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By His Honor's Command,

W. H. AYLMER,

Clerk to Superintendent.

Vol 6.] WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 22, 1868. [No. 1.

Superintendent's Office,
Southland, 10th Dec., 1867.

IT is hereby notified that I have appointed

G. BELL, Esq.,

to be a member of the Sheep Board of the Province of Southland, in succession to H. Law, Esq.

JOHN P. TAYLOR,
Superintendent.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
(Judicial Branch,)

Wellington, 19th December, 1867.

IT is intended that a proclamation shall be issued, as soon as possible after the 1st January next, extending the jurisdiction of the districts hereinafter mentioned to the limit set opposite to the name of each of such districts:—

* * * * *

Southland District ... £100

E. W. STAFFORD.

PROCLAMATION.

By JOHN PARKIN TAYLOR, Esq., Superintendent of the Province of Southland.

WHEREAS His Excellency the Governor in Council has been pleased to delegate under the "Diseased Cattle Act, 1861," to the Superintendent of the Province of Southland, the several powers vested in the Governor by the 2nd, 4th, 5th, 7th, 9th and 10th Sections of the said Act, subject to the Regulations contained in the Order in Council of 1st October, 1861; and also to delegate under the "Diseased Cattle Act Amendment Act 1865," the several powers vested in the Governor by the 5th Section of the said Amended Act.

And whereas by a proclamation given under the hand of JAMES ALEXANDER ROBERTSON MENZIES, Esq., as Superintendent of the said Province, dated 26th December, 1862, it was declared that the Inspector, under the said Act, would not be authorised to grant certificate to land in the Province of Southland Cattle coming from any of the Australian Colonies;

And whereas it is expedient to make further provision in that behalf;

Now, therefore, I, the said Superintendent, in virtue of the powers in me vested, do hereby proclaim and declare that the Inspectors of Cattle in the Province of Southland, under the "Diseased Cattle Act, 1861" are, subject to the provisions of the said Act, hereby authorised to grant certificates to land in the Province of Southland, Cattle shipped in the Colony of Victoria, provided that he is satisfied that the same are free from disease and were not shipped from a district where infectious disease shall be known to prevail, provided moreover that the Master of the vessel, on board of which such Cattle shall have been imported, shall deliver to such Inspector a certificate from the Collector of Customs, or, if there be no Collector of Customs, from the Police Magistrate, or from two Justices of the Peace, at the Port or place where such cattle were shipped, to the effect that the district wherein such Port or place is situate was to the best of his or their belief and knowledge, free from infectious disease in Cattle at the time of shipment, and that the Cattle shipped were free from any such disease; and in case the master of any such vessel shall be unable to produce any such certificate, the said Inspector of Cattle shall

not grant a certificate to land the Cattle on board such vessel until the Master shall have made a declaration in the usual statutory form before a Resident Magistrate or Justice of the Peace to the effect that such Cattle were shipped at a Port in a district free from such infectious disease aforesaid, and that such Cattle are to the best of his knowledge and belief free from such infectious disease. And I further proclaim and declare that the Proclamation issued by me, dated the fifth day of November, 1867, admitting cattle into the Province of Southland from the Colony of Victoria is hereby cancelled.

Given under my hand at Invercargill, this thirteenth day of January, One thousand eight hundred and sixty eight.

JOHN P. TAYLOR,
Superintendent.

G. GREY, Governor.

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETING:

WHEREAS by "The Regulation of Elections Act, 1858," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, by warrant under his hand, from time to time, to appoint polling places for each Electoral District, within or without the limits thereof, and to appoint any one of such places to be the principal polling place for the district, and all or any of such polling places at any time to abolish, and to appoint other polling places in lieu thereof. And whereas by warrant under the hand of the Governor, certain places were appointed polling places and principal polling places for the election of Members of the House of Representatives for the districts following, viz.,—District of Raglan, District of Hampden, District of Wairarapa, District of Wallace, District of Westland; and whereas it is expedient to abolish the same:

Now therefore, Sir George Grey the Governor of the said Colony, in pursuance of the power in him vested by the said Act, doth hereby abolish the polling places for the abovenamed districts, for the election of Members of the House of Representatives, and doth appoint the following polling places in lieu thereof:—

* * * * *
District of Wallace.
House of Cuthbert Cowan, Esq.,
Hokanui.

House of Mr Aylmer, Station No. 166 A.

