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*"Regulation of Local Elections Act, 1876," brought into force in the West Oreti Rabbit District.*

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

WHEREAS by "The Rabbit Nuisance Act 1876 Amendment Act, 1877," it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, by Proclamation, declare that "The Regulation of Local Elections Act, 1876," shall come into force in any district constituted under "The Rabbit Nuisance Act, 1876," or the Act now in recital, without such request as is mentioned in section three of "The Regulation of Local Elections Act, 1876:" And whereas the District of West Oreti is a district constituted under "The Rabbit Nuisance Act, 1876," and it is desirable to proclaim "The Regulation of Local Elections Act, 1876," in force therein:

Now, therefore, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby, in exercise of the power vested in me by the said seventh section, proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of this Proclamation, "The Regulation of Local Elections Act, 1876," shall be in force in the rabbit district of West Oreti aforesaid.

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 Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this thirty-first day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

G. S. WHITMORE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Additional Rule for the Remission of Sentences of Prisoners confined in Public Prisons in New Zealand.*

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

WHEREAS it is expedient that the rules for the remission of sentences of prisoners confined in public prisons in New Zealand should be altered and amended:

Now, therefore, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of all powers and authorities vested in me in that behalf, do hereby make the following additional rule, and do order and direct that the same shall be in force in all the public prisons in New Zealand on and from the first day of February next.

RULE.

WHERE a prisoner has received cumulative sentences he must serve the period of probation prescribed in respect of each sentence before he can earn marks; and his marks will be calculated as commencing three months from the date each sentence commences to take effect.

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 Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this thirty-first day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

JOHN SHEEHAN.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Extending Jurisdiction of the Resident Magistrate's Court, Timaru.*

(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 this first day of February instant, the jurisdiction of the Resident Magistrate's Court for

## THE TIMARU DISTRICT,

as the same is defined in a Proclamation bearing date the thirtieth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, shall be extended to one hundred 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 Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this first day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

J. BALLANCE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Land set apart on Deferred Payments in Southland.*

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

WHEREAS by the fifty-third section of "The Land Act, 1877," it is enacted that the Governor, by Proclamation in the *Gazette*, may from time to time set apart out of any suburban or rural lands such blocks or allotments of land as he shall think fit, and set the same aside for sale on deferred payments, and in such Proclamation may fix a day on which the land shall be open for application; and that he may also in like manner set apart for sale on deferred payments such blocks or allotments as may be recommended by any Land Board, and may also from time to time alter, amend, or revoke any such Proclamation:

And whereas the Land Board of Southland did, on the third day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, pass a resolution recommending that the land described in the Schedule hereto annexed should be set apart for sale on deferred payments:

And whereas it is expedient to give effect to the aforesaid recommendation, and to set apart the said land accordingly:

Now, therefore, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the above-named Act, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is set apart for sale on deferred payments; and that Monday, the

eighteenth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, shall be the day on which the said land shall be open for application.

## SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Otago, containing seven hundred and fifty (750) acres, more or less, being portion of Run one hundred and fifty-six B2 (156 B2) on the selection map of the Waiau Survey District, the boundary whereof is as follows: Commencing at the north-east corner of Section 27, Waiau District; thence by a due south line to the Marshburn; thence in a generally south-easterly direction along the Marshburn to a point where it is joined by the eastern boundary of said run; thence northerly and thereafter north-westerly along the boundary of said run to the eastern boundary of Section 38, Waiau District; thence due south to the north-western corner of Section 27 aforesaid; thence south-easterly along the northern boundary of said section to the starting point.

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 Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this fourth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

J. MACANDREW.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Greymouth declared a Port at which Cattle imported from the Australasian Colonies may be landed.*

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

WHEREAS by the eighth section of "The Dis-eased Cattle Act Amendment Act, 1873," it is enacted that, from and after the passing of the said Act, no cattle imported from any foreign district shall be landed at any port or place in the Colony of New Zealand except at a port proclaimed to be a port where cattle may be landed, and such cattle shall only be landed at such place in such port as the Local Cattle Board may from time to time appoint:

And it is further enacted that the Governor may from time to time proclaim such ports within the colony as he thinks fit to be ports at which cattle may be landed; and from and after the publication of such Proclamation in the *New Zealand Gazette*, cattle shall be landed at such proclaimed port, and at no other port or place:

Now know ye that I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, do hereby proclaim the Port of Greymouth to be a port at which cattle imported from the Australasian colonies, but not elsewhere, may be landed, in accordance with the provisions of the said Act: And in further pursuance

and exercise of the said power and authority, I do hereby declare that this Proclamation shall come into force on and after the date of the publication thereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

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 Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and St. 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 fifth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

G. S. WHITMORE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Lands declared to be Waste Lands of the Crown.*

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

WHEREAS by the seventeenth section of "The Waste Lands Administration Act, 1876," it is enacted that whenever the Governor is satisfied that any lands purchased out of the sums authorized under "The Immigration and Public Works Act, 1870," and any Act amending the same, to be issued and expended in the purchase of lands in the North Island of New Zealand, are free from Native claims and all difficulties in connection therewith, he shall by Proclamation declare such lands to be waste lands of the Crown, subject, except as thereafter in the said Act provided, to be sold and dealt with according to the provisions of the laws regulating the sale and disposal of waste lands of the Crown for the time being in force in the land district in which such land is situated; and thereupon such land so proclaimed shall become subject to such provisions:

And whereas the land described in the Schedule hereto has been purchased out of the sums authorized under "The Immigration and Public Works Act, 1870," and Acts amending the same, and it is expedient that the said land should be declared to be waste lands of the Crown:

Now, therefore, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, being satisfied that the lands described in the Schedule hereto are free from Native claims and all difficulties in connection therewith, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by "The Waste Lands Administration Act, 1876," do hereby proclaim and declare the said lands to be waste lands of the Crown, subject to be sold and dealt with according to the provisions of the laws regulating the sale and disposal of waste lands of the Crown in force in the Land Districts of Hawke's Bay and Wellington respectively.

SCHEDULE.

NGAMOKO, OR MANAWATU No. 5.

ALL that parcel of land situate partly in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, and partly in the Provincial District of Wellington, known as Ngamoko,

or Manawatu No. 5, containing by admeasurement sixteen thousand three hundred and fifty-two (16,352) acres, more or less—namely, ten thousand one hundred and eighty-one (10,181) acres in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, and six thousand one hundred and seventy-one (6,171) acres in the Provincial District of Wellington. Bounded towards the North-east by the Manawatu River, from the north-western boundary of Te Whiti Native Reserve to its source at Trigonometrical Station No. 86A, and by a straight line thence to Umutoi Hill, bearing three hundred and six degrees sixteen minutes forty-five seconds (306° 16' 45") true, fifty-one thousand four hundred and fourteen (51,414) links; towards the North-west by a straight line bearing two hundred and seven degrees twelve minutes (207° 12') true, seventeen thousand nine hundred and twenty (17,920) links; towards the South-west by a straight line, being the north-eastern boundary of the Te Ohu Block, bearing one hundred and twenty-seven degrees (127°) true, sixty-four thousand six hundred and twenty (64,620) links, to the Mangatewainui River, and by the Mangatewainui River to the old Native track leading to Tahoraite; and on the South-east by the said Native track to the south-western boundary of Te Whiti Native Reserve, thence along that boundary, bearing three hundred and four degrees (304°) magnetic, three hundred and twenty-two (322) links, to its south-western corner, and thence along its north-western boundary, bearing nineteen degrees thirty minutes (19° 30') magnetic, five hundred and seventy-seven (577) links, and fourteen degrees (14°) magnetic, five thousand and eighty-five (5,085) links, to the Manawatu River, at the starting point.

TUATUA, OR MANAWATU No. 6.

All that parcel of land situate in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, known as Tuatua, or Manawatu No. 6, containing by admeasurement seven thousand nine hundred and fifty (7,950) acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North-west by the old Native track through the Seventy-Mile Bush leading to Tahoraite, being part of the south-eastern boundary of the Ngamoko Block, from the south-western boundary of Te Whiti Native Reserve to the north-eastern boundary of the Rakaiatai Block; towards the South-west by the north-eastern boundary of the Rakaiatai Block, bearing one hundred and eighteen degrees fifty-three minutes (118° 53') true, three thousand and six (3,006) links, one hundred and seven degrees fourteen minutes (107° 14') true, five hundred and three (503) links, one hundred and two degrees seven minutes (102° 7') true, three hundred and ninety-seven (397) links, one hundred and nineteen degrees thirty-one minutes (119° 31') true, three hundred and sixty-seven (367) links, one hundred and seventeen degrees fifty-two minutes (117° 52') magnetic, ten thousand four hundred and fourteen (10,414) links, to the Makotoku Stream, and by the Makotoku Stream to its junction with the Manawatu River; towards the South-east by the Manawatu River; and towards the North-east by the Manawatu River to the mouth of the Kahututaiatua Stream, by that stream to a point where it is joined by a small stream running into it from the west, by that stream to Rakauwhaonuri; thence by a line forming part of the south-western boundary of Te Whiti Native Reserve, bearing three hundred and twenty-one degrees (321°) magnetic, one thousand and ninety-four (1,094) links, to the Kahututaiatua Stream at Waipukeaka, thence by the Kahututaiatua Stream to part of the south-western boundary of Te Whiti Native Reserve, and thence by lines forming part of the south-western boundary of that reserve, bearing three hundred and eleven degrees (311°) magnetic, one thousand six hundred and eighty-two

(1682) links, two hundred and sixty-one degrees forty-five minutes ( $261^{\circ} 45'$ ) magnetic, six thousand seven hundred and twenty-six (6726) links, three hundred and four degrees ( $304^{\circ}$ ) magnetic, two thousand two hundred and fifty (2250) links, to the starting point on the old Native track.

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 Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

G. S. WHITMORE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*New Zealand Railways.—By-law in substitution of By-law 21, fixed by Order in Council of 17th April, 1877.*

NORMANBY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of February, 1878.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance of the power and authority vested in him by the one hundred and forty-fifth section of "The Public Works Act, 1876," and of all other powers and authorities in any wise enabling him, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby cancel By-law 21, fixed by Order in Council of 17th April, 1877, and in substitution thereof doth make the following, and doth declare that the same shall come into force on the several lines of railway in New Zealand from the day of the date hereof:—

21. Smoking is strictly prohibited in any of the railway sheds, offices, platforms, waiting-rooms, or any portion of the railway premises; and any person so smoking shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Extending Time for receiving Valuation List, Tuturau Road District.*

NORMANBY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of February, 1878.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Rating Act, 1876," it is enacted that if the local body or the Assessment Court fails through misadventure or accident

to do anything which by that Act is required to be done in a fixed time, the Governor may, by an Order in Council, published in the Government Gazette, and publicly notified, extend the time for doing such thing, and may by any such order validate anything which may have been irregularly done in matter of form, so that the intent and purpose of the said Act may have effect: And whereas the Valuer of the Tuturau Road Board, being the local body of the Tuturau Road District constituted under an Ordinance of the Province of Otago, intituled "The Roads Ordinance, 1871," has failed by misadventure to transmit the valuation list within the time specified by the said Rating Act, 1876:

Now, therefore, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by "The Rating Act, 1876," and of every other power and authority enabling me in that behalf, do hereby, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, extend the time for the transmission of the valuation list for the said district, until not later than the ninth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight; and with the like advice and consent do hereby order that such valuation list shall be deposited, lie open for inspection, public notice be given, ratepayers and others may inspect such valuation list and take copies thereof and make objections thereto, as provided by the said Act, from the ninth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, to the twenty-eighth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight; and I do hereby, with the like advice and consent, extend the time accordingly.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Delegation of Powers under "The Mines Act, 1877."*

(L.S.) NORMANBY, Governor.

WHEREAS by the one hundredth section of "The Mines Act, 1877," the Governor is empowered to delegate to the Chairman of the County Council of any county in any mining district all the powers vested in the Governor by subsections four and five of section fifty-one of that Act:

Now, therefore, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby, in exercise of the powers vested in me by the said Act, delegate unto the Chairman for the time being of the County Council of Vincent, all the powers vested in the Governor by section fifty-one of "The Mines Act, 1877," of making, altering, amending, and revoking rules and regulations for the purposes contained in subsections four and five of the said section fifty-one: And I do hereby declare that the powers hereby delegated shall be exercised and performed only within the said County of Vincent, and by and with the consent of the County Council of the said County of Vincent.

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 Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony

of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this fourth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

J. MACANDREW.

*Notification of the Payment of Money on and Entry into Negotiations for the Purchase of Native Lands in the North Island.*

NORMANBY, Governor.

