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James Macandre  
Superintendent of the  
Province of Otago. }

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Provincial Government Buildings, Dunedin, the tenth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

Present :

HIS HONOR THE SUPERINTENDENT,  
DONALD REID,  
JOHN LILLIE GILLIES, and  
GEORGE DUNCAN, Esquires,

Members of the Executive Council of the Province of Otago, being also Members of the Provincial Council of the said Province.

**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 the twenty-ninth day of January one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven constitute and appoint all the territory therein described (including amongst other lands the lands described in the Schedule hereto), to be a Gold Field, under the provisions of the "Gold Fields Act 1866" to be called the "Otago Gold Field;" And whereas by the "Gold Fields Act Amendment Act 1867" it is enacted that within any Province 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 forty-nine of the "Gold Fields Act 1866" it is provided that if a Depasturing Lease or License shall not at the date of the passing of the said Act have been granted or shall have been or shall be cancelled over any Crown Lands within a Gold Field it shall be lawful for the Governor from time to time by proclamation to declare such lands or any part thereof open for sale or selection in sections of such size and form as he may determine and any lands so proclaimed may thereafter be sold at a like price and subject to the like

terms and conditions or as near thereto as may be as Crown Lands of the same class not within a Gold Field and it shall not be necessary to withdraw lands from the operation of the said Act for the purposes aforesaid. And whereas all Depasturing Licenses existing over the Crown Lands specified in the Schedule hereto have been cancelled: And whereas the Executive Government of the Province of Otago have determined to open up for sale the Crown Lands specified in the Schedule hereto in sections of the size and form in which the same have already been surveyed and as the same are laid off and delineated in the maps of the Chief Surveyor of the Province of Otago relative thereto: Now therefore His Honor James Macandrew, Superintendent of the Province of Otago by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Province doth hereby by virtue and in exercise of the powers delegated to the Executive Government of the said Province in this behalf by His Excellency the Governor of New Zealand in Council under the authority of the "Gold Fields Act Amendment Act 1867" and of any and every other power in anywise enabling the said Executive Government in this behalf proclaim and declare that from and after the 18th day of January 1871 all the Crown Lands specified in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale in sections of the size and form in which such lands respectively have already been surveyed and as the same are laid off and delineated on the map in the Office of the Chief Surveyor of the Province of Otago relative thereto.

SCHEDULE.

*Town of Naseby.*

Sections 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10, 11, 12, Block II.

Sections 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, Block III.

As delineated on the record map of the above districts deposited in the Survey Office, Dunedin.

ALEX. WILLIS,

Clerk to the Executive Council.

James Macandrew,  
Superintendent  
of the Province of Otago.

ORDER IN COUNCIL,

At the Provincial Government Buildings, Dunedin, the seventeenth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

Present:

HIS HONOR THE SUPERINTENDENT,

GEORGE DUNCAN, and

JOHN LILLIE GILLIES, Esquires,

Members of the Executive Council of the Province of Otago, being also Members of the Provincial Council of the said Province.

WHEREAS 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 the twenty-ninth day of January one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven constitute and appoint all the territory therein described (including amongst other lands the lands described in the Schedule hereto) and comprising certain sections in blocks II and III, Table Hill District, to be a Gold Field, under the provisions of the "Gold Fields Act 1866" to be called the "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 Clause forty-nine of the "Gold Fields Act 1866" it is provided that if a Depasturing Lease or License shall not at the date of the passing of the said Act have been granted or shall have been or shall be cancelled over any Crown Lands within a Gold Field it shall be lawful for the Governor from time to time by proclamation to declare such lands or any part thereof open for sale or selection in sections of such size and form as he may determine and any lands so proclaimed may thereafter be sold at a like price and subject to the like terms and conditions or as near thereto as may be as Crown Lands of the same class not within a Gold Field and it shall not be necessary to withdraw lands from the operation of the said Act for the purposes aforesaid: And whereas at the date of the passing of the "Gold Fields Act 1866," all Depasturing Licenses hitherto existing over the Crown Lands situated in blocks II and III, Table Hill District, as the same are described in the Schedule hereto had been cancelled: And whereas the Executive Government of the Province of Otago have determined to open up for sale the Surveyed Crown Lands situated and being within the said blocks II and III, Table Hill District, in sections of the size and form in which the same have already been surveyed and as the same are laid off and delineated in the maps of the Chief Surveyor of the Province of Otago relative thereto: Now therefore His Honor James Macandrew, Superintendent of the Province of Otago by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Province doth hereby by virtue and in exercise of the powers delegated to the Executive Government of the said Province in this behalf by His Excellency the Governor of New Zealand in Council, under the authority of the "Gold Fields Act Amendment Act 1867" and of any and every other power in anywise enabling the said Executive Government in this behalf, proclaim and declare that from and after the date hereof all the Surveyed Crown Lands in the said blocks II and III, Table Hill District, specified in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale in sections of the size and form in which such lands respectively have already been surveyed, and as the same are laid off and delineated on the map in the office of the Chief Surveyor of the Province of Otago relative thereto.

