Not bearing Interest	...	2,464	5	3
Bearing Interest	...	...	...	...
Total average Liabilities		£56,447	5	3

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metal, held by National Bank of New Zealand (Limited), to redeem Notes in circulation, as <i>per contra</i>	...	53,983	0	0
Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars	...	4,492	5	8
Notes and Bills of other Banks	...	...	...	...
Balances due from other Banks	...	190,442	17	11
Landed Property	...	...	...	...
Amount of all other Securities—				
1. Notes and Bills Discounted	...	...	...	...
2. Colonial Government Securities	...	...	...	...
3. Other Funded Securities	...	...	...	...
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad)	...	41,820	19	0
5. Securities not included under the above heads	...	...	...	...
Total average Assets		£290,739	2	7

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ended 30th September, 1873, £231,626 12s.
 Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders, 2 per cent. per annum.
 Amount of the last Dividend declared, £4,650 8s.
 Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend, £219 17s. 4d.
 Dated at Dunedin, this 27th day of October, 1873.
 W. J. M. LARNACH, Chief Colonial Manager.
 WILLIAM CARGILL, p. Accountant.

STATEMENT of the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the National Bank of New Zealand, Limited, within the Colony, during the Quarter ended 30th September, 1873.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in Circulation	...	4,373	13	10
Bills in Circulation	...	739	0	11
Balances due to other Banks	...	155,387	6	2
Government Deposits	...	...	...	...
Other Deposits—				
Not bearing Interest	...	248,569	10	8
Bearing Interest	...	182,549	7	9
Total average Liabilities		£591,618	19	4

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metal	...	177,068	0	9
Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars	...	11,552	19	10
Notes and Bills of other Banks	...	17,288	9	5
Balances due from other Banks	...	42,390	7	0
Landed Property	...	22,000	0	0
Amount of all other Securities—				
1. Notes and Bills Discounted	...	220,082	3	2
2. Colonial Government Securities	...	...	...	...
3. Other Funded Securities	...	...	...	...
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad)	...	274,489	14	6
5. Securities not included under the above heads	...	18,327	13	7
Total average Assets		£783,199	8	3

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ended 30th September, 1873, £283,334.
 Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders, Nil.
 Amount of the last Dividend declared, Nil.
 Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend, £1,102 5s. 9d.
 Dated at Wellington, this 28th day of October, 1873.
 ALEX. KERR, Manager.
 W. KNOWLES, Accountant.

STATEMENT of the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of New Zealand, in the Colony, during the Quarter ended 29th December, 1873.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in Circulation	...	390,380	7	1
Bills in Circulation	...	35,423	10	8
Balances due to other Banks	...	5,520	2	7
Government Deposits	...	1,115,428	12	5
Other Deposits—				
Not bearing Interest	...	1,188,632	11	7
Bearing Interest	...	512,166	7	10
Total average Liabilities		£3,247,551	12	2

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metal	...	462,914	15	10
Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars	...	186,956	16	0
Notes and Bills of other Banks	...	9,558	2	11
Balances due from other Banks	...	11,353	6	5
Landed Property	...	24,110	9	11
Amount of all other Securities—				
1. Notes and Bills Discounted	...	1,067,716	5	6
2. Colonial Government Securities	...	157,600	0	0
3. Other Funded Securities	...	3,175	1	6
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad)	...	1,575,999	2	11
5. Securities not included under the above heads	...	351,841	11	1
Total average Assets		£3,850,725	12	1

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ended 29th December, 1873, £600,000.
 Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders, equal to 12½ per cent. per annum.
 Amount of the last Dividend declared, £37,500.
 Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend, £226,392 0s. 9d.
 Dated at Auckland, this 21st day of January, 1874.
 D. L. MURDOCH, Inspector.
 FREDK. BATTLE, Inspector's Accountant.