IN pursuance of the provisions of "The Government Native Land Purchases Act, 1877," it is hereby notified that money has been paid by or on behalf of Her Majesty the Queen for the purchase or acquisition of the several blocks of Native land in the North Island, which are more particularly described and mentioned in the Schedule hereto; and, further, that negotiations in respect of such purchase or acquisitions as aforesaid have been entered into by or on behalf of Her said Majesty.

SCHEDULE.

MANAWATU-WAIRARAPA No. 3 (OR MANGATAINOKA).

ALL that block or parcel of land in the Wairarapa District, in the Provincial District of Wellington, containing by estimation 74,018 acres or thereabouts, and known by the name of Manawatu-Wairarapa No. 3. Bounded on the North by the Manawatu River and Puketoi No. 1 Block; on the East by Puketoi No. 1, Manawatu-Wairarapa No. 2B, Manawatu-Wairarapa No. 2A, Manawatu-Wairarapa No. 2, and Manawatu-Wairarapa No. 1 Blocks; on the South by the Manawatu Block; and on the West by Kaihinu Nos. 2 and 1, and Mangahao Nos. 1, 2, and 3 Blocks: as delineated on a plan deposited in the office of the Deputy Inspector of Surveys, Wellington. This block has passed the Native Land Court.

PUKEHOU No. 5A.

All that block or parcel of land in the Otaki District, in the Provincial District of Wellington, containing by estimation 5,600 acres or thereabouts, and known by the name of Pukehou No. 5A. Bounded on the North by Pukehou Nos. 3, 4, and 5M Blocks; on the East by Crown land; on the South by Pukehou Nos. 5E, 5B, and 5L Blocks; and on the West by Pukehou Nos. 5F and 5G Blocks: as delineated on a plan deposited in the office of the Deputy Inspector of Surveys, Wellington. This block has passed the Native Land Court.

HOROWHENUA.

All that block or parcel of land in the Manawatu District, in the Provincial District of Wellington, containing by estimation 52,000 acres or thereabouts, and known by the name of Horowhenua. Bounded on the North by Manawatu-Kukutauaki Nos. 2E, 3, 7c, and 7D Blocks; on the East by Government land; on the South by Muhunua Nos. 4 and 3, and the Waiwiri Blocks; and on the West by the sea: as delineated on a plan deposited in the office of the Deputy Inspector of Surveys, Wellington. This Block has passed the Native Land Court.

MIDDLE AORANGI.

All that block or parcel of land in the Manawatu District, in the Provincial District of Wellington, containing by admeasurement 7,105 acres or thereabouts, and known by the name of Middle Aorangi. Bounded on the North by the Oroua River and the Upper Aorangi Block; on the East by Crown lands;

on the South by the Lower Aorangi Block; and on the West by the Oroua River: as delineated on a plan deposited in the office of the Deputy Inspector of Surveys, Wellington. This block has passed the Native Land Court.

LOWER AORANGI.

All that block or parcel of land in the Manawatu District, in the Provincial District of Wellington, containing by admeasurement 4,925 acres or thereabouts, and known by the name of Lower Aorangi. Bounded on the North by the Middle Aorangi Block; on the East by Crown land; on the South by the Manawatu River; and on the West by the Oroua River: as delineated on a plan deposited in the office of the Deputy Inspector of Surveys, Wellington. This block has passed the Native Land Court.

OTAMAKAPUA.

All that block or parcel of land in the Wanganui District, in the Provincial District of Wellington, containing by estimation 147,000 acres or thereabouts, and known by the name of Otamakapua. Bounded on the North by the Rangitikei and Kawatau Rivers; on the East by the Mangoira-Ruahine Block; on the South by the Oroua River and the Rangitikei-Manawatu Purchase Block; and on the West by the Rangitikei River: as delineated on a plan deposited in the office of the Deputy Inspector of Surveys, Wellington. This block has *not* passed the Native Land Court.

MANGOIRA-RUAHINE.

All that block or parcel of land in the Wanganui District, in the Provincial District of Wellington, containing by admeasurement 35,660 acres or thereabouts, and known by the name of Mangoira-Ruahine. Bounded on the North by Native land and the Pourangaki River; on the East by Native land; on the South by the Manawatu No. 5 Block and the Oroua River; and on the West by the Otamakapua Block: as delineated on a plan deposited in the office of the Deputy Inspector of Surveys, Wellington. This block has passed the Native Land Court.

RETARUKE.

All that block or parcel of land in the Wanganui District, in the Provincial District of Wellington, containing by admeasurement 20,585 acres or thereabouts, and known by the name of Retaruke. Bounded on the North by the Kirikau Block and Native land; on the East and South by Native land; and on the West by the Wanganui River: as delineated on a plan deposited in the office of the Deputy Inspector of Surveys, Wellington. This block has passed the Native Land Court.

PIKOPIKO No. 3.

All that block or parcel of land in the Wanganui District, in the Provincial District of Wellington, containing by estimation 1,112 acres or thereabouts, and known by the name of Pikopiko No. 3. Bounded on the North by the Pukohu Block; on the East by the Pukohu and Pohuehue Blocks and the Manga-whereo River; on the South by Te Maire and Pikopiko No. 1 Blocks; and on the West by Native land: as delineated on a plan deposited in the office of the Deputy Inspector of Surveys, Wellington. This block has *not* passed the Native Land Court.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twenty-sixth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

JOHN SHEEHAN.

*Judges of Assessment Courts under "The Rating Act, 1876," appointed.*

NORMANBY, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of all powers and authorities vested in me by "The Rating Act, 1876," I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the persons named in the Schedule hereto to be the Judges of the Assessment Courts for the districts placed opposite their names.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fifth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

G. S. WHITMORE.

SCHEDULE.

Districts.	Judges of Assessment Courts.
PROVINCIAL DISTRICT OF AUCKLAND.	
Poverty Bay Highway District	Harry Kenrick, Esq., R.M.
PROVINCIAL DISTRICT OF HAWKE'S BAY.	
Municipality of Napier	Richmond Beetham, Esq., R.M.
Porangahau Highway District	Richmond Beetham, Esq., R.M.
Eparaima Highway District	Richmond Beetham, Esq., R.M.
Tamumu Highway District	Richmond Beetham, Esq., R.M.
Oero Highway District	Richmond Beetham, Esq., R.M.
Te Mata Highway District	Richmond Beetham, Esq., R.M.
Waipukurau Highway District	Richmond Beetham, Esq., R.M.
Makaretu Highway District	Richmond Beetham, Esq., R.M.
Ruataniwha Highway District	Richmond Beetham, Esq., R.M.
Waipawa Highway District	Richmond Beetham, Esq., R.M.
Patangata Highway District	Richmond Beetham, Esq., R.M.
Kereru and Aorangi Highway District	Richmond Beetham, Esq., R.M.
Kakiraawa Highway District	Richmond Beetham, Esq., R.M.
Okawa Highway District	Richmond Beetham, Esq., R.M.
North Ruataniwha Highway District	Richmond Beetham, Esq., R.M.
Raukawa Highway District	Richmond Beetham, Esq., R.M.
Maraekakaho Highway District	Richmond Beetham, Esq., R.M.
Clive and Hikutoto Highway District	Richmond Beetham, Esq., R.M.
Heretaunga Highway District	Richmond Beetham, Esq., R.M.
Meanee Highway District	Richmond Beetham, Esq., R.M.
Puketapu Highway District	Richmond Beetham, Esq., R.M.
Redclyffe Highway District	Richmond Beetham, Esq., R.M.
Havelock Highway District	Richmond Beetham, Esq., R.M.
Pukahu Highway District	Richmond Beetham, Esq., R.M.
Papakura Highway District	Richmond Beetham, Esq., R.M.
Pakowhai and Waitangi Highway District	Richmond Beetham, Esq., R.M.
Petane Highway District	Richmond Beetham, Esq., R.M.
PROVINCIAL DISTRICT OF CANTERBURY.	
Rakaia South Road District	George Lilly Mellish, Esq., R.M.

*Member of Amuri Highway Board appointed.*

NORMANBY, Governor.

WHEREAS at a meeting of the ratepayers of the Amuri Highway District, a district constituted under an Act of the Provincial Council of the late Province of Nelson, intituled "The Highways Act, 1872," called for the purpose of electing one duly qualified person to be a member of the Highway Board of the said district, the said ratepayers neglected to elect a duly qualified person:

Now, therefore, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by virtue of the powers vested in me by the said "Highways Act, 1872," and by "The Abolition of Provinces Act, 1875," do hereby appoint

SAMUEL MUNSEN NEVILLE

to be a Member of the said Amuri Highway Board.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this first day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

G. S. WHITMORE.

*Appointing Adair's Wharf at Poverty Bay a Legal Landing-place.*

NORMANBY, Governor.

IN exercise of the power in me for this purpose vested by "The Customs Regulation Act, 1858," I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint that, from and after the day of the date hereof, the wharf measuring sixty feet by sixty feet, situate seventy feet from the public wharf, and running out from the Native reserve, bounded on the North by the town of Gisborne, and South by Waikanāe Stream, and known as

ADAIR'S WHARF,

shall be deemed and taken to be a legal quay or landing-place at the Port of Poverty Bay, for the lading and unloading of goods under "The Customs Regulation Act, 1858."

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 Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; at the Government House, at Wellington, this first day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

J. BALLANCE.

Governor's Order No. 115.]

*Progress Report of the New Zealand War Medal Commissioner.*

Colonial Defence Office,  
Wellington, 31st January, 1878.

THE following report, relative to the issue of officers, non-commissioned officers, and men of the Colonial Forces, of the New Zealand War Medal, is published for general information.

G. S. WHITMORE.

To His Excellency the Most Honorable the Marquis of NORMANBY, &c., &c., &c.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY,—

In accordance with instructions conveyed by the commission of the 3rd September, 1872, I, the undersigned Commissioner, appointed to examine and report on the claims made by officers and men of the Colonial Forces to the New Zealand War Medal, do now most respectfully submit for your Excellency's consideration the enclosed Rolls A, B, and C, containing the names of the applicants, both European and Native, whose applications for the decoration having been referred to me, I have, since the publication of my last report on the 27th April, 1877, admitted the correctness of their claims.

JAMES PAUL.

Wellington, 24th January, 1878.

ROLL A.

NOMINAL RETURN of Officers and Men of the Colonial Forces who have made application for the New Zealand War Medal, for services rendered prior to the 31st December, 1866, and whose claims have been admitted.

Adams, Francis, jun., Corporal, Taranaki Volunteers.  
Banbury, John, Sergeant, Auckland Militia.  
Bruce, Robert, Private, Auckland Volunteers.  
Cooke, Philip, Sergeant, 1st Waikato Militia.  
Figg, Henry, Lieutenant, Auckland Volunteers.  
Fussell, Jas. Cecil, Trooper, Colonial Defence Force.  
Hinde Thomas, Private, Taranaki Volunteers.  
Hoby, George, Private, Taranaki Volunteers.  
Hunter, Samuel, Private, 3rd Waikato Militia.  
Laing, Edward B., Private, Taranaki Volunteers.  
Lockwood, Thomas, Private, 1st Waikato Militia.  
Nancarrow, Joseph, Private, Taranaki Militia.  
O'Brien, William, Colour-Sergeant, 3rd Waikato Militia.  
Shawe, John, Corporal, Taranaki Militia.  
Stewart, Henry, Private, Taranaki Military Settlers.  
Thompson, William, Private, Patea Rangers.  
Vercoe, William, Private, Taranaki Volunteers.  
Webster, Edward, Private, 2nd Waikato Militia.  
Whitwell, Thomas, Private, Taranaki Militia.  
Woodward, James, Private, Hawke's Bay Military Settlers.

ROLL B.

NOMINAL RETURN of Officers and Men of the Colonial Forces who have made application for the New Zea-

land War Medal, for services rendered subsequent to the 31st December, 1866, and whose claims have been admitted.

Cameron, Geo. Douglas, Constable, Armed Constabulary.  
Collins, Michael, Constable, Armed Constabulary.  
Grace, William Henry, Trooper, Tauranga Cavalry Volunteers.  
McMahon, Martin, Constable, Armed Constabulary.  
Peevor, T. G., Constable, Armed Constabulary.  
Rae, Lewis Harrison, Private, 1st Waikato Militia.  
Richardson, Geo. Baker, Private, Hawke's Bay Cavalry and Colonial Defence Force.  
Smith, Alexander, Sergeant, Armed Constabulary.  
Thompson, Joseph L., Private, Wellington Rifles.

ROLL C.

NOMINAL RETURN of Natives engaged in the late Maori wars, whose claims to the New Zealand War Medal have been admitted since the Commissioner's last Report.

Tamehana, Private, Native Contingent.

