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PROVINCE OF CANTERBURY.

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By His Honor's Command,
THOMAS WILLIAM MAUDE,
Provincial Secretary.

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Provincial Secretary's Office,
Christchurch, 19th February, 1863.

HIS Honor the Superintendent directs the following notification to be published for general information.

THOS. WM. MAUDE,
Provincial Secretary.

I, Samuel Bealey, Superintendent of the Province of Canterbury, in pursuance of the powers vested in me by the 19th clause of the Waste Lands Regulations, in force within the said Province, do hereby, upon the recommendation of the Provincial Council, make the following Reserves, in the town of Timaru, for public purposes, namely:—

Sections numbered 23, 24, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 113, 114, 115, 116, 121, 122, 123, 127, 128, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 147, 148, 191, 192, 198, 199, 232, 233, 317, 318, 362 and 363; and one block of land containing 2 acres 2 roods, and numbered (in red) 204; also Sections numbered 25, 26, 30 and 31 on the map of the Chief Surveyor of the Province of Canterbury.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Christchurch, 4th March, 1863.

HIS Honor the Superintendent directs it to be notified that

ALFRED GEORGE RICH, Esq.,
has resigned his seat in the Provincial Council as Member for the Town of Kaiapoi.

THOS. WM. MAUDE,
Provincial Secretary.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Provincial Treasury,
Christchurch, 21st March, 1863.

NO Payments will be made at the Treasury on TUESDAY, the 31st March, as the Office will be closed to balance the quarter's accounts.

CHAS. C. BOWEN,
Provincial Treasurer.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Christchurch, 26th March, 1863.

HIS Honor the Superintendent directs the publication of the following extract from the 'New Zealand Gazette,' March 5, 1863, No. 9.

THOS. WM. MAUDE,
Provincial Secretary.

ORDER IN COUNCIL,

Bringing the "Crown Lands Act, 1862," into operation.

G. GREY, Governor, at the Government House, at Auckland, the 28th day of February, 1863. Present, His Excellency the Governor in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, intituled "The Crown Lands Act, 1862," it is enacted that the said Act shall come into operation in each Province of New Zealand on and from a day to be fixed by the Governor in Council, to be notified in the 'Government Gazette' of the Colony, and also of the

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Province to which such notification shall apply.

Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of New Zealand, doth hereby order that the "Crown Lands Act, 1862," shall come into operation within each of the aftermentioned Provinces of New Zealand, namely, the Provinces of Auckland, Wellington, Hawke's Bay, Taranaki, Nelson, Marlborough, Canterbury, Otago, and Southland, on and from the 6th day of April next.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of Executive Council.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Christchurch, 26th March, 1863.

THE Offices of the Provincial Government will be closed on SATURDAY, the 4th of April, and on EASTER MONDAY and TUESDAY.

By order of His Honor the Superintendent,
THOS. WM. MAUDE,
Provincial Secretary.

SALE OF TOWN & RURAL LANDS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Sections of Land specified below will be submitted to Public Auction at the sitting of the Waste Lands Board, to be held at the Land Office, Christchurch, on Thursday, April 2, 1863, at the hour of Noon, subject to the usual conditions of sale, and in conformity with the Regulations for the disposal, sale, letting, and occupation of the Waste Lands of the Crown now in force within the Province of Canterbury.

THOS. WM. MAUDE,
Provincial Secretary.

RURAL LANDS.

LOT	SECTION.	A.	R.	P.	UPSET PRICE.
TIMARU DISTRICT.					
1	4963	17	2	0	£35 0 0
CHRISTCHURCH DISTRICT.					
2	4972	14	0	0	£28 0 0
3	5008	8	0	0	£16 0 0
MANDEVILLE DISTRICT.					
4	5085	15	0	0	£30 0 0
LYTTELTON DISTRICT.					
5	5137	11	0	0	£22 0 0

Further applications will be received by the Waste Lands Board on and up to Monday, March 23, 1863.

WM. GUISE BRITTAN,
Chief Commissioner.

