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PROCLAMATION

By His Honor John Theodore Thomas Boyd, Esquire,
Deputy-Superintendent of the Province of Otago.

WHEREAS by section 390 of the "Municipal Corporations Act 1867," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Superintendent of any Province by proclamation, published in the *Government Gazette* of such Province to declare that any complete parts of the several parts of the said Act numbered from two to twenty-two inclusive as he shall consider applicable, shall extend and be applied to any city, town, or place in such Province, incorporated at the time of the passing of the said Act under any Act or Ordinance of the Legislature of such Province, and in such proclamation to fix a time at which such parts or any of them shall extend to any such city, town, or place: And whereas by section 8 of the "Municipal Corporations Acts Amendment Act 1871," it is enacted that with regard to any city, town or place within the Province of Otago incorporated under the "Otago Municipal Corporations Ordinance 1865," and the "Otago Municipal Corporations Empowering Act 1865," and that whether incorporated at or after the time of the passing of the "Municipal Corporations Act 1867," the Superintendent of the Province of Otago may from time to time and as often as may be necessary exercise the power conferred on such Superintendent by the three hundred and ninetieth section of the last mentioned Act: And whereas by a proclamation bearing date the 19th day of July, 1873, His Honor James Macandrew, Esquire, Superintendent of the Province of Otago, under and by virtue of the "Superintendent's Deputy Act 1866" did appoint me, John Theodore Thomas Boyd, to be his Deputy, and as such to do, perform, and exercise all the acts, powers, and authorities (except as is excepted in the seventh clause of the said Act) which might be done, performed, or exercised by him, the said James Macandrew, as such Superintendent of the said Province as aforesaid.

And whereas it has been made to appear to me the said John Theodore Thomas Boyd as such Deputy-Superintendent as aforesaid that parts numbered respectively 13, 18, 20, and 22 of the "Municipal Corporations Act 1867" are and should be made applicable to the Municipality of Naseby, in the said Province, which is an incorporated town within the meaning of the "Municipal Corporations Act 1867."

Now, therefore, I, the said John Theodore Thomas Boyd, Deputy-Superintendent of the said Province of Otago, by virtue, and in exercise of the powers in this behalf vested in me by the "Municipal Corporations Act 1867" and the "Municipal Corporations Acts Amendment Act 1871," do hereby proclaim and declare that from and after the first day of September next those

parts of the said "Municipal Corporations Act 1867," numbered respectively 13, 18, 20, and 22 shall extend and apply to and be in force in the

TOWN OF NASEBY,

in the said Province of Otago.

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

(L.S.)

J. T. BOYD,
Deputy-Superintendent.

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

MR. WALTER WATSON,

residing at Lee Stream, West Taieri, to be an Honorary Inspector of Sheep for the Province of Otago.

G. M. WEBSTER,
Acting-Provincial Treasurer.

Dunedin, 20th August, 1873.

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

MR. LAWRENCE CARTER HOLMES,

Town Clerk, Lawrence, to be Inspector of Carriages for the town of Lawrence, under the "Licensed Carriages Ordinance 1862."

GEORGE TURNBULL,
Provincial Secretary.

26th August, 1873.

NOTICE TO DISTRICT ROAD BOARD.

AS it is of importance that all road deviations should be recorded on the maps of the Land Office, and on those in the office of the Provincial Secretary, it is requested that in future whenever a new line of road is laid off by any of the surveyors to the District Road Boards, this office may be notified, and either the original or a certified copy of the plan forwarded for the above purpose. It would be as well, also, to forward any such plans of roads as have not hitherto been recorded.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Under-Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Dunedin, 19th August, 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given that sections 2 of 45 and 4 of 45, block 6, Clarendon district, containing 15a 2r 24p, and 15a Or 6p, advertised to be sold by auction on Monday, the 1st of September next, have been withdrawn from sale.

MONDAY, 15th September, noon.

THE undermentioned Town Sections will be sold by auction at the Land Office, Invercargill, at noon on Monday, the 15th day of September proximo.

Town	Section	Block	Upset Price
Long Bush	9		£14 19 6
"	10		24 15 0
"	33		20 1 3
East Winton	2	VI	17 18 9
"	4	"	17 18 9
"	8	"	10 11 9
"	12	"	17 18 9
"	13	"	17 18 9
"	15	V	12 9 0
"	16	"	14 9 6
"	17	"	15 18 3
"	18	"	13 12 6
"	19	"	13 7 6
"	20	"	13 8 3
"	21	"	14 3 6
Wallacetown	9	VI	4 0 0
"	10	"	4 0 0
"	11	"	4 0 0
Otautau	3	VI	1 0 0
"	4	"	1 0 0
"	21	"	1 0 0
"	22	"	1 0 0
"	9	"	1 0 0
"	10	"	1 0 0
"	15	"	1 0 0
"	16	"	1 0 0
"	5	"	1 0 0
"	6	"	1 0 0
"	7	"	1 0 0
"	18	"	1 0 0
"	19	"	1 0 0
"	20	"	1 0 0
"	11	"	1 0 0
"	12	"	1 0 0
"	13	"	1 0 0
"	14	"	1 0 0
"	1	V	1 0 0
"	2	"	1 0 0
"	23	"	1 0 0
"	24	"	1 0 0
Long Bush	29		2 17 0
East Winton	25	V	12 11 0
"	26	"	16 3 0
"	27	"	16 15 3
"	28	"	17 10 0
"	29	"	18 8 9
"	30	"	19 9 0
"	31	"	20 0 0
"	32	"	20 0 0
"	33	"	20 0 0
"	34	"	20 0 0
"	35	"	20 0 0
"	36	"	20 0 0
"	23	"	7 13 0
Invercargill	6	XLII	12 10 0

J. T. BOYD,
Deputy-Superintendent.

Superintendent's Office,
5th August, 1873.

ABSTRACTS FROM PREVIOUS GAZETTES OF

Impounding Notices:—
5th September, Friday noon, a steer and two heifers will be sold at Palmerston Pound.
5th September, Friday noon; a mare will be sold at Glenkenich Pound.
5th September, Friday noon, a mare will be sold at West Taieri Pound.

TENDERS will be received at the office of the Secretary for Lands and Works until noon of Tuesday, 2nd September, 1873, for Contract No. 733, erection of a stone and timber bridge over Murray's Flat Creek near Havelock.

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, Lawrence.

Tenders to be indorsed "Roads and Works, Tender for Contract No. 733."

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

HORACE BASTINGS,
Secretary for Works.

Dunedin, 19th August, 1873.

TENDERS will be received at the office of the Secretary for Works, until noon of Tuesday, 9th September, 1873, for—

Contract No. 749.—Construction of 120 Chains of Road, Dunedin to Blueskin, via Water of Leith.

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 indorsed "Roads and Works, Tender for Contract No. 749."

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

HORACE BASTINGS,
Secretary for Works.

Dunedin, 25th August, 1873.

NOTICE.

TENDERS are invited by the Hampden District Road Board for Contracts Nos. 2 and 5, Chalfont subdivision. Plans and specifications to be seen at the store of Mr. Alex. McIntyre, Hampden; and at the office of Messrs. Barr and Oliver, Civil Engineers, Princes street, Dunedin.