STATEMENT of the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the Union Bank of Australia, within the Colony of New Zealand, during the Quarter ended 31st December, 1873.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in Circulation	...	123,425	1	1
Bills in Circulation	...	14,550	17	10
Balances due to other Banks	...	63	7	9
Government Deposits	...	268	1	6
Other Deposits—				
Not bearing Interest	...	517,831	19	10
Bearing Interest	...	358,450	15	5
Total average Liabilities		£1,014,590	3	5

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metals	...	293,284	3	11
Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars	...	16,689	3	10
Notes and Bills of other Banks	...	1,811	12	10
Balances due from other Banks	...	8,682	2	8
Landed Property	...	45,000	0	0
Amount of all other Securities—				
1. Notes and Bills Discounted	...	439,189	0	5
2. Colonial Government Securities	...	...	...	...
3. Other Funded Securities	...	...	...	...
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad)	...	701,471	16	11
5. Securities not included under the above heads	...	17,197	18	6
Total average Assets		£1,526,325	19	1

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ended 31st December, 1873, £1,250,000.
 Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders, 13 per cent. per annum.
 Amount of the last Dividend declared, £81,250.
 Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend, £488,550 12s. 8d.
 Dated at Wellington, this 12th day of January, 1874.
 A. JACKSON, Manager.
 WM. JAMESON, Accountant.

STATEMENT of the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of New South Wales, in New Zealand, during the Quarter ended 31st December, 1873.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in Circulation ...	...	104,849	17	6
Bills in Circulation ...	...	564	8	10
Balances due to other Banks ...	...	16,127	19	10
Government Deposits ...	...	...	...	...
Other Deposits—				
Not bearing Interest ...	...	297,756	13	1
Bearing Interest ...	...	265,624	10	6
Total average Liabilities ...	...	£684,923	9	9
ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metal ...	...	274,820	18	1
Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars ...	...	78,737	2	3
Notes and Bills of other Banks ...	...	1,754	5	11
Balances due from other Banks ...	...	13,894	1	6
Landed Property ...	...	22,196	14	7
Amount of all other Securities—				
1. Notes and Bills Discounted ...	...	444,667	18	2
2. Colonial Government Securities ...	...	...	...	...
3. Other Funded Securities ...	...	...	...	...
4. Debts due to Bank (exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad) ...	...	506,364	2	0
5. Securities not included under the above heads ...	...	132,281	14	8
Total average Assets ...	...	£1,474,716	17	2

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ended 31st December, 1873, £1,000,000.

Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders, 15 per cent. per annum.

Amount of last Dividend declared, £75,000.

Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend, £336,556 16s. 5d.

Dated at Wellington, this 23rd day of January, 1874.

EDWD. MILLER, Manager.

A. WARBURTON, p. Accountant.

GENERAL Abstract showing the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of Australasia, within the Colony of New Zealand, taken from the several Weekly Statements during the Quarter from the 1st October to 31st December, 1873.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in Circulation ...	...	38,962	3	1
Bills in Circulation ...	...	3,236	9	7
Balances due to other Banks ...	...	...	...	...
Government Accounts ...	...	...	...	...
Deposits—				
Not bearing Interest ...	...	121,600	3	6
Bearing Interest ...	...	71,074	5	1
Total amount of Liabilities ...	...	£234,873	1	3
ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined Gold and Silver and other coined Metals ...	...	93,183	19	3
Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars ...	...	4,057	8	10
Landed Property ...	...	31,086	4	7
Notes and Bills of other Banks ...	...	233	2	1
Balances due from other Banks ...	...	...	...	...
Amount of all other Securities—				
1. Notes and Bills Discounted ...	...	328,249	1	5
2. Colonial Government Securities ...	...	...	...	...
3. Other Funded Securities ...	...	...	...	...
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad) ...	...	146,019	15	3
5. Securities not included under the above heads ...	...	9,028	4	4
Total amount of Assets ...	...	£611,857	15	9

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at this date, £1,200,000.

Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders, 10 per cent. per annum.

Amount of the last Dividend declared, £60,000.

Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend, £330,908 10s. 7d.

Dated at Wellington, this 16th day of January, 1874.

THOS. BUCHANAN, Manager.

