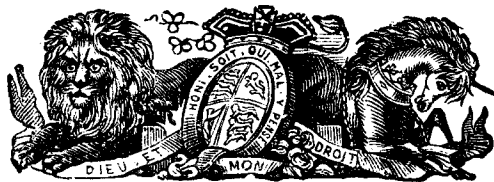


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PROCLAMATION,

Declaring a certain portion of the Province of Otago to be an Infected District, under the "Diseased Cattle Act, 1861."

By the Honorable JOHN HYDE HARRIS, Superintendent of the said Province.

WHEREAS by virtue and in exercise of the powers delegated to and vested in me in that behalf, I, John Hyde Harris, Superintendent of the Province of Otago, did, by Proclamation in the *Otago Provincial Government Gazette*, dated the first day of September last, proclaim and declare a certain District, or portion of the said Province, in the said Proclamation particularly described, to be an Infected District within the meaning and for the purposes of the "Diseased Cattle Act, 1861." And whereas it is expedient to extend the limits of the said Infected District, and to include within the boundaries thereof that portion of the said Province as lies between the "Beaumont" Burn and "Talla" Burn: And whereas by a Proclamation issued by me on the twenty-sixth day of February last, I did make, publish, and proclaim certain Regulations for the destruction of Diseased Cattle within certain Districts therein mentioned, and for prohibiting the removal of Cattle out of the Districts therein mentioned: And whereas it is expedient that similar Regulations should be in force in and be applicable to the whole of the said District, the limits whereof are hereby extended;—Now therefore I, John Hyde Harris, Superintendent as aforesaid, by virtue and in exercise of the powers delegated to and vested in me in this behalf, do hereby Proclaim and Declare, that from and after the day of the date hereof, and until further notice, so much of the said Province of Otago which lies between the "Beaumont" Burn and "Talla" Burn, shall form part of, and be included within, the said Infected District proclaimed by me on the said first day of September last; and I do Proclaim and Declare that from and after the date hereof, the limits and boundaries hereinafter described shall be the limits and boundaries of the said Infected District, as extended hereby, and shall include the territory here-

inafter mentioned, that is to say,—All that area within the Province of Otago, bounded towards the north by the Province of Canterbury, from Awarua Bay to the eastern shore of the Wanaka Lake, thence by the said eastern shore of the Wanaka Lake and the Clutha River to the Dunstan Mountains, thence by the Dunstan Mountains to Mount Saint Bathans, thence by the Hawkdun Mountains, the Kakanui Mountains, and the Horse Ranges, to the Ocean; thence towards the east by the Ocean to the Taieri River, thence by the Taieri River, the Waipori Lake and River, and a line in a north-westerly direction to the source of the "Talla" Burn, thence by "Talla" Burn to the Clutha River, thence by a line to the summit of the Tapanui Range, thence to Rankle Burn at its source, and by Rankle Burn, the Pomahaka, and Waipahi Rivers, to the southern boundary line of Run numbered 167, thence by the said southern boundary line to the Waikaka stream, and by the Waikaka Stream to the Mataura River, and by the Mataura River and the northern boundary line of the Province of Southland to the Manipori Lake, and by the Waiiau River to the Ocean, and thence towards the south and west by the Ocean to Awarua Bay, the starting point.

And by virtue of the powers in me vested in this behalf, I do further Proclaim and Declare that the Regulations made, published, and proclaimed in a Proclamation dated the twenty-sixth day of February last, for the destruction of Cattle diseased with Pleuropneumonia in the Infected Districts described in the said last mentioned Proclamation, and for prohibiting the removal of Cattle therefrom, and for preventing the further spread of the said disease, shall be in full force and effect in that part or portion of the Province of Otago hereinbefore proclaimed to be included within the Infected District proclaimed on the said first day of September last; and the said Regulations, as proclaimed and published as aforesaid, I do hereby make, publish, and proclaim to be Regulations for the destruction of Cattle diseased with Pleuro-pneumonia within that portion of the Province hereinbefore proclaimed to be included within the said last mentioned

Infected District, and for prohibiting the removal and transportation of Cattle out of the said last mentioned District, and for preventing the further spread of the said disease.

Given under my hand at Dunedin, and issued under the Public Seal of the Province of (L.S.) Otago, this sixth day of November 1864.

J. HYDE HARRIS,
Superintendent.

By His Honor's command,
H. J. MILLER,
For Acting Provincial Secretary.

The following Proclamation is re-published from *Gazette* of 23rd November last, No. 335, in correction of clerical errors:—

PROCLAMATION

Of Licensing Districts under the Licensing Ordinance, 1864.

WHEREAS by the tenth section of the "Licensing Ordinance, 1864," it is enacted that the Superintendent of Otago, as soon after the coming into operation of the said Ordinance as conveniently may be, shall for the purposes of this Ordinance, divide the settled portions of the said Province into such and so many districts as he may think fit to be called Licensing Districts, and when and so soon as such divisions shall have been made, the Superintendent shall, by proclamation published in the *Government Gazette* of the said Province, declare such districts, and by such proclamation define the boundaries thereof;

Now therefore I, John Hyde Harris, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in me in this behalf, do hereby Proclaim and Declare that from and after the day of the date hereof, and until further notice, there shall be within the Province of Otago for the purposes of the said Ordinance Eleven Licensing Districts, to be called respectively as follows:—

1. Clyde Licensing District.
2. Queenstown Licensing District.
3. Oamaru Licensing District.
4. Waikouaiti Licensing District.
5. Dunedin Licensing District.
6. Port Chalmers Licensing District.
7. Taieri Licensing District.
8. Tokomairiro Licensing District.
9. Clutha Licensing District.
10. Hamilton Licensing District.
11. Lawrence Licensing District.

And I do hereby Proclaim and Declare that the said several districts shall be respectively bounded and defined in manner following, that is to say—

1. **CLYDE LICENSING DISTRICT** shall, for the purposes of the said Ordinance, comprise the towns of Alexandria, Clyde, Cromwell, Gladstone, Newcastle, Pembroke, and Wakefield, together with all that area bounded towards the north by the Province of Canterbury; towards the east by the Province of Canterbury and the Otamakau Creek to the Hawkdun Mountains; towards the south by the Dunstan Gold field; and towards the west by a direct line from Parkburn at its source to the Wanaka Lake, and by the Wanaka Lake to the Province of Canterbury, also that area within the Dunstan Gold Field which has been or may be withdrawn from the operation of the Gold Fields Act.

2. **QUEENSTOWN LICENSING DISTRICT** shall, for the purposes of the said Ordinance, comprise the towns of Queenstown, Kingston, and Frankton, together with all that area bounded towards the north by the Province of Canterbury; towards the east by the Clyde Licensing District; towards the south by the Dunstan Gold Field; and towards the west by the Wakatipu Gold Field, also all that area within the Wakatipu Gold Field, which has been or may be withdrawn from the operations of the Gold Fields Act.

3. **OAMARU LICENSING DISTRICT** shall, for the purposes of the said Ordinance, comprise all that area bounded on the north by the Clyde Licensing District; on the east by the Province of Canterbury; on the south by the Ocean; and on the west by the Horse Range and Kakanui Mountains and the Mount Ida and Dunstan Gold Fields.

4. **WAIKOUAITI LICENSING DISTRICT** shall, for the purposes of the said Ordinance, comprise all that area bounded on the north by the Oamaru Licensing District; on the east by the Ocean; on the south by a line running due west from Brinn's Point to the Taieri Gold Field, and on the west by the Taieri and Mount Ida Gold Fields.

5. **DUNEDIN LICENSING DISTRICT** shall, for the purposes of the said Ordinance, comprise all that area bounded towards the north by Waikouaiti and Port Chalmers Licensing Districts; towards the east by the Port Chalmers Licensing District and the Ocean; towards the south by the Ocean; and towards the west by the Taieri River and the Taieri Gold Field.

6. **PORT CHALMERS LICENSING DISTRICT** shall, for the purposes of the said Ordinance, comprise all that area including the town of Port Chalmers, the Lower Harbor West Survey District, the Sawyer's Bay Survey District, Sections numbered 88 to 115 inclusive, North East Valley Survey District, and Blocks 4, 5, 6, and part of 7, North Harbor and Blueskin Survey District: bounded from the North-west corner of Block 4, North Harbor and Blueskin Survey District, in a southerly direction, by the western boundary line of the said Block 4, to the northern boundary line of Block 6, North Harbor and Blueskin Survey District, thence by the said northern boundary line of the said Block 6, and the northern boundary line of Block 7, North Harbor and Blueskin Survey District, to the Main North Road, thence by the Main North Road to the northern boundary line of the North East Valley Survey District; thence in a westerly direction by the said northern boundary line of the North East Valley District to a road line between Sections 87 and 89 of the said District, thence by the said road line continued between Sections 86 and 88, North East Valley District to the northern boundary line of Block 9, North Harbor and Blueskin Survey District; thence in an easterly direction by the said northern boundary line of the said Block 9, to the north west corner of Section 33, Sawyer's Bay Survey District; thence in a south-easterly direction by the boundary line of the said Sawyer's Bay Survey District to Otago Harbor, and thence by high-water mark to the starting point.

7. **TAIERI LICENSING DISTRICT** shall, for the purposes of the said Ordinance, comprise all that area bounded towards the north by the Tuapeka and Taieri Gold Fields; towards the east and south by the Dunedin Licensing District; and towards the west by the Taieri River, the Waiholo Lake, and Meggat Burn; also, all that area within the Taieri Gold Field, and south of the Rock and Pillar Mountains, which may be withdrawn from the operation of the Gold Fields Act.

8. **TOKOMAIRO LICENSING DISTRICT** shall, for the purposes of the said Ordinance, comprise all that area bounded towards the north by the Tuapeka Gold Field; towards the east by the Taieri and Dunedin Licensing Districts; towards the south by the Ocean; and towards the west by the Clutha District.

9. **CLUTHA LICENSING DISTRICT** shall, for the purposes of the said Ordinance, comprise all that area bounded towards the north by the Nokomai and Mount Benger Gold Fields; towards the east by the Mount Benger and Tuapeka Gold Fields to Lovell's Creek, thence by Lovell's Creek, the Tuakitoto Lake, Kaitangata Lake and Creek, and the Clutha River, to the Ocean; towards the south by the Ocean; and towards the west by the Province of Southland.

10. HAMILTON LICENSING DISTRICT shall, for the purposes of the said Ordinance, comprise the town of Hamilton and all that area within the Mount Ida and Taieri Gold Fields north of the Rock and Pillar Mountain, which may be withdrawn from the operation of the Gold Fields Act.

11. LAWRENCE LICENSING DISTRICT shall, for the purposes of the said Ordinance, comprise the town of Lawrence and all that area within the Tuapeka and Waitahuna Gold Fields, which has been or may be withdrawn from the operation of the Gold Fields Act.

Given under my hand and issued under the Public Seal of the Province of Otago, at Dunedin, this twenty-second day of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four.

J. HYDE HARRIS,
Superintendent.

By His Honor's command,

J. CARGILL,
Acting Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,

Dunedin, 21st November, 1864.

HIS Honor the Superintendent directs it to be notified that he has received and accepted the resignation of

JAMES DOUGLAS, Esq., M.D.,
as Medical Officer for Queenstown, under the "Vaccination Act."

JOHN CARGILL,
Acting Provincial Secretary

VACCINATION.—His Honor the Superintendent directs it to be notified that he has been pleased to appoint the gentleman aftermentioned to be a Medical Officer, under the "Vaccination Act, 1863," and that he will attend as afternamed for the performance of Vaccination, and will also attend on the eighth day thereafter to inspect the result of the operation, as required by the said Act.

JOHN RUTHERFORD RYLEY, Esq., M.D.,
will attend at his residence at Queenstown on the second Monday of each month, at noon.

JOHN CARGILL,
Acting Provincial Secretary.

21st November, 1864.

PUBLIC POUND AT HAWKSURRY.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in exercise of the powers vested in me in this behalf by the "Impounding Ordinance, 1862," I have abolished the Public Pound, being the Stockyard of John Jones, Esquire, and situate between his dairy and the Waikouaiti River; and I do also give notice, that in exercise of the powers vested in me in that behalf by the said Impounding Ordinance, I have appointed to be, and established as, a Public Pound, the Pound Yards situate on sections numbered 6, 7, and 8, block XIII, in the Township of Hawksbury.

J. HYDE HARRIS,
Superintendent.

Superintendent's Office,
Dunedin, 5th Dec., 1864.

Superintendent's Office,

Dunedin, 6th December, 1864.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of the powers vested in me by the "Impounding Ordinance, 1862," I have appointed

JAMES PURVIS,

of East Taieri, settler, to be Keeper of the East Taieri Public Pound, situate on part of section 1 of 4, block VIII, and part of sections 2 and 23, block VII, Dunedin and East Taieri District.

J. HYDE HARRIS,
Superintendent.

6th December, 1864.

Superintendent's Office,
Dunedin, 3rd December 1864.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in me by the "Impounding Ordinance 1862," I have appointed

ARCHIBALD VALENTINE

of Waikouaiti, settler, to be Keeper of the Waikouaiti Public Pound, situate on Sections 6, 7, and 8, Block XIII, in the township of Hawksbury.

J. HYDE HARRIS,
Superintendent.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

ALTERATION OF TAIROA HEAD LIGHT.

