



OTAGO PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT GAZETTE.

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J. L. C. RICHARDSON, Superintendent.

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A PROCLAMATION

*For the Dissolution of the Provincial
Council of the Province of Otago.*

By His Excellency Sir GEORGE GREY, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies and Vice-Admiral of the same, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by an Act of the Imperial Parliament passed in the Fifteenth and Sixteenth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, cap. 72, intituled "An Act to grant a Representative Constitution to the Colony of New Zealand," the several Provinces of Auckland, New Plymouth, Wellington, Nelson, Canterbury, and Otago are thereby established, and it is enacted that for each of the said Provinces there shall be a Superintendent and Provincial Council;

And whereas by the said Act it is further enacted that every Provincial

Council shall continue for the period of Four years from the day of return of the Writs for choosing the same and no longer: Provided always that it shall be lawful for the Governor of New Zealand by Proclamation or otherwise to dissolve the same whenever he shall think it expedient so to do:

Now therefore, I, Sir George Grey, the Governor of New Zealand, in exercise of the said power, do by this Proclamation dissolve the Provincial Council of the said Province of Otago accordingly.

Given under my hand at the Government House at Auckland, and issued under the Seal of the Colony of New Zealand, this seventh day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three.

G. GREY.

By His Excellency's command,

ALFRED DOMETT.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

CROWN GRANTS.

CROWN GRANTS in favor of the persons whose names appear in the annexed Schedule are now ready for issue:—

Crown Grant Department,
Waste Land Board Office,
Dunedin, 10th Feb., 1863.

CHARLES LOGIE,
Receiver of Land Revenue.

SCHEDULE.

Name.	No. of Grants	Name.	No. of Grants
Andrew, D.	2	Johuston, J.	1
Amies, E.	1	Jones, J.	1
Adam, W.	2	Jones & Bird	6
Bracken, H.	1	Johnston, H.	1
Bishop of Christ-church	1	Jackson, E.	1
Burn, J. F.	1	Kirby, D.	1
Basire, F.	1	Kerr, W.	1
Beal, J.	1	Logan, J.	1
Bell, J.	1	Lakeman, H.	1
Begg, A.	2	Le Feuvre, P. A.	2
Barr, J.	1	M'Goun, D. M.	1
Bayne, P.	1	M'Gregor, N.J.B.	1
Campbell, J.	1	M'Fadyen, H.H.	1
Chalmers and M'Haffie	1	M'Kay, A.	1
Chalmers, G. A. and N.	1	M'Glashan, J.	1
Culling, J.	1	Miller, W.	1
De Carle, E.	1	Monson, W. H.	1
Donaldson, J. T.	2	Mills, W.	1
Dunn, J.	1	Murdoch, R.	1
Dickson, J.	1	May, J.	1
Evans, J.	1	Musgrave, E.	4
Farquharson, J.	2	Mitchell, J.	2
Filleul, W. G. and R. A.	1	Noble, M.	2
Finch, J.	1	Oughton, D. W.	1
Filleul, A. P.	2	Paton, J.	1
French, P. M. V.	1	Pope, J. H.	1
Filleul, P. V. M.	3	Palmer, S.	1
Filleul, P.	1	Prosser, J.	1
Ferman, W.	1	Perkins, J. H.	1
Falconer, W.	1	Ross, A. H.	1
Falconer, J.	1	Robertson, C.	1
France, H.	9	Strauchon, H.	3
Gilchrist, A.	1	Sim, J.	1
Geary, W.	1	Stevenson, J.	1
Garrick, D.	1	Smith, J.	1
Graham, C.	1	Taylor, T., jun.	1
Gray, T.	1	Taylor, G.	1
Green, G.	1	Turnbull, G.	2
Harvey, A.	1	Thomson, J.	3
Howorth, J.	1	Tousel, J.	1
Harris, J. H.	1	Tayler, T., sen.	1
Henderson, A.	1	Twelftree, R. B.	1
Hardy, J.	2	Valentine, A.	1
Isaacs, S. G.	2	Valpy, W.	1
Inglis, J.	1	Wilson & Wain	10
Jeffreys, J. H.	5	Williamson, J.	1
		Watson, T. S.	1
		Wellman, J.	1
		Wilton, E. A. G.	1

Bell, A. H.	1	Mantell, W.	1
Begg, A.	1	M'Kay, A.	1
Calder, D.	1	Petchell, G.	1
Collins, W.	1	Perry, S.	1
Cargill, W. W.	1	Roebuck, Chas.	1
Duke, Chas.	1	Shanks, J. S.	1
Fulton, J.	1	Sherriff, W.	1
Green, G.	1	Superintendent of	
Harris, J. H.	4	Otago, in trust	30
Jones, J. R.	1	Valpy, W. H.	2
Kerr, W.	3	Wight, R. A.	1
Matheson, W.	1	Williamson, J.	1

Dunedin, 17th Feb., 1863.