Tenders to be sent in to the clerk, addressed to the Chairman by the 9th September, 1873. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

PETER W. YOUNG,
Clerk, Hampden Road Board.

EXTENSION OF TIME TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS are invited by the West Taieri Board of Conservators for erecting an embankment across the river frontage of the township of Outram. Plans and specifications may be seen at the Post Office, Outram. Tenders to be addressed to the Chairman of the Board not later than Saturday, the 6th of September next.

DAVID GRANT,
Engineer to the Board.

KURI BUSH ROAD BOARD.—Fresh Tenders wanted for the repair of Christie's Gully Road. Specifications to be seen at the School-house, Otakia, and Tenders lodged with the undersigned on or before Tuesday, the 26th August, 1873. The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

PETER LEITCH, Clerk.

WANTED.—A Teacher for Riverton Main School.

There is a free residence, with an acre of ground attached. Probable salary, £230 per annum. Applications with testimonials will be received until 30th September proximo.

E. WILSON,
Clerk School Committee, Riverton.

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.

WASTE LAND BOARD ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following allotments will be offered at the Court-house, Outram, on Monday, the 15th day of September next, at noon, at the upset price of £3 each.

TOWNSHIP OF BERWICK—

Sections 6 to 12, block 5; sections 1 to 10, block 7.

MONDAY, 1st September, 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given that section 53, block 1, Clarendon district, containing 77a 2r 0p, more or less, sections 19 and 20, block 6, Clarendon district, containing respectively 80a 1r 38p and 77a 0r 17p, section 1, block 23, Waiholo, containing 56a 2r 16p; sections 21, 51, 17 and 27, block 6, Clarendon district, containing 20a 2r 26p and 50 acres, and 58a 0r 39p, 83a 2r 19p; sections 9, 11 and 12, block 4, Akatore district, containing 103a 0r 4p, 82a 2r 9p, 95a 1r 2p, and 83a 2r 19p, will be offered for sale by public auction by Mr Capstick, at his rooms, Tokomairiro, on Monday, the first day of September next, at 12 o'clock noon, at the upset price of 10s per-acre.

MONDAY, 1st September, 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given that section 6, block 7, containing 78a 1r 15p, Papakaio district, will be offered by auction by Mr Shrimski at his auction rooms, at Oamaru, on Monday, the first day of September next, at noon, at 10s per acre.

MONDAY, 1st September, 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given that section 2 of 11, block 1, Glenomaru district, containing 18a 0r 12p, and sections 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, halves of 7, 8, 9, 10, block 13; 12, block 17; 1 and 2, block 22; $\frac{1}{2}$ 1, block 27; 13, 14 and 15, block 3; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, block 8; 1, 2, halves of 5, 6, 7 and 8, block 9; sections 9 and 11, block 12, Clutha district, averaging 50 acres each, will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Crown Hotel, Balclutha, on Tuesday, the 2nd day of September next, at noon, at the upset price of 10s. per acre.

MONDAY, 1st September, 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given that sections 10 and 13, block 1, North Harbor and Blueskin district, containing 89a 0a 6p, and 50a 2r 20p, will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Land Office, Dunedin, on Monday, the first day of September next, at noon, at the upset price of 10s per acre.

MONDAY, 1st September, 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given that the remaining halves of sections 9, 10, 11, and 12, blocks 47 and 7, block 50, Tokomairi, containing 25a each, more or less; section 37, block 1, Pomahaka district, containing 16a 2r 6p, will be offered for sale by public auction, at Mr Capstick's auction rooms, Tokomairi, on Monday, the first day of September next, at noon, at the upset price of 20s per acre.

NOTICE is hereby given, that section 4, block 11, Toi Tois District, containing 2080 acres, will be offered for sale by public auction at the Royal Mail Hotel, Clinton, on Friday, the 26th day of September next, at noon, at the upset price of £1 per acre.

[The following Regulations are republished from *Gazette*, No. 860, date July 9th, in consequence of certain omissions.]

TIMBER REGULATIONS, SOUTHLAND, OTAGO

Passed by the Waste Lands Board on 6th December, 1872, in accordance with Clause XVI., of "Southland Waste Lands Amendment Act 1867":—

Hand Sawyers, Wood Cutters, &c.

1. Applications for Timber licenses shall be made at the Land Office, Invercargill.

2. Each application shall state the particular purpose for which the license is required, and the reserve in which the timber is to be cut, and on its being granted by the Waste Lands Board, the applicant shall immediately pay the prescribed fees to the Receiver of Land Revenue and obtain a license.

3. The area granted by such license shall be confined to the bush named in application, the locality and extent being fixed by the Board, and shall extend only to lands of the Crown which have been or hereafter may be appropriated for "Timber Reserves" in accordance with the provisions of "The Southland Waste Lands Act 1865 Amendment Act 1867;" any licensed person cutting timber beyond the limit of his license will be considered as unlicensed and prosecuted accordingly.

4. A fee of ten shillings per month shall be charged for each person, whether felling, cutting, sawing, splitting, or drawing timber. A fee of five pounds shall be charged for a license for twelve months. An annual fee of two pounds shall be paid by any settlers cutting timber, or for each *bona fide* servant in their employment, for the improvement of land in their own occupation, or firewood for domestic use, but not for sale.

5. Every holder of a license to cut timber must exhibit such license to the officer appointed in that behalf whenever he may be called on to do so; and on his refusal, will be considered as unlicensed and prosecuted accordingly.

6. The Commissioner of Crown Lands may cause to be seized all cut timber lying on Crown lands which he may have cause to believe has been cut by an unlicensed person; but in case a right to such timber shall be asserted within fourteen days after the notice hereafter mentioned,

and shall be established to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Crown lands, or officer seizing the same, it shall be restored to the claimant.

7. All timber, when seized, shall be marked with the broad arrow, and after due notice of the seizure thereof in writing, to be posted up in the Land Office, or at the Police Station in the district where such seizure was made, shall, in case no claimant shall appear and establish his claim within fourteen days therefrom, be sold in such manner and subject to such conditions as the Waste Land Board may direct.

8. All timber cut under a yearly license must be removed within six weeks after the expiration of the license, and under a monthly license within one fortnight, otherwise it may be declared forfeited, seized, and sold on behalf of the Crown.

9. The proceeds of the sale of timber so seized are to be accounted for and paid over to the Receiver of Land Revenue.

10. If any person duly licensed shall have established a saw-pit for the purpose of sawing timber, no other person shall cut timber within one hundred yards of such pit without consent of the person first occupying such saw-pit: Provided that if the person establishing such pit shall not use the same, and shall not cut timber within such distance as aforesaid from the pit for twenty-eight consecutive days, it shall be lawful for any other holder of a license to enter thereupon, and to cut timber as though such pit had not been established; or if such person should only cut timber to such extent within the twenty-eight days as would appear to the Board to be done merely for the purpose of excluding others, and not utilising the forest, the Board may in such case cancel the license.

11. If any license holder shall, for the purpose of removing timber, have made a tramway or road upon land being Waste Lands of the Crown, and not being a highway, it shall not be lawful for any other person to use the same without permission of the person making the same first obtained: Provided that if such road shall not be used at any time for ninety consecutive days, it shall be lawful for any holder of a license at any time thereafter to use the same: Provided also that, as regards tramways, the Board reserves to itself the power of deciding on the merits of each case as it arises.