THE present temporary light on Tairoa Head will shortly be discontinued, and in its place a permanent light will be exhibited from the New Tower.

The new light, instead of being white as at present, will be a Fixed Dioptric Red Light, of the third order; and will be seen from about N.W. $\frac{1}{2}$ N., round by the North and East to about E. by S. $\frac{1}{4}$ S. (Bearings are magnetic from the Lighthouse.)

The light will be elevated about 196 feet above the level of the sea, and will be visible in clear weather about 20 nautical miles, allowing 15 feet for the height of the observer's eye; and at lesser distances, according to the state of the atmosphere.

The Tower and Dwelling-houses will be white-washed.

The old light is expected to be discontinued, and the new light exhibited, on or about the 2nd of January, 1865.

By order of the Board,
(Signed) THOMAS ROBERTSON,
Secretary.

Marine Board Office,
Port Chalmers, 28th Nov., 1864.

Province of Otago, New Zealand, }
To wit: }

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that Charles Foppoli, of Dunedin, in the Province of Otago, has this day submitted for my examination his diplomas from the University of Pavia, in Lombardy, creating him a Doctor of Medicine and Surgeon, in accordance with the provisions of an Ordinance, passed by the Legislative Council of New Munster, Session I., No. 2, of 1849, intituled "An Ordinance to define the qualifications, and to provide for the remuneration in certain cases of Medical Practitioners."

Dated at the Resident Magistrate's Court, Dunedin, this twenty-ninth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four.

A. CHETHAM STRODE,
Resident Magistrate.

A SPECIAL GAZETTE was published on the second day of December current.

NOTICE.

THE co-partnership existing between the undersigned, carrying on business in Dunedin as Livery Stablekeepers, under the firm of "Brown and Colquhoun," has been dissolved by mutual consent, as from the 28th day of November.

All debts due by the firm will be discharged by Mr Edward Brown, who will continue the business and receive all monies owing to the said firm.

As witness our hands this first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four.

EDWARD BROWN.
THOMAS COLQUHOUN.

Witness:

G. F. ROWLATT,
Clerk to Messrs. Cook and Main,
Solicitors, Dunedin.

SHEEP AND CATTLE RETURNS.

HIS Honor the Superintendent directs the publication of the following Annual Reports and Returns.

H. J. MILLER,
For Provincial Treasurer.

2nd December, 1864.

Sheep Inspector's Department,
Dunedin, 29th November, 1864.

Sir—I have the honor to forward the Annual Return of Sheep in the Province of Otago, for the year ending 30th September, 1864.

The enclosed list shows a total of one million two hundred and five thousand four hundred and fifty-one (1,205,451) which consists of 985,208 ewes, and 220,243 wethers, exclusive of this years lambs, being too young to be returned.

Since the end of September, 1863, there have been brought into the Province 117,811 sheep; landed at Port Chalmers 45,000 wethers, and 30,039 ewes; from Canterbury and Southland, 29,622 wethers, and 13,150 ewes; about one-third of the male sheep were sold as fat, the remainder stores.

Comparing the returns of this year with last, there appears to be a considerable decrease in the consumption of mutton. About 165,000 sheep last year were killed in the Province, while during the past twelve months I do not think the number exceeded 120,000.

If we take the number of wethers (220,243) now in the country, with those we may expect from Southland and Canterbury, also the culls of our old and coarse ewes which will likely be sold to the butcher, it would give a supply of mutton for the next eighteen months to the present population, independent of what may be imported from the Australian Colonies, which is certain to be large.

The long continued frosts through the winter pre-

vented the stock from fattening, the quality brought to the market was very inferior, but as soon as the shearing (which is now general) is over, the supply is expected to improve and the meat get better. Although the sheep were rather poor, they were in sufficient healthy condition to grow wool; the clip will be equal in quantity and quality to any of the best years, the lambing equally good, many Stations having obtained 80, 90, and 100 per cent.

The yearly returns show 115,675 diseased. This large number may be accounted for from the fact that many of the Settlers are in the habit of purchasing newly imported sheep, and on arriving at their Stations dressing them in the most careless manner, making it a mere form. Every Sheep Farmer must or ought to know how difficult it is to detect disease upon newly-imported sheep, particularly amongst those which have been heavily dressed before shipment. It is a matter of no consequence by whom the examination may be made; although a clean certificate may have been obtained, I would strongly urge upon all parties purchasing such sheep to dress them with as much care and attention as if they were diseased, otherwise they may as well leave them alone. As an instance of this, I may mention that nearly 80,000 have broken out in one district, within the last few months, which would have been prevented had the measures I have already pointed out been taken.

I have given instructions to the Officers of my Department to make every endeavor to reduce this number, and I trust before the end of Summer (should no new importations arrive), to be able to report a considerable decrease of infected flocks.

I have the honor to be,

Sr,

Your most obedient servant,

WM. LOGIE,

Chief Inspector of Sheep.

To the Provincial Treasurer,
Dunedin.

RETURN SHOWING THE NUMBER AND CONDITION OF THE SHEEP IN THE PROVINCE OF OTAGO, 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1864.

NO. OF RUN.	NAME OF SHEEPOWNER.	CLEAN.	DISEASED.	TOTAL.
Freehold	Allan, James	1300		1300
22	Aitkinson, E. B.	10000		10000
161	Anderson, John	3000		3000
162	Do. do.	4000		4000
Freehold	Adam, James	1700		1700
172	Aitkin, R. W.	2600		2600
132	Armytage and M'Donald	10762		10762
Freehold	Anderson, John	440		440
Do.	Ayson, Peter	132		132
Do.	Ayson, Peter and James... ..	286		286
	Borton and M'Master	45000		45000
206 and 211	Do. do.	18530		18530
175 A	Burnet, W. T. Y.	6245		6245
75	Boyd, John and A.	7000		7000
262	Baldwin, W.	6298		6298
337, 338	Burke, M. J.	4900		4900
Freehold	Bell, Peter	1630		1630
129	Brugh, James	1577		1577
Freehold	Barr, John	356		356
Do.	Brown, W.	1400		1400
	Borthwick, Adam	3050		3050
Freehold	Bryce, Thomas	400		400
171	Boyd, C. S. T.	2700	3400	6100
248	Buchanan, Andrew	9800		9800
65	Bennet and Richardson	2450		2450
61 and 62	Brunton, Wm.	2391		2391
177	Black, W. and C. F.	1879		1879
	Do. do.	7600		7600
	Carry forward....	157,426	3400	160,826

NO. OF RUN.	NAME OF SHEEPOWNER.	CLEAN.	DISEASED.	TOTAL.
	Brought forward...	157426	3400	160826
189, 1 of C, 2 of C, 3 of C.	Campbell and Low	16100	17900 }	54300
220	Do. do.	2500	17800 }	
215, 253, 363.	Chalmers Brothers	36000		36000
31	Clapcott, Hunter	10000		10000
199 and 363	Cargill and Anderson	19508		19508
325	Comber and Douglas	9700		9700
52	Cumine, W. T.	6000		6000
96	Campbell, Robert	1900		1900
306	Champion, E. Percy	3146		3146
51	Chaplin, John	4000		4000
	Cleve and Ehrenfried	6000		6000
398	Cameron, Donald	1200		1200
Freehold	Cameron, Alex.	420		420
354	Cameron, A. and D.	1000		1000
28	Dansey, W. H.	12300		12300
23	Douglas, Alderson and Co.	12878		
90	Do. do.	8104		
Freehold, 179	Do. do.	9237		
330	Do. do.	5007	5259	40485
Glenhaw	Douglas and Blyth	5300		5300
Windy Station	Des Vœux and Cogle	5000		5000
	Fielder, W. G.	850		850
17	Fenwick, F. and W.	16000		
217	Do. do.	9000		
Otepopo Hundred	Do. do.	10000		35000
18 and 19	Filleul, W. and R.	12270		
Oamaru Hundred	Do. do.	7800		20070
134	Ferens, Thomas	7180	4970	12150
346, 330, 345	Grant, Gammie and Rees	5100	7000	12100
308, 353	Greig and Turnbull	13100		13100
140	Gammie, George	6700		6700
205, 170	Gairdner, R., and Main	8800	4400	13200
223	Glasford Brothers ... ..	..	17195	17195
Freehold	Gow, John	700		700
Do.	Groom and Wright ... ..	..	220	220
57, 185	Harris and Lee	9000		9000
209	Holmes and Gleeson	4000		
Hundred	Do. do.	5000		
Freehold	Do. do.	6000		15000
	Holmes and Campbell	13000		13000
219	Hepburn and M'Master	16900		16900
20	Healy, John	7900		7900
167 B	Hopkinson and Smith	9500		9500
Freehold	Hunter, Robert	3300		3300
301 B	Hankinson Brothers	4225		4225
303	Howell, John	1000		1000
Freehold	Hassell, James..	2100		2100
122	Hay, George	1200		1200
394	Hodge Brothers	1350		1350
	Hall, John	1100		1100
Freehold	Hislop and Pryde	249		249
Do.	Hepburn, J. P.	1048		1048
255	Jones, John	11745	5850	17595
243	Julius, E. A. R.	8000		8000
80	Jones, William	8100		8100
4	Jones, Thomas..	4300		4300
Freehold	Jones, J. R.	3000		3000
Freehold&Hundred	Jones, Frederick	2000		2000
Freehold	Jaffray, William	409		409
176	Jackson and Francis	4370		4370
	Low and M'Grigor	7353		7353
157	Logan, James	9246		9246
Freehold	Mitchell, James	570		570
200	Miller and Henderson	11108		11108
247, 222	Murison, J. and W. D.	15250		15250
36	Maitland, Joseph	8300		8300
94	Miller, Walter	1050		1050
	Morton, J. and Henry Rodgers	3120		3120
3 and 4 of 54	Murray, Thomas	5000		5000
	Murray, W. A., and J. H.	700		700
Freehold	Moir, Ralph	640		640
233, 335	Miller and Gooch	5000		5000
	Carry forward....	626,359	83,994	710,353

NO. OF RUN.	NAME OF SHEEPOWNER.	CLEAN.	DISEASED.	TOTAL.
	Brought forward...	626,359	83,994	710,353
88	Menzies, J. A. R.	3700		3700
251	Montgomrie, Benson and Wayne	3000	3000	6000
Freehold	Murray, George	100		100
235, 236, 237, 238	M'Lean, Brothers	39000		39000
	M'Nab, Alex.	13500		13500
108	M'Kenzie, T. W.	8520		8520
39 and 39 A	M'Grigor, N. B.	3660	7270	10930
20, 218	M'Glashan, Edward	12300		12300
	M'Master and Teschemaker	10500		10500
202	M'Intosh, John	5400		5400
339	M'Lean, D. and others	3556		3556
Freehold	M'Master, Alex.	1000		1000
Do.	Neilson and Fullarton	930		930
99	Noble, Mark	7700		7700
Freehold	Oliver, Adam	1100		1100
171	Orbell, H. and M.	6000		6000
72	Ord, Thomas	4500		4500
Freehold	Ormiston, James	950		950
258	Oliver, A.	5660		5660
163	Pinkerton, William	7100		7100
203	Preston, Joseph	8750		8750
307	Purdie and Dick	5800		5800
	Pillans, J. F.	4800		4800
251	Pagan, Junior, and Wilson	3500		3500
300 B	Printz, George	2600		2600
Freehold & Hundred	Popplewell, W.	2015		2015
Do.	Paterson, James	800		800
398	Russell, W. James		3200	3200
224	Rolland, James	9500		9500
257	Reynolds, Thomas, jun.	1096		1096
212	Roberts, W. H. S.	10900		10900
	Rich and Jones	4522		4522
214	Rodgers, Joseph	4100		4100
Freehold	Robson, Robert	1015		1015
109	Rowley, Hamilton and Wayne	16208	92	25904
204	Do. do. do.	9604		
Freehold	Reid, Donald	260		260
157	Reynolds Brothers	1000		1000
	Reid, Thomas	800		800
106, 123	Smith, James	22500		22500
210	Saxon, Conrad	7350	2650	18000
250	Do. do.	8000		
221	Shennan, A. and W.	10000		10000
261	Stafford and Bell	13500		13500
193, 194, 254	Swanston, C. L.	10130		10130
24 A	Spooner, Gerard	5000		5000
79	Sutton's Trustees	5125		5125
66	Shanks and Sons	3900		3900
63	Sinclair, Daniel	5200		5200
249, 325	Strode and Fraser	8500		8500
Freehold	Shand, George	600		600
333	Stuart and Kinross	6900		6900
	Stuart, Robert	3000		3000
213, 254	Thomson, C. and R.	13706	13489	27195
48	Do. do.	6298		6298
98	Teschemaker, W. H.	10500		10500
78	Teschemaker, C. D.	2000		2000
102	Trumble, Thomas	5000		5000
	Telford, W.	5500		5500
323	Trotter, W. S.	4280		4280
350	Tunzleman, Von N. B.		1800	1800
	Turnbull, John	5000		5000
Bellamy Station	Treeweek, John	1200		1200
Freehold	Do. do.	169	180	1549
178	Teschemaker and Schlotel	5280		5280
239, 240, 245, 340.	Thomson, William	299		299
334	Wilkins and Thomson	46317		46317
201, 322, 403,	Walker, F. T.	18080		18080
324	White Brothers	3200		3200
Freehold	Wilson, Richard	1200		1200
Do.	Wallace, David	297		297
		1,089,776	115,675	1,205,451

OPENING THE PORTS.