SCHEDULE.

Half of Section 1, Block LII

" 2 "

" 3 "

Half of Section 1, Block LII.

" 9 "

" 11 "

" 12 "

Section 3, Block XLVII

" 4 "

" 1, Block XLVI

" 9 "

" 11 "

Tokomairiro Survey District, as delineated on the record map of the said district, deposited in the Survey Office, Dunedin.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk to the Executive Council.

**PRIVATE PETITIONS.**—The following resolution by the Private Petitions Committee, which was afterwards adopted by the Provincial Council, is published for general information:—

"In concluding their labours, your Committee would recommend to the consideration of the Council the advisability of laying down as a rule of this House, that all Petitions should be first submitted to the Government, if possible, during the recess, before being presented to the Provincial Council; so that the Government may be prepared beforehand with any evidence they wish to procure bearing on the prayer of the Petitions; and all applications for Reserves should be made to the Government during the recess, and brought down to the Council with their opinion thereon.

"JOHN L. GILLIES, Chairman.

"Dunedin, December 5, 1870."

**ABSTRACT FROM PREVIOUS GAZETTES**  
of Impounding Notices:—

- 20th January, Friday noon, a Bull will be sold at Wai-  
pori Pound.
- 20th January, Friday noon, a Heifer will be sold at  
Leaning Rock Pound, Clyde.
- 20th January, Friday noon, a chestnut Mare will be  
sold at South Dunedin Pound.
- 27th January, Friday noon, a filly and a gelding will  
be sold at Clyde Pound.
- 27th January, Friday noon, a bull will be sold at Toko-  
mairiro Pound.
- 27th January, Friday noon, a mare will be sold at  
Hawksbury Pound.

**TENDERS** will be received at the Office of the Secretary for Land and Works, until noon of Monday, 23rd instant, for

- 1st. Contract No. 61.—Survey of 5000 acres, Benger district.
- 2nd. Contract No. 62.—Survey of 2500 acres, Teviot district.
- 3rd. Contract No. 63.—Survey of 2500 acres, Blackstone district.
- 4th. Contract No. 64.—Survey of 5000 acres, Earnslaw and Dart districts.
- 5th. Contract No. 65.—Survey of 5000 acres, Upper Wakatipu district.
- 6th. Contract No. 66.—Survey of 2500 acres, Highlay and Budle districts.
- 7th. Contract No. 67.—Survey of 2500 acres, Lower Wanaka and Cardrona districts.

All into Sections of about 50 acres each.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and forms of Tender obtained, at the Survey Office, Dunedin.

Tenders to be endorsed "Tender for Contract 61," 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, or 67, as the case may be; and to be accompanied by the usual deposit.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

D. REID,  
Secretary for Land and Works.

9th January, 1871.

**TENDERS** will be received at the Office of the Secretary for Land and Works until noon of Friday, 3rd February, for

Contract No. 543—Construction of a Stone and Timber Foot Bridge at Evan's Flat.

Plans and Specifications may be seen, and forms of tender obtained at the Office of the Engineer of Roads and Works Dunedin, or at Police Station, Lawrence.

Tenders to be indorsed "Roads and Works Tender for Contract No. 543.

The Government does not undertake to accept the lowest or any tender.

D. REID,  
Secretary for Lands and Works.  
Dunedin, Jan. 10th, 1871.

**TENDERS** will be received at the Office of the Secretary for Land and Works until noon of Friday, 3rd February, for

Contract No. 552—Constructing of a Bridge over Winding Creek on the Road Beaumont to Switzers.

Plans and Specifications may be seen, and forms of tender obtained at the Office of the Engineer of Roads and Works, Dunedin, or at Police Station Switzers.

Tenders to be endorsed "Roads and Works Tender for Contract No. 552."

The Government does not undertake to accept the lowest or any tender.

D. REID,  
Secretary for Land and Works.  
Dunedin, Jan. 10th, 1871.

**TENDERS** will be received at the Office of the Secretary for Land and Works until noon of Friday, 3rd February, for

Contract No. 544—Construction of a Foot Bridge over the Pomahaka River, on the Road Beaumont to Switzers.

Plans and Specifications may be seen, and forms of tender obtained, at the Office, of the Engineer of Roads and Works, Dunedin, or at Police Station, Tapanui.

Tenders to be endorsed "Roads and Works Tender for Contract No. 544."

The Government does not undertake to accept the lowest or any tender.

D. REID,  
Secretary for Land and Works.  
Dunedin, Jan. 10th, 1871.

**TENDERS** will be received at the Office of the Secretary for Land and Works until noon of Friday, 3rd February, for

Contract No. 466—Gravelling a portion of the Road "Tokomairiro to Tuapeka."