House of Messrs Butler, Boys, and Pointer, Station No. 176 A.

House of Mr McNab, Station No. 111.

House of Messrs Douglass and Blyth, Station No. 74 A.

And I do hereby appoint the polling place, hereinafter specified, to be the principal polling place for the following District, viz:—

District of Wallace.

House of Cuthbert Cowan, Esq., Hokanui.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir George Grey, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of Nov. in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven.

E. W. STAFFORD.

Colonial Defence Office,

Wellington, 27th November, 1867.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the under-mentioned appointment, viz:—

In the Invercargill Rifle Volunteers.

Frederick Wentworth Wade, to be Ensign. Date of commission, 23rd August, 1867.

T. M. HAULTAIN.

G. GREY, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Intestate Estates Act, 1865," it is enacted that the said Act shall come into force in each Province of the Colony respectively, on such day as the Governor may fix by proclamation in the New Zealand Gazette. Now therefore, I, Sir George Grey, the Governor, as aforesaid, in pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority in me vested, do hereby appoint and fix the first day of January next to be the day on and from which the said "Intestate Estates Act, 1865," shall come into force within each of the following Provinces, viz:—

THE PROVINCE OF TARANAKI,
THE PROVINCE OF OTAGO, and
THE PROVINCE OF SOUTHLAND,
in the said Colony.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir George Grey, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at Wellington, this seventh day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven.

E. W. STAFFORD.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

G. GREY, Governor
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Intestate Estates Act Amendment Act, 1866," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, by proclamation, published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, from time to time to divide the Colony for the purposes of "The Intestate Estates Act, 1865," and the said "Intestate Estates Act Amendment Act, 1866," into such and so many districts as he shall think fit, and every such district shall be called by a distinct name and shall be a Curator's district; and in like manner from time, and as he shall think fit, to abolish any such district, or alter or vary the boundaries of any district, or increase the number of such districts:

Now therefore, I, Sir George Grey, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority in me vested, do hereby proclaim and appoint the districts comprised within the boundaries of the Provinces of Taranki, Otago, and Southland respectively, to be Curator's districts for the purposes of the above-mentioned Acts, and to be respectively called

THE TARANAKI DISTRICT,

THE OTAGO DISTRICT, and

THE SOUTHLAND DISTRICT.

Given under the hand of his Excellency Sir George Grey, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's colony of

New Zealand and its Dependencies, at the Government House, at Wellington, and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, this seventh day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty seven.

E. W. STAFFORD.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

G. GREY, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

Approved in Council this seventh day of December, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven.

Present:

THE PRESIDENT AND MEMBERS OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority in him vested for this purpose, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony, doth hereby appoint the Town of New Plymouth, City of Dunedin, and the Town of Invercargill, in the respective Provinces of Taranaki, Otago, and Southland, to be the places at which WILLIAM SMITH ATKINSON, ALFRED ROWLAND CETHAM STRODE, and FREDRICK NUTTE Esquires, the persons appointed to be Curators of Intestate Estates within the said Provinces and Districts shall keep their respective offices.

FORSTER GORING.
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
(Judicial Branch.)

Wellington, 19th December, 1867.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned gentlemen to be Resident Magistrates, under "The Resident Magistrates' Act, 1867," for the districts set opposite their names, as the same are defined in the proclamation dated the 29th day of November last:—

- * * * * *
- Henry M'Culloch, Esq., Southland District.
- Daniel Shea Lawlor, Esq., Southland District.
- Isac Newton Watt, Esq., Southland District.
- Henry Rogers, Esq., Southland District.

E. W. STAFFORD,

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto existing between us the undersigned THOMAS BROWN and JOHN PATERSON as Drapers, at Riverton, in the Province of Southland, New Zealand, under the style or firm of "BROWN AND PATERSON," was on the thirteenth day of November, now instant, dissolved by mutual consent.

All debts due to and owing by the late firm will be received and paid by the said JOHN PATERSON.

Dated at Dunedin this twenty-first day of November, 1867.

THOMAS BROWN,
JOHN PATERSON.

Witness to both Signatures,
H. D. MADDOCK, Solicitor, Dunedin.

IN THE SUPREME COURT—OTAGO AND SOUTHLAND DISTRICT:

GENERAL ORDER.

