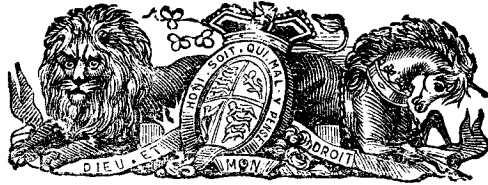


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[SPECIAL GAZETTE.]

**HIS HONOR THE SUPERINTENDENT** directs it to be notified that he has received and accepted the resignations of—

DONALD REID, Esquire,  
GEORGE DUNCAN, Esquire,  
BRYAN CECIL HAGGITT, Esquire,  
JOHN LILLIE GILLIES, Esquire,  
~~JOHN MOHAT, Esquire~~

as Members of the Executive Council of the Province of Otago.

JOHN LOGAN,  
Secretary to Superintendent.

13th April, 1871.

**HIS HONOR THE SUPERINTENDENT** directs it to be notified that he has received and accepted the resignations of—

DONALD REID, Esquire,  
as Provincial Secretary and Secretary for Land & Works;  
GEORGE DUNCAN, Esquire,  
as Provincial Treasurer.  
BRYAN CECIL HAGGITT, Esquire,  
as Provincial Solicitor.

JOHN LOGAN,  
Secretary to Superintendent.

13th April, 1871.

**HIS HONOR THE SUPERINTENDENT** directs it to be notified that he has been pleased to appoint—

EDWARD BOWES CARGILL, Esquire,  
GEORGE TURNBULL, Esquire,  
CHARLES EDWARD HAUGHTON, Esquire,  
DUNCAN M'ARTHUR, Esquire,

to be Members of the Executive Council of the Province of Otago.

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GEORGE TURNBULL, Esquire,  
to be Provincial Treasurer for the Province of Otago.  
CHARLES EDWARD HAUGHTON, Esquire,  
to be Secretary for Land and Works for the Province of Otago.

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13th April, 1871.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the following allotments of Rural Land (formerly exposed at auction, and for which no offer was received,) will be thrown open for application on Friday, the 12th day of May next; on and after which date they may be applied for as ordinary rural land, at £1 per acre:—

*North Harbor and Blueskin District.*

Section.	Block.	Acreage.
49	I	26 2 19
50	"	26 0 26
51	"	21 1 13
52	"	10 3 7
53	"	23 1 12
54	"	26 3 21
55	"	26 0 13
59	"	14 2 3
60	"	17 0 28
61	"	10 0 28
62	"	23 1 32
63	"	13 1 23
64	"	16 0 6

J. T. THOMSON,

Chief Commissioner Waste Land Board.

Waste Land Board Office,  
Dunedin, 11th April, 1871.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that certain allotments in the undermentioned Townships will be offered for sale by public auction, at the places, and on the dates undernoted:—

- Roxburgh.*—On the ground, on Monday, the 15th day of May next, at noon.
- Alexandra.*—At Messrs. Chapple and Co.'s Auction Rooms there, on Tuesday, the 16th day of May next, at noon.
- Clyde.*—At the Court House, Clyde, on Wednesday, the 17th day of May next, at noon.
- Cromwell.*—At the Court House, Cromwell, on the 18th day of May next, at noon.
- Bendigo.*—On the ground, on Friday, the 19th day of May next, at noon.
- Newcastle.*—At Bendigo, on Friday, the 19th day of May next, immediately after the sale of Bennigo.
- Pembroke.*—At Bendigo, on Friday, the 19th day of May next, after the sale of Bendigo.
- Gladstone.*—At Bendigo, on Friday, the 19th day of May next, after the sale of Bendigo.
- Kingston.*—At the Survey Office, Queenstown, on Monday, the 15th day of May next, at noon.
- Frankton.*—At the Survey Office, Queenstown, on Monday, the 15th day of May next, after the sale of Kingston.
- Arrowtown.*—At the Public Library there, on Wednesday, the 17th day of May next, at noon.
- Glenorchy.*—At the Survey Office, Queenstown, on Monday, the 15th day of May, after the sale of Kingston.
- Queenstown.*—At the Survey Office, Queenstown, on Monday, the 15th day of May next, immediately after the sale of Kingston.
- Waikari.*—On the ground, on Tuesday, the 16th day of May next, at noon.
- Tapanui.*—On the ground, on Thursday, the 18th day of May next, at noon.
- Lawrence.*—At the Survey Office, Lawrence, on Friday, the 19th day of May next, at noon.
- Wetherston.*—At the Survey Office, Lawrence, on Friday, the 19th day of May next, at noon.
- Dunheld (Beaumont Ferry).*—On the ground, on Monday, the 22nd day of May next, at noon.

