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Proclamation constituting Tapanui Hundred, Kyeburn Hundred, Otakaramu Hundred, Landslip Hill Hundred, South Glenkenich Hundred, North Glenkenich Hundred, Chatton Hundred, and Kingston Hundred.

(L.S.) **NORMANBY, Governor.**
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Otago Waste Lands Act, 1872," it is, amongst other things, enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, if he think fit, on the recommendation of the Superintendent and Provincial Council, from time to time, by Proclamation published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, to constitute into a hundred any portion of the waste lands not forming any part of any hundred previously proclaimed, notwithstanding that such lands or any part thereof shall be comprised within any pastoral lease or license theretofore or thereafter to be granted by the Crown under any law regulating the occupation or disposal of waste lands, and whether or not the same shall have been included within the boundaries of any proclaimed gold field:

And whereas by the said Act it is also further provided, that no hundred shall be constituted which shall consist wholly of land unsuitable for agriculture, and adapted for pastoral purposes only; and before any hundred shall be constituted, it shall be the duty of the Commissioner of Crown Lands and Chief Surveyor to certify to the Governor that in their opinion not less than one-third part of the area of such hundred is land available for agriculture:

And whereas the Superintendent of the Province of Otago and the Provincial Council of the said Province have recommended that each of the eight portions of waste lands particularly described in the eight Schedules hereto respectively should be proclaimed to be a hundred under the provisions of the said Act:

And whereas the said eight portions respectively do not form part of any hundred previously proclaimed; and the Commissioner of Crown Lands and the Chief Surveyor of the said province have, in accordance with the hereinbefore recited provisions

of the said Act, certified to the Governor, as to each of such portions hereinafter in the said eight Schedules respectively described, that in their opinion not less than one-third part of the area thereof respectively is land available for agriculture:

And whereas it is expedient that effect should be given to the said recommendation of the Superintendent and Provincial Council of the Province of Otago:

Now therefore I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authority vested in me by the hereinbefore in part recited Act, do hereby proclaim that each of the eight portions of the waste lands particularly described in the eight Schedules hereto respectively shall be and the same is hereby constituted into a hundred under and for the purposes of the said Act; and that each shall be called or known by the name set above the description of the said hundred in the eight Schedules hereto respectively.

SCHEDULES.

SCHEDULE No. 1.
Tapanui Hundred.

ALL that parcel of land in the Province of Otago, in the Colony of New Zealand, containing by estimation fourteen thousand five hundred (14,500) acres, more or less, situate in the South-Eastern Pastoral District, being parts of Runs numbered respectively one hundred and sixty-three (163) and one hundred and seventy-eight (178) on the map of the said pastoral district. Bounded by a line commencing at Trig. Station N, Crookston Survey District, and proceeding due east, seventeen thousand seven hundred and thirty-nine (17,739) links, to a point due north of Trig. Station L; thence due south, thirty-four thousand nine hundred (34,900) links, to the said Station L; thence by a straight line in a south-westerly direction, twenty-seven thousand nine hundred and forty (27,940) links, to a point due east of Trig. Station T; thence due west, nine thousand three

hundred and ninety-six (9,396) links, to the said Station T; thence due north, forty thousand three hundred (40,300) links, to main road on leading ridge; thence in a north-easterly direction along the said road line, eighteen thousand five hundred (18,500) links, to a point due north of Trig. Station N, Crookston Survey District; thence due South, three hundred and twenty (320) links, to the said Station N, the starting point.

SCHEDULE No. 2.

Kyeburn Hundred.

ALL that parcel of land in the Province of Otago, in the Colony of New Zealand, containing by estimation seventeen thousand (17,000) acres, more or less, situate in the North-Eastern Pastoral District, being parts of Runs numbered respectively two hundred and three (203) and two hundred and six B (206B) on the map of the said pastoral district. Bounded by a line commencing at the Kyeburn, and proceeding due east over Trig. Station G, Kyeburn Survey District, thirty-five thousand (35,000) links, to a point due north of Trig. Station C, Swinburn Survey District; thence due south across the said Station C, fifty-five thousand (55,000) links, to the main interior road; thence along the said road line in a westerly direction, thirty-three thousand three hundred (33,300) links, to the Kyeburn; thence along the Kyeburn in a northerly direction, seventy thousand (70,000) links, to the starting point.