NOTICE.

HIS Honor the Superintendent directs it to be notified, that the MEETINGS of the EXECUTIVE COUNCIL for the transaction of ordinary business are fixed for TUESDAY IN EACH WEEK. That all business which persons may require to bring before the Council at their ordinary sitting on Tuesday, shall be presented in writing at the Provincial Secretary's Office on or before the Saturday previous. That any person seeking an inter-

view with the Executive shall, on or before the Saturday previous to the sitting on the succeeding Tuesday, request in writing, addressed to the Provincial Secretary, an appointment with the Council. That all other business, except in cases of emergency, not presented at the Provincial Secretary's office on or before the Saturday previous to the Tuesday Meeting, shall stand over until the following Tuesday.

THOS. WM. MAUDE,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Christchurch, 25th March, 1863.

THE following Conditional License, granted by His Honor the Superintendent, is published for general information.

THOS. WM. MAUDE,
Provincial Secretary.

Province of } Know all Men by these pre-
Canterbury, } sents that I, Samuel Bealey,
New Zealand, } Superintendent of the Pro-
to wit. } vince of Canterbury, do hereby, with the advice of the Executive Council, and in pursuance of the powers vested in me by "The Public-house Ordinance, 1862," License Thomas Wadsworth to Sell any Spirituous or Fermented Liquors in any quantity in a House of Accommodation to be erected by him on the Ferry Reserve on the eastern bank of the Tekapo stream of the River Waitaki, subject to the following conditions, viz. :—

1. To provide in such house one sitting-room and two bedrooms, with at least four beds.

2. To keep a sufficient supply of oats, to be charged for to travellers at the rate of eight-pence per imperial quart measure.

3. To provide and keep in repair a safe ferry boat, and be ready at all times to convey foot-passengers across the stream, and accompany horsemen, drays, and other vehicles at the following rates, viz. :—

Foot passengers	1s. each
Horsemen	2s. 6d. each
Drays and other vehicles	5s. each
Merchandise	10s. per ton
Wool	1s. per bale.

4. Officers of the General and Provincial Governments, Magistrates on duty, Police Constables on duty and prisoners, her Majesty's mails, and the person in charge thereof, to be ferried or shown across the stream free of charge.

5. To afford every assistance in his power in directing travellers to a safe ford.

6. The usual other conditions in similar cases will be enforced, and extension of the accommodation, including provision for the shelter of stock, will be required at the next licensing meeting.

7. The license to be cancelled if any of the conditions of the license be not fulfilled regularly, or if any drunkenness be proved to have been allowed on the premises, or if

any spirits be supplied from the house to any aboriginal native of New Zealand.

8. A printed or fairly written copy of the conditions of this license to be kept posted up in some conspicuous place in the sitting room for the information of travellers.

9. A tariff of charges to be kept posted up in like manner.

10. To provide a Visitors' Book, which shall be kept in a conspicuous part of the house, and to be open to visitors and lodgers to insert any remark on the accommodation or attendance; the book to be open at all times to inspection by Magistrates or the Police, and to be sent to the Clerk of the Bench at Timaru one week before the annual licensing day, for the purpose of being produced at that meeting.

11. To keep a copy of the Public House Ordinance in the house.

12. This license shall commence on the day of the date hereof, and continue in force until the first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four.

Given under my hand and seal at Christchurch, this Seventeenth day of March, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-three.

SAMUEL BEALEY,
Superintendent.
THOS. WM. MAUDE,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Christchurch, 26th March, 1863.

IT is hereby notified that a Writ issued for the Election of a Member to serve in the Provincial Council for the City of Christchurch has been returned with a certificate that

JOHN OLLIVIER, Esq.

has been duly elected.

THOS. WM. MAUDE,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Christchurch, 25th March, 1863.