- Havelock.*—On the ground, on Tuesday, the 23rd day of May next, at noon.
- Dalhousie.*—At the Survey Office, Lawrence, on Wednesday, the 24th day of May next, at noon.
- Waipori.*—At the Survey Office, Lawrence, on Thursday, the 25th day of May next, at noon.
- Macraes.*—At the Survey Office, Naseby, on Wednesday, the 24th day of May next, at noon.
- Naseby.*—At the Survey Office there on Wednesday, the 24th day of May next, at noon.
- Oamaru.*—At the Auction Rooms of Mr. S. Shrimski, on Monday, the 15th day of May next, at noon.
- Maheno.*—At the Auction Rooms of Mr. S. Shrimski, Oamaru, on Monday, the 15th day of May next, at 1 o'clock.
- Herbert.*—On the ground, on Tuesday, the 16th day of May next, at noon.
- Hampden.*—At Murcott's Hotel, Hampden, on Tuesday, the 16th day of May next, at 4 P.M.
- Moeraki.*—At Murcott's Hotel, Hampden, on Tuesday, the 16th day of May next, after the sale of Hampden.
- Palmerston.*—At Gilligan's Hotel, on Wednesday, the 17th day of May next, at 11 A.M.
- Hawksbury.*—At the Court House there on Wednesday, the 17th day of May next, at 4 P.M.
- Waikouaiti.*—At the Court-house, Hawksbury, on Wednesday, the 17th day of May next, after the sale of Hawksbury.
- Blueskin.*—At the Land Office, Dunedin, on Monday, the 15th day of May next, at noon.
- Outram.*—At the Court-house, Outram, on Tuesday, the 16th day of May next, at noon.
- Greytown.*—At the Land Office, Dunedin, on Monday, the 15th day of May next, at noon.
- Hull.*—At the Land Office, Dunedin, on Monday, the 15th day of May next, at noon.
- Kapiti.*—At the Auction Rooms of Mr R. W. Capstick, Tokomairiro, on Monday, the 15th day of May next, at noon.
- Waihola.*—At the Auction Rooms of R. W. Capstick, on Monday, the 15th day of May next, at noon.
- Bevely (East Tuieri).*—At the Auction Rooms of R. W. Capstick, Tokomairiro, on Monday, the 15th day of May next, at noon.
- Berwick.*—At the Court-house, Outram, on Tuesday, the 16th day of May next, at noon.
- Fairfax.*—At the Auction Rooms of R. W. Capstick, Tokomairiro, on Monday, the 15th day of May next, at noon.
- Kaitangata.*—At the Crown Hotel, Balclutha, on Tuesday, the 16th day of May next, at noon.
- Balclutha.*—At the Crown Hotel, Balclutha, on Tuesday, the 16th day of May next, at noon.
- Clinton.*—At Pollock's Hotel, at Popotunoa, on Wednesday, the 17th day of May next, at noon.
- Port Molyneux.*—At the Crown Hotel, Balclutha, on Tuesday, the 16th day of May next, at noon.
- Mataura Bridge.*—At the Mataura Bridge Hotel, on Thursday, the 18th day of May next, at noon.
- Wyndham.*—At the Mataura Bridge Hotel, on Thursday, the 18th day of May next, at noon.
- Newhaven.*—At the Crown Hotel, Balclutha, on Tuesday, the 16th day of May next, at noon.
- Fortrose.*—At the Mataura Bridge Hotel, on Thursday, the 18th day of May next, at noon.
- Waikawa.*—At the Land Office, Dunedin, on Monday, the 15th day of May next, at noon.