UNDER and in pursuance of the authority to me given by the "Bankruptcy Act, 1867," I do hereby order and specify that the *Government Gazette* of the Province of Otago is hereby specified and shall be deemed to be the *Gazette*, within the meaning of the said Act, for the publication of all matters and things arising within the said Province which may be required by the said Act to be gazetted: And that the *Government Gazette* of the Province of Southland shall in like manner be the *Gazette* for all matters and things arising in the last mentioned Province which may be required by the said Act to be gazetted.

Dated this second day of December, 1867.

H. S. CHAPMAN.

NOTICE.—Attention is called to section fourteen of "The Stamp Duties Act Amendment Act, 1867," which enacts that—

"Where any deed or instrument liable by law to any stamp duty shall be written on parchment or paper and shall be signed or executed by any person before it shall be duly stamped for denoting the payment of the said duty there shall be due and paid to the Commissioners the whole

or the deficiency as the case may be of the stamp duty payable upon or in respect of such deed or instrument and there shall also be paid over and above the said duty or deficiency a sum by way of a fine if such deed or instrument shall be presented to be stamped more than one month and less than three months after execution at the rate of twenty pounds per centum on the value of the stamps to be affixed and if such deed or instrument shall be presented to be stamped more than three months after execution at the rate of one hundred pounds per centum on the value of the stamps to be affixed but in no case shall the last-mentioned fine be less than the sum of Five Pounds."

C. T. BATKIN,
Secretary.

Stamp Office, Wellington,
14th November, 1867.

SURVEY REPORT.

Chief Surveyor's Office,
Southland, January 3rd, 1868.

SIR,—I have the honor to submit herewith, the annual return of the work completed by the surveyors of this Department, for the year ending the 31st of December, 1867.

The principal work undertaken during the past year has been the survey of rural land purchased under the "Southland Waste Lands Act, 1865;" of this 91,066 acres have been completed, and the greater part of it has been already mapped. The purchases have been made in almost every district in the Province, in many cases widely apart, greatly increasing thereby the labor and cost of properly connecting them with the trigonometrical surveys.

The New South Wales system of survey, which, with your Honor's concurrence, I introduced into this Province, now two years ago, *i.e.*, of giving each surveyor a separate district, making him personally responsible for the correctness of his surveys, and for the proper laying out of all roads in connection therewith, and paying for the survey at a fixed rate per acre, varying with the size of the sections, has, during the past two years, had a fair trial, and I have now much pleasure in drawing your Honor's attention to the satisfactory results of this system.

The total amount surveyed during 1866 and 1867 is 165,178 acres. Of this 3865 acres were purchased under previous acts, leaving 161,313 acres that have been surveyed of the land purchased under the late Land Act of 1865. The total cost of the survey which had to be defrayed by the purchasers has been £5446 11s 10d, or on an average, 8.102d per acre. This, considering the nature of the surveys, which, I am confident, will bear any test as to their correctness, may be considered the cheapest surveys that have ever been executed in this Province, and they will bear the most favorable comparison with those of any of the other Provinces in New Zealand; for although a few of the purchases have been made in large blocks, the majority have been taken up in small sections, averaging only from two to four hundred acres, many of them being as low as twenty acres.

The total cost of the Survey Department for the year 1867 was £981 8s 8d, so the actual cost to the Province has only been a fraction over 2½d per acre on the amount surveyed during the year. (This, of course, does not include the cost of the 450,000 acres of triangulation included in the previous year.) This will doubtless afford your Honor's Government the greatest satisfaction.

Through the courtesy of the Chief Surveyors of Otago and Canterbury, and the Surveyors-General of Victoria and New South Wales, I am enabled to lay before your Honor the cost per acre of the surveys executed in their respective provinces and colonies. The Chief Surveyor of Canterbury, in his letter of 10th of May, 1867, says:—

"The actual cost of laying out purchased land, pre-emptive rights, and public reserves, had been fourteen pence per acre throughout the Province; isolated bush sections in remote positions have cost much more; in some cases 5s an acre, perhaps 2s 6d on the average, while the bulk of sections on the plains have cost less than 1s per acre. The cost of laying out and surveying lines of road, where both sides have been marked and defined, has been at the rate of £6 per mile. These results include all sections surveyed, whether by the staff or by contract surveys. The only contract out at present is let to Mr Hewlings, a very old and thoroughly trustworthy surveyor, and is at the following rates:—Sections within 20 miles of Timaru, 1s; 20 to 30 miles, 1s 6d; beyond 30 miles 2s."