HIS Honor the Superintendent directs it to be notified for public information that in pursuance of the powers vested in him by the Waste Lands Regulations now in force within the Province of Canterbury, he has made the following Reserves of Land for the uses of the Provincial Government, and for other public purposes, temporarily, until the next Session of the Provincial Council, viz. :—

No. 269, in red.—Sections Nos. 437, 438, 439, 440, 441 and 442, formerly included in the township of Sefton,

No. 270, in red.—134 acres, more or less, situate in the Mandeville district, on the Sand-hills, between Kaiapoi and the sea, being bounded on the north by a road to the beach, a distance of 43 chains 10 links; on the east by a road along the edge of the Sand-hills separating this reserve from Sections

2397, 2398, 2409 and 993, a distance altogether of about 31 chains 50 links; on the south by Section No. 1393, a distance of 45 chains; and on the west by another road along the edge of the Sand-hills, separating this from Section 320, a distance of about 32 chains.

THOS. WM. MAUDE,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Christchurch, 25th March, 1863.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of Clause 5 of "The Cattle Driving Ordinance, 1862," the following persons did, on or before the 1st day of March, 1863, serve a notice on the Provincial Secretary of the Province of Canterbury, intimating their desire that the Runs held by them, and specified in the Schedule hereunder written should be under the provisions of the said Ordinance, and that the said persons did, upon the serving of such notice, pay the fee required by the provisions of the said Ordinance.

SCHEDULE ABOVE REFERRED TO.

No.	NAME OF OWNER OR OCCUPIER.	NAME OR DESCRIPTION OF RUN.
1.	J. C. Wilson.....	No. 74, 85 and 95
2.	Studholme, Brothers	Waimata Run, Timaru
3.	Trustees, Riccarton Estate	Home Bush, Run No. 41
4.	E. Chapman	Acton Station, No. 89, 90, 91, 98, 128 and 129
5.	F. Jollie.....	Between Orari and Rangitata rivers
6.	C. W. Turton and J. D. Bernard	North Branch of the Ashburton, No. 428, 435, 436 and 437
7.	William Turton.....	Ashburton River Bed, No. 90
8.	H. Washbourne.....	Selwyn Run, No. 22
9.	R. and G. Rhodes...	Between Opihi and Timaru
10.	R. and G. Rhodes...	Between Opihi and Timaru
11.	J. C. Wilson	No. 42
12.	A. Cox	No. 43
13.	A. Cox	No. 280

THOS. WM. MAUDE,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Christchurch, 27th March, 1863.

HIS Honor the Superintendent directs it to be notified that

JOSHUA STRANGE WILLIAMS, Esq.,
has resigned his seat in the Provincial Council as Member for the District of Heathcote.

THOS. WM. MAUDE,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Christchurch, 27th March, 1863.

HIS Honor the Superintendent directs it
to be notified that

ROBERT RICKMAN, Esq.,
has resigned his seat in the Provincial
Council for the district of Mandeville.

THOS. WM. MAUDE,
Provincial Secretary.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Land Office, Christchurch,
1st April, 1863.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Com-
missioners of the Waste Lands Board
will sit at the Land Office, Christchurch, on
FRIDAY, the 1st day of **MAY** next, at 10 a.m.,

to receive Pasturage License Fees under the
Land Regulations of 1st April, 1856.

By Clause 51 of the Amended Land Regu-
lations, Pasturage License Fees may be paid
at any sitting of the Board between the 20th
of April and the 1st of May.

Licensees of Runs in the Upper Ashley
and Ashburton Districts, whose Runs were
allotted by the Board in January and Febru-
ary last, will be required to pay towards the
cost of the survey of their Runs at the rate
of 20s. per thousand acres on the 1st May
next.

By order of the Waste Lands Board,
WILLIAM GUISE BRITTAN,
Chief Commissioner.

MONTHLY LIST OF ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES IN THE PORT OF LYTTTELTON, FROM THE 1ST TO THE 31ST JANUARY, 1863.