OTAGO PENINSULA, Block I.

NORTH HARBOUR & BLUESKIN,
Block IX (W. side of Harbour.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the Land comprised within the above Blocks has been surveyed, and all persons having claims under application for unsurveyed land therein are requested to call at this Office, on or before the 18th day of March next, so as to have the same adjusted.

W. H. CUTTEN,
Chief Commissioner.

Waste Land Board Office,
Dunedin, 16th February, 1863.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Chief Marine Board Office,
Auckland, 3rd Feb., 1863.

CAPTAIN J. M'LEAN, s. s. Aldinga, reports that on 24th August last, the above vessel struck a sunken rock on the South Coast of Otago, about three miles from the shore slope point, bearing N.E. by E. and Waipapa point N.W. $\frac{1}{4}$ W., with twelve fathoms close to.

The rock must have been small and pointed as the steamer struck it amidships, slewed round, and fell off head to sea.

By order of the Board,

THOMAS ROBERTSON,
Secretary, *pro. tem.*

TEMPORARY LIGHTHOUSE ON
POINT LONSDALE.

THE accompanying Notice to Mariners, respecting a Temporary Lighthouse on Point Lonsdale, to warn vessels of their approach to sunken rocks recently dis-

covered and to Point Lonsdale Rock, is published for general information.

ROBERT S. ANDERSON,
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 2nd Feb., 1863.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Temporary Lighthouse on Point Lonsdale,
Port Phillip.

Fixed red and green.

Masters of vessels and others navigating the entrance of Port Phillip are hereby informed that in order to warn vessels of their approach to the recently discovered dangers (notice of which appeared in the *Gazette* of the 22nd December, 1862, No. 148) and the Point Lonsdale Rock, at the entrance to Port Phillip, a temporary fixed harbor light will, on and after the evening of the 19th instant, be exhibited from a site close to the tidal flagstaff on Point Lonsdale.

This light will be colored *green* to seaward, and *red* towards the Harbor and Point Nepean.

Vessels inward or outward bound, when they have the green light full in view, will be outside of these dangers; and when they have the red light full in view, they will be inside of these dangers. The blending of the two colors when seen from a vessel will indicate that she is in the vicinity of these dangers.

The Point Lonsdale Light will only illuminate an arc of about fifty degrees of the horizon, and be visible, the green light at a distance of about four miles, the red light about seven miles, within the following bearings:—

Green light, from about N.W. $\frac{1}{2}$ W. to N.W. by N.

Red light, from about W. $\frac{1}{2}$ N. to N.W. $\frac{1}{2}$ W.

The bearings are magnetic, and are given from the ship, not from the lights.

CHARLES FERGUSON,
Chief Harbour Master.

Department of Ports and Harbors,
Williamstown, 2nd Feb., 1863.

REGISTRATION.

THE following form of Application is published for general information. The Claims must be lodged with John

Gillies, Esq., Returning Officer, Dunedin, on or before 31st March, 1863.

To the Registration Officer of the Electoral District of

A _____

I hereby give you notice that I claim to have my name inserted in the List of Voters for the said Electoral District, and that the particulars of my place of abode and qualification are truly stated in the column below.

Claimant's Signature _____

B Attested by _____ of the Colony

Penalty of £20 for making a False Claim.

Christian Name and Surname of the Claimant at full length.	Place of Abode.	Nature of Qualification.	Place where Property situate, and name and description of same.

A—The words "Dunedin and Suburbs North," or "Dunedin and Suburbs South," or "Bruce," or "Hampden," to be inserted here.

B—The claimant's signature must be attested by a Freeholder or a Householder of the Colony, who must sign his name after the words "Attested by," adding to his signature the word "Freeholder" or "Householder."

C—The words "Freehold," "Household," or "Leasehold," to be inserted here.

D—Describe the property distinctly, but as shortly as possible, and particularly state the Provincial District in which it is situated, by inserting the word "Dunedin," "Port Chalmers," "Oamaru Town," "North Harbor," "Peninsula," "Waikari," "Green Island and Caversham," "Taieri," "Waiholo," "Tokomairiro," "Matau, including Kaitangata and Inch Clutha," "Clutha," "Lindis," "Manuherikia," "Wakatip," "Oamaru Country," or "Waikouaiti," as the case may be.

