



THE COUNTY OF
WESTLAND GAZETTE.

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G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington,
this third day of March, 1869.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Marine Act, 1867,"
it is enacted that the Governor may,
by Order in Council, from time to time, dele-
gate all or any of the powers and authorities
vested in him by the said Act unto any per-
son or persons, for any period, and subject to
any regulations, restrictions, or stipulations,
which may be specified in such Order, and
every such delegation may, from time to time,
alter or revoke: And whereas His Excel-
lency Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Go-
vernor of New Zealand, did on the eleventh
day of November, 1868, with the advice and
consent of the Executive Council of New
Zealand, delegate to the Honourable James
Alexander Bonar, Chairman of the Council
of the County of Westland, certain of the
said powers and authorities: And whereas
it is expedient to revoke the said delegation:

Now, therefore, I, Sir George Ferguson
Bowen, the Governor of New Zealand, by
and with the advice and consent of the
Executive Council of New Zealand, do
hereby revoke the delegation of the said
powers and authorities to the Honourable
James Alexander Bonar, and do hereby,
with the consent and advice as aforesaid,
delegate to

CONRAD HOOS, Esq.,

Chairman of the Council of the County of
Westland, such of the powers vested in me
as Governor of New Zealand by section
seven of the said Act as enable me to erect,
superintend, and maintain harbour marks,
buoys, lights, and beacons, within the limits
of the Ports of Okarito, Hokitika, and Grey-
mouth, or the approaches thereto, in the
County of Westland, so long as he shall con-
tinue to hold the office of Chairman of the
Council thereof, subject, however, to such
directions as may, from time to time, be
issued by the Colonial Marine Engineer as
to size, position, and colour of such harbour
marks, buoys, lights, and beacons; and do
also delegate to Conrad Hoos, Esq., the
powers vested in me by sections twelve,
thirteen, seventeen, and forty-two of the said
Act, to have and exercise the said powers
hereby delegated so long only as he shall
continue to hold the office of Chairman of the
Council of the County of Westland, and no
longer.

FORSTER GORING,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

[Extracted from the *New Zealand Gazette*,
No. 15, of the 19th March, 1869.]

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington,
this seventeenth day of March, 1869.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Marine Act, 1867,"
it is enacted that the Governor in
Council may, from time to time, make, vary,

and repeal bye-laws and regulations for regulating the packing, landing, and shipping, deposit and removal of Gunpowder and other explosive substances and compounds:

And whereas by an Order in Council, dated the twenty-fifth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, certain bye-laws and regulations for the several ports and harbours of the Colony of New Zealand were made and promulgated:

And whereas it is desirable to vary so much of the said bye-laws and regulations as relates to the packing, landing, and shipping, deposit and removal of Gunpowder, and to make the additional bye-laws herein contained:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of New Zealand, and in pursuance of the above-recited power and authority, doth hereby make the following additional bye-laws for the several ports of New Zealand, and doth order that the same shall come into operation and take effect from the date of publication hereof.

BYE-LAWS.

1. The term "Gunpowder," in the said bye-laws and regulations, shall mean gun powder in bulk, or made up in canisters or cases, or in the form of cartridges, and also shall include and mean fireworks, guncotton, nitro-glycerine, nitro-leum, or any similar preparation or compound which is used, or may be used, for blasting purposes, or which, when struck or ignited, is capable of producing a dangerous explosion; and the whole of the regulations aforesaid shall apply to gunpowder as so defined, provided the total quantity (in however small packages) shall exceed fifty pounds.

2. The regular gunpowder anchorage, referred to in the 87th clause of the said regulations, shall mean that part of any harbour or anchorage which has been, or shall have been, regularly set apart by the Superintendent, under Proclamation in the *Gazette* of the Province of which he is Superintendent, or in the case of such harbour or anchorage not being in any Province in the *New Zealand Gazette*, as a gunpowder anchorage; and the "Magazine," referred to in the 90th and 91st clauses of the said regulations, shall mean any magazine, or magazines, which have or shall have been proclaimed public magazines in manner aforesaid.

3. The limitations of regulations and definition of terms which form the first section of the above-recited harbour and quarantine regulations, shall apply to these additional regulations.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk to the Executive Council.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Shifting of the "Tranmere" Buoy, Manukau Harbour.

Marine Department,
Wellington, March 17, 1869.

NOTICE is hereby given that the "Tranmere" Shoal Buoy, Manukau Harbour, has again shifted. Mariners are warned not to place any dependence on it.

G. ELLIOT ELLIOT,
(for the Colonial Marine Engineer).

Hokitika,

31st March, 1869.

THE following Regulations under which Head Water-Race Companies may receive Guarantees from the County Council have been adopted by the Council, and are published for general information.

J. HEAWOOD,
Chief Clerk.

REGULATIONS UNDER WHICH HEAD WATER-RACE COMPANIES MAY RECEIVE GUARANTEES FROM THE COUNTY COUNCIL.

Adopted by the County Council, 22nd February, 1869.

1. That in such cases as those alluded to in these regulations, one-half the necessary capital may be guaranteed by the Council for the construction of Head Water-Races.

2. The other half of the necessary capital shall be subscribed for, and, at least, one-fourth of the subscribed capital paid up by *bonâ fide* shareholders; such money to be paid into a separate account, in the name of the Company, and some person to be appointed by the County Chairman, and not to be withdrawn, except by cheques, signed by the Manager of the Company, and the person appointed by the County Chairman, as above.

3. All money received by the Company from whatever source, shall be paid into the account of the Company, alluded to in regulation 2, and shall be subject to the restrictions contained in that section, until the capital of the Company be fully paid.

