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By His Honor's command,

H. G. GOULAND, Provincial Secretary.

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SATURDAY, JANUARY 13, 1855.

[No. I.]

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Christchurch, 11th December, 1854.

HIS HONOR THE SUPERINTENDENT is pleased to appoint **SIR WILLIAM CONGREVE, BART.**, to be Registrar of Brands, under the Scab and Catarrh Ordinance.

By order of His Honor the Superintendent,

H. G. GOULAND,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Christchurch, 20th December, 1854.

THE Provincial Government are prepared to enter into arrangements for the establishment of Steam Communication between Lyttelton and the Plains, in one of the following ways:

First—By the grant of a bonus, to any person or company who shall establish such communication, calculated on the loss likely to be sustained.

Secondly—By guaranteeing a certain rate of dividend on the capital embarked in the undertaking.

Thirdly—By advancing a part of the capital required.

Capitalists who are disposed to carry out the views of the Government, upon any of the conditions above described, are requested to send in tenders to this Office, containing full particulars of the terms on which they propose to act.

By order of His Honor the Superintendent,

H. G. GOULAND,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Christchurch, 20th December, 1854.

HIS HONOR THE SUPERINTENDENT is pleased to appoint **CHRISTOPHER ALDERSON CALVERT, Esq.**, to be Registrar of Deeds, for the Province of Canterbury, vice Lieutenant Colonel James Campbell.

By order of His Honor the Superintendent,

H. G. GOULAND,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Christchurch, 20th December, 1854.

HIS HONOR THE SUPERINTENDENT has on behalf and by the

authority of His Excellency the Governor appointed
CHRISTOPHER ALDERSON CALVERT, Esq.,
 to be Deputy Registrar of the Supreme
 Court, vice J. C. Porter, Esq., resigned.
 The appointment to bear date from the 1st
 January, 1855.

By order of His Honor the Superintendent,

H. G. GOULAND,
 Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
 Christchurch, 20th December, 1854.

HIS HONOR THE SUPERINTEN-
DENT is pleased to appoint

THEODORE BLUNT KEELE, Esq.,
 to be Clerk to the Executive Council, vice
 Edward Puckle, Esq., resigned.

By order of His Honor the Superintendent,

H. G. GOULAND,
 Provincial Secretary.

Crown Lands Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the
 undermentioned piece of Town
 Land (having been applied for, and
 deposit made, according to the Regula-
 tions,) will be sold by Auction, at the
 Land Office, Christchurch, on Wednesday,
 the 7th day of February, 1855, at noon,
 subject to such conditions as shall be then
 and there produced,—

An Island, containing 0a. 0r. 23p.,
 (more or less) in the River Avon, opposite
 Hereford-street, in the Town of Christ-
 church.

WILLIAM GUISE BRITAN,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands,
 Canterbury.

Land Office, Christchurch,
 26th December, 1854.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
 Christchurch, 29th December, 1854.

HIS HONOR THE SUPERINTEN-
DENT is pleased to appoint

MR. EDWARD WILLIAM SEAGER,
 to be Inspector of Slaughter-houses for the
 District of Lyttelton, comprising the Town,
 and the Country around, to the distance of
 three miles, vice Mr. J. T. Parkinson, re-
 signed.

By order of His Honor the Superintendent,

H. G. GOULAND,
 Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
 Christchurch, 30th December, 1854.

HIS HONOR THE SUPERINTEN-
DENT direct the publication of the

following extract, for general information.

By order of His Honor the Superintendent,

H. G. GOULAND,
 Provincial Secretary.

Extract from the Journal of Proceedings
 of the Provincial Council, Wednesday, 27th
 December, 1854.

Motion made and question proposed—

“That in the opinion of this Council it
 is expedient that the line of road recom-
 mended by the commissioners for enquir-
 ing into the communication between the
 Port and the Plains, and alluded to in
 Appendix B shall be undertaken without
 delay.”

Question put and agreed to—

Motion made and question proposed—

“That this Council approve of the ap-
 plication of a sum not exceeding £10,000
 towards opening out the communication
 between the Port and the Plains.”

Question put and agreed to.

(Signed) GEORGE A. E. ROSS,
 Clerk to the Council.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
 Christchurch, 6th January, 1855.

HIS HONOR THE SUPERINTEN-
DENT is pleased to appoint

MR. JAMES WILLIS,

to be the authorised Printer of the Pro-
 vincial Government Gazette, and of the
 Provincial Ordinances, (in the place of
 Mr. I. Shrimpton,) from whom copies of all
 Ordinances, Gazettes, and other Papers
 printed by authority of the Government
 may be obtained.

By order of His Honor the Superintendent,

H. G. GOULAND,
 Provincial Secretary.

Land Registration.

Register Office, Christchurch,
 6th January, 1855.

NOTICE.—Whereas under and by
 virtue of the Ordinances relative to
 the Registration of Deeds and Instruments
 affecting real property in New Zealand,
 every Registrar may, from time to time,
 make rules for regulating the practice of
 his Office, provided that the rules so to be
 made shall be approved by the Chief
 Justice of the Supreme Court, and shall
 not be repugnant to any of the provisions
 in the Ordinances contained. AND whereas
 mischief might happen from any ignorance
 as to such practice, particularly as to where
 and when such documents might be regis-

tered. I, Christopher Alderson Calvert, Registrar as to the Province of Canterbury, duly appointed under and by virtue of such Ordinances, Do hereby, subject to the approval of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, direct and declare, and for general information give notice that this Register Office shall be as heretofore at the Land Office, Christchurch, and be open every day (Sundays and holidays excepted) from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m., the holidays to be the same as in the Supreme Court and the offices thereof; that is to say, Good Friday, Easter Eve, Easter Monday, Easter Tuesday, Whit Monday, and Whit Tuesday, the Days from Christmas Eve to New Year's Day, both included; the Birth day (24th May), and the Accession Day (20th June), of our Lady the Queen, and the day (29th January), of the Proclamation of the Queen's sovereignty over these Islands.