The following are the qualifications of Voters:—

Every man of the age of 21 years or upwards, and being a natural born or naturalized subject of the Queen.

1. Having a Freehold Estate in possession, situate within the District for which the vote is claimed, of the clear

value of £50, above all charges and incumbrances, and of or to which he has been seised or entitled either at law or in equity, for at least six calendar months before the 30th of April; or

2. Having a Leasehold Estate in possession, situate within such District, of the clear annual value of ten pounds, held upon a lease which on 30th April shall have not less than three years to run, or of which he has been in possession for three years or upwards next before 30th April; or

3. Being a Householder within such District, occupying a tenement and residing therein six calendar months previous to 30th April, if within the limits of Dunedin, of the clear annual value of ten pounds, and if without the limits of Dunedin, of the clear annual value of five pounds.

DESCRIPTION OF THE DISTRICTS FOR THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES WITHIN REFERRED TO.

1. *Dunedin and Suburbs North*, comprises all lands in the Province of Otago bounded on the south by a right line prolonged from the Harbor of Dunedin through the centre of Stuart-street and centre of the Octagon, Dunedin, until the said line intersects the western boundary after-mentioned; on the east by the Ocean; on the north-west and west by a right line from the north-western head of Purakanui Harbour to the Trigonometrical Station on Flagstaff Hill; thence by a right line towards the mouth of the Kaikorai River, until it intersects the above mentioned right line from the Harbour of Dunedin through Stuart-street.
2. *Dunedin and Suburbs South* comprises all land in the Province of Otago bounded on the east by the Ocean; on the north by a right line prolonged from the Harbour of Dunedin through the centre of Stuart-street and centre of the Octagon, Dunedin, until the said line intersects the western boundary after-mentioned; on the south by the Ocean; on the south-west and west by a right line from the mouth of the Kaikorai River towards the Trigonometrical Station, on Flagstaff Hill, till it intersects the said north boundary.
3. *Bruce* is bounded on the north by the Hampden District, from the mouth of the Waikouaiti River to the confluence of the Minzionburn and Clutha River; thence by a line to the summit of Mount Spylaw; thence down

the Spylaw Burn to its confluence with the Pomahaka River; thence on the west by the Pomahaka River to the confluence of the Waipahi Creek; thence by the Waipahi Creek to the confluence of the Kawera Creek; thence by a line to the Otaria Peak; thence on the south-west by a line to Cattlin's Cone; thence by Cattlin's River to the sea; and thence by the sea to Waikouaiti River—excepting the Districts of Dunedin and Suburbs North and Dunedin and Suburbs South.

4. *Hampden* is bounded on the north and north-east by the Heathcote and Timaru Districts; on the north-west by the sea; on the south-west and south by a line from the head of Milford Haven to the Waikatipu Lake; thence by that Lake to the Kawaurau River; thence by that River to Clutha River; thence by the Clutha River to the confluence of the Minzionburn; thence by the Minzionburn to Lammerlaw Peak; thence by a line to the nearest source of the Deep Stream; thence down the Deep Stream to its confluence with the Taieri River; thence by a line due east across the Silver Peak Hills to Cherry Farm Creek; thence down that Creek to its confluence with the Waikouaiti River; and down the Waikouaiti River to the sea; and on the east by the sea.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROVINCIAL DISTRICTS WITHIN REFERRED TO.

1. *Dunedin District* comprises all that area within the City and Belt, as shown in the Record Maps.
2. *Port Chalmers District* comprises all that area within the Town and Belt as shown in the Record Maps.
3. *Oamaru Town District* comprises all that area within the town boundary, as shown in the Record Maps.
4. *North Harbour District* comprises all that area, bounded on the north by the Ocean; on the east by the Otago Harbour and Port Chalmers District; on the south by the Town of Dunedin; and on the west by the Water of Leith to its source, thence to the Waitata Stream from its source to the Ocean.
5. *Peninsula District* comprises all that area, bounded on the north by Otago Harbour; on the east by the Ocean; on the south by the Ocean; and on the west by Block VII Town Dis-

