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PROCLAMATION

Appointing certain Roads in the Aparima Road District to be Main District Roads.

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

WHEREAS by the "Otago Roads Ordinance 1871," it is provided that upon the application of the Road Board of any road district, the Superintendent may from time to time, if it shall seem fit so to do, by proclamation, appoint that any roads or parts of roads, whether within or upon the boundary of such district, shall be main roads or main district roads: And whereas the Road Board of the Aparima road district have applied to me, James Macandrew, Superintendent of the Province of Otago, to appoint the roads hereinafter described to be main district roads:

Now therefore I, James Macandrew, Superintendent of the Province of Otago, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in this behalf vested in me by the said "Otago Roads Ordinance 1871," do hereby appoint the following roads, situate within or upon the boundary of the Aparima road district aforesaid, to be main district roads (that is to say)—

1. The Wallacetown road, commencing at the eastern boundary of the Riverton township, extending through blocks VI, VII, and XII, Jacob's River Hundred, and through blocks XII, XI, V, and XVI, New River Hundred to the Oreti River, the eastern boundary of the Aparima road district.

2. The Otautau road, commencing on the Wallacetown road, ten chains from the eastern boundary of the Riverton township, extending through block VI to the bridge over the Jacob's river; then along the north-west boundaries of blocks IV and IX and through block VIII, Jacob's River Hundred; and thence through block I, Aparima Hundred to the Otautau township.

3. The Yellow Bluff road, commencing on the Wallacetown road, about twenty-five chains from the Waimatuku river, and extending through block XII; then along the eastern boundary of block X; and thence through blocks XV and XVI, Jacob's River Hundred, to the Aparima river at a point known as the Yellow Bluff.

Given under my hand, and issued under the public seal of the Province of Otago, at Dunedin, this twentieth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

(L.S.)

J. MACANDREW,
Superintendent.

PROCLAMATION

Setting apart Lands in the Toetoes District, for alienation on deferred payments.

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

WHEREAS by the forty-seventh section of the Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, intituled "The Otago Waste Lands Act 1872," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Superintendent of the Province of Otago with the advice and consent of the Provincial Council thereof, from time to time by Proclamation to be published in the Provincial Gazette, to set apart in any part of the Province, districts or blocks of land within which licenses to occupy land and leases thereof on deferred payments may be granted: And whereas it is further enacted by the said section that pending the next meeting of the Provincial Council it shall be lawful for the Superintendent, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, by proclamation to set apart under the said section any lands which may have already been thrown open under any power given in any previous Act: And whereas the lands hereinafter described have already been thrown open for sale under the provisions of "The Otago Waste Lands Act 1866:"

Now therefore I, James Macandrew, Superintendent of the Province of Otago, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Province, do hereby by virtue and in exercise of the powers conferred upon me by the "Otago Waste Lands Act 1872," proclaim and declare that I have set apart and do hereby set apart from the date hereof, all that piece or parcel of land in the Province of Otago, in the Colony of New Zealand, containing by estimation five thousand (5000) acres, more or less, situate in Toetoes district, being parts of blocks numbered respectively five (V), eight (VIII), and nine (IX), on the map of the said district: bounded towards the north by a road line twenty-two thousand (22,000) links; towards the east by other parts of blocks numbered respectively V and IX, thirty thousand seven hundred (30,700) links; towards the south by block numbered eleven (XI), twelve thousand (12,000) links; and towards the west by the ocean, by village reserve, also by sections numbered respectively 5, 1, and 3, block VIII, thirty-six thousand seven hundred (36,700) links, excepting out of the above description sections numbered respectively three (3) and four (4), block V, and three (3) block IX; as a district within which licenses to occupy land and leases thereof on deferred payments may be granted.

Given under my hand, and issued under the public seal of the Province of Otago, this eighteenth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

(L.S.)

J. MACANDREW,
Superintendent.

PROCLAMATION

Appointing a day for the first Election of a Citizen to be Mayor of the Incorporated Town of Naseby.

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

WHEREAS by the "Otago Municipal Corporations Ordinance 1865 Amendment Ordinance 1870," it is amongst other things provided that it shall be lawful for the Superintendent, at any time after any Municipality shall have been proclaimed under the provisions of the Ordinance intituled "An Ordinance to amend the Otago Municipal Corporations Ordinance 1865," by Proclamation in the Government Gazette of the Province of Otago, to appoint a day for the first election of a citizen to be Mayor of such municipality: And whereas the township of Naseby has been proclaimed a municipality under the provisions of the said Ordinance; and it is expedient to appoint a day for the first election of a citizen to be Mayor of the said municipality of Naseby:

Now therefore I, James Macandrew, Superintendent of the said Province of Otago, do hereby proclaim and declare that I have appointed, and do hereby appoint, Monday, the tenth day of March, 1873, as and to be the day for the first election of a citizen to be Mayor of the municipality of Naseby.

Given under my hand, and issued under the public seal of the Province of Otago, at Dunedin, this twenty-fourth day of February, 1873.

(L.S.) **J. MACANDREW,**
Superintendent.

MUNICIPAL CORPORATION OF NASEBY.

NOTICE

Of appointment of Henry Wirgman Robinson, Esquire, to give Public Notice of, and to preside at, do, and perform at the first Elections of Mayor, Councillors, and Auditors, all the acts required or directed to be done by the Mayor of the Incorporated Town of Naseby, under the "Otago Municipal Corporations Ordinance 1865."

NOTICE is hereby given, that His Honor, James Macandrew, Esquire, Superintendent of the Province of Otago, in exercise of the powers vested in him by the "Otago Municipal Corporations Ordinance 1865," has nominated and appointed

HENRY WIRGMAN ROBINSON, Esquire, to be the person to give public notice, as by law required, of the place for the nomination of candidates for election to the several offices of Mayor, Councillors, and Auditors, at the first elections of Mayor, Councillors, and Auditors, for the incorporated town of Naseby, under the said "Otago Municipal Corporations Ordinance 1865;" and to be the person to attend on the day of the nomination of candidates for such offices at the first elections held under the said Ordinance, and to preside, do, and perform, at such first elections all the acts by the said Ordinance required or directed to be done by the Mayor of the said incorporated town at elections of Mayor, Councillors or Auditors under the said Ordinance.

W. A. TOLMIE,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Dunedin, 24th February, 1873.

NOTICE

Of day and place of nomination of Candidates for office of Mayor of the Incorporated Town of Naseby.

