



THE COUNTY OF  
**WESTLAND GAZETTE.**

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HOKITIKA, MONDAY, JANUARY 8, 1872.

PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, by the twenty-ninth section of "The Gold Fields Act, 1866," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, in the name and on behalf of Her Majesty, to demise for mining purposes, to any person, for any term not exceeding fifteen years from the making of the lease, any auriferous Crown Lands not exceeding ten acres in the whole of alluvial ground, or an area of 400 yards by 200 yards on a quartz reef, and to grant sites for machinery and any necessary easements for the purposes aforesaid, subject nevertheless, to the conditions or provisions in the said section contained:

And whereas, by the one hundred and ninth section of the said Act, it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, under his hand and the public seal of the Colony, from time to time, to delegate to such person as the Governor may think fit all or any of the powers vested in the Governor by the said Act, except the powers conferred by sections twenty-two, forty, forty-eight, sixty, ninety-six, and one hundred and seven thereof, subject or not to any limitations or restrictions as he may think fit:

And whereas, His Excellency Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Governor of New Zea-

land, did, on the twenty-seventh day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony, delegate unto me, Henry Hermann Lahman, Chairman of the County Council of Westland, all the powers vested in him by the twenty-ninth section of "The Gold Fields Act, 1866:"

Now therefore, I, Henry Hermann Lahman, Chairman of the County Council of Westland, in exercise of the powers vested in me in that behalf, do hereby give notice that on the twentieth day of January one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, I intend to demise to the person named in the schedule hereto annexed certain auriferous Crown Lands containing quartz lodes or veins for the terms specified in the said schedule.

This lease to date from 6th December, 1871.

Given under my hand, at Hokitika, this third day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two.

H. H. LAHMAN

NAME.	AREA.	SITUATION.	TERM OF LEASE.
William Arthur Knapman.	10 Acres	Kelly's Hill Taipo River	Fifteen Years

ERRATUM.—In COUNTY OF WESTLAND GAZETTE, No. 26, of the 20th December, 1871, in the protection granted to Aldrich Boyle and Co., for the Arahura Bridge, the first condition should read—"The protection to be for one year, and to date from the 20th December, 1871."

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And whereas, by the one hundred and ninth section of the said Act, it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, under his hand and the public seal of the Colony, from time to time, to delegate to such person as the Governor may think fit all or any of the powers vested in the Governor by the said Act, except the powers conferred by sections twenty-two, forty, forty-eight, sixty, ninety-six, and one hundred and seven thereof, subject or not to any limitations or restrictions as he may think fit:

And whereas, His Excellency Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Governor of New Zealand, did, on the twenty-seventh day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony, delegate unto me, Henry Hermann Lahman, Chairman of the County Council of Westland, all the powers vested in him by the twenty-ninth section of "The Gold Fields Act, 1866":

Now therefore, I, Henry Hermann Lahman, Chairman of the County Council of Westland, in exercise of the powers vested in me in that behalf, do hereby give notice that on the twentieth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, I intend to demise to the persons named in the schedule hereto annexed certain auriferous Crown Lands of alluvial ground for the term specified in the said schedule.

Given under my hand, at Hokitika, this third day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two.

H. H. LAHMAN.

Name.	Area.	Situation.	Term of Lease
Houlahan & party	One Acre	Houlahan's Flat, Waimea District	Five Years.

"THE LAND TRANSFER ACT, 1870."

LAND BROKER'S LICENSE.

IN pursuance of the power for this purpose vested in me under "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," I, William Sefton Moorhouse, Esq., Registrar-General of Land under the said Act, do hereby, with the sanction of His Excellency the Governor, license

GEORGE SAMUEL WEMYSS DALRYMPLE to be a Land Broker for transacting business under the provisions of the said Act.

Dated at Wellington this twenty-second day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

W. S. MOORHOUSE,  
Registrar-General of Land.

County Chairman's Office,  
Hokitika, January 3, 1872.

IT is hereby notified for general information that

EDWARD BURTON FOX, Esq., has been declared duly elected as a Member of the County Council for the Greymouth Electoral District, in the room of Frank Guinness, Esq., resigned.

A. E. TENNANT,  
Secretary of the Council.

Hokitika, 29th December, 1871.

IT is hereby notified for general information that

HENRY JOHN EDWARDS, Esq., has been appointed Clerk to the Lunatic Asylum on the Hospital Reserve.