SCHEDULE No. 3.

Otakaramu Hundred.

ALL that parcel of land in the Province of Otago, in the Colony of New Zealand, containing by estimation nineteen thousand five hundred (19,500) acres, more or less, situate in the South-Eastern Pastoral District, being part of Run numbered 131 on the map of the said pastoral district. Bounded as follows:—Commencing at the junction of the Waikaka River with the Mataura River, and proceeding thence in an easterly direction along the Waikaka River and the Pukerau Creek, ninety-eight thousand four hundred (98,400) links; thence in a southerly direction along the Pukerau Creek, twenty-eight thousand one hundred (28,100) links, to the northern boundary of Block numbered IX., Waikaka Survey District; thence due west, ten thousand (10,000) links, to the eastern boundary of Block numbered V.; thence due south, twenty-six thousand three hundred (26,300) links, along the eastern boundaries of Blocks numbered respectively V. and VIII.; thence due west along the northern boundaries of Sections numbered respectively 16 and 6, Block VIII., seven thousand seven hundred (7,700) links, to the north branch of the Otakaramu Stream; thence in a westerly direction, fifty-two thousand eight hundred (52,800) links, along the said stream to its junction with the Mataura River; thence in a northerly direction along the Mataura River to the mouth of the Waikaka River, twenty-one thousand four hundred (21,400) links.

SCHEDULE No. 4.

Landstip Hill Hundred.

ALL that parcel of land in the Province of Otago, in the Colony of New Zealand, containing by estimation seventeen thousand five hundred (17,500) acres, more or less, situate in the South-Eastern Pastoral District, being parts of Runs numbered respectively 167A and 167B and 131 on the map of the said pastoral district. Bounded by a line commencing at the north-western corner of Block numbered III.,

Waikaka Survey District, and proceeding due east, fifty-two thousand four hundred (52,400) links, to the north-eastern corner of Block numbered IX., Waipahee Survey District; thence in a southerly direction, twenty-four thousand (24,000) links, to the north-eastern corner of Block numbered X., Waipahee Survey District; thence due west along the northern boundary of the said Block X., sixteen thousand one hundred (16,100) links; thence due South, eleven thousand (11,000) links, to Run numbered 131; thence in a south-easterly direction along the north-eastern boundary of the said Run numbered 131, to the Waipahee River, eight thousand six hundred (8,600) links; thence in a southerly direction along the Waipahee River, ten thousand eight hundred (10,800) links, to a point due east of Trig. Station U; thence due west, thirty thousand six hundred (30,600) links, to the Pukerau Creek; thence in a northerly direction along the said creek, twenty-eight thousand one hundred (28,100) links; thence in a westerly direction along the said creek, twenty-three thousand five hundred (23,500) links, to the western boundary of Block numbered VI., Waikaka Survey District; thence due north, twenty-seven thousand four hundred (27,400) links, to the starting point.

SCHEDULE No. 5.

South Glenkenich Hundred.

ALL that parcel of land in the Province of Otago, in the Colony of New Zealand, containing by estimation fourteen thousand five hundred (14,500) acres, more or less, situate in the South-Eastern Pastoral District, being parts of Runs numbered respectively 167A, 167B, and 168 on the map of the said pastoral district. Bounded by a line commencing at the Waikaka Stream, and proceeding due east across Trig. Station U, Glenkenich Survey District, thirty-five thousand nine hundred (35,900) links, to the western boundary of Block numbered VI., Glenkenich Survey District; thence due north to Section numbered 6, of the said Block VI., thirteen thousand six hundred (13,600) links; thence along the southern boundaries of Sections numbered respectively 6, 7, 20, 21, 23, 24, and 34 of the said Block VI., twenty-four thousand one hundred (24,100) links; thence in a southerly direction along the western boundaries of Sections numbered respectively 20, Block VII., and 7, Block X., by the Waikoikoi Stream, and Sections numbered respectively 1, 2, and 3, Block X., Glenkenich District, fifty-three thousand (53,000) links, to the southern boundary of Glenkenich District; thence due west, fifty thousand six hundred (50,600) links to the eastern boundary of Chatton District; thence due north, nine thousand eight hundred and sixteen (9,816) links, to a point due east of Trig. Station V, Chatton Survey District; thence due west to the Waikaka River, fifteen thousand five hundred (15,500) links; thence in a northerly direction along the Waikaka River, twenty-four thousand (24,000) links, to the starting point.

