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PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by an Ordinance of the Superintendent and Provincial Council of the Province of Canterbury, intituled "The Education Ordinance, 1871," it is among other things enacted that whenever the Board of Education shall call by advertisement a public meeting of owners and occupiers of land and householders in any district, and such meeting shall declare by the votes of the majority of the persons present (being such owners and occupiers of land and householders as aforesaid), that they are willing that the said district be formed into an Educational District under the provisions of the said Ordinance, and shall declare their willingness to provide the proportion of the annual expenses of an Educational District; the Superintendent shall, as soon as conveniently may be, by Proclamation in the *Provincial Government Gazette*, declare such district to be an Educational District under the said Ordinance; and such district shall thereupon become an Educational District accordingly:

And whereas, at a meeting duly called as aforesaid, the owners and occupiers of land and householders in the district specified in the Schedule hereunto annexed, did, by the votes of the majority there present, declare that they were willing that the said district should be formed into an Educational District, and did further declare their willingness to provide the proportion of the annual expenses of an Educational District as provided in the said Ordinance:

Now, therefore, I, WILLIAM ROLLESTON, Superintendent of the said Province, in pursuance of the power in me vested by the said in part recited Ordinance, do hereby proclaim the Duvauchelles Bay District an Educational District within the meaning of the said Ordinance.

Given at Christchurch, this twenty-eighth day of May, One thousand eight hundred and seventy-two.

WM. ROLLESTON,
 Superintendent of Canterbury.
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SCHEDULE.

DUVAUCHELLES BAY DISTRICT.

Commencing at trig. pole 17 situated between Governor's Bay and Robinson's Bay; thence by a straight line to the road passing through section 922; thence by that road in an easterly direction to the dividing range; thence by the dividing range in a northerly and westerly direction to a point where it meets the Purau

and Akaroa Road; thence in a south-westerly direction along the latter road and the Little River and Pigeon Bay Roads to Barry's Saddle; thence in a straight line to the southern corner of section 3767; thence in a straight line to the southern corner of section 878; thence in a straight line by the south-eastern boundary of the said section to the beach in Akaroa Harbour; thence by the beach to the commencing point.

Provincial Secretary's Office,

Christchurch, May 25, 1872.

HIS Honor the Superintendent directs it to be notified that he has, under clause 65 of "The Education Ordinance, 1871," appointed the following persons to whom the annual sum payable under clause 64 of such Ordinance shall be paid for the Districts respectively set opposite their names.

These appointments to date from the 6th April, 1872.

NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NAMES.	DISTRICT.
F. W. Stubbs...	Arowhenua	J. E. Thacker ...	Okain Bay
William Ward ...	Broadfield	— Adams ...	Greendale
G. White ...	Courtenay	Samuel Wilson ...	Waltham
Robert Dickenson ...	Cust	J. E. March ...	Lower Heathcote
James Row ...	Eyreton	William DeTroy ...	New Brighton
Alfred Fenel ...	Fernside	F. G. Stedman ...	Templeton
Lemuel Wittchell ...	Flaxton	T. G. Cork ...	Timaru
J. Gebbie ...	Gebbie's Valley	R. Davies ...	Tai Tapu
Caleb Sherratt ...	Geraldine	D. Coutts ...	Kaipoi Island
W. B. Andrews ...	Green Park	N. Ellis ...	Harewood Road
T. H. Potts ...	Governor's Bay, North	A. D. Allen ...	Little River
Charles Lennox ...	Halkett	H. Winter ...	Ashburton
John Harrap ...	Halswell	William Barnett ...	LeBon Bay
A. L. Smith ...	Heathcote Valley	J. Hill ...	West Melton
G. Baker ...	Hororata	Skinner Helms ...	Weeden
John Maddison ...	Killinchy	George H. Graham ...	Waimate
J. K. Karslake ...	Kowai Pass	F. W. Stubbs ...	Waihi Crossing
James Carston ...	Lecston	John Charles ...	Stoke
Rev. A. P. O'Callaghan...	Lincoln	W. Lawry ...	Springston
John Armstrong ...	Loburn	Edwin Mossman ...	South Selwyn
Robert Atkinson ...	Mandeville Plains	C. J. Bridge ...	Southbridge
F. W. Stubbs...	Milford	Stephen Watkins ...	Akaroa
C. Ff. Pemberton ...	Mount Grey Downs	P. Fawcett ...	Ashley Bank
John Stanton ...	North Kowai	J. H. Moore ...	Leithfield
D. Thomson ...	Pigeon Bay	William Munro ...	Papanui
D. C. Kee ...	Pleasant Point	J. C. Wilson, C.B. ...	Upper Heathcote
J. N. Tosswill ...	Prebbleton	P. Tisch ...	North Road
J. W. Pate ...	Saltwater Creek	F. R. Flaxman ...	Waihi Bush
R. Pole ...	Selwyn	D. Pine (Postmaster) ...	St. Alban's
M. Dixon ...	West Eyreton	F. Pavitt ...	Hillsborough
John W. Bennett ...	Little Akaloa		

WALTER KENNAWAY,

Provincial Secretary.