The cost of the surveys in Otago has been, for the last two years, 1s 2½d and 1s 11d respectively. The Chief Surveyor of that Province in his annual report for 1867, says:—"The cost of the rural section survey nearly doubles that of any preceding year. Last year it was at the rate of 1s 2½d per acre, while in 1857 and 1858 the average was only 6d to 9d per acre. The cause of this is to be entirely ascribed to the present system of land sales, *i.e.*, to free selection before survey. This free selection extends from the Waitaka to the Toetoes, and over this dispersed area the numerous and distant choice of settlers must be followed after by the surveyor, connected for record, and marked on the ground. The now extended privileges of settlers in their land applications cannot, therefore, be expected to be met by this Department at the same cost as previously, when complete blocks were surveyed, the sections marked on the ground, and thus prepared for sale after survey. It is evident, in the present system of selection before survey that the cost to Government must depend much on the sizes of the applications and their comparative dispersion—small and distinct selections costing more than large and close ones."

The expense per acre in Victoria for the year 1865 and 1866 has been at the rate of 13.77d and 12.66d for Government surveys, and at the rate of 7.22d and 7.36d per acre for contract surveys. The contract surveys have been for subdividing very large areas into smaller allotments which, lying contiguous, can be done far cheaper than detached sections under a free selection system.

The rate per acre allowed to the surveyors in New South Wales, under a similar system of survey to that at present in operation here, ranges from 4s to 3d per acre, and in addition to this £2 per mile is allowed for all lineal measurements which would make the rate higher than that at present paid in this Province.

The total area purchased under the "Southland Waste Lands Act, 1865" is 224,857 acres; of this 18,336 have been selected in sections, surveyed in the Hundreds, 161,313 acres have been surveyed by the District Surveyors leaving a balance of 48,718 to be surveyed during the present summer. 14,000 acres of this were only purchased last

month, so I apprehend no difficulty in keeping the arrears worked up with the present staff of District Surveyors.

The rate of survey fees fixed by the Waste Lands Board will require to be slightly revised, the rate of the larger sections can be reduced a little, but that of the smaller ones must be increased, as they will not pay the surveyor a fair remuneration for his work at the present price, when they have to be surveyed in detached sections. This, I stated in a former report, would be advisable, and I do not think that such an alteration would increase the average rate.

The purchases in the Takatimo district, adjoining the northern boundary line of the Province, necessitated the laying out of that line, so I arranged with the Chief Surveyor of Otago, the method by which it should be done and with his concurrence, employed Mr Jas. Dundas to perform the work for the sum of £100—the Otago Government undertaking to pay one half of that sum. Mr Dundas has completed the survey to my entire satisfaction.

One hundred and fifty-one miles of main and district roads have been laid out during the past year; part of these road lines I have already inspected, and find as a rule, that the surveyors have been careful in selecting the best and most available lines of road to be obtained in the district. In a few instances I have found it necessary to instruct the District Surveyors to re-survey small portions of these lines, which, under the present system, must be done at their own cost. No survey is finally passed until I have been over the lines laid out, and I trust that very few cases will ever arise hereafter where the line of road will have to be altered from that at present reserved.

I must beg your Honor to cause a sum to be placed on the estimates for the repair of the Trigonometrical Stations erected many years ago in this Province. The Trigonometrical Stations which are the undisputed points of reference in all matters connected with surveys were originally in many cases erected on mounds to enable the surveyors to see over the rank vegetation which then covered most of the plains. The mounds have been destroyed by the cattle, and the actual post has been in many cases removed and destroyed; these of course, cannot now be replaced in position without considerable expense, but by

renewing the principal ones of those which still remain in the ground, with good strong totara posts, or iron standards, I hope to be enabled to keep them for future reference. This work is so absolutely necessary, and of so much importance, that I must most strongly recommend its being done, and also urge upon the Government the necessity of prosecuting any person or persons destroying these Trigonometrical Stations in future.

I must also ask for a further sum to be placed on the estimates for the survey of the gravel, stone, bush, and other similar reserves made under the present Act, including the survey of a few sections that were purchased prior to the passing of this Act, for the survey of which no provision has been made, and for a few miscellaneous surveys, the cost of which must now be met by the Provincial Government.