4. The Company, applying for aid to the Council, shall be composed of at least 20 persons.

5. Each Race, to be constructed under these regulations, shall carry not less than 30 Government Heads of Water.

6. Each Company, applying for a guarantee, shall be registered, or be in course of registration, under "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act, 1865."

7. Each Race, which shall be constructed under these regulations, shall be constructed and maintained under the supervision, and subject to the approval of the Mining Engineer of the County and Mining Surveyor of the district.

8. The capital of each Race Company, applying to the Council for a guarantee, shall be not less than £10,000.

9. No Company shall be guaranteed unless the race, to be constructed by it, shall be first approved by a Board, to be appointed by the Council, consisting of three of its members (not including the Chairman), the Mining Engineer of the County, and another Engineer not employed by the Government.

10. The water brought in by any Company obtaining the guarantee of the Council shall be sold to the miners at rates to be fixed by the Council in each case.

11. No Company shall receive a guarantee except on a vote of the Council.

12. In case the Council be called upon to pay any guarantee, made under, or by virtue of, these regulations; and have to pay the same, the property held by the Company, for whom the said guarantee shall be paid as aforesaid, shall become the property of the County Council and inhabitants of the County of Westland, in the same degree, and to the same extent, as the said property was held by the said Company at the time of the forfeiture of the said guarantee.

Hokitika,

9th April, 1869.

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor, by virtue of the powers vested in him by "The Weights and Measures Act, 1868," has directed that the authorised copies of the Standard Weights and Measures issued, and to be issued, under the said Act to the Inspector of Weights and Measures for the County of Westland, shall be kept in the office occupied by the Inspector of Weights and Measures, on the Government Reserve, beside the Land Office, Hokitika.

C. Hoos,

Chairman of the County Council.

WHEREAS by the twelfth section of "The Marine Act, 1867," the Governor is empowered to appoint all pilots, and to provide for the maintenance of pilot

establishments, and to regulate the duties and conduct of pilots:

And whereas, by an Order in Council, dated the third day of March, 1869, His Excellency Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Governor of New Zealand, did delegate to me, Conrad Hoos, Chairman of the County Council, the powers under sections seven, twelve, thirteen, seventeen, and forty-two of the said Act, within the County of Westland.

Now, therefore, I, Conrad Hoos, in exercise of the powers vested in me in that behalf under the twelfth section of "The Marine Act, 1867," do hereby appoint

GEORGE THOMPSON

Deputy Harbour Master, at Hokitika, to be the Pilot for the Port of Hokitika.

Given under my hand, at Hokitika, this ninth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine.

C. Hoos,

Chairman of the County Council.

WE, the undersigned, Commissioners of the Waste Lands Board of the County of Westland, under authority of a Proclamation issued by His Excellency the Governor, dated the twenty-fifth day of November, 1868, do hereby withdraw from sale the lands described in the Schedule hereto annexed.

Given under our hands, at Hokitika, this sixth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine.

G. S. SALE, Chief Commissioner.

MALCOLM FRASER,
JAS. A. BONAR,
G. WINTER, } Commissioners.

SCHEDULE.

GREY DISTRICT.

Block No. II. (First-class Rural).

Bounded on the Northward by a line thirty-two chains distant from and parallel to the Southern boundary of Reserve, No. 280, in red (Greymouth); on the West by Railway and Road Reserve, No. 6, in red; on the South by a line forty chains South of the point of intersection of Saltwater Creek with Reserve, No. 6, in red, and bearing 105° (magnetic); and on the East by a line forty chains distant from and generally parallel to the said Reserve.

Block No. XIV. (Suburban).

Bounded on the Northward by Reserve, No. 280, in red (Greymouth); on the West by the terrace along the coast for a distance of fifty chains; on the Southward by a line

at a right angle to last-mentioned boundary for a distance of four chains; and on the Eastward by a line generally four chains distant from and parallel to the Western boundary, exclusive of sections 1088, 1089.

Block No. XVI. (Suburban).

Commencing at the intersection of the Western boundary of Reserve, No. 6, in red, by the Kakawau Creek, thence Southerly along the Western boundary of said Reserve a distance of eighty-five chains, thence at a right angle to the Paroa Lagoon; and Northerly along the Lagoon to its junction with Kakawau Creek, and up the said creek to the commencing point.

ARAHURA DISTRICT.

Block No. XVII. (Suburban).

Commencing at a point on the Stafford Direct Road, the same being five chains distant from the beach, thence on a bearing of 20° (magnetic) to Waimea Creek, thence Easterly up the said creek to its intersection by Reserve, No. 7, in red, thence Southerly along the Western boundary of the said Reserve to the Stafford Direct Road, and Westerly along the said road to the commencing point.

WE, the undersigned, Commissioners of the Waste Lands Board of the County of Westland, in accordance with the provisions of section 32 of the regulations for the sale, letting, occupation, and management of the Waste Lands of the Crown in the County of Westland, do hereby proclaim that the lands described in the Schedule hereunto annexed are open for sale.

Given under our hands, at Hokitika, this sixth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine.

G. S. SALE, Chief Commissioner.

MALCOLM FRASER,
JAS. A. BONAR,
G. WINTER, } Commissioners.

SCHEDULE.

GREY DISTRICT.

Block No. XXX. (First-class Rural).

Bounded on the East, South, and West by the New River, and on the North by Card's Road.

Exclusive of gold workings.

ARAHURA DISTRICT.

Block No. XXXI. (Second-class Rural).

Bounded on the Northward by line H D; on the Eastward by the Hokitika River; on the Southward by line H O; and on the Westward by line H I.

Exclusive of gold workings.

CUSTOMS NOTICE.

