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JAMES MACANDREW,  
Superintendent of  
the Province of  
Otago.

### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Provincial Government Buildings, Dunedin, the  
15th day of April, one thousand eight  
hundred and sixty-eight.

Present :

His Honor the Superintendent ;  
The Provincial Secretary and Treasurer ;  
The Secretary of Land and Works ;  
Arthur John Burns ; and  
John Hughes, Esquires,  
Members of the Executive Council of the Province  
of Otago.

**W**HEREAS Thomas Dick, Esquire, then Superintendent of the Province of Otago, by virtue and in exercise of the powers delegated to and vested in him in that behalf, did, by Proclamation in the *Government Gazette* of the said Province, bearing date twenty-ninth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven, constitute and appoint all the territory therein described to be a Gold Field, under the provisions of the "Gold Fields Act, 1866," to be called "Otago Gold Field." And whereas by "The Gold Fields Act Amendment Act, 1867," it is enacted that within any Province in which by any Act or Ordinance, it is provided that the Superintendent shall, in the administration of the Government thereof, act by and with the advice and consent of an Executive Council, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, under his hand, and under the Public Seal of the Colony, from time to time as occasion may require, to delegate to the Executive Government for the time being of such Province, subject or not to any restrictions or limitations as he shall think fit, all or any of such powers vested in the Governor or the Governor in Council by the "Gold Fields Act, 1866," as under or by virtue of the one hundred and ninth section of the said Act may be delegated by the Governor in Council, and in like manner to revoke any such delegation : And whereas by an Ordinance of the Superintendent and Provincial Council of the Province of Otago, intituled the "Executive Council Ordinance, 1861," it is provided that the Superintendent of the said Province shall, in the administration of the government thereof, act by and with the advice and consent of an Executive Council : And whereas the Governor hath, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of New Zealand, and in pursuance of the power and authority for that purpose vested in him by the "Gold Fields Act, 1866," and subject to its provisions, delegated unto the Executive Government for the time being of the Province of Otago all such powers vested in the Governor or the Governor in Council by the said last-mentioned Act, as under or by virtue of the one hundred and ninth section of the said last-mentioned Act may be delegated by the Governor in Council, to have, hold and exercise the said powers within the said Province of Otago : And whereas by clause XI of the "Gold Fields Act, 1866," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, subject to the provisions of the said Act, from time to time to make Regulations for any Gold Field, and to alter, amend, or revoke the same, Rules and Regulations have from time to time been made under the provisions of section 14 of the "Gold Fields Act, 1862," and preserved as Rules and Regulations under the "Gold Fields Act, 1866," by the 113th section of the said last mentioned Act, until annulled or revoked : And whereas the said Rules and Regulations so made as aforesaid have not been annulled or revoked under the said "Gold Field Act, 1866," but are still in force on the Otago Gold Fields : And whereas it is expedient to revoke the said Rules and Regulations, so made as aforesaid, and to make other Regulations in lieu thereof :

Now, therefore, His Honor James Macandrew, Esq., Superintendent of the Province of Otago, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Province, and by virtue and in exercise of the powers delegated to the Executive Government of the said Province of Otago in this behalf, doth hereby order that all rules and regulations whatsoever, made under the provisions of the said 14th Section of the said "Gold Fields Act, 1862," and now in force on the Otago Gold Field, under the provisions of the 113th Section of the "Gold Fields Act, 1866," shall, from and after the first day of May, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, be annulled and revoked, and

doth hereby make the Regulations following in lieu thereof:—

## REGULATIONS.

### I.—PRELIMINARY REGULATIONS.

#### 1. Interpretation.

In the construction and for the purposes of these Regulations, the following terms shall, if not inconsistent with the context or subject matter, have the respective meanings hereby assigned to them (that is to say)—

The word "Warden" shall include Warden and Assessors.

The word "person" shall mean the holder of a Miner's Right.

The word "claim" shall mean the portion of land which the holder of a Miner's Right or of a Business License shall be entitled to mine in or occupy, or any share or interest in any claim held or granted under these Regulations.

The words "ground-slucice" shall mean a race constructed for the purpose of saving gold.

The words "block-claim" shall mean the area held jointly by the members of any party of miners.

The words "tail-race" shall mean a race constructed for the purpose of drainage or for the discharge of tailings.

The words "new gold workings" shall mean ground previously unworked.

Words importing the singular number shall include the plural number; and words importing the plural number shall include the singular number; and words importing the masculine gender shall include the feminine gender.

#### 1. The Miner's Right.

Every person residing on a Gold Field and engaged in mining for gold, shall take out a Miner's Right; such Miner's Right to be produced for inspection when demanded by the Warden or other officer, or by any person duly authorised in that behalf in writing by the Warden.

#### 3. Miner's Right to be signed by Warden.

Every Miner's Right shall, before the issue thereof, be signed by some Warden acting within the Province of Otago.

### II.—ORDINARY CLAIMS.

#### 2. Classification.

Ordinary claims shall include all claims except prospecting claims, extended claims, dredging claims, and quartz claims.

#### 2. Size of Claims.

An ordinary Claim shall not exceed 100 feet by 100 feet for each holder of a Miner's Right.

#### 3. Claims to be marked.

Every ordinary claim shall be marked by pegs standing at least two feet above the surface of the ground, or by —| trenches at each corner thereof. River claims shall be marked by pegs as before specified, or by A marks not less than one foot in length, to be cut upon the rocks above high flood mark. Quartz claims, extended claims, and prospecting claims shall be marked by pegs or trenches along the boundaries at intervals of not exceeding 100 feet, and by pegs not less than two (2) feet high by two (2) inches in diameter, or by —| trenches at each corner; and such pegs, trenches, or marks shall be maintained during the occupancy of the ground; provided that when any corner cannot be marked, on account of the nature of the ground, the peg, trench, or mark may be placed at the nearest practicable point, and from and after the time of such claim being so marked it shall be the property of the persons so marking the same, unless it shall subsequently become forfeited, or shall be, within the meaning of these regulations, abandoned.

#### 4. Form of Ordinary Claims.

An ordinary claim may be of any form, provided that no block-claim shall exceed in length twice the breadth thereof; but unoccupied spare ground that

may be situated between two or more claims, may be taken up irrespective of length or breadth.

### III.—QUARTZ CLAIMS.

#### 1. Size of Claim.

A quartz claim shall not exceed 100 feet in length along the course of the lode or vein, by a width not exceeding 100 feet upon each side of the course, for each holder of a Miner's Right.

#### 2. Discovery of New Workings.

The discoverer of new quartz workings shall be entitled, at any time within three months after recording the discovery with the Warden, to re-adjust his boundary, so as to take up his claim along the course of the lode, measuring the same from one of his original pegs; and other claims may be taken up in accordance therewith, according to priority of registration, and of the marking of such claims.

#### 3. Re-adjustment of Boundaries.

Any person neglecting to re-adjust his boundaries within seven (7) days after the original claim has been re-adjusted, shall not thereafter be entitled to do so unless the ground shall be unoccupied.

#### 4. Registration of Claims.

No person shall be entitled to take advantage of the permission to re-adjust his boundaries unless he shall have properly marked his claim, and registered the same with the Warden.

#### 5. Conditions.

Quartz claims shall be subject to the same conditions as ordinary claims under Regulation XXI, provided that no person shall be entitled to take possession of any quartz claim upon which valuable plant has been placed or laid down, without first making application to the Warden.

### IV.—DREDGING CLAIMS.

#### 1. Size of Claims.

In dredging claims each holder of a Miner's Right shall be entitled to an area of 100 feet along the course of the river or stream, but in no case shall an area exceeding 800 feet in length along the course of the stream be held by any one company.

### V.—FRONTAGE CLAIMS.

#### 1. Marking Frontage Claims.

Any person taking up a claim on a river bank, or on a lake bank, or terrace, shall be entitled (subject to the registration of such claim with the Warden) to hold an area having 100 feet frontage along such river-bank, lake-bank, or terrace, by a depth not exceeding 1000 yards, until such time as he shall reach workable gold deposits, and thereafter he shall be restricted to an area within the same parallels not exceeding the area of that class of claims to which the same shall be adjudged to belong.

### VI.—EXTENDED CLAIMS.

#### 1. Area.

Upon receiving sufficient proof that any portion of a district has been fairly tested, and is either wholly or for the greater part of an inferior character as regards the value of its gold deposits, the Warden shall give public notification that it may be occupied by holders of miner's rights, in claims of the undermentioned size, viz. :—

One (1) acre for each holder of a miner's right, provided that no block claim shall comprise more than six (6) acres altogether.

#### 2. Notice to be given.

Notice shall be given to the Warden, in writing, and in the following form; and copies of such notice shall be posted and maintained for fourteen (14) days on some conspicuous part of the claim.

#### FORM OF NOTICE.

District and date.

To the Warden at

I hereby give notice that I have this day marked out

[here state the area and exact locality] under sec. 1, Reg. VI., of the Goldfields Rules and Regulations. Any person desiring to object to the same, must, within fourteen (14) days from the date hereof, lodge his objection in the Warden's office at

Name.....  
No of Miner's Right.....  
Date of Right.....  
Residence.....

### 3. Survey how to be made.

Should the applicant for, or holder of an extended claim desire the same to be surveyed, the Warden may, upon such applicant or holder making a deposit of £2, direct such survey to be made by any competent person; and should any person other than the applicant or holder desire a survey to be made on the grounds that the applicant or holder claims, or holds an excess of area, such person shall make the necessary deposit, and the Warden shall direct such survey to be made at the cost of such person. Provided that, should the applicant or holder be found to have claimed or taken possession of a greater area than he is entitled to under this Regulation, the Warden may order such applicant or holder to repay the cost of the survey, or such part thereof as may seem just.