SCHEDULE No. 6.

North Glenkenich Hundred.

ALL that parcel of land in the Province of Otago, in the Colony of New Zealand, containing by estimation fourteen thousand five hundred (14,500) acres, more or less, situate in the South-Eastern Pastoral District, being parts of Runs numbered respectively 175A and 167B on the map of the said pastoral district. Bounded by a line commencing on the east branch of the Waikaka Stream, and proceeding due east along the northern boundaries of Chatton and Glenkenich Survey Districts, to the boundary of

Waikoikoi Hundred, thirty-one thousand five hundred (31,500) links; thence in a southerly direction along the western boundaries of Waikoikoi Hundred, Sections 1 and 2, Block II., Glenkenich District, and Block numbered VI. of the said Glenkenich Survey District, fifty-seven thousand two hundred (57,200) links, to a point due east of Trig. Station U, Glenkenich Survey District; thence due west, thirty-five thousand nine hundred (35,900) links, to the Waikaka Stream; thence in a northerly direction along the Waikaka Stream and its eastern branch, sixty-six thousand six hundred (66,600) links, to the starting point.

SCHEDULE No. 7.

Chatton Hundred.

ALL that parcel of land in the Province of Otago, in the Colony of New Zealand, containing by estimation twenty thousand (20,000) acres, more or less, situate in the South-Eastern Pastoral District, being part of Run numbered 111 on the map of the said Pastoral District. Bounded by a line commencing at the north-eastern corner of Otama Survey District, and proceeding due east to the west branch of Waikaka Stream, thirty-one thousand four hundred (31,400) links; thence in a south-easterly direction along the west branch of the said Waikaka Stream, eighty-three thousand one hundred (83,100) links, to a point due east of Trig. Station J, Chatton Survey District; thence due west to the western boundary of Section numbered 6, Block III., Chatton Survey District, twenty-five thousand seven hundred (25,700) links; thence due south to the main interior road to Pyramid, three thousand one hundred and twenty (3,120) links; thence in a westerly direction along the said road line, twenty thousand one hundred (20,100) links, to a point due west of the said Station J; thence due west to Otama Survey District, eighteen thousand (18,000) links; thence due north, forty-two thousand six hundred and sixty-seven (42,667) links, to the starting point.

SCHEDULE No. 8.

Kingston Hundred.

ALL that parcel of land in the Province of Otago, containing by estimation eight thousand (8,000) acres, more or less, situated in the South-Eastern Pastoral District, being parts of Runs numbered respectively 214 and 323 on the map of the said district. Bounded by a line commencing at a point on the Mataura River, at the most southerly corner of Section 4, Block II, Kingston Survey District; thence in a north-easterly direction, eleven thousand nine hundred (11,900) links; thence in a line due east from the most easterly corner of said Section 4, Block II., Kingston Survey District, two thousand (2,000) links; thence in a line running due south, forty thousand (40,000) links; thence in a line due west, twenty-two thousand (22,000) links, to the Mataura River; thence by the said river to the starting point, forty thousand (40,000) links. Be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Most Honorable George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, Earl of Mulgrave, Viscount Normanby, and Baron Mulgrave of Mulgrave, all in the County of York, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom; and Baron Mulgrave of New Ross, in the County of Wexford, in the Peerage of Ireland; a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honor-

able Privy Council; Knight Commander 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 the Government House at Wellington, this eleventh day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five

H. A. ATKINSON.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Extending Jurisdiction, Resident Magistrate's Court, Maketu.