DATE OF ARRIVALS.	NAME OF SHIP.	TONS.	FROM WHENCE.	PASSENGERS.			DATE OF DEPARTURES.	NAME OF SHIP.	TONS.	DESTINATION.	PASSENGERS.		
				Males.	Females.	Children.					Males.	Females.	Children.
January	2 Rifleman	82	Wanganui	0	0	0	January	2 Indus	368	Wellington	0	0	0
"	5 Southern Queen	25	Akaroa	0	0	0	"	3 Wildwave	70	Nelson	0	0	0
"	5 Juno	50	Wellington	0	0	0	"	3 Nautilus	50	Nelson	0	0	0
"	8 Wonga Wonga	104	Otago	2	3	0	"	3 Augusta	45	Queen Charlts. Snd.	0	0	0
"	8 Geelong	108	Otago	30	5	8	"	5 Rifleman	50	Wanganui	0	0	0
"	8 Prince Alfred	703	Otago	5	2	0	"	6 Maid of Yarrow	97	Timaru	0	0	0
"	8 Airedale	286	Wellington	15	2	0	"	8 Wonga Wonga	104	Wellington	0	0	0
"	9 Maid of Yarrow	97	Timaru	0	0	0	"	8 Geelong	108	Otago	0	0	0
"	9 Seabird	15	Akaroa	0	0	0	"	8 Juno	50	Wellington	0	0	0
"	9 Isabella Jackson	42	Akaroa	0	0	0	"	9 Airedale	286	Nelson	11	0	0
"	10 Shalimar	1591	Auckland	6	1	0	"	10 Sea Bird	15	Akaroa	0	0	0
"	12 Tyra	275	Wellington	0	0	0	"	10 Prince Alfred	703	Nelson	2	0	0
"	12 Mary Ann Christina	42	Wellington	0	0	0	"	12 Tyra	275	Wellington	0	0	0
"	12 Emu	27	Akaroa	0	0	0	"	13 Mary Ann Christina	42	Wellington	0	0	0
"	12 Australian Maid	19	Norfolk Island	1	0	0	"	14 Emu	27	Akaroa	0	0	0
"	13 Maid of Yarrow	97	Timaru	0	0	0	"	14 Maid of Yarrow	97	Timaru	0	0	0
"	14 Queen	177	Wellington	12	1	0	"	14 Queen	177	Otago	9	0	0
"	19 Wonga Wonga	104	Wellington	10	2	2	"	19 Gothenburgh	459	Otago	5	1	0
"	19 Rifleman	82	Wellington	0	0	0	"	19 Wonga Wonga	104	Otago	0	0	0
"	20 William and Julia	36	Wellington	0	0	0	"	21 Indus	368	Wellington	0	0	0
"	20 Emerald Isle	35	Pictou	0	0	0	"	21 Maid of Yarrow	97	Timaru	0	0	0
"	20 Jupiter	20	Akaroa	0	0	0	"	23 Geelong	108	Otago	22	5	4
"	20 Indus	368	Wellington	3	0	0	"	25 Wonga Wonga	104	Wellington	9	1	0
"	20 Maid of Yarrow	97	Timaru	0	0	0	"	26 Rifleman	50	Wellington	0	0	0
"	20 Fawn	38	Wellington	0	0	0	"	27 Remark	207	Wellington	0	0	0
"	20 Choice	162	Timaru	0	0	0	"	27 Queen	177	Wellington	5	1	0
"	23 Geelong	108	Otago	8	0	0	"	28 Uira	50	Akaroa	0	0	0
"	25 Wonga Wonga	104	Otago	7	2	0	"	28 Maid of Yarrow	97	Timaru	0	0	0
"	26 Maid of Yarrow	96	Timaru	0	0	0	"	28 Julia Ann	12	Akaroa	0	0	0
"	27 Remark	207	Wellington	0	0	0	"	28 William and Julia	34	Akaroa	0	0	0
"	27 Queen	177	Otago	4	1	4	"	29 Tyra	275	Wellington	0	0	0
"	28 Sea Shell	50	Auckland	9	0	0	"	29 Crest of the Wave	76	Wellington	0	0	0
"	29 Tyra	275	Wellington	2	0	0	"	31 Airedale	286	Otago	68	1	5
"	30 Augusta	45	Pictou	0	0	0							
"	30 Airedale	286	Wellington	29	2	0							
	Inwards	6030	Inwards	143	21	14		Outwards	5068	Outwards	131	9	9

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FOREIGN SHIPPING.