WHEREAS His Honor James Macandrew, Esquire, Superintendent of the Province of Otago, in exercise of the powers vested in him by the "Otago Municipal Corporations Ordinance 1865," has, by warrant under his hand, appointed me, the undersigned, Henry Wirgman Robinson, to be the person to give public notice, as by law required, of the place, day and hour for the nomination of candidates for election to the office of Mayor, at the first election of Mayor for the incorporated town of Naseby, under the said Ordinance; and to attend on the day of the nomination of candidates for such office at such first election, and to preside, do and perform at such first election all the Acts by the said Ordinance required or directed to be done by the Mayor of the said incorporated town of Naseby at the election of Mayor:

Now therefore I, the said Henry Wirgman Robinson,

notify that Monday, the 10th day of March, 1873, at noon, at the Court-house, in the said incorporated town of Naseby, have been appointed as the day, hour and place for nomination of candidates for election to the office of Mayor of the said incorporated town of Naseby, at the ensuing election; and I do hereby give notice that I shall attend at the said place, and at the day and time hereinbefore mentioned, and shall then cause to be publicly opened and read all such nominations of candidates for election to the office of Mayor to the said incorporated town as shall be in due form, and shall have been lodged with Mr W. L. Bailey, the person appointed by His Honor the Superintendent to act as Town Clerk at such election, at his office, before noon of the said tenth day of March, 1873.

Dated at Naseby, this 24th day of February, 1873.

H. W. ROBINSON,

NOTICE

Of appointment of Mr W. L. Bailey to act as Town Clerk at first elections of Mayor, Councillors and Auditors, for the incorporated town of Naseby.

NOTICE is hereby given that His Honor James Macandrew, Esquire, Superintendent of the Province of Otago, in exercise of the power vested in him in that behalf by the "Otago Municipal Corporations Ordinance 1865," has nominated and appointed

Mr W. L. BAILEY

to receive nominations of Candidates, and to do and perform at the first elections of Mayor, Councillors and Auditors, for the said incorporated town, under the said Ordinance, all the acts required by the said Ordinance to be done by the Town Clerk of the incorporated town of Naseby before a Mayor, Councillors, and Auditors can be elected at such first elections, under the provisions of the said Ordinance.

W. A. TOLMIE,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Dunedin, 24th Feb., 1873.

NOTICE

Of appointment of Richard Edwin Field to preside at polling in south ward, at the election of Mayor, Councillors, and Auditors, for the incorporated town of Naseby.

NOTICE is hereby given, that His Honor James Macandrew, Esquire, Superintendent of the Province of Otago, in exercise of the powers vested in him in that behalf by the "Otago Municipal Corporations Ordinance 1865," has nominated and appointed

Mr. RICHARD EDWIN FIELD,

to be the person before whom shall be held within the south ward of the incorporated town of Naseby, the polling at the election under the said Ordinance, of Mayor, Councillors, and Auditors, for the said incorporated town, at the first elections held under the said Ordinance for the said incorporated town and to do within the said Ward, at such first elections, all such acts as by the said Ordinance are required to be done by a Councillor or other person appointed to preside at the polling at elections of Mayor, Councillors and Auditors.

W. A. TOLMIE,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Dunedin, 24th February, 1873.

NOTICE

Of appointment of Mr Hugh Wilson to preside at polling in East Ward, at the election of Mayor, Councillors, and Auditors, for the Incorporated Town of Naseby.

NOTICE is hereby given that His Honor James Macandrew, Esquire, Superintendent of the Province of Otago, in exercise of the powers vested in him in that behalf by the "Otago Municipal Corporations Ordinance 1865," has nominated and appointed

Mr HUGH WILSON

to be the person before whom shall be held within the East Ward of the incorporated town of Naseby, the polling at the election held under the said Ordinance, of Mayor, Councillors, and Auditors for the said incorporated town, at the first election held under the said Ordinance for the said incorporated town, and to do within the said ward at such first elections, all such acts as by the said Ordinance are required to be done

by a Councillor or other person appointed to preside at the polling at elections of Mayor, Councillors and Auditors, under the said Ordinance.

W. A. TOLMIE,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Dunedin, 24th February, 1873.

NOTICE

Of appointment of Mr Edwin Charles Smith, to preside at polling in West Ward, at the election of Mayor, Councillors, and Auditors, for the incorporated town of Naseby.

NOTICE is hereby given, that his Honor James Macandrew, Esquire, Superintendent of the Province of Otago, in exercise of the powers vested in him in that behalf by the "Otago Municipal Corporations Ordinance 1865," has nominated and appointed

Mr EDWIN CHARLES SMITH,

to be the person before whom shall be held within the west ward of the incorporated town of Naseby, the polling at the election under the said Ordinance, of Mayor, Councillors and Auditors for the said incorporated town, at the first election held under the said Ordinance for the said incorporated town, and to do within the said ward, at such first election, all such acts as by the said Ordinance are required to be done by a councillor or other person appointed to preside at the polling at elections of Mayor, Councillors, and Auditors under the said Ordinance.

W. A. TOLMIE,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Dunedin, 24th February, 1873.

NOTICE.

Incorporated town of Naseby.

WHEREAS by the 28th section of the "Otago Municipal Corporations Ordinance 1865," it is provided that no person elected to be Mayor, Councillor, or Auditor under the said Ordinance shall be capable of acting as such until he shall first, in the presence of any two Councillors, have made and subscribed the declaration therein set forth: Provided that at the first elections under the said Ordinance, whether for the City of Dunedin or for any incorporated town or place, such declaration shall be made and subscribed before a person to be appointed for that purpose by the Superintendent of Otago.

And whereas it is necessary that a person should be appointed before whom such declaration shall be made and subscribed by the persons elected as Mayor, Councillors, and Auditors, respectively, for the incorporated town of Naseby, at the first elections for the said town under the said Ordinance.

Now therefore I, James Macandrew, Superintendent of the Province of Otago, do hereby, in pursuance of the power in this behalf vested in me by the said Ordinance, appoint Henry Wirgman Robinson, of Naseby, Esquire, as and to be the person before whom the persons elected as Mayor, Councillors, and Auditors respectively, at the first elections under the said Ordinance for the said incorporated town of Naseby, shall make and subscribe the declaration specified in the said twenty-eighth section of the said Ordinance.

Given under my hand, and issued under the public seal of the Province of Otago aforesaid, at Dunedin, this twenty-fourth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

(L.S.) J. MACANDREW,
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 applicants 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 20th day of March, 1873.

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 25th day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

J. MACANDREW,
Superintendent.

SCHEDULE.

W. S. Douglas, on behalf of the Perseverance Quartz Mining Company (Registered), for nine acres of land, more or less, as the same may be found after survey to be within the pegs and trenches of the applicants, situated at Long Gully, Dunback District, Shag Valley.

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 20th day of March, 1873.

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 25th day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy three.

J. MACANDREW,
Superintendent.

SCHEDULE.

W. S. Douglas, on behalf of the Perseverance Quartz Mining Company (Registered), for eight acres of land, more or less, as the same may be found after survey to be within the pegs and trenches of the applicants, situated at Dunback District, Shag Valley, adjoining area comprised in No. 1 Application.

NOTICE.