THE undermentioned persons have been duly licensed to act as Custom House Agents at the Port of Hokitika for the year ending 31st March, 1870, viz.:—

Archibald Scott

William Dunbar Banks

William Waterman Dunbar

Charles Louisson

George William Sheppard;

and Alfred Palmer for the year ending 31st December, 1869.

EDWARD PATTEN,

Deputy Commissioner.

Custom House,

Hokitika, April 8, 1869.

NOTICE.—All communications for the Curator of Intestate Estates must be delivered to me, at my office, mentioned below.

No person is authorised by me to make payments, sign receipts, or do any other act in my behalf, concerning any Intestate Estate whatever.

ROBERT ABBOTT,

Curator of Intestate Estates.

Supreme Court Office,

Hokitika, April 7, 1869.

County Chairman's Office,

Hokitika, April 9, 1869.

THE Chairman of the County Council directs it to be notified that

EDWARD I. LORD

has been elected to the office of Clerk to the Kanieri Road Board, in the room of W. E. Ballantyne, resigned.

J. HEAWOOD,

Chief Clerk.

Hokitika,

7th April, 1869.

THE Chairman of the County Council directs it to be notified that

MR. JAMES MURPHY

has been duly elected to serve as a member of the Arahura Road Board, in the room of Mr. Patrick Moran, whose term of office lapses through absence.

J. HEAWOOD,

Chief Clerk.

Hokitika,

10th April, 1869.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has this day been made to me, by William Smith, Manager of the Hokitika

and Kanieri Tramway Company (Limited), for protection for the line of tramway extending from Hokitika to Kanieri; and all persons who have any objections to prefer to the granting of the above application must send such objections, in writing, to me, within twenty-one days from the date hereof.

C. Hoos,
Chairman of the County Council.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in conformity with the "Regulations under which Tramway Companies may Receive Protection from Government," passed by the County Council of the County of Westland, on the 24th day of February, 1869, I hereby make application for protection for the Hokitika and Greymouth Tramway Company's line from Hokitika to Stafford Town; and all persons, who may object to protection being granted for said line, must lodge such objections, in writing, at the County Chairman's Office within twenty-one days from this date.

JAMES MCBETH,
Chairman of the Hokitika and
Greymouth Tramway Com-
pany.

Hokitika,
7th April, 1869.

Hokitika,
13th April, 1869.

THE following persons have been appointed to maintain Ferries in the County of Westland, from the 1st April, 1869, on the terms as stated below, subject to the Conditions under which Ferries may be leased from the County Council, published in the *County of Westland Gazette*, of the 13th March, No. 6.

C. Hoos,
Chairman of the County Council.

I.—OKARITO FERRY.

JOHN JACKSON.

1. The ferry to be worked by a punt, and by boats.
2. The amount of subsidy to be £50 per annum.
3. Occupation allowed of a strip of land on the North Spit up to the Cemetery, leaving a road on the lagoon side, and giving up part or the whole when required; compensation for improvements being allowed.
4. Protection allowed on the north side of the lagoon, half a mile each way from the point at which the punt or boat starts; but no licensed boat landing passengers, or any

private boat employed by the owner for his own use, to be interfered with by the lessees, and no licensed boat shall be permitted to take up passengers on the north side of the lagoon.

5. Term of lease, five years.

6. Schedule of charges:—

	s.	d.
For a horse and rider ...	2	6
For a horse without rider...	2	0
For every passenger ...	1	0
For sheep, per head ...	0	3
For goods, per cwt. ...	1	0
Expenses of funerals to be defrayed by Government	5	0

7. Police and prisoners, and Government Officers, on duty, free of charge.

II.—WAITANGI AND WAITOTARA.

ROBERT BAKER.

1. The ferry to be worked by boat.
 2. The amount of subsidy to be £50 per annum.
 3. The occupation allowed of 25 acres of land on north bank.
 4. Protection allowed on both sides of the river for half a mile each way, from the point at which boat starts.
 5. Term of lease, five years.
 6. Schedule of charges:—
- | | s. | d. |
|--|----|----|
| For every horse, with or without rider ... | 3 | 0 |
| For every passenger ... | 2 | 0 |
7. Police and prisoners, and Government Officers, on duty, free of charge.

III.—SALTWATER.

JOHN ALLEN.

1. The same as in No. 2.
 2. The same as in No. 2.
 3. The occupation allowed of 25 acres of land, behind the Maori Reserve, on north bank.
 4. Protection allowed on both sides of the river for half a mile each way, from the point where the boat starts, except for horsemen when fordable.
 5. Same as in No. 2.
 6. Schedule of charges:—
- | | s. | d. |
|-----------------------------|----|----|
| For horse and rider ... | 2 | 6 |
| For horse without rider ... | 2 | 0 |
| For passengers ... | 1 | 0 |
7. Same as in No. 2.

IV.—LITTLE WANGANUI.

CHRISTOPHER STEETS.

1. Same as in No. 2.
 2. The amount of subsidy to be £100 per annum.
 3. Occupation allowed of 25 acres of land, more or less.
 4. Same as in No. 3.
 5. Same as in No. 2.
 6. Schedule of charges:—
- | | s. | d. |
|-----------------------------|----|----|
| For horse with rider ... | 3 | 0 |
| For horse without rider ... | 2 | 0 |
| For passengers ... | 1 | 0 |
7. Same as in No. 2.

V.—WANGANUI.

WILLIAM BELL.

1. Same as in No. 2.
 2. Same as in No. 2.
 3. Occupation allowed of 25 acres of land, more or less, on north side of river.
 4. Same as in No. 2.
 5. Same as in No. 2.
 6. Schedule of charges:—
- | | s. | d. |
|-----------------------------------|----|----|
| For every horse with rider ... | 5 | 0 |
| For every horse without rider ... | 3 | 0 |
| For every passenger ... | 2 | 0 |
7. Same as No. 2.