*Reidston.*—At the Auction Rooms of Mr. S. Shrimski, Oamaru, on Monday, the 15th day of May next, at noon

*Georgetown.*—At the Auction Rooms of Mr. S. Shrimski, Oamaru, on Monday, the 15th day of May next, at noon

*Kinloch.*—At the Survey Office, Queenstown, on Monday, the 15th day of May next, at noon—after the sale of Kingston

*Jamestown (Martin's Bay).*—At the Land Office, Dunedin, on Monday, the 15th day of May next, at noon

*Peebles.*—At the Auction Rooms of Mr. S. Shrimski, on Monday, the 15th day of May next, at noon.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the following allotments of Rural Land will be offered for sale, by public auction, in the Auction Rooms of M. S. Shrimski, in Oamaru, on Monday, the 15th day of May, immediately after the sale of the Township of Oamaru, in terms of Clause 35 of the "Otago Waste Land Act 1866," at the upset price of 10s. per acre.

Section.	Otepopo. Block.	Acreage.
23	IX	125 3 7
24	"	125 2 8

**N**OTICE is hereby given that Section 2, Block V, Waikouaiti District, containing 300a. 1r. 8p. will be offered at the Court House, Hawksbury, immediately after the sale of that Township on Wednesday, the 17th May next, at the upset price of 10s. per acre.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that Sections 1 of 16, Block I, Otokia, containing 75a 1r 15p, and Section 26, Block V, Dunedin and East Taieri District, containing 90a. 3r. 23p., will be offered for sale by public auction, in the Land Office, Dunedin, immediately after the Town Land sale, on Monday, the 15th May next, at noon, at the upset price of 10s. per acre.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that Section 36, Block I, Clarendon, containing 124a. 1r. 4p., will be offered for sale by public auction at the Auction Room of Mr. R. W. Capstick, Tokomairiro, immediately after the Town Lands Sale there, on Monday, the 15th of May next, at noon, at the upset price of 10s. per acre.

**M**ETEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS taken at DUNEDIN, for the Month of MARCH, 1871.  
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	29.882 inches
Highest pressure (on 12th) ... ..	30.230 "
Lowest pressure (on 25th) ... ..	29.352 "
Range for month ... ..	0.878 "

*Temperature in Shade.*

Approx. mean temperature for month	54.8 Fah.
Mean maximum temperature... ..	60.4 "
Mean minimum temperature... ..	49.2 "
Mean daily range of temperature ...	11.2 "
Highest maxim. temperature (on 22nd)	72 "
Lowest minim. temperature (on 27th)	40 "
Extreme range for the month ... ..	32 "
Mean temperature of evaporation ...	51.8 "

*Solar Radiation.*

Maximum (on 22nd) ... ..	136 "
Mean for month ... ..	110 "

*Terrestrial Radiation.*

Minimum (on 27th) ... ..	18 "
Mean for month ... ..	29 "

Mean degree of humidity (Saturation = 100) ...	} Computed from the monthly means of wet and dry bulbs.	} 80 "	
Mean elast. force of vapour ... ..			} .346 inches.
Mean temp. of dew point ... ..			
Total rainfall on 15 days ... ..	2.362 inches.		
Greatest rainfall in one day (on 17th) ...	1.010 "		
Mean amount of sky covered (overcast, = 10) ... ..	7		
<i>Wind:</i> Mean velocity per day for month	185 miles.		
Greatest velocity observed for 24 hours (on 28th) ... ..	640 "		
Number of days on which the wind blew from each point:—			
N. N.E. E. SE. S. S.W. W. N.W. Calm.			
4 7 3 3 3 1 4 1 5			

**REMARKS.**—High winds from 26th to 28th from W. and S.W. Hail on 25th. Fog on 18th, 20th, and 23rd.

**NOTE.**—The results of all the self-registering instruments were recorded at the morning's observation, and therefore occurred during the preceding 24 hours.

HENRY SKEY.