THAT portion of the section, presently a temporary Bush Reserve, on the flat between the Tomoborakau Creek and the Oreti, south and west of Mr Morton's property, Wallacetown, containing about 180 acres, will be open for application the 19th of March next.

J. MACANDREW,
Superintendent.

Superintendent's Office,
Dunedin, 24th Feby., 1872.

WILL be open for application, the northern half of Sections 19 to 27, Block XX, Invercargill Hundred, temporarily reserved under the timber regulations (being an extension of the Otatara Bush Reserve), will be open for application on Thursday, the 13th March, 1873.

J. MACANDREW,
Superintendent.

NOTICE.—Section 13, block V, Mabel hundred, hitherto temporarily reserved, will be open for application on Friday, the 21st March next.

J. MACANDREW,
Superintendent.

Superintendent's Office, Dunedin.

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

THOMAS BROOKES

to be Inspector of Carriages at Milton.

W. A. TOLMIE,
Provincial Secretary.

24th Feb., 1873.

RIVERTON CEMETERY.

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

Mr JAMES COOK
to be a Manager of Riverton Cemetery.
W. A. TOLMIE,
Provincial Secretary.

24th Feb., 1873.

Gold Fields Office,
Dunedin, 25th February, 1873.

NOTICE is hereby giving that the Mining Lease issued in favor of Messrs Hagel, Smith and Brown for section 3, Polnoon district, and the Mining Lease Certificate issued to said party for section 1, Polnoon district, have been cancelled at their request, and the land is now open for occupation by holders of miners' rights.

ALEX. WILLIS,
for Provincial Gold Fields Secretary.

NOTICE FOR DISTRICT ROAD BOARDS.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Dunedin, 11th February, 1873.

ANY District Road Board requiring a road or roads to be taken through private property under the powers conferred on the Government by the "Provincial Compulsory Lands Taking Act 1866," must forward to this office plans and descriptions of such road or roads by an authorized surveyor, in sufficient time to enable the standing Rules and Orders of the Provincial Council of Otago under the Act above-mentioned to be complied with.

The clause of the standing Rules and Orders is published below for general information.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Under-Secretary.

Notice of intention to introduce Bill to be gazetted thirty days before Session, and fourteen days' notice to be given to owner, &c.

3. Not less than thirty days previous to the commencement of the Session in which any Bill shall be introduced under the provisions of the "Provincial Compulsory Land Taking Act 1866" (hereinafter referred to as the said Act), a notice shall be published in the New Zealand Government Gazette and also in the Government Gazette of the Province, setting forth the objects, and stating the intention to introduce such a Bill; and, also, stating the time at which a copy of the Bill may be inspected at the office of the Clerk of the Provincial Council; and such notice shall contain the name of the township, district, or other territorial division in which the lands intended to be taken are situated, and the blocks and sections or parts of sections to be so taken; and not less than fourteen days previous to the commencement of the Session a notice in the form or to the effect set forth in the Appendix marked B shall be given to the owners, or reputed owners, lessees, or reputed lessees, and occupiers of all lands intended to be taken for the purposes of the Bill, either by delivering a copy of such notice personally to every such person, or by leaving the same at his or her usual or last known place of abode in the Province; or, in case of his or her absence from the Colony, with his or agent, or by forwarding the same by post in a registered letter, addressed with a sufficient direction to his or her usual or last known place of abode in the Province, duly stamped and posted before the first of such fourteen days at the Chief Post-office in Dunedin.

ABSTRACT FROM PREVIOUS GAZETTES OF
Impounding Notices:—

7th March, Friday, noon, a mare will be sold at West Taieri Pound.
7th March, Friday, noon, a heifer and a bullock will be sold at Palmerston Pound.
7th March, Friday, noon, a horse will be sold at Papakaio Pound.

TIME EXTENDED.

CONDITIONAL TENDERS will be received at the office of the Secretary for Works, until 14th March, 1873 from persons desirous of constructing a bridge over the Clutha River at the Beaumont, in terms of conditions to be seen at the office of the Provincial Engineer, Dunedin, and at the Police Camp, Tuapeka, on and after the 15th instant.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Under Secretary.

25th February, 1873.

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

FRESH TENDERS will be received at the Office of the Secretary for Works until noon of Tuesday, 4th March, 1873, for

Contract No. 696—Formation and gravelling of 88 chains of road at the "Fern Hills," on road Winton Benmore.

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, Winton.

Tenders to be endorsed "Roads and Works tender for contract No. 696."

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, 18th March, 1873, for

Contract No. 722—Formation of about 80 chains of road, Naseby to Clarks Diggings.

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, Naseby.

Tenders to be endorsed "Roads and Works tender for contract No. 722."

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

ALEX. WILLIS,
for Secretary for Works.

Dunedin, 25th Feb., 1873.

NASEBY SLUDGE CHANNEL.

TENDERS will be received at the office of the Secretary for Works until noon of Saturday, 15th March, 1873, for

Contract No. 1—Construction of about ten miles of Sludge Channel.

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, Naseby.

Tenders to be endorsed "Tender for Contract No. 1, Sludge Channel."

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

ALEX. WILLIS,
for Secretary for Works.

Dunedin, 25th Feb., 1873.

TENDERS will be received at the office of the Secretary for Works until noon of Tuesday, 11th March, 1873, for

Contracts Nos. 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721—Maintenance of portions of road, Dunedin to East Taieri Bridge, from Hillside to 9th milepost.

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

Tenders to be endorsed "Roads and Works tender for contract No. 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721," as the case may be.

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

ALEX. WILLIS,
for Secretary for Works.

Dunedin, 25th February, 1873.

TENDERS WANTED.

MORNINGTON Road Board District invite Tenders for forming and metalling Woodhead and Nidpath roads, as per plans and specifications, to be seen at Mr Attwood's, Clerk to the Board, Mornington.

Tenders to be addressed to the Chairman, Mr B. B. Martin, High street, on or before the 6th March.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

(Signed) J. E. ATTWOOD,
Clerk to Board.

NORTH-EAST VALLEY Road District.—Tenders wanted for certain formations in N.E. Valley. Plans and specifications to be seen at School-house. Tenders to be marked and addressed to Chairman, and left at School-house on or before Friday, 7th March, at noon. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. 4t.9s

WANTED, a Second Master for the Kaikorai District School. Salary £75 per annum, with 10 per cent.

of the school fees added, which at present amounts to about £25. Applications, with testimonials, to be lodged with the undersigned on or before the 1st of March next.

JAMES CURLE,

Hon. Sec., Kaikorai School Committee.

WANTED a Teacher for the Waiwera School. Salary—Government subsidy £75, and school fees with residence and about 7 acres of glebe securely fenced. Applications with testimonials, to be lodged with the undersigned until the 8th March, 1873.

DAVID WALLACE,

Secretary Waiwera School Committee.