January	3 Bessie	262	Melbourne	0	1	0	January	5 Prairie	140	Hobart Town	0	0	0
"	8 Derwentwater	567	London	5	0	0	"	13 Wild Wave	190	Sydney	1	2	3
"	29 Chariot of Fame	1640	London	308	187	31	"	14 Lady Demison	129	Hobart Town	0	0	0
							"	14 Chrysolite	1129	Wellington	0	0	0
							"	15 Queen of the Mersey	1227	London	8	9	5
							"	17 Water Lily	595	Callao	0	0	0
							"	20 Heather Bell	188	Sydney	0	0	0
							"	27 Echuunga	1007	Callao	0	0	0
							"	29 Choice	162	Newcastle	0	0	0
	Inwards	2469	Inwards	313	188	31		Outwards	4767	Outwards	9	11	8

I do hereby declare that the above is a true and faithful account of all the Arrivals and Departures of Vessels, and Immigration and Emigration at the Port of Lyttelton, during the month of January, 1863.
Harbor Master's Office, Lyttelton, February 25, 1863.

ALEXANDER SPROUL, Harbor Master, Lyttelton.

MONTHLY LIST OF ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES IN THE PORT OF LYTTELTON, FROM THE 1ST TO THE 28TH FEBRUARY, 1863.

DATE OF ARRIVALS.	NAME OF SHIP.	TONS.	FROM WHENCE.	PASSENGERS.			DATE OF DEPARTURES.	NAME OF SHIP.	TONS.	DESTINATION.	PASSENGERS.				
				Males.	Females.	Children.					Males.	Females.	Children.		
February	2	Themes	30	Dunedin ...	2	1	0	February	2	Themes	30	Wellington ...	0	0	0
"	2	S.S. Corio	116	Dunedin ...	1	0	0	"	2	Corio	116	Wellington ...	0	0	0
"	2	Maid of Yarrow ...	97	Timaru ...	0	0	0	"	2	Mary	40	Port Underwood	0	0	0
"	2	Harriet Armitage ...	20	Timaru ...	2	2	0	"	3	Maid of Yarrow ...	97	Timaru ...	0	0	0
"	5	Traveller's Bride ...	45	Dunedin ...	0	0	0	"	3	Augusta	35	Queen Chlts.Sound	0	0	0
"	5	Fanny a'Garrigues ...	189	Wellington ...	3	0	0	"	4	Margaret	30	Dunedin ...	0	0	0
"	5	Yarrow	229	Wellington ...	3	0	0	"	4	Emu	27	Akaroa ...	0	0	0
"	5	Storm Bird	104	Wellington ...	15	2	0	"	5	Fawn	32	Wellington ...	0	0	0
"	5	Geelong	108	Dunedin ...	25	1	0	"	5	Fanny a'Garrigues ...	189	Wellington ...	0	0	0
"	5	Sea Bird	15	Akaroa ...	0	0	0	"	5	Storm Bird	104	Dunedin ...	6	2	0
"	6	Mary Ann Christina ...	42	Wellington ...	0	1	0	"	5	Geelong	108	Dunedin ...	16	12	8
"	9	Prince Alfred	703	Wellington ...	23	3	2	"	7	Yarrow	229	Wellington ...	0	0	0
"	9	Airedale	286	Dunedin ...	19	2	0	"	7	Sea Bird	15	Akaroa ...	0	0	0
"	9	Maid of Yarrow	97	Timaru ...	2	0	0	"	9	Airedale	286	Wellington ...	11	0	0
"	10	Storm Bird	104	Dunedin ...	15	2	2	"	10	Storm Bird	104	Wellington ...	1	0	0
"	11	Wild Wave	40	Auckland ...	0	0	0	"	10	Mary Ann Christina ...	42	Wellington ...	0	0	0
"	11	Julia Ann	12	Akaroa ...	0	0	0	"	11	Prince Alfred	702	Nelson ...	10	0	0
"	11	Uira	26	Akaroa ...	0	0	0	"	11	Traveller's Bride ...	43	Akaroa ...	0	0	0
"	12	Gothenburg	459	Dunedin ...	17	12	2	"	14	Gothenburg	459	Dunedin ...	23	4	0
"	14	Queen	177	Wellington ...	14	1	0	"	14	Queen	177	Dunedin ...	30	0	0
"	14	Juno	50	Wellington ...	0	0	0	"	18	Maid of Yarrow	97	Timaru ...	0	0	0
"	16	Wau-o-Tohie	17	Auckland ...	0	0	0	"	20	Geelong	108	Dunedin ...	15	9	1
"	16	Foam	76	Akaroa ...	0	0	0	"	24	Queen	177	Wellington ...	10	0	0
"	20	Geelong	108	Dunedin ...	5	5	9	"	26	Foam	76	Akaroa ...	0	0	0
"	23	Dove	30	Auckland ...	3	1	0								
"	24	Queen	177	Dunedin ...	5	1	0								
"	24	Emu	27	Akaroa ...	0	0	0								
"	27	Rifleman	82	Wellington ...	0	0	0								
"	27	Nautilus	50	Nelson ...	0	0	0								
"	29	Maid of Yarrow	97	Timaru ...	0	0	0								
		Inwards	3793	Inwards ...	154	34	15			Outwards	3323	Outwards ...	122	27	9