(L.S.) NORMANBY, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority in me vested in this behalf by "The Resident Magistrates Act, 1867," I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the first day of November next, the jurisdiction of the Resident Magistrate's Court for the

MAKETU DISTRICT,

as the same is defined in a Proclamation bearing date the twenty-ninth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven, shall be extended to Fifty Pounds.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Most Honorable George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, Earl of Mulgrave, Viscount Normanby, and Baron Mulgrave of Mulgrave, all in the County of York, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom; and Baron Mulgrave of New Ross, in the County of Wexford, in the Peerage of Ireland; a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council; Knight Commander 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 the Government House, at Wellington, this seventh day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

CHARLES C. BOWEN.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Provincial Ordinance of Taranaki assented to by the Governor.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 12th October, 1875.

THE following Ordinance, passed by the Provincial Council, and reserved by the Superintendent of Taranaki for the signification of the Governor's pleasure thereon, intituled

"The Public Reserves Exchange Ordinance, 1875,"

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

DANIEL POLLEN.

Resignation of Visitors of the Sunnyside Lunatic Asylum accepted.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 14th October, 1875.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation by
His Honor Mr. Justice JOHNSTON, and
GEORGE LILLY MELLISH, Esq.,
of their offices as Visitors of the Sunnyside Lunatic Asylum, at Christchurch.

DANIEL POLLEN.

Member of Licensing Courts appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 7th October, 1875.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint
GEORGE HENRY SAXTON, Esq.,
to be a Member of the Licensing Courts for the Districts of Town of Akaroa and Wainui, Okain's Bay, Pigeon Bay, and Little River, *vice* Robert Townsend, Esq., resigned.

CHARLES C. BOWEN.

Visiting Justice appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 7th October, 1875.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint
The Hon. WILLIAM DOUGLAS HALL BAILLIE, J.P.,
to be a Visiting Justice of the Prison at Picton.

CHARLES C. BOWEN.

Clerk of Resident Magistrate's Court appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 12th October, 1875.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ALFRED PETER RATCLIFFE

to be Clerk of the Resident Magistrate's Court at Whangaroa.

CHARLES C. BOWEN.

Resignation of the Vice-President of the Invercargill Savings Bank accepted.

Treasury,
Wellington, 5th October, 1875.

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

JAMES HARVEY, Esq.,

of his office as Vice-President of the Invercargill Savings Bank.

H. A. ATKINSON.

"Marriage Act, 1854."

OFFICIATING MINISTERS FOR 1875.—NOTICE No. 25.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 12th October, 1875.

PURSUANT to the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, passed in the eighteenth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, and intituled "The Marriage Act, 1854," the following name of an Officiating Minister within the meaning of the said Act is published for general information:—

Hebrew Congregations.

The Reverend BERNARD LICHTENSTEIN.

WM. R. E. BROWN,
Registrar-General.

RETURN of the QUANTITY and VALUE of GOLD EXPORTED from NEW ZEALAND, from 1st APRIL, 1857, to 30th SEPTEMBER, 1875.

PORT OF EXPORT.	PRODUCE OF THE GOLD FIELDS IN THE PROVINCE OF	DURING THE QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1875.					EXPORTED PREVIOUS TO THE 30TH JUNE, 1875.		TOTAL EXPORTED FROM NEW ZEALAND TO THE 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1875.			
		To Great Britain.	To New South Wales.	To Victoria.	To China.	To other Places.	TOTALS.		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
							Quantity.	Value.				
Auckland ...	Auckland ...	Oz. 17,425	Oz. 3,061	Oz. 6,073	Oz. ...	Oz. ...	Oz. 26,559	£ 100,535	Oz. 960,191	£ 3,420,247	Oz. 986,750	£ 3,520,782
Wellington	Wellington	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	120	30	120
Picton ...	Marlborough	468	...	...	...	...	468	1,870	43,769	169,790	44,237	171,660
Nelson ...	Nelson ...	...	455	167	...	...	622	2,320	1,440,581	5,716,572	1,464,643	5,813,323
Westport ...	Ditto ...	4,916	...	1,199	...	...	6,115	24,459				
Greymouth	Ditto ...	...	...	17,325	...	...	17,325	69,972				
Greymouth	Westland ...	...	...	5,327	541	...	24,062	96,751	1,923,980	7,603,269	1,940,260	7,668,398
Hokitika ...	Ditto ...	2,196	...	8,216	...	...	5,868	23,480				
Dunedin ...	Otago ...	17,872	...	12,782	...	1	10,412	41,649	3,408,061	13,371,411	3,439,756	13,498,551
Invercargill	Ditto ...	...	...	1,040	...	...	30,655	122,943				
							1,040	4,197				
							31,695	127,140				
Totals ...		42,877	3,516	52,129	541	1	99,064	391,425	7,776,612	30,281,409	7,875,676	30,672,834

Custom Department,
Wellington, 12th October, 1875.