WANTED, a competent Teacher for the new School at Pukuari, distant six miles from Oamaru. Over 50 children supposed to attend. Salary: Government Grant and School Fees, and nearly 5 acres of Glebe, on which a comfortable residence is about to be erected. Applications with testimonials, to be forwarded on or before the 12th day of April, 1873, and addressed to the Clerk, Pukuari School Committee, Oamaru. For further information, apply at the Education Office, or THOS. WRIGHT, Pukuari.

FEMALE Teacher wanted for the North School, Oamaru. Salary: £90 per annum. Applications with testimonials, to be lodged with the undersigned, on or before the 1st of March next.

J. C. WINCH,

Secretary to the Oamaru School Committee.

EDUCATION RESERVES, SOUTHLAND.

APPPLICATIONS 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.

REGISTRATION Forms may be had gratis from the Registration Offices throughout the Province, and also from the Government Storekeeper, Dunedin.

WASTE LAND BOARD ADVERTISEMENTS.

THURSDAY, 13th March, at noon.

NOTICE is hereby given that Sections 6 and 7, Block III, Wyndham district, containing respectively 100 acres each, will be offered for sale by public auction at the Royal Mail Hotel, Popotunoa, on Thursday the 13th day of March next at noon, at the upset price of £1 per acre.

THURSDAY, 13th March, at noon.

NOTICE is hereby given that Block LI, Dunedin, containing 27 poles, will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Land Office, Dunedin, on Thursday, the 13th day of March next, at noon, at the upset price of £200.

THURSDAY, 20th March, noon.

NOTICE is hereby given that section 2 of 63, block V, Moeraki District, containing 38a 2r 28p; section 1 of 44, block VII, Hawksbury district, containing 33a; and section 40, block II, Waikouaiti district, containing 75a 1r 29p, will be offered for sale by public auction at the Court House, Hawksbury, on Thursday, the 20th day of March next, at noon, at the upset price of 10s per acre.

Immediately thereafter, sections 71, 72, 73, 74 and 75, block V, Hawksbury district, will be offered as land of special value, at the upset price of £2 per acre.

THURSDAY, 20th March, 1873.

4375 ACRES, BLOCK III, GLENKENICH DISTRICT.
(Waikoikoi Run, Capt. McKenzie's.)

THE above land, being sections numbered 1 to 39, 52 to 58, 65 to 70, 78, 80, 81, block III, Glenkenich District, will be open for application at the Land Office, Dunedin, on Thursday, the 20th day of March 1873, at £1 per acre.

In the event of more than one application being made for the same land on the same day, it will be put up for sale by auction, open to all bidders.

MONDAY, 31st March, noon.

THE undermentioned Town Sections will be sold by Auction at the Land Office, Invercargill, at noon on Monday, the 31st day of March proximo:—

Town.	Section.	Block.	Upset price.			
			£	s.	d.	
East Winton	...	9	I	9	18	9
Do.	...	10	I	9	3	9
Wallacetown	...	5	V	4	0	0
Long Bush	...	26		18	6	0
Otautau	...	12	VII	6	6	0
Do.	...	13	VII	6	6	0
Do.	...	14	VII	4	4	0

NOTICE is hereby given that the sections in the townships of Ettrick, Alexandra, Ophir, Manuherikia, Clyde, Cromwell, Bendigo, Newcastle, Pembroke, and Gladstone, previously advertised for sale in the December Gazette, but postponed, will be offered on the dates and at the places undermentioned—

Township of Ettrick—On the ground, on Monday, the 10th day of March next, at noon

Township of Alexandra—At Mr J. C. Chapple's Auction Rooms, Alexandra, on Tuesday, the 11th March next, at noon

Townships of Ophir and Manuherikia—At Blacks, Manuherikia, on Wednesday, the 12th day of March next, at noon. (Ophir subject to valuations and at the upset price of £12 10s per quarter-acre)

Township of Clyde—At the Survey Office, Clyde, on Thursday, the 13th March next, at noon.

Township of Cromwell—At the Courthouse, Cromwell, on Friday, the 14th day of March next, at noon.

Townships of Bendigo, Newcastle, Pembroke and Gladstone—At Bendigo, on Saturday, the 15th day of March next, at noon.

J. T. THOMSON,

Chief Commissioner.

Department of Land and Survey,
Dunedin, Feb. 24, 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given that sections 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17, block X, Hawksbury District, containing respectively 315a 1r 32p, 312a, 259a, 293a 2r 38p, 307a 2r 30p, 304a 6r 16p, 271a 1r 16p, 267a 3r 10p, 247a 3r 20p, 319a 1r; and sections 32a and 33, block XI, Hawksbury District, containing respectively 59a 3r 30p, and 279a, will be offered for sale by public auction at the Courthouse, Hawksbury, on Thursday, the 27th day of March next, at noon, at the upset price of 10s per acre, subject to repayment of survey expenses.

On that date section 80, block V, Hillend District, containing 26a 1r 24p, will be offered at Mr Capstick's Auction Rooms, Tokomairiro, at the upset price of 21s per acre.

NOTICE TO APPLICANTS FOR UNSURVEYED LAND, under "Otago Waste Land Act 1866."—It is hereby notified to the applicants whose names appear in the subjoined Schedule, that they have been declared to be the purchasers of the sections set opposite their names in the Schedule, and that the purchase money of these sections must be paid to the Receiver of Land Revenue in Dunedin, on or before Wednesday, the 12th day of March, 1873, otherwise the applications will be deemed withdrawn, cancelled and void, and the deposit made at the time of lodging the application will be forfeited.

William Dellow, sec. 73, block III, Waipahee district

Thomas M'Kellar, sec. 5, block IX, Rangleburn district

Do., sec. 1, block V, Crookston district

J. T. THOMSON,

Chief Commissioner.

Waste Land Board Office,
Dunedin, February 26, 1873.

CROWN GRANTS in favor of the undermentioned persons are now ready for delivery at the Land Office, Invercargill.

WALTER H. PEARSON,

Commissioner Crown Lands.

Crown Grant Office,
Invercargill, 19th Feby., 1873.