The cost of the survey of the native reserves at Stewart's Island, I approximately estimate at £200. I am not sure whether this sum will have to be provided for by the Provincial or General Government. The survey of these reserves will be necessarily very expen-

sive, they are nine in number (exclusive of the Island granted to the Maories, which I apprehend will not be required to be surveyed), and contain about 1155 acres, all situated in different parts of the Island, many of them having to be subdivided amongst various claimants. Mr M'Kay, Commissioner of Native Reserves, is, I believe, shortly to visit Stewart's Island to settle these reserves, and the survey of them must necessarily take place prior to the land in Stewart's Island being thrown open for selection.

I have also to request your Honor to cause a sum to be placed on the estimates for rebuilding the fire proof safe of the Survey Department, the dampness and unsuitable position of which I reported in my communication dated the 19th of June last.

I cannot conclude my report without expressing my satisfaction at the excellent manner in which the District Surveyors (especially Mr Richardson), have completed the surveys with which they have been entrusted.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

JOHN H. BAKER,
Chief Surveyor.

RETURN OF FIELD WORK

FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDING 31ST DECEMBER, 1867.

LOCALITY.	SURVEYOR.	ACREAGE.			DESCRIPTION OF SURVEY.	COST.	REMARKS.	
		A.	B.	P.				
Hyre District	J. A. M'Arthur	18,986	0	00	Section Survey		8.102d is the average rate per acre; purchasers under the "Southland Waste Lands Act, 1865," have been charged for the survey of their land, during the past two years.	
Taringatura District	do	1,733	0	00	do			
Hokanui do	G. F. Richardson	35,511	2	11	do			
Waiau do	F. H. Geisow	13,212	3	16	do			
Wairaki do	do	861	0	00	do			
Wairio do	do	7,236	2	00	do			
Aparima do	do	539	0	00	do			
Oreti Hundreds	do	411	2	00	do			
Takatimo District	James Dundas	4,340	0	00	do			
Oreti Hundred	do	2,938	0	00	do			
Forest Hill Hundred	do	1,260	0	00	do			
New River do	do	185	0	00	do			
Waimumu do	do	1,261	2	32	do			
do do	do	2,590	0	28	do			
Takatimo District	do				Re-chaingage of Base Line Survey of boundary of Province	£15 £100		Purchase under "Waste Lands Act, 1866—10 per cent allowed for survey. Half of this sum is by agreement, to be paid by the Government of Otago.

ABSTRACT FOR 1867.

	...	...	...	...	ACRES	B.	P.
Section Survey	...	...	...	...	91,066	1	07
Roads laid out	...	...	...	...	151	miles	
River traverse	...	...	...	...	150	miles	

ABSTRACT OF SECTION SURVEY FOR 1866 AND 1867.

Under "Waste Lands Acts, 1856 and 1863."	...	...	3,865	1	38
Under "Southland Waste Lands Act, 1865."	...	...	161,312	3	09
			165,178	1	07
G. F. Richardson	...	...	51,754	2	21
Jas. Dundas	...	...	14,992	0	30
F. H. Geisow	...	...	46,961	0	04
J. A. M'Arthur	...	...	51,470	1	32
			165,178	1	07

CROWN GRANTS in favor of the under-mentioned persons are now ready for delivery at the Land Office :—

Thomson, John T., section 6, block VIII, New River Hundred

M'Culloch, Henry, sections 1 and 24, block I, Winton Hundred

M'Culloch, Henry, sections 20 and 21, block I Winton Hundred

Gray, John, sections 7 and 8, block LXVIII Invercargill

Mackintosh, James, sections 6, 7, 8, 15, 16 and 19, block II, Aparima Hundred

Mackintosh, James, sections 18, 20, 21, and 22, block II, Aparima Hundred

Mackintosh, James, sections 23, 24, 25, and 26, block II, Aparima Hundred

Mackintosh, James, sections 27, 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32, block II, Aparima Hundred

Mackintosh, James, sections 33, 34, 35, 36, 37 38, 39, and 40, block II, Aparima Hundred

M'Donald, John, section 14, block I, Lindhurst Hundred

Smith, David, section 11, block LIX, Invercargill

Young, Henry, section 3, block III, New River Hundred

Young, Henry, section 4, block III, New River Hundred

Jamieson and Wilson, section 18, block XVI, New River Hundred

Jamieson James, section 44, block VIII, New River Hundred

Menzies John H., sections 30, 31 and 32, block XIII, New River Hundred

Menzies John H., sections 34, 35, 36, 37 and 38, block XIII, New River Hundred

Menzies John H., sections 46, 47, 48, 49 and 50 block XIII, New River Hundred

Miligen Barnard, section 6, block LXIV, Invercargill.