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FOREIGN SHIPPING.

February	2	Camilla	191	Hobart Town ...	5	1	1	February	7	Harriet Armitage ...	200	Sydney ...	6	2	1
"	4	Triumph	45	Melbourne ...	0	0	0	"	10	Derwent Hunter ...	368	Hobart Town ...	0	0	0
"	5	Daniel Watson	144	Hobart Town ...	4	2	0	"	14	Camilla	191	Hobart Town ...	0	0	0
"	6	Derwent Hunter	368	Hobart Town ...	2	1	0	"	16	Daniel Watson	144	Hobart Town ...	2	0	0
"	7	Excellent	1212	Melbourne ...	13	2	0	"	18	Le Sabine	173	Melbourne ...	3	0	0
"	10	Sylph	51	Sydney	0	0	0	"	18	Sylph	51	Auckland ...	0	0	0
"	13	Susau	168	Hobart Town ...	3	1	0	"	27	Derwentwater	675	London ...	5	5	6
"	14	Volga	573	Boston	0	0	0								
"	16	Le Sabine	173	Melbourne ...	2	0	0								
"	20	Windhover	207	Hobart Town ...	3	3	1								
"	23	Lady Devison	129	Hobart Town ...	2	2	0								
"	27	Avalanche	697	London	6	4	0								
		Inwards	3958	Inwards ...	40	16	2			Outwards	1802	Outwards ...	16	7	7

I do hereby declare that the above is a true and faithful account of all the Arrivals and Departures of Vessels, and Immigration and Emigration at the Port of Lyttelton, during the month of February, 1863.
 Harbour Master's Office, Lyttelton, March 17, 1863.

ALEXANDER SPROUL, Harbour Master, Lyttelton.

RETURN OF SHEEP INSPECTED IN THE PROVINCE OF CANTERBURY DURING THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1863.