12. Licenses cannot be transferred without the consent of the Board first obtained, transfer fee being ten shillings.

Special Licenses.

13. No log or wrought timber is to be drawn out of the bush or disposed of without a special license for the purpose, the fee under such special license being five shillings each log or tree.

Saw Mills.

Exclusive right to cut timber on Waste Lands of the Crown may be granted for saw mills on the following conditions:—

14. Every application for such exclusive rights shall be made in writing, and be accompanied with a sketch and description as near as may be of the land required, and a deposit in cash or properly marked banker's cheque on the following scale:

10 to 12 horse power engine	£50
13 to 15	"	"	£75
16 to 20	"	"	£100
Above 20	"	"	£200

such deposit to be returned on the certificate of the ranger that the machinery is erected.

15. When two or more applications are made on the same day for the same timber, or part thereof, such timber or part thereof shall be put up to auction between the applicants at an upset price, to be fixed by an auctioneer, the amount realised being considered a bonus in addition to the license fee.

16. The area within which exclusive right to cut timber shall be granted for the erection of any saw mill, shall (should the size of the bush permit) be estimated at ten acres for each horse-power of the engine, with a reserve for four years' cutting inclusive of the first year, in similar proportion to the first year's grant; and as regards shape shall be a rectangular block of a depth of not less than double the breadth, the Board reserving to itself the power of determining the frontage.

17. Within fourteen days the Waste Land Board shall determine whether such application shall be granted and the applicant shall forthwith deposit with the Treasurer of the Waste Lands Board the amount of survey fees, the one-half to be credited to the first quarter's rent.

18. Within ninety days from such payment, the Chief Surveyor shall cause the application to be surveyed and its boundary line cut. The survey to be conducted in every respect in accordance with Survey Regulations in force at the time, shall on its completion be submitted to the Waste Lands Board, and if approved, the applicant shall after such approval pay to the Receiver of Land Revenue whatever rent may be due, upon which he shall receive a license conferring on him the exclusive right of cutting timber over the said application.

19. The fee chargeable under every such license shall be at the rate of threepence (3d) for every hundred superficial feet cut during the term of the license, and shall be paid monthly. Provided that if any rents due remain unpaid for more than six days, the license by this Act shall be deemed cancelled, and the bush open for application, without any notice being given to the original licensee.

20. A fee of five pounds shall be paid to the Receiver of Land Revenue on the transfer of such license.

21. Every such license shall be drawn so as to terminate on the 31st day of December in each year, and may be renewed, on the original terms and conditions from year to year. Provided that before the issue of any renewed license the lessee shall produce a certificate from the ranger, or other person duly appointed by the Waste Lands Board on that behalf.

- (1). That the timber has been cut fairly, and that all available for sawing purposes had been used.
- (2). That no trees or sapplings not required for the purposes of the mill have been injured or destroyed by the act of or by the neglect of the lessee or his servants, and that none of the provisions of the "The Southland Waste Lands Act, 1865," and the "Amendment Act, 1867," or the bye-laws of the Waste Lands Board have been violated.
- (3). And if it shall appear that these regulations have not been complied with, or that any wrongful acts have been done by the lessee, then the Waste Lands Board shall appoint a valuator to ascertain and assess the amount of damage which the forest, whether under license or not, may have sustained by such wrongful acts; and no new license shall be granted until the amount of damage so assessed shall have been paid, in addition, to the sum due by of rent and expenses of valuation.
- (4). If at any time during the currency of the yearly license the ranger shall report that the timber on the licensed ground is being unfairly cut, the license may be suspended pending investigation, and cancelled if it is found that the Timber Regulations have been infringed.

22. The licensee shall keep a a production book, showing the number of superficial feet passing through the saw mill each day and exhibit the same on demand of any person authorised by the Waste Lands Board, and shall furnish a correct copy of it to the Board, monthly, the first or second Board day in the succeeding month, in the form prescribed in the schedule, the penalty for omitting to make, or making a false return, being forfeiture of the license and a penalty of five pounds.

23. Holders of a license to give all information whatsoever as to boundaries, position of cutting, &c., that may be required by the ranger, or any person authorised by the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

General Regulations.

24. No person to cut down or otherwise injure any trees not required by him for the purpose of his business; and if it shall appear to the ranger that any of the regulations have been infringed, he shall immediately give notice of the same at the office of the Waste Lands Board, and shall temporarily suspend the license of the party offending; and if the Commissioners shall judge that such infringement has been wilful, then the license shall be forfeited, and it shall be at the discretion of the Board to refuse to allow the issue of another license to the same person or persons.

25. Any person who shall cut timber without a license, or who shall continue to saw or cut timber after any quarterly payment shall have become due and shall not be paid, or after the ranger, by reason of any alleged breach of these regulations, shall have given him notice

to discontinue cutting, shall be treated as an unlicensed trespasser.

26. Where the terms "land," "bush," or "bush land" are used in the foregoing regulations, the bush or timber only is meant.

27. A penalty not exceeding five pounds will be inflicted for every single breach of the above bye-laws, and summary proceedings will be adopted to recover the same besides an action at common law to recover the value of forest destroyed by such infringement or otherwise.

WALTER H. PEARSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

SCHEDULE.
Production Book,

of saw mill situate at _____, giving the daily return of timber sawn or hewn under License during the month of _____, 187____, in terms of section 22 of the Southland Timber Regulations.

Date.		Daily production of Sawn timber.	Daily production of Hewn timber.	Remarks
Month.	Day			
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do solemnly and sincerely declare that the above is a correct copy of _____ Production Book for the month of _____, 187____, and is a true and complete return of all the timber sawn or hewn under license during the month, and _____ make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing it to be true, and by virtue of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, entitled "The Justices of the Peace Act 1866."

Made and subscribed at _____, in the Colony of New Zealand, this _____ day of _____, in the year of Our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-_____

REGULATIONS of the Municipal Council of the Town of Oamaru, made under Schedule 13 of the "Municipal Corporations Act 1867."

REGULATIONS AS TO PORTICOES.
I. Regulation made under authority of Section 4, Sub-division 1, Part I, of the 13th Schedule.
No portico shall be erected upon or across any public

footway, any portion of the upper portion or covering of which shall be less than 8 feet clear above the level of such footpath. The shape, figure, dimensions, and material of any such portico shall be approved by the Council previous to the erection thereof.

II. Regulation as to driving of great cattle through the Town of Oamaru, made under authority of Section 45, Subdivision 9, Part I, of the 13th Schedule.

It shall not be lawful to drive into or through any part of the Town of Oamaru, except between the hours of 10 o'clock p.m. and 8 o'clock a.m. of any day, any great cattle (provided that nothing herein contained shall apply to horses driven in harness, or to oxen in the yoke, or to driving milch cows to water and back).

III. Regulation as to erection and alteration of wooden buildings, and erection, alteration and repairs of chimneys, &c., made under authority of Section 1, Subdivision 1, Part V, of the 13th Schedule.