Roderick McRae, sections 30 and 31, block XIV, Invercargill hundred
 Daniel McFarlane, section 2, block VII, Invercargill hundred
 Charles T. Ick, section 4, block VII, Invercargill hundred
 George S. McKay, section 9, block VII, Invercargill hundred
 Robert Dalrymple, section 51, block XIX, Invercargill hundred
 Walter H. Pearson, section 1, block LXI, Invercargill
 Do. section 17, block LXI, Invercargill
 Ebenezer Gibb, section 8, block VII, Invercargill hundred
 Peter McKellar, section 216, Hokonui district
 Do. section 77, Hokonui district
 Do. section 79, Hokonui district
 Do. section 80, Hokonui district
 Do. section 82, Hokonui district
 Do. section 83, Hokonui district
 Do. section 84, Hokonui district
 Do. section 219, Hokonui district
 Do. section 152, Hokonui district
 Do. section 153, Hokonui district
 Do. section 154, Hokonui district
 Do. section 155, Hokonui district
 Do. section 157, Hokonui district
 Do. section 158, Hokonui district
 Do. section 159, Hokonui district
 Ann McGillivray, section 12, Waimumu hundred
 Alexander Hamilton, section 14, Waimumu hundred
 John Hamilton, sections 55 and 59, block VI, Winton hundred
 John P. Taylor, section 11, block I, Campbell Town hundred
 Thomas Costello, sections 44 and 45, block V, Invercargill hundred
 Robert Hall, section 19, block X, Invercargill hundred
 James Marshall jun., sections 3 and 4, block XI, Invercargill hundred
 Andrew J. Elles, section 13, block XIII, Invercargill hundred
 Heale, Macdonald and Blacklock, section 12, block XV, Invercargill hundred
 Joseph Fosbinder, section 8, block XVI, Invercargill hundred
 Asher and Dalgleish, section 37B, block XIX, Invercargill hundred
 Asher, Dalgleish and McCallum, section 38, block XIX, Invercargill hundred
 John Murdoch, section 57, block XIX, Invercargill hundred
 James Shand, section 137A, Hokonui district
 John Campbell, section 142, Hokonui district
 Arthur Gerrard, sections 15 and 16, Oreti hundred
 Do. section 17, Oreti hundred
 John Fenlon, section 162, Hokonui district
 Arthur Gerrard, section 18, Oreti hundred
 Hugh McLean, section 181, Hokonui district
 Eli Jowett, section 204, Hokonui district
 Frederick J. King, section 205, Hokonui district
 Kenneth McIvor, section 36, block XIII, Invercargill hundred.

THE undermentioned occupiers of land in Forest Hill hundred, have been elected to act as Wardens for the said hundred during the current year.

WM. BUTLER	DONALD MCLEOD
THOS. MCLEAN	ARCHD. MCKAY
JOSEPH FOSBINDER	GEO. MCLEOD
JOHN BROWN	DAVID ANDERSON
ANDREW MACDONALD.	

WALTER H. PEARSON,
 Commissioner Crown Lands.

Crown Lands Office,
 Invercargill, 19th Feb., 1873.

WARDENS, WINTON HUNDRED.

THE undermentioned owners or occupiers of land in the Winton hundred, were elected Wardens for the current year, on the 19th inst.

ALEXANDER GERRARD GEORGE CROSBIE

JOHN BLANCHFIELD RALPH SWALE

W. CUTCULIFFE.

WALTER H. PEARSON,

Commissioner Crown Lands.

Crown Lands Office,
 Invercargill, Feb. 21, 1873.

WARDENS, NEW RIVER HUNDRED.

THE undermentioned owners or occupiers of land in the New River hundred, were elected Wardens for the current year, on the 20th inst.

W. LAWRENCE
 W. RUSSELL

JOHN BROOK
 S. HODGKINSON.

WALTER H. PEARSON,
 Commissioner Crown Lands.

Crown Lands Office,
 Invercargill, Feb. 21, 1873.

BY-LAWS passed by Wardens of the Forest Hill hundred, 18th Feb. 1873.

1. That no cattle or horses of any description be depastured on the Crown lands of Forest Hill hundred without a license, provided always that cattle and horses of bona fide travellers on their journey when turned out, be not considered trespassers if not longer than two nights in the same neighbourhood.

2. That all persons not being licensed to depasture stock on the Forest Hill hundred, remove their cattle and horses within twenty-eight days of the publication of this notice.

3. That no sheep or small cattle of any kind be depastured on the Crown lands of the Forest Hill hundred, and that sheep travelling through the district be treated as trespassers, if found without a shepherd or if camped for the night within five miles of the previous night's camping ground.

4. That no entire horse over twelve months old be depastured on the Crown lands within the hundred, and that no bull or bull stag shall be allowed to run thereon after fourteen days notice to that effect has been given in writing to the owner thereof to the Wardens.

5. That no person shall be allowed to depasture on the Crown lands of the hundred more than one head of cattle to three acres, or otherwise one horse to every nine acres of land in his occupation, and that all cattle or horses so depastured must bear the registered brand of the licenseholder.

6. That all stray cattle or horses depastured in contravention of any of the foregoing Bye-laws may be impounded, and that the Wardens will not be responsible for any mistakes which may arise through cattle not bearing brands, according to the "Cattle Branding Ordinance."

7. That the penalty for any breach of the foregoing Bye-laws be any sum not exceeding five pounds sterling, to be recovered in a summary way, according to the 46th clause of the Land Regulations.

8. That all persons entitled to depasture cattle or horses within the Forest Hill hundred, shall within twenty-eight days hereof, furnish a return of their brands, stock and acreage to the Chairman, failing which the Wardens will not be responsible for any mistakes that may occur.

JOHN BROWN,
 Chairman.

Sanctioned on behalf of the Waste Lands Board,

WALTER H. PEARSON,
 Commissioner Crown Lands.

Crown Lands Office,
 Invercargill, Feb. 21, 1873.

UNIVERSITY OF OTAGO.

THE Third Session will be opened on 1st May, 1873.

CLASSES.

1. *Classics*.—Separate classes for junior and senior Latin and Greek. Professor: G. S. Sale, M.A.
2. *Class* for English language and literature. Professor: G. S. Sale, M.A.
3. *Mathematics*.—I. Junior mathematics. II. Mathematics and natural philosophy. III. Mathematics and natural philosophy. Professor: John Shand, M.A.
4. *Mental and Moral Science*.—Classes for logic and psychology, moral philosophy, political economy. Professor: D. Macgregor, M.A., M.D.
5. *Natural Science*.—Classes for chemistry, mineralogy and geology. Professor: J. G. Black, M.A., D.Sc.

The session will last for six months continuously, during the entire course of which instruction will be given to each class by the Professor, by means of text books, lectures, and oral and written examinations.

Matriculation fee, £1; laboratory fee, £1.
The fee for each class is three guineas per session.

MATRICULATION.

The matriculation examinations for 1873 will be held at Dunedin on the 2nd and 3rd days of May.

The following are the subjects of examination,—

Latin.

Cicero—"De Amicitia."

Greek.

Xenophon's Anabasis, Book I.

English.

Writing and dictation.

French or German.

Translation from French or German into English; translation from English into French or German.

Arithmetic.

The compound rules, especially square and cubic measures; vulgar and decimal fractions; proportion; extraction of the square root.

Algebra.

Meaning of the Algebraical signs, the four elementary rules, simple equations.

Geometry.

Euclid, Book I.

Geography.

The chief physical features and principal towns of Europe, Asia, Africa, North and South America; together with more minute details of the geography of Great Britain and Ireland, Australia and New Zealand.

