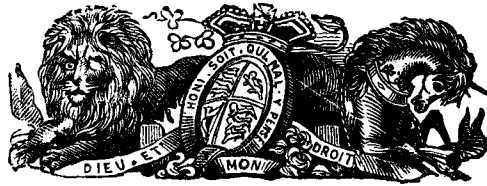


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PROCLAMATION

Of His Excellency the Governor having assented to an Ordinance of the Superintendent and Provincial Council of the Province of Otago.

By His Honor George Turnbull, Esq., Deputy-Superintendent of the Province of Otago.

WHEREAS in the Thirtieth Session of the Provincial Council of the Province of Otago, the Bill hereinafter mentioned was passed by the said Council—(that is to say):

A Bill shortly intituled "Oamaru Town Reserves Management Ordinance 1872."

And whereas the said Bill was presented to the Superintendent of the Province of Otago for the assent of His Excellency the Governor of New Zealand thereto, and the said Superintendent did upon the said Bill being so presented to him as aforesaid, declare that he reserved the same for the signification of the Governor's pleasure thereon: And whereas the said Bill has since been laid before His Excellency the Governor of New Zealand, and he has been pleased to assent to the same.

Now therefore I, George Turnbull, Deputy-Superintendent of the Province of Otago, do hereby proclaim and declare that the said Bill before-mentioned, that is to say—the "Oamaru Town Reserves Management Ordinance 1872," has been laid before His Excellency the Governor of New Zealand, and that His Excellency has assented to the same.

Given under my hand, and issued under the public seal of the Province of Otago, at Dunedin, in the said Province, this seventeenth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two.

(L.S.) GEORGE TURNBULL,
 Deputy-Superintendent.

PUBLIC NOTIFICATION.

IN conformity to the 29th Section of the "Gold Fields Act 1866," and to the Regulations made under that Act and the Gold Fields Acts Amendment Acts of 1867, 1868, and 1869, for the granting of leases for gold mining purposes within the Province of Otago, it is hereby notified that it is intended to grant a lease for gold mining purposes of Crown Lands to the applicant specified in the annexed Schedule, unless there shall be valid objections against granting such lease.

Objections to the granting of such lease, stating the grounds of objection, must be made in writing, and lodged with the Warden, at Macraes, on or before the 21st day of November, 1872.

Copy of the application made, and plans annexed, may be seen at the Warden's Office at Macraes.

Given under my hand, at Dunedin, this 22nd day of October, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two.

GEO. TURNBULL,
 Deputy-Superintendent.

SCHEDULE.

Matthew William Hawkins, for the Shamrock Company (Registered), for 10 acres of land, more or less, as the same may be found after survey to be contained within the pegs and trenches of the Applicants, situated on the Dunback Ranges, Shag Valley, Otago.

IT is hereby notified that Mr HENRY CONNELL has been appointed Surveyor for the Oamaru Circuit of Districts, *vice* Mr Alex. M. Ross resigned.

J. T. THOMSON,
 Chief Commissioner of Waste Land Board.

HOLIDAY.—Prince of Wales' Birthday.—His Honor the Deputy-Superintendent directs it be notified that the Provincial Government Offices will not be opened on Monday, the 11th day of November 1872.

JOHN LOGAN,

Secretary to Superintendent.

Superintendent's Office,
21st October, 1872.

NOTICE.

Otago Roads Ordinance 1871.

HIS Honor the Deputy-Superintendent directs it to be notified that he has, under the powers conferred on him by the 119th section of the above mentioned Ordinance appointed

Messrs. ARTHUR GERARD,
DAVID M'LAUGHLAN, and
MICHAEL DEVANY,

Members of the Aparima Road Board, the sufficient number of members for the said district, required by the said Ordinance, not having been elected at the first general election held for the said district after the first constitution thereof under the said Ordinance.

W. H. CUTTEN,

Acting Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Dunedin, 19th October, 1872.

[Corrected and reprinted from last week's *Gazette*.]

HIS Honor the Deputy-Superintendent directs it to be notified that he has appointed

Mr. HECTOR M'NEIL CAMPBELL,

residing at Waikouaiti, to be an Inspector of Sheep for the Province of Otago.

W. H. CUTTEN,

Acting Provincial Secretary.

11th October, 1872.

HIS Honor the Deputy-Superintendent directs it to be notified that he has appointed

Mr ANDREW ROBERT BRUCE THOMSON,

residing at Clyde, to be an Inspector of Sheep for the Province of Otago.

W. H. CUTTEN,
Acting Provincial Secretary.

21st October, 1872.

HIS Honor the Deputy-Superintendent directs it to be notified that he has appointed

Constable WILLIAM STREAN,

Inspector of Slaughter Yards for the District of West Taieri.