J. SAWERS, Accountant.

STATEMENT of the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the National Bank of New Zealand, Limited, within the Colony, during the Quarter ended 29th December, 1873.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in Circulation ...	...	51,687	12	3
Bills in Circulation ...	...	47,793	4	11
Balances due to other Banks ...	...	42,660	11	4
Government Deposits ...	...	...	...	...
Other Deposits—				
Not bearing Interest ...	...	353,359	11	6
Bearing Interest ...	...	204,833	12	3
Total average Liabilities ...	...	£700,384	12	3
ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metal ...	...	198,594	1	0
Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars ...	...	26,416	16	1
Notes and Bills of other Banks ...	...	17,029	5	9
Balances due from other Banks ...	...	18,661	16	8
Landed Property ...	...	23,003	18	5
Amount of all other Securities—				
1. Notes and Bills Discounted ...	...	317,653	15	9
2. Colonial Government Securities ...	...	...	...	...
3. Other Funded Securities ...	...	...	...	...
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad) ...	...	377,747	10	8
5. Securities not included under the above heads ...	...	16,259	19	0
Total average Assets ...	...	£995,367	3	4

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ended 29th December, 1873, £300,000 10s.

Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders, Nil.

Amount of the last Dividend declared, Nil.

Amount of the Reserved Profits, £1,102 5s. 9d.

Dated at Wellington, this 26th day of January, 1874.

ALEX. KERR, Manager.

W. KNOWLES, Accountant.

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.

JOHN SMITH.—30 acres 3 roods and 35 perches, northern part of Rural Section 5791, Lincoln District. Also 10 acres 2 roods and 19 perches, Rural Section 6878, said District. (Hanmer and Harper, Solicitors.) 1231.

GEORGE HOLMES.—1306 acres, Rural Sections 1515, 4457, 4458, 4459, 4460, 4461, 4462, 10037, 10117, 11531, 11532, 11536, and 14209, Malvern and Upper Christchurch Districts. (A. Thompson, Solicitor.) 1353.

JOSEPH MORT WHEELER.—4 acres 3 roods 19 perches, part of Rural Section 16, Christchurch District, being part of Lots 13 and 14, Saint Martin's. (John Lewis, Broker.) 1363.

CHARLES CLARK.—4099 acres 1 rood 24 perches, Rural Section 7539, north of the Waipara District. Also 920 acres, Rural Sections 9880, 9881, 9882, 14131, 14132, 9926, 9927, 9928, 9925, and 14215, Malvern District. (C. Clark, Broker.) 1364 and 1365.

LEONARD HARPER, as Attorney for Edmund Theodore Doxat.—475 acres, Rural Sections 1460, 1472, 1473, and 1479, Christchurch District. (Hanmer and Harper, Solicitors.) 1367.

HENRY HOOKHAM.—25 acres, Rural Section 2229, Mandeville District. 1370.

JOHN ALBERT YOUNG.—20 acres, Rural Section 4929, Timaru District. (Perry and Perry, Solicitors.) 1372.

ELIZABETH GREEN.—38 perches, Lot 400, Rhodes Town, Timaru. (E. H. Tate, Broker.) 1374.

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 12th day of February, 1874, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

EDWARD DENHAM,
134 Deputy 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.

Western half of Section 14 (fourteen), Block LXXI. (seventy-one), Town of Invercargill.—Applicant, JOSEPH SYKES, of Invercargill aforesaid, Carpenter.

Allotment 13 (thirteen) on the plan of the subdivision of Allotments 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, and 30 of the subdivision (known as McMaster's Estate) of Section 1 (one), Block I. (one), Invercargill Hundred.—Applicant, DANIEL FALE, of Invercargill, Carter.

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

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 11th day of February, 1874, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

W. STUART,
137 Deputy 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.

Section 15, Block IV., Invercargill Hundred.—Applicant, FREDERICK TOWNSHEND, of Wai-kiwi, Settler.

Allotment 27 of that part of Section 2, Block I., Invercargill Hundred, known as Barwehys Estate.—Applicant, MARION HARVEY, Wife of James Harvey, Solicitor, Invercargill.

Section 7, Oreti Hundred.—Applicant, ARTHUR GERRARD, Oreti Hundred, Settler.

Spencer's Island, Bluff Harbour.—Applicants, WILLIAM STUART and MARY SPENCER, (Spencer's Trustees).

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

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 12th day of February, 1874, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

W. STUART,
138 Deputy 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.

Section 254, Weld Street, Hokitika, in the Province of Westland.—Applicant, MICHAEL ALBERT CASSIUS, of Hokitika, Merchant.

Section 778, Hampden Street, Hokitika.—Applicant, MICHAEL ALBERT CASSIUS, of Hokitika, Merchant.