H. S. McKELLAR,
(for the Secretary of Customs).

COMPARATIVE RETURN of the QUANTITY and VALUE of GOLD EXPORTED from the several Provinces of NEW ZEALAND, for the QUARTERS ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1875, and 30th SEPTEMBER, 1874.

PROVINCES.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1875.		QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1874.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
	Oz.	£	Oz.	£
Auckland	26,559	100,535	19,414	79,823
Marlborough	468	1,870	658	2,590
Nelson	24,062	96,751	20,435	81,695
Westland	16,280	65,129	19,734	78,933
Otago	31,695	127,140	26,542	106,453
Totals	99,064	391,425	86,783	349,494

Customs Department,
Wellington, 12th October, 1875.

H. S. MCKELLAR,
(for the Secretary of Customs).

REGISTRAR-GENERAL'S REPORT on the Vital Statistics of the Boroughs of Auckland, Thames, Wellington, Nelson, Christchurch, Dunedin, and Hokitika, during the Month of September 1875.

TABLE showing the Number of Births, the actual Mortality of Males and Females, and the Proportion of Deaths to Population, in the Boroughs of Auckland, Thames, Wellington, Nelson, Christchurch, Dunedin, and Hokitika, during the Month of September 1875.

BOROUGHS.	ESTI-MATED POPULATION, SEPT. 1, 1875.	TOTAL BIRTHS.	DEATHS IN THE BOROUGHS REGISTERED IN SEPTEMBER, 1875.						Total Deaths.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population.
			Males.			Females.				
			Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.		
Auckland	13,093	38	2	...	15	1	2	6	26	1.98
Thames	8,281	23	1	...	6	1	...	1	9	1.08
Wellington	11,026	61	5	1	11	2	...	2	21	1.90
Nelson	5,815	15	1	1	3	...	2	1	8	1.37
Christchurch	10,650	52	6	2	11	...	2	6	27	2.53
Dunedin	19,276	78	3	1	8	3	2	10	27	1.40
Hokitika	3,469	7	...	...	4	2	...	2	8	2.30
Total ... ..	...	274	18	5	58	9	8	28	126	...

N.B.—Although the Auckland and Hokitika Hospitals are situated outside the boundaries of the respective boroughs, yet the deaths in them have, for the sake of uniformity, been included in this Report.

The population has been estimated by adding the excess of births over deaths since the 1st March, 1874, to the then census population. It is impossible to estimate the increase from immigration.

The births were 4 more than in August.

The deaths were 2 fewer in number than the deaths in August.

Of the deaths, males contributed 81; females, 45: 40 of the deaths were of children under 5 years of age, being 31.75 per cent. of the whole number; 27 of these were of children under 1 year of age.

There were 15 deaths of persons of 65 years of age and over, namely, 9 males and 6 females. The oldest male was 78; he died at Wellington. The oldest female was 80; she died at Dunedin.

THE following Table shows the Causes of the Deaths of Persons of both Sexes under 5 years of age and 5 years and upwards, and the Proportions per Cent. of Deaths from each cause in the Boroughs named, and that were registered, during the Month of September, 1875.

CLASSES.	CAUSES OF DEATH.	AUCKLAND.		THAMES.		WELLINGTON.		NELSON.		CHRISTCH'CH.		DUNEDIN.		HOKITIKA.		TOTAL.	PROPORTIONS PER CENT.
		Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.				
I.	Zymotic Diseases	2	2	...	2	...	3	2	2	1	2	1	7	1	...	25	19.84
II.	Constitutional Diseases	1	3	...	2	2	3	1	1	1	3	3	2	...	2	24	19.05
III.	Local Diseases	2	14	...	2	1	6	...	1	5	10	4	8	1	2	56	44.44
IV.	Developmental Diseases ... ..	...	1	2	...	5	...	1	...	3	...	1	1	...	...	14	11.11
V.	Violent Deaths	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	7	5.56
	Unspecified ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total	6	20	2	7	8	13	4	4	10	17	9	18	2	6	126	100.00

CLASS I.—ZYMOTIC DISEASES.