DATE OF INSPECTION.	DATE OF PRECEDING INSPECTION.	NAME OF STATION.	WHERE SITUATE.	NAME OF MANAGER OR OWNER.	NO. OF SHEEP ON THE STATION.	NO. OF SHEEP INSPECTED.	RESULT.	DATE ON WHICH SHEEP WERE LAST DRESSED.	REMARKS.
February 8	...	St. Leonard's	Nelson Province	J. R. Mitchell*	...	5800	Clean	...	} About to be introduced into the Province.
February 9	...	North Hurunui	Nelson Province	James Meldrum†	...	376	Clean	...	
February 16	...	Mount Pleasant	Port Hills	A. Hornbrook	...	3000	Doubtful	...	
February 19	...	Hinds	Hinds	J. T. Ford	...	4000	Clean	...	
February 19	...	Shepherd's Bush	Rangitata	B. M. Moorhouse‡	...	7500	Clean	...	Certificate granted.
February 25	...	Takipo	Mackenzie Country	T. W. Hall§	...	3370	Clean	...	Certificate granted.
February 25	...	Takipo	Mackenzie Country	W. H. Ostler	...	500	Clean	...	Certificate granted.
February 26	...	Takipo	Mackenzie Country	J. Beswick	...	2600	Clean	...	A scabby sheep had joined the flock a month previously.

Christchurch, 4th March, 1863.

P. B. BOULTON, Inspector of Sheep.

* DECLARATION.—I, John R. Mitchell of Christchurch, do hereby solemnly declare that the sheep, 5800 in number, marked X R, now being depastured by me on the North bank of the Hurunui, in the Nelson Province, have not within three months last past had applied to any of them any reputed scab-destroying preparation, nor been mixed with any sheep infected with scab or catarrh, and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true.

Declared before me, at Hastie's, this 8th day of February, 1863.

P. B. BOULTON, Inspector of Sheep.

CERTIFICATE OF INSPECTOR.—I, Philip Baker Boulton, Inspector of Sheep, hereby certify that I have carefully examined 5800 sheep, branded X R, the property of J. R. Mitchell, now being depastured on the North bank of the Hurunui, and that I find such sheep entirely free from scab or catarrh.

Given under my hand, at Hastie's, this 8th day of February, 1863.

P. B. BOULTON, Inspector of Sheep.

† DECLARATION.—I, James Meldrum of Balmoral, do hereby solemnly declare that the sheep, 376 in number, marked ML (conjoined) 3, now being depastured by me on the North bank of the Hurunui, in the Nelson Province, have not within three months last past had applied to any of them any reputed scab-destroying preparation, nor been mixed with any sheep infected with scab or catarrh, and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true.

Declared before me, at Hastie's, this 9th day of February, 1863.

P. B. BOULTON, Inspector of Sheep.

CERTIFICATE OF INSPECTOR.—I, Philip Baker Boulton, Inspector of Sheep, hereby certify that I have carefully examined 376 sheep, branded ML (conjoined) 3, the property of James Meldrum, now being depastured on the North bank of the Hurunui, and that I find such sheep entirely free from scab or catarrh.

Given under my hand, at Hastie's, this 9th day of February, 1863.

P. B. BOULTON, Inspector of Sheep.

‡ DECLARATION.—I, William Balmforth, for Benjamin M. Moorhouse of Shepherd's Bush, do hereby solemnly declare that my sheep branded M, being 7500 in number, now being at Shepherd's Bush, have not within three months been subjected to any dressing for the cure of the scab, nor within three months been mixed with any sheep infected with scab or catarrh, and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true.

Declared before me, at Shepherd's Bush, this 19th day of February, 1863.

P. B. BOULTON, Inspector of Sheep.

CERTIFICATE OF INSPECTOR.—I, Philip Baker Boulton, Inspector of Sheep, hereby certify that I have carefully examined 7500 sheep, branded M, the property of B. M. Moorhouse, now being depastured at Shepherd's Bush, and that I find such sheep entirely free from scab or catarrh.

Given under my hand at Shepherd's Bush, this 19th day of February, 1863.

P. B. BOULTON, Inspector of Sheep.

§ DECLARATION.—I, Barwise Metcalfe, Overseer of Takipo, do hereby solemnly declare that I have made a complete muster of all the sheep in my charge, and that my sheep branded MP (conjoined), being 3370 in number, now being at Irishman Creek, have not within two months and a half been subjected to any dressing for the cure of the scab, nor within two months and a half been mixed with any sheep infected with scab or catarrh, and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true.

Declared before me, at Irishman Creek, this 25th day of February, 1863.