CANTERBURY RAILWAYS.

TRAFFIC RETURNS FOR APRIL, 1872.

LYTTELTON AND CHRISTCHURCH LINE.				Corresponding Month, 1871.						
				No.		Amount.		No.		Amount.
				£ s. d.				£ s. d.		
Passengers	...	...	9,838	529	13	5	10,951	561	11	10
Season Tickets	...	...	22	87	8	6	15	73	12	6
Parcels, &c.	...	...	—	50	5	6	—	45	9	3
Goods, tons	...	...	1,622 $\frac{3}{4}$	584	18	10	2,055 $\frac{1}{2}$	726	15	9
Flax, tons	...	...	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	3	6	9	24 $\frac{3}{4}$	8	12	0
Coals, tons	...	...	1,575 $\frac{1}{4}$	475	2	10	1,064 $\frac{1}{4}$	319	7	10
Timber, 100 feet	...	...	5,582 $\frac{1}{2}$	279	2	6	4,598 $\frac{1}{2}$	229	18	6
Firewood, cords	...	...	137 $\frac{3}{4}$	41	6	6	147 $\frac{1}{2}$	44	5	0
Water	...	...	—	23	6	11	—	15	5	8
Wool, bales	...	...	319	34	11	2	939	106	15	2
Grain—Wheat, tons...	...	...	1,098 $\frac{1}{4}$	522	2	9	Wheat, &c., } Bush. 55,275 }	460	15	7
„ Barley, tons ...	...	...	314 $\frac{1}{4}$	82	10	6				
„ Oats, tons ...	...	...	846	222	0	6				
Flour, &c., tons	...	...	206 $\frac{1}{4}$	56	14	3	229 $\frac{1}{4}$	68	16	9
Wharfage, Storage, &c.	...	...	—	569	2	1	—	239	15	1
Total	...	...	—	£3,561	13	0	—	£3,423	7	9

GREAT SOUTH LINE.				Corresponding Month, 1871.						
				No.		Amount.		No.		Amount.
				£ s. d.				£ s. d.		
Passengers	...	...	4,516	476	3	1	4,599	458	8	10
Season Tickets	...	...	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	21	16	9	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	21	13	0
Parcels	...	...	—	25	15	0	—	21	9	0
Goods, tons	...	...	355 $\frac{3}{4}$	159	12	0	338 $\frac{1}{2}$	149	16	8
Coals, &c., tons	...	...	261	99	14	7	238 $\frac{1}{2}$	76	19	5
Timber, 100 feet	...	...	559	42	10	10	876	56	16	7
Wool, bales	...	...	222	31	5	9	216	47	6	4
Grain—Wheat, tons	...	...	2,046 $\frac{1}{4}$	509	8	9	Wheat, &c., } Bush. 104,072 }	872	2	7
„ Barley, tons ...	...	...	343 $\frac{3}{4}$	90	16	0				
„ Oats, tons ...	...	...	1,143 $\frac{1}{2}$	277	9	2				
Labour, &c.	...	...	—	13	15	0	—	46	16	7
Total	...	...	—	£1,748	6	11	—	£2,318	3	4

AT the Annual Licensing Meeting of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace, held at the Resident Magistrate's Court, Kaiapoi, on Tuesday, 7th May, 1872, in accordance with the provisions of the Public-house Ordinance, 1863, the following LICENSES were GRANTED :

Name.	License.	Where Situate.
Burnip, Wm.	hotel	Kaiapoi
Hammett, Wm.	hotel	Kaiapoi
Harris, Wm.	hotel	Kaiapoi
Hetherington, Thos.	hotel	Leithfield
Hood, Wm.	hotel	Brown's bridge
Messent, John	hotel	Moeraki Downs
Middleton, Henry	hotel	Kaiapoi
Mitchell, David	hotel	Saltwater Creek
Oram, Charles	hotel	Kaiapoi
Ball, Thomas	country hotel	Woodend
Cox, W. M.	country hotel	Weka Pass
Collier, George	country hotel	Leithfield
Cameron, D. and D.	country hotel	Saltwater Creek
Clist, George	country hotel	Flaxton
Kelso, George	country hotel	Kaiapoi
Leurs, Frederick	country hotel	Oxford
M'Kelvey, Edward	country hotel	Rangiora
Robertson, David	country hotel	Waikari
Sinclair, John	country hotel	Rangiora
Thompkins, M. R.	country hotel	Woodend
Wild, Thomas	country hotel	Rangiora
Simson, Jno. M.	wine and beer	Kaiapoi
Hodgson, Tyson	conditional	Ashley
Hastie and Dron	conditional	Hurunui

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