INSPECTOR'S REPORT.

Sheep Inspector's Department,
Dunedin, 29th November, 1864.

To the Provincial Treasurer, Dunedin.

SIR—I have the honor to forward, for the information of the Government, a Return of the number of cattle imported into the Province for the year ending 30th September, 1864.

It will be seen that the total number is nine thousand and thirty-two (9032); of these 2874 were fat, and 6158 stores.

Since the Ports have been closed against the introduction of cattle, fat stock have become both scarce and high in price. From the small number in the Province, compared with the demand, I am unable to see how it is possible to keep up the quantity wanted for consumption, or expect beef to be much cheaper. After careful enquiry as to the probable number of cattle in the country, I doubt there being many over 35,000 head, and there is about 14,000 killed annually for meat for the use of the population; unless, therefore, we have some other resources to assist us, ere long there will be very few cattle left.

I deem it my duty to inform you that Pleuro-pneumonia is still spreading through the out-lying districts, and that the loss has been pretty heavy where remedial measures have not been taken; but where care and attention have been given to the herd—such as killing the very badly diseased, removing the sick, and inoculating the sound—the average number of deaths has been very low. In fact, in many districts the disease has almost altogether disappeared. I may mention the Taieri, where the disease was very bad about ten months ago, and which threatened to spread over the plain. From the prompt measures adopted by the settlers in that locality, such as above mentioned, there has been only one death, that I have heard of, during the last seven or eight months; while at Waikouaiti, where the settlers have taken very little trouble—seemingly leaving the disease to take its course—it still exists, and I believe a great many cattle are still dying from it.

I have the honor to be, Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

WM. LOGIE,
Chief Inspector of Sheep.

RETURN OF THE NUMBER OF CATTLE IMPORTED
INTO THE PROVINCE OF OTAGO FOR THE YEAR
ENDING 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1864.

Port of Shipment.	Fat.	Stores.	Total.
Twofold Bay	589	2996	3585
Welshpool	1134	2210	3344
Newcastle, N. S. W.	875	318	1193
Western Port	74	293	367
Wellington	20	279	299
Port Albert	118	—	118
Napier	—	54	54
Adelaide	33	—	33
Chatham Islands	31	—	31
Hobart Town	—	5	5
Lyttelton	—	2	2
London	—	1	1
	2874	6158	9032

WM. LOGIE,
Chief Inspector of Sheep.

Proprietor and General Dealer, a Debtor for relief under the "Debtors and Creditors Act, 1862;" and in the matter of the Petition of John Reid, of Dunedin, in the same Province, Commission Agent, being a Creditor of the said John Davidson, to the extent of not less than Fifty Pounds, within the meaning of the said Act, and in the matter of the said "Debtors and Creditors Act, 1862."

WHEREAS on the thirty-first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, upon reading the Petition of the above-named John Davidson and John Reid and the affidavit of the said John Davidson thereunto annexed, and upon hearing Mr Turton of Counsel for the said Petitioner, it was ordered that the said John Davidson should on or before the twenty-eighth day of November next, or within such extended time as this Court should grant for that purpose, convey, assign, and make over all his real and personal estate and effects unto the above-named John Reid, such conveyance and assignment to contain all requisite powers for enabling the said John Reid to recover and receive debts, monies, goods, chattels, estate, and effects in anyway belonging to, or due and payable to the said John Davidson, upon trust, for the purpose of selling, disposing, or getting in and receiving or otherwise realising such estate, monies, goods, chattels, and effects, and thereout 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 as should be ordered by the Court and subject thereto for the purpose of distribution and administration of such estate and effects, by way of *pro rata* distribution, subject to existing legal priorities between and amongst and for the benefit of such of the Creditors of the said John Davidson as should duly prove their respective claims by affidavits, filed in the office of the Registrar of the said Court at Dunedin, within the space of three calendar months from the date of the said order now in recital: And whereas the said debtor, John Davidson, has executed a deed of conveyance and assignment of his estate and effects, in conformity with the terms of the said recited order; upon production of the said deed, and upon hearing Mr Turton of Counsel for the said debtor, it is hereby ordered that the said John Davidson be discharged and released from his debts, liabilities, and engagements specified in the Schedule marked "B" annexed to the said Petition.

Dated the twenty-eighth day of November, 1864.

By the Court,

(L.S.) ROBERT CHAPMAN,
Registrar.

In the matter of the Petition of FRANK ALFRED ORBELL, of Dunedin, Stockowner, and in the matter of the "Debtors and Creditors Act, 1862."

NOTICE is hereby given that the Judge has appointed Monday, the 9th day of January next, for the hearing of the said Petition.

Dated the 29th day of November, 1864.

MATT. V. HODGE,
5s. Solicitor for the said Petitioner.

In the Supreme Court of New Zealand, }
Southland District. }

In the matter of the Petition of ALFRED BOXALL, of Invercargill, in the Province of Southland, Store-keeper and Lighterman, and in the matter of the "Debtors and Creditors Act, 1862."

NOTICE is hereby given that His Honor the Judge has appointed Thursday, the twelfth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, at the Supreme Court House, Invercargill, for hearing the above Petition.

Dated the sixth day of December, 1864.

WARD & O'LOUGHLIN,
Princes-street, Dunedin,
7s. Solicitors for the Petitioner.

In the Supreme Court of New Zealand, }
Otago and Southland District. }
In the matter of the Petition of JOHN DAVIDSON, of Tokomairiro, in the Province of Otago, Hotel

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS TAKEN ON THE WEST COAST,

IN CONTINUATION OF THOSE IN "GAZETTE" No. 276, 5TH NOVEMBER, 1863. FROM 1ST SEPTEMBER TO 31ST DECEMBER, 1863.

Date.	Moon's Age.	Hour.	Barometer	Aneoid	Temperature	Elastic Force	Degree of	Temperature	Direction of	Force of	Sky, Clouds, Remarks on Weather, &c.
			corrected and reduced to 32°	Barometer.	of Air.	of Vapour.	of Moisture.	of Sea.	Wind.	Wind.	
Sep	Days		Inches.	Inches.	Degrees.	Inches.	Deg.	Degrees.			
1	17	3.30 a m	29.667	29.76	49	.271	78		W	Gentle breeze	Clear
"	"	9.30 a m	29.757	29.87	51	.270	72		Calm	..	Cumulus 2, round the horizon
"	"	3.30 p m	29.773	29.87	58	.422	87.5		S W	Light breeze	Overcast
"	"	9.30 p m	29.854	29.91	57	.407	87.5		W	Light do	Overcast; rain
2	18	3.30 a m	29.841	29.91	53	.375	93		W	Light do	Overcast; rain
"	"	9.30 a m	29.841	29.94	53	.348	86.5		Calm	...	Cumulus 6
"	"	3.30 p m	29.860	29.92	56	.391	87		N W	Squally	Overcast; rain
"	"	9.30 p m	29.786	29.87	55	.376	87.5		N W	Gentle breeze	Overcast; showery
3	19	3.30 a m	29.775	29.80	57	.407	86.5		N W	Strong do	Overcast
"	"	9.30 a m	29.783	29.75	54	.362	93.5		N W	Squally	Overcast; heavy rain
"	"	3.30 p m	29.591	29.60	57	.436	87		N W	Gentle breeze	Overcast; steady rain
"	"	9.30 p m	29.368	29.46	56	.391	77.5		N W	Gentle do	Overcast; rain
4	20	3.30 a m	29.177	29.19	48	.260	74		S W	Moderate breeze	Overcast
"	"	9.30 a m	29.197	29.24	54	.308	75		S W	Moderate do	Overcast
"	"	3.30 p m	29.312	29.38	57	.350	75		S E	Moderate do	Light stratus
"	"	9.30 p m	29.489	29.50	46	.215	69		S E	Light air	Clear
5	(	3.30 a m	29.497	29.53	45	.251	84		W	Light breeze	Overcast; slight rain.
"	"	9.30 a m	29.442	29.45	50	.283	78.5		N W	Light do	Overcast; heavy showers; heavy squalls after 10 o'clock.
"	"	3.30 p m	29.351	29.34	50	.309	88.5		S W	Light do	Overcast; showery
"	"	9.30 p m	29.531	29.58	46	.215	69		S W	Gentle breeze	Clear
6	22	3.30 a m	29.740	29.70	38	.144	63		S W	Light air	Clear
"	"	9.30 a m	29.862	29.97	50	.258	71.5		S W	Gentle breeze	Clear
"	"	3.30 p m	29.996	30.07	54	.335	80		S W	Moderate do	Clear
"	"	9.30 p m	30.113	30.21	50	.209	58		S W	Light air	Clear
7	23	3.30 a m	30.142	30.28	38	.186	81		S W	Light do	Clear
"	"	9.30 a m	30.175	30.33	51	.270	72		S W	Light do	Cumulus round the horizon
"	"	3.30 p m	30.083	30.22	56	.363	81		N E	Strong breeze	Cumulus 6
"	"	9.30 p m	30.014	30.13	53	.321	80		N E	Squally	Overcast; rained for a few minutes
8	24	3.30 a m	29.845	30.93	53	.269	66.5		N E	Heavy squalls	Overcast
"	"	9.30 a m	29.685	29.70	53	.348	86.5		N E	Strong breeze	Overcast; rain
"	"	3.30 p m	29.546	29.54	54	.362	86.5		N W	Light do	Overcast; rain
"	"	9.30 p m	29.501	29.57	55	.376	87		N	Squally	Overcast; showery; thunder
9	25	3.30 a m	29.458	29.52	51	.348	93		N W	Light breeze	Overcast; heavy rain
"	"	9.30 a m	29.498	29.57	54	.362	86.5		N	Light air	Overcast; heavy showers
"	"	3.30 p m	29.539	29.50	56	.391	87		N	Light do	Overcast
"	"	9.30 p m	29.553	29.64	57	.407	87.5		N	Light do	Nimbus 2, to S.W.
10	26	3.30 a m	29.562	29.60	48	.260	77.5		N E	Light do	Clear
"	"	9.30 a m	29.553	29.61	48	.260	77.5		E	Gentle breeze	Clear; temperature of water two miles up, 47 deg.
"	"	3.30 p m	29.493	29.60	64	.433	72.5		S W	Light air	Clear
"	"	9.30 p m	29.527	29.61	51	.296	79		Calm	...	Clear; a beautifully still night; Gravel Cove, Kakapo Lake,
11	27	3.30 a m	29.540	29.61	51	.321	86		S W	Light air	Clear
"	"	9.30 a m	29.598	29.66	59	.351	70.5		S W	Light air	Cumulus 2
"	"	3.30 p m	29.607	29.64	59	.351	70.5		S W	Light breeze	Cumulus 6
"	"	9.30 p m	29.612	29.70	47	.297	92.5		Calm	...	Overcast