- trict, and that road line running direct from Hillside to the Ocean Beach.
6. *Waikari District* comprises all that area, bounded on the north by the Northern Boundary of Block V, Dunedin and East Taieri District; on the east by the Water of Leith and Town of Dunedin; on the south by that road-line running from Mac-laggan-street to Look-out Point, thence by a direct line through Trig. Stations Y and D to that road-line running along the Kaikorai Ranges; on the west by that road-line towards Stoney Knowe, and the western boundary of Block V, Dunedin and East Taieri District.
 7. *Green Island and Caversham District* comprises all that area, bounded on the north by Waikari, Dunedin, Otago Harbour, and Peninsula District; on the east and south by the Ocean; and on the west by the Kaikorai and Abbott's Creeks, and by the Western boundary of Block VI, Dunedin and East Taieri District, and that road leading along the Kaikorai Ranges.
 8. *Taieri District* comprises all that area, bounded on the north by Suttou's Stream, the Taieri River, the Allan Creek, thence by the Water Shed of the Silver Peak Hills to Swampy Hill; on the east by Waikari, Caversham, and Green Island Districts, and the Ocean; on the south by the Taieri, Waipori Lake and River to its source; and on the west by the Water Shed of the Lammerlaw Ranges.
 9. *Waihola District* comprises all that area, bounded on the north by Taieri District; on the east by the Ocean, by Akatore Stream, and the southern boundaries of Blocks III, V, and VI, Clarendon District, Blocks I and II, Waihola Lake District; and on the west by the western boundary of Block I, Waihola Lake District, and Blocks.
 10. *Tokomairiro District* comprises all that area, bounded on the north by Fruidburn, Taieri and Waihola Districts; on the east by the Ocean; on the south by the Wangaloa Creek to Trig. Station I, thence by Fraser and Lovell's Creeks to Mount Stuart, thence by Dull Burn and the Waitahuna; and on the west by the Clutha River.
 11. *Matau District, including Kaitangata and Inch Clutha*, comprises all that area bounded on the north by Tokomairiro District; on the east by the Ocean; and on the south and west by the Clutha River, and its southern arm.
 12. *Clutha District* comprises all that area, bounded on the north by the Waikaka and Pukerau Streams, thence by a Swamp and the Waipahoe, thence by the Water Shed of the Tapanui Ranges to the Fruidburn Junction, thence by Tokomairiro and Matau Districts; on the east and south by the Ocean; and on the west by the Mataura.
 13. *Lindis District* comprises all that area, bounded on the north by the Province of Canterbury; on the east by the Kurow River and Mountains; on the south by the Hawkdun and St. Bathans Mountains, the Cluden, Lindis, Clutha, and Tinwald, thence by the Water Shed of Mount Pisa and Earnslaw; and on the west thence by the Snowy Ranges to Canterbury Province.
 14. *Manuherikia District* comprises all that area, bounded on the north by the Lindis District; on the east by the Kyeburn, Rock and Pillar Mountains, and the Lammerlaw Ranges; on the south by Tokomairiro District; and on the west by the Clutha, thence to Mount Bengier, and by the Obelisk and Carrick Ranges and Double Rock to Mount Pisa.
 15. *Wakatip District* comprises all that area bounded on the north by the Province of Canterbury; on the east by the Lindis, Manuherikia, and Clutha Districts; on the south by the Province of Southland and the Ocean; and on the west by the Ocean.
 16. *Oamaru Country District* comprises all that area, bounded on the north by the Waitaki; on the east by the Ocean and Oamaru Town District; on the south by the Horse Ranges and Kakanui Mountains; and on the west by the Manuherikia and Lindis Districts.
 17. *Waikouaiti District* comprises all that area, bounded on the north by Oamaru Country District; on the east by the Ocean; on the south by North Harbour, Waikari and Taieri Districts; and on the west by Manuherikia District.

The above forms may be had from the Returning Officer, Dunedin, or the various Police Offices on the Gold-fields, and at the Post Offices in the other parts of the Province, free of charge.

BILL ASSENTED TO, OTAGO.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Auckland, 6th Feb., 1863.

THE following Bill, passed by the Provincial Council of the Province of Otago, entitled

"Otago Representation Ordinance, 1862,"

which Bill was reserved for the signification of the Governor's pleasure thereon, having been laid before the Governor, His Excellency has been pleased to assent to the same.

ALFRED DOMETT.

PROCLAMATION

Altering the Limits of the Wakatipu Gold-field, within the Province of Otago.

By his Honor JOHN LARKINS CHEESE RICHARDSON, Esquire, Superintendent of the said Province.