Whereas it is expedient to prevent persons erecting, or causing to be erected, within the Town of Oamaru, wooden buildings abutting or fronting any of the main streets: Be it therefore ordered and directed by the Council of the said Town of Oamaru, by virtue of the authority in them vested, that from and after the day on which this regulation shall come into force, it shall not be lawful for any person, unless with the written consent of the Council, to erect or cause to be erected any building composed of wood, or other inflammable material, abutting or fronting any of the undermentioned streets in the Town of Oamaru. The occupier or owner of any section or part of a section in any of the said streets shall, before proceeding with the erection of any building abutting or fronting such street, lodge with the Town Clerk, for the inspection of the Council, a plan or plans, together with specifications, of the building intended to be erected, and the erection of such building shall not be commenced until such plan or plans and specifications shall have received the sanction of the Council, and a notification in writing to that effect, signed by the Town Clerk, shall have been delivered to such occupier. Any owner or occupier altering any existing building in any of the main streets, shall, before proceeding with such alteration, lodge with the Town Clerk plans and specifications of the same, and shall obtain the consent of the Council before proceeding therewith.

The above regulation shall apply to the following streets in the Town of Oamaru, viz.:—Tyne street, Itchen to Arun streets, Tees street, Wansbeck to Itchen streets, Severn street, Cross Lane to junction of Coquet street; the whole of Thames and Itchen streets. No chimney shaft or flue shall be constructed, altered, repaired, or renewed, except with stone or brick.

IV. Regulation as to making and keeping or stacking hay, corn, or straw, &c., within the Town, made under the authority of Section 3, Subdivision 2, Part VII, of the 13th Schedule.

For prescribing the distance from any adjoining land or from any building within which it shall not be lawful to make or keep any stack of hay, corn, straw, or other produce, if not placed under roof or cover, and the like when placed under roof or cover.

It shall not be lawful to make or keep any stack of hay corn or straw in the open air at a less distance than 30 feet from any building and street line, and from the land of any adjoining owner. Stables and buildings where any stack of hay, corn, or straw is kept, to have an iron or slate roof, to be at least 20 feet from any other building, unless the walls are of stone or brick.

V. Regulation as to keeping of swine. Made under the authority of Section 1, Subdivision 1, Part VIII, of the 13th Schedule.

It shall not be lawful to keep any swine within the following blocks, viz.:—Blocks 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 37, 38, and Herstlet's claim.

JOHN S. WAIT, Mayor.

E. W. ROXBY, Town Clerk.
Oamaru, June 30, 1873.

BYE-LAWS.

Municipal Corporation of Oamaru.

Byelaws of the Council of the Incorporated Town of Oamaru, made under part 13 of the "Municipal Corporation Act 1867." Passed and confirmed by

the Town Council of Oamaru, on the 30th day of June, 1873.

BYE-LAW No. I.

In pursuance of the powers and provisions contained in section 181, part 13, of the "Municipal Corporations Act 1867," the Council of the Town of Oamaru ordain as follows, that is to say:—

1st. The whole of the subdivisions of the 1st, 2nd, 6th, 7th, 9th and 11th, and subdivisions 1 and 2 of the 8th part of the 13th Schedule of the said Act, are hereby adopted in and for the said Town of Oamaru, and for and on behalf of the said Corporation.

2nd. The following Byelaws heretofore existing are hereby repealed—that is to say, the whole of the existing Bye-laws numbered from 1 to 18.

BYE-LAW No. II.

Bye-law of the Council of the Town of Oamaru, made under section 186 of the "Municipal Corporations Act 1867.

A Bye-law to provide for the better rule and government of the Town of Oamaru.

In pursuance of the powers and provisions contained in section 186 of part 13 of the "Municipal Corporations Act 1867," the Council of the Town of Oamaru ordain as follows, that is to say:—

Any person guilty of any of the acts, offences, omissions or neglects mentioned in any of the following Bye-laws, shall, on being convicted of any such act, offence, neglect, or omission be liable to pay any penalty not exceeding five pounds (£5):—

1st. Throwing any glass, filth, dirt, rubbish, or other matter of a similar nature, upon any street, footway, court, alley, or public place whatsoever.

2nd. Riding, driving, leading, or wheeling, any barrow, cart, dray, or carriage, or animal upon or along any footpath, without the permission of the Town Council to do so.

3rd. Placing, any timber, bricks, stones, or other building materials, upon any footway, channel, surface drain, or carriage road, without such permission as aforesaid.

4th. Burning any materials or matter upon any footway, carriage road, or open or public place, without such permission as aforesaid.

5th. Leaving any inflammable materials or matter, in any public shed or place, or on any open space near any building, without such permission as aforesaid.

6th. Drawing or trailing any sledge, timber, or other material, upon any footway or carriage road, to the injury of such footway or carriage road.

7th. Emptying any privy or cesspool, or carting away any night soil, or other offensive matter, without having a license from the Town Council of Oamaru so to do.

8th. Allowing any night soil or other offensive matter, to be spilt or otherwise cast on to or upon any road, street, footway, public place, or thoroughfare.

9th. Allowing the droppings from the eaves of any house to fall upon any footway.

10th. Placing any placard or other document, writing, or painting on, or otherwise defacing any house, or building, or any wall, fence, lamp post, or gate, without the consent of the occupier or owner thereof.

11th. Opening any drain or sewer, or removing the surface of any footway, or carriage road, without authority from the Town Council to do so.

12th. Neglecting to clean any private yard, way, passage or avenue, by which neglect a nuisance, by offensive smell or otherwise is caused.

13th. Rolling any cask, beating any carpet, breaking in any horse, flying any kite, using any bows and arrows, or playing at any game, to the annoyance of any person in any public place, or obstructing any footpath or carriage road, whether by allowing any cart or animal to remain across such footpath or carriage road, or by placing goods thereon, or otherwise.

14th. Throwing or discharging any stone or other missile, to the damage or danger of any person or property.

15th. Blasting any rock, stone, or timber, in or near any public place, without permission of the Town Council.

16th. Furiously or negligently riding or driving through any public place, street or thoroughfare.

17th. Exposing in any public street or thoroughfare, except in any fair or market lawfully appointed for that purpose, any horse or other animal for show, hire, or sale.

18th. If any butcher or other person shall kill or

slaughter any animal without having been duly licensed in that behalf by the Town Council.

19th. Making any cellar door or other opening from the footway of any street or public thoroughfare, without the consent, or not in accordance with the directions of the Town Council.

20th. Exposing for sale any article whatsoever on any footway, or outside of any shop window or doorway abutting on any public thoroughfare or street.

21st. Discharging any firearms, or letting off any fireworks.

22nd. Any person laying out or opening any street or building therein, and omitting during the operations necessary for forming such street, or for building therein, to take all such precautions for guarding against injury to the passengers along such street as may be necessary, or as may be directed by the Town Council.

23rd. Any person placing any obstruction upon any street line, whereby life or limb is likely to be endangered.

24th. Any person leaving any hole, excavation, or dangerous formation in or near any public place, street or thoroughfare, without fencing or enclosing the same, or without keeping a light burning upon such formation from sunset to sunrise.

25th. Any person neglecting or omitting to keep in good repair any rail, gate, fence, over or about any area, or entrance to any cellar or other place, or keeping open for more than a reasonable time for taking in or out any articles any entrance to any area, cellar or other place (such area or entrance opening into or upon, or near any public street, road, thoroughfare, or other public place.)

