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MEETING OF THE PROVINCIAL COUNCIL.

PROCLAMATION.

By His Honor JAMES MACANDREW, Esquire, Superintendent of the Province of Otago.

IN pursuance of the power and authority vested in me in that behalf, I do hereby Fix and Proclaim that the twenty-fourth Session of the Provincial Council of the Province of Otago shall be holden within the Provincial Council Hall, Dunedin, in the said Province, and shall commence upon Wednesday, the eighth day of April next, at twelve o'clock noon; and the Members of the said Council are hereby warned to give their attendance at such time and place accordingly.

Given under my hand, and issued under the Public (L.S.) Seal of the Province of Otago, at Dunedin, this twenty-sixth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight.

JAMES MACANDREW,

Superintendent of the Province of Otago.

By His Honor's command,

JULIUS VOGEL,
Provincial Secretary.

A PROCLAMATION

By His Honor JAMES MACANDREW, Esquire, Superintendent of the Province of Otago.

WHEREAS by the "Otago Dock Trust Ordinance, 1865," certain persons in the second section of the said Ordinance named (including amongst others the Resident Magistrate at Port Chalmers for the time being,) and all such other persons as should be thereafter appointed Members, under the provisions of the said Ordinance, and their successors, were constituted a Corporate Body, in fact and in law, by the name and style of the "Otago Dock Board": And whereas, by the third section of the said Ordinance it is provided that "As often as any person so appointed should die, resign, become incapable to act, be removed, suspended, or absent from the said Province for the space of six consecutive calendar months, it should be lawful for the

said Superintendent to appoint, by Proclamation in the *Otago Provincial Government Gazette*, either permanently or temporarily, as occasion might require, another or other fit and proper person or persons, to be a Trustee or Trustees in the room or stead of the Trustee or Trustees so dying, resigning, becoming incapable, being suspended, removed or absent, as aforesaid: And whereas there has for more than six months last past been no Resident Magistrate at Port Chalmers, and there is at the present time no Resident Magistrate there: And whereas Alexander McKinnon, of Port Chalmers, Shipowner, one of the persons named in the said second section of the said Ordinance, and thereby appointed a member of the Otago Dock Board, has resigned, and it is expedient to appoint other Trustees in the room or stead of the Resident Magistrate at Port Chalmers, and of the said Alexander McKinnon:

Now therefore, I, James Macandrew, Esq., Superintendent of the Province of Otago, do hereby appoint, permanently,

DANIEL ROLFE, Esquire, Mayor of Port Chalmers,
and

THOMAS TAYLER, Esquire, M.P.C.,

as and to be Trustees in the room or stead of the Resident Magistrate at Port Chalmers, and of the said Alexander McKinnon.

Given under my hand, and issued under the (L.S.) Public Seal of the Province of Otago, this first day of April, one thousand, eight hundred and sixty-eight.

JAMES MACANDREW,
Superintendent.

Land and Works Office,
Dunedin, 1st April, 1868.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Applications made by
Thomas Patterson, City of Sydney Mining Company, for section 8, block II, Skipper's Creek;
Terence Cummings, Inniskillen Sluicing Company, for 6 acres of land situate at Cummings' terrace, Maori Point, Queenstown district;

Peter Lorenzen, Advance Company, for 10 acres of land on north side of Miller's Lease, Londonderry terrace, Queenstown district ;

William Fuller, Sawyers' Reef Quartz Mining Company, for section 4, block 10, Skipper's Creek, Queenstown district ;

Andrew Southberg, Victorian Sluicing Company, for section 9, block 11, Shotover, Queenstown district ;

Thomas Brown, Manuherikia Ground Sluicing Company, for 10 acres of land, Lower Manuherikia ; for gold mining purposes, have been withdrawn, and the said land is open for occupation by holders of miner's rights.

GEORGE DUNCAN,
Secretary for Land and Works.

Land and Works Office,
Dunedin, 1st April, 1868.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Applications of

James Smith and party, for section 1, Whitecomb district, Potter's, No. 2 ;

Alexander Carnie, for 5 acres of land on north-west side of Winding Creek, Pig Hunter's Point, Nokomai ; for gold mining purposes, have been disallowed by the Government, and the said land is open for occupation by holders of miner's rights.