WHEREAS by a Proclamation on the sixth day of January last, in pursuance of the powers delegated to me as therein set forth, I constituted and appointed all that territory therein described to be a Gold-field, under the provisions of the "Gold Fields Act, 1858," and to be called "Wakatipu Gold-field;" And whereas it is expedient to alter the limits of the said Gold-field;

Now therefore, I, John Larkins Cheese Richardson, by virtue of the aforesaid Act and of the powers delegated to me as set forth in the Commission mentioned in the Proclamation aforesaid, do hereby revoke the said Proclamation, but in so far only as it defines the limits of the Wakatipu Gold-field, and do hereby constitute and appoint all the territory hereinafter described to be a Gold-field, under the provisions of the said Act, and to be called

"WAKATIPU GOLD FIELD,"

(that is to say) the Wakatipu Gold-field shall extend and is hereby extended over the basin of the Wakatipu, that is, over all lands drained by the feeders of the Wakatipu Lake; also over all lands drained by the northern feeders of the Kawarau, as far down as the junction of the Kirtle Burn; also over all lands drained by the western feeders of the Kirtle Burn aforesaid; also over all lands drained by the feeders of the Upper Cardrona, as far down as Boundary Creek, and including the lands

drained by the southern feeders of the latter Creek. On the east it is bounded by the Nokomai Gold-field, and on the south by the Mataura River to its source.

Given under my hand and issued under the Public Seal of the Province of Otago, at Dunedin, the seventeenth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three.

J. L. C. RICHARDSON,
Superintendent.

AMENDED

RULES AND REGULATIONS

OF THE

OTAGO GOLD FIELDS.

PROCLAMATION

By His Honor JOHN LARKINS CHEESE RICHARDSON, Esquire, Superintendent of the Province of Otago.

WHEREAS by warrant under the hand of His Excellency THOMAS GORE BROWN, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand, dated at Auckland, the eighth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, the Governor aforesaid by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Colony, and in exercise of the power and authority for that purpose in him vested, did thereby delegate absolutely and without restriction unto me, John Larkins Cheese Richardson, as Superintendent of the Province of Otago, all the powers vested in him under or by virtue of "The Gold Fields Act, 1858," except the powers contained in Sections seven, eight, fifteen, twenty-seven, and forty of the said Act, to have, hold, and exercise the powers within the Province of Otago thereby given: And whereas I, the said John Larkins Cheese Richardson, upon the twenty-seventh day of June last, in pursuance of the powers delegated to me as aforesaid, issued a Proclamation of certain Rules and Regulations; and on the twenty-first day of July, and the tenth day of October respectively following, issued Proclamations of additional Rules and Regulations: And whereas it is expedient to amend certain of the said Rules and Regulations;

Now therefore I, John Larkins Cheese Richardson, by virtue of the powers so delegated to me as aforesaid, do hereby issue the following amended Rules and Regulations.

II. REGULATIONS RELATING TO CLAIMS.

Section 1 of the "Regulations relating to Claims" is hereby cancelled, and the following is substituted in lieu thereof:—

1.—*Classification of Claims.*

Ordinary Claims shall mean alluvial claims worked without the aid of appliances for drainage.

Wet Claims shall mean alluvial claims in flooded ground, which cannot be wrought without the aid of appliances for drainage.

Creek and River Claims shall mean claims in the beds of creeks or rivers, the course whereof may have been, or shall be wholly diverted for the purpose of mining therein.

River Beach Claims shall mean claims situated between high water mark and low water mark on the beaches of rivers.

Quartz Claims shall mean claims in quartz reefs or lodes.

Alteration of section 3.

Section 3, relating to the "number of claims in a block" is hereby cancelled, and the following is substituted in lieu thereof:—

The maximum number of claims that may be occupied in one block by any party of miners shall be as follows:—

1. In ordinary claims, four single claims.
2. In wet claims, six single claims.
3. In creek or river claims, six single claims.
4. In river beach claims, four single claims.
5. In quartz claims, four single claims.

10. *Form of Claims.*

Alluvial Claims may be of any form, provided that no block claim shall exceed in length twice the breadth thereof.

2 A.—*Size of Claims.*

River Beach Claims shall not exceed 30 feet in length along the course of the river, with a frontage to low water mark, by a width bounded by high water mark: Provided that when any beach, or portion of a beach, shall exceed 50 feet in width, the Warden may, upon application being made to that effect, authorize the holding and working of any such excess by persons other than the holders of the frontage claims.

Sluice and Machine Claims.

The Rule relating to Sluice and Machine Claims is cancelled, and Section 7 of Regulation XIV. is substituted in lieu thereof.