Plans and Specifications may be seen and forms of tender obtained at the Office of the Engineer of Roads and Works, Dunedin, or at Police Station, Lawrence.

Tenders to be indorsed "Roads and Works Tender for Contract No. 466."

The Government does not undertake to accept the lowest or any tender.

D. REID,  
Secretary for Land and Works.  
Dunedin, Jan. 16th, 1871.

**NOTICE.**—Broad Bay Road Board request tenders for the following Works. Tenders in every case to be sent to the various parties authorised to show the Work, not later than noon of the 27th instant.

- 1st. Clearing and forming of 20 Chains, more or less of Road Line No. 1. Specifications and Work will be shewn by Mr. George Wallace, between the hours of 12 and 1 of 26th instant.
- 2nd. Formation of 6 Chains, more or less of Road No. 2. Mr. Wallace to shew Work and Specifications between the hours of 1 and 2 p.m. of 26th inst.
- 3rd. For certain alterations on No. 3 Road Line. Work and Specifications to be shewn by Mr.

Stewart, Lime Kilns, on the 26th instant, between the hours of 12 and 1 p.m.

4th. Formation of 50 Chains more or less of Beach Road, No. 4. Mr. Raynbird will shew intending Contractors the Work and Specifications between the hours of 2 and 4 of 25th instant.

5th. For Clearing Beach Track between Jetty and Mr. Anderson's. Mr. Raynbird to shew Work, &c., between 1 and 2 of 25th instant.—(No. 5.)

6th. Clearing and formation of 27 Chains, more or less of No. 6. Mr. Dick will shew the Specifications, &c., between the hours of 10 and 11 a.m. of 27th instant.

7th. For certain Repairs and Metalling of Road, No. 7. Mr. Seaton will shew work, &c., up till noon of 26th instant.

\*8th. For Clearing and forming of 20 Chains, more or less of Road No. 8. Work, &c., will be shewn by Mr. Seaton, up till noon of 26th instant.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Broad Bay, 16th January, 1871.

**PORTOBELLO ROAD BOARD.**—Tenders will be received until Saturday, 28th instant, for Breaking 700 Yards, more or less of Road Metal, in three separate tenders. Specifications to be seen by applying to James North, or William Dickson. W. M. DICKSON, Clerk to Portobello Road Board, 9th Jan., 1871.

**FLAGSTAFF ROAD DISTRICT.**—To Contractors—Tenders are wanted by the Flagstaff Road Board for the Construction of Road Works, four different Sections, at the Whare Flat.

The Drawings and Specifications to be seen at the Engineer's Office, Rattray street, where forms of tender, and schedules of quantities may be obtained.

Tenders properly endorsed and addressed to the Chairman of the Flagstaff Road Board, to be sent in by noon of Saturday, the 28th instant.

The lowest or any tender may not be accepted.—By order of the Board. DONALD A. McLEOD, Civil Engineer. Rattray Street, Dunedin, 17th January, 1871.

**NOTICE.—MERTON ROAD BOARD.** Tenders wanted for several works about to be executed by the Merton Local Road Board.

Plans and specifications for the works in the Round Hill District can be seen at the house of Mr Robert Allan, Merton; for the works in the Paturau District at the house of Mr Charles Russell, Merton; and for the works near Brynn's Point at the house of Mr Daniel O'Connell, Merton.

Mr Allan will show the works on Thursday, the 26th inst., starting from Mr M'Kane's house at 9 o'clock a.m., from Mr Kenyon's at 10 o'clock a.m., from Mr Bradford's at half-past 11 o'clock a.m., from Mr Murray's at 1 o'clock p.m., from Mr Thomas Whyte's at 2 o'clock p.m., and from Mr Grainger's at 5 o'clock p.m.

Tenders will be received by Mr Allan up to Saturday, the 28th inst., 5 o'clock p.m.

The Board do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

ROBERT ALLAN, Clerk.

Merton, 12th January, 1871.

**CLARENDON ROAD DISTRICT.**—Tenders will be received by the undersigned till the evening of Saturday, 11th Feb., for 32 Chains, more or less of Side Cuttings on Main District Road.

Intending Contractors, by meeting at end of Road leading to Mr. John Shennan's, on Thursday, 9th Feb., at 10 o'clock, will be shown the Work by Mr. Neil

M'Bride. Specifications can be seen at Post Office, Berwick. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

R. B. TWELFTREE,  
Clerk to Board.

Lake Waipori, 14th Jan., 1870.

#### SALE OF LAND BY AUCTION.

*Sections fronting Princes street south, Manor, Bond, and Police streets.*

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that sections 1 and 2, and 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, and 35, block XLII, Dunedin, will be offered for sale by public auction by Mr. James Milner, on the ground, on Thursday, the 26th January, 1871. Conditions at sale.