GEO. DUNCAN,
Secretary for Land and Works.

Native Lands Court Office,
Auckland, March 17, 1868.

WHEREAS by the Native Lands Act, 1867, it is amongst other things provided that in any case where, under the said Act (the Native Lands Act, 1867), the Court would not have had jurisdiction, it shall be competent to the said Court to inquire into and determine any question affecting the sub-division of, or any title to or interest in, any native reserve, which may be referred to it by the Governor: And whereas the Governor, by a warrant under his hand, dated the 24th day of February last, did refer to the Native Lands Court to determine who are the natives interested in the reserve hereunder described, and to order the sub-division of the same amongst those natives who may be so interested, in such manner as to the said Court shall seem fit, and to order certificates to be issued according to the plan of such sub-division, in such or like manner as is provided in the 17th section of the "Native Lands Act, 1867."

Now notice is hereby given, that at the sitting of this Court, to be held at Dunedin on the 27th of April next and following days, will be heard and determined the matter referred as aforesaid.

(L.S.)

A. J. DICKEY,
Chief Clerk.

SCHEDULE.

All that piece of land, situate at the eastern extremity of the Otago Peninsula, bounded on the west by the Portobello District, on the east partly by the Pilot Station and partly by the ocean, and on the north by the waters of the Lower Harbour of Otago.

Kooti Whakawa Whenua Maori,
Akarana, 17 Maehe, 1868.

NOTEMEA, i runga i nga ritenga o "Te Ture mo nga whenua Maori, 1867," kua oti te whakarite i roto i era atu mea ki te mea ka puta ake tetahi mea ekore nei e taea e te Kooti i runga i nga ritenga o taua Ture nei ("Ture mo nga whenua Maori, 1867"), hei tika kia taea e te Kooti te kimi te tikanga te whakaoti marire nga taha Katoa e whai panga ana ki te wehe wehe nga o tetahi whenua, nga take whenua ranei, urunga ranei ki roto ki tetahi whenua Rahui e tukuna atu ana e te Kawana ki te Kooti.

Na no te mea, ko te Kawana, ma tetahi Warati he mea tuku atu i raro i tona ringa i te 240 nga ra o Peputere kua ahure nei kua tukua mai nei ki te Kooti

mo nga whenua Maori kia kimihia e taua Kooti, ko wai ma ranei nga tangata Maori e whai tikanga ana ki tenei whenua Rahui e tchutohungia nei, a kia whakaritea e te Kooti kia wehewehea taua Rahui nei ki nga tangata e kitea te ratou tika ki taua whenua ki ta te Kooti e kite ai he tika ; a kia whakaritea e te Kooti kia whakaputaina atu he pukapuka whakatuturu take i runga i nga ritenga o taua wehewehea nga, i runga i nga ritenga hoki kua takoto ki te tekau ma whitu o nga rarangi o te "Ture mo nga whenua Maori, 1867."

Na, he Panuitanga tenei kia mohiotia ai, kei te nohoanga o tenei Kooti ki Dunedin, Otakou, a te 27 o Aperira, 1868, te whakarongona ai te kimihia ai ano hoki aua mea kua tukua mai nei, pera me nga korero ki runga ake nei.

(L.S.)

NA TIKI,
Tino Kai tuhi tuhi.

KUPU APITI.

Ko taua whenua katou i te pito whaka te Rawhiti o te Rae o Otakou. Ko te rohe ki te Hauauru, ko te Takiwa o Portobello ; ko to te Rawhiti, ko te whenua o te Pairata me te moana ; ko to te Tonga me te Tonga Rawhiti, ko te Moana ; ko to Raro ko te tai o te kokorutanga ki waho o Otakou.