VI.—WAITA.

JOHN ALLEN.

1. Same as in No. 2.
2. Same as in No. 2.
3. Same as in No. 3.
4. Same as in No. 3.
5. Same as in No. 3.
6. Schedule of charges:—

	s.	d.
For every horse with rider ...	4	0
For every horse without rider ...	3	0
For every passenger ...	2	0

7. Same as in No. 2.

VII.—MIKONUI.

DANIEL REEDY.

1. Same as in No. 2.
2. The amount of subsidy to be £20 per annum.
3. Occupation allowed of 25 acres of land, more or less, on south bank of river.
4. Same as in No. 3.

5. Same as in No. 3.

6. Schedule of charges:—

	s.	d.
For every horse with rider ...	2	0
For every horse without rider ...	1	0
For every passenger ...	0	6

7. Same as in No. 2.

VIII.—TOTARA.

MOLE AND CASHMORE.

1. The ferry to be worked by a punt and boat.
2. Protection granted for six months from 1st April, 1869.
3. Schedule of charges:—

	s.	d.
Passengers, each ...	1	0
Horse and rider ...	2	0
Dray or waggon, one horse ...	2	6
Each additional horse ...	0	9
Coach or conveyance, carrying passengers, one horse ...	2	6
Each additional horse ...	0	6
Private vehicles, one horse ...	2	6
Each additional horse ...	1	0
Pack horses, each ...	1	6
Horses and cattle, driven, each ...	0	9
Sheep, goats, and pigs, each ...	0	1½

Government Officers, on duty, Officers of Police, and Prisoners, free.

IX.—WAIHO.

HANS MOMM.

1. The ferry to be worked by a boat.
2. The amount of subsidy to be £50 per annum.
- 3, 4, and 5. Same as in No. 2.
6. Schedule of charges:—

	s.	d.
For every horse, with or without rider ...	3	0
For every passenger ...	2	0

7. Same as in No. 2.

X.—COOK'S RIVER.

JOHN HUNTER.

1. The subsidy to be £75 per annum.
- Other terms the same as in No. 9.

XI.—TEREMAKAU (LOWER FERRY).

CHARLES B. MONTAGUE.

1. The ferry to be worked by a boat.
2. The amount of subsidy to be £25 per annum.

3, 4, and 5. The same as in No. 2.

6. Schedule of charges :—

	s.	d.
For each horse	3	0
For each passenger	1	0

7. Same as in No. 2.

XII.—TEREMAKAU (UPPER FERRY).

G. HUGHES.

1. The ferry to be worked by a boat.

2. Schedule of charges :—

	s.	d.
Horses, each	2	6
Passengers, each	1	0

3. Protection allowed for twelve months.

4. Government Officers, on duty, Officers of Police, and Prisoners, free.

County Chairman's Office,
Hokitika, 13th April, 1869.

THE following gentlemen have been appointed by the Chairman of the County Council to form local School Committees, for the several districts specified, in accordance with the resolutions of the County Council.

J. HEAWOOD,
Chief Clerk.

HOKITIKA.

G. W. Harvey.
George Winter.
Hon. J. A. Bonar.
Archibald Scott.
John Cosgrave.
Charles Louisson.

GREYMOOUTH.

I. G. Thomas.
W. Glenn.
John Keogh.
J. W. Parkinson.
R. DeCosta.

ROSS.

Joshua Gibson.
Charles Nyulasy.
J. Lewis.
Colin Campbell.
D. Davidson.

STAFFORD.

J. M. Proctor.
Denis Hannan.
Carl Schulthers.
Sinclair M. George.
James N. Owen.

GOLDSBOROUGH.

William Morris.
John Molloy.
M. Deveraux.
John McWhirter.
John McBeth.

KANIERI.

Thomas Learmont.
H. L. Robinson.
Andrew Cumming.
John M. Ryan.
Andrew Roby Bloxam.

OKARITO.

Matthew Price.
Edward Tizard.
Richard Canavan.
Frank Birch.
Thomas Pratt.

County Chairman's Office,
Hokitika, 12th April, 1869.

THE Chairman of the County Council directs it to be notified that Detective Richard Dyer has been transferred from the Police Force, and has been appointed to be a Warder at the Hokitika Gaol, in the room of Patrick Hendrick, transferred to the Police Force.

J. HEAWOOD,
Chief Clerk.

Hokitika, 7th April, 1869.

THE following tenders have been conditionally accepted for public works and buildings for the Government of the County of Westland during the period ending 30th June, 1869 :—

I.—GOLDSBOROUGH & TEREMAKAU ROAD.

	Per Chain.
Sections 1 and 2, Samuel Carr ...	£6 18 0
" 5, W. F. Manning ...	6 0 0
" 6, W. F. Manning ...	6 10 0
" 7, John Guèrin ...	7 9 0
" 8, John Guèrin ...	7 17 0
" 9, Greville and O'Connor ...	8 10 0
" 11, H. Paterson ...	5 19 0
" 12, H. Paterson ...	4 19 0
" 15, Patrick Griffin ...	6 12 0
" 16, Anthony Power ...	6 7 0

II.—STAFFORD AND GOLDSBOROUGH ROAD. Section 1, Robert Hull, at £6 10s. per chain.

III.—COVERING ROOF OF GOVERNMENT HOUSE WITH IRON.

T. H. Ker £98 9s.

J. HEAWOOD,
Chief Clerk.

Hokitika,

7th April, 1869.