Witness my hand this sixth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty five.

CHRISTOPHER ALDERSON CALVERT,
Registrar.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Christchurch, January 8th, 1855.

HIS HONOR THE SUPERINTENDENT has been pleased to appoint
JOHN MARSHMAN, ESQ.,

to be the Provincial Auditor, vice H. G. Goulard, Esq., resigned.

By order of His Honor the Superintendent,

For the Provincial Secretary,
T. B. KEELE,
Chief Clerk.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Christchurch, January 8th, 1855.

HIS HONOR THE SUPERINTENDENT has been pleased to appoint
JOHN HALL, ESQ.,

to be Inspector of Schools for the Christchurch District, vice H. G. Goulard, Esq., resigned.

By order of His Honor the Superintendent,

For the Provincial Secretary,
T. B. KEELE,
Chief Clerk.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Christchurch, January 11th, 1855.

HIS HONOR THE SUPERINTENDENT directs it to be notified that the voluntary public Examinations in accordance with the 22nd clause of the Education Regulations will be held in the

Grammar School, at Christchurch, on Saturday the 29th inst., at 11 o'clock.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Christchurch, 13th January, 1855.

THE following Regulations for the Offices of Inspector of Sheep and Registrar of Brands, issued by His Honor the Superintendent with the advice of the Executive Council are published for general information.

For the Provincial Secretary,
T. B. KEELE,
Chief Clerk.

Regulations for the Office of Inspector of Sheep.

1. The Inspector will appoint some Office in Christchurch, at which communications may be addressed to him both by the public and the Government.

2. He will keep at least one horse in good travelling condition.

3. He will, unless otherwise instructed by the Government, or unless his official duties call for his presence at His office, be constantly engaged in travelling from Station to Station, for the purpose of ascertaining the condition, in reference to disease, of all the Sheep within the Province.

4. He will so arrange his proceedings as to visit the Stations in regular rounds, and to make the round of the whole of them as frequently as practicable. Should however any information reach the Inspector, rendering it desirable that the Sheep on a particular Station should be inspected without delay, he will at once proceed to the station, and not wait until he should come to it in the ordinary course.

5. Whenever the Inspector may think it necessary, for the purpose of satisfying himself as to the condition of any sheep, that the same should be yarded, he will, under the authority of Clause 16 of the Ordinance, call upon the owner to yard them accordingly.

6. The Inspector will, in every instance in which he finds the law to have been infringed either in the case of diseased Sheep, or of Sheep not branded as required, take the necessary steps for enforcing the penalties against the offenders.

7. The Inspector will cause notice to be circulated of the place or places at which he will be prepared to examine sheep about to be introduced into the Province by land. In the selection of such places, the Inspector will, so far as is consistent with an efficient inspection, consult the convenience of parties driving such sheep. He is however, not bound to examine them at any spot which may be selected by the

owners themselves, and he will refuse to grant a certificate unless such facilities are afforded to him as will enable him to pronounce decisively as to the condition of the sheep.

8. The Inspector will keep a daily Journal of his proceedings, comprising an account of the stations visited by him with particulars of the number, state, &c. of the Sheep inspected, and of any proceedings he may have taken thereon.

9. He will furnish a copy of this Journal every month to the Audit Office for transmission to the Superintendent.

10. He will also furnish a return monthly to the Audit Office for transmission to the Superintendent, in the form hereto annexed.

Regulations to apply to the inspection of imported Sheep.

11. The Inspector appointed to inspect imported sheep shall immediately upon the arrival of any vessel with sheep, proceed to examine them on board.

12. If the sheep shall prove to be clean he shall give the requisite Certificate.

13. If the sheep should be diseased he will point out to the owner the place where they may be landed on the Quarantine Ground.

14. In every case where the owner is liable to penalties under the Ordinance, the Inspector shall take the necessary steps for enforcing them.

15. The Inspector shall on the arrival of every ship make a return to the Government of number and condition of the Stock landed.

Form of Inspector's Monthly Return.

No.	Name of Owner.	Name of Station.	Where situated.	Name of Manager.	Number of Sheep in each Flock.	When visited.	State of Sheep.	Extent of Run in Acres.	Remarks.

Regulations for the Office of Registrar of Brands.

1. The Registrar of Brands shall keep an Office in Christchurch for the Registration of Brands.

2. The original brand, or an accurate copy or impression thereof, must be produced at the office, and a copy shall be entered in the book kept for that purpose. The person registering the brand must attest the correctness of the copy in the Registrar's book.

3. For every Registration of a brand, the Registrar shall charge a fee of Two shillings and six pence.

4. The Registration book may be inspected during office hours, by any person, on payment of a fee of One shilling.

5. The Registrar will refuse to register any brand so nearly resembling a brand already registered, as not to be easily distinguishable therefrom.