South-western half of Section 792, Fitzherbert Street, Hokitika, in the Province of Westland.—

Applicant, CORNELIUS HORGAN, of Hokitika, Saddler. (Broker, F. A. Learmonth.)

North-eastern half of Section 1182, Fitzherbert Street, Hokitika, in the Province of Westland.—Applicant, LORENZO TINDALL, of Hokitika, Schoolmaster. (Solicitor, S. M. South.)

Caveats against the above applications 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 6th day of February, 1874, at the Lands Registry Office, Hokitika.

J. M. BATHAM,
124 District Land Registrar.

I, the undersigned, hereby make application to register "The Long Drive Quartz Mining Company" as a Limited Company, under the provisions of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872."

1. The name of the Company is "The Long Drive Quartz Mining Company, Limited."
2. The place of intended operations is at Alpine Range, Lyell, Province of Nelson.
3. The registered office of the Company will be at Lyell, Province of Nelson.
4. The nominal capital of the Company is £10,000, in 10,000 shares of £1 each.
5. The number of shares subscribed for is 10,000, being not less than two-thirds of the entire number of shares in the Company.
6. The number of paid-up shares is nil.
7. The amount already paid up is £2,000.
8. The name of the Manager is Peter Stephen Dempsey.
9. The names and addresses and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follow:—

	No. of Shares.
Thomas Leslie, Lyell, Miner	1,000
William Rodgers, Lyell, Miner	1,000
Louis Boulet, Lyell, Miner	1,000
Henri Morel, Ahaura, Miner	1,000
Conrad Sandbrook Saxton, Stoke, Nelson, Gentleman...	1,000
Thomas Kennedy, Lyell, Miner	750
John Delmoe, Lyell, Miner	750
James Hunter, Lyell, Miner	500
David Leslie, Lyell, Sharebroker	500
Thomas Eli Chichester, Lyell, Constable	500
William Deegan, Matakitaiki, Miner	500
James Gordon, Matakitaiki, Miner	500
Godfrey Hofer, Lyell, Miner	500
Harford Montgomery, Lyell, Accountant	250
Alphonso Jecklin, Lyell, Miner	250

PETER STEPHEN DEMPSEY,
Manager.

Dated this 31st day of January, 1874.

Witness to signature—Harford Montgomery.

I, PETER STEPHEN DEMPSEY, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

1. I am the Manager of the said intended Company.
2. The above statement is, to the best of my belief and knowledge, true in every particular; and I now make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1866."

PETER STEPHEN DEMPSEY.

Taken before me, at Lyell, this 2nd day of February, 1874—Charles Broad, J.P. 135

I, the undersigned, hereby make application to register "The Stella Quartz Mining Company" as a Limited Company, under the provisions of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872."

1. The name of the Company is "The Stella Quartz Mining Company, Limited."
2. The place of intended operations is at Eight-Mile Hill, Lyell, Province of Nelson.
3. The registered office of the Company will be at Lyell, Province of Nelson.

4. The nominal capital of the Company is £20,000, in 20,000 shares of £1 each.

5. The number of shares subscribed for is 20,000, being not less than two-thirds of the entire number of shares in the Company.

6. The number of paid-up shares is nil.

7. The amount already paid up is £5,000.

8. The name of the Manager is Peter Stephen Dempsey.

9. The names and addresses and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follow:—

	No. of Shares.
James Bickerton Fisher, Westport, Solicitor ...	2,000
William George White, Lyell, Banker ...	2,000
Harford Montgomery, Lyell, Accountant ...	2,000
George Lewis, Lyell, Ironmonger ...	2,000
Joseph Sullivan, Lyell, Ferryman ...	2,000
John Hayes, Zalatown, Miner ...	2,000
David Leslie, Lyell, Mining Agent ...	1,000
John Corr, Westport, Merchant... ..	1,000
John Irvin Beck, Lyell, Miner ...	1,000
John Rodden, Lyell, Miner ...	1,000
John Kelly, Lyell, Miner... ..	1,000
Peter Stephen Dempsey, Lyell, Mining Agent... ..	1,000
Thomas O'Brien, Zalatown, Hotel Keeper ...	1,000
John Boyd, Lyell, Miner... ..	1,000

PETER STEPHEN DEMPSEY,
Manager.

Dated this 30th day of January, 1874.