P. B. BOULTON, Inspector of Sheep.

CERTIFICATE OF INSPECTOR.—I, Philip Baker Boulton, Inspector of Sheep, hereby certify that I have carefully examined 3370 sheep, branded MP (conjoined), the property of T. W. Hall, now being depastured in the Mackenzie Country, and that I find such sheep entirely free from scab or catarrh.

Given under my hand at Irishman Creek, this 25th day of February, 1863.

P. B. BOULTON, Inspector of Sheep.

RETURN OF SHEEP IMPORTED BY SEA INTO THE PROVINCE OF
CANTERBURY FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1863.

DATE.	PROPRIETOR.	SHIP.	WHENCE.	DESCRIPTION OF STOCK.	REMARKS.
February ... 2	H. Beattie*	Corio	Otago	200 rams ...	Clean.
„ 5	H. Crisp†	Excellent ...	Melbourne ...	4200 ewes ...	Clean.
„ 5	P. Pitt‡	Derwent Hunter	Hobart Town	1400 rams and ewes	Clean.

I certify the above to be a correct Return.

P. B. BOULTON, Inspector of Sheep.

Christchurch, 4th March, 1863.

* DECLARATION.—I, Henry Beattie, of Melbourne, do hereby solemnly declare that the sheep, 200 in number, marked O, on board of the vessel Corio, ———— Commander, now lying at Lyttelton in the said Province, have not within three months last past had applied to any of them any reputed scab-destroying preparation, nor been mixed with any sheep infected with scab or catarrh, and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true.

HENRY BEATTIE.

Declared before me at Lyttelton, this 2nd day of February, 1863.

P. B. BOULTON, Inspector of Sheep.

CERTIFICATE OF INSPECTOR.—I, Philip Baker Boulton, Inspector of Sheep, hereby certify that I have carefully examined 200 sheep, branded O, the property of Henry Beattie, on board the Corio, at Lyttelton, and that I find such sheep entirely free from scab or catarrh.

Given under my hand at Lyttelton, this 2nd day of February, 1863.

P. B. BOULTON, Inspector of Sheep.

† DECLARATION.—I, James Crisp, of Melbourne, do hereby solemnly declare that the sheep, 4200 in number marked ^{WO}_{A MS} on board of the vessel Excellent, Davis, Commander, now lying at Lyttelton in the said Province, have not within three months last past had applied to any of them any reputed scab-destroying preparation, nor been mixed with any sheep infected with scab or catarrh, and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true.

JAMES CRISP.

Declared before me at Lyttelton, this 5th day of February, 1863.

P. B. BOULTON, Inspector of Sheep.

CERTIFICATE OF INSPECTOR.—I, Philip Baker Boulton, Inspector of Sheep, hereby certify, that I have carefully examined 4200 sheep, branded ^{WO}_{A MS} the property of James Crisp, on board the Excellent, at Lyttelton, and that I find such sheep entirely free from scab or catarrh.

Given under my hand at Lyttelton, this 5th day of February, 1863.

P. B. BOULTON, Inspector of Sheep.

‡ DECLARATION.—I, Philip Pitt, of Tasmania, do hereby solemnly declare that the sheep, 1350 in number, marked NB conjoined, on board of the vessel Derwent Hunter, ———— Commander, now lying at Lyttelton, in the said Province, have not within three months last past had applied to them any reputed scab-destroying preparation, nor been mixed with any sheep infected with scab or catarrh, and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true.

P. PITT.

Declared before me at Lyttelton, this 5th day of February, 1863.

P. B. BOULTON, Inspector of Sheep.

CERTIFICATE OF INSPECTOR.—I, Philip Baker Boulton, Inspector of Sheep, hereby certify that I have carefully examined 1350 sheep, branded NB (conjoined), the property of Philip Pitt, on board the Derwent Hunter, at Lyttelton, and that I find such sheep entirely free from scab or catarrh.

Given under my hand at Lyttelton, this 5th day of February, 1863.

P. B. BOULTON, Inspector of Sheep.