Plans can be seen at the Land Office, Dunedin, and at the office of the Auctioneer, Commercial Sale Yards, Dunedin.

Government Offices, Dunedin,  
January 9th, 1871.

**NOTICE.**—Tenders are wanted for Formation and Metalling of Roads by Ashleydowns Road Board. Plans and specifications may be seen at Waiwera Hotel, from the 28th inst. to January 9, 1871.

**GROWING OATS FOR SALE.**—Tenders will be received at the Provincial Government Offices, Dunedin, until noon of Monday, 23rd January, 1871, for 4½ acres, more or less, of Growing Oats, at Industrial School, Look-out Point. Terms cash.

#### WASTE LAND BOARD ADVERTISEMENTS.

*Monday, 13th February, at noon.*

**NOTICE** is hereby given that a sale by auction of the exclusive right to depasture stock on sections 1, 2, and 3, (being Clutha Sand Spit), Coast district, for 1871, will take place at the Auction Rooms of Mr. R. W. Capstick, Tokomairiro, on Monday the 13th day of February next at noon. Upset price of License £10.

Also, at the same time and place, Section 31, Block I, Clarendon District, will be offered for sale by auction, at the upset price of 10s. per acre.

J. T. THOMSON,  
Chief Commissioner.

\*Waste Land Board Office,  
Dunedin, 10th January, 1871.

#### HUNDREDS PASTURAGE.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the Waste Land Board has agreed to extend the time for receiving the return of Stock desired to be depastured on the Hundreds, for the year 1871, to the 1st February, 1871; and settlers are informed that the provisions of the Act will be enforced after that date.

Clause 4 of "Otago Waste Lands Act 1866, Amendment Act 1869" enacts that the persons whose names shall be included in the published lists of those who have deposited the return above referred to, to whom licenses shall be issued, and who shall have paid the assessment for the past year, shall have the exclusive right of pasturage on the Waste Lands within the Hundreds.

Those only who may purchase Waste Lands after the 1st February next will have pasturage rights apportioned to them after that date.

Forms of Return and Licenses may be had at the Land Offices, Dunedin and Invercargill, and from the Rangers.

J. T. THOMSON,  
Chief Commissioner.

Waste Land Board Office,  
Dunedin, January 12, 1871.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.—TENDERS ACCEPTED FOR SUPPLIES FOR 1871.

District.	Station.	Name of Tenderer.	Articles Tendered for.	Rate.
Dunstan	Clyde	James Hazlett	Kerosene Oil, per gallon	£ s. d. 0 4 6
"	"	Benjamin Naylor	Prisoners' Rations, Male No. 3...	0 1 8
"	"	"	" " Female No. 3...	0 1 2
"	"	"	" " Male No. 4...	0 1 4
"	"	"	" " Female No. 4...	0 0 10
"	"	"	" " No. 9...	0 1 0
"	Alexandra	"	" " No. 10	0 1 4
"	"	Finlay and Morris	Kerosene Oil, per gallon	0 4 9
"	"	Paget and Milne	Lignite, per ton	1 0 0
"	Cromwell	Nicholas and Jenkins	" " " "	1 0 0
"	Queenstown	George Woodrow	Prisoners' Rations, Male No. 3...	0 1 9
"	"	"	" " Female No. 3...	0 1 3
"	"	"	" " Male No. 4...	0 1 6
"	"	"	" " Female No. 4...	0 1 3
"	"	"	" " No. 9...	0 1 0
"	"	"	" " No. 10...	0 1 0
Tokomairiro	Arrow	Robert Pritchard	Kerosene Oil, per gallon	0 5 6
"	Balclutha	Stewart and Gow	" " " "	0 3 4
"	"	Thompson and Co	Prisoners' Rations, Male No. 3...	0 1 3
"	"	"	" " Female No. 3...	0 0 10
"	"	"	" " Male No. 4...	0 0 9
"	"	"	" " Female No. 4...	0 0 8
"	"	"	" " No. 9...	0 0 6
"	"	"	" " No. 10...	0 1 1
Mount Ida	Naseby	E. Nicholas	Kerosene Oil, per gallon	0 4 6
"	"	William M'Cready	Lignite, per ton	2 2 0
"	"	"	Firewood, per bundle	0 3 0
"	"	Robert Aitken	Prisoners' Rations, Male No. 3...	0 1 2½
"	"	"	" " Female No. 3...	0 1 1
"	"	"	" " Male No. 4...	0 1 0
"	"	"	" " No. 5...	0 0 9
Mount Ida	Saint Bathans	Caleb Dongee	Lignite, per ton	1 0 0
"	Macraes	Thomas Graham	" " " "	2 17 6
"	"	Claffy Brothers	Kerosene Oil, per gallon	0 4 4
Tuapeka	Saint Bathans	William Pyle	" " " "	0 5 0
"	Lawrence	James Harris	" " " "	0 3 9
"	"	George Liston	Lignite, per ton	1 0 0
"	"	George Thomson	Firewood, per cord	2 12 6
"	Teviot	John E. Leighton	Kerosene Oil, per gallon	0 5 0
"	"	John Crossan	Lignite, per ton	1 0 0
"	"	John Crossan	Firewood, per cord	1 0 0
"	Waitahuna	William Auld	Lignite, per ton	0 17 0
"	Switzers	Skene and Hast	Kerosene Oil, per gallon	0 5 6
"	"	Thomas Hast	Firewood, per cord	1 0 0
"	Waipori	H. Cable and Co.	" " " "	3 10 0
Waikouaiti	Waikouaiti	"	Kerosene Oil, per gallon	0 4 3
"	"	A. G. Reid	" " " "	0 3 6
"	"	Michael M'Garry	Firewood, per cord	0 17 6
"	"	A. G. Reid	Prisoners' Rations, Male No. 3...	0 1 9
"	"	"	" " Female No. 3...	0 1 2
"	"	"	" " Male No. 4...	0 1 2
"	"	"	" " Female No. 4...	0 1 1
"	"	"	" " No. 9...	0 0 6
"	"	"	" " No. 10...	0 1 6
"	Palmerston	Robert Johnston	Firewood, per cord	1 10 0
"	"	"	Lignite, per ton	1 10 0
"	"	"	Kerosene Oil, per gallon	0 4 0
"	"	John Douglass	Prisoners' Rations, Male No. 3...	0 1 9
"	"	"	" " Female No. 3...	0 1 2
"	"	"	" " Male No. 4...	0 1 2
"	"	"	" " Female No. 4...	0 1 0
"	"	"	" " No. 9...	0 0 6
"	"	"	" " No. 10...	0 1 2
Oamaru	Oamaru	A. T. S. Headland	Prisoners' Rations, Male No. 3...	0 1 5
"	"	"	" " Female No. 3...	0 0 11
"	"	"	" " Male No. 4...	0 0 10
"	"	"	" " Female No. 4...	0 0 9
"	"	"	" " 9...	0 0 6
"	"	"	" " 10...	0 1 0
"	"	"	Kerosene Oil, per gallon	0 3 9
"	"	Gibson & Simms	Lignite, per ton	1 5 0
"	"	"	Firewood, per cord	4 0 0
"	"	Spence & Grave	Newcastle Coals, per ton	2 14 0