ORDER 1.—Miasmatic Diseases.—Measles, 3; Scarlatina, 1; Diphtheria, 2; Croup, 2; Typhoid Fever, 8; Puerperal Fever, 4; Diarrhoea, 1.

ORDER 2.—Euthetic Diseases.—Syphilis, 1.

ORDER 3.—Dietic Diseases.—Alcoholism, 3.

CLASS II.—CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES.

ORDER 1.—*Diathetic Diseases*.—Cancer, 4.ORDER 2.—*Tubercular Diseases*.—Tuberculosis, 1; Tabes Mesenterica, 1; Phthisis, 9; Hydrocephalus, 9.

CLASS III.—LOCAL DISEASES.

ORDER 1.—*Diseases of Nervous System*.—Paralysis, 3; Apoplexy, 1; Epilepsy, 1; Convulsions, 4; Brain Disease, 4.ORDER 2.—*Diseases of Organs of Circulation*.—Pericarditis, 1; Heart Disease, &c., 9.ORDER 3.—*Diseases of Respiratory Organs*.—Bronchitis, 9; Pleurisy, 2; Pneumonia, 6; Asthma, 1; Congestion of Lungs, 4.ORDER 4.—*Diseases of Digestive Organs*.—Enteritis, 1; Peritonitis, 3; Stomach Disease, 1; Hepatitis, 1; Liver Disease, 4.ORDER 8.—*Diseases of Integumentary System*.—Eczema, 1.

CLASS IV.—DEVELOPMENTAL DISEASES.

ORDER 1.—*Developmental Diseases of Children*.—Dentition, 4.ORDER 2.—*Developmental Diseases of Adults*.—Childbirth, 1.ORDER 3.—*Developmental Diseases of Old People*.—Old Age, 1.ORDER 4.—*Diseases of Nutrition*.—Atrophy and Debility, 8.

CLASS V.—VIOLENT DISEASES OR DEATHS.

ORDER 1.—*Accident or Negligence*.—Fracture, 4; Choked by a piece of meat, 1; Traumatic Fever (caused by wounds), 1.ORDER 4.—*Suicide*.—(Manner not stated), 1.

The deaths from Zymotic Diseases were 25 in September to 19 in August. Among the causes of death in this class there was an increase in the number of cases of typhoid fever from 5 to 8; and there were 3 deaths from alcoholism. The deaths from constitutional diseases were by 3 less numerous than in August; and the deaths from local diseases showed a decrease of 8 in number. In the last class there was a marked difference between the number of deaths from diseases of the respiratory system in the two months, the number having been 33 in August, and 22 in September.

The mortality last month compared favourably with that in September 1874, when, with a less population, the number of deaths was only 5 less than in September 1875. There was a larger mortality in September 1874, from Zymotic diseases (33) than in September 1875 (25). Influenza caused 12 deaths in the former period, but does not appear among the causes of death in September 1875.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 12th October, 1875.

WM. R. E. BROWN,
Registrar-General.

PROVISIONAL METEOROLOGICAL REPORT FOR SEPTEMBER, 1875.

	AUCKLAND.	WELLINGTON.	NELSON.	CHRIST- CHURCH.	HOKITIKA.	DUNEDIN.
Average Temperature in Shade ...	53.1	49.1	50.0	47.8	48.4	45.9
Ditto for same month previous years ...	55.8	51.3	51.2	48.9	49.2	47.8
Highest Temperature in Shade ...	66.1 on 8th	63.0 on 10th	64.0 on 22nd	68.0 on 30th	59.9 on 30th	64.0 on 2nd
Lowest Temperature in Shade ...	38.0 on 25th	35.0 on 19th	34.0 on 18th	31.0 on 7th	30.9 on 18th	34.0 on 15th
Highest Temperature in Sun ...	126.0 on 21st	127.0 on 23rd	...	125.0 on 30th	...	140.0 on 25th
Lowest Temperature on Grass ...	29.0 on 2nd	30.0 on 18th	18.0 on 16th and 18th	17.4 on 24th	26.5 on 18th	31.0 on 6th
Average Moisture of Air (Saturation=100)	73	80	80	79	81	75
Ditto for same month previous years ...	78	73	75	78	84	73
Rainfall in inches ...	3.840	4.188	7.600	1.570	7.980	2.200
Ditto for same month previous years ...	3.598	3.992	6.082	1.315	6.238	2.091
Number of Days on which Rain fell ...	19	14	15	11	9	13
Ditto for same month previous years ...	16	14	7	8	14	10