HIS HONOR THE SUPERINTENDENT directs it to be notified that he has appointed the following members of the Constabulary force to be Deputy Registrars of Cattle and Sheep for the districts mentioned after their respective names :—

Mounted Constable John King	— Blueskin district
Mounted Constable James Carter	— West Taieri do
Sergt.-Major Samuel Moore	— Waikouaiti do
Sergeant Robert Bullen	— Oamaru do
Sergeant Frederick Mallard	— Port Chalmers do
Mounted Con. Thos. Meredith Smith	— Tuapeka do
Mounted Constable Hugh Black	— Do do
Mounted Constable John Dunne	— Do do
Mounted Constable Thos. M'Gunn	— Queenstown do
Constable Michael Hunt	— Do do
Sergeant Francis Bullen	— Switzer's do
Sergeant Andrew Thompson	— Clyde do
Sergeant Thomas Neil	— Do do
Sergeant William Cobden	— Molyneux do
Constable Joseph Albert	— Do do
Constable George Cruickshank	— Mount Benger do
Sergeant Adam John M'Cluskey	— Black's do
Constable John Morton	— Do do
Sergeant John M'Nally	— Mount Ida do
Constable Patrick Finnegan	— Do do
Constable John Rooney	— Do do

JULIUS VOGEL,
Provincial Secretary.

25th March, 1868.

HIS HONOR THE SUPERINTENDENT directs it to be notified that he has appointed MR. GEORGE BARTHOLOMEW MITCHELL, to be acting Harbor Master at Port Molyneux, without salary.

JULIUS VOGEL,
Provincial Secretary.

March, 26th, 1868.

HIS HONOR THE SUPERINTENDENT directs it to be notified, that he has appointed the following members of the Police force to be Inspectors of slaughter yards, and of cattle intended for slaughter, within the district mentioned below after their names.

Mounted Constable Thomas Meredith Smith, No. 422, and

Mounted Constable Hugh Black, No. 507, both for the Tuapeka district, *vice* Purdie transferred.

Mounted Constable George Bartholomew Purdie, No. 350, for the East Taieri district, *vice* Black transferred.

JULIUS VOGEL,
Provincial Secretary.

March, 26th, 1868.

NOTICE.

OTAGO DOCK BOARD.

HIS HONOR THE SUPERINTENDENT directs it to be notified that he has accepted the resignation of **ALEXANDER M'KINNON**, of Port Chalmers, Shipowner, as a Trustee under the "Otago Dock Trust Ordinance, 1865."

JOHN LOGAN,
Secretary to the Superintendent.
Superintendent's Office,
1st April, 1868.

NOTICE is hereby given that **WALTER BELL**, of Dunedin, in the Province of Otago, New Zealand, Timber Merchant, has this day filed a declaration of Insolvency, under the provisions of "The Bankruptcy Act, 1867," in the Supreme Court of New Zealand, Otago and Southland District.

Dated this 27th March, 1868.

GEORGE COOK, Dunedin,
Solicitor for the said Walter Bell.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Dunedin, 26th March, 1868.

THE services of the undermentioned gentlemen, who were appointed Honorary Inspectors of Cattle under "The Diseased Cattle Act, 1861," and "The Diseased Cattle Act Amendment Act, 1865," being no longer required, His Honor the Superintendent has, with the advice and consent of his Executive Council, decided to remove them from office.

JULIUS VOGEL,
Provincial Secretary.

NAME.	DISTRICT.
Thomas Murray	Glenore
George Cameron	Tokomairiro
Walter Haynes	"
Thomas Lee	Lawrence
Peter Robertson	"
Adam Landells	Tokomairiro
John Sutherland	"
John Treeweek	"
William Black	"
James E. Brown	"
John L. Gillies	"
William Popplewell	"
James Smith	"
Walter Miller	Glenore
James Smith	Dunedin
J. G. Douglas	"
Donald Bruce	Clutha
Gerrard Spooner	"
Gilbert Buchanan	North Taieri
George Turnbull	"
Robert Gibson	"
Robert Buist	Waikouaiti
Clements M. Orbell	"
Thomas Jones	"
George Thomson	Dunedin
James Gow	East Taieri
George Shand	"
James Cullen	"
William Stephenson	"
Andrew Todd	"
Thomas Henderson	Otepopo
Frederick Wayne	Waihemo
N. J. B. M'Grigor	Silverstream
Peter Calder	Taieri Ferry
Alexander Mollison	Waihola
Horace L. Squires	Tuturau
Finlay M'Kay	"
Robert Shanks	"
William Grey	Waihola
William Duff	"
Arthur Gerrard	"
— Charters	"

William Jaffray ... Saddle Hill
Alexander Ayson ... Warepa
Frederick Jeffcoat ...
John Williamson ...