*Managers of Cemetery at Upper Shotover appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 5th February, 1878.

HIS Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified that he has appointed the following persons to be Managers of the Upper Shotover Cemetery (Skipper's), in the County of Lake:—

JOHN HENDERSON.  
SAMUEL JOHNSTON.  
W. CALDWELL.  
R. JOHNSTON.  
AUGUST SORENSON.

G. S. WHITMORE.

*Clerk in Registrar-General's Office appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 1st February, 1878.

HIS Excellency the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint

FREDERICK WILLIAM FRANKLAND, Esq.,

to be a Clerk in the office of the Registrar-General of Births, Deaths, and Marriages. Appointment to date from 1st February, 1878.

G. S. WHITMORE.

*Clerk in Registrar-General's Office appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 1st February, 1878.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

SAM HOLLISTER, Esq.,

to be a Clerk in the office of the Registrar-General of Births, Deaths, and Marriages. Appointment to date from the 15th January, 1878.

G. S. WHITMORE.

*Trustees for Winton Corporation Sinking Fund appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 1st February, 1878.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

The Hon. Sir JOHN LARKINS CHEESE RICHARDSON,  
WILLIAM WOOD, Esq., M.H.R., and  
WILLIAM PANTON GRIGOR, Esq.,

to be Trustees for the Corporation Sinking Fund of the Borough of Winton.

G. S. WHITMORE.

*Actuary appointed under "Friendly Societies Act, 1877."*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 1st February, 1878.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

CHARLES GODFREY KNIGHT, Esq.,  
to be an Actuary for the purposes of "The Friendly Societies Act, 1877."

G. S. WHITMORE.

*Trustee Manawatu Racecourse appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 5th February, 1878.

**T**HE Chairman of the Trustees of the Manawatu Racecourse Reserve has notified that, under the provisions of "The Manawatu Racecourse Act, 1869,"

ERNEST S. THYNNE, Esq.,

has been elected a Trustee, *vice* John Taylor Dalrymple, Esq., resigned.

G. S. WHITMORE.

*Justices of the Peace appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 2nd February, 1878.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to reappoint

WILLIAM BARR, Esq., Mayor of Mornington,  
and

ROBERT GEORGE WILLIAMS, Esq., Mayor of Masterton,

to be Justices of the Peace under "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1876." These appointments to date from the 11th December last.

J. BALLANCE,  
(for the Minister of Justice.)

*Justice of the Peace appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 5th February, 1878.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

RICHARD JOHN SEDDON, Esq.,  
Mayor of Kumara, to be a Justice of the Peace under "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1876."

J. BALLANCE,  
(for the Minister of Justice.)

*Chairman of Petty Sessions appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 6th February, 1878.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN SHEPHERD, Esq., J.P.,  
to be Chairman of the Petty Sessions Court at Port Albert for the year ending 13th January, 1879.

J. BALLANCE,  
(for the Minister of Justice.)

*Clerk of District Court appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 1st February, 1878.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ALFRED HOGARTH GILL  
to be Clerk, at Palmerston, of the District Court of the Otago Gold Fields.

J. BALLANCE,  
(for the Minister of Justice.)

*Receiver of Gold Revenue for Hauraki Gold-Mining District appointed.*

Treasury,  
Wellington, 6th February, 1878.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

FREDERICK JAMES BURGESS, Esq.,  
to be Receiver of Gold Revenue for the Hauraki Gold-Mining District, during the absence on leave of Mr. A. J. Allom.

J. BALLANCE,  
(for the Colonial Treasurer.)

*Interpreter appointed.*

Native Office,  
Wellington, 25th January, 1878.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HENRY H. CARR,  
of Wairoa, Hawke's Bay, to be an Interpreter under the 12th section of "The Native Land Act, 1873."

JOHN SHEEHAN.

*Mining Registrar appointed.*

General Crown Lands Office,  
Wellington, 1st February, 1878.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

A. D. HARVEY  
to be a Mining Registrar for the Districts of Black's, Alexandra, and Roxburgh, in the Mining District of Otago, from the 1st of January, 1878.

J. MACANDREW.

*Member of Land Board appointed.*

General Crown Lands Office,  
Wellington, 5th February, 1878.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

THOMAS PRATT, Esq.,  
to be a Member of the Land Board of the Land District of Otago, *vice* W. Wood, Esq., M.H.R., resigned.

J. MACANDREW.

*Member of Land Board appointed.*

General Crown Lands Office,  
Wellington, 5th February, 1878.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN SHARP, Esq., M.H.R.,  
to be a Member of the Land Board of the Land District of Nelson.

J. MACANDREW.

*Member of Land Board appointed.*

General Crown Lands Office,  
Wellington, 5th February, 1878.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES W. THOMSON, Esq., M.H.R.,  
to be a Member of the Land Board of the Land District of Otago, *vice* J. L. Butterworth, resigned.

J. MACANDREW.



*Gold-Mining Lease to be granted.*

General Crown Lands Office,  
Wellington, 5th February, 1878.

IT is hereby notified that it is intended to grant a Gold-Mining Lease to the persons hereunder mentioned, at the place and for the area set opposite to their names:—

WILLIAM HOTTER, JAMES LAING, JAMES HOTTER, and GARET H. WEENICK	}	Watson's Creek, West- land Mining District, 3 acres.
J. MACANDREW, Minister of Lands.		

*Gold-Mining Lease to be granted.*

General Crown Lands Office,  
Wellington, 5th February, 1878.

IT is hereby notified that it is intended to grant a Gold-Mining Lease to the under-mentioned persons, at the place and for the area set opposite to their names:—

JAMES HOTTER and PARTY	}	Stony Lead, Westland Mining District, 3 acres.
J. MACANDREW, Minister of Lands.		

*Commissioner of Crown Lands appointed.*

General Crown Lands Office,  
Wellington, 6th February, 1878.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOSEPH GILES, Esq., J.P.,  
to be Commissioner of Crown Lands for the Provincial District of Westland. This appointment dates from the 1st instant.

J. MACANDREW,  
Minister of Lands.

*Sheep and Cattle Inspector appointed.*

General Crown Lands Office,  
Wellington, 6th February, 1878.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN THOMSON  
to be a Sheep and Cattle Inspector in the Provincial District of Otago.

J. MACANDREW,  
Minister of Lands.

*Assistant Surveyor appointed.*

General Survey Office,  
Wellington, 2nd February, 1878.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

CHARLES KENNEDY, Esq.,  
to be an Assistant Surveyor in the General Survey Department. The appointment to date from the 21st January, 1878.

J. MACANDREW,  
Minister of Lands.

*Gold-Mining Lease to be granted.*

PUBLIC NOTIFICATION.

IN conformity with the 37th section of "The Mines Act, 1877," and with the regulations made under that Act for the granting of leases for gold-mining purposes, it is hereby notified that it is intended to grant a lease for gold-mining purposes of Crown

lands to the applicant specified in the annexed Schedule, unless there shall be valid objections against such lease.

Objections to the granting of such lease, stating the grounds of objection, must be made in writing, and lodged with the Warden at Queenstown, on or before the 28th day of February, 1878.

Copy of the application made and plans annexed may be seen at the Warden's Office, at Queenstown.

SCHEDULE.

WILLIAM DUNCAN. For three acres of land, more or less, as the same may be found after survey to be within the pegs and trenches of the applicants, situated at Duncan's Terrace, South Side, Moonlight.

Given under my hand, at Wellington, this fourth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

J. MACANDREW,  
Minister.

*Gold-Mining Lease to be granted.*

PUBLIC NOTIFICATION.

IN conformity with the 37th section of "The Mines Act, 1877," and with the regulations made under that Act for the granting of leases for gold-mining purposes, it is hereby notified that it is intended to grant a lease for gold-mining purposes of Crown lands to the applicant specified in the annexed Schedule, unless there shall be valid objections against such lease.

Objections to the granting of such lease, stating the grounds of objection, must be made in writing, and lodged with the Warden at Naseby, on or before the 23rd day of February, 1878.

Copy of the application made and plans annexed may be seen at the Warden's Office, at Naseby.

SCHEDULE.

JOHN COGAN, on behalf of himself and others. For sixteen acres of land, more or less, as the same may be found after survey to be within the pegs and trenches of the applicants, situated at German Jack's No. 2, Serpentine.

Given under my hand, at Wellington, this fourth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

J. MACANDREW,  
Minister.

*Gold-Mining Lease to be granted.*

PUBLIC NOTIFICATION.

IN conformity with the 37th section of "The Mines Act, 1877," and with the regulations made under that Act for the granting of leases for gold-mining purposes, it is hereby notified that it is intended to grant a lease for gold-mining purposes of Crown lands to the applicant specified in the annexed Schedule, unless there shall be valid objections against such lease.

Objections to the granting of such lease, stating the grounds of objection, must be made in writing, and lodged with the Warden at Arrowtown, on or before the 25th day of February, 1878.

Copy of the application made and plans annexed may be seen at the Warden's Office, at Arrowtown.

SCHEDULE.

LORENZO RESTA and Antoni Resta. For two acres of land, more or less, as the same may be found after

survey to be within the pegs and trenches of the applicants, situated between Tipperary and Tipperary No. 1 South, on south side of Tipperary Creek, Macetown.

Given under my hand, at Wellington, this fourth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

J. MACANDREW,  
Minister.

*Gold-Mining Lease to be granted.*

PUBLIC NOTIFICATION.

IN conformity with the thirty-seventh section of "The Mines Act, 1877," and with the regulations made under that Act for the granting of leases for gold-mining purposes, it is hereby notified that it is intended to grant a lease for gold-mining purposes of Crown lands to the applicant specified in the annexed Schedule, unless there shall be valid objections against such lease.

Objections to granting such lease, stating the grounds of objection, must be made in writing, and lodged with the Warden at Clyde, on or before the 12th day of February, 1878.

Copy of the application made and plans annexed may be seen at the Warden's Office at Clyde.

SCHEDULE.

PATRICK MURPHY. Style under which it is intended to conduct business: "Murphy and Company." Six acres, in the Otago Gold Mining District.

Given under my hand, at Wellington, this fourth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

J. MACANDREW,  
Minister.

*Tenders.*

Public Works Office,  
Wellington, 5th February, 1878.

THE following list of successful and unsuccessful Tenderers is published for general information.

G. S. WHITMORE,  
(for the Minister for Public Works.)

FEATHERSTON STATION CONTRACT, FORMATION  
AND BUILDINGS, WELLINGTON-MASTERTON  
RAILWAY.

	Accepted.	£	s.	d.
James Sutherland, Wellington	...	3,549	3	0
<i>Declined.</i>				
Murdoch and Rose	...	4,026	6	11
W. Rowe, Wanganui	...	4,237	0	0
Hector Reid, Dunedin	...	4,288	4	6
Tawse and Brown, Wellington	...	4,421	18	6
W. J. Ridler, Wellington	...	4,431	16	6
Collie and Co., Wellington	...	4,800	11	6
J. Saunders, Wellington	...	4,975	0	0
E. O'Malley, Wellington	...	4,997	0	0
J. Adams, Wellington	...	5,480	0	0

*Secretary to the Department of Education appointed.*

Education Department,  
Wellington, 30th January, 1878.

HIS Excellency the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint

JOHN HISLOP, Esq.,

Secretary to the Department of Education,  
he 1st instant.

J. BALLANCE.

*Appointment of Chief Clerk in Education Department.*

Education Department,  
Wellington, 6th February, 1878.

HIS Excellency the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint

Sir EDWARD OSBORNE-GIBBES, Bart.,

to be Chief Clerk in the Department of Education,  
from the 1st instant.

J. BALLANCE.

*Cancellation of Drawback on Goods exported from Victoria.*

Customs Department,  
Wellington, 31st January, 1878.

THE following Gazette notice, received from the Department of Trade and Customs in Melbourne, cancelling order respecting the allowance of drawback of duties on certain articles, is published for general information.

J. BALLANCE.

DRAWBACKS OF DUTIES.

THE Governor in Council has cancelled the order specifying the articles on which a drawback of duty paid on importation into Victoria might be allowed on exportation, so far as relates to the goods specified in the Schedule hereunto annexed, on and after the 4th of January instant.

PETER LALOR,  
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

Department of Trade and Customs,  
Melbourne, 4th January, 1878.

SCHEDULE OF GOODS, WARES, AND MERCHANDISE  
TO BE EXEMPT FROM DUTY.