THE following tenders have been conditionally accepted for supplies to the Hokitika Hospital and the County Gaol for the quarter ending 30th June, 1869:—

I.—HOKITIKA HOSPITAL.

(1.) Groceries—*Alfred Cleve.*

Tea, 2s., 2s. 5d., 2s. 3d., per lb.; Sugar, 6d., 5½d.; Coffee, fresh roasted and ground, 1s. 6d. per lb. of 16 ozs., in tins, 1s. 3d.; Flour—(Hart's, Adelaide), 10s. 6d. per 50lb.-bag, 40s. per 200lb.-bag; Provincial, 8s. 6d. per 50lb. bag; Rice—Carolina, 3d. per lb., Java, 4d. per lb., Patna, 3½d. per lb.; Biscuits—from 4d. per lb. upwards, according to description required; Arrowroot, 8d. per lb.; Sago (pearl), 5d. per lb.; Tapioca (genuine), 1s. per lb.; Barley (pearl), 3½d. per lb.; Oatmeal (fresh colonial), 3d. per lb.; Butter (best Wellington or Christchurch), 1s. 2d. per lb.; Potatoes, 1d. per lb.; Soap (Hobson's Bay, No. 2), 35s. per 112 lbs., Household, 30s. per 112 lbs., Soft, 1s. 6d. per lb.; Soda (Crystals), 2½d. per lb.; Kerosine (De Voe's or Cousen's), 3s. 6d. per gallon, other brands, 3s. 3d. per gallon; Candles, 1s. 1½d. per lb.; Matches, 3s. per doz.; Salt, 1½d. per lb.; Vinegar (Champion's best), 3s. 3d. per gallon; Pepper—White (16 ozs. to the lb.), 1s. 3d. per lb., White (in tins), 1s. per lb., Black (16 ozs. to the lb.), 1s. per lb., Black (in tins), 9d. per lb.; Mustard (full weight), 1s. per lb.; Onions, 2d. per lb.; Ham (Coey's new cure), 1s. 6d. per lb., Sinclair's, 1s. 4d. per lb., other brands, 1s. 3d. per lb.

(2.) Wines and Spirits—*A. Cleve.*

Martell's Brandy, 52s. per case; Port, 28s. per doz.; Sherry, 28s. per doz.; Ale, 12s. per doz.; Stout, 14s. per doz.; Geneva, 56s. per case.

(3.) Bread—*D. Potter.*—7½d. per 4lb. loaf.(4.) Milk—*D. Cochrane.*—4d. per pint.(5.) Meat—*R. Campbell.*—5d. per lb.(6.) Drugs, on emergency—*J. Williams.*

II. GAOL.

(1.) Rations—*James Linton.*

No. 1 Ration, Male, 9½d., Female, 7d.
No. 2 " " 7d., " 6½d.
No. 3 " 4d.
No. 4 " 7½d.
No. 5 " 8d.

(2.) Extras—*A. Cleve.*

Tobacco, 5s. per lb.; Candles, 1s. 3d. per lb.; Arrowroot, 9d. per lb.; Sago, 6d. per lb.; Rice, 4d. per lb.; Sugar, 5½d. per lb.; Tea, 2s. 6d. per lb.; Butter, 1s. 2d., by the

keg; Mustard, 1s. per lb.; Washing Soda, 2½d. per lb.; Whiting, 3d. per lb.; Bread, 2½d. per lb.; Kerosine, 3s. 6d. per gallon; Colza Oil, 8s. per gallon; Brandy, per bottle, 4s.; Gin, per bottle, 4s. 6d.; Port Wine, per bottle, 3s. 6d.; Sherry, per bottle, 3s. 6d.; Porter, per bottle, 1s. 3d.

J. HEAWOOD,

Chief Clerk.

County Chairman's Office,

Hokitika, April 12, 1869.

THE following Regulations of the Council of the Borough of Hokitika have been forwarded to the Chairman of the County Council, who directs it to be notified that he does not dissent from them. They are published for general information, under the 191st clause of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1867."

J. HEAWOOD,

Chief Clerk.

REGULATIONS OF THE COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF HOKITIKA MADE UNDER SCHEDULE XIII., IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 192, OF THE MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS ACT, 1867.

The Council of the Borough of Hokitika make the following Regulations, under the ninth subdivision of the first part of schedule thirteen: That is to say—

OBSTRUCTIONS, ETC., TO STREETS, ETC., BY CATTLE, ETC.

It shall not be lawful to drive into, or through, the Borough of Hokitika, or any part thereof, any cattle intended for sale, slaughter, or shipment, or travelling from one part of New Zealand to any other place, unless it be between the hours of seven o'clock at night and eight of the clock in the morning.

Under the first subdivision of the eighth part of schedule thirteen: That is to say—

NUISANCES OF VARIOUS KINDS.

It shall not be lawful to keep any swine within that portion of the Borough of Hokitika bounded by FitzHerbert Street on the East, the Town Belt on the North, by the Hokitika River on the South, and by the Ocean Beach on the West.

That portion of the Borough bounded on the East by Jollie Street, on the North by Weld Street, on the South by the Hokitika River, on the West by FitzHerbert Street, and in no other part of the Borough within one hundred feet of any dwelling.

REMOVING NIGHTSOIL, ETC.

It shall not be lawful for any person to empty any privy, or load, carry, remove, or deposit, any nightsoil, offal, or other offensive refuse or matter, save between the hours of twelve of the clock at night and five of the clock in the morning, or to deposit the same in any other place than the Manure Depôt. Commencing at a point on the Western boundary of Reserve, No. 8, in red, (Railway and Road Reserve), the same being one chain distant from the Northernmost boundary of Reserve, No. 455, in red; thence along the said boundary a distance of 400 links; thence Westerly at an angle of 81° a distance of 503 links; thence Southerly at an angle of 99° a distance of 400 links; thence returning Easterly a distance of 495 links to the commencing point.