Candidates will be entitled to matriculate who shall have passed in Latin, English, and Arithmetic; and in any two at least of the other subjects of examination.

DEGREES.

The degree of B.A. will be attainable by attendance upon the prescribed lectures during three sessions, and passing an examination in certain subjects, either at the end of the third, or at the beginning of the fourth session after matriculation; or at the beginning or end of any subsequent session. There will be no honor examination in connection with the B.A. degree.

The degree of M.A. will be attainable only by those who have already taken the B.A. degree. The ordinary M.A. degree will be attainable by attendance on the prescribed lectures for at least one session after the taking of the B.A. degree, and by passing a further examination similar in kind to that required of candidates for the degree of B.A.; such examination to be held at the end of one year from the B.A. degree, or at the commencement or end of any subsequent session. There will be an honor examination in connection with the M.A. degree. No one will be admitted to the degree of M.A., with honors, except such as have declared their intention of entering for honors at the time of taking the B.A. degree, or within six months afterwards. Candidates for the degree of M.A. with honors will be allowed to select one or more of the following subjects, and will be examined in such subject or subjects only:—

1. Classics.
2. Philosophy.
3. Pure and applied mathematics.
4. Natural science.

No candidate will be admitted to the degree of M.A., with honors, after the expiration of three academical years, from the date of his B.A. degree, nor after the expiration of six years from the date of his matriculation.

All candidates for the B.A. and ordinary M.A. degrees will be required to furnish certificates of their attendance at the several courses of lectures prescribed for them. Candidates for the B.A. degree may select one of the two following courses:—

LITERARY COURSE.

1st year.—Latin, Greek, Mathematics, *English.

2nd year.—Latin, Mathematics, Mental Science, Natural Science.

3rd year. { *Greek { Moral Philosophy, } Natural
 { *English { Political Economy } Philosophy.

SCIENTIFIC COURSE.

1st year.—Latin, Mathematics, Natural Science.

2nd year.—Latin, Mathematics, Natural Science, Mental Science.

3rd year.—Natural Philosophy, Natural Science.

Classes marked * are taught only three days a week.

In the Scientific Course students will not be required to attend both the English classes and the Moral Philosophy class, but must take one or the other.

Though students are recommended to adhere to one or other of the above courses, if they wish to graduate at the end of three years, the Council desires it to be understood that they are at liberty to take the prescribed classes in any order, and to spread them over a longer period.

SUBJECTS OF EXAMINATION FOR THE B.A. DEGREE.

Latin.—Portions from the works of two verse and two prose authors; selections to be made from year to year from the works of Lucretius, Virgil, Horace, Juvenal, Cicero, Livy and Tacitus. Questions on Grammar, History and Antiquities.

Greek.—Portions from the works of two verse and two prose authors; selections to be made from year to year from the works of Homer, Æschylus, Sophocles, Euripides, Herodotus, Thucydides, Plato, Xenophon. Questions on Grammar, History and Antiquities.

English.—A general knowledge of the structure and history of the English Language and of the principal periods of English Literature, with their representative authors. Portions from the works of the following authors:—Chaucer, Langland, Spenser, Shakespeare, Milton, and Dryden; selections to be made from year to year.

Mental and Moral Science.—1. Logic—deductive and inductive; books recommended—Bain's logic and Jevons' logic. 2. Psychology.—Lectures on nervous system; books recommended—Carpenter's physiology; lectures on the special senses and the intellect, including the historical evolution of modern doctrines. 3. Ethics—class lectures and the study of ancient and modern ethical theories; books recommended—Stewart's outlines and Bain's mental and moral science. 4. Political Economy; books recommended—Mill's political economy.

Mathematics.—1. Plane geometry; 2. Algebra; 3. Plane trigonometry; 4. Plane co-ordinate geometry and conic sections.

Natural Philosophy.—1. The elements of statics, dynamics, hydrostatics, and pneumatics, with the solution of problems not requiring the differential or integral calculus. 2. Heat and light as far as explained in the class.

Chemistry and Mineralogy.—1. Chemistry:—The principles of chemical combination and action; the chemistry of the non-metallic elements, of the metals, and of organic compounds; complex qualitative analysis: quantitative analysis of simple salts, and of limestones, silicates, soil, water, coal. 2. Geology and mineralogy: physical geography; dynamical geology: the nature and operations of geological agents; structural geology: rock-masses, their structure and relations, joints, cleavage, metamorphism, faults, unconformability; stratigraphical geology: structural characters of successive geological periods; Palæontological geology: characters and distribution of the more important organic remains. Mineralogy: physical and chemical characters and composition of minerals.

SUBJECTS OF EXAMINATION FOR THE M.A. DEGREE.

Attendance on two additional classes—both literary or both scientific. Additional subjects in Latin and Greek: portions from authors not included in the examination for the B.A. degree. Additional subjects in mathematics: elements of differential and integral calculus. Natural philosophy: electricity and magnetism, as far as explained in the class. Astronomy as in Herschel's Outlines.

Mental and moral science and natural science; The examination more extended than for the B.A. degree.

Intending students and persons desirous of obtaining further information are requested to communicate with

A. LIVINGSTON,
Secretary.

WANTED, a Schoolmistress, for the Alexandra School. Salary: £25 per annum, with Government allowance, Free residence. Applications with testimonials, to be sent to the undersigned on or before the 6th day of March, 1873.

CHARLES MORRIS,
Hon. Sec. Alexandra School Committee.

HAWKESBURY Road Board.—Wanted, Surveyor, by tender, stating terms.

2t. 4s.

HENRY ORBELL,
Chairman.

WANTED an Assistant Draughtsman for the Survey Office, Invercargill. Apply at the Survey Office, Dunedin, to 3rd March.

TO ROAD BOARDS AND OTHERS.

NOTICE.—Several parties having this week forwarded Advertisements and failed to comply with the rule requiring prepayment, Advertisers in the *Gazette* are now informed that in all cases the money must be sent, or their Advertisements cannot be inserted. Those now on hand are held over until receipt of payment.

IMPOUNDED on the 12th day of February, 1873, by Arthur Toms, Inspector of Nuisances—

One bay horse, branded like F near shoulder, near hind fetlock white; owner unknown; trespassing in the town of Oamaru; no damages claimed; and in default of being released, the above horse will be sold at the Public Pound at Oamaru, on Friday, the 7th day of March, 1873, at twelve o'clock noon.

JOHN GRAY,
Poundkeeper of the Oamaru Pound.

EAST TAIERI POUND.

THE cattle impounded on the 10th day of February, and advertised in *Gazette* of 12th inst as branded ND, should have been WD off rump—the above mistake having occurred through a typographical error.

JAMES PURVIS,
Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED on the 7th day of February, 1873, by the Ranger for the Kakamū district.