12	28	3.30 a m	29.642	29.74	48	.284	85	S W	Light breeze	Slightly overcast ; rained for a short time
"	"	9.30 a m	29.721	29.83	54	.308	74	S W	Strong do	Overcast
"	"	3.30 p m	29.775	29.90	57	.322	09	S W	Moderate do	Cumulus cirrus 4
"	"	9.30 p m	29.987	30.10	52	.257	66	S W	Moderate do	Clear
13	●	3.30 a m	30.021	30.15	45	.205	68.5	S W	Moderate do	Clear
"	"	9.30 a m	30.054	30.18	53	.244	60.5	S W	Moderate do	Clear
"	"	3.30 p m	30.034	30.18	60	.367	71	S W	Gentle do	Clear
"	"	9.30 p m	30.127	30.26	48	.284	85	S W	Light do	Clear
14	1	3.30 a m	30.167	30.30	48	.236	70.5	S W	Light air	Clear
"	"	9.30 a m	30.202	30.33	54	.308	74	Calm	...	Clear
"	"	3.30 p m	30.193	30.31	58	.336	70	S W	Light breeze	Clear
"	"	9.30 p m	30.198	30.32	52	.334	86	Calm	...	Partially overcast
15	2	3.30 a m	30.215	30.26	53	.321	80	Calm	...	Slightly overcast
"	"	9.30 a m	30.125	30.22	59	.439	88	N W	Light air	Overcast
"	"	3.30 p m	29.971	30.07	54	.362	86.5	N W	Gentle breeze	Overcast ; commencing to rain
"	"	9.30 p m	29.916	30.00	53	.348	86.5	N W	Light do	Overcast ; slight rain
16	3	3.30 a m	29.711	29.73	50	.309	85.5	N W	Light do	Nimbus 4
"	"	9.30 a m	29.560	29.60	58	.422	87.5	N W	Light do	Overcast ; rained for a few minutes
"	"	3.30 p m	29.389	29.30	59	.351	70.5	N W	Light do	Overcast
"	"	9.30 p m	29.196	29.24	53	.348	86.5	N W	Light do	Overcast ; commencing to rain
17	4	3.30 a m	29.083	29.09	51	.321	86	N W	Gentle do	Overcast ; rain
"	"	9.30 a m	29.083	29.11	51	.321	86	S E	Moderate do	Overcast ; rain
"	"	3.30 p m	29.058	29.11	56	.282	62.5	S E	Strong do	Cumulus 4
"	"	9.30 p m	29.307	29.36	49	.223	64	S E	Gentle do	Clear
18	5	3.30 a m	29.484	29.56	42	.177	66	S E	Light air	Clear
"	"	9.30 a m	29.595	29.70	45	.228	76	S	Light air	Clear
"	"	3.30 p m	29.721	29.87	48	.284	85	N	Gentle breeze	Overcast
"	"	9.30 p m	29.834	29.91	52	.334	86	N W	Light breeze	Partially overcast ; rain
19	6	3.30 a m	29.846	29.89	51	.348	93	N W	Moderate breeze	Overcast ; heavy rain all night
"	"	9.30 a m	29.843	29.92	55	.404	93.5	N W	Moderate do	Overcast ; heavy rain
"	"	3.30 p m	29.750	29.80	57	.436	93.5	N W	Moderate do	Overcast ; heavy rain
"	"	9.30 p m	29.764	29.86	55	.404	93.5	N W	A gale	Overcast ; heavy rain
20	D	3.30 a m	29.861	29.99	49	.297	85.5	N W	Strong breeze	Nimbus 5 ; clearing to north ; heavy showers
"	"	9.30 a m	30.024	30.15	50	.283	78.5	W	Light do	Light cumulus, showery ; rainfall for 24 hours 4.7 inches ; for 36 hours, 6 inches.
"	"	3.30 p m	30.161	30.27	50	.258	71.5	W	Gentle do	Cumulus 3 ; occasional showers
"	"	9.30 p m	30.247	30.29	45	.251	84	W	Gentle do	Cumulus 8
21	8	3.30 a m	30.149	30.19	52	.334	86	W	Light do	Overcast ; rain
"	"	9.30 a m	30.111	30.16	54	.389	93.5	W	Gentle do	Overcast ; showery
"	"	3.30 p m	30.000	30.09	58	.422	87.5	W	Light do	Overcast
"	"	9.30 p m	29.946	29.99	53	.348	86.5	W	Light do	Nimbus and cumulus 6
22	9	3.30 a m	29.791	29.80	54	.362	86.5	W	Light do	Overcast
"	"	9.30 a m	29.701	29.71	58	.422	87.5	Calm	...	Overcast ; an occasional shower
"	"	3.30 p m	29.454	29.47	60	.338	65.5	S E	Moderate breeze	Overcast
"	"	9.30 p m	29.451	29.49	59	.323	64.5	S E	Moderate do	Clear and hazy
23	10	3.30 a m	29.466	29.50	56	.282	62.5	S E	Moderate do	Clear
"	"	9.30 a m	29.522	29.57	57	.322	69	S E	Moderate do	Clear
"	"	3.30 p m	29.513	29.55	59	.409	82	W	Light do	Cumulus stratus 3
"	"	9.30 p m	29.547	29.62	56	.391	87	Calm	...	Clear
24	11	3.30 a m	29.552	29.60	49	.271	78	W	Light air	Clear
"	"	9.30 a m	29.532	29.56	55	.376	87	N W	Strong breeze	Overcast ; raining since 7 a.m.
"	"	3.30 p m	29.612	29.61	53	.348	86.5	N W	Strong do	Overcast ; slight rain
"	"	9.30 p m	29.773	29.89	45	.182	60.5	S E	Strong gale	Clear ; gale commenced at 4 p.m.
25	12	3.30 a m	30.023	30.15	42	.155	57.5	S E	Moderate breeze	Clear
"	"	9.30 a m	30.100	30.26	49	.247	71	S E	Light do	Clear ; temperature of lake uniform at 48°
"	"	3.30 p m	30.114	30.26	52	.308	79.5	W	Light do	Clear, with light cumulus round the horizon
"	"	9.30 p m	30.197	30.35	47	.225	70	W	Light do	Cumulus 3
26	13	3.30 a m	30.226	30.37	50	.309	85.5	N W	Light do	Overcast ; rain ; commenced raining at midnight
"	"	9.30 a m	30.250	30.40	54	.362	86.5	N W	Light do	Overcast ; rain ; clouds descending low on the mountains
"	"	3.30 p m	30.270	30.35	58	.422	87.5	N W	Light do	Overcast ; rain

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS—continued.

Date.	Moon's Age.	Hour.	Barometer corrected and reduced to 32°	Aneroid Barometer.	Temperature of Air.	Elastic Force of Vapour.	Degree of Moisture.	Temperature of Sea.	Direction of Wind.	Force of Wind.	Sky, Clouds, Remarks on Weather, &c.
Sept.	Days		Inches.	‡ Inches.	Degrees.	Inches.	Deg.	Degrees.			
26		9.30 p m	30.270	30.36	52	.334	86.5		N W	Light breeze	Overcast ; slight rain
27	○	3.30 a m	30.265	30.34	54	.362	86.5		N W	Light do	Overcast ; rain
"		9.30 a m	30.248	30.37	58	.393	81.5		W	Light do	Overcast ; rainfall for 24 hours, 2 inches.
"		3.30 p m	30.237	30.31	58	.393	81.5		W	Light do	Overcast ; showery
"		9.30 p m	30.212	30.29	54	.362	86.5		N W	Moderate do	Overcast ; showery
28	15	3.30 a m	30.106	30.19	52	.334	86.5		N W	Moderate do	Overcast ; showery
"		9.30 a m	30.059	30.15	55	.376	87		N W	Strong do	Overcast ; rain ; rainfall, 1 inch
"		3.30 p m	29.938	30.02	58	.422	87.5		N W	Strong do	Overcast ; rain
"		9.30 p m	29.773	29.83	57	.436	93.5		N W	Strong do	Overcast ; heavy rain
29	16	3.30 a m	29.725	29.83	55	.376	87		N W	Strong do	Cumulus 8 ; clearing to N.W.
"		9.30 a m	29.833	29.95	58	.422	87.5		N W	Light do	Cumulus 5 ; rainfall, 3 inches
"		3.30 p m	29.908	30.03	57	.378	81		S W	Light do	Cumulus 4, round the horizon
"		9.30 p m	20.959	30.04	54	.308	74		S W	Light do	Clear
30	17	3.30 a m	29.951	29.98	50	.309	85.5		N W	Light do	Overcast ; rained early in the morning
"		9.30 a m	29.921	29.97	55	.376	87		N W	Moderate do	Overcast ; rain ; cleared at noon.
"		3.30 p m	29.959	30.06	50	.283	78.5		W	Strong do	Cumulus 6 ; a heavy shower at 2 p.m.
"		9.30 p m	30.011	30.15	50	.283	78.5		W	Light do	Clear

MEANS OF READINGS FOR THE MONTH.

Barometer ... ..	...	...	...	29.797
Aneroid Barometer	...	...	...	29.87
Temperature of Air	...	...	...	56.
Elastic Force ... ..	...	...	...	.325
Degree of Moisture	...	...	...	80.
Temperature of Sea	...	...	...

WIND.—N W	...	...	..	..	16 days
N E	...	..	...	...	2 "
S W	...	...	..	..	8 "
S E	..	...	...	...	4 "
RAIN.—Heavy Rain	...	...	...	...	10 "
Showery ..	...	...	...	...	4 "

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS—continued.

Date.	Moon's Age.	Hour.	Barometer corrected and reduced to 32°	Aneroid Barometer.	Temperature of Air.	Elastic Force of Vapour.	Degree of Moisture.	Temperature of Sea.	Direction of Wind.	Force of Wind.	Sky, Clouds, Remarks on Weather, &c.
Oct.	Days.		Inches.	Inches.	Degrees.	Inches.	Deg.	Degrees.			
1	18	3.30 a m	30.089	30.25	48	.236	70.5		W	Light air	Light cumulus ; a heavy shower at 2 a.m.
"	"	9.30 a m	30.178	30.25	50	.283	78.5		W	Light breeze	Clear
"	"	3.30 p m	30.141	30.24	56	.391	87		W	Light do	Clear
"	"	9.30 p m	30.170	30.25	46	.215	69		Calm	...	Clear
2	19	3.30 a m	30.083	30.23	45	.228	76		Calm	...	Clear
"	"	9.30 a m	30.060	30.23	48	.260	77.5		N W	Light breeze	Overcast
"	"	3.30 p m	30.037	29.98	52	.308	79.5		N W	Light do	Overcast; showery
"	"	9.30 p m	29.907	29.90	52	.361	93		N W	Light do	Overcast; heavy showers
3	20	3.30 a m	29.905	29.95	46	.262	84.5		N E	Light do	Slightly overcast; clearing; heavy showers until 2 a.m.
"	"	9.30 a m	29.847	29.91	51	.321	86		S	Light do	Light cumulus 3
"	"	3.30 p m	29.755	29.81	56	.282	62.5		S	Moderate do	Overcast
"	"	9.30 p m	29.711	29.76	55	.269	62		S	Strong do	Partially overcast; heavy squalls
4	21	3.30 a m	29.713	29.78	54	.231	55		S	Strong do	Cumulus 4
"	"	9.30 a m	29.716	29.84	57	.268	57.5		S	Moderate do	Cumulus 3
"	"	3.30 p m	29.774	29.80	59	.269	53.5		S	Moderate do	Cumulus 4
"	"	9.30 p m	29.796	29.92	53	.244	60.5		S	Gentle do	Clear
5	22	3.30 a m	29.897	29.99	48	.212	63		S	Light do	Clear
"	"	9.30 a m	29.901	30.04	54	.308	74		Calm	...	Clear; a light breeze sprung up from westward at 10.30
"	"	3.30 p m	29.869	30.00	60	.310	60		W	Gentle breeze	Cumulus cirrus 6
"	"	9.30 p m	29.937	30.09	46	.262	84.5		Calm	..	Clear
6	23	3.30 a m	29.981	30.10	48	.284	85		Calm	..	Clear and hazy
"	"	9.30 a m	30.029	30.18	58	.365	75.5		Calm	...	Overcast; clouds hanging over the mountains
"	"	3.30 p m	30.064	30.15	61	.383	71.5		S W	Light breeze	Clear, with light cumulus
"	"	9.30 p m	30.084	30.25	59	.380	76		S W	Light air	Slightly overcast
7	24	3.30 a m	30.115	30.25	56	.363	81		Calm	..	Overcast and hazy
"	"	9.30 a m	30.115	30.26	57	.268	75.5		N W	Light air	Cumulus 8; heavy clouds to westward; clearing to eastward
"	"	3.30 p m	30.092	30.16	59	.380	76		W	Light breeze	Clear, with light clouds on the mountains; temp. of Lake 51°
"	"	9.30 p m	30.064	30.18	55	.321	74.5		Calm	...	Overcast
8	25	3.30 a m	30.018	30.14	49	.271	78		Calm	..	Clear overhead; heavy fog clouds on the mountains
"	"	9.30 a m	29.996	30.12	56	.308	68.5		Calm	..	Clear
"	"	3.30 p m	29.944	30.01	67	.425	64		W	Gentle breeze	Slightly overcast
"	"	9.30 p m	29.904	29.98	54	.308	74		W	Light air	Cumulus 2 to west
9	26	3.30 a m	29.805	29.85	53	.348	86.5		Calm	...	Densely overcast; rain
"	"	9.30 a m	29.795	29.79	60	.426	82		N W	Light air	Overcast
"	"	3.30 p m	29.612	29.63	53	.348	86.5		N W	Light air	Overcast; rain
"	"	9.30 p m	29.576	29.64	46	.262	84.5		W	Light breeze	Clear, with light nimbus passing; rainfall through the day .75 in.
10	27	3.30 a m	29.585	29.59	43	.231	83.5		Calm	...	Clear, with haze
"	"	9.30 a m	29.567	29.60	58	.393	81.5		Calm	..	Cumulus 3 to west
"	"	3.30 p m	29.506	29.55	57	.350	75		S	Light breeze	Clear overhead; light cumulus round the horizon
"	"	9.30 p m	29.607	29.70	51	.220	59		S	Light air	Clear
11	28	3.30 a m	29.635	29.76	48	.237	70.5		S	Light air	Overcast
"	"	9.30 a m	29.725	29.80	55	.376	87		W	Light air	Cumulus 6
"	"	3.30 p m	29.717	29.80	60	.338	65.5		W	Light breeze	Cumulus 8; rained slightly at 1 p.m.
"	"	9.30 p m	29.773	29.86	50	.309	85.5		N W	Light air	Overcast; rain; commenced raining at 8 p.m.
12	29	3.30 a m	29.781	29.83	45	.251	84		N W	Light air	Partially overcast
"	"	9.30 a m	29.759	29.82	55	.376	87		N W	Light air	Overcast; thick drizzling rain; rainfall 1 in.
"	"	3.30 p m	29.731	29.82	56	.391	87		N W	Gentle breeze	Overcast; heavy rain; wind very strong outside
"	"	9.30 p m	29.827	29.95	52	.334	86		N W	Light breeze	Overcast; heavy rain
13	30	3.30 a m	29.851	29.99	50	.309	85.5		N W	Light breeze	Overcast

