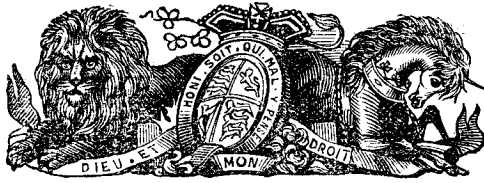


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CORRECTION.

CLOSING ROADS.—Referring to the Notice which appears in the *Gazette* of the 31st March, 1869, of the intention to stop up certain Roads—Notice is hereby given that the Maps of the Chalgrove and Chalfont Road Districts are to be seen at the School-house, Hampden, and not as stated in the said notice at Otepopo School-house.

JAMES MACANDREW, Superintendent.

7th April, 1869.

LOTTERY.—The following clause of the "Town and Country Police Ordinance 1862" is published for general information:—

23. If any person shall establish commence or be a partner or otherwise beneficially interested in any lottery or any scheme by which prizes whether of money or of any other matter or thing shall be gained drawn or thrown for or competed for by lot dice or any other mode of chance or shall sell or dispose of any tickets or other means by which permission or authority is gained or given to any person to throw for compete or have any interest in any such lottery or scheme or shall under any pretence or by means of any device sell or dispose of or endeavor to sell or dispose of any lands goods wares or merchandise by means of any game either of skill or chance every such person being duly convicted thereof shall forfeit and pay a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds and for any second offence besides such penalty shall be liable to imprisonment not exceeding six months: But this provision shall not apply to the distribution of any property amongst the owners thereof or to any raffle of any work purely of art of which a notice having the name and address of the person intending to hold the same subscribed thereto shall have been given to the Superintendent if the Superintendent shall not within one week after such notice prohibit such raffle by notice sent by post or in any other manner according to the address so subscribed by such person.

Secretary for Land and Works Office,
Dunedin, 9th March, 1869.

IN conformity with the 29th Section of "The Gold Field Act 1866," it is hereby notified that it is intended to grant a lease, for gold mining purposes, of Crown Lands to the undermentioned:—

Joseph Poulter, pro Yankee Company, for 1 acre 3 roods and 18 perches of land, being Section 30, block xi, Skipper's Creek District.

Tan Sack, pro Chinese Company, for 5 acres of land, being section 12, block xix, Shotover Survey District.

John Aspinall, pro Skipper's Point Gold Mining Company, for 1 acre 2 roods and 13 perches of land, being section 27, block xi, Skipper's Creek District.

A. J. BURNS,
Secretary for Land and Works.

IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED that a Writ issued for the election of a person to serve as a Member of the Provincial Council for Taieri District, in place of Robert Miller Robertson, Esq., has been returned with a certificate to the effect that

JAMES SHAND, Esquire,
of West Taieri, freeholder, has been duly elected.

A. J. BURNS,
for Provincial Secretary.

3rd April, 1869.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Post Office hitherto known by the name of Warepa will, in future, be designated *Waitepeka*, and also that the Post Office recently opened at the School-house (Mr Ings'), will be designated *Warepa*.

ARCH. BARR, Chief Post Master.
Chief Post Office,
Dunedin, 5th April, 1869.

Dunedin, 5th April, 1869.

AT a Meeting of the Board for examining Surveyors held this day—Present:

Mr J. T. Thomson,
Mr George Barr,
Mr James McKerrow,

Mr Thomson was elected Chairman, and Mr McKerrow was elected Examiner.

The following rules were passed unanimously :—

Surveyors desiring to obtain certificates of competency from the Board will require to forward to the Chairman of the Board an application in writing, accompanied by testimonials.

After examination of these, the applicant will be informed whether it will or will not be necessary for him to submit to a test of competency.

The test of competency will consist in the production of properly executed plans, and good survey instruments, in correct reduction of traverses, and a sufficient knowledge of arithmetic, practical geometry, plane trigonometry, and the use and adjustment of the theodolite.

True extract.

J. T. THOMSON, Chairman.

TOWNSHIP OF FAIRFAX.—The following allotments in the Township of Fairfax will be offered for sale by public auction, in the Land Office, on Friday, the 7th day of May next, at 12 o'clock noon.

