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By His Honor's Command,  
WILLIAM ROLLESTON,  
Provincial Secretary.

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THURSDAY, MARCH 3, 1864.

[No. VII.]

PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by an Ordinance of the Superintendent and Provincial Council of the Province of Canterbury, intituled the "Trespass of Cattle Ordinance, Session XIV, No 1," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Superintendent to cause Public Pounds to be erected and maintained within the said Province: Now, therefore, I, SAMUEL BEALEY, Superintendent of the said Province, in pursuance of the Provisions of the above recited Ordinance and of all other powers enabling me on that behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the place or enclosure erected upon the Ferry Reserve, in the Town of Kaiapoi, in the said Province, shall be deemed and taken to be a Public Pound within the meaning of the above recited Ordinance.

Given under my hand at Christchurch, this Second day of March, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-four.

S. BEALEY,  
Superintendent.

By His Honor's command,  
WM. ROLLESTON,  
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,  
Christchurch, Feb. 27, 1864.

HIS Honor the Superintendent directs it to be notified that he has appointed  
FREDERICK DENHAM GIBSON, Esq.,  
to be an Immigration Commissioner.

WM. ROLLESTON,  
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,  
Christchurch, Feb. 29, 1864.

HIS Honor the Superintendent directs it to be notified, that in pursuance of the powers vested in him, he has appointed

MR. CHARLES HENRY DOWDING

to be an Inspector of Cattle, under the "Diseased Cattle Act 1861," for the Province of Canterbury.

WM. ROLLESTON  
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,  
Christchurch, March 3, 1864.

IT is hereby notified that a Writ issued for the Election of a Member to serve in the Provincial Council for the Wainui District has been returned with the endorsement, that

The Hon. HENRY JOHN TANCRED, Esq.,  
has been duly elected.

WM. ROLLESTON,  
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Treasury,  
Christchurch, Feb. 26, 1864.

PURSUANT to the Provisions of the "Auctioneer's Ordinance, Session III, No. 3," I hereby give notice that the undermentioned person has taken out an Auctioneer's License for the term ending 30th June, 1864.

ROBERT TEEK, of Christchurch, General Agent.

CHARLES C. BOWEN,  
Provincial Treasurer.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND,  
CANTERBURY DISTRICT,

In the matter of the "Debtors' and Creditors' Act, 1862," and

In the matter of the petition of Joseph Anderson, formerly of Kaiapoi, in the Province of Canterbury, in partnership with James Morrisson, of Kaiapoi, aforesaid, carrying on business as butchers, under the style or firm of Anderson and Morrisson, but now of Christchurch, out of business, a debtor, not in custody.

**T**HIS Sixteenth day of February, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, at a sitting of this Court, pursuant to the said Act, upon the application of W. S. Moorhouse, of counsel for the said petitioner Joseph Anderson, after reading the said petition, purporting to be signed by the said petitioner, such debtor as aforesaid, and to be concurred in by George Crawford Black, of Kaiapoi, in the said Province of Canterbury, storekeeper, creditor to the extent of not less than fifty pounds sterling in the whole, and also the affidavit of the said Joseph Anderson, filed the Fifteenth day of February instant, pursuant to the said Act, this Court being satisfied of the truth of the matters contained in the said petition, doth hereby grant an ad interim order of sequestration of the estate and effects of the said Joseph Anderson, and doth direct that the estate and effects of the said Joseph Anderson be taken and held by Henry Fowle Seager, of Christchurch, printer, under the said Act, hereby appointed by the said Court, subject to such further order of the Court as may be made under or in pursuance of this Act, and this Court doth hereby appoint the first day of the sitting of the Court under the Act, after the expiration of fourteen days from the date hereof, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the hearing of such petition and the proof of debts and claims of creditors at the Court House, Christchurch, aforesaid; and the Court doth also further order and grant an ad interim order of protection to protect the person and estate of the said Joseph Anderson from arrest, execution, or other legal process until further order of this Court.