"Apparel, slops, and all articles made up wholly or in part from silk, cotton, linen, or of wool, or of mixed material," except the following articles of apparel, whether wholly or partly made up (except hosiery), viz.—Aprons, breeches, coats, capes, cloaks, costumes, collars, cuffs, sleeves and sets, crinolines, camisoles, dresses, furs made up, frocks, fronts, infants' hoods and hats, infants' swatches and bibs, jackets, knickerbocker suits or portions of suits, leggings, mantles, muslin and net scarfs, night-dresses, pants, pelisses, petticoats, pinafores, ruffles, robes, shirts of all kinds, skirts, stays, shawls, trousers, tunics, vests, wristbands; men's, women's, and children's underclothing; also the following articles of artificial human hair manufactured, viz.—Head-dresses, hair-plats, hair-plat stems, side-pads, chignons; also mats.

Cartridges.

Cement.

Drugs.

Drugs, preparations of.

Fancy goods.

Fine gunpowder, imported in packages containing in bulk not less than 25 lbs. weight each.

Fish, salted, dried, or preserved in brine.

Gilt mouldings and beadings for picture-frames of wood or other material.

Hickory spokes and fellos in the rough.

Hosiery.

Iron, galvanized.

Iron wire, Nos. 1 to 9.

Ivory billiard-balls in the rough.

Machinery used in the manufacture of paper and for felting, including wire-cloth and felts.

Manufactures of metals, as follows: Anvils,

beams and scales, bridle and boat hooks, cast-iron tanks, cast-iron ventilators, caulking-irons, chains, chest-handles, coach-screws, cork-squeezers, cramps (wrought-iron), curling-irons, diving apparatus, ferrules (wrought iron), funnel-pipes, marline spikes, pincers, rakes, sad-irons, steelyards, strap-hinges, switching-bills, vyces.

Materials for toilet-covers, antimacassars, curtains, handkerchiefs, and materials cut out, defined, marked, or in any way prepared for making up.

Milk, preserved or condensed.

Molasses, unrefined.

Musical instruments (except pianofortes, organs, harmoniums, and pianoforte actions made up).

Oil or other floorcloths.

Oils in bulk, except mineral oils refined, colza, and olive.

"Paints, wet or dry."

Plated door-handles, locks, shaft-tips, stumps and finger joints, and slot-irons used in carriage-building, and whip and harness mountings.

Rock salt.

Screws.

Sewing or seaming twine of hemp, cotton, or flax.

Shafts and poles in the rough.

"Silks, and all manufactures containing silk," except dress silks in the piece and dress satins in the piece, silk and union velvets in the piece, silk and union crapes in the piece, all dress goods in the piece of which silk is the component material of chief value, silks in the piece known as pongees.

Slates.

Stationery not otherwise enumerated.

Timber, undressed (except hardwood).

Toys.

"Woollen piece goods, or of other material mixed with wool," except woollen piece goods, being vestings, trouserings, coatings, and shirtings, containing wool, broadcloths, witneys, naps, and flannels.

#### Gore Bay.

#### NOTICE TO MARINERS.

No. 3 of 1878.

Customs Department (Marine Branch),  
Wellington, 6th February, 1878.

THE following report, by Captain Johnson of this department, containing sailing directions for Gore Bay, is published for general information.

J. BALLANCE.

#### Marine Office,

Wellington, 6th February, 1878.

SIR,—A single anchor mooring for a 200-ton vessel has been laid in Gore Bay, about 400 yards from shore, and right opposite the new landing slip, in 3½ fathoms water, sheltered from all winds except from North to East, which blow right in, but seldom with great violence. Sailing vessels, if caught in such weather, will not be able to beat out from the mooring, and are advised to use their anchors in addition to the mooring. The boating establishment, when completed, will be very efficient, and with a vessel at the mooring great despatch in loading and discharging will be insured.

Vessels bound to Gore Bay will find no difficulty in making out the landing-place, which is situated immediately within the south side of the entrance. It should be brought to bear S.W. by W. when about two miles from shore, then steer straight in; and should the vessel be large she should anchor in convenient depth until a boat comes off. Seaward of

mooring the anchorage is open to the S.E., but from here a vessel can get under weigh with the wind in.

I have, &c.,

R. JOHNSON.

The Secretary of Customs,  
(Marine Branch,) Wellington.

#### Authority to Frank.

General Post Office,  
Wellington, 4th February, 1878.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to authorize

THE SECRETARIES OF EDUCATION BOARDS  
to frank, free from the prepayment of postage, letters and parcels posted on the public service.

G. S. WHITMORE,  
(for the Postmaster-General.)

#### Inland Mail Service.

General Post Office,  
Wellington, 4th February, 1878.

SEALED tenders will be received at the General Post Office, Wellington, until noon of Tuesday, the 5th March, for the conveyance of mails weekly, by horse, between Arrowtown and Cardrona, in the Lake County.

The service to be for the period commencing 1st April, 1878, and ending 31st December, 1878.

Forms of tender may be procured from the Chief Postmaster, Dunedin, or at the Post Offices at Arrowtown or Queenstown.

Tenders to be indorsed "Tender for the Arrowtown and Cardrona Mail Service," and addressed to the Postmaster-General, Wellington.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

By order.

J. K. WARBURTON,  
(for the Secretary.)

#### OFFICIATING MINISTERS FOR 1878.—NOTICE No. 2.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 5th February, 1878.

IT is hereby notified that the name of  
The Reverend THOMAS F. REEVE,  
(Wesleyan Methodist Society.)  
is withdrawn from the list of Officiating Ministers, within the meaning of "The Marriage Act, 1854."

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

#### OFFICIATING MINISTERS FOR 1878.—NOTICE No. 3.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 5th February, 1878.

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:—

Church of the Province of New Zealand, commonly called the Church of England.

The Reverend LAWRENCE LAWSON BROWN.

Wesleyan Methodist Society.

The Reverend THOMAS FEE.

The Reverend JOSEPH NEWMAN BUTTLE.

The Reverend W. STEPHENSON.

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

*Sheep Inspector's Notice.*

Crown Lands Office,  
Wellington, 4th February, 1878.

NOTICE has been received from the Inspector of Sheep for the Wanganui District that he has cancelled the clean certificate held by Mr. E. G. Allsworth, No. 2 Line, for the whole of his flock of 1,100 sheep, from the 16th ultimo.

JOS. G. HOLDSWORTH,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Application for Registration of a Trade Mark.*

NOTICE is hereby given that, Messrs. TRAVERS, OLLIVIER, AND Co., Solicitors, Wellington, have applied on behalf of Mr. JOEL BURKE WOLFE, of New York, in the United States of America, to register under "The Trade Marks Act, 1866," the Trade Mark of which the following is a description, viz.,—

*Description of Trade Mark.*

A label, printed in blue upon white paper, having double straight lines at the edges, terminating at each corner in a scroll or device, with the following words and figures within the border: "Wolfe's Aromatic Schiedam Schnapps, a Superlative Tonic, Diuretic, Anti-dyspeptic, and Invigorating Cordial. This medicinal beverage is manufactured by the proprietor at Schiedam, in Holland, and is warranted not only pure from every injurious property and ingredient, but of the best possible quality. Its extraordinary medicinal efficacy in gravel, gout, chronic rheumatism, incipient dropsy, flatulence, colic, pains of the stomach and bowels whether in adults or infants, in all ordinary cases of obstruction in the kidneys, bladder, and urinary organs, in dyspepsia whether acute or chronic, in general debility, sluggish circulation of the blood, inadequate assimilation of food, and exhausted vital energy, are acknowledged by the whole medical faculty and attested in their highest written authorities. The attention of agents and purchasers is invited to the signature and address of the proprietor on this label, and to the title of this medicinal cordial embossed on the sides of the bottles, as protections against in-

ferior and pernicious imitations.—UDOLPHO WOLFE.—Office, 22, Beaver Street, New York.

"Entered according to Act of Congress in the United States District Court of the Southern District of New York."

The said label to be attached to the side of bottles containing a medicinal spirit or cordial called "Wolfe's Aromatic Schiedam Schnapps;" and a label affixed to a yellow outer wrapper for the said bottles, of which label the following is a description: A white oblong label, printed in red ink, surrounded by a border of straight double lines, with a small device at each corner; and within the border are the following words and figures: "Wolfe's Aromatic Schiedam Schnapps, a Superlative Tonic, Diuretic, Anti-dyspeptic, and Invigorating Cordial. This medicinal beverage is manufactured by the proprietor, at Schiedam, in Holland, and is warranted not only pure from every injurious property and ingredient, but of the best possible quality. Its extraordinary medicinal properties in gravel, gout, chronic rheumatism, incipient dropsy, flatulence, colic, pains of the stomach and bowels whether in adults or infants, in all ordinary cases of obstruction in the kidneys, bladder, and urinary organs, in dyspepsia whether acute or chronic, in general debility, sluggish circulation of the blood, inadequate assimilation of food, and exhausted vital energy, are acknowledged by the whole medical faculty and attested in their highest written authorities. The attention of agents and purchasers is invited to the signature and address of the proprietor on this label, and to the title of this medicinal cordial embossed on the sides of the bottles, as protections against inferior and pernicious imitations.—UDOLPHO WOLFE.—Office, 22, Beaver Street, New York.

"Entered according to Act of Congress in the United States District Court of the Southern District of New York."

*Nature of the Article to which it is proposed such Trade Mark shall apply.*

A medicinal spirit or cordial called "Wolfe's Aromatic Schiedam Schnapps."

G. S. COOPER,  
(for the Registrar of Trade Marks.)

Wellington, 4th February, 1878.

*Foxton Cemetery Accounts.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 4th February, 1878.

THE following abstract of accounts of the Foxton Cemetery is published for general information.

G. S. COOPER,  
Under Secretary.

ABSTRACT of Foxton Cemetery Accounts, kept by Rev. James Duncan, Treasurer.

RECEIVED.			£	s.	d.	PAID.			£	s.	d.
1871.	Subscriptions for Fencing part of Cemetery Grounds, on condition that said sums be regarded as payment in part of sites to be purchased for interment	...	25	6	6	1871.	Charges for Fencing part of Cemetery Grounds, as per accounts	...	32	8	0
"	Site for Burial (not in perpetuity)	...	0	10	0	1872.	Charges for Gate, as per account	...	2	0	0
"	Loan from F. Robinson, J.P.	...	2	10	6	1873.	By Loan returned to F. Robinson	...	2	10	6
1872.	Charges for Burial Sites	...	4	10	0	1874.	Charges for printed Receipt Forms	...	0	12	6
1873.	Charges for Burial Sites	...	5	10	0	1875.	...	...	...	...	...
1874.	Charges for Burial Sites	...	4	0	0	1876.	By charges for Surveying, Laying off, and Clearing Grounds, as per account	...	9	18	0
1875.	Charges for Burial Sites	...	14	5	0	1877.	Charges for Notice Board, as per account	...	2	2	0
1876.	Charges for Burial Sites	...	7	15	0	"	Clearing Ground, Laying off Paths, &c., as per account	...	8	2	2
1877.	Charges for Burial Sites	...	15	15	0	"	Repairing Fence, Hinges, &c., as per account	...	0	12	9
			£80 2 0						£58 5 11		
									21 16 1		
									£80 2 0		

I hereby certify that I have audited all accounts connected with the Foxton Cemetery, and the above abstract as rendered is correct.

30th January, 1878.

T. U. COOK,  
One of the Trustees.

Taranaki Botanic Garden Accounts.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 4th February, 1878.

THE following balance-sheet of the Taranaki Botanic Garden, for the year ending 31st December, 1877, is published in compliance with the terms of "The Taranaki Botanic Garden Act, 1876."

G. S. COOPER,  
Under Secretary.

BALANCE-SHEET of the Board of Trustees for Public Recreation, New Plymouth, for the Year ending 31st December, 1877.

Dr. 1877.				RECEIPTS.				EXPENDITURE.				Cr. 1877.			
				£	s.	d.					£	s.	d.		
Jan. 1.	To Balance in hand	...	...	22	3	9	Jan. 1.	By Labour	...	...	...	64	17	9	
	" Cutfield, proportion of fencing	...	...	7	2	10		" Sundries	...	...	...	0	13	5	
to	" Overdraft at Bank	...	...	10	0	0		" Law Expenses	...	...	...	7	8	0	
	" Borough Council	...	...	50	0	0		" Timber	...	...	...	3	2	8	
	" Rents	...	...	17	11	9		" Advertising	...	...	...	1	7	6	
Dec. 13.	" Poundage Fees	...	...	1	0	0		" Shrubs	...	...	...	0	15	0	
				<u>£107 18 4</u>							<u>£107 18 4</u>				
1878.															
Jan. 1.	To balance brought down	...	...	£14	12	7									

R. BAYLEY,  
Honorary Secretary and Treasurer.

Examined and found correct—Wm. Bennett, Auditor.