Under the second subdivision of the tenth part of the thirteenth schedule of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1867:" That is to say—

CARTS AND CARTERS.

Every cart, woodcart, and watercart, plying for hire, shall be licensed; and any carter, or other person, applying for such license, shall pay to the Town Clerk the sum of twenty shillings annually for its renewal in every succeeding twelve calendar months.

Passed by the Council of the Borough of Hokitika, this twelfth day of March, 1869.

E. PROSSER,
Mayor.

JNO. LAZAR,
Town Clerk.

IN pursuance of the powers vested in me, and in compliance with Clause 331 of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1867," I hereby appoint

JOHN ARTHUR WHALL, ESQ.,
to be a Fire Inspector for the Borough of Greymouth, and to exercise all the powers contained in Clause 332 of the said Act.

Given under my hand, at Greymouth, this twenty-sixth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine.

E. MASTERS,
Mayor.

County Chairman's Office,
Hokitika, 12th April, 1869.

THE following Regulations of the Council of the Borough of Greymouth have been forwarded to the Chairman of the County Council, who directs it to be notified

that he does not dissent from them. They are published for general information, under the 191st Clause of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1867."

J. HEAWOOD,
Chief Clerk.

REGULATIONS OF THE COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF GREYMOUTH, MADE UNDER SECTION TWO OF PART THREE OF THE THIRTEENTH SCHEDULE OF "THE MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS ACT, 1867 AND 1868."

The Council of the Borough of Greymouth make the following Regulations: That is to say—

1st. That all coals shall be landed on a portion of the Wharf to be specially leased for that purpose.

2nd. That the Wharfage Rates to be paid in respect of all goods, wares, or merchandise landed or shipped, or deposited upon or from any Wharf, Pier, Jetty, or Quays, within the limits of the Borough of Greymouth, shall be as follows:—

- Bran, one shilling per 60 bushels
- Bricks, three shillings per thousand
- Carrots, one shilling per 2240 lbs.
- Coals to be landed on a wharf specially leased for the purpose
- Chaff, two shillings per 2240 lbs.
- Cattle, two shillings and sixpence per head
- Dairy Produce, Bacon, Beef, &c., one shilling per 2240 lbs.
- Flour, one shilling per 2000 lbs.
- Fruit (green), one shilling and sixpence per ton measurement
- Grain, one shilling per 40 bushels
- Horses, two shillings and sixpence each
- Lime, one shilling per 2240 lbs.
- Machinery, one shilling per 2240 lbs.
- Mangold Wurtzel, one shilling per 2240 lbs.
- Onions, one shilling per 2240 lbs.
- Potatoes, one shilling per 2240 lbs.
- Poultry, free
- Palings, two shillings per thousand
- Sawn Timber, threepence per 100 superficial feet
- Shingles, sixpence per thousand
- Sheep and Pigs, twopence each
- Slates, three shillings per thousand
- Turnips, one shilling per 2240 lbs.
- Vehicles (two-wheeled), two shillings and sixpence each

Vehicles (four-wheeled), five shillings each

All other goods, one shilling and sixpence per ton.

3rd. On all goods landed at the Transit Shed, and left there for a longer period than twenty-four hours, shall be paid for every week, or part of a week, a rent of two shillings per ton, or part of a ton.

4th. On all goods landed, or taken to the Transit Shed, to be stored, shall be paid for receiving one shilling and sixpence per ton, or part of a ton; and one shilling and sixpence per ton, or part of a ton, shall be paid for delivery; and two shillings per ton per week shall be paid for every week, or part of a week, for goods so stored.

5th. All bonded goods shall be landed at such points as the Collector of Customs, for

the time being, shall, from time to time, by writing appoint.

6th. All free goods may be landed at any part of Mawhera and Richmond Quays.

7th. All goods shall be landed between the hours of eight o'clock A.M. and six o'clock P.M., during the months from October to March (inclusive); and from eight o'clock A.M. till five o'clock P.M., during the months from April to September, or at such other times according to the Customs Regulations, or within such longer period as the Mayor may, on application, grant.

Passed by the said Council, this the twenty-second day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine.

E. MASTERS,
Mayor.

THE following Reserves have been made by the Governor, under clause 16 of the Waste Lands Regulations.

G. S. SALE, Commissioner of Crown Lands.

13th April, 1869.

No. in Red.	Quantity, more or less.	Date of Reservation by the Waste Lands Board.	Date of Reservation by the Governor.	Description.	Purpose.
47	A. R. P. 3 2 15	1868 3rd Nov.	1868 26th Nov.	Situate in the Town of Greymouth, bounded on the Northward by Marlborough Street, on the Eastward by Road and Railway Reserve, on the Southward by University Street, and on the Westward by the Water Walk.	Site for Hospital.
48	4 0 30	"	"	Situate in the Town of Greymouth, bounded on the Northward by Sections 403 and 404, on the Eastward and Southward by Shakespeare Street and the Road and Railway Reserve, and on the Westward by High Street.	Railway.
49	1 0 10	"	"	Situate in the Town of Greymouth, bounded on the Northward and Eastward by Marlborough Street and Section 341, on the Southward by Sections 337, 339, and 341, and on the Westward by Road and Railway Reserve.	Municipal.
50	9 1 36	"	"	Situate in the Town of Greymouth, bounded on the Northward by Chesterfield Street, on the Eastward by Road and Railway Reserve, on the Southward by Town Belt, and on the Westward by the Road along the Coast.	Cemetery.
51	65 0 0	"	"	Situate in the Town of Greymouth, bounded on the Northward by Reserve, No. 705 (in red), and a line in continuation of its Southward boundary, and also by Native Reserve, No. 32, on the Eastward by Erua Moana Karoro Lake, Water Walk, and the Road along the Coast, on the Southward by the Southern boundary of the Town, and on the Westward by the Sea Coast. Exclusive of all Reserves within these boundaries.	Municipal.