JOHN LOGAN, Storekeeper.

**T**HE *Gazette* may be had gratis by applying to J. Logan, Superintendent's Office, Dunedin. Parties should give with their address the nearest post town.

**T**HE STATUTORY HALF-YEARLY MEETING of the Education Board will be held at the Government Offices, Dunedin, upon Thursday, the 26th of January, 1871, at noon.

JOHN HISLOP, Secretary.

**S**WITZERS DISTRICT SCHOOL.—Wanted, a duly certified Teacher for the above School. Salary £200 per annum. Applications, with testimonials, to be sent to Mr. M. T. Blackburn, Secretary, School Committee, Switzers, on or before the 28th January, 1871.

**N**OTICE TO ADVERTISERS IN GAZETTE.—All advertisements for insertion in Gazette, other than those from Road Boards, &c., which are inserted free, must from this date be accompanied by a cheque (or cash) for the full amount, including, if from a country district, 1s for exchange, otherwise they will not be inserted. The charge is 6d per line of 7 words.

January 10, 1871.

**S**ANDYMOUNT.—Those who have not paid their Road Rates for 1870-71 in the above named district are requested to do so by the 1st of February, 1871.—WALTER RIDGELL, Collector.

**C**HALFONT ROAD BOARD. NOTICE.—Ratepayers are requested to pay the amount of their respective Rates to me, at my house, Bellgrove, on or before the 27th January current, otherwise legal proceedings will be taken for the recovery of the same. ALEXANDER YOUNG, Collector.

**T**HE Ratepayers within the N. E. Harbor Road District who have not yet paid their Rates for the year 1870-71 are hereby notified that unless payment be made within 14 days from this date, legal means will be adopted to recover the same. Payment to be made to me at my house, Airlie Bank. ROBERT CHRISTIE, Collector.

**N**OTICE.—Broad Bay. Parties in arrear with their Road Rates are requested to pay the same to me on or before the 18th inst., otherwise proceedings will be taken to recover the same at once. JAMES ROBERT DICK, Collector. Broad Bay, 12th January, 1871.

**N**OTICE.—Popotunoa Road Board. The precept having been issued by the General Road Board for the collection of the Highway Rate in the above district, Ratepayers are requested to pay the amount of their respective Rates to me at my house, on or before the 7th day of February, 1871. MATTHEW PATERSON, Clerk and Collector. January 12, 1871.