Upset price £5 per Section

Sections 1, 8 and 12, block vi.
Sections 1, 2, 3, 4 to 6, 8 to 14, block vii.
Sections 6, 14, 16 and 17, block viii.
Section 12, block x.
Sections 3, 4 and 5, block xi.
Sections 11 and 17, block xii.

J. T. THOMSON,
Chief Commissioner.

Waste Land Board Office,
Dunedin, 6th April, 1869.

PUBLIC NOTICE, under Regulation VI of the Otago Gold Field Rules and Regulations.

Sufficient proof having been shown to me that the portion of the Otago Gold Field, described in the Schedule hereunto annexed, 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,—I hereby give notice that the same may be occupied by holders of miners' rights, in claims of the undermentioned size—namely, one acre for each holder of a miners' right, provided that no block claim shall exceed more than six (6) acres.

R. BEETHAM, Warden.

Schedule.

All that portion of the Otago Gold Field included by the bed of the Arrow River, starting from the Gorge, Arrow town, and terminating at a point on the Arrow River, known as "The Falls."

March 31, 1869.

Office of the Commissioners of the Public
Debts Sinking Funds,
Wellington, 25th February, 1869.

THE Commissioners for the Public Debts Sinking Funds, appointed by "The Public Debts Sinking Funds Act 1868," hereby give notice that all moneys heretofore by law payable to the Trustees of the Sinking Funds of any of the Loans hereunder mentioned, are now payable by the said Act to either of the undermentioned persons, who are authorised by the Commissioners to receive and to give receipts for the same; that is to say—

For the Sinking Funds of the Auckland Loan: The
Hon. Dr. Pollen, Auckland;

For the Sinking Funds of the Otago Loans: A. R. C.
Strode, Esq., Dunedin; and

For the Sinking Funds of all other Loans: James
Clark Gavin, Secretary to the Commissioners.

By order of the Commissioners,

JAMES C. GAVIN,
Secretary to the Commissioners.

I, THE UNDERSIGNED, JAMES JOHN TAINE, hereby make application to register "The Duke of Edinburgh Quartz Mining Company, Macraes, Registered," under the provisions of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act 1865," and I do solemnly and sincerely declare that the following statement is, to my belief and knowledge, true in every particular, namely—

1. The name and style of the Company is "The Duke of Edinburgh Quartz Mining Company, Macraes, Registered."
2. The place of operation is at Macraes Flat.
3. The nominal capital of the Company is £6,000, in 1,200 shares of £5 each.
4. The amount already paid up is £191 10s.
5. The name of the Manager is James John Taine.
6. The Office of the Company is at Dunedin.
7. The names and several residences of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date are as follows :—

James John Taine, Dunedin,	200 shares
John Bathgate,	100 "
James Manning	100 "
Alfred Burton	100 "
Walter Burton	80 "
Henry Horatio Kitchener, Dunedin,	100 "
William Imerie, Macraes	80 "
John Chisholm, Taieri Lake Station,	55 "
George Walker, Macraes	55 "
Charles Seymour,	55 "
John Douglas, Palmerston	55 "

JAMES J. TAINE, Manager.

Dated this 30th day of March, 1869.

Witness to signature—

17s. THOMAS DICK, Justice of the Peace.
(Copy.)

THE Partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned, as Sheep Farmers, &c., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

Dated at Dunedin this sixth day of March, 1869.

MATTHEW HOLMES,
I. L. BARNHILL,
M. R. BUCHAN.

Witness to the signatures of Matthew Holmes, T. L.
Barnhill, and M. R. Buchannan,
2t—12s. JAS. CRICHTON.

From the *New Zealand Gazette*, March 3, 1869, No. 13.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
(Judicial Branch,)

Wellington, 2nd March, 1869.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation by

JOHN RICHARD JONES, Esq.,
of his appointment as a Justice of the Peace.