26th. Any person throwing any offensive matter, or matter likely to become offensive, or any animal, with the intention of drowning it, or any dead animal, into any river, watercourse, or other place from whence the supply of water for the use of the inhabitants of the said town is obtained.

27th. Any carter riding on any cart, dray or waggon, without having and holding proper and sufficient reins, and no competent person having charge of the animal or animals drawing the same.

28th. Any person driving any vehicle whatsoever, or riding any animal, and when meeting any other vehicle or animal, not keeping on the left or rear side of the road or street, or when passing any other vehicle or animal going in the same direction; not going or passing, or not allowing any person desirous so to do to pass, when practicable on the right or off side of such other vehicle or animal.

29th. Driver of any horse or vehicle being away from his horse or cattle, so as to be unable to have the full control of them, or injuring any person or property whatsoever, by negligence or by driving on the wrong side of the road.

30th. Any person driving any cart, waggon or dray without the name and residence of the owner thereof being painted in a legible and permanent manner on the right or off side, in letters of at least one inch in length.

31st. Any person driving any dog or goat harnessed, or attached to any vehicle, through any public place.

32nd. Any person who shall act as driver, or have the sole charge of more than one vehicle, on any public road or street, unless in cases where two of such carriages and no more shall be drawn each by one horse only, and the horse of the hinder of such carriages shall be attached by a sufficient rein to the back of the foremost of such vehicles.

33rd. Driver or guard of public vehicle for conveyance of passengers wilfully delaying on the road, using any abusive or insulting language to any passenger, or by reason of any intoxication, negligence, or other misconduct, causing injury to or endangering the safety of the person or property of any passenger or other person.

34th. Any person turning loose any horses or cattle upon any public street, or allowing any animal or animals to wander on any public street or thoroughfare within the town of Oamaru.

35th. Any person leaving upon any public street or thoroughfare any plough, harrow, cart, or other vehicle without any horse or other animal harnessed thereto, unless in consequence of some accident having occurred.

36th. Any person slaughtering or skinning any beast upon any public street or thoroughfare, or permitting any slaughtered beast or skin to remain there, or leaving any dead beast on such street or thoroughfare.

37th. Any person having any iron, timber, or boards laid across any vehicle going along any street or

thoroughfare so that either end shall project more than two feet beyond the wheels or sides of such vehicle.

38th. Any person destroying, damaging, polluting, or obstructing any aqueduct, dam, sluiceway, pump, watercourse, or fountain.

39th. Any person suffering or allowing any waste or impure water, or other matter, to remain in any cellar or place within any building or premises in the town; or allowing any waste or impure water, or other matter, to run or flow from any such building or premises upon or over, or be on any carriage or footway, or other place, whether public or private within the said Town; or shall allow the contents of any water-closet, privy, or cesspool to flow over; or to soak therefrom, so as to be offensive.

40th. Any person selling, exposing, delivering, or offering for sale any hay, straw, or coals, from one-half ton upwards, within the Town of Oamaru, without having weighed or caused the same to be weighed at some weighbridge within the said Town, licensed or provided, or sanctioned for that purpose by the Town Council of Oamaru; or any such person refusing or omitting to produce the weight note of the load, or part of a load, of any such hay, straw, or coals, sold, exposed, or offered for sale for the satisfaction of any inspector appointed by the Town Council of Oamaru in that behalf.

41st. Any carter or other person selling, exposing, delivering or offering for sale on any cart or waggon any hay, straw, or coals, without having the correct tare weight of such waggon or cart painted and affixed thereto in some conspicuous place in letters of not less than one inch.

42nd. Any carter or other person who shall refuse or omit, on being requested by the purchaser, to take to any weighbridge within the town, appointed or licensed for the purpose of this Bye-law by the Town Council, the waggon, dray, cart, or other vehicle, after the delivery of the load, for the purpose of dray, cart, or other vehicle being reweighed, and the correct tare weight thereof when empty ascertained.

43rd. Any owner or person in charge of any weighbridge within the Town of Oamaru who shall give a false or incorrect weight of any dray, cart or other vehicle or of any load or part of a load of goods thereon.

44th. Any owner or person in charge of any weighbridge within the Town of Oamaru who shall demand or exact any greater rates than those in this section authorised to be charged from any person using or desiring to use any weighbridge: Rate chargeable for each vehicle having two wheels only, ; do. do. do., for four wheels,

Provided nevertheless that the Town Council may at any time by resolution vary the rates herein authorised to be charged; and after publication in the Provincial Government Gazette of any such alteration, the rates so altered shall be deemed to be the rates authorised under this bye-law.

45th. Any person ringing a bell or bells in any street or public place within the Town of Oamaru for the purpose of crying or calling any matter or thing whatever without permission of the Town Council.

46th. Any person being the owner or tenant of any building abutting any street where the footpath has been formed, who by omitting or neglecting to secure and maintain the foundation of such building causes or allows the formed footpath to fall in or be otherwise damaged.

47th. Any owner or tenant of any land or premises in front of which the footpath has been asphalted, or otherwise paved who omits to clear daily before eight (8) o'clock a.m. and to keep clean so much of the footpath as is opposite to or in front of any such premises.

48th. Any person who shall sweep or put any sweepings, dirt, rubbish, or thing into the channel in any street.

49th. Any owner or driver of any hay cart or other vehicle who, while such hay cart or other vehicle is passing through or along any street in the town unloaded, neglects to have the projecting frame detached from the body of the cart in such a manner as not to be an obstruction to the public, nor dangerous to life or limb.

50th. Any person carrying upon any footpath or street-line any implements, tools, or materials, projecting in such manner as to be a public obstruction.

51st. Any person riding or driving any horse or other animal, either with or without a vehicle, at other than a walking pace over any bridge, round an angle or corner of any street or public thoroughfare within the town, or within three (3) feet of any such corner.

52nd. Any person carting any carcases or butcher's

meat through the town without the same being covered.
53rd. Any person obstructing the Inspector of nuisances in the execution of any of his duties.

Bye-law No. III.—A Bye-law to license Bazaars for sale of Horses, Cattle, &c.

It shall not be lawful for any person or persons to offer, either by private sale or public auction, any horse, horned cattle, or carriage in any bazaar within the said town, unless such bazaar, repository, or sale yard shall be duly licensed by and under the authority of the said Council; and every proprietor or owner for the time being of such bazaar shall pay a license fee of five pounds for the same, and such license shall be renewed annually, and a like sum of five pounds for such renewal; and any person selling either by private sale or public auction any horses or carriages in any bazaar, repository, or sale yard, without being duly licensed as aforesaid, shall on conviction forfeit and pay for every such offence the sum of five pounds to the Corporation of the town of Oamaru; provided that nothing contained in this Bye-law shall prevent the sale of any horse, horned cattle, sheep, pig, or any other animal, or any carriage or any other thing whatsoever, which may have been exhibited at any public show within the town of Oamaru during the three days previous to the sale of any such horse, horned cattle, sheep, pig, or other animal, or any carriage or other thing whatsoever.

Bye-law No. IV.—To provide for the more effectual drainage of the Town of Oamaru.