NOTE.—This Table is prepared from unchecked averages, transmitted by telegraph in anticipation of the full Returns, and must not be entirely relied on for compiling Meteorological Statistics.

October 1875.

W. B. D. MANTELL.

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 in each case on or before the 22nd day of November, 1875.

2340. ELIZABETH GOODISON.—District of Christchurch, 1 rood 17 perches, part of Rural Section No. 29. Unoccupied.

2359. WILLIAM WIDDOWSON.—District of Christchurch, 1 acre 3 roods 10 perches, being Rural Section No. 742, and 1 rood 8½ perches, part of Rural Section No. 8. In occupation of Dench, Farland, and another.

2362. GEORGE WALDOCK ELL.—District of Christchurch, 3 acres 1 rood 32 perches, part of Rural Section No. 194. In occupation of Applicant.

2366. WILLIAM HALL.—Christchurch District, 3 roods 33 perches, part of Rural Section No. 6. In occupation of Applicant.

2367. JAMES ALEXANDER BONAR.—City

of Christchurch, 3 roods, part of Lot No. 25, Town Reserves. In occupation of — Woodward.

3368. FRANCIS SISSON.—District of Christchurch, 6 acres, part of Rural Section No. 308. In occupation of Applicant.

2372. GEORGE BULL.—District of Christchurch, 10 acres 3 roods 26 perches, part of Rural Section No. 154. In occupation of Applicant.

2374. JAMES STARK.—District of Christchurch, 10 acres 2 roods 17 perches, part of Rural Section No. 154. In occupation of Applicant.

2376. JOSEPH FOWLER.—District of Christchurch, 3 roods, part of Rural Section No. 6. In occupation of Applicant.

3378. WILLIAM DEAMER.—City of Christchurch, 2 roods, Town Sections Nos. 569, 570. Part in occupation of William Lane.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 8th day of October, 1875, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

EDWARD DENHAM,
Deputy District Land Registrar.

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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 in each case within one calendar month from the date of gazetting this notice.

GEORGE AUGUSTUS PREECE, Applicant.—2 roods, Town Sections 827 and 828, Clyde. (E. Lyndon, Broker.)

RICHARD DAVID MANEY, Applicant.—9 acres 3 roods, part of Suburban Sections 50 and 51, Meanee District, and being Lot No. 11 on plan of subdivision into lots of (*inter alia*) said sections. In occupation of Charles Patrick O'Dowd. (C. L. Margoliouth, Broker.)

MICHAEL BOYLAN, Applicant.—2 acres 23 perches, Suburban Section 7, West Clive. (Edward Lyndon, Broker.)

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 8th day of October, 1875, at the Lands Registry Office, Napier.

HANSON TURTON,
District Land Registrar.
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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 within one calendar month after the gazetting of this notice.

PHILIP LLOYD FRANCIS, Applicant.—Section 5, Block XIV., Riverton. No. 842.

DAVID McKAY, Applicant.—Part of Section 2, Block I., Invercargill Hundred, known as Barwey's Estate. No. 845.

GILBERT PICKETT, Applicant.—Section 13, Block XLII., Invercargill. No. 846.

JOHN GRIGG, Applicant.—Part of Section 33A, Block IV., Jacob's River Hundred. No. 847.

JOHN CROSBY CAMPBELL, Applicant.—Section 7, Block LXIX., Invercargill. No. 848.

GEORGE SAUNDERS, Applicant.—Section 22, Block II., Invercargill Hundred. No. 849.

GEORGE TALBOT BIRCH, Applicant.—Sections 26, 27, 28, 29, and 30, Block VIII., Invercargill Hundred. Nos. 851-2.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 8th day of October, 1875, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

W. RUSSELL,
District Land Registrar.
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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 within one calendar month after publication of this notice.