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Date.	Moon's Age.	Hour.	Brometer corrected and reduced to 32°	Aneroid Barometer.	Temperature of Air.	Elastic Force of Vapour.	Degree of Moisture.	Temperature of Sea.	Direction of Wind.	Force of Wind.	Sky, Clouds, Remarks on Weather, &c.
Oct.	Days.		Inches.	Inches.	Degrees.	Inches.	Deg.	Degrees.			
13		9.30 a m	29.901	30.04	57	.407	87.5		Calm	..	Overcast; rainfall .85 in.
"		3.30 p m	29.914	29.96	62	.429	77		W	Light air	Overcast
"		9.30 p m	29.856	29.90	52	.334	86		W	Light breeze	Overcast
14	1	3.30 a m	29.786	29.84	52	.334	86		N W	Light breeze	Overcast; very heavy rain since 10 p.m.
"		9.30 a m	29.771	29.80	52	.361	93		N W	Gentle breeze	Overcast; very heavy rain; rainfall (12 hours) 3.5 in.
"		3.30 p m	29.687	29.75	55	.404	93.5		N W	Gentle breeze	Overcast; heavy rain
"		9.30 p m	29.697	29.70	54	.389	93.5		N W	Gentle breeze	Overcast; heavy rain; rainfall in 12 hours, 4.35 in.
15	2	3.30 a m	29.594	29.65	54	.389	93.5		N W	Gentle breeze	Overcast; heavy rain
"		9.30 a m	29.579	29.67	57	.436	93.5		N W	Light air	Overcast; rain; rainfall 2.5 in.
"		3.30 p m	29.602	29.65	55	.404	93.5		Calm	...	Overcast; heavy rain
"		9.30 p m	29.589	29.67	56	.420	93.5		N W	Gentle breeze	Overcast; rain
16	3	3.30 a m	29.579	29.60	54	.362	86.5		N W	Light do	Overcast; rain
"		9.30 a m	29.536	29.57	60	.396	76.5		W	Gentle do	Cumulus 8; rainfall 1.5 in.
"		3.30 p m	29.531	29.59	64	.529	89		S W	Light air	Overcast; rain
"		9.30 p m	29.547	29.60	55	.349	80.5		S W	Light breeze	Partially clear
17	4	3.30 a m	29.547	29.60	53	.321	80		S W	Light air	Overcast
"		9.30 a m	29.544	29.63	60	.396	76.5		Variable	Light breeze	Overcast
"		3.30 p m	29.531	29.57	58	.422	87.5		N W	Light air	Overcast; raining since 1 p.m.
"		9.30 p m	29.542	29.63	56	.391	87		Calm	...	Partially clear; thick fog; showery
18	5	3.30 a m	29.542	29.63	54	.362	86.5		N E	Light air	Partially overcast; slight showers at long intervals
"		9.30 a m	29.566	29.65	63	.510	88.5		N E	Light air	Cumulus 8
"		3.30 p m	29.551	29.60	59	.439	88		Calm	...	Overcast; raining since noon
"		9.30 p m	29.675	29.64	54	.308	74		Calm	...	Clear, with thick haze; ceased raining at 4.30
19	6	3.30 a m	29.490	29.51	53	.321	80		N E	Light breeze	Overcast; an occasional slight shower
"		9.30 a m	29.437	29.45	58	.422	87.5		N E	Light air	Overcast; slight rain
"		3.30 p m	29.242	29.26	58	.422	87.5		S E	Gentle breeze	Overcast; slight rain
"		9.30 p m	29.194	29.19	54	.362	86.5		S E	Light do	Overcast; rain.
20	D	3.30 a m	29.194	29.21	53	.348	86.5		N E	Light air	Densely overcast; showery
"		9.30 a m	29.214	29.30	59	.439	88		Variable	Light do	Densely overcast; rain
"		3.30 p m	29.276	29.32	62	.491	88.5		W	Light do	Cumulus 6; rained until 1 p.m.
"		9.30 p m	29.207	29.41	54	.335	80		S E	Light do	Clear
21	8	3.30 a m	29.312	29.43	52	.334	86		S E	Light breeze	Slightly overcast
"		9.30 a m	29.399	29.46	63	.447	77.5		S E	Gentle do	Overcast
"		3.30 p m	29.471	29.51	61	.443	82.5		W	Light air	Densely overcast; showery since 10.30 a.m.
"		9.30 p m	29.555	29.62	55	.321	74.5		S	Light do	Cumulus 6
22	9	3.30 a m	29.597	29.69	50	.309	85.5		S W	Light do	Overcast; showery from 1 to 4.30 a.m.
"		9.30 a m	29.674	29.77	58	.422	87.5		W	Light do	Overcast
"		3.30 p m	29.704	29.81	62	.399	72		S W	Light breeze	Cumulus 4
"		9.30 p m	29.824	29.95	56	.308	62.5		S W	Light do	Cumulus 8; fleecy
23	10	3.30 a m	29.861	29.99	50	.283	78.5		Variable	Light air	Overcast; rained slightly after 4 a.m.
"		9.30 a m	29.969	30.10	60	.396	76.5		Calm	...	Overcast
"		3.30 p m	29.980	30.08	61	.412	77		N	Light breeze	Overcast
"		9.30 p m	29.996	30.14	51	.270	72		N E	Light air	Clear; light drizzling rain from 4.30 to 7 p.m.
24	11	3.30 a m	29.969	30.08	48	.236	70.5		S E	Light air	Clear
"		9.30 a m	29.919	30.00	56	.391	87		N E	Light air	Overcast
"		3.30 p m	29.783	29.88	58	.422	87.5		N E	Light air	Overcast; commenced raining slightly at 2.30
"		9.30 p m	29.677	29.75	54	.362	86.5		N E	Light breeze	Overcast; slight showers
25	12	3.30 a m	29.494	29.53	53	.321	80		N W	Light do	Overcast; heavy rain since 11 p.m.
"		9.30 a m	29.574	29.67	58	.422	87.5		N W	Moderate do	Overcast; rain

25		3.30 p m	29.586	29.67	63	.447	77.5	W	Fresh do	Cumulus 3; slight passing showers until noon
"		9.30 p m	29.657	29.78	49	.271	78	W	Light do	Light cumulus 4
26	13	3.30 a m	29.705	29.81	48	.260	77.5	W	Light air	Clear, with light passing clouds; slight rain at midnight
"		9.30 a m	29.733	29.86	63	.447	77.5	S W	Light air	Cumulus 8
"		3.30 p m	29.736	29.80	64	.373	62.5	S E	Light breeze	Cumulus 2; slight passing showers until 1 p.m.
"		9.30 p m	29.719	29.80	52	.282	72.5	S E	Light do	Clear
27	○	3.30 a m	29.571	29.65	50	.252	71.5	S E	Fresh do	Slightly overcast
"		9.30 a m	29.499	29.56	63	.386	77	E	Gentle do	Overcast
"		3.30 p m	29.423	29.48	65	.516	83.5	N	Light air	Overcast; slight rain since 11 a.m.
"		9.30 p m	29.426	29.47	58	.336	70	S E	Fresh breeze	Overcast; wind light and variable during the day; gusty after 7 p.m.
28	15	3.30 a m	29.394	29.41	55	.349	80.5	N	Light do	Overcast; slight showers at midnight
"		9.30 a m	29.303	29.36	62	.491	88.5	N	Light do	Overcast; commencing to rain
"		3.30 p m	29.309	29.39	60	.456	88	N	Gentle do	Overcast; showery
"		9.30 p m	29.479	29.55	57	.407	87.5	N W	Light do	Overcast; heavy showers; wind probably strong outside
29	16	3.30 a m	29.516	29.55	54	.362	86.5	N	Light do	Overcast; heavy nimbus; showery
"		9.30 a m	29.532	29.54	55	.376	87	N W	Light do	Overcast; heavy showers; rainfall 2.25 in.
"		3.30 p m	29.549	29.61	59	.439	88	N W	Gentle do	Overcast; showery
"		9.30 p m	29.597	29.62	52	.334	86	N W	Light do	Overcast; heavy rain; heavy thunder at 4.30
30	17	3.30 a m	29.607	29.67	54	.362	86.5	N W	Light do	Densely overcast; heavy rain
"		9.30 a m	29.624	29.69	55	.376	87	N W	Gentle do	Overcast; showery; rainfall 1.5 in.
"		3.30 p m	29.647	29.74	59	.409	82	W	Light do	Cumulus 8
"		9.30 p m	29.695	29.79	56	.391	87	N W	Light do	Overcast; heavy rain
31	18	3.30 a m	29.682	29.73	55	.404	93.5	N W	Light do	Overcast; heavy rain
"		9.30 a m	29.716	29.80	56	.391	87	N W	Light do	Overcast; heavy rain until 8; rainfall 2.25 in.
"		3.30 p m	29.649	29.72	62	.460	83	N	Fresh do	Densely overcast
"		9.30 p m	29.567	29.62	57	.407	87.5	N	Fresh do	Heavy nimbus passing; slight showers since 8.30

MEANS OF READINGS FOR THE MONTH.

Barometer...	...	...	...	29.694
Ancroid Barometer	...	...	...	29.78
Temperature of Air	...	...	...	55
Elastic Force	...	...	...	.363
Degree of Moisture	...	...	...	81.
Temperature of Sea	

WIND.—N W	12 days
N E	4 "
S W	6 "
S E	4 "
Variable	5 "
RAIN.—Heavy Rain	12 "
Showery	4 "

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Date.	Moon's Age.	Hour.	Barometer corrected and reduced to 32°	Aneroid Barometer.	Temperature of Air.	Elastic Force of Vapour.	Degree of Moisture.	Temperature of Sea.	Direction of Wind.	Force of Wind.	Sky, Clouds, Remarks on Weather, &c.
Nov.	Days.		Inches.	Inches.	Degrees.	Inches.	Deg.	Degrees.			
1	19	3.30 a m	29.336	29.36	54	.362	86.5		N W	Light air	Overcast; heavy rain
"	"	9.30 a m	29.399	29.50	61	.473	88		N W	Light air	Overcast; rain; rainfall .75 in.
"	"	3.30 p m	29.479	29.51	62	.460	83		W	Fresh breeze	Overcast; showery
"	"	9.30 p m	29.530	29.63	55	.376	87		W	Light air	Overcast; showery
2	20	3.30 a m	29.574	29.70	53	.321	80		N W	Light air	Cumulus nimbus 6; heavy showers during the night
"	"	9.30 a m	29.687	29.80	58	.422	87.5		N	Light air	Overcast; rainfall .25 in.
"	"	3.30 p m	29.687	29.70	58	.422	87.5		N W	Light air	Overcast; steady rain
"	"	9.30 p m	29.700	29.75	54	.362	86.5		N W	Light air	Overcast; steady rain
3	(	3.30 a m	29.577	29.60	53	.348	86.5		N E	Light breeze	Overcast; rain
"	"	9.30 a m	29.547	29.58	57	.407	87.5		N W	Light air	Overcast; rain; rainfall 1 in.
"	"	3.30 p m	29.544	29.59	59	.409	82		N	Light air	Overcast; rained until 2 p.m.
"	"	9.30 p m	29.567	29.62	57	.378	81		N E	Light air	Clear, with light passing clouds
4	22	3.30 a m	29.572	29.60	52	.308	79.5		N	Light air	Overcast; rained slightly in the night
"	"	9.30 a m	29.534	29.60	60	.426	82		N E	Light air	Overcast; rainfall 1.25 in.
"	"	3.30 p m	29.393	29.45	63	.416	72.5		E	Light air	Cumulus 5
"	"	9.30 p m	29.364	29.41	57	.350	75		Calm	...	Clear
5	23	3.30 a m	29.289	29.32	57	.378	81		S E	Fresh breeze	Overcast
"	"	9.30 a m	29.269	29.35	64	.403	67.5		S E	Gentle do	Overcast
"	"	3.30 p m	29.331	29.43	61	.412	77		W	Light do	Overcast
"	"	9.30 p m	29.447	29.55	54	.335	80		S E	Light air	Clear, with haze
6	24	3.30 a m	29.537	29.65	52	.282	72.5		S E	Light air	Light cumulus 2 to south
"	"	9.30 a m	29.651	29.76	64	.465	78		S W	Light air	Cumulus 6; temperature of Lake 52°
"	"	3.30 p m	29.692	29.79	70	.516	70.5		S W	Light breeze	Cumulus 5
"	"	9.30 p m	29.846	29.91	54	.308	74		S E	Light air	Clear
7	25	3.30 a m	29.836	29.94	52	.282	72.5		N E	Light air	Cumulus 2 to south; thick fog over the Lake
"	"	9.30 a m	29.843	29.96	64	.433	72.5		N	Light air	Cumulus 6
"	"	3.30 p m	29.826	29.90	60	.456	88		N	Light air	Overcast; rain since 11 a.m.
"	"	9.30 p m	29.820	29.90	58	.393	81.5		N	Light air	Overcast
8	26	3.30 a m	29.770	29.82	55	.376	87		N	Light air	Overcast; showery since 2 a.m.
"	"	9.30 a m	29.742	29.80	61	.473	88		N W	Light air	Overcast; showers at long intervals; rainfall .25 in.
"	"	3.30 p m	29.613	29.69	61	.473	88		N	Gentle breeze	Overcast; showery
"	"	9.30 p m	29.575	29.61	58	.422	87.5		N W	Light do	Overcast; rain
9	27	3.30 a m	29.596	29.65	53	.348	86.5		N W	Gentle do	Overcast; showery
"	"	9.30 a m	29.654	29.70	59	.409	82		W	Light do	Overcast; showery
"	"	3.30 p m	29.642	29.68	60	.426	82		W	Light do	Overcast; showery
"	"	9.30 p m	29.652	29.70	54	.362	86.5		N W	Light do	Overcast; rain
10	28	3.30 a m	29.619	29.66	54	.389	93.5		N W	Gentle do	Overcast; heavy rain
"	"	9.30 a m	29.701	29.72	56	.391	87		N W	Light do	Overcast; rain; rainfall 3.75 in.
"	"	3.30 p m	29.669	29.71	58	.422	87.5		N W	Light do	Overcast; rain
"	"	9.30 p m	29.636	29.71	56	.391	87		N W	Light do	Overcast; heavy rain
11	●	3.30 a m	29.576	29.65	55	.404	93.5		N W	Light do	Overcast; rain
"	"	9.30 a m	29.574	29.65	57	.436	93.5		N W	Light air	Overcast; rain; rainfall 1.75 in.
"	"	3.30 p m	29.539	29.57	59	.469	94		N W	Light air	Overcast; rain
"	"	9.30 p m	29.481	29.53	55	.376	87		W	Light air	Partially overcast; clearing; showery until 5 p.m.
12	1	3.30 a m	29.374	29.42	53	.348	86.4		S E	Light air	Clear
"	"	9.30 a m	29.364	29.34	60	.426	82		S E	Light air	Cumulus, with light stratus 4; rainfall 1 in.
"	"	3.30 p m	29.221	29.28	61	.383	71.5		W	Gentle breeze	Light cumulus 2
"	"	9.30 p m	29.262	29.33	57	.407	87.5		W	Light air	Cumulus stratus to south; partially overcast