### 4. Extended Claims to be Registered.

If no valid objection be offered, the Warden shall, upon hearing the application, issue a Certificate of Registration for an "Extended Claim," specifying therein the area granted, and the exact position of the same.

### 5. Forfeiture.

If at any time the requisite number of holders of Miners' Rights shall not be employed or occupied upon any such "Extended Claim," the Warden may, upon proof thereof being produced before him, in the presence of all parties interested, cancel the Certificate of Registration, either in the whole or in part, as may be equitable: Provided always that a monetary penalty may be imposed in lieu of forfeiture, as set forth in section 115 of the "Gold Fields Act, 1866."

## VII.—DRAINAGE OF CLAIMS.

### 1. Compensation received for draining ground.

When any person shall drain any ground by any means whatever, such person shall be entitled to receive compensation from the holders of all claims benefited by such drainage.

### 2. Warden to fix amount of compensation.

If any person shall apply for compensation under the preceding clause, the matter shall be dealt with by the Warden, who shall fix the amount of compensation to be paid by the person so benefited, and may order such compensation to be paid by instalments, weekly or otherwise, by way of rental, during such time as the benefit lasts, and the said amount may in like manner be readjusted from time to time as the Warden may deem necessary: Provided that should either party demand to have the case tried by arbitration, it may be determined in that manner.

### 3. Forfeiture of claim.

If the owner of any claim shall neglect or refuse to bale his fair proportion of water during the day, or night if necessary, such claim shall be liable to forfeiture.

### 4. Damage done to adjoining claims.

Claimholders within three claims of any claim in which water has been struck, neglecting or refusing, when requested by the holders of adjoining claims, to bale their fair proportion of water, shall be liable for any injury done thereby to adjoining claimholders.

### 5. Right to take prospecting claim.

The owners of any tunnel, drive, ground-slucice, or tail-race, shall be entitled to take up a prospecting claim, subject to the rules and regulations affecting the same, on any auriferous lead or discovery made during the prosecution of any such work.

## VIII.—PROSPECTING.

### 8. Discovery to be reported.

Any person obtaining new gold workings, and being desirous of obtaining an increased area thereon, must immediately report such discovery, with full particulars thereof, to the Warden, either verbally or in writing, and the Warden shall thereupon record the date and other particulars of such report.

### 2. Area.

The discoverer of new gold workings, distant from any previously discovered workings not less than one mile, shall be entitled to a double claim; over two (2) miles, to a treble claim; and over five (5) miles, to a quadruple claim, provided that the increased grant shall not be given to more than six persons composing any party: Provided also, that should it be proved that the discoverer failed to report the discovery of such gold workings for a period exceeding seven (7) days, he shall thereon forfeit all right to an increased area.

### 3. Notices to be posted by the Warden.

Notices of all prospecting claims granted, with full particulars of locality, yield of gold, and description of workings, shall be posted by the Warden on the outside of his office for public information.

## IX.—PROTECTION TO SLEEPING SHAREHOLDERS.

### 1. Claims taken up on Capital Advanced.

In case any person shall desire to take up a claim requiring the assistance of capital to develop the same, he shall be entitled to occupy and hold an additional area for the term hereinafter specified on behalf of any person willing to advance the required capital. Provided that in such case it shall be necessary to give notice to the Warden specifying the time for which he shall require to hold such area, and a copy of such notice shall be posted on the ground for seven days prior to the granting of the same, and the Warden shall hear and deal with any objection to the granting of such area.

### 2. Agreement to be signed.

Before the Warden shall receive any notice under section 1, an agreement shall be drawn up and signed by each shareholder, specifying the share and interest of each individual of the party, and a copy of such agreement shall be registered in the office of the Warden for the information of the public.

### 3. Protection during preliminary operations.

Subject to the provisions of sections 1 and 2, holders of Miners' Rights, whilst engaged in opening up a claim, or in preliminary operations in connection therewith, shall not be required to place more than one-half the full number of men otherwise required by these Regulations on such claim.

### 4. Full number—when to be employed.

Upon the expiration of the time specified for holding any claim under the foregoing sections, the full number of men required by the Regulations shall be put on to work in such claim, but the Warden may upon application to him made in the same way as the original application and upon sufficient cause shown, extend the time originally granted.

## X.—WATER RIGHTS AND RACES.

### 1. Races to be registered.

Every race hereafter to be constructed or which shall have been constructed prior to the proclamation of these rules and regulations must be registered with the Warden, as provided by sub-section 1, section XXI of the Goldfields Act 1866, that is to say,—

Any person intending to divert and use water for mining purposes by means of any water race to be constructed upon Crown Lands, under authority of these Regulations, shall give notice thereof in writing to the Warden of the Goldfields district in which such water race is intended to be constructed, and to any person whose interests may be affected by the diversion of such water, as well as to the owner or occupier of any land through which

it is proposed to carry such water race, and such notice shall be in the form set forth in Schedule C of the said Act; and copies of such notice shall be posted and maintained for fourteen clear days at the source whence it is proposed to obtain water, and at the proposed termination of such water race; and the intended course thereof shall be indicated by pegs not less than two inches in diameter or by large stones marked  $\wedge$  and placed not more than two hundred yards apart, and such notices shall state the mean breadth and depth of the proposed water race, and the quantity of water it is capable of carrying, and shall also state the time required for the construction and completion of such race. And if no valid objection be entered against the construction of such water race within fourteen clear days from the delivery of such notice, a license in the form of Schedule D of the said Act may be granted by the Warden to the applicant, subject to the provisions and conditions herein contained.

2. *Races to be commenced within one month.*

The cutting and formation of water races must be commenced within one calendar month from the issue of the license authorising the same, and the holders of such license shall continue cutting and forming the same until the work is complete.

3. *Superiority of right.*

Superiority of right to a supply of water shall be determined by priority of occupation, the earlier occupant having the superior right; in all cases when the occupier claims under a certificate or other authority, in writing, granted by a Warden, or Commissioner, occupation shall be taken to have commenced at the date of such certificate or authority.

4. *Superiority of right forfeited by disuse.*

If any race shall be entirely unused for a full period of thirty (30) days at a time when water is available, occupation of the right shall be deemed to have recommenced at the last re-occupation thereof.

5. *Heads of races.*

Every race shall have a point specified at which it shall be taken from the creek or river. In races already cut this shall be taken to be the point from which the race now heads. No person shall shift a water-right from one race to another; to the prejudice of any existing right.

6. *Insufficient supply of water.*

If the water flowing in any creek or river is insufficient to supply all the races connected therewith, the owner of any right shall, on receipt of a written notice from the owner of a superior right, stating that the supply of such superior right is less than he is entitled to, immediately cease to use the water, or such portion thereof as may be necessary to make up the supply of the superior right.

7. *Water gauge.*

In the construction and for the purposes of these regulations, a head of water shall be held and deemed to be 40 superficial inches of water, to be gauged by a box 12 feet long, 10 inches deep, and 20 inches wide, all measured in the clear. The box shall be covered throughout. The upper or entrance end of such box may be left entirely open; but the lower end or end of exit, shall be fitted with a bar 2 inches high, affixed to the floor of the box, with a pressure or head-board 6 inches deep affixed to the top of the box, leaving an aperture of 2 inches in depth, and of the full width of the box.

(A) If more than one-sluice head of water requires to be gauged, the gauge-box should be enlarged horizontally, to ensure accurate measurement, but when this cannot be done, owing to natural obstacles or other sufficient reasons, the gauge-box may be enlarged perpendicularly, in which case the dimensions of the box must be as follows:—

Number of Sluice Heads.	Perpendicular height of Sluice-box.	Depth of Pressure Board	Width of Sluice-box.	Height of Aperture.	Quantity.
	inches.	inches.	inches.	inches.	inches.
1	10	6	20	2	40
2	11	5	20	4	80
3	12	4	20	6	120
4	13	3	20	8	160
5	14	2	20	10	200
6	15	1	20	12	240
7	16	0	20	14	280

and so on in proportion to any greater number of sluice heads.

(B) The gauge-box shall at all times be placed on a level. When water is taken from one source only, the supply shall be gauged at the head of the race or the source of supply. But if the race is fed or supplied in part by any side-stream, or streams, the gauge-box shall be placed immediately below the last side-stream.

(c) The velocity of the water above the gauge-box shall, if required, be lessened by the construction of a dam-bank, or by levelling the race for a distance of 30 feet; and such velocity shall not exceed an average of one (1) foot per second in the said 30 feet, to be gauged by a float.

8. *Water not to be wasted.*

Holders of rights shall not allow any water to run to waste, but such water shall be appropriated to the use of the next holder of a right according to the date of their respective registrations.

9. *Sides of races may be protected.*

The Warden shall have power to protect a space not exceeding ten (10) feet on each side of any head-race, either throughout the entire length of such head-race, or over any and such portions thereof as he may deem necessary.

10. *Forfeiture of water-races.*

All rights to any water-race authorised to be constructed under the provisions of this Act, shall become forfeited if entirely unused by the owner thereof for the space of one calendar month, unless in cases of sickness or unavoidable absence, or in consequence of failure of water; but it shall be lawful for the Warden, upon sufficient cause being shown, to suspend the operations of this section for a further period of two months, and a certificate of such suspension shall be given in writing to the holders of such license.

11. *Licenses to be renewed.*

Every license for a water-race shall be renewed annually, and if any such license is not so renewed within sixty days after the expiration of twelve months from the date at which it has been or may be granted, it shall be deemed to be forfeited, and the registration thereof shall be cancelled.