IV. WATER RIGHTS AND RACES.

Section 2 of the Regulations relating to Water Rights and Races is hereby cancelled, and the following substituted in lieu thereof:—

2. *Races already constructed.*

Races constructed prior to the Proclamation of any Gold-field, or of these Rules and Regulations, must be registered with the Warden, as provided in Section 1.

10 A.—*Insufficient supply of Water.*

When the supply of water from any creek or stream shall be insufficient for the use of all the holders of water rights thereon, it shall be lawful for the Warden, upon adequate cause being shown, to reduce the quantity which each of them, the said holders, shall be entitled to draw therefrom, and to regulate the time and mode in which such water may be used.

VIII. PROTECTION.

2 A.—*Limitation of Protection.*

Protection shall not in any case be granted for a longer period than one month; but such protection may from time to time be renewed by the Warden for not more than fourteen days at any one time; and every such renewal shall be endorsed on the back of the Certificate, and recorded in the Registration Book.

5.—*Protection to River Beach Claims.*

River Beach Claims, that have been occupied and wrought for not less than one month, shall be deemed to be protected whilst flooded by the rising of the river: Provided, that if such claims are suffered to remain unworked for a period of twenty-four hours, during which ten (10) feet or more in width, measured from high water mark, shall remain uncovered by water, they shall be deemed to be forfeited.

IX. REGISTRATION.

Sections 1, 2, 3, and 3a., of the Regulations relating to Registration are hereby cancelled, and the following substituted in lieu thereof:—

1.—*Permissive Registration.*

All Claims, the Transfer or Assignment of Claims and Rights, and Mining Partnerships may be registered with the Warden.

2.—*Claims and Rights that must be Registered.*

Extended Claims, Amalgamated Claims, Quartz Claims, Prospecting Claims, Creek and River Claims, Water Rights and Races, Dams and Puddling Machines, must be registered with the Warden.

3.—*Registration Fees.*

Except when it is otherwise expressly provided, the fee payable in respect of the several Registrations mentioned in these Regulations, shall be two shillings and sixpence; such fee shall include payment for copies of notices, but not for any survey.

X. LICENSES.

5.—*Sites to be marked by pegs.*

Occupants of sites for business purposes, shall place and maintain at each frontage corner of such site, a peg not less than two inches square, and standing at least one foot above the surface.

6.—*Space to be left between buildings.*

A space of four feet shall at all times be left unoccupied between sites occupied for business purposes.

7.—*Registration of sites.*

Business sites may be Registered with the Warden for ten days, whilst the holder is engaged in preparing for the occupancy thereof, and the fee for such Registration shall be five shillings; such Registration may be renewed by the Warden for an additional period of ten days, and every such renewal shall be endorsed on the certificate, and recorded in the Registration book.

8.—*Occupancy of sites.*

Business sites can only be held or occupied by holders of business licenses, and no site can be held unoccupied for more than twenty-four hours, unless the same shall be Registered as provided in Section 7.

9.—*Information to the public.*

When any business site has been registered, the holder thereof, shall post and maintain thereon a board, not less than nine inches square, with the word "Registered," and the date and number of such Registration legibly painted or written thereon.

10.—*Transfer or assignment of Licenses.*

A Business License may be transferred or assigned by the holder within the District for which it was originally granted: Provided that such transfer or assignment shall be Registered with the Warden; and the fee for such Registration shall be ten shillings.

XI. GENERAL REGULATIONS.

7 A.—*Notices to be posted at the Warden's Offices.*

Copies of all notices given in conformity with these Regulations shall be posted by the Warden at his office, and exhibited on the outside thereof during the currency of such notice: Provided that non-compliance with this rule shall not invalidate the proceedings in relation to any application.

1 A.—*Throwing earth or tailings on claims.*

No person shall throw or cause to be thrown upon any claim other than his own, any earth, stones, gravel, tailings, or any other substance, whereby the proper and efficient working of such claim may be stopped or impeded.

XIV. EXTENDED CLAIMS.

7.—*Sluicing Claims in worked and abandoned ground.*

For Sluicing Claims in worked and abandoned ground, the Warden may grant an extent of ground not exceeding treble the ordinary area.

Given under my hand and issued under the Public Seal of the Province of Otago, the sixteenth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three.