Whereas it is expedient to provide for the more effectual drainage of the town of Oamaru, be it therefore ordered and directed by the Council of the town of Oamaru, that from and after the day on which this Bye-law shall come into operation, the following regulations shall be in force within the said town of Oamaru:—That any person under an order signed by the Mayor or Town Clerk shall be allowed to enter upon any land or premises in the town of Oamaru (a notice to that effect under the hand of the Mayor or Town Clerk, having been served at least one week previously, on the occupier or owner of such land or premises) for the purpose of carrying through such land or premises any main or sub-main sewer or drain that may in the opinion of the town Surveyor, be required; and any person offering any obstruction in the execution of such work, shall be subject to a penalty for every such offence of the sum of two pounds to the Corporation of the town of Oamaru: Provided that the land or premises so entered upon shall be restored, as nearly as possible, to the same state as before the construction of such drain.

Bye-law No. V.—To provide for the construction and regulation of private drains in the Town of Oamaru.

Whereas it is expedient to provide for the construction and regulation of private drains in the Town of Oamaru: Be it therefore ordered and directed by the Council of the Town of Oamaru that from and after the day on which this bye-law shall come into operation, the following Regulations shall be in force within the said Town of Oamaru:—The occupier or owner of any section or part of a section within the said Town of Oamaru shall, upon receiving notice under the hand of the Mayor or Town Clerk to that effect, within one month from the date of such notice, construct, or cause to be constructed, a side drain, together with cess-pool and grating, in accordance with a plan furnished by the Town Surveyor, and under his direction, and cause such drains to communicate with any main or sub-main drain as may be required after the expiration of such notice, the Council shall have power to have the same constructed at the sole cost and expense of such occupier or owner, such cost or expense to be recovered in a summary way in the Resident Magistrate's Court at Oamaru, and any person or persons obstructing the execution of such works, shall forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding two pounds. Such cess-pool shall be emptied and cleansed at such times as may be required by the Inspector of Nuisances, subject to the before-mentioned fine.

Bye-law No. VI.—for compelling owners of dead animals or offensive matter to bury the same.

It is ordered and directed by the Council of the Town of Oamaru, by virtue of the authority in them vested, that from and after the day on which this Bye-law shall come into operation, it shall not be lawful for any person to deposit any dead animal or offensive matter except in such place or places as may be appointed by the Council, and that it shall be compulsory upon the person removing the said animal or offensive matter (which removal shall

be effected before the expiry of twenty-four hours) to bury the same in or upon such place as directed by the said Council, at least two feet underground, or in such other manner as directed by the Inspector of Nuisances, or such other person as the Corporation may appoint, such animal or offensive matter to be buried within twenty-four hours from its removal to such place. Every person who shall fail to observe the provisions of this Bye-law shall forfeit and pay for every such offence a sum not less than ten shillings and not exceeding five pounds.

REGULATIONS:

1. Regulation as to porticoes.
2. Regulation as to driving of great cattle through the Town of Oamaru.
3. Regulation as to erection and alteration of wooden buildings, and erection, alteration and repairs of chimneys, &c.
4. Regulation as to making and keeping, or stacking hay, corn, or straw, &c., within the town.
5. Regulation as to keeping of swine.

BYE-LAWS passed by the Wardens of the Winton Hundred:—

1. That no person be allowed to depasture more than fifteen head of cattle to every hundred acres occupied by him or her, and any person depasturing more than fifteen head of cattle shall forfeit and pay for every such offence any sum not exceeding five pounds.

2. That any person depasturing stock on the Hundred who shall not have taken out a depasturing license, shall forfeit and pay for every such offence a sum not exceeding five pounds, and the cattle may be impounded.

3. All stock over the age of six months depastured on the Hundred shall be branded with the registered brand of the owners thereof; and unbranded stock above the age of six months found on the Hundred may be impounded to be dealt with according to law.

4. No bull over the age of nine months, or entire horse over the age of twelve months, shall be allowed to depasture on the Hundred without the permission in writing of the Wardens, or a majority of them, and any person turning out any bull or entire horse without having such permission, shall forfeit and pay for every such offence any sum not exceeding five pounds.

5. All persons depasturing stock on the Hundred shall furnish to the Wardens, on or before a day to be fixed by them by advertisement in one of the local papers, a return showing the numbers, brands, and description of all stock above the age of six months depastured on the Hundred by each of them; and in the event of any person bringing more stock on the Hundred, shall make a like return within fourteen days from the time of bringing said stock, and whosoever shall make a false return or shall fail to make such return, shall pay any sum not exceeding five pounds, and the cattle be liable to be impounded.

6. Any person disturbing or harassing stock depasturing on the Hundred, shall forfeit and pay for every such offence any sum not exceeding five pounds; provided always that a holder of a depasturing license within the Hundred, or any person duly authorised in his or her behalf, may drive such stock for the purpose of collecting such as belong to him or her, and for the free and legitimate use of his or her right of pasturage within the Hundred; but in the event of its being necessary for such purpose to drive any stock a greater distance than half a mile, the person so driving such stock must take them to the nearest available stockyard and there separate his own from those of other persons, and return the latter to the place from whence they were driven, and failing to do so, shall forfeit and pay for every such offence any sum not exceeding five pounds.

7. Any person removing stock beyond the boundary of the Hundred other than those belonging to him, or for the removal of which he shall not have an authority, shall forfeit and pay for every such offence any sum not exceeding five pounds.

8. That no sheep be allowed to be depastured on the Hundred; and any person depasturing sheep on the Hundred shall forfeit and pay for every such offence any sum not exceeding five pounds.

9. Any stock not being the property of or which are not branded with the registered brand of the holder of the license under which they are depastured, or which are depastured on the Hundred, in contravention of any bye-law duly passed, may be impounded, and the owner

or custodian of such cattle may be proceeded against for trespass, and shall forfeit and pay for every such offence any sum not exceeding five pounds.

All or any of the acts authorised by these bye-laws may be done by any of the wardens or other person duly appointed by them or authorised in their behalf.

The above bye-laws have been approved of and passed by us, this twenty-first day of February, 1873.

WILLIAM CUTLIFFE, Chairman.
ALEXANDER GERARD.
RALPH SWALE.
GEORGE CROSBIE.
JOHN BLANCHFIELD.

Sanctioned on behalf of the Waste Land Board, on the understanding that none of the provisions apply to sold land though unfenced.

WALTER H. PEARSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Crown Lands Office,
Invercargill, 25th Feb., 1873.

BYE-LAWS, Mokareta Hundred, agreed to 11th August, 1873:—

1. No person shall bring any cattle to the Mokareta Hundred to be depastured thereon, nor shall any person remove therefrom any cattle depasturing thereon without giving at least one day's notice of his intension so to do to a warden; but this bye-law shall not apply to persons driving cattle through the Hundred unless such cattle shall have continued upon the Hundred for a longer period than twenty-four hours.

2. No person shall disturb or harass cattle lawfully depasturing upon the Hundred, provided always that any person holding a license to depasture cattle within the Hundred, or any person duly authorised by him, may drive such cattle for the purpose of collecting such as may belong to him, and for the legitimate use of his right of pasturage within the Hundred, but in case it should be necessary for such purpose to drive any cattle belonging to any other person a greater distance than half a mile, the person so driving such cattle must separate his own cattle from those of other persons, and return the latter to the place from whence they were driven.