12. *Repairs of races, bridging, &c.*

The holder or occupier of any water-race shall keep the same in repair, and shall make an efficient bridge or crossing where any road which has been in ordinary use prior to the construction of such race, crosses the water-race, upon being required to do so by the Warden.

13. *Reservations.*

No license shall be granted under the authority of these Regulations for the use or diversion of any water which is or may be required for public purposes, or for the use of the miners generally.

14. *Water for general use.*

Two sluice heads of water shall, if required, be at all times allowed to flow in the natural course of any stream for general use.

15. *Side-streams.*

Where a water race crosses any water course, the use of which is required by holders of miners' rights or by the owners or occupiers of any land, such water race shall be carried either over or under such water course,

so as not to interfere with the natural flow of water therein.

16. *Tail-water may be used.*

Water from a tail-race may be used by any person, provided that such does not interfere with the proper discharge of tailings.

17. *Causing claims to be flooded.*

No person shall back the water of any creek, river, race, or water course upon any claim, or otherwise cause any claim to be flooded either wilfully or by neglect.

18. *No person entitled to hold license for more water than the race is capable of carrying.*

If the holder of a water-license does not construct a race of sufficient capacity to carry the number of heads registered, such number of heads over and above what the race is actually capable of carrying shall be liable to forfeiture.

19. *Main tail-race for mining purposes.*

When the majority of persons from whose claims, water or tailings flow to a common outlet, are desirous of constructing a main tail-race, said majority shall make application in writing to the Warden in the form appended hereto, and the said majority shall be empowered to frame conditions, subject to the approval of the Warden, for the construction of such main-race by the joint labor or contributions of all persons interested in the construction of such tail-race as aforesaid, and the occupiers of such tail-race may, from time to time, make or alter rules for the extension or repairs of such tail-race, and all such rules or alterations shall be binding when signed by a majority of the persons using the same.

FORM OF APPLICATION.

(District and date.)

To the Warden at

We, the undersigned, being a majority in number of persons from whose claims water or tailings flow to a common outlet, at hereby make application for a main tail-race, commencing at and terminating at

And we declare the following particulars to be true in every respect.

The length of such race is

The average depth is

The average width is

(Signatures, &c.)

N.B.—Objections to the above application must be lodged with the Warden within fourteen (14) days from the date hereof.

20. *Construction of tail-races.*

Before any person shall construct a tail-race, he shall first proceed by notice in the same manner as is directed in sub-section I. of Regulation; but such notice shall only require to be posted seven (7) clear days, at the expiration whereof the Warden shall grant a certificate for the same, provided there be no valid objection thereto.

21. *Use of tail-races for drainage.*

Any person wishing to use a tail-race may do so on condition of first paying to the owner thereof a proportionate share of the expense of construction, and such proportionate share of expense, if necessary, shall be decided by arbitration, provided always that the person so using any tail-race shall assist in clearing the same, whenever it shall be necessary to do so.

22. *Flood-races may be carried through claims.*

Any person or persons shall be entitled to construct a head-race, tail-race, or flood-race, over, under, or through any claim, provided it does not interfere with the proper working of the same, and that compensation shall be allowed for estimated damage, if any, and such compensation shall, if necessary, be decided by arbitration.

23. *Tail-race to be protected.*

Subject to the provisions of section 9, the holder of any claim requiring or using a tail-race in connection

with his claim, either for drainage or for other purposes, shall be protected in the occupancy of such additional area as may be necessary for the preservation thereof in a proper state of efficiency.

24. *Ground-sluiice for saving gold.*

No person shall be allowed to deposit earth, tailings, or other substances, in any ground-sluiice, or race for saving gold, nor otherwise interfere therewith, unless by the express permission of the owner thereof.

25. *Transfer or assignment.*

The transfer or assignment of any race, or of any interest therein, shall not affect any right or privilege attached to such race, provided that any such transfer or assignment shall have been duly registered at the office of the Warden, and a memorandum thereof made upon the back of the original certificate.

26. *Working ground occupied for races.*

Any person desirous of working the ground on which any race or portion of a race is situated may do so by paying compensation therefor, the amount of such compensation to be determined by the Warden and Assessors, or by first providing an equally good race for the use of the occupier; but it shall be optional with the person working the ground either to construct a new race or to pay the amount of compensation adjudged. And if he elects to construct a new race, the same shall be subject to the approval of his Warden and Assessors in the event of dispute.

XI.—DAMS, PUDDLING MACHINES, AND SLUDGE CHANNELS.

1. *Notice of construction or erection to be given.*

Any person intending to form a dam, or to erect a puddling-machine, or to construct a sludge-channel, shall mark out the proposed site of such dam or puddling-machine in the manner prescribed for ordinary claims, and the proposed course of such sludge-channel in the manner prescribed for water-races, and shall give notice thereof in writing to the Warden; and the said notice shall be in the form hereinafter prescribed, and copies thereof shall be posted and maintained by the applicant for fourteen clear days upon the proposed site of such dam, machine, or sludge-channel. And at the expiration of the said term of fourteen days the Warden shall, if there be no valid objection thereagainst, issue a certificate of registration.

FORM OF NOTICE.

(District and date.)

To the Warden at

I hereby give notice that I intend to [form a dam, erect a puddling-machine, or construct a sludge-channel as the case may be] at [ \* ] and I estimate [state the number] days will be necessary for its construction.

2. *Main sludge-channel to be first constructed.*

No person shall be permitted to erect a puddling machine in any locality, until a main sludge-channel shall have been constructed, and in all cases such main channel must be constructed by and at the expense of the person desirous of erecting such machine.

3. *Expense of construction.*

The expense of the construction of such channel shall be borne by the persons then or afterwards using the same, and the proportion to be borne by each party shall be ascertained by the Warden and Assessors, or at the option of the original owner, by arbitration, and payment of such proportion to the person constructing the same shall be made prior to the granting of any certificate of registration.

4. *Sludge-drains and channels to be kept clear.*

Main Sludge Channels shall be kept clear and in good repair by the joint labor of the machine owners in each locality, and the owner of each machine shall further keep clear and in good order the private sludge drain connected with such machine; and on no pre-

\* Here describe the locality, and in case of a puddling-machine, state the proposed course of the sludge drains.

tence whatever shall the sludge of any main channel or private drain be permitted to overflow the banks or edges thereof.

5. *Roads over drains to be bridged.*

When Sludge or Water Drains run across or under any road in general use, a substantial bridge (the culvert of which shall be of sufficient size to carry off the sludge or water) shall be constructed and kept in repair by the owner of the machine whence such sludge or water proceeds.

6. *Abandonment of dams or machines.*

Any dam or machine not commenced within seven (7) days from the date of the grant thereof, or not completed within the time stated in the notice, or any dam or machine unoccupied for one calendar month, during a period when sufficient water has been available, shall be deemed to be abandoned, and shall be open for occupancy by any holder of a miner's right, without the necessity of recourse to judicial proceedings, but subject to the same provisions as abandoned claims: Provided that the Warden shall have power to extend the time for construction if he shall deem it necessary.

7. *Injury to property by dams.*

If any claim shall be flooded, or property injured by the bursting of any dam-bank, the owner of such dam shall be liable for any loss or damage occasioned thereby: Provided that it shall be proved to the satisfaction of the Warden that such breaking away resulted from the faulty construction of such dam.

8. *Sites proving auriferous.*

If it shall be proved that the ground occupied by any dam or machine contains auriferous earth or quartz, the owner of such dam or machine may be compelled to leave such dam or remove such machine: Provided that adequate compensation for such leaving or removal shall first have been estimated by assessors, and paid by the person desirous of working the ground.

9. *Construction of dams.*

In the case of any dam or reservoir hereafter to be constructed, the Warden may, at his own discretion, or shall, at the request of any claimholders, or residents holding claims or residing in the neighborhood of the proposed site of such dam, or on or near to the proposed course of the overflow of water therefrom, cause a surveyor to prepare a specification, setting forth the proper mode of construction, and the necessary strength and thickness of the embankment of such dam, and the width of the by-wash thereof; and the Warden shall thereupon make such orders therein from time to time as shall be necessary.

10. *Inspection of dams.*

The Warden may at any time direct a surveyor to inspect any dam or reservoir that heretofore has been, or hereafter may be, constructed, and to report upon the strength, security, and fitness thereof, and of any works connected therewith; and such Warden may thereupon make any such order therein as may be necessary.

11. *Superintendent may order inspection.*

If it shall be represented to the Superintendent that any dam or reservoir is insecure, or of doubtful security, the Superintendent may, if he shall think fit, cause an inspection thereof to be made by a competent engineer; and may, upon the report of such engineer, make any order in respect of such dam or reservoir which may be necessary for insuring the greater security thereof.

12. *Certificate or license may be cancelled.*

If the owner of any dam or reservoir shall refuse or neglect to comply with any such lawful order as aforesaid, the Superintendent may, if he shall think fit, cause the certificate or license granted for such dam or reservoir to be cancelled, and the embankment thereof to be removed, or make such other order therein as may be requisite.

XII.—DIVERSION OF STREAMS.

1. *Notice to be given.*

Any person desirous of diverting the course of a per-

manent stream for the purpose of working the bed thereof, shall first give notice of his intention to the Warden, and to all parties working in, or occupying claims adjoining the proposed line of diversion. Such notices shall be in the form hereinafter prescribed, and copies thereof shall be posted and maintained for a period of seven (7) clear days at the points proposed for the commencement and termination of such diversion as aforesaid, and if no valid objection be entered thereagainst within the aforesaid period, the Warden shall issue a certificate of Registration to the applicant.

FORM OF NOTICE.

(District and date.)

No.