PETER COOKE.—22 perches, part of Section 490, Nelson City, a rectangular block fronting Collingwood Street, 40 feet, with a depth east of 230 links, its south-western corner being 130 feet from south-west corner of section. (W. Rout, Broker.)

HERBERT EVELYN CURTIS, as Attorney for Charles Groves and John Maclaurin.—150 acres, Accommodation Section 203, Motueka District. (H. E. Curtis, Broker.)

JOHN SAVAGE.—6 perches, part of Section

420, Nelson City, a rectangular block fronting Nile Street East, 30 feet, with a depth north of 58 feet, its south-eastern corner being 30 feet from south-east corner of section. (W. Rout, Broker.)

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 7th day of October, 1875, at the Lands Registry Office, Nelson.

ANDREW TURNBULL,
Deputy District Land Registrar.
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NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between the undersigned Hodgson Steel and William Seabright, as Publicans, at Christchurch, under the firm of "Steel and Seabright," has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, so far as relates to the said Hodgson Steel. The business will henceforth be carried on by William Seabright, who will receive and pay all outstanding accounts.

Dated this 2nd day of October, 1875.

HODGSON STEEL,
WILLIAM SEABRIGHT.

Witness to signatures of Hodgson Steel and William Seabright—John O. Austiss, Clerk to Messrs. Hammer and Harper, Solicitors, Christchurch. 569

IN conformity with the requirements of "The Medical Practitioners Registration Act, 1869," I, Millen Coughtrey, Bachelor of Medicine, and Master of Surgery of the University of Edinburgh, also a Practitioner on the Medical Register of Great Britain, do hereby give notice, that I intend to apply, on the 18th day of November next, to have my name placed on the New Zealand Register of Medical Practitioners, and that I have this day deposited my Degree-Diplomas with the Dunedin Registrar.

MILLEN COUGHTREY,
Dunedin, 6th October, 1875. 568

In the matter of Robert Withers, and in the matter of "The Medical Practitioners Registration Act, 1869."

I, **ROBERT WITHERS**, Member of the Royal College of Surgeons of England, at present residing in Dunedin, do hereby give notice, that I intend to apply to the Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, at Dunedin, on the twenty-first day of November next, 1875, to have my name placed on the Register of Medical Practitioners in the Colony of New Zealand; and that I have deposited in the office of the said Registrar the evidence of my qualification, in terms of "The Medical Practitioners Registration Act, 1869."

ROBERT WITHERS,
Dated at Dunedin aforesaid, this 11th day of October, 1875. 576

IN THE DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF WESTLAND.

In the matter of "The Culliford Gold Mining Company, Registered," and of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872," and of the Petition of William Milner and Peter Cooke, both of Nelson, in the Province of Nelson, in New Zealand, Shareholders in the said Company, praying that the said Company may be wound-up.

Friday, the twentieth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

UPON the Petition of William Milner, of Nelson, in the Province of Nelson, in the Colony of

New Zealand, Draper, and Peter Cooke, of the same place, Salesman, Shareholders in the above-named Company, on the twentieth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, presented to me, Thomas Shailer Weston, Esquire, Judge of the said Court; and upon hearing Mr. James Bickerton Fisher, of Counsel for the Petitioners, and upon reading the said Petition, and an Affidavit of the said William Milner and Peter Cooke verifying the same: I do order that the said Company be wound-up under the provisions of the said Act, and I appoint Monday, the twentieth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, at 12 o'clock noon, as the day and time for a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named Company, to be held at the Court House, Westport. And I direct that the winding-up proceedings of this Company shall be

carried on at Westport, in the Province of Nelson. And I direct that this order be served upon the Company; that a copy thereof be posted upon the outer door of the Registered Office of the said Company; and that service of this order be (if possible) effected upon the Chairman of Directors and Manager of the above Company respectively. And I further direct that this order be advertised in the Provincial Government *Gazette* of the Province of Nelson, and in the colonial newspaper published in Nelson, that being the chief town of the the province within which the Company carried on operations.

(L.S.) THOS. S. WESTON,
District Judge.

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