13	2	3.30 a m	29.106	29.14	54	.362	86.5	S	Light air	Overcast; heavy rain
"	"	9.30 a m	29.161	29.22	55	.376	87	S	Light air	Overcast; rain; rainfall 1.25 in. Fresh snow on the mountains
"	"	3.30 p m	29.102	29.24	59	.439	88	W	Light breeze	Overcast; heavy rain until noon; showers of rain and hail since, with thunder from west
"	"	9.30 p m	29.208	29.28	54	.362	86.5	W	Light air	Heavy nimbus passing; shower; clearing to southward
14	3	3.30 a m	29.222	29.29	50	.309	85.5	W	Light breeze	Overcast; shower
"	"	9.30 a m	29.252	29.33	56	.391	87	W	Light do	Overcast; showery; rainfall 1 in.
"	"	3.30 p m	29.322	29.33	51	.321	86	W	Light air	Overcast; showery
"	"	9.30 p m	29.314	29.41	48	.310	92.5	W	Light air	Overcast; showery; thunder
15	4	3.30 a m	29.302	29.35	49	.297	85.5	W	Light air	Overcast; rain
"	"	9.30 a m	29.339	29.42	54	.362	86.5	W	Light air	Overcast; showery; snowing on the mountains; rainfall 2 in.
"	"	3.30 p m	29.347	29.41	57	.407	87.5	W	Light breeze	Overcast; showery; rain and hail; heavy thunder
"	"	9.30 p m	29.420	29.51	47	.297	92.5	W	Moderate do	Overcast; heavy showers; heavy squalls from 4 to 7 p m.
16	5	3.30 a m	29.432	29.51	46	.262	84.5	W	Light air	Partially clear; showery
"	"	9.30 a m	29.464	29.50	52	.334	86	S	Gentle breeze	Overcast; showery; heavy fall of snow on the mountains; rainfall .75 in.
"	"	3.30 p m	29.464	29.54	55	.376	87	N W	Light air	Overcast; showery
"	"	9.30 p m	29.535	29.65	46	.262	84.5	S W	Light air	Clear; showery until 5 p.m.
17	6	3.30 a m	29.607	29.70	44	.241	83.5	S W	Gentle breeze	Clear
"	"	9.30 a m	29.674	29.78	57	.378	81	S W	Light do	Clear; rainfall .25 in.
"	"	3.30 p m	29.640	29.76	61	.443	82.5	W	Light do	Overcast
"	"	9.30 p m	29.591	29.67	54	.308	74	E	Light do	Overcast
18	D	3.30 a m	29.314	29.37	50	.309	85.5	N E	Fresh do	Overcast; rain
"	"	9.30 a m	29.098	29.10	53	.321	80	N E	Fresh do	Overcast; showery; rainfall .25 in.
"	"	3.30 p m	29.013	29.07	59	.439	88	W	Light do	Overcast; showery
"	"	9.30 p m	29.137	29.18	55	.376	87	W	Light do	Partially overcast; occasional showers, with lightning after dusk
19	8	3.30 a m	29.105	29.10	50	.283	78.5	N E	Gentle do	Clear overhead; heavy clouds to south and south-east
"	"	9.30 a m	29.025	29.07	57	.407	87.5	N W	Fresh do	Overcast; heavy showers since 5 a.m.
"	"	3.30 p m	29.042	29.05	56	.335	74.5	W	Moderate do	Cumulus 5; slight showers until noon
"	"	9.30 p m	29.057	29.10	54	.335	80	N W	Fresh do	Overcast; slight showers; hail and thunder in the afternoon
20	9	3.30 a m	29.113	29.10	49	.297	85.5	N	Moderate do	Overcast; heavy showers of rain and hail
"	"	9.30 a m	29.163	29.20	57	.378	81	W	Gentle do	Overcast; showery; rainfall 1 in.
"	"	3.30 p m	29.204	29.22	60	.396	76.5	W	Gentle do	Overcast; heavy showers of rain and hail
"	"	9.30 p m	29.231	29.30	49	.271	78	W	Gentle do	Partially overcast; heavy showers
21	10	3.30 a m	29.280	29.35	47	.273	84.5	W	Gentle do	Partially overcast; showery
"	"	9.30 a m	29.364	29.42	59	.380	76	W	Gentle do	Overcast; showery; rainfall .75 in.
"	"	3.30 p m	29.383	29.45	61	.412	77	W	Light do	Partially overcast; showery until noon
"	"	9.30 p m	29.395	29.49	50	.258	71.5	S W	Light do	Clear overhead; cumulus 2 to westward
22	11	3.30 a m	29.432	29.49	46	.238	76.5	S W	Light do	Partially clear; an occasional shower during the night
"	"	9.30 a m	29.479	29.55	58	.365	75.5	S W	Light do	Clear, with light cumulus to southward
"	"	3.30 p m	29.476	29.57	62	.369	66.5	S E	Gentle do	Light cumulus 5
"	"	9.30 p m	29.547	29.63	51	.245	65.5	S E	Gentle do	Clear
23	12	3.30 a m	29.552	29.67	51	.270	72	S E	Light do	Clear
"	"	9.30 a m	29.651	29.73	61	.354	66	S E	Fresh do	Clear
"	"	3.30 p m	29.691	29.80	68	.411	60	S E	Light do	Clear
"	"	9.30 p m	29.790	29.90	58	.336	70	S	Light air	Clear; wind drawing up the coast
24	13	3.30 a m	29.864	29.99	53	.269	66.5	S W	Gentle breeze	Clear, with light stratus
"	"	9.30 a m	29.958	30.07	66	.407	63.5	S W	Light air	Clear, with haze
"	"	3.30 p m	29.968	30.08	67	.489	74	S W	Gentle breeze	Clear
"	"	9.30 p m	30.029	30.15	55	.349	80.5	Calm	..	Clear
25	C	3.30 a m	30.036	30.15	55	.349	80.5	S W	Light air	Clear
"	"	9.30 a m	30.151	30.28	68	.509	74.5	N E	Light air	Clear; wind drawing down the coast
"	"	3.30 p m								
"	"	9.30 p m	30.192	30.32	52	.334	86	S W	Light breeze	Clear; eclipse of the moon
26	15	3.30 a m	30.203	30.32	51	.321	86	S W	Light air	Cumulus 6; fleecy
"	"	9.30 a m	30.198	30.37	62	.429	77	N E	Light breeze	Clear, with light cumulus
"	"	3.30 p m	30.196	30.33	71	.572	75.5	N E	Light do	Clear
"	"	9.30 p m	30.228	30.35	56	.363	81	N E	Light air	Clear
27	16	3.30 a m	30.226	30.33	55	.349	80.5	N E	Light breeze	Clear
"	"	9.30 a m	30.208	30.37	59	.439	88	N E	Light do	Overcast

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS—continued.

Date.	Moon's Age.	Hour.	Barometer corrected and reduced to 32°.	Aneroid Barometer.	Temperature of Air.	Elastic Force of Vapour.	Degree of Moisture.	Temperature of Sea.	Direction of Wind.	Force of Wind.	ky, Clouds, Remarks on Weather, &c.
Nov.	Days.		Inches.	Inches.	Degrees.	Inches.	Deg.	Degrees.			
27		3.30 p m	30.151	30.28	66	.502	78.5	61	N E	Fresh breeze	Cumulus 2 to west
"		9.30 p m	30.149	30.26	55	.349	80.5	60	N E	Light do	Clear
28	17	3.30 a m	30.054	30.14	56	.391	87	57	N W	Strong do	Overcast; raining slightly since midnight
"		9.30 a m	29.994	30.06	60	.456	88	57	N W	Strong do	Overcast; raining heavily since 4 a.m.; rainfall 1 in.
"		3.30 p m	29.989	30.10	60	.396	76.5	59	S W	Fresh do	Cumulus 5
"		9.30 p m	30.026	30.16	54	.362	86.5	58	S W	Light do	Partially overcast
29	18	3.30 a m.	30.004	30.15	52	.308	79.5	58	S W	Light air	Light cumulus 6
"		9.30 a m	30.004	30.12	58	.365	75.5	59	S W	Gentle breeze	Partially clear
"		3.30 p m	29.916	30.03	64	.433	72.5	59	S W	Gentle do	Slightly overcast
"		9.30 p m	29.919	30.01	53	.348	86.5	59	S W	Light do	Clear
30	19	3.30 a m	29.795	29.89	53	.348	86.5	59	N W	Light do	Overcast
"		9.30 a m	29.692	29.80	57	.436	93.5	59	N W	Light do	Overcast; rain since 4.30
"		3.30 p m	29.543	29.64	59	.469	94	59.5	N W	Strong do	Overcast; steady rain
"		9.30 p m	29.447	29.50	58	.452	93.5	56	N W	A gale	Overcast; steady rain

MEANS OF READINGS FOR THE MONTH.

Barometer...	...	..	...	...	29.584
Aneroid Barometer	...	...	...	...	29.65
Temperature of Air	...	...	...	...	56.5
Elastic Force	...	...	...	...	.379
Degree of Moisture	...	...	...	...	73.5
Temperature of Sea	...	..	...	...	58.5

WIND.—N W	...	...	...	...	13 days
N E	..	...	...	...	4 "
S W	...	...	...	...	9 "
S E	...	...	...	...	4 "
RAIN.—Heavy rain	...	...	...	...	10 "
Showery	...	...	...	...	9 "

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS—continued.