W. H. CUTTEN,
Acting Provincial Secretary.

17th October, 1872.

ABSTRACT FROM PREVIOUS GAZETTES
of Impounding Notices:—

1st November, Friday, noon, 2 fillies, 1 gelding, 1 mare, 6 steers, 1 cow, 1 bullock, and 1 heifer will be held at Clyde Pound.

TIME EXTENDED.

PAYMENT TO BE MADE IN LAND.

TENDERS will be received at the office of the Secretary for Works until noon of Tuesday, 12th November, 1872, for

Contract No. 633—Construction of Timber Bridge over the Shotover River, near Arthur's Point.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and forms of

tender obtained, at the office of the Engineer of Roads and Works, Dunedin, and at Police Station, Queenstown.

Tenders to be endorsed "Roads and Works tender for Contract No. 663."

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

**PAYMENT TO BE MADE IN LAND OR CASH
AT OPTION OF THE GOVERNMENT.**

Tenders will be received until Tuesday, 12th November, 1872, for

Contract No. 681—Construction of 86 chains of road, Arthurs Point to Arrowtown.

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

Tenders to be endorsed "Roads and Works Tender for Contract No. "681."

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

TENDERS will be received at the Office of the Secretary for Works until noon of Tuesday, 29th October, 1872, for

Contract No. 682—Forming, pitching and gravelling portions of road, Palmerston to Oamaru, situate between the Kakanui River and the Waireka stream, in length about 170 chains.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and forms of tender obtained, at the office of the Engineer of Roads and Works, Dunedin, and at Police Camp, Oamaru.

Tenders to be endorsed, "Roads and Works tender for Contract No. 682."

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

TENDERS will be received at the office of the Secretary for Works until noon of Tuesday, 29th October, 1872, for

Contract No. 685—Supply of timber for repairs of Jetty at the mouth of the Taieri River.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and forms of tender obtained, at the office of the Engineer of Roads and Works, Dunedin, and at Toll-gate, East Taieri Bridge.

Tenders to be endorsed "Roads and Works tender for Contract No. 685."

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

JAMES SHAND,

Acting Secretary for Works.

Dunedin, 10th October, 1872.

NORTH TAIERI Road Board.—Tenders wanted for Repairs to Bridge, at Mr Tinlay's Corner.

Tenders to be lodged with the Chairman, Mr Hudson, not later than Saturday, 2nd November. Plans and specifications to be seen at Mr Couper's house, Mosgiel.—WM. M'LEOD, Clerk to the Board.

STATIONERY and Printing Tenders due at noon of Friday, 25th October, 1872. Forms of tender are now ready.

NORTH TAIERI Road Board.—Tenders wanted for repairs to Bridge at Mr Finlay's corner.

Tenders to be lodged with the Chairman, Mr Andrew not later than Saturday, 2nd November. Plans and specifications to be seen at Mr Couper's house, Mosgiel.—WM. MACLEOD, Clerk to the Board.

WANTED, a Teacher for the Balclutha School. To a party fully qualified to teach the usual branches of education, a salary of two hundred pounds guaranteed for the first year. Applications to be made on or before the 15th November, to JOHN M. RUSSELL, Clerk of Committee. Balclutha, 19th October, 1872.

WAKARI District School, near Dunedin.—Applications will be received by the Wakari School Committee till Monday, the 18th November next, from persons qualified to fill the offices of Schoolmaster and Schoolmistress for said School. The Master's salary will be the usual Government allowance of £100, and three-fifths of the School Fees; and the Schoolmistress' salary the Government allowance of £60, and one-fifth of the School Fees. Attached to the School are a five-roomed dwelling-house, garden, and 10 acres of land fenced and laid down in English grass. This School—one of the oldest in the Province—has had an average attendance of 120 scholars for the last three years. A Schoolmistress who can teach music preferred. Applications, with testimonials, to be made to Mr. George Hepburn, Chairman, or to Mr Colin Allan, Secretary to School Committee.

TEACHER Wanted.—Wanted a Second Master for North Dunedin School. Probable salary, £220 to £240 per annum. Certificates, &c., to be handed in to the undersigned on or before the 1st November.

H. F. HARDY, Princes-street,
Secretary to School Committee.

WAKARI District.—Additional Polling Place.—The Presbyterian Schoolhouse, Maori Hill, appointed a polling place for the District of Wakari, for the election of Members of the Provincial Council of the Province of Otago.—(See *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 50, October 3, 1872.)

VIENNA EXHIBITION 1873.—Notice is hereby given, that a Preliminary Exhibition of Articles intended to be exhibited at Vienna, in 1873, will take place at Christchurch, in December next.