H. H. LAHMAN,  
Governor's Delegate.

STATEMENT of the affairs of "The Shenandoah Gold Mining Company, Registered," in accordance with Section thirteen of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act, Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of company—"The Shenandoah Gold Mining Company, Registered."

When formed—16th September, 1870.

Date of registration—21st September, 1870.

Where business is conducted and name of Legal Manager—Shenandoah Flat, Kanjeri, Westland; Ambrose Creber.

Nominal capital — One thousand eight hundred and thirty-six pounds (£1836).

Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders—Six hundred pounds (£600).

Number of shares in which capital is divided—Thirty-six.

Amount of calls made—One thousand eight hundred and thirty-six pounds (£1836).

Total amount of subscribed capital paid-up—One thousand eight hundred and twenty-eight pounds (£1828).

Number of shareholders at time of registration—Twelve.

Amount of cash in hand—None.

Whether in operation or not—In operation.

Total amount of dividends declared—Thirty-six pounds (£36).

Number of shares unallotted—None.

AMBROSE CREBER,  
Manager.

December 30, 1871.

STATEMENT of the affairs of "The Caledonian Water Race and Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ending 1st December, 1871, in accordance with Section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of company—"Caledonian Water Race and Gold Mining Company, Registered."

When formed and date of Registration—Formed, 1st July, 1868; Registered, 4th August, 1869.

Where business is conducted and name of Legal Manager—Hokitika, and German Gully, Arahura: John Prentice.

Nominal capital—Six thousand eight hundred pounds sterling (£6800).

Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders—None.

Number of shares in which capital is divided—One hundred and seventy shares of forty pounds each.

Number of shares taken—One hundred and sixty.

Amount of calls made—Four thousand seven hundred and thirty-two pounds sterling (£4732).

Total amount of subscribed capital paid-up—Four thousand five hundred and thirty-seven pounds sterling (£4537).

Number of shareholders at time of registration of company—Eleven.

Amount of cash in hand—Eight pounds seventeen shillings and eightpence sterling (£8 17s. 8d.)

Whether in operation or not—Yes.

Total amount of dividend declared—None.

Number of shares unallotted—Ten.

JOHN PRENTICE,  
Legal Manager.

STATEMENT of the affairs of "The Morning Star Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ending 1st December, 1871, in accordance with Section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of company—"Morning Star Gold Mining Company, Registered."

When formed and date of registration—September 24, 1866; August 16, 1867.

Where business is conducted and name of Legal Manager—Ross; Henry Andrew Gordon.

Nominal capital—Sixteen thousand pounds (£16,000).

Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders—Eight thousand pounds (£8000).

Number of shares in which capital is divided—Four hundred and eighty.

Number of shares taken—Four hundred and seventy-two.

Amount of calls made—Five thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine pounds ten shillings (£5889 10s).

Total amount of subscribed capital paid-up—Five thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine pounds five shillings (£5889 5s.)

Number of shareholders at time of registration of company—Sixteen.

Amount of cash in hand—One hundred and ninety pounds twelve shillings and eight pence (£190 12s. 8d.)

Whether in operation or not—In operation.

Total amount of dividends declared—Two thousand eight hundred and eighty pounds (£2880).

Number of shares unallotted—Eight.

HENRY A. GORDON,  
Manager.

December 26, 1871.

**P**ARTICULARS of the Estates of Deceased Persons which have been placed under the charge of James Mcacham Batham, Esq.,  
Curator of the Estates of Deceased Persons, during the month of December, 1871.

No.	Name of Deceased.	Colonial Residence.	Supposed British or Foreign Residence.	Date of Rule or Order.	Value or estimated value of Personal Estate.	Time of Deceased's Death.	Remarks.
1	Russell, Annie.	Greymouth.	Roscommon, Ireland	None required.	£ s. d. 1 5 0	25th October, 1871.	
2	Heffernan, Patrick.	Greenstone Creek	Limerick, Ireland.	do.	.....	14th November, 1871.	Estate under £10 left in hands of brother who paid funeral expenses.
3	Daley or Daly, Thomas.	Ahaura.	Unknown.	None obtained.	.....	14th November, 1871.	Value of estate not yet ascertained.
4	Bennett, Joseph William.	Hokitika.	Dublin, Ireland.	do.	.....	6th December, 1871.	Value of estate not yet ascertained.

Dated the 1st day of January, 1872.

J. M. BATHAM, Curator at Westland.

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