**W**AIWERA ROAD BOARD.—Those who have not paid their Road Rates are requested to do so to me on or before the 7th day of February, 1871. MATTHEW PATERSON, Clerk and Collector. January 12, 1871.

**P**URAKANUI ROAD BOARD.—Application by the above Road Board will be made to the General Road Board at its next meeting in February for authority to levy a general Road Rate of 6d per acre throughout the district for the year 1870-71.

The Assessment Roll lies open at the house of the undersigned, and can be inspected by all persons claiming to be affected thereby between the hours of 10 and 4 o'clock on any day not being Sunday. JOSEPH MAWSON, Clerk and Collector. Purakanui, Jan. 9th, 1871.

#### NOTICE TO POUNDKEEPERS.

**P**OUNDKEEPERS who have failed to make the returns to the Provincial Treasury, as provided by the ordinance, are reminded that they are liable to a penalty of £20.

**W**AIPORI POUND.—The two Mares Impounded on the 19th December, 1870, have been Claimed.

JAMES HENDERSON,  
Pound Keeper.

12th January, 1871.

**I**MPOUNDED on the eighth day of January, 1871, light bay mare, blaze, near hind foot white, branded 8 near shoulder, saddle marked, by J. D. Feraud, Monte Christo Farm, owner unknown, for trespassing on farm, destroying crop and fences, for which four shillings damages are claimed, and in default of being released, the above mare will be sold at the public pound at Leaning Rock, Clyde, on Friday, 3rd February, 1871—WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Poundkeeper of the Leaning Rock, Clyde Pound.

**I**MPOUNDED on the 6th day of January, 1871, by Sergeant Bullen, one dark red young bull, white spot on forehead, also white spots on belly, no visible brand, owner unknown, for trespassing on the streets of Oamaru, for which 15s (driving in expense) is claimed, and in default of being released, the above bull will be sold at the Public Pound at Oamaru, on Friday, the 27th January, 1871, at 12 o'clock noon.—JOHN GRAY, Poundkeeper of the Oamaru Pound.

**I**MPOUNDED on the 14th day of January, 1871, one bay mare, branded OH off shoulder, few grey hairs on forehead, off hind foot white; one brown mare, S off shoulder, enlargement on near fore knee; one red and white bullock, S near rump, piece out of left ear, by C. McGrigor, Shag Valley, owners unknown, for trespassing on grass paddocks at Clevedon, for which 5s 6d each damages is claimed, and in default of being released, the above cattle will be sold at the Public Pound at Hawkesbury on Friday, the 3rd February, 1871, at 12 o'clock noon.—ARCHIBALD VALENTINE, Poundkeeper of the Hawkesbury Pound.

**S**TATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Undaunted Water Race and Mining Company Registered," for the half-year ended Decem. 31, 1870, in accordance with Section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act, Amendment Act, 1869.

Name of Company—"Undaunted Water Race and Mining Company."

When formed, and date of Registration—May 4th, 1867.

Where business, and name of legal manager—Naseby, Mount Ida, Walter Inder.

Nominal Capital—£6000.

Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders—All.

Number of Shares in which Capital is divided—300.

Number of Shares taken—300.

Amount of Calls made—None.

Total Amount of Subscribed Capital paid up—Not on record.

Number of Shareholders at time of Registration of Company—10.

Amount of Cash in hand—None.

Whether in operation or not—In operation.

Total Amount of Dividends declared—None.

Number of Shares Unallotted—None.

WALTER INDER,

15s.

January 6th, 1871.

**T**HE Partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned Robert Neill, James Denny Rankin, George Munro, and Percival Clay Neill, trading as M'Callum, Neill and Co., in Melbourne, Victoria, and Dunedin, New Zealand, is this day dissolved by effluxion of time.

The business in Dunedin will in future be carried on by Percival Clay Neill as heretofore (who has disposed of his interest in the Melbourne business), under the style or firm of Neill and Co., by whom all liabilities of the late firm in Dunedin will be discharged, and to whom all debts must be paid.

ROBERT NEILL.  
JAMES D. RANKIN.  
GEO. MUNRO.  
P. C. NEILL.

Witness to the Signatures—

JAMES BALFOUR,  
Melbourne, 31st December, 1870.

10s

**T**HE Partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned Robert Neill, James Denny Rankin, George Munro, and Percival Clay Neill, trading as M'Callum, Neill and Co., in Melbourne, Victoria, and Dunedin, New Zealand, is this day dissolved by effluxion of time.

The business in Melbourne will in future be carried on by Robert Neill and James Denny Rankin as heretofore under the style or firm of M'Callum Neill and Co., who have disposed of their interest in the Dunedin business, and who will discharge all liabilities of the firm in Melbourne, and to whom all debts must be paid.

ROBERT NEILL.  
JAMES D. RANKIN.  
GEO. MUNRO.  
P. C. NEILL.

Witness to the Signatures—

JAMES BALFOUR,  
Melbourne, 31st December, 1870.