The General Committee in Christchurch have formed Sub-Committees on

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| 1. Wool | 4. Coal and Minerals |
| 2. Flax | 5. Timber |
| 3. Grain | 6. Miscellaneous Objects |
| 7. Agricultural, Flax, and other Machinery. | |

Intending Exhibitors will obtain all necessary information on application to Mr. W. M. Maskell, Secretary to the General Committee, Government Buildings, Christchurch.

GEORGE TURNBULL,
Deputy-Superintendent of the Province of Otago.
Superintendent's Office,
Dunedin, 8th October, 1872.

IMMIGRANTS' PASSAGE-MONEY.—Notice to Assisted Immigrants who arrived in the Province before the year 1869.

All immigrants who have arrived in the Province by ships prior to those referred to in the notice hereunder, and who have not paid their passage-money, are requested to do so at once by remitting same to me. Proceedings will be taken to recover in all cases of non-payment. When necessary the time for payment will be extended.

JOHN LOGAN,
Immigration Agent.
Provincial Government Buildings,
Dunedin, Sept. 17, 1872.

IMMIGRATION MONEY.—Assisted Immigrants by the undernamed Ships are requested to forward to John Logan, Immigration Agent, Dunedin, the

amount of their Passage Money. Proceedings will be taken to recover in all cases of non-payment without further notice.

1869	Peter Denny
William Davie	James Nicol Fleming
England	May Queen
Asterope	Otago
James Nicol Fleming	Robert Henderson
Timaru	1871
Otago	Christian M'Ausland
City of Dunedin	City of Dunedin
1870	Warrior Queen
Queen Bee	Agnes Muir
Christian M'Ausland	Jessie Readman
Warrior Queen	Carrick Castle
William Lindsay	Wild Deer
Jessie Readman	William Davie
Achilles	Shun Lee
Edward P. Bouverie	Otago
Leucadia	James Nicol Fleming
William Davie	

7th August, 1872.

INCENDIARISM.

Maliciously Setting Fire to a House.
£50 Reward.

WHEREAS on the morning of Wednesday, the 24th ultimo, a fire broke out in the unoccupied house of Arthur John Bamford, at Mornington, value £500, by which the same was totally destroyed: And whereas there is no doubt but that the fire was maliciously caused by some evil-disposed person or persons: Notice is hereby given, that a reward of Fifty Pounds will be paid by the Provincial Government of Otago for such information as will lead to the conviction of the person or persons by whom the fire was originated.

T. K. WELDON,
Commissioner of Police.

5th August, 1872.

INCENDIARISM.

Maliciously setting Fire to Two Stacks of Oats.
£100 REWARD.

WHEREAS, about 8 o'clock on the night of Tuesday, the 27th ultimo, Two Stacks of Oats, on the farm of Murdoch M'Lellan, Tokomairo, containing about 2000 bushels, value £200, were both discovered to be on fire at the same time, although about 20 feet apart: And whereas there is reason to suspect that the said fire was maliciously caused by some evil disposed person or persons. Notice is hereby given, that a reward of £100 will be paid by the Provincial Government of Otago, for such information as will lead to the conviction of the person or persons by whom the said fire was originated.

T. K. WELDON,
Commissioner of Police.

7th September, 1872.

BONUS FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A WOOL PACK AND SACK MANUFACTORY IN OTAGO.

THE Provincial Government being desirous of encouraging the manufacture of Wool-packs and Sack, is prepared to receive offers from parties willing to embark in the enterprise, and is further prepared to pay a bonus of £1000 as under:—

- On the erection of buildings and machinery to the value of at least £2000—£500.
- On the production of Sacks or Wool-packs to a value of not less than £500—£250.
- On the production of a further quantity of Sacks or Wool-packs to the value of not less than £1000—£250.

The cloth in each case to be produced by machinery permanently established in the Province, and to be manufactured either wholly or to a large extent from Phormium Tenax, or other indigenous plants, or from other material grown in the Province.

Offers will be received at the Provincial Government Offices, Dunedin, until the 10th of October, 1872, and should state the estimated cost and productive power of the machinery proposed to be erected, the date on which the same will be in operation, and that the parties are prepared to be bound in the sum of £1000 to produce sacks and woolpacks to the value of £1500 within three years from the date on which their offer is accepted.

The Government does not bind itself to accept any offer.

BONUS FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A GLASS BOTTLE MANUFACTORY.

THE Provincial Government being desirous of encouraging the manufacture of Glass Bottles in Otago, is prepared to receive offers from parties willing to embark in the enterprise, and is further prepared to pay a bonus of £300, as under:—

On the erection of building and plant, of a value of not less than £500—£100.

On production of 100 gross of bottles—£100.

On production of a further quantity of 200 gross—£100.