THE following Return of Agricultural Statistics of the County of Westland, in February, 1869, is published for general information.
 Registrar General's Office, Wellington, 15th March, 1869.

ACCOUNT OF LAND IN CULTIVATION AND OF THE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE THEREOF, IN NEW ZEALAND, FEBRUARY, 1869.

(Taken under the authority of "The Census Acts Amendment Act, 1867.")

SUPERINTENDENT COLLECTOR'S RETURN.—COUNTY OF WESTLAND.

ELECTORAL DISTRICTS.	Extent of Land broken up, but not under Crop. Acres.	IN WHEAT.		IN OATS.		IN BARLEY.		IN HAY.		In permanent Artificial Grass (including land in hay in previous column). Acres.	IN POTATOES.		IN OTHER CROPS. Acres.
		Acres.	Estimated Gross Produce (in bushels).	Acres.	Estimated Gross Produce (in bushels).	Acres.	Estimated Gross Produce (in bushels).	Acres.	Estimated Gross Produce (in tons).		Acres.	Estimated Gross Produce (in tons).	
WESTLAND SOUTH ...	93	..	..	25	1136	1	20	51	82	362	171	982	84
WESTLAND BOROUGH ...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	10	27	7	28	15
GENERAL TOTALS FOR COUNTY	93	..	..	25	1136	1	20	55	92	379	178	1010	99

I certify that the above is a correct compilation from the original Returns.
 T. BROOKMAN, Superintendent Collector.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND.

WESTLAND DISTRICT.

Levy Execution Creditor *v.* Doyle Execution Debtor.

Judgment—18th November, 1868.

Levy Execution Creditor *v.* Doyle Execution Debtor.

Judgment—20th November, 1868.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is my intention to cause all that parcel of land in the County of Westland, New Zealand, situate and fronting on Johnston Street, Greymouth, being parts of Sections 56 and 57 on the map of the Chief Surveyor of the Province of Canterbury, setting out and describing the Town of Greymouth aforesaid, commencing at a point on the Eastern boundary of Section 57 seventeen feet from the South-East corner thereof, thence Northerly along the Eastern boundary of Sections 57 and 56 a distance of thirty feet, and extending back Westerly in a rectangular block sixty-six feet to the Western boundary of the said sections. To be sold after the expiration of Three Calendar Months from this date, unless the above Judgment debts be sooner paid. And the nature of the Estate or interest of the Execution Debtor in such lands intended to be sold is Freehold: And further that such lands, or the Estate or interest of the said Execution Debtor therein, have been taken in execution at the suit of the said Execution Creditor. The time and place fixed for such intended sale is Monday, the twenty-fourth day of May, 1869, at 12 o'clock noon, at the Auction Room of G. W. Binney, of Wharf Street, at HOKITIKA, in the County of Westland; and Gerard George FitzGerald is the name of the Sheriff under whose authority such sale is advertised; and the name and address of the Solicitor for the Execution Creditor is Arthur Robert Guinness, of Albert Street, Greymouth aforesaid, whose agent at Hokitika aforesaid is Samuel Munckly South, Solicitor, Hamilton Street, Hokitika aforesaid.

Dated this fifteenth day of February,
 A.D. 1869.

G. G. FITZGERALD,
 Sheriff.

COUNTY OF WESTLAND CONSTABULARY FORCE.

RETURN OF, ALL SUDDEN AND ACCIDENTAL DEATHS REPORTED TO THE WESTLAND POLICE FORCE FROM THE YEAR 1864 TO 1868, BOTH INCLUSIVE.

Year.	Deaths from Drowning.		Deaths from Accidents in Mines.		Deaths from Committing Suicide.		Deaths from other Causes than the Foregoing.		TOTAL.		REMARKS.
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	
1864	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	Nil. { Five persons drowned, the bodies not found. { Nine persons found drowned, the bodies not identifiable. { Three persons drowned, the bodies not found. { Six persons found drowned, the bodies not identifiable. { Two persons drowned, the bodies not found. { Two persons found drowned, the bodies not identifiable. { One person drowned, the body not found. { One person found drowned, the body not identifiable.
1865	71	0	4	0	0	0	16	0	91	0	
1866	41	0	6	0	5	1	33	3	85	4	
1867	30	1	12	0	2	0	19	2	63	3	
1868	32	2	3	0	3	1	34	6	72	9	
Total -	180	3	25	0	10	2	102	11	317	16	

T. BROHAM, Inspector of Police.

RETURN AND DISPOSAL OF PRISONERS TAKEN INTO CUSTODY BY THE WESTLAND POLICE FORCE DURING THE YEAR, 1867.