By the Court,  
CHRISTOPHER ALDERSON CALVERT,  
[L.S.] Registrar.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND,  
CANTERBURY DISTRICT.

In the matter of the "Debtors' and Creditors' Act, 1862," and in the matter of the Petition of Rowland Davis, heretofore of Lyttelton, in the Province of Canterbury, Innkeeper, then of Christchurch, in the said Province, Innkeeper, and now of the Ferry Road, near Christchurch, aforesaid, out of business, a debtor, not in custody.

**T**HIS Twenty-seventh day of February, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-

four. Upon the application of William Seton Moorhouse, of Counsel for the said Petitioner, Rowland Davis, after reading the said Petition, purporting to be signed by the said Petitioner, such debtor as aforesaid, and to be concurred in by Thomas Cook, of Christchurch, in the said Province of Canterbury, butcher, a Creditor to the extent of not less than fifty pounds sterling in the whole, and also the affidavit of the said Rowland Davis, filed the Twenty-fourth day of February inst., pursuant to the said Act, and re-sworn this day. This Court being satisfied of the truth of the matters contained in the said Petition, doth hereby grant an ad interim order of Sequestration of the Estate and Effects of the said Rowland Davis, and doth direct that the Estate and Effects of the said Rowland Davis be taken and held by Henry Fowle Seager, of Christchurch, Printer, as receiver under the said Act, hereby appointed by the Court, subject to such further order of the Court as may be made under or in pursuance of this Act. And this Court doth hereby appoint the first day of sittings of this Court, pursuant to the said Act, after the seventeenth of next month, for the hearing of such Petition, and the proof of debts and claims of Creditors, at this Court House, Christchurch, aforesaid. And this Court doth also further order and grant an ad interim order of protection to protect the person and estate of the said Rowland Davis from arrest, execution, or other legal process, until further order of this Court.

By the Court,  
CHRISTOPHER ALDERSON CALVERT,  
Registrar.

[L.S.]

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND,  
CANTERBURY DISTRICT.

In the matter of the "Debtors' and Creditors' Act 1862," and

In the matter of the Estate of Thomas Atkinson, lately carrying on business at Lyttelton in the said District as a Hotel-keeper, a Debtor, and

In the matter of the petition of Edward Allen Hargreaves of Lyttelton, aforesaid, Merchant, a Creditor.

**T**HIS Fifteenth day of December, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-three. Upon the application of Mr. Slater of Counsel for the said Debtor, and Mr. Harston of Counsel for the said Petitioner, and upon reading the order made the seventeenth day of November last past, and affidavit of publication in the 'Provincial Government Gazette' and in a local newspaper of the day of hearing fourteen days before such day of hearing, filed on the Sixteenth day of November last, and certain minutes of a meeting of Creditors convened pursuant to such order filed on the fourth instant, the said Debtor appearing and attending in person upon the examination of the Debtor upon oath, pursuant to the said Act. This Court doth declare that the

following persons and firms respectively have proved their debts or claims, namely:—

	£	s.	d.
Hawkes and Strouts ...	57	9	0
Ann Wakelin ...	10	14	0
Edward Allen Hargreaves	393	1	5
Charles William Howard Wledge	100	8	0
Henry Moss ...	61	2	10
L. E. Nathan and Company	34	8	5
Frederick Jenkins ...	156	7	5
Taylor and Company ...	103	19	0