E. W. STAFFORD.

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-sixth day of February, 1869.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act 1865," it is enacted that the Governor in Council may from time to time appoint in and for each mining district some proper person to be Official Agent in and for such district, and may require of such person such security as he shall think fit:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, by

and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of New Zealand, doth hereby appoint

GEORGE FACHE, Esq.,

of Clyde, in the Province of Otago, to be Official Agent, subject to the provisions contained in the said Act, in and for the Mining District of the Otago Gold Fields, *vice* H. J. Cope, Esq., resigned, and doth hereby require of the said George Fache security by bond, with two approved sureties, in the form and to the amount specified in the Schedule hereto.

FORSTER GORING,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

(From the *New Zealand Gazette*, 11th March, 1869, No. 14.)

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of March, 1869.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Salmon and Trout Act 1867," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, by Order in Council published in the *Government Gazette*, from time to time to declare that, in any part or parts of the Colony, the fish mentioned in the second section of the said Act, or any other fish, shall be protected, and come under the operation of such of the provisions of the said Act as may be specified in such Order in Council :

Now, therefore, His Excellency Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Governor of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Colony, doth hereby, in pursuance and exercise of the powers for that purpose vested in him by the said Act, declare that in the Province of Otago the fish mentioned in the second section of the said Act shall be protected, and come under the operation of all the provisions of the said Act.

FORSTER GORING,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

(From the *New Zealand Gazette*, March 19, 1869, No. 15.)

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME,
GREETING :

WHEREAS by "The Regulation of Elections Act, 1858," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, by warrant under his hand, from time to time to appoint polling places for each Electoral District, within or without the limits thereof, and to appoint any one of such places to be the principal polling place for the district, and all or any of such polling places at any time to abolish, and to appoint other polling places in lieu thereof :

Now therefore the Governor of New Zealand, in pursuance of the power and authority in him vested by the said Acts, doth hereby appoint the following place to be an additional polling place for the Electoral District hereinafter specified, for the election of Members of the House of Representatives, namely :—

For the District of Waikouaiti—

The School house, MacRae's Flat.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir George Ferguson Bowen, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same, at the Government House at Wellington, this seventeenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine.

E. W. STAFFORD.

Colonial Secretary's Office,

Wellington, 17th March, 1869.

IT is hereby notified that a commission has been issued, under the hand of his Excellency the Governor, in

Council and the Seal of the Colony, appointing the following gentlemen, viz. :—

BRYAN CECIL HAGGITT, Esq.,

JOHN TURNBULL THOMSON, Esq., and

GEORGE COOK, Esq.,

to inquire into and report upon the mode of preparing Crown Grants of land in the Colony of New Zealand, and particularly to inquire into the mode of describing the land comprised in such grants, both by words and by plans, and as to any alterations and improvements which may be made in such mode : and His Excellency has also appointed the said Bryan Cecil Haggitt to be the Chairman of the said Commission.

E. W. STAFFORD.

Colonial Secretary's Office,

Wellington, 17th March, 1869.

IT is hereby notified that a Writ issued for the election of a Member of the House of Representatives for the District of the City of Dunedin, has been returned with a Certificate to the effect that

THOMAS BIRCH,

of Dunedin, Leaseholder, has been duly elected.

E. W. STAFFORD.

Colonial Secretary's Office,

(Judicial Branch),

Wellington, 13th March, 1869.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the following gentleman to be a Justice of the peace for the Colony :—

* * * * *

HARRY GORDON GLASSFORD, of Matakauui, Otago, Esquire.

E. W. STAFFORD.

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by the "Salmon and Trout Act 1867," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, by Order in Council under his hand and the Public Seal of the Colony, from time to time to delegate to the Superintendent or the Provincial Executive of any Province, or to such other person as the Governor may think fit, all or any of the powers vested in the Governor or the Governor in Council by the said Act :

Now, therefore, His Excellency Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Governor of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Colony, doth hereby, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers and authorities for that purpose vested in him by the said Act, and by "The Governor's Delegation Act 1867," delegate to the Executive Government of the Province of Otago all the powers vested in the Governor or the Governor in Council by "The Salmon and Trout Act 1867," exercisable within the Province aforesaid.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir George Ferguson Bowen, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same, at the Government House, at Wellington ; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, this twenty-fourth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine.

Approved in Council.