Offers will be received at the Provincial Government Offices, Dunedin, and should state the estimated cost of the works proposed to be erected, the date on which the same will be in operation, and that the parties are prepared to be bound in the sum of £250 to produce 500 gross of Bottles within two years from the date on which the tender is accepted.

The Government does not bind itself to accept any offer.

EDUCATION RESERVES, SOUTHLAND.—The following Reserves will be leased by auction at the Land Office, Invercargill, at noon on Tuesday, the 12th of November next. Further particulars may be obtained on application at the office of Mr. Baker, Invercargill.

District.	Block.	Section.	Area.	Nature of land	
New River	V	pt. 3	83 1 16	arable	
Do	III		20 0 0	timbered	
Jacob's River	XV	27	75 0 25	arable	
Do	VII	51	30 0 0	do	
Invercargill	XV	21	30 0 0	do	
Do	XII	pt. 9	20 0 0	timbered	
Do	IV	pt. 33	30 0 0	pastoral	
Winton	VI	2	148 1 18	partly timbered	
Invercargill town	LVII	20	0 1 0	town land	
Rakahonka Bush					
Invercargill	} XI	20	3 1 0	} sale of the	
Do			3 1 0		} timber.
Do			3 1 3		

WASTE LAND BOARD ADVERTISEMENTS.

EDUCATION RESERVES, SOUTHLAND.

APPLICATIONS will be received by Mr. John H. Baker, Survey Office, Invercargill, from persons wishing to lease any of the Reserves as formerly advertised.

Copies of the Otago Regulations, and conditions for the Leasing of Education Reserves can be obtained from Mr. Baker, Invercargill.

NOTICE.—Sections 320 and 321, hitherto temporarily reserved on Run 207, Hokonui District, will be open for application on and after the seventeenth day of November.

WALTER H. PEARSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Crown Lands Office,
Invercargill, 18th Oct., 1872.

MONDAY, 28th, at noon.

NOTICE is hereby given, that section 13, block IV, Akatore District, containing 80a. 1r. 4p., and sections 11 and 18, block III, Akatore District, containing respectively 80a. 1r. 10p., and 78a. 3r. 12p., will be offered for sale by public auction, at Mr. Capstick's Auction Rooms, Tokomairiro, on Monday the 28th day of October next, at noon, at the upset price of 10s. per acre.

TUESDAY, 29th, at noon.

SECTIONS 13, block XV, Clutha District, containing 52a 2r., will be offered by Auction, at the Crown Hotel, Balclutha on Tuesday, the 29th day of October, next, at noon, at the upset price of 10s. per acre.

MONDAY, 28th, at noon.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the lease for 10 years of Run No. 445, situated on the Hawkdun Mountains, north of Mount Ida, containing 15,000 acres, will be offered for sale by Public Auction, at the Land Office, Dunedin, on Monday, the 28th day of October next, at noon, in Terms of the "Otago Waste Lands Act 1866," at the upset price of half-penny per acre—rental to be assessment of 7d. per head on small cattle to be depastured on Run, but the minimum number not to be less than 1500 sheep; lease to commence on 1st October, 1872—deposit of 1-10th part of the price and rental payable on fall of hammer, the balance as usual within a month.

Run No. 446, containing 1600 acres, situated in Tautuku Bush, on Tautuku River, adjoining Run No. 161, will be leased, and subject to the usual conditions, to the present applicant, unless objections to the same are made to the Waste Lands Board, on or before the 26th day of December next.

Immediately after the sale of Run 445, section 90, block 6, North Harbor and Blueskin District, containing 70a. 3r. 22p., will be offered by auction, at the upset price of 10s. per acre.

MONDAY, 28th, at noon.

NOTICE is hereby given, that section 75, block IV, Moeraki District, formerly part of Puketapu Bush Reserve, containing 24a. 2r. 33p., will be offered for sale by public auction, at the North Western Hotel, Palmerston, on Monday, the 28th day of October next, at noon, at the upset price of £1 1s. per acre, and subject to repayment of survey expenses, amounting to £7 7s.

Immediately after, section 23, block 1, Waikouaiti District, containing 78a. 2r. 25p., will be offered by auction at the upset price of 10s. per acre.

WEDNESDAY, 6th November, noon.

SECTION 22, Block VI, New River Hundred, containing Four Acres, more or less, hitherto forming part of the Bush Reserve in the same Block, will be sold by Auction, at the Land Office, Invercargill, at noon on Wednesday, the 6th November; upset price, £2 per acre.

FRIDAY, 6th December, at noon.

THE undermentioned Town Sections will be sold by auction at the Land Office, Invercargill, at noon, on Friday the 6th day of December, proximo.