One bay mare, branded like J off shoulder
One bay mare, branded SC off shoulder, SC near rump, and SC off rump
owner unknown, for trespassing on road line, for which 4s is claimed; and in default of being released, the above horses will be sold at the Public Pound at Oamaru, on Friday, the 14th day of March, 1873, at twelve o'clock noon.

FREDERICK COLLIS,
Poundkeeper of the Oamaru Pound.

IMPOUNDED on the 14th day of February, 1873, at Leaning Rock (Clyde) Pound, by Mr A. Oliver, settler, Clyde—

One bay mare, branded like L off shoulder, sore back, blaze, with headstall on
for trespassing in grass paddock; and in default of the above mare being released, she will be sold at the Public Pound at Leaning Rock (Clyde) on Friday, 14th day of March, 1873, at twelve o'clock noon.

WILLIAM WILLIAMS,
Poundkeeper of the Leaning Rock (Clyde) Pound.

CORPORATION OF PORT CHALMERS.

STATEMENT of Accounts, Year ending December 1872, Port Chalmers Cemetery.

Cr.	£	s.	d.
1872 Jan. 1.			
By Balance to credit	61	13	1
“ Fees received from 1st January to 31st December, 1872	69	7	6
	131	0	7
Dr.			
EXPENDITURE.			
To Labor, grubbing and planting shrubs	24	4	0
“ Timber account	2	1	0
“ Paid for shrubs	3	19	11
“ Sexton's labor account	34	13	9
“ Balance to credit	66	1	11
	131	0	7
By Balance to credit	66	1	11
Audited and found correct.			
(Signed) GEORGE L. ASHER, Town Clerk.			
ALEXANDER LECK, } Auditors.			
JOHN THOMSON, }			
Feb. 6, 1873.			12s6d

CORPORATION OF PORT CHALMERS.

BALANCE-SHEET for the Year ending December, 1872.

Dr.	INCOME.	£	s.	d.
1872 Jan. 1.				
To Cash in Bank		976	9	10
“ do in hand		26	1	11
“ do from Rates		203	3	6
“ do from Cemetery		69	7	6
“ do from Town Belt		107	18	0
“ do on account day labor		24	0	0
“ do Licenses		12	2	6
“ do sundry petty accounts		2	10	0
“ do from Municipal Estate		71	3	6
“ do from Local Revenue		191	10	0
“ do from deposit account		2000	0	0
“ do interest on deposit		66	13	4
		3751	0	1
Cr.	EXPENDITURE.			
By Contracts		1983	3	0
“ Salaries		200	0	0
“ Road Rates		12	6	0
“ Insurance		1	17	6
“ Law Expenses		4	5	10
“ Lamps and lighting		152	16	5
“ Day labor		178	9	9
“ Interest and exchanges		353	14	0
“ Advertising and printing		48	14	6
“ Sundry petty accounts		60	14	3
“ Cartage		62	4	0
“ Water works, surveys, &c		231	8	2
“ Town Belt, survey		21	5	0
“ Cemetery		64	18	8
“ Cash in hand		91	6	8
“ Cash in Bank		288	16	4
		3751	0	1

	ASSETS.	£	s.	d.
By Cash in Bank		288	16	4
“ Cash in hand		91	6	8
“ Rates uncollected		200	0	0
“ Rents uncollected		50	0	0
“ due on kerbing contracts		256	0	0
“ Sundry accounts, about		250	16	3½
“ Balance deficiency		4873	0	8½
		5510	0	0

	LIABILITIES.	£	s.	d.
To Contracts in progress		440	0	0
“ Sundry accounts, about		70	0	0
“ Loan		5000	0	0
		5510	0	0

(Signed) **HY. DENCH,** Mayor.
GEORGE L. ASHER, Town Clerk.
Audited and found correct.
ALEXANDER LECK, } Auditors.
JOHN THOMPSON, }

Feb. 6, 1873. 30s6d

BALANCE SHEET of the Municipal Corporation of the Town of Oamaru for year ending December 31, 1872.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Rates, Jetty Ward	449	5	3			
“ Thames Ward	317	18	8			
“ Severn Ward	301	13	6			
“ High Ward	139	10	9			
				1208	8	2
Subsidy due 1871				352	2	3
Poundage fees				26	13	4
Kerbing				32	6	6
Municipal Rents				310	14	7
Water privileges				2	0	0
Rolls				0	2	0
Licenses under Bye-laws				15	0	0
Licenses under Otago Local Revenues Ordinance 1872—						
“ Liquor	281	0	0			
“ Hawkers	3	0	0			
“ Carriers	23	0	0			
“ Billiards	25	10	0			
“ Dog and goat registration...	0	15	0			
				333	5	0
				2280	11	10

Balance due Bank of New Zealand, January, 1872	...	102	9	4
Sinking Fund (two years)	...	400	0	0
Interest on Debentures	...	353	9	8
Ordinary expenses	...	400	11	10
Contracts	...	288	6	3
Wages, daymen	...	355	3	6
Cash in Bank	...	380	11	3
		2280	11	10

E. W. ROXBY, Town Clerk
JOHN STUBBS WAIT, Mayor.

We hereby certify that we have examined the above Balance Sheet, with the accounts and vouchers, and found the same correct.

JOHN LOCKE, } Auditors.
JABEZ J. HAM, }

Oamaru, January 1, 1873. 16s

GEORGE FACHE, of Clyde, having paid to me the sum of fifty pounds, I have by direction of His Honor the Superintendent issued to him an Auctioneer's License.

RICHARD POOLE,

Collector for the Corporation of Clyde. 2s6d
Clyde, 15th Feb., 1873.

STOLEN or Strayed, from Evans' Flat, Tuapeka, 20th Nov. last, dark bay gelding, star, black points, branded near shoulder like 3; yellow bay mare, black points, star, M off shoulder; both horses light draught. £2 reward on delivery to Richard Allan, Exeter House, Dunedin. 2s6d

CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF INVERCARGILL.

AUCTIONEERS' LICENSES.

NOTICE is hereby given, that pursuant to the directions of His Honor the Superintendent, Auctioneers' Licenses for the year ending 13th January, 1874, have been issued by me to the following persons, viz:—

DAVID MACROBIE, Dee street.
GEORGE FREDERICK MARTIN, Dee street.
HENRY ELIAS OSBORNE, Esk street.

W. B. SCANDRETT,
Collector to the Corporation of the
Town of Invercargill. 7s.
February 11, 1873.

(From the *New Zealand Gazette*, January 30, 1873)

Rules relative to Remission of Sentences of Prisoners confined in Gaols and Penal Establishments in New Zealand.

1. PETITIONS from Prisoners for remission of sentences on the ground of industry and good conduct will be entertained after the expiration of the following proportions of their sentences:—

Several sentences for less than six months each, if amounting in the aggregate to six months or upwards; and sentences of six months, and not exceeding twelve months, four-fifths.

Sentences exceeding twelve months, and not exceeding two years, three-fourths.

Sentences of upwards of two years, two-thirds.