Date.	Moon's Age.	Hour.	Barometer corrected and reduced to 32°	Aneroid Barometer.	Temperature of Air.	Elastic Force of Vapour.	Degree of Moisture.	Temperature of Sea.	Direction of Wind.	Force of Wind.	Sky, Clouds, Remarks on Weather, &c.
Dec.	Days.		Inches.	Inches.	Degrees.	Inches.	Deg.	Degrees.			
1	20	3.30 a m	29.471	29.59	51	.348	93	54	N W	Strong breeze	Overcast; rain
"	"	9.30 a m	29.564	29.67	55	.404	93.5	55.5	N W	Light do	Overcast; rain; rainfall 3.25 in.
"	"	3.30 p m	29.700	29.81	60	.456	88	56	S W	Light do	Overcast; rained until 10.30 a.m.
"	"	9.30 p m	29.856	29.98	51	.321	86	55	S W	Light do	Partially clear
2	21	3.30 a m	29.916	30.07	48	.284	85	56	S W	Light do	Light cumulus stratus cirrus 4, with heavy fog clouds on the mountains
"	"	9.30 a m	30.020	30.15	58	.422	87.5	57.5	N W	Light air	Overcast; thick mist
"	"	3.30 p m	30.010	30.15	56	.420	93.5	56	N W	Gentle breeze	Overcast; thick drizzling rain
"	"	9.30 p m	30.044	30.16	53	.348	86.5	56	N	Light do	Overcast
3	"	3.30 a m	29.963	30.06	50	.309	85.5	56	N	Light do	Overcast
"	"	9.30 a m	29.844	29.94	56	.420	93.5	56	N W	Light air	Overcast; rain
"	"	3.30 p m	29.744	29.81	54	.389	93.5	54.5	N W	Light air	Overcast; rain
"	"	9.30 p m	29.889	30.03	52	.334	86	54	W	Light breeze	Clear, with passing clouds
4	23	3.30 a m	29.921	30.02	49	.297	85.5	54	W	Light do	Cumulus 6
"	"	9.30 a m	29.889	30.02	58	.365	75.5	54	S W	Light do	Cumulus 5; rainfall 2 in.
"	"	3.30 p m	29.758	29.87	63	.386	67	55	S W	Light air	Cumulus 1 to east
"	"	9.30 p m	29.789	29.92	48	.284	85	55.5	S W	Light breeze	Clear
5	24	3.30 a m	29.821	29.92	50	.309	85.5	56.5	S W	Light do	Cumulus 8
"	"	9.30 a m	29.804	29.94	60	.367	71	58	S W	Light do	Cumulus 5
"	"	3.30 p m	29.840	29.92	58	.309	64	61	S W	Fresh do	Partially overcast
"	"	9.30 p m	29.834	29.90	49	.297	85.5	60	S W	Light air	Partially overcast; slight showers
6	25	3.30 a m	29.768	29.85	48	.284	85	59	S W	Light breeze	Partially overcast; slight showers
"	"	9.30 a m	29.770	29.89	50	.309	85.5	58	S W	Light breeze	Partially overcast; showery; rainfall .5 in.
"	"	3.30 p m	29.764	29.83	60	.396	76.5	59.5	S W	Light air	Cumulus 4
"	"	9.30 p m	29.863	29.92	48	.284	85	59	S	Gentle breeze	Clear
7	26	3.30 a m	29.896	29.99	48	.284	85	59	S	Light do	Clear
"	"	9.30 a m	29.970	30.05	56	.335	74.5	56.5	S W	Fresh do	Cumulus 3
"	"	3.30 p m	29.849	29.95	58	.309	64	58	S W	Fresh do	Cumulus 6; strong breeze outside
"	"	9.30 p m	29.897	30.01	49	.297	85.5	58	S W	Light do	Clear
8	27	3.30 a m	29.901	29.99	46	.215	69	57	S	Gentle do	Clear
"	"	9.30 a m	29.860	29.96	56	.363	81	57	S	Light do	Slightly overcast
"	"	3.30 p m	29.758	29.85	56	.391	87	58	S W	Light do	Overcast; slight rain from 11.30
"	"	9.30 p m	29.740	29.86	50	.309	85.5	58	S	Light do	Cumulus 3
9	28	3.30 a m	29.739	29.85	51	.321	86	58	S	Light air	Densely overcast; rain commencing
"	"	9.30 a m	29.736	29.86	58	.452	93.5	57.5	S	Light air	Overcast; slight rain; rainfall .25 in.
"	"	3.30 p m	29.794	29.90	58	.422	87.5	57.5	S W	Light breeze	Overcast; very slight drizzling rain
"	"	9.30 p m	29.783	29.90	53	.348	86.5	57.5	S W	Light do	Overcast
10	29	3.30 a m	29.716	29.79	50	.309	85.5	56.5	W	Light do	Overcast; rain
"	"	9.30 a m	29.686	29.75	56	.420	93.5	56.5	N W	Fresh do	Overcast; rain; rainfall .5 in.
"	"	3.30 p m	29.699	29.79	58	.422	87.5	56	N W	Fresh do	Overcast; slight drizzling rain
"	"	9.30 p m	29.716	29.81	53	.348	86.5	56	N W	Light do	Overcast
11	"	3.30 a m	29.531	29.60	54	.362	86.5	56	N E	Strong do	Overcast
"	"	9.30 a m	29.348	29.40	58	.452	93.5	54	N	A gale	Overcast; very heavy rain since 5 a.m.
"	"	3.30 p m	29.461	29.51	58	.422	87.5	57	N W	Light breeze	Overcast; drizzling rain
"	"	9.30 p m	29.509	29.61	53	.348	86.5	57	N W	Light do	Partially overcast
12	1	3.30 a m	29.519	29.63	50	.309	85.5	57	N W	Light do	Partially overcast; showery through the night
"	"	9.30 a m	29.561	29.65	55	.376	87	57	N W	Gentle do	Overcast; slight showers
"	"	3.30 p m	29.564	29.66	57	.378	81	56.5	N W	Squally	Overcast; rain
"	"	9.30 p m	29.616	29.70	53	.348	86.5	56.5	N W	Squally	Partially overcast; showers of rain and hail, with thunder
13	2	3.30 a m	29.579	29.70	52	.334	86	56.5	N W	Squally	Overcast; heavy showers

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Dec	Days.		Inches	Inches.	Degrees.	Inches	Deg.	Degrees.			
13		9.30 a m	29.633	29.74	57	.407	87.5	56	N W	Squally	Overcast; showery; rainfall 1 in.
"		3.30 p m	29.651	29.77	59	.439	88	56	N W	Squally	Overcast; showery until 3 p.m.
"		9.30 p m	29.720	29.85	57	.407	87.5	56	N W	Light breeze	Overcast; rain since 8.30
14	3	3.30 a m	29.750	29.86	54	.362	86.5	56	N W	Light do	Overcast; showery
"		9.30 a m	29.759	29.87	60	.456	88	57.5	N	Light do	Overcast
"		3.30 p m	29.725	29.85	64	.465	78	58	N E	Light do	Cumulus 6
"		9.30 p m	29.749	29.85	60	.426	82	58	N E	Light air	Overcast
15	4	3.30 a m	29.692	29.78	57	.378	81	57.5	N E	Light air	Overcast
"		9.30 a m	29.684	29.80	65	.549	89	58	N E	Light breeze	Overcast; rained from 6 to 8.30 a.m.
"		3.30 p m	29.671	29.76	65	.549	89	58	N	Light do	Overcast; slight rain from 1 to 2.30 p.m.
"		9.30 p m	29.640	29.75	61	.473	88	58	N	Light do	Overcast; heavy rain since 9 p.m.
16	5	3.30 a m	29.565	29.65	60	.456	88	58	N E	Light do	Overcast; thick rain
"		9.30 a m	29.595	29.68	65	.549	89	58	N E	Strong do	Overcast; rainfall 1.25 in.
"		3.30 p m	29.585	29.67	66	.569	89	61	N E	Strong do	Overcast
"		9.30 p m	29.546	29.63	62	.491	88.5	59	N E	Light do	Overcast
17	6	3.30 a m	29.531	29.60	61	.473	88	58	N	Strong do	Overcast
"		9.30 a m	29.605	29.68	63	.510	88.5	58	N	Strong do	Overcast; slight showers since 7 a.m.
"		3.30 p m	29.611	29.70	64	.529	89	58	N	Strong do	Overcast; drizzling rain
"		9.30 p m	29.605	29.71	62	.491	88.5	58	N E	Gentle do	Overcast
18	D	3.30 a m	29.551	29.62	62	.491	88.5	58	Calm	...	Overcast
"		9.30 a m	29.540	29.61	63	.478	83	57.5	S W	Gentle breeze	Overcast
"		3.30 p m	29.499	29.60	67	.399	72	66	S W	Gentle do	Cumulus 7
"		9.30 p m	29.535	29.65	57	.378	81	63	S W	Light do	Clear overhead; light banks round the horizon
19	8	3.30 a m	29.586	29.70	54	.308	74	58	S E	Squally	Cumulus 3
"		9.30 a m	29.656	29.78	57	.350	75	57.5	S E	Squally	Cumulus 4
"		3.30 p m	29.683	29.77	68	.476	69.5	59	S E	Strong breeze	Partially clear and hazy
"		9.30 p m	29.758	29.86	53	.269	66.5	58	S E	Strong do	Clear
20	9	3.30 a m	29.785	29.91	51	.270	72	58	S E	Light air	Clear
"		9.30 a m	29.818	29.94	63	.416	72.5	59	S E	Strong gusts	Clear
"		3.30 p m	29.793	29.90	66	.470	73.5	60	S E	Fresh breeze	Clear
"		9.30 p m	29.825	29.96	54	.308	74	58.5	S E	Light do	Clear
21	10	3.30 a m	29.805	29.91	61	.270	72	58	S E	Gentle do	Light stratus 2
"		9.30 a m	29.794	29.93	64	.403	67.5	59.5	S E	Gusts	Clear
"		3.30 p m	29.793	29.91	68	.443	64.5	61	S E	Strong breeze	Clear overhead; heavy clouds round the horizon
"		9.30 p m	29.828	29.97	54	.282	67.5	57	S E	Fresh do	Clear
22	11	3.30 a m	29.847	29.97	52	.282	72.5	57.5	S E	Light do	Clear overhead; heavy clouds round the horizon
"		9.30 a m	29.856	30.01	66	.470	73.5	58.5	S E	Fresh do	Cumulus 5
"		3.30 p m	29.888	30.01	72	.516	70.5	61	S E	Light do	Clear
"		9.30 p m	29.928	30.08	58	.309	64	58	S E	Light air	Clear; a very fine, still night
23	12	3.30 a m	29.965	30.12	51	.296	79	57.5	S W	Light air	Overcast
"		9.30 a m	30.044	30.17	64	.465	78	58	S W	Gentle breeze	Clear
"		3.30 p m	30.038	30.15	68	.443	64.5	61	S W	Light air	Clear
"		9.30 p m	30.016	30.15	5	.322	69	60	S W	Light air	Clear
24	13	3.30 a m	29.962	30.07	54	.308	74	59.5	S W	Light air	Clear
"		9.30 a m	29.903	30.03	69	.529	74.5	58.5	S W	Light breeze	Clear
"		3.30 p m	29.834	29.95	72	.524	67	61	S W	Light do	Clear
"		9.30 p m	29.808	29.94	62	.42	77	60.5	S W	Light do	Clear
25	○	3.30 a m	29.874	30.00	57	.378	81	60	S W	Light do	Clear
"		9.30 a m	29.923	30.05	66	.508	78.5	58	N E	Gentle do	Overcast

25		3.30 p m	29.936	30.05	64	.465	78	59.5	N E	Gentle do	Overcast
"		9.30 p m	29.934	30.08	59	.439	88	58	N	Light do	Overcast
26	15	3.30 a m	29.899	30.02	57	.407	87.5	60	N	Light do	Overcast
"		9.30 a m	29.883	30.02	66	.536	84	60	N E	Gentle do	Overcast
"		3.30 p m	29.894	30.01	62	.491	88.5	59	N W	Light air	Overcast; slight drizzling rain since 2.30
"		9.30 p m	29.948	30.04	56	.391	87	58.5	N W	Light air	Overcast; slight rain
27	16	3.30 a m	29.915	30.03	55	.376	87	58	S W	Light air	Overcast
"		9.30 a m	29.888	30.03	60	.456	88	58	S W	Light breeze	Partially clear
"		3.30 p m	29.888	30.01	61	.354	66	60	S W	Gentle do	Cumulus 2
"		9.30 p m	29.884	29.98	55	.349	80.5	59.5	S W	Gentle do	Overcast
28	17	3.30 a m	29.694	29.79	54	.362	86.5	58.5	S W	Fresh do	Overcast; raining since 10.30 p m.
"		9.30 a m	29.686	29.79	57	.378	81	58.5	S W	Fresh do	Partially overcast; slight showers; rainfall .35 in.
"		3.30 p m	29.709	29.80	60	.456	88	59.5	S W	Fresh do	Cumulus 3; slight showers
"		9.30 p m	29.754	29.86	48	.284	85	59	S W	Fresh do	Cumulus 3 round the horizon; slight showers
29	18	3.30 a m	29.891	29.94	48	.284	85	58	S	Strong do	Overcast; showery
"		9.30 a m	29.928	30.05	53	.348	86.5	57.5	S	Strong do	Partially overcast; showery; rainfall .25 in.
"		3.30 p m	29.924	30.07	57	.378	81	58	S	Strong do	Cumulus 6
"		9.30 p m	29.992	30.15	52	.282	72.5	58	S	Fresh do	Overcast
30	19	3.30 a m	30.008	30.15	47	.273	84.5	57	Calm	...	Partially clear
"		9.30 a m	29.972	30.13	61	.383	71.5	58	S W	Light breeze	Clear
"		3.30 p m	29.973	30.13	60	.396	76.5	60	S W	Strong do	Clear
"		9.30 p m	29.989	30.13	52	.308	79.5	60	Calm	...	Clear
31	20	3.30 a m	29.979	30.11	55	.376	87	60	N	Gentle breeze	Overcast
"	"	9.30 a m	29.972	30.09	65	.516	83.5	58	N W	Fresh do	Overcast
"	"	3.30 p m	29.936	30.06	64	.497	83.5	59	N W	Fresh do	Overcast
"	"	9.30 p m	29.919	30.05	60	.456	88	59	N W	Light do	Overcast

MEANS OF READINGS FOR THE MONTH.

Barometer	29.778
Aneroid Barometer	29.81
Temperature of Air	57
Elastic Force ... ..	.393
Degree of Moisture	82.5
Temperature of Sea	58

WIND.—N W	8 days
N E	5 "
S W	13 "
S E	5 "
RAIN.—Heavy rain	7 "
Showery	4 "

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
Dunedin, 6th October, 1864.

HIS Honor the Superintendent directs the publication of the following documents and observations, taken at the Dunstan Gorge, which is about 90 miles distant from Dunedin, in a straight line, and about 500 feet above the level of the sea.

JAMES PATERSON, Provincial Secretary.

GEOLOGICAL SURVEY OFFICE,
Dunedin, 5th October, 1864.

SIR—I have the honor to enclose a series of Meteorological Observations, for the months of July and August last, taken in the Dunstan Gorge by Mr. James Hacket, Manager of the Pioneer Sluicing Claim, and placed at my disposal for publication.