J. L. C. RICHARDSON, Superintendent.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Dunedin, 22nd January, 1863.

A BSTRACT OF ADVERTISEMENTS from the "Provincial Government Gazette," dated 21st January, 1863. All tenders must be lodged by twelve o'clock noon:—

NATURE OF WORK, &c.	DATE TO WHICH TENDERS CAN BE RECEIVED AT THIS OFFICE, &c.
Meeting in Court-house, Tokomairiro, to elect wardens for Waibola Hundreds, 2 p.m.	19th February
Ditto, North Tokomairiro -	20th "
Ditto, South Tokomairiro -	21st "

By order,
THOMAS DICK, Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Dunedin, 4th February, 1863.

A BSTRACT OF ADVERTISEMENTS from the "Provincial Government Gazette," dated this day. All tenders must be lodged by twelve o'clock noon:—

NATURE OF WORK, &c.	DATE TO WHICH TENDERS CAN BE RECEIVED TILL 12 NOON AT THIS OFFICE, &c.
Joseph Chadwick and Thomas Allan Laucelles's applications for Auctioneers' Licenses to be considered, 2 p.m.	19th February
Election of school house, East Taieri -	24th "
Erection of a Town Board for Oamaru, Court-house at noon -	26th "
Claims for land in Warepa, Block 2, and Clarendon, Block 7, to be lodged at Land Office -	28th "

By Order,
THOMAS DICK,
Provincial Secretary.

February 5th.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Dunedin, 11th February, 1863.

A BSTRACT of Advertisements from the Provincial Government Gazette, of this day's date:—

NATURE OF WORK, &c.	TENDERS TO BE LODGED AT THIS OFFICE BY 12 NOON ON
Oats and Oaten Hay for Police Stations, Dunedin, Tokomairiro, Dunstan, Tuapeka, Mataura, and Queenstown	20th February
Court House, Hawkesbury	24th "
Vessels carrying ballast to be marked so as to show tonnage	9th March

N.B. Designs for Gaol, &c, to be received until delivery in Otago of the Mail which leaves Tasmania on or about 23rd February, although the same does not arrive on or before 2nd March.

By order,
THOMAS DICK,
Provincial Secretary.

PUBLICANS' LICENSES.

SEVENTEENTH LIST.

THE FOLLOWING APPLICATIONS will be taken into consideration in the Provincial Secretary's Office, upon the first Tuesday of March, 1863, at 2 o'clock p.m. Objections (if any) may be lodged at said Office, or stated when the cases are under consideration. Applicants must attend personally or by agent.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Situation of Premises proposed to be Licensed.
BUSH LICENSES.		
1	Donald McKay... ..	Mac's Hotel, West Taieri Road
2	William Drayton	House near Deep Stream, at Campbell Thomson's Station
3	William Butterick	Crown Hotel, near Clutha Ferry
4	John Kerr	Deep Stream Accommodation House
5	W. G. McPherson	Idaburn Valley
WINE AND BEER LICENSES.		
1	John Williams... ..	House at junction of Maori Hill Road with Half-Way Bush Road
2	Waters and Morton	Old Dunedin Club House, Maclaggan-street
3	Benjamin Halliday	Rainbow Hotel, corner of George and St. Andrew-streets
BOTTLE LICENSES.		
1	George Cornivall	Corner of George-street and Pall Mall
2	James Chrystal Mallach	George-street, Port Chalmers

By order,

THOMAS DICK,

Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Dunedin, 16th February, 1863.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership hitherto existing between us the undersigned, Jacob Basch, John Wandels, and Benjamin Fuerst, trading together under the style of **BASCH, WANDELS, & Co.**, as Wholesale and Retail Tobacconists, in Dunedin, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

Dated this 2nd day of February, 1863.

JACOB BASCH,
JOHN WANDELS,
BENJAMIN FUERST.

Witness to the signatures
of Jacob Basch and John
Wandels,

LOUIS DAVIES,
8, Collins-street East,
Melbourne.

Witness to the signature
of Benjamin Fuerst,

JOSIAH MARKS.

WANTED, a man to act as Cook and General Servant at the Tuapeka Hospital. Salary, £100 and rations.

For further particulars apply to Dr. Stewart, Acting Resident Surgeon.

By order,

THOMAS DICK,
Provincial Secretary.

11th Feb., 1863.

TENDERS will be received at the office of his Honor the Superintendent till noon of Tuesday, the 3rd day of March, 1863, for the erection of a Shed at the landing place at Oamaru.

Plans and specification may be seen, and forms of tender obtained, at the office of the Provincial Engineer, till Friday, 20th February current, and after that date at the Resident Magistrate's Court-house, Oamaru, till Saturday, 28th February.

By order,

THOMAS DICK,
Provincial Secretary.

February 11, 1863.

RURAL LANDS.