Section.	Block.	Town.	Upset price.		
			£	s.	d.
9	II	Winton	8	0	0
55	I	Otautau	18	0	0
7		Athol	30	0	0
54	I	Otautau	9	0	0
7	V	"	1	0	0
8	V	"	1	0	0
9	V	"	1	0	0
10	V	"	1	0	0
45	VII	East Winton	20	0	0

GEO. TURNBULL,
Deputy-Superintendent.

Superintendent's Office,
19th October, 1872.

NOTICE.—The Mornington District Road Board have decided to levy a highway rate of 5 per cent. annual valuation upon all rateable property within the said district, for the current year. The Rate Roll is prepared and lodged for the inspection of the ratepayers, in conformity with the "Otago Roads Ordinance 1871-2," at the Post Office, Mornington.—J. E. ATTWOOD, Clerk. October 14th, 1872.

POMAHAKA Road District.—Notice.—A statement of the proposed Rate for the above district for the year 1872-73 lies at my house for the inspection of ratepayers.—WM. DALLAS, Clerk.—Mayfield, 12th October, 1872.

NOTICE.—The Portobello Road Board having decided to levy a general rate of one shilling in the pound, on all rateable property within the district, for the current year. Notice is hereby given that the rate roll will lie for inspection by ratepayers at the house of the Clerk, Hooper's Inlet, from this date.—GEORGE J. CLARK, Clerk to the Board. Hooper's Inlet, 19th October, 1872.

NOTICE.—The Kaikorai District Road Board intend levying a general district rate of ninepence per pound for the year 1872-73, in accordance with "Otago Roads Ordinance 1871." The rate roll is deposited at the house of Mr Samson, butcher, Green Island, for inspection by the ratepayers from this date.—JAMES MILLER. Green Island, 23rd October, 1872.

NOTICE.—Taieri Road Board.—The Taieri Road Board intend to levy a rate for the current year on all rateable property within the district. The rate-book, containing the valuation of property in the respective subdivisions of the Board, will be open for inspection at the School-house, Mosgiel, every day between the hours of 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. from this date until the 23rd day of November next. Objections, if any, must be lodged with the Clerk in writing not later than the 23rd day of November next.—A. LEES, Clerk to the Board.

NOTICE.—The North-east Valley Road Board intend, on Saturday, the 26th October, to make a special rate of one shilling (1s) in the pound for the present financial year over the whole of the district. The rate-book can be seen at the store of Mr Thomas Brown, North-east Valley, on and after the 16th October, 1872.—HUGH M'FAYDEN, Clerk to Board.

NOTICE.—The Kuri Bush Road Board hereby give notice to William Barry, George Perkins, Alexander Dixon, James Reid, settlers, Kuri Bush district, and all to whom it may concern, that all fences obstructing roads adjoining their respective properties within

the above district, must be removed by the space of ninety days from the twenty-third day of October, 1872, in accordance with clause 174 of Otago Roads Ordinance now in force.—GEORGE H. CHRISTIE, Clerk of Board. October 21, 1872.

IMPOUNDED, on the 12th day of October, 1872, by Mr. Alexander M'Clean, Manager Ardgowrie Station, one yellow and cow, branded like WC off rump, calf at foot; one yellow and white cow, branded like 8 near ribs, calf at foot; one red and white steer, branded like HK (conjoined) near ribs; one red and white cow, branded like 8 near rump, 22 off rump; owner unknown, for trespassing on Ardgowrie station, for which five shillings per head expenses are claimed; and, in default of being released, the above cattle will be sold at Leaning Rock, Clyde, on Friday, the eighth day of November, 1872, at twelve o'clock noon.—WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Poundkeeper of the Leaning Rock (Clyde) Pound.

IMPOUNDED on the 16th day of October, 1872, by Messrs. J. A. Douglas and Co., Highfield Station, 1 blue Cow, branded like stirrup off rump; 1 red and white steer, J^sM off rump; 1 black Heifer, no visible brand, ears marked, two white spots under belly; 1 white Cow, JM off rump; 1 white Bull, no visible brand, ears marked; owners unknown, for trespassing on Highfield Station, for which five shillings per head expenses are claimed; and in default of being released the above Cattle will be sold at the Public Pound at Leaning Rock, Clyde, on Friday, the 8th day of October, 1872, at 12 o'clock noon.—WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Poundkeeper of the Leaning Rock (Clyde) Pound.

[Persons sending for any Ordinance, undermentioned, will please write the Name and Address to which the Ordinance is to be sent, *plain*. No Stamps can be received in payment.]

ORDINANCES of the Province of Otago may be had from the Government Storekeeper, Dunedin, on receipt of the price thereof in money or post office order. The usual allowance given to the trade. The Municipal and several other Ordinances of old dates out of print.