RETURN of LANDS SOLD and DEPOSITS RECEIVED in the Provincial District of WELLINGTON, from the 1st to the 31st of January, 1878.

District.	Purchaser or Applicant.	Land Selected or Applied for.	Contents.	Payment.		Remarks.
				Cash.	scrip.	
East Coast	T. C. Williams ...	Pastoral Section No. 147, Pakaua Block	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	Deferred payments.
	Henry Philps ...	Rural " 296, Carnarvon ...	1,189 0 0	445 17 6	...	
	George A. Philps	" " 260, " ...	...	24 18 0	...	
	George Richardson	Part of Rural Section No. 551, Palmerston	...	24 7 0	...	
			1,189 0 0	513 2 6	...	

Crown Lands Office,  
Wellington, 4th February, 1878.

JOS. G. HOLDSWORTH,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

PARTICULARS of the Estates of Deceased Persons which have been placed under the charge of the PUBLIC TRUSTEE for management during the Month of January, 1878.

No.	Name of Deceased.	Colonial Residence.	Supposed British or Foreign Residence.	Date of Rule or Order.	Value or Estimated Value of Personal Estate.	Time of Deceased's Death.	Remarks.
1	Ollandt, Geo. ...	Woodville,	...	January 11, 1878	Under £150	Nov. 22, 1877	
2	Wheatley, Jas. ...	Hawke's Bay	...	January 25, 1878	Under £600	Jan. 4, 1878	
3	Shaw, Mary Ann...	Christchurch	...	January 25, 1878	Under £100	Dec. 11, 1876	
4	Savage, Thos. Byron	Westport	...	None required	Under £10	Jan. 2, 1878	
5	Marshall, Andrew	Matukituki	...	...	Under £15	Oct. 2, 1877	
6	Westwood, Robt.	Clyde	...	...	Under £50	Nov. 2, 1877	
7	Lee, Matthew ...	Kimberley	...	...	Under £15	Dec. 26, 1877	
8	Harvey, Samuel ...	Hamilton	Derbyshire	...	Under £20	Jan. 5, 1878	

Dated the 6th day of February, 1878.

J. WOODWARD,  
Public Trustee.

*Cancellation of Appointment as Accountant in Bankruptcy.*

NOTICE.

THE appointment of George Samuel Wemyss Dalrymple, of Masterton, notified in *Gazette* No. 69, dated August 8, 1877, as a Certificated Accountant in Bankruptcy, under "The Debtors and Creditors Act, 1876," has been, this 23rd day of January, 1878, revoked, by His Honor the Chief Justice.

ALEX. S. ALLAN,  
Registrar, Supreme Court, Wellington.

*Crown Grant ready for Delivery.*

Native Land Court Office,  
Auckland, 21st January, 1878.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Crown Grant to the under-mentioned persons, for the under-mentioned block of land in the Provincial District of Wellington, has been forwarded by the Secretary for Crown Lands to the Registrar of Deeds, Wellington, for delivery to the grantees:—

Name of Block.	Grantee.	District.	Area.
Ngatarana No. 5	Wiremu te Tauri and others	Whanganui	A. R. P. 16 3 10

A. J. DICKEY,  
Chief Clerk.

*Forms of Application, &c., under "Fine Arts Copyright Act, 1877."*

Wellington, 5th February, 1878.

IT is notified for public information that "The Fine Arts Copyright Act, 1877," having been assented to by His Excellency the Governor, forms of application, and all information relative thereto, may be obtained on application to the Registrar at Wellington.

EUSTACE BRANDON,  
Registrar.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that CHARLES BROWN FISHER, of Melbourne, Victoria, Esquire, and ELIZABETH JONES, of Melbourne, Widow, claiming as Devisees in fee-simple under the Will of FREDERICK JONES, late of Green Island Bush, Otago, New Zealand, Gentleman, deceased, have made application to the District Land Registrar of the District of Otago to be registered as Proprietors of an estate in fee-simple in Allotment No. 19, Block A, Township of Kingston; and that the said Charles Brown Fisher and Elizabeth Jones will be so registered as such proprietors, unless caveat be lodged at this office forbidding the same within one calendar month from the date of publication of this notice.

Dated this 2nd day of February, 1878, at the Lands Registry Office at Dunedin.

A. W. SMITH,  
District Land Registrar.

NEW ZEALAND TELEGRAPH.

COMPARATIVE RETURN of NUMBER of TELEGRAMS forwarded, the REVENUE received, and the VALUE of GENERAL GOVERNMENT TELEGRAMS transmitted, for the QUARTERS ended 31st DECEMBER, 1876 and 1877.

NUMBER OF TELEGRAMS FORWARDED.	CASH REVENUE RECEIVED.		VALUE OF GENERAL GOVERNMENT TELEGRAMS.		REMARKS.
	From 1 October to 31 December, 1876.	From 1 October to 31 December, 1877.	From 1 October to 31 December, 1876.	From 1 October to 31 December, 1877.	
279,295	£ s. d. 16,286 9 2	£ s. d. 17,942 14 4	£ s. d. 4,259 19 6	£ s. d. 4,084 15 0	
302,977	...	1,656 5 2	...	...	£ s. d. 175 4 6
23,682	...	...	...	...	

C. LEMON,  
General Manager.

New Zealand Telegraph, Head Office, Wellington, 5th February, 1878.

Balance Sheet, Hokitika Savings Bank, for the Year 1877.

	BALANCES, 1876.		TRANSACTIONS, 1877.		BALANCES, 1877.	
	Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Bank Account ... ..	450 0 4	...	3,940 19 9	3,927 11 3	463 8 10	...
Mortgages ... ..	8,345 16 3	...	3,103 16 3	2,587 4 0	8,862 8 6	...
Fixed Deposit... ..	1,000 0 0	...	...	...	1,000 0 0	...
Furniture ... ..	15 0 0	...	...	...	15 0 0	...
Bank Buildings ... ..	263 6 8	...	...	...	263 6 8	...
Depositors ... ..	...	9,175 14 6	3,652 10 6	3,383 3 2	...	9,374 4 3
" Interest ... ..	...	...	...	467 17 1	...	...
Interest Account ... ..	...	...	565 9 6	...	...	...
" Depositors ... ..	...	...	467 17 1	...	...	...
" Mortgages ... ..	...	...	...	969 10 3	...	...
" Fixed Deposit ... ..	...	...	...	60 13 4	...	...
" Current Account ... ..	...	...	...	3 3 0	...	...
Profit and Loss ... ..	...	898 8 9	...	565 9 6	...	1,229 19 9
Manager's Salary ... ..	...	...	150 0 0	...	...	...
Office Expenses ... ..	...	...	83 18 6	...	...	...
Totals ... ..	10,074 3 3	10,074 3 3	11,964 11 7	11,964 11 7	10,604 4 0	10,604 4 0

We hereby certify that, to the best of our belief, the above is a correct statement of the affairs of the Hokitika Savings Bank.

G. G. FITZGERALD, Vice-President.

JAS. A. BONAR,  
 GEORGE BENNING,  
 JAMES MULLIGAN,  
 JOHN CRERAR,  
 J. M. HIGGIN,  
 JAMES CHESNEY,  
 F. DERMOTT, } Trustees.

Compared with the books of the Hokitika Savings Bank and found correct.  
 F. A. LEARMONTH, Auditor.  
 Hokitika, 11th January, 1878.

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 14th day of March next.

810. THOMAS MILLS.—1 acre, Section 851, Wellington City. Unoccupied.

825. CHARLES PECK.—75 acres 1 rood and 20 perches, southern half of Section 70, Hutt District. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 6th day of February, 1878, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

79 GEO. B. DAVY,  
 District Land Registrar.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICE.

APPLICATION having been made to me to register GEORGE CRAW, of Little Akaloa, Farmer, as Proprietor of Rural Section 19829, Banks Peninsula District, by virtue of a Memorandum of Transfer from HENRY JAMES BENNETT, of Little Akaloa, Farmer, and a statutory declaration as to the loss of the license to occupy said section having been lodged with me: Notice is hereby given that I shall comply with the above application unless caveat forbidding the same be lodged within fourteen days from the publication of this notice.

72 R. W. D'OYLY,  
 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 be lodged forbidding the same within one month after the date of the Gazette containing this notice.

3338. GEORGE HARRIS.—1 rood, part of Rural Section 310, Christchurch District. Unoccupied.

3375. JOHN STUDHOLME, and MICHAEL STUDHOLME.—1 acre 2 roods, part of Rural Section 5725, Waitangi District (Lots 18, 19, 20, Plan 138). Occupied by Applicants.

3377. HENRY SEWELL.—1 rood 8 perches, part of Rural Section 72, Christchurch District (Lot 122, Plan 63). Unoccupied.

3378. EDWIN FEATHER.—1 rood 36 perches, part of Rural Section 72, Christchurch District (Lot 141, Plan 63). Unoccupied.

3386. WILLIAM OUTWIN.—2 acres 1 rood 23 perches, part of Rural Section 4311, Waitangi District (Lots 11 and 12, Plan 164). Occupied by Applicant.

3387. FRITZ WERGES.—2 acres 3 roods 27 perches, part of Rural Section 4311, Waitangi District (Lots 18, 19, and 20, Plan 164). Occupied by Applicant.

3388. DUGALD CAMERON.—1 acre 27 perches, part of Rural Section 4311, Waitangi District (Lot 30, Plan 164). Occupied by Applicant.

3389. JOHN MORTIMER.—1 acre 2 roods, part of Rural Section 4311, Waitangi District (Lot 27, Plan 164). Occupied by Applicant.

3390. FRANK SCHMITH.—3 acres, part of Rural Section 4311, Waitangi District (Lots 17, 22, and 23, Plan 164). Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 31st day of January, 1878, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

R. W. D'OYLY,  
 District Land Registrar.

RETURN of the VALUE of IMPORTS at the several PORTS of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 31st DECEMBER, 1877.

COUNTRIES.	Auckland.	Thames.	Russell.	Mongonui.	Kaipara.	Tauranga.	Poverty Bay.	New Plymouth.	Wanganui.	Wellington.	Napier.	Wairau.	Pictou.	Havelock.	Kaikoura.	Nelson.	Westport.	Greymouth.	Hokitika.	Lyttelton.	Akaros.	Timaru.	Oamaru.	Dunedin.	Invercargill and Bluff Harbour.	Riverton.	Totals.	Corresponding Quarter of 1876.		
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£		
United Kingdom ...	91,446	1,738	139				154	2,772	7,083	177,971	23,901	1,767	61		42	23,032	69	1,971	747	169,328	167	5,733	6,509	297,472	16,216	222	828,540	875,693		
<i>Australia—</i>																														
Queensland ...	768																											768		
New South Wales ...	37,597	815	17				848	3,262	3,776	39,784	10,680	646	283			5,847		1,394	1,532	27,703	19	4,277	-2,649	22,087	3,640		166,856	185,064		
Victoria ...	47,124	2,110			309	6	1407	696	5,502	54,022	8,788	337	148			16,954	10,957	33,164	29,803	30,939		1,747	2,724	66,767	21,416	1,213	336,133	313,037		
South Australia ...	8,799									3,920																		12,722	16,418	
Western Australia ...																													3,818	
Tasmania ...	2,502					82				3,127	62					53		180	480	9,317				5,400	340		21,543	17,629		
<i>Pacific Islands—</i>																														
Kermadec Islands ...																													16	
Norfolk Island ...	1,003																											1,008	418	
New Caledonia ...																													1,052	
Cook Islands ...	1,776																											1,776	1,197	
Friendly Islands ...	333																											333	1,176	
Fiji Islands ...	1,792																											1,794	7,132	
New Hebrides ...																														2
Suwarrow Island ...	1,000																											1,000	12	
Rotumah Island ...	575																											575		
Marshall Islands ...																													605	
Sandwich Islands ...	4									171																		175	46	
Solomon Islands ...	44																											44		
Macquarrie Islands ...																								382			382			
Whale Fisheries ...			1890																					990			2,880	2,305		
<i>United States—</i>																														
On the Atlantic ...	5,546								243	9,107						1,688				22,735				22,530	54		61,903	44,969		
On the Pacific ...	5,924					110				820	87					4	5	81		2,078		30	2	3,531			12,672	10,952		
China ...										13,201										30				18,972			32,203	46,029		
<i>India—</i>																														
Bengal ...											938									11,319				4,245			16,502	25,789		
Madras ...																													5	
Mauritius ...											832					11,203				37,935				50,439			100,409	79,983		
<i>Europe—</i>																														
France ...	297																											297	10,269	
Holland ...																													2,180	
<b>Totals ...</b>	<b>206,530</b>	<b>4,663</b>	<b>2046</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>309</b>	<b>198</b>	<b>2409</b>	<b>6,730</b>	<b>16,604</b>	<b>302,123</b>	<b>44,456</b>	<b>3,582</b>	<b>492</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>58,781</b>	<b>11,031</b>	<b>36,790</b>	<b>32,562</b>	<b>311,386</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>11,790</b>	<b>11,884</b>	<b>492,815</b>	<b>41,666</b>	<b>1,435</b>	<b>1,600,510</b>	<b>...</b>		
<b>Corresponding Quarter, 1876 ...</b>	<b>234,096</b>	<b>2,887</b>	<b>2256</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>294</b>	<b>6429</b>	<b>5,348</b>	<b>14,286</b>	<b>255,545</b>	<b>32,513</b>	<b>1,400</b>	<b>258</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>275</b>	<b>76,961</b>	<b>10,741</b>	<b>45,704</b>	<b>63,115</b>	<b>293,347</b>	<b>448</b>	<b>18,898</b>	<b>12,542</b>	<b>527,912</b>	<b>38,561</b>	<b>1,616</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>1,645,746</b>		

COMPARATIVE RETURN of the VALUE of IMPORTS at the several PORTS of NEW ZEALAND during the YEARS 1877 and 1876.