THE FOLLOWING APPLICATIONS FOR RURAL LAND WERE RECEIVED AT THE LAND OFFICE, DUNEDIN, FROM THE 29th JANUARY, TO THE 14th FEBRUARY, 1863, BOTH DAYS INCLUSIVE.

No. of Applications.	APPLICANT.	LOCALITY AND DESCRIPTION.	ACREAGE.		
			A.	R.	P.
5855	Henry L. M'Coll	Otokia, 2 of 34, Block V.	61	3	31
5856	Thos. W. Bamford	Clutha, 1 and $\frac{1}{2}$ 2, next 1, Block CI.	75	0	0
5857	George Graham	North Harbour and Blueskin, 2 of 18, Block I.	104	0	0
5858	John Pagan	Clutha, 1, 2, 3, 4, Block LXXIV., 5, 6, 8, Block XXXIII.	350	0	0
5859	James Porteous	Clutha, 1, 3, 5, Block XXXIV, $\frac{1}{2}$ 1, 3, and 5, Block XLI.	275	0	0
5860	Thomas Murray	Akatore, 1, Block IV.	102	0	17
5861	Joseph Young	Portobello, 1, 2, $\frac{1}{2}$ 7, $\frac{1}{2}$ 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13, Block I.	80	0	0
5862	Frank Stephen Canning	Otokia, 2 of 3, Block III.	41	1	26
5863	Robert Clark	Hillend, 19, Block I.	137	0	12
*5864	David Bowers	Hillend, 1 of 21, Block I.	39	0	25
*5865	Thomas Redpath	Hillend, 1 of 21, Block I.	39	0	25
5866	James Porteous	South Molyneux, 12, Block VI.	50	0	0
5867	James Porteous	Clutha, 4, Block XXXIII.	50	0	0
5868	William Irvine	Otokia, 6, Block V.	105	1	29
5869	Andrew Tweed	North Tuakitoto, 1, Block I., 1, Block IX.	100	0	0
5870	John Mann	Hawkesbury, 7 and 9, Block II.	150	3	10
5871	John Grant	Clutha, 1, 2, 3, and 4, Block XLVIII.	200	0	0
5872	John Gillies	Moeraki, 53, Block I.	195	1	17
5873	Robert Melville	Akatore, 2 of 31, 33, and 34, Block IV.	238	3	39
5874	Alexander B. Todd	Akatore, 1 of 29, Block I.	40	0	0
5875	Samuel E. Turner	Clarendon, 26, Block IV.	68	2	12
5876	John Wemyss Manley	Run No. 62, Homestead.	80	0	0
5877	John Wemyss Manley	Run No. 66, 3 Out-Stations.	30	0	0
5878	Thomas Ferguson Adam	Clutha, 1, 3, 5, Block XVI., 2, Block XXVIII., 13, Block XV.	250	0	0
5879	John Shaw	Clutha, 3 and $\frac{1}{2}$ 16 Block XXII.	75	0	0
5880	John Sutherland	Clutha, 6 and $\frac{1}{2}$ 4, Block XXXIX.	75	0	0
5881	Richard C. Luscombe	Dunedin and East Taieri, 39, 44, 43, 28, 2 of 31, 21, 2 of 20, 10, 11, 12, 13, 1 of 14, 15, 16, 17, Block IV.	1495	1	29
5882	Donald Campbell	Hillend, 40, 2 of 39, Block X.	108	2	38

The above applications will be decided at this office on Friday, the 27th day of February, 1863.

Those marked thus * at 12 o'clock.

W. H. CUTTEN,
Chief Commissioner.

Waste Land Board Office,
Dunedin, 16th February, 1863.

OTAGO GOVERNMENT LAND SALES

(For particulars see *Provincial Government Gazette* of 28th January, 1862.)

HAWKESBURY TOWNSHIP

At the Police Station there,

On TUESDAY, the 3rd day of March next, at twelve o'clock noon.

HAMPDEN TOWNSHIP,

At Mr Young's Store there,

On THURSDAY, the 5th day of March next, at twelve o'clock noon.

OAMARU TOWNSHIP.

At Messrs Hassel and Co.'s Store there,

On SATURDAY, the 7th day of March next, at twelve o'clock noon.

PALMERSTON TOWNSHIP,

At the Police Station, Hawkesbury,

On TUESDAY, the 10th day of March next, at twelve o'clock noon.

PORT CHALMERS,

At the Court House there,

On THURSDAY, the 12th day of March next, at twelve o'clock noon.

W. H. CUTTEN,
Chief Commissioner.