PROVINCIAL COUNCIL.

MR. SPEAKER directs it to be notified that he has appointed

WILLIAM HENRY VALPY, ESQ.,
to be Sergeant-at-arms, in the room of Sergeant Major Moore. Appointment to take effect from the first day of April, 1868.

CHARLES SMITH,
Clerk of Council.

Provincial Council Chambers,
March, 31, 1868.

SALE OF CROWN LANDS of Special Value in Waitahuna East, North Tuakitoto and Otepopo Districts, under the 64th Clause of the Otago Waste Land Act, 1866.—Notice is hereby given that the following Allotments of land in the above Districts, will be offered for sale by Public Auction, at Upset Prices, as under, in the Auction Rooms of Messrs. Driver, M'Lean and Co., on Tuesday, the 5th day of May next, at 12 o'clock, noon.

Waitahuna East District, Block 5.

Section	Area	Upset Price
22,	49a. 0r.	0p.; upset price, 25s. per acre.
" 24,	48 2 8	" "
" 31,	51 2 3	" "
" 27,	56 3 36	" "
" 14,	49 3 37	" "
" 18,	47 1 19	" "
" 30,	49 2 37	" "

North Tuakitoto District.—30s. per acre.

Section	Area	Upset Price
Section 5, east of Main Road, Block VIII,	34a. 2r.	0p.
" 6,	" "	30a. 1r. 25p.
" 7,	" "	20a. 2r. 38p.
" 8,	" "	14a. 2r. 12p.
" 9,	" "	12a. 3r. 20p.
pt-of " 3,	" X	9a. 2r. 10p.

Otepopo District.—25s. per acre.

Section	Area	Upset Price
Section 102, Block V,	19a. 1r.	3p.;
Section 39, Block VIII,	32a. 1r.	5p. ; bush land.
" 40,	" 36a.	1r. 9p. "
" 41,	" 31a.	3r. 31p. "
" 57,	" 45a.	1r. 7p. "
" 58,	" 49a.	2r. 31p. "
" 59,	" 44a.	2r. 17p. "

W. H. CUTTEN,
Chief Commissioner.

Waste Land Board Office,
Dunedin, 31st March, 1868.

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

In the matter of **MARK CHARLES GATCHELL**, of South Tokomairiro, in the Province of Otago, farmer, a debtor, and in the matter of the Bankruptcy Act, 1867.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a Public Sitting of the Supreme Court has been appointed to take place on Monday, the fourth day of May next, for the above-named bankrupt to pass his last examination, and to make application for his discharge.

Dated this eleventh day of March, 1868.

HAGGITT AND HAGGITT,
Solicitors for the Bankrupt.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that **OLIVER LUCAS**, of Dunedin, carpenter, has filed a declaration of Insolvency in the Supreme Court at Dunedin.

HENRY SMYTHIES,
Solicitor to the Declarant.

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

In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of "The Bankruptcy Act, 1867,"

IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED to all to whom it may concern, that **WILLIAM ANDERSON** and **ANDREW ANDERSON**, both of Waitati, Blueskin, in the Province of Otago, carrying on business as Licensed Victuallers and Farmers, in Co-partnership, under the style or firm of "W. and A. Anderson," have, this day, caused to be filed in the Office of the Registrar of the said Court, at Dunedin, a declaration of their Insolvency.

Dated this 31st day of March, 1868.

KENYON AND MADDOCK,
Princes street, Dunedin,

Solicitors for the said William Anderson, and
17/ Andrew Anderson.

In the Supreme Court of New Zealand, }
Otago and Southland district. }

In the matter of a Deed of Arrangement made by **JOHN HYDE HARRIS**, of Dunedin, in the Province of Otago, New Zealand, Gentleman, for the benefit of all his creditors, and in the matter of the "Bankruptcy Act, 1867,"

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in pursuance of the provisions of the said Act, that a Deed bearing date, and executed upon, the 31st day of March, A.D. 1868, made between the said John Hyde Harris of the first part, Henry Driver, George Turnbull, and Edward Bowes Cargill (therein described) of the second part, and All and Singular the creditors of him, the said John Hyde Harris, of the third part (whereby the said John Hyde Harris conveyed and assigned unto the said Henry Driver, George Turnbull, and Edward Bowes Cargill, all the real and personal estate and effects of him, the said John Hyde Harris, for sale, conversion, and distribution among the creditors of the said John Hyde Harris) has this day been filed in the office of the Supreme Court, Dunedin.