1877.	1136316	15535	2485	172	826	810	7644	18570	61559	1309280	152624	8019	1558	377	551	192430	44619	150501	122326	1278089	1736	69114	48903	2209408	136891	3075	6973418	...
1876.	1232881	15030	3011	40	282	736	18234	21625	58900	1151740	162513	4698	2362	649	752	276968	51894	145295	116659	1184963	840	93486	43256	2086356	218923	8078	6905171	...



COUNTRIES.	Auckland.	Thames.	Russell.	Mongonui.	Hokianga.	Kaipara.	Poverty Bay.	New Plymouth.	Wanganui.	Wellington.	Napier.	Havelock.	Nelson.	Westport.	Greymouth.	Hokitika.	Lyttelton.	Timaru.	Oamaru.	Dunedin.	Invercargill and Bluff Harbour.	Totals.	Corresponding Quarter of 1876.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
United Kingdom ... ..	175085	...	...	...	...	...	35778	...	...	271228	179303	...	...	...	...	...	508797	...	...	272091	...	1442282	923626	
<i>Australia—</i>																								
Queensland ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1540	...	...	...	...	1540	...	
New South Wales ... ..	7555	408	120	170	...	729	...	...	...	1912	875	...	...	...	...	4535	2	1185	2029	...	19520	24642		
Victoria ... ..	6025	...	...	...	665	3007	...	...	...	37179	...	...	18469	995	44256	35458	6416	...	3281	63544	7173	226468	168636	
South Australia ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1924	...	...	229	...	2153	34727	
Tasmania ... ..	684	...	...	...	...	494	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	200	...	...	86	...	1469	1876	
<i>Pacific Islands—</i>																								
Norfolk Island ... ..	1101	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1101	1517	
New Caledonia ... ..	1152	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1152	1169	
Cook Islands ... ..	3780	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3780	1200	
Friendly Islands ... ..	8551	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8551	8269	
Society Islands ... ..	1744	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1744	584	
Fiji Islands ... ..	3322	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	125	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3447	2696	
Navigator Islands ... ..	892	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	892	183	
Suwarrow Island ... ..	680	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	680	...	
Rotumah Island ... ..	166	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	166	...	
Penrhyn Island ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	
Marshall Islands ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1078	
Sandwich Islands ... ..	182	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	182	1247	
Solomon Islands ... ..	989	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	989	...	
Caroline Islands ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	440	
Guam ... ..	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	270	
Whale Fisheries ... ..	...	...	167	31	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	198	159	
<i>United States of America—</i>																								
On the Atlantic ... ..	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	28462	
On the Pacific ... ..	292	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	292	638	
<i>South America—</i>																								
Chili ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	139
New Guinea ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	152
China ... ..	...	...	...	...	4861	...	...	...	...	1043	...	...	...	...	2580	...	...	...	...	4170	...	12654	5117	
Totals ... ..	212205	408	287	201	5526	4230	35778	...	...	311367	180303	...	18469	995	46836	35458	523412	2	4466	342149	7173	1729265	...	
Corresponding Quarter, 1876 ... ..	206140	472	1509	901	675	5076	23139	...	...	132378	61783	3	4104	983	60841	33587	411015	5287	5145	239035	14762	...	1206835	

COMPARATIVE RETURN of the VALUE of EXPORTS from the several Ports of NEW ZEALAND during the Years 1877 and 1876.

	1877.	1876.
...	734336	674003
...	903	4449
...	2331	3156
...	498	1560
...	12921	6947
...	22530	12450
...	49640	61250
...	238	428
...	77	5
...	1033752	696684
...	344998	177526
...	...	3
...	25958	21154
...	2459	3000
...	127081	193678
...	110331	89831
...	1866418	1775405
...	12546	26349
...	12484	33363
...	1635770	1521017
...	332201	371227
...	6327472	5673465
...	...	...

Customs Department,  
Wellington, 4th February, 1878.

WILLIAM SEED,  
Secretary and Inspector.

RETURN of the QUANTITY and VALUE of EXPORTS from NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 31st DECEMBER, 1877.

ARTICLES	AUCKLAND		THAMES		RUSSELL		MONGONUI		HOKIANGA		KAIPARA		POVERTY BAY		WELLINGTON		NAPIER		NELSON		ARTICLES	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value		
Ale and Beer ...	gallons	208	£ 30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ale and Beer	
Biscuits ...	cwts.	1058	1409	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Biscuits	
Bran and Sharps ...	tons	42	92	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bran and Sharps	
Butter ...	cwts.	142	444	...	...	5	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33	212	...	...	...	...	Butter	
Cheese ...	cwts.	26	88	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	33	...	...	...	...	Cheese	
Coal ...	tons	11	11	...	...	120	120	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Coal	
Cordage ...	cwts.	176	297	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cordage	
Curiosities ...	packages	6	36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Curiosities	
Flour ...	tons	33	681	...	...	2	30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	250	...	Flour	
Fungus ...	cwts.	448	913	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Fungus	
Gold ...	ounces	18499	75507	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	196	721	...	...	...	4185	16740	
Grain (Barley) ...	bushels	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Grain (Barley)	
" (Malt) ...	bushels	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	" (Malt)	
" (Oats) ...	bushels	552	112	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	" (Oats)	
" (Wheat) ...	bushels	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	" (Wheat)	
Gum (Kauri) ...	tons	916	26483	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Gum (Kauri)	
Hides ...	number	726	550	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	407	524	...	...	...	703	540	
Leather ...	cwts.	633	6816	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	92	282	...	...	...	...	Leather	
Meal (Oat) ...	cwts.	3	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Meal (Oat)	
Meats (Preserved) ...	cwts.	52	52	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	579	1081	...	...	...	...	Meats (Preserved)	
Minerals ...	tons	1702	6908	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Minerals	
Miscellaneous ...	value	...	3103	...	...	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	279	...	...	...	142	...	200
Oil (Sperm) ...	gallons	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Miscellaneous
Phormium ...	tons	213	3212	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37½	612	...	...	...	15	244
Plants ...	packages	3	27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	18	...	...	...	6	40
Potatoes ...	tons	28½	122	...	...	5	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	8	...	...	...	20	60
Provisions, Bacon and Hams	cwts.	43	171	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" Beef (Salted)	cwts.	486½	828	...	...	40	50.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Seeds (Grass) ...	bushels	13	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Skins (Rabbit) ...	number	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18903	598	...	...	...	...	...
" (Seal) ...	number	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" (Sheep) ...	number	300	30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	43299	6964	3444	491	...	...	...
Soap ...	cwts.	709	715	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tallow ...	tons	54½	1729	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	228½	8529	109	4296	...	...	...	...
Timber (Sawn) ...	feet	262881	1747	110000	408	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" (Hewn and Balk)	feet	103400	400	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	738259	3224	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" (Logs) ...	number	...	...	...	...	...	...	56	170	625	5526	1006	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" (Spars) ...	number	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wool ...	lbs.	1062514	59585	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	710116	35778	3740513	215202	3217803	175084	1003	560	...	Wool
Total New Zealand Produce	...	...	192089	...	408	...	248	...	198	...	5526	4230	...	35778	...	235063	...	180273	...	18394	...	...
Other Colonial, British, and Foreign Produce and Manufactures	...	...	20116	...	...	...	39	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	76304	...	30	...	85	...	...
TOTALS	...	...	212205	...	408	...	297	...	201	...	5526	4230	...	35778	...	311367	...	180303	...	18469	...	...

RETURN of the QUANTITY and VALUE of EXPORTS from NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 31st DECEMBER, 1877—continued.

ARTICLES	WESTPORT		GREYMOUTH		HOKITIKA		LYTTELTON		TIMARU		OAMARU		DUNEDIN		INVERCARGILL AND BLUEF HARBOUR		TOTALS		CORRESPONDING QUARTER, 1876.	ARTICLES				
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Value					
Ale and Beer ...	gallons	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	208	30	159	Ale and Beer			
Biscuits ...	cwts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1058	1409	280	Biscuits			
Bran and Sharps ...	tons.	...	...	...	...	...	139	995	...	...	110	387	68	322	...	...	...	359	1796	808	Bran and Sharps			
Butter ...	cwts.	...	...	...	...	...	315	843	...	...	...	...	51½	203	...	...	...	546½	1722	602	Butter			
Cheese ...	cwts.	...	...	...	...	...	666	2051	...	...	...	...	159½	462	...	...	...	860½	2624	1336	Cheese			
Coal ...	tons	100	50	653	485	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	894	666	435	Coal			
Cordage ...	cwts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	176	297	443	Cordage			
Curiosities ...	packages	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	286	21	Curiosities			
Flour ...	tons	...	...	...	...	...	256½	3489	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	291½	4180	511	Flour			
Fungus ...	cwts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	644	1634	958	Fungus			
Gold ...	ounces	...	...	11321	45282	8478	33898	29171	117365	...	...	...	11402	44882	1585	6340	84641	340014	342745	Gold				
Grain (Barley) ...	bushels	...	...	...	...	...	...	2720	690	...	...	...	18	3	...	...	...	2738	683	8142	Grain (Barley)			
" (Malt) ...	bushels	...	...	...	...	...	...	600	225	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	600	225	225	" (Malt)			
" (Oats) ...	bushels	...	...	...	...	...	...	12180	2382	...	22348	3943	34790	5371	280	56	70150	11864	34638	" (Oats)				
" (Wheat) ...	bushels	...	...	...	...	...	...	126365	16487	...	...	...	5278	1188	...	...	131643	17685	1750	" (Wheat)				
Gum (Kauri) ...	tons	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	916	26488	44298	Gum (Kauri)			
Hides ...	number	506	568	432	382	385	440	1100	1100	...	...	...	...	...	100	60	4359	4164	6048	Hides				
Leather ...	cwts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	725	7098	5059	Leather			
Meal (Oat) ...	cwts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	312	264	...	...	...	60	65	...	...	...	375	334	766	Meal (Oat)			
Meats (Preserved) ...	cwts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	593	1779	...	...	...	2292	5800	...	...	...	3516	8712	4316	Meats (Preserved)			
Minerals ...	tons	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1702	6908	7859	Minerals			
Miscellaneous ...	value	5	...	64	...	60	...	693	...	...	...	...	...	723	6	...	...	...	5291	5239	Miscellaneous			
Oil (Sperm) ...	gallons	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2116	423	...	...	...	2116	423	635	Oil (Sperm)			
Phormium ...	tons	...	...	...	...	...	...	3½	65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	44	270½	4177	Phormium	
Plants ...	packages	5	14	...	...	...	...	2	20	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	21	121	246	Plants		
Potatoes ...	tons	...	...	...	...	...	...	335½	771	...	34	68	...	...	...	...	...	437½	1069	239	Potatoes			
Provisions, Bacon and Hams	cwts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	1355½	4759	...	...	...	71	231	15	56	1484	5217	518	1484	5217	Provisions, Bacon and Hams		
" Beef (Salted)	cwts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	61	86	...	...	...	587½	964	762	" Beef (Salted)			
Seeds (Grass) ...	bushels	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	6	175	175	Seeds (Grass)		
Skins (Rabbit) ...	number	...	...	...	...	...	...	214600	2232	...	...	...	4960	62	27000	275	265463	3167	1404	265463	3167	Skins (Rabbit)		
" (Seal) ...	number	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	150	160	...	...	...	150	160	1380	1380	" (Seal)		
" (Sheep) ...	number	1320	202	106	7	...	...	19744	2274	...	...	...	1070	184	...	...	74283	10152	6467	74283	10152	" (Sheep)		
Soap ...	cwts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	372	403	...	...	...	1081	1118	593	1081	1118	Soap	
Tallow ...	tons	4	125	7½	198	6½	150	174	6962	...	...	...	123	3889	12	324	724	26202	19311	724	26202	19311	Tallow	
Timber (Sawn) ...	feet	...	...	...	...	40000	150	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1151140½	5529	7339	1151140½	5529	7339	Timber (Sawn)	
" (Hewn and Balk)	feet	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	439000	1406	...	439000	1406	...	" (Hewn and Balk)	
" (Logs) ...	number	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	681	5696	...	681	5696	...	" (Logs)	
" (Spars) ...	number	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	95	...	95	...	" (Spars)
Wool ...	lbs.	84	3	8720	377	15000	750	6750891	357279	...	...	...	4260445	236368	...	...	19767079	1080996	660837	19767079	1080996	660837	Wool	
Total New Zealand Produce	...	...	967	...	46795	...	35448	...	522730	...	...	4398	...	300915	...	7163	...	1590513	...	1177715	1590513	1177715		
Other Colonial, British, and Foreign Produce and Manufactures	...	...	28	...	41	...	10	...	682	...	2	68	...	41394	...	10	...	138752	...	29120	138752	29120		
TOTALS	...	...	995	...	46836	...	35458	...	523412	...	2	4466	...	342149	...	7173	...	1729265	...	1206835	1729265	1206835		

Customs Department,  
Wellington, 4th January, 1878.