I hereby give notice that I intend to divert the course of (*name of stream*) and to form a new channel therefor, commencing at a point situate ( \* ), and terminating at a point ( \* ).

(Signatures, &c.)

XIII.—ROADS, &c.

1. *Right of water and roadway.*

Every person holding a claim under these regulations shall be entitled to a supply of water for his use in connection therewith, and to a roadway whereby he may, at all times, obtain free ingress and egress thereto and therefrom.

2. *Sludge and water to be kept off roads, &c.,*

No person shall allow any sludge or water to run or spread over any road, roadway track, or crossing-place.

3. *Protection to roadways, &c.*

No person shall dig within the distance of five (5) feet from any roadway or track in common use, nor drive underneath, nor in any way interfere with such roadway or track without first obtaining the authority of the Warden.

4. *Alteration of roadways, &c.*

Any person desirous of altering the direction of any roadway or track in common use, and of occupying the site thereof for mining purposes, shall give notice thereof in writing to the Warden, and post and maintain a copy of such notice in a conspicuous part of such roadway or track for three clear days, upon the expiration whereof the Warden may authorise such alteration to be made.

5. *Mining on streets and roads.*

If any holder of a miner's right shall be desirous of mining upon or under any street, public road, or highway, he shall make application in writing to the Warden for permission to do so, and the Warden shall thereupon forward such application, together with a report thereon, to the General Road Board—if such Board shall have the care and management thereof—or to such other body as shall have such care or management; and such Board or other body shall thereupon decide whether the same can be effected without injury to adjoining property or injury or obstruction to such public road, street, or highway, as the case may be. And thereupon the said Board or body shall issue an order permitting, on such conditions and terms, and subject to such restrictions, as it shall think fit, or forbidding such mining, as the case may require.

6. *Right of roadway over claims.*

Upon any twenty or more persons applying for a road or crossing-place over any occupied claim or claims the Warden shall determine whether such road or crossing-place is necessary, and shall make such order relative thereto as he may deem requisite: Provided that it shall be lawful for the holder or holders of such claim or claims to work the ground over or through which such road or crossing-place shall pass.

XIV.—PROTECTION.

1. *Protection for fourteen days.*

The Warden may, without prior notice, grant protection to any claim for a period not exceeding fourteen days, provided sufficient cause be shown; and such

\* Here insert, with sufficient accuracy, the localities.

protection shall be given in writing in the form hereinafter prescribed, and a copy thereof shall be posted on the claim: But such protection shall not be granted for any claim more frequently than once in three (3) months.

FORM OF PROTECTION.

(District and date.)

No.

I hereby give notice that I have granted protection for \_\_\_\_\_ days to the claim occupied by \_\_\_\_\_ and situate at \_\_\_\_\_

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

Warden.

2. Protection for extended period.

If any person be desirous of obtaining protection for a claim for a longer period than fourteen (14) days, he shall give notice in writing to the Warden. Such notice shall be in the form hereinafter prescribed, and a copy thereof shall be posted and maintained by the applicant on the claim for three (3) clear days, at the expiration whereof, if no valid objection be entered, the Warden shall issue a certificate of Registration to the applicant, and shall insert the time named in the application.

FORM OF NOTICE.

(District and date.)

No.

I hereby give notice that I desire to obtain a Protection Certificate for (*here write the time*) for my claim situate at \_\_\_\_\_, and that the following particulars are true in every respect:—

1. Classification of Claim.....
2. Date at which occupation commenced.....
3. Time during which the Claim has been worked.....
4. The Claim (has not, or has) been protected before\*....
5. Cause for which protection is required.....

(Signatures, No. of Miner's Right, &c.)

3. Information to holders of miners' rights.

When any claim is under protection for a longer period than fourteen (14) days, the occupiers thereof shall post on some conspicuous part of the said claim a board not less than nine inches square, with the word "PROTECTED," the names of the occupiers and the number of their Certificate painted or written legibly thereon.

4. Limitation of protection.

Protection for a longer period than fourteen (14) days shall not be granted to any claim which has not been fairly wrought for at least one month, except it shall be shown to the satisfaction of the Warden that the ground cannot be wrought by reason of other claims intervening, in which case the Warden shall have power to grant protection, although the claim may not have been previously wrought. The most extended period for which protection may be granted at any one time, shall be ninety (90) days, and such protection shall not be renewed unless it is proved to the Warden that the claim is unworkable.

5. Renewal of protection.

Application for renewal shall be made in the same manner as is provided in section 2; and such renewal, if granted, shall be endorsed on the back of the Certificate, and recorded in the Registration book.

6. Protection during notice.

When any notice has been given and posted in conformity with these regulations, the claim, right or privilege to which such notice may refer, shall be protected during the currency thereof, and until the application has been finally dealt with by the Warden.

7. Protection during operations.

All claims, rights, and privileges, of whatsoever nature, lawfully held and enjoyed under these regulations, shall be protected during the time that the owners

\* If the Claim has been protected before, the applicant must state when, and for what period.

or holders thereof shall be actually engaged in operations connected therewith.

XV.—REGISTRATION.

1. Permissive Registration.

All Claims, rights and privileges, may be registered. Mining partnerships and agreements between holders of Miner's Rights or Business Licenses, may be registered.

2. Registration of Huts.

The holder of a miner's right may, on application to the Warden, register his hut or place of abode; and any hut or place of abode so registered shall be protected during the absence of the owner for such a period, not exceeding six months, as may be assigned.

3. Registration fees.

The fee payable in respect of the several registrations mentioned in these regulations, or any renewal thereof, shall be two shillings and sixpence: Such fee shall include payment for copies of notices, but not for any survey.

4. Registration to be recorded.

The Mining Registrar shall duly record in books to be provided for that purpose every registration effected in the Warden's office; and a copy of every such registration shall be forwarded to the office of the Mining Registrar in Dunedin, for record in the books of such office also.

5. Information to the public.

Any person requiring any information from the books of the Mining Registrar may obtain the same, and it shall be the duty of the Mining Registrar to furnish such information.

XVI.—BUSINESS AREAS.

1. Area.

Holders of Business Licenses shall be entitled to occupy an area of two square chains, having a frontage of 66 feet and a depth of 132 feet.

2. Sites to be marked by pegs.

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

3. Registration of sites.

Business sites may be registered with the Warden for ten days, whilst the holder is engaged in preparing for the occupancy thereof. Such registration may be renewed by the Warden for an additional period of ten days, and such renewal shall be endorsed on the certificate and recorded in the Registration Book.

4. Occupancy of sites.

Business sites can only be held or occupied by holders of business licenses, and no site can be held unoccupied for more than forty-eight hours, unless the same shall be registered as provided in section 3.

5. Information to the public.

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

6. Roadway between business sites.

In all cases where practicable, business sites shall be so taken up as to leave a double row of sites, with a roadway between such sites of 66 feet in width.

XVII.—RESIDENCE.

1. Area which may be occupied for residence.

Subject to the conditions hereinafter set forth, the holder of a Miner's Right shall be entitled to occupy for residence an area of Crown lands not exceeding an acre, or 4,840 square yards.

2. Residence areas to be registered.

Any person desirous of occupying land under the preceding section, shall mark the corners of the area which he proposes to occupy, with  trenches, or substantial posts standing at least three feet above the

surface, and shall give notice in writing, in the form hereinafter prescribed, to the Warden of the district, and a copy of such notice shall be posted and maintained in some conspicuous part of such area for the space of seven (7) clear days; at the expiration whereof, if no valid objection has been entered thereagainst, the Warden shall grant a Residence Certificate to the applicant.

#### FORM OF NOTICE.

No.....

District of.....

.....186 .

I hereby give notice that I desire to occupy for residence (*state the extent*) of land situate at and that I have this day marked the corners of such land with (*posts or trenches*) in conformity with the Gold Fields Regulations.

Signature of the applicant, }  
and the number and date }  
of his Miner's Right }

#### 3. Condition of certificate.

Every such certificate shall be subject to the condition that the holder thereof shall erect and at all times maintain a secure and substantial fence around the land held by virtue thereof, and if any such holder shall fail or neglect to comply with the condition aforesaid, his right to the occupancy of such land shall not be recognised, notwithstanding such certificate; and such certificate may be cancelled, and the land declared to be forfeited by the Warden, upon proof of any such failure or neglect.

#### 4. Discovery of auriferous deposits.

When any auriferous deposits are traced to the boundaries of any land occupied for residence, the Warden may, upon satisfactory proof thereof, authorise the applicant or any other person, by writing under his hand, to enter thereupon, and at such times, and in such manner as he may appoint, to search the land so occupied for a continuation of the said auriferous deposit.

#### 5. Auriferous areas may be worked.

If any residence area, or business area, shall be proved to be auriferous, the Warden shall, upon application, order the whole or such part as shall have been proved to be auriferous to be given up for mining purposes to such person as shall have applied for the said ground.

#### 6. Compensation to be paid.

In all cases compensation for *actual damage or loss* shall be estimated by assessors, and paid to the occupier of such area, by the person desirous of mining thereon, prior to their taking possession thereof.

#### 7. Conditions of working.

The Warden shall make such orders relative to the mode of working the ground, the restoration of the soil, and other conditions as he may deem necessary or desirable.

#### 8. Tent ground.

Subject to the conditions set forth in Sections 3, 4, and 5, the holder of a Miner's Right shall be entitled to occupy for residence an area of 24 x 48 feet without registration; provided that such area shall not be taken up on known auriferous ground, nor in the line of any workings, nor on land set apart for business purposes.