3. Every person offending against any of the foregoing bye-laws shall forfeit any sum not exceeding five pounds for every such offence.

J. A. R. MENZIES, Chairman of Wardens.
ALFRED DOUGLAS,
THOMAS E. ROBERTSON,
JOHN BAND,
JAMES MILNE, } Wardens.

BLUESKIN ROAD BOARD.

NOTICE is hereby given, that William James Bolt, of Purakanui, is appointed Clerk and Collector to the above Board.

JAMES WRIGHT, Chairman.

WAIKARI AND FLAGSTAFF Road Board.—Notice to Ratepayers.—Mr W. Johnson, Teacher, Waikari District School, having been appointed Clerk and Collector for the current year, all communications for the Board are requested to be addressed to him at the School-house.

The first meeting of the Board for the year will be held on Saturday, August 30th, in the School, at 3 p.m.

GEORGE HEPBURN,
Chairman.

POUNDKEEPERS are hereby informed that the charge for inserting Impounding Notices of ordinary length in the *Gazette* will in future be five shillings. Long Impounding Advertisements in proportion.
20th August, 1873.

IMPOUNDED, on the 12th day of August, 1873, by the Ranger of the Shag Valley Station,
One bay filly, no visible brand,
One bay horse, no visible brand,
For trespassing on Shag Valley Run (no trespass charged), and in default of being released the above horses will be sold at the public Pound at Palmerston, on Friday, the 12th day of September, 1873, at 12 o'clock noon.

JOHN FLANAGAN,
Poundkeeper of the Palmerston Pound.

IMPOUNDED, on the 19th day of August, 1873, by the Ranger of Jacobs River Hundred,
One black gelding, brauded like W, and blotch on near shoulder
One bay filly, white blaze on face, three white feet, branded A near shoulder

For which no charge has been made; and in default of being released, the above horses will be sold at the public Pound at Islabank on Friday, the 12th day of September, 1873, at 12 o'clock noon.

W. A. LYON,
Poundkeeper of the Islabank Pound.

GREY ROAD BOARD.

ANNUAL Statement of Receipts and Expenditure for year ending 30th June, 1873.

RECEIPTS.

Saddle Hill Subdivision—	£	s.	d.
Balance from late Saddle Hill Road Board	135	5	8
Arrears of Rates	2	12	0
Otakia Subdivision—			
Balance from late Greytown Road Board	4	19	6
Rates, 1872-3	55	14	0
	198	11	2

EXPENDITURE.

Saddle Hill Subdivision—			
Contract for metalling	96	0	0
Day labor, maintenance, &c.	25	5	0
Common seal, rate-book, forms, &c.	3	1	3
Balance	74	4	11
	198	11	2

ASSETS.

Balance as above	74	4	11
Subsidy on £55	110	0	0
	184	4	11

JAMES ALLAN, Chairman.

I have examined the above statement, compared the same with the relative vouchers, and find them correctly stated and properly vouched.

17s JAMES WADDELL, Auditor.

PORTOBELLO Road District.—Abstract of accounts for the year ending 30th June, 1873:—

RECEIPTS.

	£	s.	d.
Portobello subdivision. To rates	180	19	9
Broad Bay subdivision. To rates	86	4	0
Saady Mount subdivision	87	19	9
Balance in hand from previous year	26	8	8
General Government subsidy, at 30s per £	541	9	10
	923	2	0

EXPENDITURE.

Portobello subdivision. James Braidbury, balance of contract due by late Board	14	11	9
Road construction	12	4	0
Road repairs	4	10	0
Surveying	33	19	0
Miscellaneous	37	1	0
General expenses	21	17	1
	124	2	10

Broad Bay subdivision—Road construction	3	0	0
Surveying	2	7	6
General expenses	12	6	2
Miscellaneous	3	5	6
	20	19	2

Saady Mount subdivision—John and William Robertson, due by late Board	19	0	0
Road construction	40	0	0
Surveying	13	13	6
General expenses	15	16	3
	88	9	9

Cash in hand	0	1	0
Cash in Bank	689	9	3
	689	10	3

Total

923 2 0

12s6d

JOHN M'CARTNEY, Chairman.
JOSEPH YOUNG, Auditor.

STATEMENT of the Affairs of the Nokomai Flat Gold Mining Company, Limited.
 Name of Company—The Nokomai Flat Gold Mining Company, Limited.
 When formed, and date of registration—15th January, 1872; 7th March, 1872.
 Where business is conducted, and name of legal manager—Nokomai, Thomas Aiton.
 Nominal capital—£1500.
 Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders—£518 10s.
 Number of shares in which capital is divided—3000.
 Number of shares taken—1803.
 Amount of calls made—£703 17s 6d.
 Total amount of capital paid up—£582 10s.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company—89.
 Amount of cash in hand—£72 17s 3d.
 Whether in operation or not—In operation.
 Total amount of dividends declared—Nil.
 Number of shares unallotted—1197.
 THOS. AITON, Manager.
 Nokomai, 28th July, 1873. 15s

I. E. W. ROXBY, of Oamaru, Town Clerk of the Corporation of the Incorporated Town of Oamaru, in the Province of Otago, hereby certify as follows:—
 That the adopting and repealing bye-laws, a copy whereof is as follows—
 "In pursuance of the powers and provisions contained in Section 181, Part XIII of 'The Municipal Corporations Act 1867,' the Council of the Town of Oamaru ordain as follows, that is to say:
 "1st. The whole of the Subdivisions of the 1st, 2nd, 6th, 7th, 9th, 11th, and Subdivisions 1 and 2 of the 8th Part of the 13th Schedule of the said Act are hereby adopted in and for the said Town of Oamaru, and for and on behalf of the said Corporation.
 "2nd. The following bye-laws heretofore existing are hereby repealed, that is to say, the whole of the existing bye-laws numbered 1 to 18" respectively, in compliance, as regards the said Town of Oamaru, with Section 184 of "The Municipal Corporations Act 1867."
 E. W. ROXBY,
 Town Clerk.
 Oamaru, July 4, 1873. 10s

To John Reid, owner of section 26, block 1, Clarendon district, adjoining section 32.
TAKE notice that I desire that the boundary or separating fence between sections 26 and 32 be made a month from this date, and that the fence shall be part sod and part post and rail. Dated this 30th day of July, 1873.
 3t 10s.9d JOHN WELLMAN.

DUNEDIN AND PORT CHALMERS RAILWAY

TIME TABLE FOR AUGUST, 1873.

Passenger and goods trains will leave Dunedin and Port Chalmers respectively, calling at Intermediate Stations, as under:—

Down.		Up.	
LEAVE	H. M.	LEAVE	H. M.
Dunedin	7 30 a.m.	Port Chalmers	9 15 a.m.
Do.	10 30 a.m.	Do.	11 30 a.m.
Do.	12 30 p.m.	Do.	1 30 p.m.
Do.	*2 30 p.m.	Do.	4 0 p.m.
Do.	5 0 p.m.	Do.	5 40 p.m.

*This train calls at Pelichet Bay only.

FARES:

To and from Port Chalmers:			
SINGLE.		RETURN.	
	s. d.		s. d.
First-class	... 2 0	First-class	... 3 0
Second-class	... 1 6	Second-class	... 2 0

Dunedin, to and from Pelichet Bay:			
	s. d.		s. d.
First-class	... 0 6	First-class	... 0 9
Second-class	... 0 4	Second-class	... 0 9

SUNDAY TRAINS:
 Return Tickets, 2s 6d.