FORSTER GORING,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by the "The Petty Sessions Act 1865," it is enacted that as soon as conveniently may be after the establishment of a Petty Sessions

District, and afterwards from time to time as may be deemed expedient, the Governor shall, by proclamation in the *New Zealand Gazette*, appoint a meeting of the Justices of the Peace resident in such district to be yearly held within such district at some specified time and place, for the purpose of choosing a Chairman of Petty Sessions and settling a rota of attendance: And whereas by an Order in Council bearing date the twenty-second day of July, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, certain Petty Sessions Districts, including amongst others the districts hereinafter named, were defined and established: And whereas by a Proclamation bearing date the twenty-fourth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, certain times and places for the meetings of the Justices of the Peace resident in the districts hereinafter named were proclaimed and appointed: And whereas it is expedient that the times of meeting proclaimed and appointed by such Proclamation should be altered:

Now therefore I, Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Governor of New Zealand, in pursuance and in exercise of the power and authority in that behalf vested in me, do hereby proclaim and appoint that for each of the districts named in the Schedule hereto a meeting of the Justices of the Peace resident within such district shall be yearly held at the place whereof the name is in the said Schedule set opposite to the name of such district, at twelve o'clock noon, on the day set opposite the name of such place in the said Schedule, for the purpose of choosing a Chairman of Petty Sessions and settling a rota of attendance.

Name of District.	Place of Meeting.	Time of Meeting.
Te Anau ...	Residence of Messrs. Butler and Poynter, Mararoa.	Third Tuesday in May in each year.
Lawrence ...	Court House, Lawrence.	Third Tuesday in May in each year.
Cromwell District	Court House, Cromwell.	First Wednesday in January in each year.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir George Ferguson Bowen, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same, at the Government House at Wellington; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, this nineteenth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine.

E. W. STAFFORD.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

WHEREAS by "The Otago Municipal Corporations Empowering Act 1865," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor to appoint the person elected to be Mayor of any city or incorporated town as therein mentioned to be a Justice of the Peace for the Colony, provided that in every such case such appointment shall continue no longer than the mayoralty of such person: And whereas Horace Bastings, Esquire, has been elected Mayor of the Municipality of Lawrence:

Now therefore I, Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Governor of New Zealand, in pursuance and in exercise of the power and authority vested in me in that behalf,

HORACE BASTINGS, Esq.,
to be a Justice of the Peace for the Colony of New Zealand.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir George Ferguson Bowen, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-third day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine.

E. W. STAFFORD.

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

IN exercise and pursuance of the powers vested in me by "The Weights and Measures Act 1868," I, Sir George Ferguson Bowen, G.C.M.G., the Governor of New Zealand, do hereby direct that the authorised copies of the Standard Weights and Measures issued and to be issued under the provisions of the said Act to the several Inspectors of Weights and Measures for the Districts, Provinces, and Counties named in the first column of the Schedule hereunder written, shall be kept therein at the several places of deposit the names whereof are in the second column of the said Schedule set opposite the names of the said Districts, Provinces, and Counties respectively, in the respective buildings the descriptions whereof are in the third column of the said Schedule set opposite the names of such places of deposit respectively.

SCHEDULE.

1st Column.	2nd Column.	3rd Column.
DISTRICT, PROVINCE, OR COUNTY.	PLACE OF DEPOSIT.	DESCRIPTION OF BUILDING
* * * Dunedin ...	* * * Ditto at Dunedin ...	* * * Central Police Station Dunedin.
Hawksbury	Ditto at Waikouaiti	Police Station, Waikouaiti.
Tokomairiro	Ditto at Tokomairiro	" " Tokomairiro.
Tuapeka	Ditto at Lawrence ...	" " Lawrence.
Mount Ida	Ditto at Naseby ...	" " Naseby.
Dunstan	Ditto at Clyde ...	" " Clyde.
Wakatipu	Ditto at Queenstown	" " Queenstown.
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Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir George Ferguson Bowen, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-fifth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine.

E. W. STAFFORD.

(From the *New Zealand Gazette*, March 25, 1869, No. 16.)

Treasury,

Wellington, 25th March, 1869.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM DICK MURISON, Esq.,

to be Deputy Auditor for the Province of Otago, under the provisions of "The Provincial Audit Act, 1866."

E. W. STAFFORD.