#### 9. Superintendent may resume possession.

If any Residence-area granted, or any Business-area, or Tent-ground, held under these Regulations, shall be required for any public purpose whatsoever, the Superintendent may resume possession of such residence-area, business-area, or tent-ground: Provided that if the holder or occupier thereof shall be in legal possession at the time of such resumption he shall be entitled to compensation for any actual improvements situated or being on the land so granted or held: And the amount of such compensation shall be ascertained by arbitration.

#### XVIII.—BLASTING.

##### 1. Notice to be given.

Any person shall, before firing a blast, post notices signifying the intended time and place of firing such blast on the ground where such blast is to be fired and on every public road or thoroughfare within a quarter of a mile of the said ground, and shall give three (3) hours' notice to all persons residing within danger distance, of the intended time of firing the same, and shall also, one hour before such time, hoist a red flag if between sunrise and sunset, or a red lamp if between sunset and sunrise, as a danger signal, on some very conspicuous place on or near the claim: Provided that this regulation shall not apply to the cases of blasts where only drill bores are used.

#### XIX.—TUNNELLING.

##### 1. Walls to be left.

A wall of not less than ten feet shall be maintained on each side of any tunnel.

##### 2. Removal of walls.

If any person is desirous of removing any such wall he shall be permitted to do so, provided that he first obtains the consent in writing of the party occupying the adjacent claim; and such consent shall be in the form hereinafter prescribed.

#### FORM OF CONSENT.

(District and date).

I (*or we*) hereby consent to the removal by (*name of party applying for permission*) of the wall now standing between our respective tunnels, situate at (*here state locality*).\*

(Signatures, &c.)

##### 3. Ventilation.

When cross-drives or openings are required for ventilation, and the various parties concerned cannot agree thereon, the Warden may issue an order for making such drives or openings, and for the allocation of the work to be performed, and also for the distribution of any auriferous deposits which may be found in the intervening wall.

#### XX.—SPECIAL SITES.

##### 1. Sites for machines.

Any holder of a Miner's Right who may be desirous of obtaining a site for the erection of machinery thereon, shall make application in writing to the Warden, setting forth the purpose and all particulars of such machinery, and stating the exact locality of the site applied for, and shall at the same time pay the sum of £2 for survey and other necessary expenses. And the Warden shall thereupon direct a Surveyor to make a survey and plan of such site, and to report thereon.

##### 2. Site for stacking tailings.

Any holder of a Miner's Right who may be desirous of obtaining a site for the purpose of stacking tailings thereon, shall proceed by application to the Warden in the same manner as is provided in Section 1.

##### 3. Proceedings at Survey.

At the time of making any such survey, the Surveyor shall erect a post measuring not less than two inches in diameter, and standing three feet above the surface of the ground, at each boundary corner of the site applied for, and shall post a notice in the form hereinafter set forth upon some conspicuous part of such site.

#### FORM OF NOTICE.

(District and date.)

Whereas (name of applicant) has applied to me for a grant of this land as a special site for (erecting machinery† or stacking tailings) thereon; and whereas a Surveyor has this day surveyed and marked the boundaries of such site: This is to give notice that any objections to the issue of a certificate of registration therefor must be lodged at my office on or before

\* If any special conditions are imposed, they must be specified in the document.

† Not less than seven days from date of survey.



presentation, or if any of the prescribed conditions have not been duly complied with, the Warden may, upon proof thereof, cancel such Certificate, or make such other order therein as may appear to be just or equitable.

12. *Certificate—how cancelled.*

Whenever in these Regulations it is provided that a certificate shall or may be "cancelled," a memorandum of such cancellation in the Registration Book shall be conclusive evidence that such certificate has been legally cancelled.

13. *Neglect of Warden's orders.*

Any person who shall neglect or refuse to comply with any written notice or order of the Warden, duly served, and in conformity with these regulations, shall be deemed to be guilty of a breach thereof, and liable to the penalties imposed by the 101st section of the "Goldfields Act, 1866.

14. *Survey.*

Wherever it is required by these Regulations that a survey should be made, the Warden may authorise and appoint any capable person to make the necessary survey; and such survey shall, for all the purposes of these Regulations, be taken and accepted as sufficient.

15. *Transfer of Claims, &c.*

Any claim, right, or privileges held under these regulations may be transferred or assigned; but where it is provided that any such claim, right, or privilege must originally be registered, the transfer or assignment thereof must also be registered.

16.  *Holders of Claims entitled to all Discoveries within the boundaries.*

The Holders of any claim shall be entitled to the benefit of all discoveries and workings within the boundaries of such claim.

17. *Suspension of Regulations.*

If any portion of the Rules and Regulations of the Otago Goldfields shall be deemed to be inapplicable to the requirements of any district, the Superintendent may, if he shall think fit, upon the receipt of a memorial to that effect, signed by not less than 50 holders of Miners' Rights and Business Licenses residing in such district, suspend the operation of any Regulation, or section of a Regulation, so far as such district is concerned, and may again annul such suspension, and renew the operation of such Regulation or Section, or may substitute others in lieu thereof.

FORM OF ARBITRATION.

Memorandum of an Agreement made this \_\_\_\_\_ day  
of \_\_\_\_\_ A. D. 18 \_\_\_\_\_ Between  
\_\_\_\_\_ carrying on business together in copartnership at  
(or as the case may be) aforesaid as Miners under  
the style of \_\_\_\_\_ and Party  
of the one part and \_\_\_\_\_ also  
carrying on business together in copartnership at  
(or as the case may be) aforesaid as Miners under  
the style of \_\_\_\_\_ and Party  
of the other part; Whereas certain differences and disputes have arisen and are still pending between the said parties: It is agreed by and between them that the same shall be referred to the award order and final determination of \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ and of such third Arbitrator as the said Arbitrators shall by writing under their hands endorsed on these presents before they enter upon the consideration of the matters referred nominate and appoint to act with them or any two of them: So as the said Arbitrators or any two of them shall make and publish their award in writing under their hands of and concerning the matters referred ready to be delivered to the parties or either of them on or before the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ next or on or before such further day to which the said Arbitrators or any two of them may by writing under their hands to be endorsed on these presents from time to time extend the time for making their said award: And it is further agreed that the cost of the reference and award shall be in the discretion of the said Arbitrators or any two of them who may direct to and by whom and in what manner the

same or any part thereof shall be paid: And it is further agreed that this submission may be made a rule of the Supreme Court of New Zealand at the instance of either of the parties hereto: And that the witnesses on the reference and the parties hereto (if examined) shall be examined on oath: And that the said Arbitrators shall be at liberty to proceed *ex parte* in case either party after reasonable notice shall at any time neglect or refuse to attend on the reference without having previously shown to the said Arbitrators what the latter shall consider good and sufficient cause for omitting to attend: And that the parties respectively shall produce before the Arbitrators all books deeds papers accounts vouchers writings and documents within their possession or control which the said Arbitrators may require and call for as in their judgment relating to the matters referred: And that the parties respectively shall do all other acts necessary to enable the said Arbitrators to make a just award: And that none of them shall wilfully and wrongly do or cause to be done any act to delay or prevent the said Arbitrators from making their award: And it is further agreed that the said parties their executors and administrators shall on their respective parts in all things stand to obey abide by perform fulfil and keep the award so to be made and published as aforesaid.

In witness whereof the said parties to these presents have hereunto set their hands the day and year first aforesaid.

Signed by the above-named

in the presence of

EXISTING RIGHTS PRESERVED.

Nothing herein contained shall be taken to affect any existing rights or privileges.

ALEX. WILLIS,

Clerk to the Executive Council of the Province of Otago.

PROCLAMATION.

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

JAMES MACANDREW, Esq., Superintendent of the Province of Otago, do by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in me in this behalf by the "Caversham and Green Island Districts Roads Lands Ordinance, 1864," proclaim and declare that all that portion of road in the Corstorphine Road District in the Province of Otago mentioned and referred to in the said "Roads Diversion Ordinance, 1864," and which is particularly described in the Schedule hereto, shall from and after the day of date hereof, cease to be public roads or thoroughfares, and shall no longer form part of the roads in the Corstorphine Road District aforesaid.

SCHEDULE.

Twenty-one chains in length, sixty links wide, from north end of Section 76, Ocean Beach District, to south end of Section 76, Ocean Beach District:—Bounded on the west by Section 75, east by Section 76, Ocean Beach District.

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

JAMES MACANDREW,

Superintendent.

By His Honor's command,

GEORGE DUNCAN,

Secretary for Land and Works.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the application of George Butler Bond, "Cardrona Gold Mining Co." for section 1, Cardrona District, has been disallowed by the Government, and that the said land is open for occupation by holders of Miner's Rights.

GEO. DUNCAN,

Secretary for Land and Works.

Land and Works Office,

Dunedin, 17th April, 1868.

## CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF DUNEDIN.

HEREBY give notice, that the nomination of Candidates for election to the Office of Councillor for Bell Ward, in room of Mr. Thomas Birch, resigned, will take place on Wednesday, the 29th day of April instant, at the Terrace of the Provincial Council Chambers, at the hour of noon.

Nominations must be in form of Schedule D., of the "Otago Municipal Corporations Ordinance, 1865," and be lodged at the Office of the Town Clerk, where blank forms may be had on or before noon of the day herein fixed for the nomination.

(Signed) THOMAS BIRCH, Mayor.  
City Council Chambers,  
Dunedin, 22nd April, 1868. 6s.

## NOTICE.

Under Section 1 of Regulation XIII, of the Goldfields Rules and Regulations.

HEREBY proclaim that portion of the Otago Goldfield comprised in the following area, viz:—Commencing at the junction of the Lowburn Stream with the Clutha River; thence by the Lowburn to Mt. Pisa Range; thence to Mason's Gully; thence to Clutha River, about one mile north from the starting point; thence by the Clutha to the starting point, to be an area within which holders of Miner's Rights may occupy claims of double the ordinary area.