OFFENCES.	Taken into Custody.		Discharged by the Magistrate.		Summarily Convicted or held to Bail.		Committed for Trial.		Convicted and Sentenced.		Acquitted.		Not Prosecuted.		REMARKS.	
	M & F	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.		F.
Murder	1	1														
Murder, attempt to	1	1						1		1						
Manslaughter	1	1						1		1						
Sodomy	1	1						1				1				
Assault, with intent to commit a rape	3	3						3		2		1				
Carnally knowing a girl under 10 years' age	2	2						2		1		1				
Assaults, inflicting bodily harm	4	4						1		1						
Assaults, common	35	32	3	2	2	30	1									
Assaults on Police	59	57	2	3	2	54										
Obstructing Police Constables on duty	26	26		1		26										
Attempt to commit suicide	3	2	1	2	1											
Burglary	4	4		1				3		1		2				
Breaking into dwelling, stealing therefrom	3	3		1				2		2						
Robbery	2	2		1				1		1						
Horse Stealing	1	1		1				2		2		2				
Sheep Stealing	5	5		3				2		9		2		3	1	a One Remanded to New South Wales.
Larceny	142	120	22	34	16	67	7	19	5	6	2	9				
Embezzlement	7	7						7a		5		1				
Receiving stolen property	3	2	1	1	1	1										
Dog Stealing	1	1		1												
Arson	1	1		1												
Wilful damage	70	66	4	11	3	54	1	1		1						b One remanded to Victoria.
Forgery, and uttering forged instruments	8	8		2				6b		4		1				
Contempt of Court	23	16	7	11	6	5	1									
Crown Lands, illegal occupation of, and cutting timber on	3	3				3										
Deserting their families	13	13		4		9										
Disorderly characters	36	30	6	7	1	23	5									
Drunk and disorderly characters	299	287	12	28	2	269	12									
Drunkenness	386	366	20	42	2	324	18									
Furious driving	2	2				2										
Indecently exposing the person	28	28		2		26										
Lunacy	49	42	7	19	4	23	3									
Distillation Act, breach of	5	5				5										
Passengers Act, breach of	8	8		1		7										
Wines, Beer, and Spirits Sale Statutes	10	9	1		1	9										
Nuisance	3	3				3										
Obscene language	14	13	1			13	1									
Perjury and subordination of perjury	5	5				5		5		2		3				
Riots, breaches of peace, Pound breach, &c.	58	54	4	4	1	50	3									
Smuggling	3	3				3										
Threatening Language	16	15	1			15	1									
Vagrancy	51	44	7	18	2	26	5									
Shipping Act	2	2		1		1										
Obtaining money under false pretences	3	3						3c		2						c One remanded to New South Wales.
	1400	1301	99	204	36	1038	58	58	5	33	2	21	3	1	0	

T. BROHAM, Inspector of Police.

Police Department, Inspector's Office, Hokitika, 7th April, 1869

RETURN AND DISPOSAL OF PRISONERS TAKEN INTO CUSTODY BY THE WESTLAND POLICE FORCE DURING
THE YEAR, 1868.

OFFENCES.	Taken into Custody.			Discharged by the Magistrate.		Summarily Convicted or held to Bail.		Committed for Trial.		Convicted and Sentenced.		Acquitted.		Not Prosecuted.		REMARKS.
	M&F	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	
Manslaughter -	1	1						1				1				
Indecent assault -	1	1		1												
Assaults, inflicting bodily harm -	4	3	1	2				1	1		1	1				
Assaults, common -	32	30	2	4			24	2							2	
Assaults on Police -	20	20					20									
Obstructing Police Constables on duty -	11	11		1			10									
Burglary -	5	5		2					3		3					
Robbery -	2	2		1					1		1					
Sheep Stealing -	6	6		4			1		1		1		1			
Larceny -	112	99	13	28	10		60	3	10		8					
Embezzlement -	90	9		7					1							
Arson -	1		1		1											
Wilful damage, &c. -	48	43	5	8			31	5	2		2		1		1	
Forgery, and uttering forged instruments -	1	1							1		1					
Contempt of Court -	20	20		3			17									
Deserting their families -	9	9		7			2									
Disorderly characters -	9	8	1	1			7									
Disorderly prostitutes -	8				3											
Drunk and disorderly characters -	320	296	24	6			290	24								
Drunkenness -	332	315	17	3	1		311	16							1	
Indecently exposing the person -	18	18					18									
Lunacy -	26	23	3	7			16	3								
Breach of the Distillation Act -	4	4					4									
Obscene language -	30	21	9				21	9								
Riots -	7	7							7		7					
Breaches of the Peace -	71	70	1	4	1		66									
Libels -	1	1		1												
Seditious Libel -	2	2							2		2					
Threatening Language -	9	6	3	1	1		4	1						1	1	
Vagrancy -	32	23	9	6	3		17	6								
Obtaining money by false pretences -	11	11		5			2		4		1				1	
Escaping from legal custody -	2	2					2						2			
Stabbing & wounding, with intent to maim -	1	1							1				1			
Attempt to commit suicide -	4	2	2		1				2	1			2			
Aggravated assault on a child under 14 years of age -	1	1					1									
Negligence causing death -	2	2											2 ^d			
Conspiring to defraud their creditors -	2	2							2		1 ^e		2 ^d			
Smuggling -	1	1					1									
Neglected and Criminal Children Act -	1		1		1											
Gambling -	3	3	1												2	
Wilfully destroying a public thoroughfare -	2	2					2									
Absconding from their bail -	1	1					1									
Demanding sureties to keep the peace -	3	3		1												
Depositing rubbish on public thoroughfare -	1	1					1									
Default of penalty -	9	9					9									
Horse-stealing -	1	1		1												
Concealing birth of child -	1		1													
Assault, with intent to commit a rape -	1	1							1	1			1			
Perjury -	4	2	2						1	2		1				
Disobeying orders on board ship -	7	7		6			1					1	1			
Violent assault -	11	11		1			10									
Breaches of the Gold Fields Regulations -	4	4					4									
Threatening to Shoot -	1	1							1				1			
Abusive and insulting language -	3	3					3									
	1228	1125	103	113	22		958	75	42	5	27	3	16	2	8	1

T. BROHAM,
Inspector of Police.

Police Department, Inspector's Office,
Hokitika, 7th April, 1869

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