Roads Ordinance 1871, with Amendment	s.	d.
1872, price	...	3 0
Impounding Ordinance 1872	...	1 0
Fencing Ordinance 1872	...	1 0
Gold Fields Regulations	...	2 0
The whole of the Ordinances for 1872, stitched, from	...	7 6

Other Ordinances, price in proportion, may be had from Mr. A. R. Livingston, Bookseller, Dunedin. August, 1872.

(From the *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 48, September 23, 1872.)

INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 20th September, 1872.

THE following letter from the Agent-General relative to the representation of the Colony of New Zealand at the International Exhibition, which is to be held in Vienna in 1873, is published for general information.

The Government recognising that this Exhibition will afford an excellent opportunity for disseminating accurate information respecting the resources of the Colony, and the advantages it offers as a field for immigration, desire to afford every facility for the collection and transmission of specimens of such articles as are available for export and for the employment of a large population.

As articles for exhibition should be shipped not later

than 15th January next, persons wishing to exhibit are invited to communicate with the Under-Secretary without delay.

All expense of transmission and exhibition of approved articles will be defrayed by Government; but, as experience has proved that in exhibitions of of this kind the best effect is produced by a few well-displayed objects of considerable size, and as the space allotted to the Colony in the Exhibition Building will be limited, a careful selection will have to be made, so that the representation may be complete.

The Collectors of Customs at the various ports of the Colony have been instructed to receive exhibits, and to forward them to the port from which they will be shipped to the Agent-General, who will be instructed to undertake their proper arrangement in the Exhibition.

As it is understood that a Competitive Exhibition of Staple Articles of Produce will be held in Christchurch, opening on the 15th December, advantage will be taken of it to select the best exhibits of the following articles for transmission to Vienna, so that persons desirous of having such articles forwarded should in the first instance send them to the Christchurch show:—

Wool and woollen goods
Phormium fibre and cordage
Paper pulp
Grain, whole and ground
Grass seed
Malt
Hops
Preserved fruits and jam
Preserved meat and fish
Salt beef, ham and bacon
Butter and cheese
Tallow and soap
Hides, leather and glue
Tobacco.

The articles will be arranged for exhibition under the following classes:—

- I. Minerals, such as—
Metals and metallic ores
Coals, rock oil, &c.
- II. Raw Produce, such as—
Grain, grass seed, and hops
Wool, hides
Phormium fibre, timbers
Gum, whale oil, and bone
Shells for inlaying, &c.
- III. Manufactures—
Mats and cordage, doors and sashes
Malt, flour and meal
Preserved meats, fish and fruits
Salt beef and pork
Soap, wines and spirits
Leather, glue and tallow
Tobacco and cigars, &c.
- IV. Maps, plans, photographs
Ethnological and natural history collections.

Wool intended for exhibition should be if possible in whole fleeces, and the following information supplied:

By whom shown—as owner or breeder
Breed of animal
Age
Sex
Where bred
By whom
If imported—Date of importation
Whence from
Age when imported
Date of this shearing
Date of previous shearing
When washed, and how, previous to this shearing
If ever diseased
When dipped, and the materials used for dipping

Weight of fleece
Length of staple
If stapled—varieties of wool into which it is classed, with their respective weights
Price—average realised for previous clips of same flock.

Where sold and how.

Instructions will be issued at an early date relative to the form in which other articles are to be sent in for exhibition.

HENRY SEWELL.

7, Westminster Chambers, Victoria street,
Westminster, S.W., 27th June, 1872.

SIR,—I have the honor to bring under the notice of the Government the subject of the approaching International Exhibition at Vienna, which promises to be on a very magnificent scale.

During my recent visit to the Continent, the vital importance of our colony being properly represented on this occasion was urged upon my attention at Hamburg, at Berlin, at Frankfort, and other commercial centres.

The value to New Zealand of such an advertisement cannot, I think, be overrated.

The Colony has never yet had an opportunity of adequately exhibiting its natural and industrial resources; and I would therefore press upon the Government the importance of seizing the present one, the more so as there seems now no hope of our getting any space allotted us in the Exhibition now taking place here.

As, however, the Vienna Exhibition opens in June, 1873, there is no time to be lost; and I would suggest that immediate steps be taken in the Colony to insure the success of the undertaking.

It is very desirable that the pastoral and agricultural capabilities of the Colony should be exemplified by a good series of wools, tins of preserved meats, and everything in the way of pulse and grain, wheat, barley, oats, &c.

The natural productions of the country should be also fully represented, especially the *Phormium* and other indigenous fibres, together with everything calculated to show their adaptability for rope, cordage, textile fabrics, and paper.