Sufficient proof has been given me, that the above area cannot be profitably worked in claims of the ordinary size.

H. W. ROBINSON, Warden.  
Warden's Office,  
Cromwell, April 8, 1868.

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

In the matter of THEODORE ROSENBERG, of Dunedin, in the Province of Otago, and Colony of New Zealand, furniture dealer, a debtor, and in the matter of the "Bankruptcy Act, 1867."

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that Theodore Rosenberg, of Dunedin, in the Province of Otago, and Colony of New Zealand, has this day filed in the Supreme Court of New Zealand, at Dunedin, a declaration signed by him, that he is unable to meet his engagements with his creditors, under the provisions of the above-mentioned Act.

Dated this 21st day of April, 1868.

W. WILFRID WILSON,  
Princes street, Dunedin.

7/6. Solicitor for the above-named Theodore Rosenberg.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that I have this day filed in the office of this Honorable Court, at Dunedin, a declaration of Insolvency, pursuant to "The Bankruptcy Act, 1867."

Dated this 21st day of April, 1868.

GEORGE INGLIS MERRIE,  
of Dunedin, Tailor.

1s.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that Monday, the 4th day of May next, has been fixed by His Honor the Judge as a public sitting of this Honorable Court for JOHN WELDON GOODBODY, late of Waipori, storekeeper, but now, or lately, a prisoner for debt in Her Majesty's Gaol, at Dunedin, to pass his last examination in pursuance of "The Bankruptcy Act, 1867."

Dated this 21st day of April, 1868.

5s. Edward Francis Ward, Solicitor.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that Monday, the 4th day of May next, has been fixed by His Honor the Judge as a public sitting of this Honorable Court, for ABRAHAM CHARLES REES, of Dunedin, tobacconist, to pass his last examination, and make application for his final discharge, in pursuance of "The Bankruptcy Act, 1867."

Dated this 21st day of April, 1868.

5s. Edward Francis Ward, solicitor.

STATEMENT of the probable receipts and expenditure of the Corporation of CROMWELL, for the year ensuing:—

		<i>Receipts.</i>		
Estimated Rates	...	...	£70	0 0
Rent	...	...	10	0 0
Government Subsidy	...	...	160	0 0
			£240	0 0
		<i>Expenditure.</i>		
Salaries	...	...	£83	0 0
Rent	...	...	10	0 0
Stationery, Printing, &c.	...	...	20	0 0
Advertising	...	...	10	0 0
Public Works	...	...	200	0 0
			£323	0 0

7s. GEORGE JENOUR, Town Clerk.

MUNICIPALITY OF ALEXANDRA.—Statement of probable Income and Expenditure for the year 1868-9:—

		<i>Income.</i>		
Estimated Rates	...	...	£110	0 0
Government Subsidy	...	...	220	0 0
			£330	0 0
		<i>Expenditure.</i>		
Salaries	...	...	£82	0 0
Stationery, Advertising, &c.	...	...	15	0 0
Office Expenses, &c.,	...	...	10	0 0
Public Works	...	...	223	0 0
			£330	0 0

J. L. HENDERSON, Town Clerk.  
Alexandra, 8th April, 1868. 6/6.

CENSUS OF THE PROVINCE OF OTAGO, NEW ZEALAND.—DECEMBER, 1867.

LAND, CULTIVATION, AND CROPS.

Electoral Districts (for House of Representatives).	EXTENT OF HOLDING.		FENCING.							NUMBER OF ACRES.																												
	Freehold.	Leasehold.	Total Number of Acres Fenced.	Extent and Description of Fencing.					Land broken up, but not under Crop.	In Wheat.	In Oats.	In Barley.	In Maize or Sorghum.	In Rye or Bere.	In Hay (mown).	In Sown Grasses, includ- ing Land in Hay.	In Peas or Beans.	In Potatoes.	In Turnips or Rape.	In Mangold, Beet, Carrots, Parsnips, or Onions.	In Garden or Orchard.	In Tobacco.	In any other Crop.	Total under Crop.	In Forest Trees (planta- tions of).													
				Post and Rail.	Wire Fence.	Ditch and Bank.	Live Fence.	Stone Fence.																		Any other kind.	NUMBER OF CHAINS OF											
City of Dunedin...	6272 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	653	433 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	239 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	433 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	...	24 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	...	148 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	120 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	53 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	1	...	...	8	103 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	...	6 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	...	76 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	...	...	259 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>												
Roslyn ...	9473 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	2724	5880 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	12850 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	2978 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	19	138 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	148	1085 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	378 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	119 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	911 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	731 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	...	19	284 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	2158 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	39 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	104 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	28 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	27 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	184 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	...	55 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	4003 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	163 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>												
Caversham ...	15659 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	4095 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	9304 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	3146 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	684	...	...	...	1897 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	414 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	281 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	700 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	205 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	...	28 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	173 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	4993 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	58 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	227 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	39 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	31 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	171 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	...	21 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	6932 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	264 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>												
Port Chalmers ...	7033	1384	2424 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	3328 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	11	...	...	...	334 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	170 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	78 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	457 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	6	4	...	70 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	1076 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	30	94 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	36 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	6	54	...	1	1916 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	87 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>												
Taieri ...	59180 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	137386 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	43198 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	30208 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	41728 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	1306	766	...	4006 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	2660 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	2909 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	10179 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	1164 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	15	41	597 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	11663 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	34 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	739 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	320 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	106 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	140	53	180 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	28060 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	121 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>												
Bruce ...	75559	148132 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	37569 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	10976 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	17605 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	6619	516	...	6841 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	4254 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	1414 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	8483 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	688 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	101	32	574 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	8055 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	287 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	515 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	365 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	37 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	181 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	...	20 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	2075 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	199 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>												
Clutha ...	153667 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	255417 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	76078 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	9127 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	24914	10008 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	416	...	9006 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	8220 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	1340 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	7008 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	337 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	...	17	566 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	11555 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	23	362 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	558 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	11	152 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	...	6	2193 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	193 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>												
Oamaru ...	183009 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	288135 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	113266 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	28382 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	19535	2702	118	214	4261 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	7678 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	4668 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	7256 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	612 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	...	3	263 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	5654 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	43	375 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	302 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	121 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	210	...	21 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	19533 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	176 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>												
Waikouaiti ...	63068	724226 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	100183 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	6335 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	18869 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	2876 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	225	...	397 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	3166 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	921 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	4388 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	168 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	20 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	399 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	6961 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	6 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	284 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	81 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	22 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	172 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	...	7	1938 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>												
Manuherikia ...	1670 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	1335949 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	43979 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	321	9307 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	4392 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	82	21 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	111 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	62 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	1122 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	32 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	...	2	85 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	143 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	12	334 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	91 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	27 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	102 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	...	7	1938 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>												
Hampden ...	131533 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	1954308 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	128668 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	5230 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	4702 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	1324	25	14	719 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	259 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	600 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	789 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	45 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	...	2	69 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	140 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	8 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	161 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	27 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	32 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	69 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	...	4	1947 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	2 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>												
Wairarapa ...	14000 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	1138017 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	103540 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	7899 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	3392 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	496	...	...	290 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	237 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	37 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	317 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	4	...	...	23 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	339 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	65 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	2	48 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	...	...	846 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>												
Other Field Towns	230 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	52641 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	1045 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	1548 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	2233 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	1894 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	26	150 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	62 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	57 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	101 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	305 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	4	...	23 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	59 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	10 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	72 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	8 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	6 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	54 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	...	...	647 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>												
Urban Electoral Districts of Otago }	720357 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	6043070 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	665571 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	119591 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	146393 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	31637 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	2258 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	608	29071 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	27728 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	12540 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	41972 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	3342 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	122 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	150	3116 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	52902 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	555 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	3343 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	1786 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	432 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	1617 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	8 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	319 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	122209 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	1288 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>												

COLIN ALLAN,

Enumerator.

RETURN of the VALUE of EXPORTS from the several Ports of NEW ZEALAND, during the Quarter ended the 31st day of DECEMBER, 1867.

COUNTRIES.	Auckland.	Russell.	Mongonui.	Hokianga.	Kaipara.	New Plymouth.	Wanganui.	Wellington.	Napier.	Wairau.	Picton.	Havelock.	Nelson.	Westport.	Brighton.	Greymouth.	Eokitika.	Okarito.	Lyttelton.	Akaroa.	Timaru.	Oamaru.	Dunedin.	Invercargill.	Bluff Harbour.	Chatham Islands	Totals.	Corresponding Quarter, 1866.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom ...	27742	"	"	"	"	1	"	436	"	"	"	"	5443	"	"	10061	20'00	"	430	"	27	"	1041	"	"	"	65181	279070
<i>British Colonies, viz.:</i>																												
Queensland ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	216
New South Wales ...	26527	"	"	"	"	89	6808	3232	"	"	"	"	8995	119248	20000	39092	98573	"	4070	"	1453	"	2808	2598	"	"	333493	276650
Victoria ...	896	"	"	"	"	2	"	803	"	"	"	50	2807	134	20877	78577	132168	6431	1881	"	"	152041	7757	697	"	405121	217292	
South Australia ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	760	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	760	2188
Tasmania ...	184	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	184	611
Norfolk Island ...	526	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	29	"	"	555	2833	
Mauritius ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	386
<i>Foreign Countries, viz.:</i>																												
North America ...	32	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	32	909
United Sts. of America	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	100	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	100	515
Panama ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	307	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	307	20
South America ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	66
Batavia ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Valparaiso ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	18	"	"	18	"
Guam ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	2312	"	"	2412	462	
Germany ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	6	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	6	"
China ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	5
New Caledonia ...	455	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	455	"
Friendly Islands ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	40	"	"	1000	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1040	"
South Sea Islands ...	6290	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	6290	3917	
Totals ...	62652	"	"	*	"	92	6808	4818	"	"	1000	50	17245	119382	40877	127730	251601	6437	6481	"	1480	"	158202	10402	697	"	815954	"
Corresponding Quarter, 1866.	60763	"	750	2445	1764	342	4037	40303	49	"	172	122	24432	4800	"	175546	306858	"	3730	"	2	"	148049	9784	1192	"	"	785140

\* Return not received.