Sentences for life, ten years.

2. Such petitions will be forwarded by the Gaoler to the Judge or Justice who sentenced the prisoner, who will forward the same with his report thereon, if a Judge of the Supreme Court, to the Colonial Secretary, or if a Judge of a District Court, or a Magistrate, to the Minister of Justice, for the consideration of His Excellency the Governor. Such Petitions must be accompanied by a report from the Gaoler stating whether the conduct of the applicant has been (1) "ordinary," (2) "good" or (3) "very good," during the period of his imprisonment; whether he has been habitually industrious; what misconduct, if any, he has been guilty of, and the punishment awarded therefor; and whether he has been previously convicted either in this Colony or elsewhere, all of which circumstances will be taken into consideration in granting a remission of sentence. The Gaoler must also procure and send with his report a certificate from a Visiting Justice, to the effect that he believes the Gaoler's report to be correct.

3. Petitions for remission on other grounds than that of industry and good conduct may be made at any time, and should be transmitted in the same manner.

JOHN BATHGATE.

Office of the Minister of Justice,
Wellington, 29th January, 1873.

(From the *New Zealand Gazette*, No 8, Feby. 6, 1873.)

Districts under "Marriage Act Amendment Act 1858," and Districts under "Registration Act 1858."

BLACK'S DISTRICT

COMPRISES all that area bounded by a line proceeding from the Dunstan mountains in a south-easterly direction to and along Lauder creek to the Manuherikia river, and along the Manuherikia river to the junction of Ida burn; thence along Ida burn to the junction of Pool burn; thence in a direct line south-easterly to Roughridge; thence southerly to South Roughridge hill; thence along the north-eastern boundary of Manuherikia Registration District to Chatto burn; thence north-westerly along Chatto burn to its source; thence in a direct line to Leaning Rock hill; and thence north-easterly along the Dunstan mountains to the starting point.

BLACKSTONE DISTRICT

Comprises all that area bounded by a line proceeding due east from Mount St. Bathans to the Hawkdun mountains; thence south-easterly along the Hawkdun mountains to Mount Ida; thence south-westerly along Roughridge to the north-eastern boundary of Blacks Registration District; thence north-westerly along the said boundary to the Dunstan mountains; and thence north-easterly along the Dunstan mountains to Mount St. Bathans, the starting point.

DUNSTAN DISTRICT

Comprises all that area bounded by a line proceeding from the north-western boundary of Manuherikia Registration District along Chatto burn to the Dunstan mountains; thence along the Dunstan mountains south-westerly to the Clutha river; across the Clutha river and over Cairnmuir hill to the Carrick ranges, and by the Carrick ranges to the Kawarau river; thence by the Kawarau river to a point due north of Ben Nevis; thence by the range to Lorn peak; thence by the Nokomai and Switzers and Manuherikia districts to the starting point.

Section 111 of "The Resident Magistrates Act 1867" brought into operation.

(L.S.) G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Resident Magistrates Act 1867," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, from time to time, by Proclamation in the *New Zealand Gazette*, to declare that, from a day to be in such Proclamation fixed, sections one hundred and five to one hundred and fifteen of the said Act (both inclusive), or such of those sections as shall in such Proclamation be specified, shall come into operation in such districts of the Colony as shall be in such Proclamation specified, and until so proclaimed, and in places not included in any such district, such sections shall not be in force; and, by like Proclamation, to alter or re-define any such districts or cancel any Proclamation so declaring such sections or any of them to have come into force: And whereas by a Proclamation bearing date the twelfth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, His Excellency the Governor did proclaim and declare that the sections therein mentioned should, from the seventh day of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, come into operation in the district hereinafter mentioned, as also in certain other districts therein mentioned: And whereas it is expedient that section one hundred and eleven of the said Act should also be brought into operation within the district hereinafter named:

Now therefore I, Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and in exercise of the power and authority vested in me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that, in addition to the sections by the said in part recited Proclamation of the twelfth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, brought into operation

within the district hereinafter named, the section numbered one hundred and eleven of "The Resident Magistrates Act 1867," shall, from and after the first day of March next, come into operation within

THE DISTRICT OF SOUTHLAND,

as the same is defined in a Proclamation bearing date the twenty-ninth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven.

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

JOHN BATHGATE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Registrar of Marriages, and of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 6th February, 1873.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WALTER DUNKLEY, Esq.,

to be Registrar of Marriages, and of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, for the District of Waipori, as the same is defined in Proclamation of 12th day of February, and published in New Zealand *Gazette*, No. 61, of 14th Nov., 1867, *vice* Edmund Webber, Esq., resigned.

JOHN HALL.

Inquiry for Missing Person.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 1st February, 1873.

INQUIRIES having been made respecting a person named

CHARLES JOSIAH WILSON,

formerly of Surrey, England, who came to New Zealand about twelve or thirteen years ago, and was last heard of at Picton, some four or five years since, any one who can give any information respecting him is required to communicate with this Office.

By command,
G. S. COOPER,
Under-Secretary.

Justices of the Peace appointed.

Office of the Minister of Justice,
Wellington, 5th February, 1873.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

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HENRY CAMPBELL, Esq.,
of Lake Wanaka, Otago; and
DONALD SUTHERLAND, Esq.,
of Oamaru, Otago, to be Justices of the Peace for the Colony.

JOHN BATHGATE.

Otago Waste Lands Board appointed.

General Crown Lands Office,
Wellington, 31st January, 1873.

HIS Excellency the Governor in Council has (on the 2nd inst.) under the provisions of "The Otago Waste Lands Act 1872," been pleased to approve of the following appointment made by His Honor the Superintendent of Otago, with the advice and consent of his Executive Council:—

WILLIAM ALEXANDER TOLMIE, Esq.,
JOHN LEACH BUTTERWORTH, Esq.,
ALFRED ROWLAND CHETHAM-STRODE, Esq.,
HENRY CLARK, Esq., and
ARTHUR WILLIAM MORRIS, Esq.,
to be Commissioners of the Otago Waste Lands Board.
G. M. O'RORKE,
Minister for Crown Lands and Immigration.

(From the New Zealand *Gazette*, No. 9, Feb. 13, 1873.)

Registrars of Marriages, and of Births, Deaths and Marriages, appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 12th February, 1873.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned persons to be Registrars of Marriages, and of Births, Deaths and Marriages, for the Districts set opposite the name of each respectively, viz:—

For the District of Blackstone—JOHN DASS YORSTON, Esq.;

For the District of Dunstan—ARTHUR DAVID HARVEY, Esq.;

as the same are defined in Proclamation of 4th day of February, and published in New Zealand *Gazette*, No. 8 of 6th February, 1873.

G. M. WATERHOUSE.

NOTE.—This notice is published in consequence of the districts in the Notice of 6th February, and published in *Gazette* No. 8, of 6th inst., having been transposed.