10s

**I**, WILLIAM FREDERICK EBBS, Licentiate Royal College of Surgeons, Dublin, Licentiate Royal College of Physicians, Edinburgh, and Licentiate in Midwifery, Royal College of Surgeons, Dublin, and Royal College of Physicians, Edinburgh (Registered under the Imperial Act), now residing in Oamaru, Otago, New Zealand, hereby give notice that it is my intention to apply to the Registrar of the district of Dunedin to be registered as a Physician, Surgeon, &c., in terms of "The Medical Practitioners Act 1869," and I have deposited my diplomas in the Office of the said Registrar, for public inspection.

Given under my hand this the tenth day of January, 1871.

WILLIAM FREDERICK EBBS.

**A**URORA Quartz Mining Company, Registered.—  
Statement of Affairs for the year ending 31st December, 1870.

Name of Company—"Aurora Quartz Mining Company, Registered"

When formed, and date of registration—

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager—Bendigo, George Fache

Nominal capital—£7000

Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders—£7000

Number of shares in which capital is allotted—140

Amount of calls made—Nil

Total amount subscribed capital paid up—£7000

Number of shares at time of registration of Company—140

Amount of cash in hand—Nil.

Whether in operation or not—In operation

Total amount dividends declared—None

Number of shares unallotted—Nil

GEORGE FACHE,  
Legal Manager.

Clyde, January 5, 1871.

10s.

**A**LTA Quartz Mining Company Registered.—  
Statement of Affairs for the year ending December 31, 1870.

Name of Company—"Alta Quartz Mining Company, Registered"

When formed, and date of registration—August 31, 1870

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager—Bendigo, Charles Frederick Johnson

Nominal capital—£4,800

Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders—£2,400

Number of shares in which capital is divided—480

Number of shares taken—480

Amount of calls made—£1,920

Total amount subscribed capital paid up—£1,141 7s. 9d.

Number of shares at time of registration of Company—480

Amount of cash in hand—£1 13s. 3d.

Whether in operation or not—In operation

Total amount dividends declared—None

Number of shares unallotted—Nil

C. F. JOHNSON,

Legal Manager.

Clyde, January 5, 1871.

10s.

**D**UNEDIN WATER WORKS COMPANY.—  
Abstract of Receipts, Expenditure, and Balances for the year ending 31st December, 1870.

Dr.		£	s.	d.
Bank of Australasia	...	18	13	3
Works and plant	...	49,981	6	9
Dividend account	...	1,745	16	9
Law charges, suspense account	...	373	1	3
Repairs and maintenance	...	327	16	3
Charges	...	98	0	1
Advertising, printing, and stationery	...	41	19	6
Petty cash	...	4	9	7
Rent account	...	101	14	4
Cartage account	...	13	4	8
Law charges	...	90	6	3
Revenue account, 1868 and 1869	...	850	13	0
Debentures, interest account	...	684	0	0
Directors' fees	...	128	2	0
Charges of management	...	776	0	4
Bank of Australasia, No. 2 account	...	295	9	2
New works and plant	...	11,853	3	11
Bank of Australasia, No. 2 rate account	...	298	16	8
Interest account, new works	...	658	16	9
Charges account, do	...	37	12	6
Cartage account, do	...	19	11	3
Wages account, do	...	37	6	0
Charges of management new works,	...	206	9	11
Advertising account, do	...	1	14	0
Repairs and maintenance do	...	21	14	6
Law charges do	...	14	10	4
		<b>£68,677</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>0</b>

Cr.

	£	s.	d.
Share capital	35,000	0	0
Debentures account	15,000	0	0
H. H. Kitchener	5,000	0	0
Provincial Government	860	3	9
Water rate	3,635	1	2
Bank of Australasia, rate account	11	8	5
Transfer fees	12	7	6
Interest account	3	13	7
Water rate account, No. 2 account	1,906	14	7
New share capital amount	7,248	0	0
		<b>£68,677</b>	<b>9 0</b>

We have examined the foregoing accounts, compared them with the vouchers and bank pass books, and find them correct.

C. H. STREET,  
HENRY P. MORSE, } Auditors.  
THOMAS DICK, Secretary

Dunedin, 13th January, 1871. 26s.

In the Supreme Court of New Zealand, }  
Otago and Southland District. }  
No. 3805.

Between William Strachan, Plaintiff, and Hugh Fraser, Defendant.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of a writ of *feri facias*, to me directed and delivered, issued out of this Honorable Court in this cause on the seventeenth day of September last, and of "The Execution of Judgments against Real Estate Act 1867," all the estate and interest of the above-named Hugh Fraser, the execution debtor, in all that parcel of land containing by admeasurement thirty-six (36) poles, more or less, situate in the town of Havelock, in the Province of Otago, in New Zealand, being section numbered eight (8) block fifteen (15) on the Record Map of the aforesaid town of Havelock, more particularly described in the Memorial of Judgment, registered in the Office of the Registrar of Deeds, in Dunedin, in the Province aforesaid, on the twenty-third day of September last, has, at the suit of the above-named William Strachan, the execution creditor, been levied upon and taken in execution, and will be sold by auction at the Sheriff's Bailiff's Office, at the Supreme Court House, in Dunedin aforesaid, on Thursday, the sixteenth day of March next, at twelve o'clock at noon, unless the execution shall be previously satisfied.