COMPARATIVE RETURN of the Value of EXPORTS from New Zealand for the years 1867 and 1866.

1867.	291557	176	1288	8064	"	755	15062	181120	72657	43020	8214	1641	67425	343644	177826	508973	996128	38859	505422	"	156150	92165	990148	140856	3433	95	4644678	"
1866.	215393	41	4621	10200	3428	1424	12945	201029	66424	39822	4680	657	61323	4800	"	833239	1372620	200	482159	13	243000	1051584	46005	64103	262	4520074	"	

Office of the Commissioner of Customs,  
Wellington, 21st February, 1868.

WILLIAM SEED,  
Secretary and Inspector.

RETURN of the VALUE of IMPORTS at the several Ports of NEW ZEALAND, during the Quarter ended the 31st day of DECEMBER, 1867.

COUNTRIES.	Auckland.	Russell.	Mongonui.	Hokianga.	Kaipara.	New Plymouth.	Wanganui.	Wellington.	Napier.	Wairau.	Pictou.	Havelock.	Nelson.	Westport.	Brighton.	Greymouth.	Hokitika.	Okarito.	Lyttelton.	Akaroa.	Timaru.	Oamaru.	Dunedin.	Invercargill.	Bluff Harbour.	Riverton.	Chatham Islands.	Totals.	Corresponding Quarter, 1866.	
United Kingdom ...	76533	"	"	"	"	3448	11475	70493	26548	2256	65	70	60022	90	"	130	243	"	78293	1221	4092	5372	241046	14951	318	25	"	596691	785147	
<i>British Colonies, viz.:</i>																														
Queensland ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	4522	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	4522	12100
New South Wales ...	31668	"	"	"	"	1058	4752	22061	1862	"	"	"	16746	920	"	954	23079	"	10144	"	"	1400	19196	444	5225	"	"	139509	225717	
Victoria ...	5858	"	"	"	"	806	2241	17032	3932	386	961	46	13527	43590	"	51779	106458	"	16180	"	400	508	65358	17690	7994	3568	"	358314	465770	
South Australia ...	10915	"	"	"	"	"	"	2018	"	"	125	"	4259	2707	"	"	8960	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	28984	17150	
Tasmania ...	6880	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1343	"	"	"	1113	"	"	"	15173	"	60	"	20	2065	2204	"	"	"	"	29458	28046	
Norfolk Island ...	12	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	12	894	
Mauritius ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	260	"	"	12710	"	"	360	400	"	"	"	"	"	27485	"	"	"	"	41215	64328	
<i>Foreign Countries, viz.:</i>																														
U. States America ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1125	"	"	"	13160	"	"	"	"	14285	38701	
Panama ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	530	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	530	746	
Chili ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	29745	
Cuba ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	700	"	"	"	"	700	"	
Norway ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	5000	"	"	"	"	5000	5768	
Sweden ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	500	
China ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	21479	"	"	"	"	21479	"	
Fiji ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	705	1030	
New Caledonia ...	4	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	4	"	
South Sea Islands ...	9010	"	"	"	"	"	"	526	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	9536	1172	
Southern Whale Fishery	"	"	39	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	39	"	
Totals ...	140880	"	39	*	"	5312	18468	112660	34285	2902	1151	116	112899	47307	"	53223	154313	"	106507	1221	4512	9345	395628	33085	13537	3593	"	1250983	"	
Corresponding Quarter, 1866 }	293302	"	"	1771	"	13864	11673	164291	23480	3110	2028	"	112083	2857	"	56767	197213	4173	177359	3390	5795	6875	546290	38024	7143	5234	2	"	1676814	

COMPARATIVE RETURN of the Value of IMPORTS at the several Ports of New Zealand for the Years 1867 and 1866.

1867.	777667	1068	780	3221	15710	31847	56359	504862	77683	11672	4697	121	383469	66040	1596	223703	654191	3223	690868	4081	44967	20896	1576247	147847	25086	16451	255	5344607	"
1866.	1092399	1362	617	5761	"	64305	72025	684380	82482	5295	7531	420	437272	2857	"	221916	591882	7354	763884	7042	32559	10923	1615802	133982	22881	29714	218	5894863	"

\* Return not received.

† Returns for September and December Quarters not received.

Office of the Commissioner of Customs,  
Wellington, 21st February, 1861.

WILLIAM SEED,  
Secretary and Inspector.

RETURN of the NUMBER, TONNAGE, AND CREWS of VESSELS ENTERED INWARDS at the several Ports of NEW ZEALAND, during the Quarter ended the 31st day of DECEMBER, 1867.

PORT OF ARRIVAL.	WHENCE.						BRITISH.						FORRIGN.						TOTALS.						Corresponding Quarter 1866.											
	United Kingdom.		British Possessions.		Foreign Countries and Whale Fishery.		With Cargoes.		In Ballast.		Totals.		With Cargoes.		In Ballast.		Totals.		With Cargoes.		In Ballast.		Totals.													
	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.									
Auckland	3	...	20	...	9	...	32	9420	394	...	...	32	9420	394	...	...	...	...	...	32	9420	394	...	...	32	9420	394	60	16858	698						
Onehunga	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1023	32						
Russell	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	22	3	1	22	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	22	3	...	...					
Mongonui	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	676	66	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	262	10							
Hokianga*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	266	8							
Kaipara	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	122	7							
New Plymouth	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	342	20							
Wanganui	...	...	3	...	...	3	461	20	...	...	...	3	461	20	...	...	...	...	...	3	461	20	...	...	3	461	20	4	509	27						
Wellington	2	...	22	...	5	...	29	13526	745	...	...	29	13526	745	...	...	...	...	29	13526	745	...	...	29	13526	745	33	16316	844							
Napier	2	...	3	...	...	5	2031	62	...	...	...	5	2031	62	...	...	...	...	5	2031	62	...	...	5	2031	62	6	1679	76							
Wairau	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	649	12	1	649	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	649	12	1	649	12	...	...	...	...						
Pictou	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1877	150							
Nelson	2	...	35	...	...	37	12120	747	...	...	...	37	12120	747	...	...	...	...	37	12120	747	...	...	37	12120	747	39	14622	887							
Westport	...	...	10	...	...	10	1210	83	...	...	...	10	1210	83	...	...	...	...	10	1210	83	...	...	10	1210	83	1	67	5							
Greymouth	...	...	12	...	...	12	1875	135	...	...	...	12	1875	135	...	...	...	...	12	1875	135	...	...	12	1875	135	21	4559	339							
Hokitika	...	...	52	1	...	52	8883	639	1	497	40	53	9380	679	...	...	...	...	52	8883	639	1	497	40	53	9380	679	58	13385	1015						
Okarito	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	58	5							
Lyttelton	2	...	9	...	1	...	12	3676	142	...	...	12	3676	142	...	...	...	...	12	3676	142	...	...	12	3676	142	20	9025	266							
Timaru	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	207	9							
Oamaru	...	...	6	...	...	6	1109	48	...	...	...	6	1109	48	...	...	...	...	6	1109	48	...	...	6	1109	48	1	349	13							
Dunedin	1	...	25	...	5	...	36	15003	543	...	...	36	15003	543	4	2239	55	...	...	4	2239	55	40	17242	598	40	16457	586								
Invercargill	1	...	...	...	...	1	235	9	...	...	...	1	235	9	...	...	...	...	1	235	9	...	...	1	235	9	4	536	29							
Bluff Harbor	...	...	12	...	...	12	6128	456	...	...	...	12	6128	456	...	...	...	...	12	6128	456	...	...	12	6128	456	8	3593	236							
Chatham Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	120	8							
Totals	22	1	209	1	22	1	247	75677	4023	3	1168	55	250	76845	4078	6	2915	121	...	...	...	6	2915	121	253	78592	4144	3	1168	55	256	79760	4199	...	...	...
Corresponding Quarter, 1866	29	...	244	6	31	1	292	95805	5060	7	1557	68	299	97362	5128	12	4870	142	...	...	...	12	4870	142	304	100675	5202	7	1557	68	...	...	...	311	102232	5270

\* Return not received.

COMPARATIVE RETURN of the NUMBER, TONNAGE, and CREWS of VESSELS ENTERED INWARDS for the YEARS 1867 and 1866.

1867.	86	2	778	5	71	2	906	293608	16035	9	3239	149	915	296847	16234	29	12721	656	...	...	...	29	12721	656	935	306329	16741	9	3239	149	944	309568	16890	...	...	...
1866.	86	...	829	14	89	2	949	306461	1633	15	3933	191	964	310394	16524	51	19	2931	1	637	42	55	19909	973	1003	325733	17264	16	4570	233	1019	330303	17497	...	...	...

Office of the Commissioner of Customs,  
Wellington, 21st February, 1868.

WILLIAM SEED,  
Secretary and Inspector.

RETURN of the NUMBER, TONNAGE, and CREWS of VESSELS CLEARED OUTWARDS at the several Ports of NEW ZEALAND, during the Quarter ended the 31st day of DECEMBER, 1867.