I remain,
Sir,

Yours obediently,
JAMES HECTOR.

The Provincial Secretary.

THE THERMOMETER IN SHADE, FOR JULY, 1864.

DAY.	No. of Day.	Temp. at 9.30 a.m.	Temp. at 3.30 p.m.	Temp. at 9.30 p.m.	Direction of Wind.	State of Weather during the day.	River Molyneux.			
							Rise.		Fall.	
							Ft.	Ins.	Ft.	Ins.
Friday ..	1	36	45	37	N.W.	Cloudy, little wind				4
Saturday ..	2	34	47	33	N.W.	Dull cloudy day, little wind				4
Sunday ..	3	40	52	39	N.W.	Moderately warm, do				5
Monday ..	4	39	51	42	N.W.	Do. do				5
Tuesday ..	5	32	40	37	S.E.	Cold, snowing on hills				5
Wednes. ..	6	30	38	36	N.W.	Cold				3
Thursday ..	7	37	50	48	N.W.	Cloudy day, snow on hills melting		5		
Friday ..	8	46	60	57	NNW.	Summer's day, sand flies	2	2		
Saturday ..	9	44	65	52	N.W.	Do. do		3		
Sunday ..	10	35	47	42	S.E.	Moderately fine				4
Monday ..	11	33	45	41	S.E.	Cold, very little wind all day				6
Tuesday ..	12	34	49	48	N.E.	Strong wind towards evening				2
Wednes. ..	13	37	44	32	N.W.	Cold cloudy day, evening very cold				7
Thursday ..	14	30	40	29	N.W.	Cold sharp wind				4
Friday ..	15	29	38	30	N.W.	Cold, strong wind in evening				5
Saturday ..	16	30	37	31	N.W.	Cold, wind moderate				4½
Sunday ..	17	29	36	29	N.W.	Cold and very foggy				4
Monday ..	18	29	40	33	N.W.	Do do				3½
Tuesday ..	19	32	40	36	S.E.	Cold, rain and sleet in evening				5½
Wednes. ..	20	31	40	30	S.E.	White frost				3
Thursday ..	21	30	39	32	S.E.	Do				3
Friday ..	22	30	34	30	S.E.	Showers of sleet, very cold				4½
Saturday ..	23	30	42	35	S.E.	Commenced to rain at 8 p.m.				4
Sunday ..	24	31	46	42	N.W.	Moderately fine day				2
Monday ..	25	41	53	44	N.W.	Sand flies—warm day				2
Tuesday ..	26	30	50	34	N.W.	Do do				3
Wednes. ..	27	32	42	34	S.E.	Cloudy, snowing on hills				5
Thursday ..	28	35	44	40	N.W.	Do do do and showery				3
Friday ..	29	38	44	34	S.E.	Do rain and sleet, showery				7
Saturday ..	30	30	40	27	S.E.	Coldest night of the month				6
Sunday ..	31	24	36	29	S.E.	Wind changed at evening to N.W.				6
Means, ..	...	33.4	44.9	36.7						

Mean Temperature in shade for month (excluding observations at 3.30 p.m.).... 35.0 Fah.
Mean Temperature for Dunedin 42.3 Fah.

THE THERMOMETER IN SHADE, FOR AUGUST, 1864.

DAY.	No. of Day.	Temp. at 9.30 a.m.	Temp. at 3.30 p.m.	Temp. at 9.30 a.m.	Direction of Wind.	State of Weather during the day.	River Molyneux.			
							Rise.		Fall.	
							Ft.	Ins.	Ft.	Ins.
Monday ...	1	29	38	29	N.W.	Strong wind towards evening, fine day				4 ¹ / ₂
Tuesday ...	2	38	50	30	S.E.	Do, but cold				3
Wednesday ...	3	39	50	40	N.W.	Warm day				3
Thursday ...	4	40	62	42	N.W.	Strong gales in evening		3		
Friday ...	5	40	55	37	N.W.	Blowing very hard	15	6		
Saturday ...	6	44	61	42	N.W.	Squally, fine day, warm			4	6
Sunday ...	7	46	62	44	N.W.	Fine day, strong wind at night			4	0
Monday ...	8	42	56	36	N.W.	Showery all day, cold in evening				9
Tuesday ...	9	40	53	32	N.W.	Cloudy, little wind				4
Wednesday ...	10	30	46	42	N.W.	White frost, fine day, rain in evening				5
Thursday ...	11	38	49	40	S.E.	Showery in afternoon				6
Friday ...	12	40	57	41	N.W.	Fine day, warm at 12				3
Saturday ...	13	39	60	..	..	Do do				4
Sunday ...	14	32	42	34	S.E.	Cold cloudy day				6
Monday ...	15	32	54	33	N.W.	Warm at mid-day, cold at night				4
Tuesday ...	16	39	50	35	N.W.	Cloudy day, cold wind				3
Wednesday ...	17	37	51	34	N.W.	Cold, snowing on hills				3
Thursday ...	18	35	..	..	S.E.	Rather cold, but warm at mid-day				2
Friday ...	19	33	..	..	N.W.	Warm day				2
Saturday ...	20	30	55	39	S.E.	Very fine and warm day				5
Sunday ...	21	35	59	40	N.W.	Summer's day, little wind				4
Monday ...	22	32	57	40	N.W.	Splendid day, cold night				3
Tuesday ...	23	40	52	42	S.E.	Foggy all day				5
Wednesday ...	24	40	52	40	S.E.	Stormy, very foggy on hills				4
Thursday ...	25	39	55	46	S.E.	Fine day, little wind				4
Friday ...	26	42	46	..	S.E.	Blowing hard, few drops of rain				5
Saturday ...	27	..	..	34	S.E.	Rain and snow, heavy at night				5
Sunday ...	28	43	53	30	S.E.	Squally and cold day				5
Monday ...	29	30	49	29	S.E.	Very cold at night				5
Tuesday ...	30	30	55	40	N.W.	Dull cloudy day				3
Wednesday ...	31	40	53	34	N.W.	Warm summer's day				3
Means, ....	...	37.0	52.0	37.0						

Mean Temperature in shade for month (excluding observations at 3.30 p.m.).... 37.0 Fah.
 Mean Temperature for Dunedin 40.7 Fah.

AUCTIONEERS' LICENSES.

Published in continuation of the List which appears in the Supplement to this "Gazette."

24. Reuben Harris, Queenstown—Certificates signed by John M. Ryan, Andrew Fraser, T. Hallenstein & Co., Arnott & Lewis, Whittingham Brothers, Thomas Brooks.

H. J. MILLER,
 For the Acting Provincial Secretary.

EDUCATIONAL DISTRICT RATES.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of the provisions of the "Education Ordinance 1864," the Education Board, at a Meeting to be held at the Government Office, Dunedin, upon Monday, the 19th day of December 1864, at 12 o'clock noon, will take into consideration the Resolutions and Estimates of the School Committees of the undermentioned Educational Districts respectively relating to the levying of a District School Rate within each of the same for the current year, viz., Dunedin, Wakari, Caversham, Green Island, North Taieri, East Clutha, Port Chalmers, Portobello, North-east Valley, Kaihiku, Lake Waipori, and Blueskin.

JOHN HISLOP, Secretary.

EDUCATIONAL MEETINGS.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in consequence of the qualified Electors within the Educational Districts of Anderson's Bay, Warepa, and Saddlehill respectively having failed to elect a School Committee upon the annual day of election in October 1864, his Honor the Superintendent, in pursuance of the provisions of the "Education Ordinance 1864," has been pleased to fix Friday, the 10th day of January 1865, for the Election of a new School Committee for each of the above-mentioned Districts, at the times and places hereinafter mentioned, viz. :—

At Anderson's Bay, within the School-house, at 7 o'clock p.m.

At Warepa, within the Church of Warepa, at 7 o'clock p.m.

At Saddlehill, within the School-house, at 7 o'clock p.m.

By His Honor's command,
 JOHN HISLOP,
 Secretary of the Education Board.

UNSURVEYED WASTE LANDS OF THE CROWN, PROVINCE OF OTAGO.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following Districts having been triangulated, application for Unsur-

veyed Lands therein will be received at this Office on and after Wednesday, the 4th day of January 1865. Forms of Application may be obtained at this Office.

List of Triangulated Districts.

Otepopo	Kaitangata (between Tokomairiro and Clutha)
Moeraki	Hillend (between the Clutha & Mt. Stuart)
Hawksbury	Waitahuna East
Waikouaiti	Waitahuna West (between the Tuapeka and Waitahuna)
North Harbor & Blueskin (comprises the lands between Dunedin & Waikouaiti)	Warepa (Clutha)
Clarendon (Waihola)	Glenomaru (Catlin's River District)
Maungatua (West Taieri)	
Table Hill (Tokomairiro)	

W. H. CUTTEN,
Chief Commissioner.

Waste Land Board Office,
Dunedin, 2nd December 1864.

DEPASTURING LICENSES WITHIN HUNDREDS.

SETTLERS within the various Hundreds are reminded that Licenses to depasture stock within Hundreds for the ensuing year require to be taken out before the 1st of January next, those Settlers alone being entitled to vote at the election of Wardens for the next year who have supplied themselves with Licenses previous to that date.

W. H. CUTTEN,
Chief Commissioner.

Waste Land Board Office,
Dunedin, 2nd December, 1864.

WEST TAIERI AND HALF-WAY BUSH.

HALF Section No. 38, irregular block, West Taieri, formerly reserved from sale, will be open for application on Monday, the 19th day of December instant; and section No. 61, block V, Dunedin and East Taieri District, Half-way Bush, will be sold by public auction on same day, at 12 o'clock.

W. H. CUTTEN,
Chief Commissioner.

Waste Land Board Office,
Dunedin, 3rd December, 1864.

TENDERS FOR THE SERVICE OF 1865.

GENERAL STORES.

Provincial Treasury,
Dunedin, 5th December, 1864.

TENDERS will be received until noon of Saturday, the 17th instant, from persons willing to furnish the undermentioned Supplies, in such quantities and at such times as may be required by the Provincial Storekeeper, on behalf of the Government, during twelve calendar months, commencing on the 1st January, 1865.

Articles.	Amount of Security.
Bookbinding	.... £100
Ironmongery	.... 200
Forage	.... 100
Fuel	.... 100
Leather and Grindery	.... 100
Plumbers' Materials	.... 100
Paints, Colors, and Glazing	.... 100
Rations—Immigration Department	.... 100
Rations and Medical Comforts, Gaol Department	100
Do. do. Hospital and Lunatic Asylum	.... 200
Sweeping Chimneys and Cleaning Cesspools	50

Schedules of the articles required, and printed forms of Tender, may be obtained from the Provincial Storekeeper, by whom also any information or explanation will be afforded by persons tendering.

Separate Tenders will be received for each schedule, but they must include the whole of the articles therein mentioned, and one price must be stated for each article.

No Tender will be entertained unless accompanied by a certificate from two responsible persons, that they are willing to become bound as sureties in the sum specified as above, for the due fulfilment of the Contract.

The names of the Tenderers and their proposed sureties, together with their addresses, must be stated at full length.

All Tenders must be enclosed in a separate envelope, marked "Tender for" (as the case may be), and be deposited in the Tender Box, at the office of His Honor the Superintendent; or, if sent by post, they must be addressed to His Honor.

The Government will not necessarily accept the lowest or any tender.

CONDITIONS.

1. The supplies are in all cases to be of the *best quality* and description.

2. All orders for Supplies, except Rations and Medical Comforts, under these Contracts must issue from the Provincial Storekeeper, and are to be delivered free of any charge to any part of Dunedin or Port Chalmers as directed.

3. The Contracts entered into under this notice are not to be considered infringed or vitiated by the importation of Stores by the Government. When desirable, raw material will be ordered for the manufacture in the Penal Establishment of articles required by the Provincial Storekeeper.

4. All supplies, when delivered, must be accompanied by the order, which will be receipted by the Officer taking delivery, and the order thus receipted must be rendered with the account. No accounts will be passed for payment by the Storekeeper unless accompanied by the order. The accounts are to be presented to the Storekeeper as soon as possible after the goods have been delivered.

5. In the event of Supplies ordered under these Contracts not being immediately delivered, should circumstances require it they will be purchased elsewhere at the risk of the Contractor.

6. Such article or articles as are obviously of inferior quality will be rejected, and the Contractor must take back the rejected articles and supply good in its stead, failing which it will be procured elsewhere at his risk.

7. A repetition of irregularity in the quantity or quality of the supplies, or of delay in replacing or delivering them when required, will subject the Contractor to the cancellation of his Contract.

8. It will be competent, either for the Contractor on his own behalf, or for the Provincial Storekeeper on behalf of the Government, to terminate the Contract, by giving notice (in writing) of three full calendar months to the opposite party, it being understood that such notice can be given only from the first day of a month, and within the period for which the Contract is made.

H. J. MILLER,
For Provincial Treasurer.

LIST OF PERSONS applying for Relief under the "Debtors and Creditors Act, 1862."

- Frank Alfred Orbell, of Dunedin, Otago, Stockowner.
Francis Walter Scott, of Invercargill, Southland, Gentleman.
Alfred Boxall, of Invercargill, Southland, Storekeeper and Lighterman.

ROBERT CHAPMAN,
Supreme Court Office, Registrar.
Dunedin, 6th December, 1864.