Browne Thomas G., sections 19, 20, 21, 22, 23 and 24, block XI, New River Hundred.

Browne Thomas G., sections 26 and 27, block XI, New River Hundred

Oldham Wm. F., sections 37, 38, 50 and 51 block IX, New River Hundred

Shand John, sections 6 and 7, block V, Winton Hundred

Wentworth Fitzwilliam, section 16, block II Campbelltown Hundred

Wentworth Fitzwilliam, sections 18, 19 and 20 block II, Campbelltown Hundred

Clayton Nicholas G., sections 8, 9 and 10, block IV, New River Hundred

WALTER H. PEARSON,

Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Crown Lands Office,

22nd November, 1867.

THE undermentioned CROWN GRANTS are now ready for delivery at the Land Office :

Baggot, Charles N. H., section 7, block VI Invercargill Hundred

Campbell, Colin N., 2 of section 42, and 1 of 43, block IX, Invercargill Hundred

M'Naughton, John, junr., section 41, block XIV, Invercargill Hundred

Grigor and Knipe, section 22, block XIV, Invercargill Hundred.

Moore, William, sections 23, block XIV, Invercargill Hundred

Scott, Francis W., section 11, block XI, Riverton

Hay, Jabez, section 5, block XI, Riverton

Murdoch, Robert, section 2, block XIII Campbelltown

Wright, Thomas S., sections 1 and 2, block IX, Riverton

Grigor, Alexander, sections 24, 25, 26, and 27, block VIII, New River Hundred

Scott, Francis W., sections 10 and 17, block VII, Campbelltown

M'Phee, Malcolm, sections 53 and 62, block VIII, Invercargill Hundred

Browne, Thomas G., sections 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8, block I, Oteramika Hundred

Steward, Frederick G., section 7, block XII, Jacob's River Hundred

Browne, Thomas G., section 24, block VII, Invercargill Hundred

Balneavis, Henry C., sections 33 and 34, block II, Mabel Hundred

M'Kay, Angus, sections 54 and 55, block VIII Invercargill Hundred

Clayton, Nicholas G., section 26, block II, New River Hundred

Beaven, Samuel, sections 58, 59, 60, and 61 block 33, Invercargill Hundred

Beaven, Samuel, section 17, block VII, Invercargill Hundred

Gray, John, sections 16 and 17, block LXVIII, Invercargill

Fairweather, George, sections 38 and 39, block VIII, Invercargill Hundred

Christie, Andrew, sections 36 and 37, block VIII, Invercargill Hundred

Williamson, James, sections 14, 15, 16, 24 25, and 26, block VII, Jacob's River Hundred

Williamson, James, sections 5 and 6, block IX, Jacob's River Hundred

Williamson, James, sections 15 and 16, block IX, Jacob's River Hundred

Trotter, William S., sections 31, 33, and 35 block V, Invercargill Hundred

Trotter, William S., sections 23 and 24, block VI, Invercargill Hundred

M'Kinnon, John, sections 8 and 9, block XI New River Hundred

Watt, Isaac N., sections 30 and 31, block II, Winton Hundred

WALTER H. PEARSON,

Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Crown Land Office,

4th January, 1868.

RETURN OF SHEEP INSPECTED IN THE PROVINCE OF SOUTHLAND during the month of November, 1867.

Printed by the Authority of the Provincial Government of Southland, by RAYBOLDS AND CO., Invercargill, New Zealand, Printers to the said Provincial Government, for the time being.

DATE OF INSPECTION.	DATE OF PRECEDING INSPECTION.	NAME OF STATION.	WHERE SITUATE.	NAME OF MANAGER OR OWNER.	NO. OF SHEEP ON STATION.	NO. OF SHEEP INSPECTED.	RESULT.	DATE ON WHICH SHEEP WHERE DISEASED.	REMARKS.
Nov. 3rd.	—	At Invercargill.	Southland.	F. Wentworth.	—	133	Clean.	—	Travelling to Wantwood.
Nov. 25th. " 26th. " 27th. " 28th.	} July 27th 1867.	Long Ridge.	Waimea.	P. M'Kellar.	16,000	7,000	Clean.	—	Ewe stock.

Sheep Inspector's Department, Invercargill, November 30th, 1867.

HENRY G. FIELDER,

Chief Inspector of Sheep, Southland.