Exhibits of every kind illustrative of the industrial pursuits of the Colony, such as hides, tallow, cheese, butter, woollen manufactures, &c., would all be interesting and instructive from a colonial point of view.

It will be desirable also to exhibit a carefully arranged collection of minerals, rocks and soils, in illustration of the immense physical resources of the country that still await development.

Specimens of coal from various parts of the Colony with full information as to the extent and position of the fields, and samples (both rough and polished) of the various kinds of useful and ornamental native woods, would be sure to attract much attention on the Continent; and altogether, an exhibition of the kind I have indicated would be calculated to bring the Colony into favorable notice, and to give a fresh impetus to our trade and commerce.

As the Government will be able to command the valuable advice and assistance of such men as Dr. Hector and Dr. Haast in the Colony, I feel that it is unnecessary for me to do more at present than to suggest in this general way what is necessary to be done.

I have, &c.,
I. E. FEATHERSTON,
Agent-General.

The Hon. W. Gisborne,
Colonial Secretary.

EXHIBITION OF COLONIAL PRODUCE,
1872-73.

It has been announced that an International Exhibition will take place in Vienna in the course of 1873. The Colonial Government are desirous that an Exhibition of New Zealand produce and manufactures should be held at Christchurch, commencing on December 15, 1872, and that from the articles therein shown, should be selected the best in the different classes for transmission to Vienna, in order that the colony may be well and properly represented at the latter place.

At a meeting held in Christchurch on September 25, a General Committee were appointed, who formed in their turn Sub-committees, to superintend and arrange the exhibits of the various classes of produce.

The following lists of quantities and varieties of articles required have been drawn up by the Sub-committees, and they accordingly invite manufacturers and others to send in to them for exhibition the various specimens and samples they may desire to show.

The Exhibition will be opened on December 16, but articles should be sent in to the Committee by December 1, in order to ensure proper arrangement and classification.

All goods will be transmitted free of cost.

W O O L.

Sub-committee of Management :

H. P. Murray-Aynsley, Esq.
John Inglis, Esq.
W. K. Macdonald, Esq.

Net weight of each exhibit, if washed or scoured, to be 112 lbs.

If shown in the grease, each exhibit to consist of 10 fleeces, no skirting removed.

Each exhibit to be accompanied by the following statement :—

Owner's name
Breeder
Breed of animals
Age
Sex
Where bred
If imported, date of importation
If imported, whence imported
If imported, age when imported
Date of this shearing
Date of previous shearing
When washed, and how, previous to this shearing
If ever diseased
When dipped, and materials used in dipping
Weight of fleeces
Average price realised for previous clips from same flock
Where sold, and how
1st combing
2nd " } stating grease, washed or scoured
1st clothing
2nd "

F L A X.

Sub-committee of Management :

H. H. DeBourbel, Esq.
Geo. Booth, Esq.
J. A. Bird, Esq.

Fibre, cold water dressed—
50 lbs stripped, in pressed bale
50 lbs bleached do
100 lbs scutched do
100 lbs hackled do
Fibre, warm water dressed—
100 lbs scutched, in pressed bale
100 lbs hackled do

Cordage—

1 coil white of each size 3in, 2in, 1in, $\frac{3}{4}$ in
1 coil oiled of each size, 4in, 3in, 2in

1 coil tarred, $4\frac{1}{2}$ in
Wool lashing—samples
Twine—an assortment of different varieties and colours
Maori dressed flax—specimens
Maori manufactured flax—specimens
Flax seed—samples of different varieties
Pulp for paper making—samples
Articles manufactured from flax fibre—specimens

GRAIN AND AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE.

Sub-Committee of Management :

A. L. Smith, Esq.
P. Cunningham, Esq.
J. N. Tosswill, Esq.

Exhibits will be classed as follows :—

Class I—Wheat, oats, barley
Class II—Flour, oatmeal, bran, and sharps
Class III—Malt
Class IV—Beans, peas, and tares
Class V—Grass, clover, rape, and other seeds

In all cases each exhibit shall consist of 50lbs

Exhibitor to state how often and by what machine the grain has been cleaned

In all cases the grower's name and residence to be added

COAL, MINERALS, AND ORES.

Sub-Committee of Management :

J. Anderson, Esq.
H. P. Hill, Esq.

Coals, in pieces of about two cubic feet

Ores, in quantities of not more than two cubic feet

Glassmaking Sands, samples in bottles

Fire Clays, specimens of about two cubic feet

Larger specimens of peculiar excellence will be received

TIMBERS.

Sub-Committee of Management :

Geo. Holmes, Esq.
J. Booth, Esq.
F. Jenkins, Esq.