Witness to signature—Harford Montgomery.

I, PETER STEPHEN DEMPSEY, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

1. I am the Manager of the said intended Company.

2. The above statement is, to the best of my belief and knowledge, true in every particular; and I now make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1866."

PETER STEPHEN DEMPSEY.

Taken before me, at Lyell, this 2nd day of February, 1874—Charles Broad, J.P. 136

I the undersigned THOMAS HORSBRUGH, hereby make application to register "The Vanguard Company," as a Limited Company, under the provisions of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872."

1. The name of the Company is to be "The Vanguard Gold Mining Company, Limited."

2. The place of intended operations is at the Karaka Block, Thames Gold Field, Hauraki District.

3. The registered office of the Company will be situated at Brown Street, Grahamstown.

4. The nominal capital of the Company is £6,000, in 6,000 shares of £1 each.

5. The number of shares subscribed for is 4,400, being not less than two-thirds of the entire number of shares in the Company.

6. The number of paid-up shares is nil.

7. The amount already paid up is nil.

8. The name of the Manager is Thomas Horsbrugh.

9. The names and addresses and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follow:—

	No. of Shares.
John Beeche, Grahamstown, Miner ...	500
Thomas Kitching, Grahamstown, Draper ...	300
Thomas G. Kennan, Grahamstown, Miner ...	100
Edward T. Wildman, Grahamstown, Mining Agent ...	100
John Nodder, Shortland, Stationer ...	100
John Charles Akers, Grahamstown, Carter ...	200
Joshua Jackson, Grahamstown, Journalist ...	200
Samuel Wells, Auckland, Agent ...	100
Daniel Tookey, Grahamstown, Miner ...	400
Daniel Tookey, Grahamstown, Miner (in trust) ...	400
Michael Hannaford, Auckland, Gentleman ...	400
Edward Cameron, Tararu, Miner ...	400

	No. of Shares.
James Darrow, Tararu, Miner ...	400
Thomas Horsbrugh, Grahamstown, Mining Agent ...	400
Thomas Horsbrugh, Grahamstown, Mining Agent (in trust) ...	400
The Manager, in trust for the Company ...	1,600

Shares ... 6,000

Dated this 3rd day of February, 1874.

THOMAS HORSBRUGH.

Witness to signature—D. R. Gellion.

I, THOMAS HORSBRUGH, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

1. I am the Manager of the said intended Company.

2. The above statement is, to the best of my belief and knowledge, true in every particular; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1866."

THOMAS HORSBRUGH.

Taken before me, at Grahamstown, the 3rd day of February, 1874—H. Goldsmith, J.P. 128

NONPAREIL GOLD MINING COMPANY,
REGISTERED.

THIS is to certify that RODERICK McDONALD SCOTT has been reappointed Legal Manager of "The Nonpareil Gold Mining Company Registered," in room of Mr. Frank Woodward, resigned, and that the Office of the Company has been removed to Grahamstown Stock Exchange, Owen Street, Grahamstown.

S. BROWNING, }
C. S. BROWN, } Directors.

Grahamstown, 22nd January, 1874. 129

Cromwell, Otago, 28th January, 1874.

To the Registrar of the Supreme Court of the Colony of New Zealand, Otago.

IN accordance with the provisions of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872," we hereby give you notice that the name of the Manager of "The Reliance Quartz Mining Company, Limited," is DUNCAN MACKELLAR; and that the registered office of the said Company is situate at Melmore Terrace, in the Town of Cromwell, in the Province of Otago.

F. J. WILSON, }
JOSIAH MITCHINSON, } Two of the Directors
131 of the said Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between Joseph Decker Ross and James Isbell; both of the Wanaka Saw Mill, situate at the Makarora Bush, near the head of Lake Wanaka, in the Province of Canterbury, trading as Saw Mill Proprietors and Timber Merchants under the style or firm of "Ross and Isbell," has been dissolved by mutual consent, as from the 26th day of January, 1874.

All debts owing to or by the late partnership will be received and discharged by the said Joseph Decker Ross.

Dated at Cromwell, in the Province of Otago, this 28th day of January, 1874.

JOSEPH D. ROSS.
JAMES ISBELL.

Witness to both signatures—F. J. Wilson, Solicitor, Clyde. 130