PORTS.	DESTINATION.						BRITISH.						FOREIGN.						TOTALS.						CORRESPONDING QUARTER, 1866.											
	United Kingdom		British Possessions.		Foreign Countries and Whale Fishery.		With Cargoes.		In Ballast.		Totals.		With Cargoes.		In Ballast.		Totals.		With Cargoes.		In Ballast.		Totals.		Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.									
	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.												
Auckland	1	...	17	4	8	2	26	6450	331	6	1422	52	32	7872	383	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	6450	331	6	1422	52	32	7872	383	50	15912	642		
Onchunga	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Mongonui	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	676	66	...	...	...	...	2	676	66	...	...	...	...	66	1	262	10			
Hokianga*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Kaipara	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
New Plymouth	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Wanganui	...	...	3	1	...	...	3	378	20	1	121	6	4	499	26	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	378	20	1	121	6	4	499	26	4	527	29			
Wellington	...	...	5	13	4	...	9	7144	555	13	3370	111	22	10514	666	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	7144	555	13	3370	111	22	10514	666	24	11011	683			
Napier	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	2	313	15	2	313	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Pictou	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	410	10	...	...	...	...	410	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	410	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Nelson	...	...	14	21	...	...	14	6011	508	21	5464	195	35	11475	703	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	6011	508	21	5464	195	35	11475	703	24	7349	405			
Westport	...	...	2	6	...	...	2	292	14	6	717	39	8	1009	53	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	292	14	6	717	39	8	1009	53	1	67	5			
Greymouth	...	...	23	...	...	...	23	6852	540	...	...	...	...	6852	540	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	6852	540	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Hokitika	...	...	28	24	3	...	28	8142	587	27	3782	246	55	11924	833	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	8142	587	27	3782	246	55	11924	833	47	10588	793			
Lyttelton	...	...	3	5	...	1	3	827	30	6	2388	65	9	3215	95	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	827	30	6	2388	65	9	3215	95	23	6215	204			
Timaru	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	180	7	...	...	...	...	180	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	180	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Oamaru	...	...	3	...	...	...	3	589	26	...	...	...	...	589	26	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	589	26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Dunedin	...	...	15	2	4	2	678	23	19	7411	241	21	8089	264	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	678	23	19	7411	241	21	8089	264	39	13709	452			
Invercargill	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	255	14	2	255	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Bluff Harbor	...	...	6	1	...	1	6	2942	241	2	650	28	8	3592	269	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	2942	241	2	650	28	8	3592	269	10	4766	378			
Chatham Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Totals	1	...	105	92	17	13	171	340895	2892	105	25893	1012	226	66788	3904	2	676	66	...	...	...	2	676	66	123	41571	2958	105	25893	1012	228	67464	3970	...	...	...
Corresponding } Quarter, 1866 }	3	...	118	117	18	11	138	44053	2703	122	32423	1312	260	76476	4015	1	453	15	6	2073	70	7	2526	85	139	44506	2718	128	34496	1382	...	...	...	267	79002	4100

\* Return not received.

COMPARATIVE RETURN of the NUMBER, TONNAGE, and CREWS of VESSELS CLEARED OUTWARDS from NEW ZEALAND for the YEARS 1867 and 1866.

1867.	47	...	367	375	87	74	480	175858	10836	4391	19114	5205	919	294972	16041	21	7077	527	10	6120	146	31	13197	673	501	182935	11363	449	125234	5351	950	308169	16714
1866.	41	...	389	403	76	77	480	171064	10186	450	116081	4785	930	287145	14971	26	8188	621	30	11646	368	56	19834	989	506	179252	10807	480	127727	5153	986	306979	15960

Office of the Commissioner of Customs,  
Wellington, 21st February, 1868.

WILLIAM SEED,  
Secretary and Inspector.

ARTICLES.	AUCKLAND.		MONGONUI.		HOKIANGA.		KAIPARA.		NEW PLYMOUTH.		WANGANUI.		WELLINGTON.		NAPIER.		PICTON.		HAYLOCK.		NELSON.		WESTPORT.		BRIGHTON.		
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	
Ale and Beer ... gallons	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Bran ... tons	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Cheese ... cwts.	24	113	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Coals ... tons	48	86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Copper Ore ... tons	2	1500	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Cordage ... cwts.	20	46	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Curiosities ... packages	12	150	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Flax ... tons	119	1634	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Flour ... tons	1	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Fruits ... packages	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Gold Dust ... ounces	4446	11417	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Grain (Barley) ... bushels	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	50	2662	10648	29811	119240	10219	40877
" (Oats) ... bushels	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
" (Wheat) ... bushels	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gum (Kauri) ... cwts	6660	13330	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hay ... tons	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hides ... number	505	131	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Horns, &c. ... various	4	80	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Leather ... cwts.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oil ... gallons	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Plants ... packages	3	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Potatoes ... tons	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Skins (Sheep, &c.) ... number	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Soap ... cwts.	60	102	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stock (Live)—																											
Horned Cattle ... number	4	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Horses ... number	5	95	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sheep ... number	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tallow ... cwts.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Timber (Sawn) ... feet	561619	2182	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
" (Hewn) ... feet	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
" (Spars) ... number	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Whalebone ... packages	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wool ... lbs.	35500	2650	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Not classified ...	0	1011	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total Produce and Manufactures of the Colony ...	0	34593	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	92	0	6744	0	1377	0	0	0	1000	0	50	0	16629	0	119339	0	40877	
Other Colonial, British, & Foreign Produce and Manufactures ...	0	28059	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	64	0	3441	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	616	0	43	0	0	
GENERAL TOTALS ...	0	62652	0	0	0	*	0	0	0	92	0	6808	0	4818	0	0	0	1000	0	50	0	17245	0	119382	0	40877	
Corresponding Quarter, 1866 ...	0	60763	0	750	0	2445	0	1764	0	342	0	4037	0	40303	0	49	0	172	0	122	0	24432	0	4800	0	0	

\* Return not received.

RETURN of the QUANTITY and VALUE of EXPORTS from NEW ZEALAND during the Quarter ended the 31st day of DECEMBER, 1867—Continued.

ARTICLES.	GREYMOUTH.		HOKITIKA.		OKARITO.		LYTTELTON.		AKAROA.		TEMARU.		OAMARU.		DUNEDIN.		INVERCARGILL.		BLUFF HARBOR.		TOTALS.		CORRESPONDING QUARTER, 1866.				
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.					
Ale and Beer ...	gallons	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	252	34	102		
Bran ...	tons	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	80	0	0	0	0	0	0	12½	160	0	0	0	0	0	18½	240	0		
Cheese ...	cwts.	0	0	0	0	0	0	60	200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	84	313	25		
Coals ...	tons	384	469	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	432	555	0		
Copper Ore ...	tons	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1500	0		
Cordage ...	cwts.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	46	0		
Curiosities ...	packages	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	110	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	295	30	
Flax ...	tons	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6½	170	9	257	1½	45	136	2106	345			
Flour ...	tons	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	900	0	0	0	0	0	80½	909	44		
Fruits ...	packages	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	80		
Gold Dust ...	ounces	31426	125702	62087	249359	1609	6437	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	36810	147238	2427	9708	0	0	0	181510	720676	649173		
Grain (Barley) ...	bushels	0	0	0	0	0	0	5716	1050	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5716	1050	2750	
" (Oats) ...	bushels	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1500	250	0	0	5000	625	0	0	0	0	0	0	6500	875		
" (Wheat) ...	bushels	0	0	0	0	0	0	2900	600	0	0	6000	1200	0	0	2512	624	0	0	0	0	0	0	11412	2424		
Gum (Kauri) ...	cwts.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6660	13330	13593	
Hay ...	tons	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	40	0	
Hides ...	number	100	20	1340	896	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3075	1406	2809	
Horns, &c. ...	various	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	82	0	
Leather ...	cwts.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3360	84	0	0	0	0	0	0	3360	84	0	
Oil ...	gallons	0	0	0	0	0	0	1950	290	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3010	515	50
Plants ...	packages	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	6	20	2	
Potatoes ...	tons	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1½	22	2953
Skins (Sheep, &c.) ...	number	15	4	2200	640	0	0	6	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2221	654	483	
Soap ...	cwts.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	60	102	27	
Stock (Live) ...																											
Horned Cattle ...	number	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	40	47	
Horses ...	number	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	95		
Sheep ...	number	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	60	1806	1080				
Tallow ...	cwts.	0	0	0	0	0	0	52	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	155	191	321	
Timber (Sawn) ...	feet	0	0	0	0	0	0	1422	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	573041	2262	5831	
" (Hewn) ...	feet	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1093	
" (Spars) ...	number	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	28	15	0	
Whalebone ...	packages	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	85	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	85	43	
Wool ...	lbs.	300	14	7677	328	0	0	56315	3481	0	0	0	0	0	0	107944	5691	0	0	7200	540	404063	26055	81613	81613		
Not classified ...		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	32	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1041	1823	
Total Produce and Manufactures of the Colony ...		0	126209	0	251199	0	6437	0	5941	0	0	0	1450	0	0	0	155579	0	9965	0	647	0	0	778128	763287		
Other Colonial, British, and Foreign Produce and Manufactures ...		0	1521	0	402	0	0	0	540	0	0	0	30	0	0	0	2623	0	437	0	50	0	0	37826	21903		
TOTALS ...		0	127730	0	251601	0	6437	0	6481	0	0	0	1480	0	0	0	158202	0	10402	0	697	0	0	815954	0		
Corresponding Quarter, 1866 ...		0	175546	0	306858	0	0	0	3730	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	143049	0	9784	0	1192	0	0	0	785140		

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