Down.		Up.	
LEAVE	H. M.	LEAVE	H. M.
Dunedin	... 9 30 a.m.	Port Chalmers	10 0 a.m.
Do.	... 2 30 p.m.	Do.	3 0 p.m.
Do.	... 3 30 p.m.	Do.	5 0 p.m.

By order,
 D. ROLFE,
 General Manager.

INVERCARGILL, BLUFF & WINTON RAILWAY

On and after May 1st, 1873, daily trains will run as under:—
 Leave Winton for Invercargill at 8.15 a.m.
 " Invercargill for Bluff at 9.45 a.m.
 " Bluff for Invercargill at 11.45 a.m.
 " Invercargill for Bluff at 2 p.m.
 " Invercargill for Winton at 4 p.m.
 " Bluff for Invercargill at 4 p.m.
 A train will leave Winton on Saturday evenings at 5.15, returning from Invercargill on Monday mornings at 7. There are no trains on Sunday.

INCENDIARISM.

Maliciously Setting Fire to Three Stacks of Wheat and One Stack of Oats.
 £100 REWARD
 And a Free Pardon to an Accomplice.

WHEREAS on the night of Monday, the 10th of March last, three Stacks of Wheat and one Stack of Oats, situate at Shag Valley, the property of Robert Steel, valued at £150, were destroyed by fire: And whereas at an inquest held at the Royal Hotel, Palmerston, on the 18th of that month, to inquire as to the origin of the said fire, the Jury returned the following verdict:—"That on the night of Monday, the 10th of March, 1873, three stacks of Wheat and one Stack of Oats, the property of Robert Steel, were maliciously, set on fire by some person or persons unknown:" Notice is hereby given, that a Reward of One Hundred Pounds will be paid by the Provincial Government of Otago to any person who shall give such information as shall lead to the conviction of the person or persons by whom the said fire was caused; and His Excellency the Governor will be advised to grant a free pardon to an Accomplice, not being the person who actually caused the fire, as shall give such information as shall lead to a like result.

T. K. WELDON,
 Commissioner of Police.

21st May, 1873.

INCENDIARISM.

Maliciously Setting fire to a Barn, Stable, &c., containing Hay, Farm Implements, and Two Horses.

£100 REWARD and a FREE PARDON to an Accomplice.

WHEREAS on the morning of Saturday, the 10th of May last, a weather-board building with zinc roof, 90x20 feet, used as a barn, stable, &c., containing three tons of hay, farming implements, and two horses, situate at One Tree Point, Southland District, the property of Orr Fisher, value £111, were destroyed by fire: And whereas at an inquest held at Mr Fisher's residence on the 27th of that month to inquire as to the origin of the said fire, the jury returned the following verdict:—"That a range of buildings and other property, belonging to Orr Fisher, Settler, One Tree Point, was wilfully and maliciously set on fire on the 10th May last, by some person or persons unknown: Notice is hereby given that a reward of One Hundred Pounds will be paid by the Provincial Government of Otago, to any person who shall give such information as shall lead to the conviction of the person or persons by whom the said fire was caused; and His Excellency the Governor will be advised to grant a Free Pardon to an Accomplice, not being the person who actually caused the fire, as shall give such information as will lead to a like result.

T. K. WELDON,
 Commissioner of Police.

INCENDIARISM.

Maliciously Setting Fire to Two Stacks of Hay, a Barn and Chaff House.

£200 REWARD

And a Free Pardon to an Accomplice.

WHEREAS on the night of Sunday, the 4th of May instant, Two Stacks of Hay, a Barn and Chaff House, containing Hay, situate at Glenquoich Station, near Athol, Southland District, the property of Joseph Rogers, Esquire, J.P., were destroyed by fire: And whereas at an inquest held at the Athol Hotel, Athol, on the 9th instant, to inquire as to the origin of the said fire, the Jury returned the following verdict:—"That the said fire was caused by some person or persons, to the Jurors unknown, feloniously, wilfully, maliciously, with intent then and there to injure the said Joseph Rogers:" And whereas Mr Rogers has offered a reward of One Hundred Pounds for the detection of the originator of the fire: Notice is hereby given, that a reward of One Hundred Pounds (supplemental to that offered by Mr Rogers), will be paid by the Provincial Government of Otago to any person who shall give such information as shall lead to the conviction of the person or persons by whom the said fire was caused; and His Excellency the Governor will be advised to grant a Free Pardon to an Accomplice, not being the person who actually caused the fire, as shall give such information as shall lead to a like result.

T. K. WELDON,
Commissioner of Police.

21st May, 1873.

(From the New Zealand Gazette, No. 50, August 14, 1873.)
Appointing Quarantine Stations.

JAMES FERGUSSON, Governor.
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Public Health Act, 1872," it is, amongst other things, enacted that the Governor may from time to time, by an order notified by Proclamation in the *Gazette*, appoint certain stations within or near any harbour or place within New Zealand for the performance of quarantine under the Third Part of the said Act, where all vessels liable to quarantine, and the crews, passengers, and persons on board thereof, shall perform the same: And whereas it is expedient that the places hereinafter particularly mentioned should be appointed Quarantine Stations, for the purposes in the said Act mentioned:

Now therefore, I, Sir James Fergusson, Baronet, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me for that purpose, do by this Proclamation order and appoint that the places named and described in the Schedule hereto shall be, and the same are hereby appointed to be, stations for the performance of quarantine under the Third Part of "The Public Health Act, 1872."

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PORT CHALMERS.

THE whole of the Island situated in Otago Harbour, in the Colony of New Zealand, known as Quarantine Island; together with all that area, estimated to contain two hundred and ten (210) acres, more or less, being part of Otago Harbour. Bounded—towards the North-north-west, by a line extending from Acheron Head to Quarantine Point, forty-six (46) chains; thence by a line due South, forty-six (46) chains; thence by a line in a West-south-westerly direction, forty-six (46) chains; thence by a line due North, forty-six (46) chains, to the starting point.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honorable Sir James Fergusson, Baronet, a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council, 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 thirteenth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

G. MAURICE O'RORKE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Justices of the Peace appointed.

Office of the Minister of Justice,
Wellington, 9th August, 1873.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

LOUIS WILLIAM BUSCH, Esq., Mayor of Naseby;
PETER CUNNINGHAME, Esq., Mayor of Milton;
EDWARD HERBERT, Esq., Mayor of Lawrence; and
THOMAS SLATER PRATT, Esq., Mayor of West Hawk-
bury, Otago,

to be Justices of the Peace under "The Otago Municipal Corporations Empowering Act, 1865."

JOHN BATHGATE.

Coroner resigned.

Office of the Minister of Justice,
Wellington, 7th August, 1873.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation by

VINCENT PYKE, Esq.,

of his appointment as a Coroner within the Colony.

JOHN BATHGATE.

Deputy Harbour Master appointed.

Customs Department (Marine Branch),
Wellington, 8th August, 1873.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN ORKNEY

to be Deputy Harbour Master for the Port of Dunedin.

WILLIAM H. REYNOLDS.