And notice is also given that the said Deed is intended to operate, and take effect as a Deed of Arrangement executed in pursuance of and conformity with the provisions of the "Bankruptcy Act, 1867."

Dated at Dunedin this 1st day of April, A.D. 1868.

JAMES MACASSEY,
Princes-street, Dunedin,
30s. Solicitor for the said J. H. Harris.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—The Partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned Isaac Wright and Thomas Carpenter, storekeepers, of Cromwell, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

All debts due to the firm must be paid in to Isaac Wright, and all accounts against the firm will be settled by the said Isaac Wright.

ISAAC WRIGHT,
THOMAS CARPENTER.

Witnesses :

James Hazlett.

David M'Connochie.

Cromwell, March, 18th, 1868.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—The partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned, trading and known under the style of the Alexandra Dredging Co., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, the affairs of the said Company being wound up. All claims against said Company, and all debts due to same, will be received or paid by Mr. Edward Halliday, of Alexandra. Claims must be rendered before the 30th April next.

EDWARD HALLIDAY,
JOHN M'KENZIE,
PATRICK BRENNAN.

Witness—**HENRY JOHN COPE.**

Dated, March 13th, 1868.

3t. 22/6.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—Notice is hereby given that the Partnership which existed between the undersigned John Richard Jones and MacLeod Clement Orbell, lately carrying on business as Sheep Farmers, in the Province of Otago, under the style of Jones and Orbell, was dissolved by mutual consent on the twenty-first day of February, 1868. All debts due to and by the late firm will be received and paid by the said MacLeod Clement Orbell.

J. R. JONES,
M. C. ORBELL.

Witness to the signatures of John }
Richard Jones, and MacLeod }
Clement Orbell, }

25/6 3t.

EDWARD ORBELL.

(From the *New Zealand Gazette*, March, 9. No. 14.)

Postmaster-General's Office,
Wellington, 7th March, 1868.

IN addition to the Instructions published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 1st day of May, 1867, the following Instructions are published for the guidance of Customs Officers, Magistrates, and others in conducting Investigations under "The Inquiry into Wrecks Act, 1863."

J. L. C. RICHARDSON,
(in the absence of the Postmaster-General.)

1. Where any investigation is likely to affect the character of an engineer of a steamer, one or more Engineering Assessors should be appointed. (Merchant Shipping Act Amendment Act, 1862," section 23, sub-section 5.)

2. When questions involve nautical or engineering skill, more than one Assessor may be appointed. (Same section and sub-section as above.)

3. The power of suspending or cancelling certificates, either of Masters, Mates, or Engineers, is vested in the Court by which the case is investigated, and that Court must consequently decide that the certificate in question shall be suspended for a given time, or cancelled, as the case may be, and state such decision in open Court; any mere recommendation that the certificate be suspended or cancelled is not legal. ("Merchant Shipping Act Amendment Act, 1862," section 23, sub-sections 1 and 3.)

(From the *New Zealand Gazette*, March 19, 1868. No. 15.)

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority in this behalf enabling me, I, Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby fix and appoint that Sittings of the District Court of the Otago Gold Fields, additional to those already appointed, shall be held as follows:—

In the Resident Magistrate's Court at Lawrence:—
On the second Tuesday in June, and the second Tuesday in August next.

In the Resident Magistrate's Court at Naseby:—
On the second Wednesday in July, and the second Wednesday in September next.

In the Resident Magistrate's Court at Clyde:—On the Monday next after the second Wednesday in July, and the Monday next after the second Wednesday in September next.

In the Resident Magistrate's Court at Queens-town:—On the Monday after the second Wednesday in July, and the Monday second after the second Wednesday in September next.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this ninth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight.

J. C. RICHMOND.

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