Exhibits will be classed as follows :—

Ship-building Timber
House-building Timber
Furniture Woods
Fancy and Ornamental Woods
Wood Carvings

Exhibits of Woods for furniture, or fancy and ornamental purposes, must have one side rough and one polished

Exhibits to be accompanied by a description and statement of the price at place of production.

AGRICULTURAL, FLAX, AND OTHER MACHINERY.

Sub-Committee of Management :

E. Richardson, Esq., M.H.R.
A. Duncan, Esq.
R. Wilkin, Esq.
E. G. Wright, Esq.

Exhibits will be classed as follows :—

Class I—Railway plant, including models, wheels, springs, gauges, railway chairs, carriage breaks, signals, couplings, &c., carriages and engines

Class II—Carriages not connected with rail or tramways—Buggies, carriages, and carts of sorts, cabs, spring carts, coachsmith's work, specimens of carriage painting, &c.

Class III—Machinery in general, inclusive of engines, cranes, quartz-crushing machines, chain pumps, turbines, Californian pumps, windmills, hydraulic rams, boiling-down plant, &c.

Class IV—Agricultural and horticultural machinery and implements, rollers, clod crushers, harrows, reaping and mowing ploughs, threshing machines, seed sowers, ploughs, horse hoes, cultivators, wool and cheese

presses, whipple trees, field gates, iron fencing, hurdles, rakes and tools, garden chairs, fountains, &c.

Class V—Flax machinery, strippers, dry and wet scutchers, feeding and discharging apparatus, hackles, &c.

MISCELLANEOUS OBJECTS.

Sub-Committee of Management :

W. D. Wood, Esq.

J. Ollivier, Esq.

J. P. Jameson, Esq.

W. J. M'Ilroy, Esq.

J. Gordon, Esq.

Building Stones—In pieces of not less than 8in cube, with statement of the size procurable from the quarries

Bricks—Building bricks, in parcels of 25 ; Fire bricks, in parcels of 6

Limestones, Slates, Cements—Specimens

Pottery, including Flower Pots, Tiles, Drain-pipes, and Earthenware—Specimens not exceeding 72 cubic feet space

Oils—Animal, Mineral and Vegetable—Samples of not less than 1 pint

Wax, Glue, Gum—Samples of not less than 2lbs

Whalebone—Specimens

Bone Dust and Artificial Manures—Samples of not less than 3 bushels of each kind sent

Preserved Meats—In cases suitable for export

Salt Provisions—Beef, Pork, Bacon and Hams, Fish—Beef and Pork in casks of 200lbs ; Bacon and Hams, 100lbs each ; Fish, not less than 25lbs

Preserved Fruits, Jams and Honey—Samples not less than 3lbs

Syrups, Cordials, Sauces—Samples of not less 2 bottles of each kind sent

Wines and Spirits—Samples of not less than 2 bottles of each kind sent

Ale and Porter—In cases or bulk suitable for export

Soap—Household soap, 56lbs ; Fancy soap, 7lbs

Tallow and Lard—In kegs

Candles—Samples of not less 24lbs

Cheese—Not less than two of each kind sent

Butter—In kegs

Chicory and Tobacco—Samples, raw and prepared, of not less than 7lbs

Hops—Samples of not less than 20lbs

Biscuits—12lbs of each kind sent

Kegs, Casks, Cheese Vats, Churns, &c.—Samples

Brooms and Brushware—Not less than 2 of each kind sent

Basketware—Samples

Tweeds and Cloths—Pieces of not less than 12 yards each

Hats—Sample case not exceeding 3 feet square

Blankets, Plaids, and Hosiery—Samples

Furniture, inlaid Cabinet Work, and Marqueterie—Specimens

Jewellery and Ornaments—Specimens

Glassware—Sample case

Furs and Feathers—Specimens

Shells, for inlaying and manufacturing purposes—Specimens

Leather, Boots and Saddlery, Saddlery and Harness—Samples

Architectural drawings, Engineering drawings, Geological and other maps and plans, Photographs of scenery—Specimens

Printing, Bookbinding, Lithography—Specimens

Musical Instruments—Specimens

Medals and certificates of honorable mention will be distributed to the best exhibits in the various classes.

Advantage will be taken of the Exhibition to select the best articles to represent the colony at the Vienna Exhibition.

Intending exhibitors are requested to inform the secretary, as early as possible, of the character and number of the objects they desire to show. Any further information required can be obtained from him.

ADDRESS—Government Buildings, Christchurch.

By order,

W. M. MASKELL, Secretary.

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Colonial Secretary's Office,

(Judicial Branch),

Wellington, 8th October, 1872.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint * * *

THOMAS SLATER PRATT, Esq.,

of Waikouaiti, Otago, to be a Justice of the Peace for the Colony.

HENRY SEWELL.