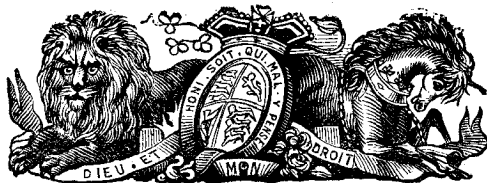


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[WITH SUPPLEMENT.]

PROCLAMATION :

By His Honor James Macandrew, Superintendent of the Province of Otago.

I, JAMES MACANDREW, Esquire, Superintendent of the Province of Otago, do, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in me in this behalf by the "Roads Diversion Ordinance 1868," hereby proclaim and declare that all those roads and all those portions of roads in the Province of Otago, mentioned and referred to in the said "Roads Diversion Ordinance 1868," and particularly described in the Schedule hereto, shall, from and after the day of the date hereof, cease to be public roads or thoroughfares, and shall no longer form part part of the public roads in the several Road Districts in the Province of Otago, mentioned in the Schedule to the said Ordinance annexed.

SCHEDULE.

Broad Bay Road District No. 18.

All that area in the Province of Otago, containing by admeasurement 2a. Or. 19p., more or less, being a road line situate in the Otago Peninsula Survey District; bounded towards the north-west and north-east by sections numbered 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, and part of No. 35, block VII, Portobello Survey District, 3560 links, more or less; and on the south-west and south-east by section No. 19, block II, Otago Peninsula Survey District, 3500 links, more or less.

Given under my hand and issued under the Public Seal of the Province of Otago, this eighth day of September, 1869.

(L.S.)

J. MACANDREW, Superintendent.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Gold Mining Leases granted to the undermentioned persons:—
Edward Alexander Withers, for section 16, Blackstone District;

James Taylor and others, for section 6, Blackstone District;
Joshua Storey and others, for section 9, Blackstone District;
Richard Jackson, for section 4, Blackstone District;
Peter Howard and others, for section 7, Blackstone District;
Edward Walsh and others, for section 3, Blackstone District;
Samuel Jones, for section 14, Skipper's Creek District;
The Skipper's Creek Quartz Mining Company, for 4 acres and 3 perches of land, situate at the Scandinavian Reef, Skipper's, adjoining the "Rose Diamond" Company's Claim;
for Gold Mining purposes, has been cancelled, and that the said land is open for occupation by holders of Miners' Rights.

D. REID,

Secretary for Land and Works.

Land and Works Office,
Dunedin, 31st August, 1869.

Land and Works Office,
Dunedin, 8th September, 1869.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Gold Mining Leases prepared in favor of the undermentioned persons have been cancelled by the Government:—
James Duff, section 1, Blackstone District
Thomas Connor, section 2, Highlay District
James M'Kay, section 3, Highlay District
Edward M'Kane, section 1, Highlay District
Edward Clark, section 5, Highlay District;
and the said land is now open for application by holders of Miners' Rights.

D. REID,

Secretary for Land and Works.

Land and Works Office,
Dunedin, 8th September, 1869.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the application of George Butler Bond and others, for a Mining Lease of fifteen acres of land, adjoining Pierce and Party's Claim, Cardrona, has been refused by the Government, and the said land is now open for occupation by holders of Miners' Rights.

D. REID,
Secretary for Land and Works.

Land and Works Office,
Dunedin, 8th September, 1869.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Government have refused the applications for Agricultural Leases of the undermentioned persons:—

James Boreland, for sections 29 and 30, Moa Flat Block, Mount Benger
John Campbell, for sections 2 and 3, block 4, Table Hill;

And the above sections are now re-open for application for Agricultural purposes.

D. REID,
Secretary for Land and Works.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS taken at
DUNEDIN, for the Month of AUGUST, 1869.

At 9 a.m. daily.

Lat. 45° 52' 11" S. Long. 170° 31' 7" E.

Altitude above Sea, 550 feet.

Barometer (reduced to 32° Fah. and sea level.)
Mean atmospheric pressure for month 29.923 inches
Highest pressure (on 19th) ... 30.238 "
Lowest pressure (on 10th) ... 29.508 "
Range for month730 "

Temperature in Shade.
Approx. mean temperature for month 44.6 Fah.
Mean maximum temperature... 50.5 "
Mean minimum temperature ... 38.7 "
Mean daily range of temperature ... 11.8 "
Highest maxim. temperature (on 28th) 63.0 "
Lowest minim. temperature (on 12th) 32.0 "
Extreme range for the month ... 31.0 "
Mean temp. of evaporation ... 41.4 "

Solar Radiation.
Maximum (on 31st) ... 110 "
Minimum (on 19th) ... 52 "
Mean for month ... 73 "

Terrestrial Radiation.
Maximum (on 30th) ... 34 "
Minimum (on 24th) ... 18 "
Mean for month ... 25 "

Mean degree of humidity (Saturation = 100) ...	} Computed from the monthly means of wet and dry bulb thermometers.	} 76.2 "	
Mean elast. force of vapour ...			} 226 inches.
Mean temp. of dew point ...			
Total rainfall on 17 days ...	1.507 inches.		
Greatest rainfall in one day (on 25th)370 "		
Mean amount of sky covered (overcast, = 10) ...	5		
Wind: Mean velocity per day for month	82 miles.		
Greatest velocity observed for 24 hours (on 13th) ...	370 "		

Number of days on which the wind blew from each point:—

N.	N.E.	E.	SE.	S.	S.W.	W.	N.W.	Calm.
3	1	0	0	1	2	10	1	13

REMARKS.

Snow on 12th; Fog on 1st.

NOTE.—The results of all the self-registering instruments were recorded on the dates above given, and therefore occurred during the preceding 24 hours.

HENRY SKEY.

THE PARTNERSHIP entered into for three months, between Ralph Steele Nicolson and Robert Souter, as Printers, &c., under the style of Reith, Nicholson, and Souter, expired on the 30th of April, 1869. 2s.6d.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—The Partnership hitherto subsisting between John Bernard Ludwig Luks and George William Luks, trading under the style and firm of Luks Brothers, hotel and storekeepers, has been dissolved this day by mutual consent.

The business from this date will be carried on by said J. B. L. Luks, who will pay and collect all accounts due by and to the late firm.

Waihemo, this first day of September, 1869.

J. B. L. LUKS,
G. W. LUKS.

Witness to signatures—

THOMAS ROBERTSON. 3s. 2d.

BALANCE SHEET OF THE BLUE SPUR SLUICING COMPANY (REGISTERED):—

	Dr.	£	s.	d.
To Capital		2838	0	0
" Tribute		86	8	0
" Bank of New Zealand, Dunedin ...		67	2	4
		<u>£2991</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>4</u>
	Cr.	£	s.	d.
By Claim		2000	0	0
" Wages		33	2	6
" Working Expenses		163	1	0
" Bank of New Zealand, Lawrence ...		56	8	0
" Profit and Loss, balance from 26th October, 1867		738	18	10
		<u>£2991</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>4</u>

J. AITKEN CONNELL, Manager.

Dunedin, 6th September, 1869. 10s.

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Colonial Secretary's Office,
(Judicial Branch,)

Wellington, 1st September, 1869.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES SEATON, Esq.,
of Portobello, and

WILLIAM MARTIN, Esq.,
of Green Island, in the Province of Otago, to be Justices of the Peace for the Colony.

W. GISBORNE.