Dated in Dunedin aforesaid, this nineteenth day of December, 1870.

I. NEWTON WATT,  
Sheriff of Otago.

William Mathew Hodgkins, of Princes street, in Dunedin, is the solicitor for the execution creditor. The estate and interest of the above-named Hugh Fraser, the execution debtor, intended to be sold, is an estate in fee simple, free from all encumbrances. There is a building upon the land called the Inverness Hotel, with outbuildings, all now occupied.

In the Supreme Court of New Zealand, }  
Otago and Southland District. }  
No. 10.

Between James White, Plaintiff, and James Hunter, Defendant.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of a Writ of *Fieri Facias* to me directed and delivered, issued out of this honorable Court in this cause on the the fourteenth day of September last, and in pursuance of "The Execution of Judgments against Real Estate Act 1867," all the estate and interest of the above-named James Hunter, the execution debtor, in all that parcel of land containing by admeasurement thirty-three (33) acres, two (2) roods, and twenty (20) poles, more or less, situate in the Moeraki District, in the Province of Otago, in New Zealand, being Section numbered one of fifteen (1 of 15) Block one (1) on the Record Map of the said Moeraki District, more particularly described in the memorial of judgment registered in the office of the Registrar of Deeds in Dunedin, in the Province aforesaid, on the fourteenth day of September last, has at the suit of the above-named James White, the execution creditor, been levied upon and taken in execution, and will be sold by public auction at the Sheriff's Bailiff's Office, Supreme Court House, in Dunedin, on Thursday, the ninth day of March

next, at twelve o'clock at noon, unless the execution shall be previously satisfied.

Dated at Dunedin aforesaid, the fifth day of December, 1870.

I. NEWTON WATT,  
Sheriff of Otago.

John Hyde Harris, of Princes street, in Dunedin, is the Solicitor for the execution creditor; and the estate and interest in the said land of the above-named James Hunter, the execution debtor, intended to be sold, is an estate in fee simple free from all incumbrances. t.d.

**M**ETEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS taken at DUNEDIN, for the Month of DECEMBER, 1870.

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 29.774 inches

Highest pressure (on 29th) ... 30.169 "

Lowest pressure (on 16th) ... 29.183 "

Range for month ... 0.986 "

*Temperature in Shade.*

Approx. mean temperature for month 52.7 Fah.

Mean maximum temperature... 60.0 "

Mean minimum temperature... 45.4 "

Mean daily range of temperature ... 14.5 "

Highest maxim. temperature (on 27th) 70.0 "

Lowest minim. temperature (on 25th) 41.0 "

Extreme range for the month ... 29.0 "

Mean temperature of evaporation ... 49.0 "

*Solar Radiation.*

Maximum (on 11th) ... 152 "

Mean for month ... 128 "

*Terrestrial Radiation.*

Minimum (on 5th) ... 17 "

Mean for month ... 26 "

Mean degree of humidity

(Saturation = 100) ... } Computed from the monthly means of wet and dry bulbs. 76.5 "

Mean elast. force of vapour } 30.2 inches.

Mean temp. of dew point } 45.2 Fah.

Total rainfall on 16 days ... 3.062 inches.

Greatest rainfall in one day (on 3rd) ... 0.468 "

Mean amount of sky covered (overcast,

= 10) ... 6

*Wind:* Mean velocity per day for month 260 miles.

Greatest velocity observed for 24 hours

(on 28th) ... 630 "

Number of days on which the wind blew from each

point:—

N. N.E. E. SE. S. S.W. W. N.W. Calm.

3 4 2 1 5 6 7 1 2

**REMARKS.**—High winds on 16th and 17th from S

and S.W., and on 27th from S.W. Hail fell on 4th.

**NOTE.**—The results of all the self-registering instru-

ments were recorded at the morning's observation, and

therefore occurred during the preceding 24 hours.

HENRY SEEY.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 11th January, 1871.

**T**HE following Ordinance, passed by the Provincial Council of the Province of Otago, intituled "The Otago Representation Ordinance (No. 2), 1870,"

having been laid before the Governor, His Excellency has been pleased to assent to the same.

W. GISBORNE.

**G**AZETTE.—Complaints respecting the non-receipt of the *Gazette*, if made to J. Logan, Superintendent's Office, Dunedin, will receive immediate attention. Each person will please see that the nearest Post Town is given in his address.