Upon consideration of the matters aforesaid, at this the final hearing of the said petition, the Court doth further declare that the said Debtor is entitled to full relief according to the provisions of the said Act, upon his execution of the Deed hereinafter mentioned. And this Court doth further order and direct the said Debtor to cede and deliver convey and assign all his estate and effects at the time of the making and filing the said petition to Edward Allen Hargreaves of Lyttelton, in the said District, merchant, and Frederick Jenkins of the City of Christchurch, in the said District, builder, such persons appearing to the Court to have been chosen by the Creditors at a meeting convened for that purpose, pursuant to the order of this Court before named, as the persons to act as Trustees, such conveyance and assignment to be pursuant to the said Act, and to contain all requisite powers for enabling the said Edward Allen Hargreaves and Frederick Jenkins to recover and receive all debts, monies, goods, chattels, estate, and effects in any way belonging to or due and payable to the said Debtor, upon the trusts with the powers and subject to the conditions requisite for the purpose of selling, disposing of, getting in, and receiving, or otherwise realizing such estate, monies, goods, chattels, and effects, and thereout in the first place of payment of a sum of one shilling in the pound to be computed in the gross amount of all monies recovered and received from such estate and effects, such money to be paid into Court to the credit of the Insolvent Estate Fund pursuant to the said Act; and in the next place of satisfying all costs, charges, and expenses incurred by order of the Court or incidental to the execution of such trusts, and all fees of Court and such other sums of money, if any, as shall be ordered by the Court, and subject thereto for the purpose of such a just distribution and administration of such estate and effects between and amongst and for the benefit of all the Creditors of the said Debtor, who have so proved, as aforesaid, and subject thereto of all such Creditors of the said Debtor. If any at the time of filing the said petition as shall within six calendar months from the date of this order

have proved their claims to the satisfaction of the Court, or a Judge thereof, by way of pro rata distribution (without priority). And this Court doth further order that in the meantime, and until further order, the said Debtor and his estate shall be deemed to be protected from arrest, execution, or other legal process in respect of all debts of and claims against the said Debtor.

And it is hereby declared that upon compliance by the said Debtor with the terms of this order, he shall be released and discharged from all the debts, liabilities, and engagements specified herein.

This Court expressly reserving to the Petitioner, the receiver, and the said Trustees, and the said Creditors, liberty to apply to the Court as they may see fit or be advised.

By the Court.

CHRISTOPHER ALDERSON CALVERT,  
Registrar.

(L.S.)

Provincial Secretary's Office,  
Christchurch, Feb. 25, 1864.

HIS Honor the Superintendent directs the publication of the following Returns of Births and Deaths for the month ending the 31st December, 1863, for general information.

COMPARATIVE TABLE OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS.

DISTRICT.	BIRTHS.		DEATHS.		Total Births.	Total Deaths.	Excess of Births over Deaths.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.			
Akaroa .....	7	3	—	3	10	3	7
Ashburton .....	1	—	—	—	1	—	1
Christchurch .....	20	26	8	10	46	18	28
Kaipoi .....	4	8	2	—	12	2	10
Lyttelton .....	4	6	5	2	10	7	3
Rangiora .....	2	2	1	—	4	1	3
Timaru .....	3	5	—	—	8	—	8
	41	50	16	15	91	31	60

W. M. ROLLESTON,  
Provincial Secretary.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND.—CANTERBURY  
DISTRICT.

LIST OF PETITIONS OF PERSONS APPLYING FOR RELIEF UNDER THE "DEBTORS' AND  
CREDITORS' ACT, 1862," (SECTION XXV).

Date when Petition filed.	PETITIONER'S NAME.	Whether as Debtor or as Creditor.	AS TO WHOM.
1864: February 15...	Joseph Anderson .....	Debtor.....	Petitioner, formerly of Kaiapoi, in partnership with James Morrisson, carrying on business as Butchers there, under the style of "Anderson and Morrisson;" then of Kaiapoi aforesaid, carrying on business on his own account as Cattle Dealer; then of Wellington, out of business; and now of Christchurch, out of business.
,, 19 ...	George Arthur Smith and Charles Raikes	Debtors .....	Petitioner, both of Christchurch, Merchants, lately trading in co-partnership under the firm or style of "Smith, Raikes, and Co."
,, 24 ...	Rowland Davis .....	Debtor.....	Petitioner, heretofore of Lyttelton, Innkeeper, then of Christchurch, Innkeeper, and now of the Ferry Road, near Christchurch, Innkeeper.

CHRISTOPHER ALDERSON CALVERT,  
Registrar.

Supreme Court Office,  
1st March, 1864.