WILLIAM SEED,  
Secretary and Inspector.

THE NEW ZEALAND GAZETTE.

RETURN of the NUMBER, TONNAGE, and CREWS of VESSELS ENTERED INWARDS at the several PORTS of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 31st DECEMBER, 1877.

PORTS OF ARRIVAL.	WHENCE.						BRITISH.						FOREIGN.						TOTALS.						Corresponding Quarter, 1876.													
	United Kingdom.		British Possessions.		Foreign Countries and Whale Fisheries.		With Cargoes.		In Ballast.		Totals.		With Cargoes.		In Ballast.		Totals.		With Cargoes.		In Ballast.		Totals.															
	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.											
Auckland	4	...	29	1	14	...	41	17383	828	1	124	10	42	17507	838	6	12560	438	...	...	...	6	12560	438	47	29943	1266	1	124	10	48	30067	1276	46	19294	787		
Onehunga	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Thames	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	235	8	...	...	...	1	235	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	235	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	157	7		
Russell	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	99	21	...	...	...	1	99	21	1	346	27	...	...	...	1	346	27	2	445	48	...	...	...	...	...	1	257	8			
Mongonui	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	366	22	...	...	...	1	366	22	1	366	22	...	...	...	...	...	1	1230	135				
Hokianga	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Kaipara	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	333	10	1	220	9	2	553	19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	333	10	1	220	9	...	...	...	...	...	1	220	9		
New Plymouth	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1173	41	...	...	...	2	1173	41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1173	41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Wellington	5	...	25	...	1	...	31	14493	498	...	...	...	31	14493	498	...	...	...	...	...	...	31	14493	498	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Napier	1	...	5	...	...	...	6	1950	73	...	...	...	6	1950	73	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	1950	73	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Nelson	2	...	4	...	...	...	6	2756	112	...	...	...	6	2756	112	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	2756	112	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Westport	...	...	3	...	...	...	3	865	53	...	...	...	3	865	53	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	865	53	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Greymouth	...	...	4	...	...	...	4	601	28	...	...	...	4	601	28	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	601	28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Hokitika	...	...	6	...	...	...	6	1727	104	...	...	...	6	1727	104	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	1727	104	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Lyttelton	7	...	39	...	1	...	43	17199	537	...	...	...	43	17199	537	4	1119	41	...	...	...	4	1119	41	47	18318	578	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Timaru	...	...	5	...	...	...	5	1094	42	...	...	...	5	1094	42	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	1094	42	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Oamaru	...	...	3	...	...	...	3	539	23	...	...	...	3	539	23	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	539	23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Dunedin	7	...	21	...	4	...	24	12457	415	...	...	...	24	12457	415	8	2953	79	...	...	...	8	2953	79	32	15410	494	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			
Bluff Harbour	1	...	14	...	...	...	15	8136	509	...	...	...	15	8136	509	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	8136	509	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Totals	28	...	161	2	23	...	192	81040	3302	2	344	19	194	81384	3321	20	17344	607	...	...	...	20	17344	607	212	98384	3909	2	344	19	214	98728	3928	...	...	...		
Corresponding Quarter, 1876	50	2	136	5	33	1	201	83262	3291	7	1761	134	208	85023	3425	18	8787	317	1	402	13	19	9189	330	219	92049	3608	8	2163	147	...	...	...	227	94212	3755		

COMPARATIVE RETURN of the NUMBER, TONNAGE, and CREWS of VESSELS ENTERED INWARDS for the YEARS 1877 and 1876.

1877.	112	1	596	10	84	9	726	320135	12530	19	3839	215	745	323974	12745	66	64254	2371	1	340	10	67	64594	2381	792	384389	14901	20	4179	225	812	388568	15126	...	...	...
1876.	148	3	615	10	95	7	799	343982	13192	18	2996	223	817	346978	13415	59	45755	1798	2	447	19	61	46202	1817	858	389737	14990	20	3443	242	878	393180	15232	...	...	...

Customs Department,  
Wellington, 4th February, 1878.

WILLIAM SEED,  
Secretary and Inspector.

RETURN of the NUMBER, TONNAGE, and CREWS of VESSELS CLEARED OUTWARDS at the several PORTS of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 31st DECEMBER, 1877.

THE NEW ZEALAND GAZETTE.

PORTS OF DEPARTURE.	WHENCE.						BRITISH.									FOREIGN.									TOTALS.									Corresponding Quarter, 1876.				
	United Kingdom.		British Possessions.		Foreign Countries and Whale Fisheries.		With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.							
	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.		
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Onehunga ...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	177	7	1	177	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	177	7	1	177	7	1	157	7	
Thames ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	235	8	...	...	1	235	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	235	8	...	...	...	1	235	8	1	257	8	...	...	
Russell ...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	576	32	...	...	1	576	32	1	346	29	...	...	...	...	1	346	29	2	922	61	...	...	2	922	61	4	951	77	...	...	
Mongonui ...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	108	5	...	...	1	108	5	1	366	22	...	...	...	...	1	366	22	2	474	27	...	...	2	474	27	2	423	17	...	...	
Hokianga ...	...	...	1	...	1	...	2	1106	23	...	...	2	1106	23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1106	23	2	1106	23	...	...	2	1106	23	1	220	9	...	...
Kaipara ...	...	...	6	...	...	...	6	1454	48	...	...	6	1454	48	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	1454	48	6	1454	48	...	...	6	1454	48	9	1747	66	...	...
Wellington ...	3	...	7	15	1	...	11	9710	317	14	4302	132	25	14012	449	...	...	1	573	11	1	573	11	11	9710	317	15	4875	143	26	14585	460	24	12012	357	...	...	
Napier ...	3	...	2	3	...	...	5	2221	66	3	743	23	8	2964	89	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	2221	66	3	743	23	8	2964	89	9	3382	100	...	...	...	...	
Nelson ...	...	...	1	2	...	...	1	287	9	2	581	19	3	868	28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	287	9	2	581	19	3	868	28	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Westport ...	...	...	4	...	...	...	4	535	27	...	...	4	535	27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	535	27	4	535	27	...	...	4	535	27	2	196	14	...	...	
Greymouth ...	...	...	7	...	...	...	7	1762	115	...	...	7	1762	115	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	1762	115	7	1762	115	...	...	7	1762	115	4	651	29	...	...	
Hokitika ...	...	...	7	...	...	...	7	2102	144	...	...	7	2102	144	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	2102	144	7	2102	144	...	...	7	2102	144	14	6299	300	...	...	
Lyttelton ...	5	...	4	29	...	1	9	6559	195	27	7939	236	36	14498	431	...	...	3	1331	33	3	1331	33	9	6559	195	30	9270	269	39	15829	464	31	11958	357	...	...	
Timaru ...	...	...	5	...	...	...	5	1118	41	5	1118	41	5	1118	41	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	1118	41	5	1118	41	5	1118	41	5	1103	43	...	...	...	...	
Oamaru ...	...	...	4	...	...	...	3	549	24	...	...	3	549	24	1	180	6	...	...	...	...	6	4	729	30	...	...	4	729	30	2	418	18	...	...			
Dunedin ...	3	...	4	7	...	2	7	4520	132	6	2823	87	13	7343	219	...	...	3	1066	30	3	1066	30	7	4520	132	9	3839	117	16	8409	249	21	8528	259	...	...	
Bluff Harbour ...	...	...	10	...	...	...	10	6134	414	...	...	10	6134	414	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	6134	414	10	6134	414	...	...	10	6134	414	15	8182	513	...	...	
Totals ...	17	...	82	69	18	4	108	53014	2279	64	19426	605	172	72440	2884	9	13076	469	9	4257	97	18	17333	566	117	66090	2748	73	23683	702	190	89773	3450	...	...	...	...	
Corresponding Quarter, 1876	11	...	91	57	23	11	117	6199	1961	65	23000	731	182	69199	2692	8	5095	212	3	1232	26	11	6327	238	125	51294	2173	68	24232	757	...	...	...	193	75526	2930	...	...

COMPARATIVE RETURN of the NUMBER, TONNAGE, and CREWS of VESSELS CLEARED OUTWARDS for the YEARS 1877 and 1876.

1877.	70	...	378	256	93	51	495	225314	9681	284	110153	3274	779	335467	12955	46	51914	2026	23	13228	353	69	65142	2379	541	277228	11707	307	123381	3627	848	400609	15334	...	...	...	
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Customs Department,  
Wellington, 4th February, 1878.

WILLIAM SEED,  
Secretary and Inspector.

## LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

**N**OTICE 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 date of publication of this notice.

Sections 32, 34, and 36, North-East Valley District, and Section 47, Block IX., North Harbour and Blueskin District.—WILLIAM REID, Applicant. No. 2485.

Sections 5 and 6, Block III., and half of 38, Irregular Block, West Taieri District.—JAMES McLACKLAN, Applicant. No. 2494.

Allotment 9, Block XXIV., Township of St. Kilda.—GEORGE WILLIAM ELLIOTT, Applicant. No. 2495.

Section 10, Block XXIV., Town of Palmerston.—WILLIAM GABRIEL FILLEUL and THOMAS ARTHUR CLOWES (Attorneys for JOHN GUISE WESTMACOTT and ARTHUR YOUNG SEYMOUR WESTMACOTT), Applicants. No. 2497.

Allotment 13, Block I., on plan of subdivision of part of Section 4, Block XXXV., Clutha District.—JAMES LOW, JAMES LOW the younger, JOHN LOW, and ROBERT LOW, Applicants. No. 2499.

Section 15, Block XXVIII., Town of Palmerston.—THOMAS MELMOTH SMITH, Applicant. No. 2504.

Part of Section 30, North-East Valley District.—THOMAS BIRCH and THOMAS CHALMERS REID, Applicants. No. 2505.

Sections 54 and 55, Block XI., Oamaru District.—DOUGALD BLUR, Applicant. No. 2508.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 26th day of January, 1878, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

58 A. W. SMITH,  
District Land Registrar.

## LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICE.

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JOHN O'REGAN, Applicant.—8 perches, Allotment 945, and 2½ perches, southern half of Allotment 1712. Said pieces of land are situated in the Town of Hokitika, and are in the occupation of the Applicant. No. 349.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 22nd day of January, 1878, at the Lands Registry Office, Hokitika.

59 ALFD. H. KING,  
District Land Registrar.

## TO THE REGISTRAR-GENERAL FOR THE COLONY OF NEW ZEALAND.

**I** REGINALD HENRY KEMP BENNETT, residing at Wellington, Licentiate of the Royal College of Surgeons, Ireland, Licentiate of Medicine and of Midwifery, do hereby give notice that I intend to apply to the said Registrar-General, on the fifth day of March, 1878, to have my name placed on the List of Medical Practitioners in the Colony of New Zealand; and that I have exhibited my diplomas to the said Registrar-General, and deposited copies thereof in his office for inspection, in terms of "The Medical Practitioners Act, 1869."

Dated 4th February, 1878.

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## SOUTHLAND COUNTY.

Southland County Council Office,  
Invercargill, 1st February, 1878.

**I** HEREBY give notice that in pursuance of the powers granted by "The Public Works Act, 1876," the Southland County Council did, on 24th January ultimo, declare the following roads to be county roads within the meaning of the said Act, viz.—

(1.) The Main North Road between the Town of Invercargill and the Waihopai River, except such portions thereof as are or may be within the limits of boroughs, or have a borough on both sides, or on one side only.

(2.) The Main East Road between the Town of Invercargill and the Invercargill Cemetery, except such portions thereof as are or may be within the limits of a borough, or have a borough on both sides, or on one side only.

(3.) The Main South Road between the Town of Invercargill and the northern boundary of Campbelltown Hundred, except such portions thereof as are or may be within the limits of a borough, or have a borough on both sides, or on one side only.

J. S. SHANKS,  
Chairman.

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## IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF WESTLAND, HOLDEN AT REEFTON.

In the matter of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872," and in the matter of the Golden Treasure Gold-Mining Company (Limited), in liquidation.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that a Schedule showing the realized amount of the assets, including the contributions and the liabilities of the said Company, the amount of moneys available for the claims in the matter of the winding up, and the proposed plan of distribution thereof, is now open in my office (situate in Broadway, Reefton) for inspection by the contributors to and creditors of the said Company; and that the claims mentioned in the said Schedule will, after the lapse of twenty-one days from the publication hereof, be paid at the said office.

Dated at Reefton, this twenty-fifth day of January, 1878.

57 WILLIAM McLEAN,  
Liquidator to the Golden Treasure Gold-Mining Company (Limited).

## THE NEW ZEALAND LEAD AND GALVANIZED IRON WORKS COMPANY (LIMITED).

**A** GENERAL Extraordinary Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company is hereby convened by the Directors, to be held at the Company's registered office, Victoria Street, Auckland, on Friday, the eighth day of February, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following special Resolutions, which will be proposed at such meeting, viz.—

"That the New Zealand Lead and Galvanized Iron Works Company (Limited) be wound up voluntarily."

"That a Liquidator be appointed for winding up the affairs of the Company and distributing the property."

And for considering any other matter in relation to the subject which may be brought before the meeting.

By order of the Directors.

THOS. JENKINS,  
Secretary.

Auckland, 23rd January, 1878.

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**NOTICE** is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned EDWARD REGINALD CHUDLEIGH and HOEL THORNTWHAITE PATTISSON, as Sheepfarmers, carrying on business at Wharekauri, Chatham Islands, under the style of "Chudleigh and Pattisson," has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Dated this first day of January, 1878.

HOEL T. PATTISSON.  
E. R. CHUDLEIGH.

Witness to signatures of Hoel Thornthwaite Pattisson and Edward Reginald Chudleigh—John O. Austin, Clerk to Messrs. Hanmer and Harper, Solicitors, Christchurch. 66

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the Portobello Road Board intend to take a road, 60 links wide, under "The Public Works Act, 1876," through Sections 23, 24, part of 25, part of 78, 26, 27, and 2 of 27, Block II., Otago Peninsula. A plan of the road intended to be taken through the above-named sections can be inspected at Mr. W. R. Latham's store, Portobello, up to the 28th day of February next.

All persons affected are requested to set forth, in writing, any well-grounded objections to the taking of such lands, and to send such writing, within forty days from the date hereof, to the Road Board Office, Portobello.

H. J. GUILDFORD,  
Clerk to the Board.

19th January, 1878. 46

**NOTICE.**

**I**, ROBERT HOADLEY, of Waimate, M.D., M.R.C.S.E., hereby announce that I have this 10th day of January, 1878, given notice to the Registrar of Christchurch District that I intend to make application on the 10th day of February, 1878, to be registered under the New Zealand Medical Practitioners Act, and that I have deposited my diplomas with Registrar in terms of said Act.

74 ROBERT HOADLEY.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the Partnership between the undersigned DAVID JAMES MABEY and ROBERT THOMAS MABEY, in the trade or business of Timber Carriers between the Upper Hutt and the City of Wellington, under the firm of "J. and R. Mabey," was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to the said firm must be paid to the said Robert Thomas Mabey, who will discharge all liabilities of the said firm.

Witness our hands this 4th day of February, 1878.

DAVID JAMES MABEY.  
R. T. MABEY.

Witness to the signatures of David James Mabey and Robert Thomas Mabey—Robert Orr, Articled Clerk, Wellington. 75

**GLADSTONE QUARTZ-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).**

**I**T is hereby notified that the Legal Manager of this Company is ARTHUR D'O'LYLY BAYFIELD; and that the Registered Office of the Company is the office of A. D. Bayfield, situate in Bridge Street, Reefton.

J. TRENNERY,  
JAMES THORBURN, } Directors.

Reefton, 20th January, 1878. 68

**STATEMENT** of the Affairs of the Alexandra Gold-Mining Company (Limited), for the half-year ending 24th December, 1877, in accordance with section 135 of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872."

Name of Company: The Alexandra Gold-Mining Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: 13th December, 1873; 10th February, 1874.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Boatman's, Inangahua District, New Zealand; William Hindmarsh.

Nominal capital: £13,000.

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

Number of shares in which capital is divided: 13,000.

Number of shares taken: 13,000.

Amount of calls made: £5,958 6s. 8d.

Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: £12,458 6s. 8d.

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

Amount of cash in hand: Nil.

Whether in operation or not: In operation.

Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.

Number of shares unallotted: Nil.

WILLIAM HINDMARSH,  
Legal Manager.

Greymouth, 31st January, 1878. 76

**STATEMENT** of the Affairs of the Young New Zealand Gold-Mining Company (Limited), for the half-year ended 31st December, 1877, in accordance with section 135 of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872."

Name of Company: The Young New Zealand Gold-Mining Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: 3rd August, 1876.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Queen Street, Thames; Thomas Horsbrugh.

Nominal capital: £9,000.

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

Number of shares in which capital is divided: 9,000.

Number of shares taken: 9,000.

Amount of calls made: £900.

Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: £900.

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

Amount of cash in hand: £62 7s. 9d.

Whether in operation or not: In operation.

Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.

Number of shares unallotted: Nil.

THOMAS HORSBRUGH,  
Manager.

19th January, 1878. 61

**STATEMENT** of the Affairs of the United Kingdom Gold-Mining Company (Limited), for the half-year ended 31st December, 1877, in accordance with section 135 of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872."

Name of Company: The United Kingdom Gold-Mining Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: 2nd May, 1876.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Queen Street, Thames; Thomas Horsbrugh.

Nominal capital: £15,000.

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

Number of shares in which capital is divided: 15,000.

Number of shares taken: 15,000.

Amount of calls made: £812 10s.

Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company: 31.

Amount of cash in hand: £25 9s. 2d.

Whether in operation or not: In operation.

Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.

Number of shares unallotted: Nil.

THOMAS HORSBRUGH,  
Manager.

19th January, 1878. 62

**STATEMENT** of the Affairs of the Perseverance Gold-Mining Company (Limited), for the half-year ended 31st December, 1877, in accordance with section 135 of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872."

Name of Company: The Perseverance Gold-Mining Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: 2nd October, 1876.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager :  
Queen Street, Thames; Thomas Horsbrugh.  
Nominal capital : £12,000.  
Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders : Nil.  
Number of shares in which capital is divided : 12,000.  
Number of shares taken : 12,000.  
Amount of calls made : £750.  
Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company : 25.  
Amount of cash in hand : £5 12s. 6d.  
Whether in operation or not : In operation.  
Total amount of dividends declared : Nil.  
Number of shares unallotted : Nil.

THOMAS HORSBRUGH,  
Manager.

19th January, 1878.

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**S**TATEMENT of the Affairs of the Welcome Gold-Mining Company (Limited), for the half-year ended 31st December, 1877, in accordance with section 135 of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872."

Name of Company : The Welcome Gold-Mining Company (Limited).  
When formed, and date of registration : 21st January, 1876.  
Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager :  
Queen Street, Thames; Thomas Horsbrugh.  
Nominal capital : £13,000.  
Number of shares in which capital is divided : 3,000.  
Number of shares taken : 13,000.  
Amount of calls made : £1,625.  
Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company : 18.  
Amount of cash in hand : £351 6s. 4d.  
Whether in operation or not : In operation.  
Total amount of dividends declared : £650.  
Number of shares unallotted : Nil.

THOMAS HORSBRUGH,  
Manager.

19th January, 1878.

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**S**TATEMENT of the Affairs of the Old Whau Gold-Mining Company (Registered), for the half-year ended 31st December, 1877, in accordance with section 135 of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872."

Name of Company : The Old Whau Gold-Mining Company (Registered).  
When formed, and date of registration : 9th August, 1872.  
Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager :  
Queen Street, Thames; Thomas Horsbrugh.  
Nominal capital : £6,000.  
Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders : £3,000.  
Number of shares in which capital is divided : 3,000.  
Number of shares taken : 3,000.  
Amount of calls made : £1,050.  
Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company : 6.  
Amount of cash in hand : £44 19s. 2d.  
Whether in operation or not : In operation.  
Total amount of dividends declared : £14,358.  
Number of shares unallotted : Nil.

THOMAS HORSBRUGH,  
Manager.

19th January, 1878.

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**S**TATEMENT of the Affairs of the Eureka Quartz-Mining Company (Limited), for the half-year ended 31st December, 1877, in accordance with section 135 of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872."

Name of Company : The Eureka Quartz-Mining Company (Limited).  
When formed, and date of registration : 11th August, 1877; 20th October, 1877.  
Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager :  
Bridge Street, Reefton; A. D. Bayfield.  
Nominal capital : £16,000.  
Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders : Nil.  
Number of shares in which capital is divided : 16,000.  
Number of shares taken : 16,000.  
Amount of calls made : £66 13s. 4d.  
Total amount of subscribed capital paid up : £66 13s. 4d.  
Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company : 29.  
Amount of cash in hand : £7 19s. 10d.  
Whether in operation or not : Not in operation.  
Total amount of dividends declared : Nil.  
Number of shares unallotted : Nil.

A. D. BAYFIELD,  
Manager.

28th January, 1878.

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**S**TATEMENT of the Affairs of the Anderson's Extended Quartz-Mining Company (Limited), for the half-year ended 31st December, 1877, in accordance with section 135 of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872."

Name of Company : The Anderson's Extended Quartz-Mining Company (Limited).  
When formed, and date of registration : 4th December, 1876; 29th March, 1877.  
Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager :  
Bridge Street, Reefton; A. D. Bayfield.  
Nominal capital : £30,000.  
Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders : Nil.  
Number of shares in which capital is divided : 30,000.  
Number of shares taken : 30,000.  
Amount of calls made : £1,500.  
Total amount of subscribed capital paid up : £1,500.  
Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company : 35.  
Amount of cash in hand : Nil.  
Whether in operation or not : In operation.  
Total amount of dividends declared : Nil.  
Number of shares unallotted : Nil.

A. D. BAYFIELD,  
Manager.

28th January, 1878.

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**I**, the undersigned hereby make application to register the Gladstone Quartz-Mining Company (Limited), under the provisions of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872."

1. The name of the Company is the Gladstone Quartz-Mining Company (Limited).
2. The place of operations is at Painkiller Creek, in the Riding of Reefton, in the County of Inangahua.
3. The registered office of the Company is situated in Bridge Street, Reefton.
4. The nominal capital of the Company is fifteen thousand pounds, in fifteen thousand shares of one pound each.
5. The number of shares subscribed for is fifteen thousand.
6. The number of paid-up shares is nil.
7. The amount already paid up is nil.
8. The name of the manager is Arthur D. Bayfield.
9. The names, addresses, and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follow:—

	No. of Shares.
L. Lapham, Greymouth, Banker ... ..	2,000
J. Trennery, Reefton, Miner ... ..	2,000
G. W. Moss, Greymouth, Agent ... ..	1,000
D. Girdwood, Greymouth, Auctioneer ... ..	2,000
James Thorburn, Reefton, Miner ... ..	1,000
Wm. Show, Reefton, Miner ... ..	500
A. D. Bayfield, Reefton, Mining Agent ... ..	500
C. Moncrieff, Reefton, Miner ... ..	1,000
N. Ramsay, Black's Point, Storekeeper ... ..	1,000
James Hamilton, Greymouth, Merchant ... ..	1,000
F. Hamilton, Greymouth, Merchant ... ..	1,000
Jacob McKenny, Reefton, Miner ... ..	1,500
S. Barr, Reefton, Engineer ... ..	250
Gladstone Quartz-Mining Company (Limited), Reefton	250

15,000

Dated this twenty-eighth day of January, 1878.

A. D. BAYFIELD,  
Manager.

Witness to signature—John C. Guinness.

**I**, Arthur D. Bayfield, 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 respect and 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."

A. D. BAYFIELD.

Taken before me this 28th day of January, 1878  
—Edward Shaw, R.M.

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