



THE COUNTY OF
WESTLAND GAZETTE.

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HOKITIKA, MONDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1872.

PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, by the twelfth section of "The Gold Fields Act, 1866," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, upon application being made, to grant special claims of greater area than may be determined by the regulations to be made under the eleventh section of the said Act for the purpose of carrying on mining operations under circumstances of extraordinary difficulty, or involving the expenditure of considerable sums of money, or for the encouragement of enterprise in prospecting new ground, or as a reward for the discovery of new gold workings, and also to prescribe the terms and conditions upon which any such special claim may be held, occupied, worked, and forfeited :

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, by an instrument in writing,

dated the twenty-seventh day of January, 1871, and published in *The New Zealand Gazette* of the seventh day of March, 1871, His Excellency the Governor did, under his hand and the public seal of the Colony, delegate unto me, Henry Hermann Lahman, Chairman of the County Council of Westland, all the powers vested in the Governor under or by virtue of "The Gold Fields Act, 1866," and "The Gold Fields Act Amendment Act, 1869," except the powers conferred by sections twenty-two, forty, forty-eight, sixty, ninety-six, and one hundred and seven of the said Act, to have, hold, and exercise the said powers hereby delegated to me the said Henry Hermann Lahman within the County of Westland :

Now therefore, I, Henry Hermann Lahman, Chairman of the County Council of Westland, in exercise and pursuance of all the powers vested in and delegated to me in this behalf, do hereby grant unto Patrick Moran and party a special claim of ten acres, situated at Squatter's Gully, subject to the following conditions :—

1. The claim to be surveyed at the expense of Moran and party.
2. Four men per acre to be constantly employed on the claim. This condition may be temporarily relaxed at the discretion of the Warden of the District : Provided that

at no time shall a smaller number than fifteen men be kept working in the claim.

3. The said Moran and party shall pay a yearly rent of one pound (£1) per acre, in half-yearly payments.

4. The said Moran and party shall have no right to sell or otherwise dispose of any part of the claim. This condition is not to affect the right to sell or dispose of shares.

5. The said Moran and party shall comply with the directions of the Warden of the District as regards the working of the claim.

6. Clauses 25 and 29 of the Mining Lease Regulations, 1871, to be complied with by Moran and party.

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

H. H. LAHMAN.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the twelfth section of "The Gold Fields Act, 1866," I hereby grant to Morrice and party, an extension of three acres to their special claim, situate in Callaghan's Gully, Wainca District.

H. H. LAHMAN,
Governors Delegate.

County Chairman's Office,
Hokitika, January 29, 1872.

THE Chairman of the County Council directs it to be notified for general information, that

Messrs. PATRICK W. RYAN,
JOHN B. ALLEN,
WILLIAM MONTEITH,
WILLIAM B. ARCHER,
and JOHN O'HAGAN,

have been declared duly elected as Members of the Totara Road Board.

A. E. TENNANT,
County Secretary.

County Chairman's Office,
Hokitika, January 29, 1872.

THE Chairman of the County Council directs it to be notified for general information, that

WILLIAM B. ARCHER, Esq.,
has been declared duly elected as Chairman of the Totara Road Board.

A. E. TENNANT,
County Secretary.

County Chairman's Office,
Hokitika, February 11, 1872.

IT is hereby notified for general information, that the following tenders of Mr. James Linton, for the supply of rations to the Gaol and Sea View Lunatic Asylum have been accepted:—

GAOL.

Ration No. 1 (male), 9½d; (female), 6½d.
Ration No. 2 (male), 6d; (female), 5d.
Ration No. 3, 3d.
Ration No. 4, 3¾d.
Ration No. 5, 5¼d.

EXTRAS:—

Arrowroot, per lb., 7½d.; sago, per lb., 4½d.; rice, per lb., 3½d.; sugar, per lb., 5½d.; tea, per lb., 2s. 3d.; butter, per lb., 9d.; bread, per lb., 2d.; pepper, per lb., 10d.; mustard, per lb., 10d.; soda, per lb., 1¾d.; whiting, per lb., 1¼d.; brandy, per bottle, 5s.; gin, per bottle, 3s. 10d.; port wine, per bottle, 2s. 6d.; sherry, per bottle, 2s. 6d.; porter, per dozen, 13s. 3d.; ale, per dozen, 12s.; milk, per pint, 4d.; vestas, per dozen, 2s.; cocoa, per lb., 1s. 6d.

LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Beef, per lb., 3d.; mutton, per lb., 3d.; bread, per lb., 2d.; oatmeal, per lb., 2½d.; potatoes, per cwt., 10s.; tea, per lb., 2s. 3d.; coffee, per lb., 1s. 4d.; cocoa, per lb., 1s. 6d.; sugar, per lb., 5½d.; butter, per lb., 9d.; cheese, per lb., 7d.; flour, per lb., 2d.; eggs, per dozen, 1s. 6d.; raisins, per lb., 6d.; arrowroot, per lb., 7½d.; sago, per lb., 4½d.; rice, per lb., 3½d.; pepper, per lb., 10d.; mustard, per lb., 10d.; soap, per lb., 3½d.; salt, per lb., 1d.; tobacco, per lb., 4s. 3d.; pipes, per dozen, in boxes, 6d.; soda, per lb., 1¾d.; whiting, per lb., 1¼d.; brandy, per bottle, 5s.; gin, per bottle, 3s. 10d.; port wine per bottle, 2s. 6d.; sherry, per bottle, 2s. 6d.; porter, per dozen, 13s. 3d.; ale, per dozen, 12s.; suet, per lb., 3d.; milk, per pint, 4d.; vestas, per dozen boxes, 2s.

A. E. TENNANT,
County Secretary.

County Chairman's Office,
Hokitika, February 11, 1872.

THE following tender for supplying the County Government with forage, colza and kerosene oils and candles, for the six months ending 31st July, 1872, has been accepted:—

JAMES CHESNEY & Co.
Candles, per lb., 11¾d.; colza oil, per gallon,

6s. 6d.; kerosene oil, per gallon, 3s. 6d.; Melbourne chaff, per ton, £12 5s.; oats, per bushel, 3s. 6d.; bran, per bushel, 1s. 6d.

A. E. TENNANT,
County Secretary.

County Chairman's Office,
Hokitika, February 14, 1872.

THE following tender of Mr. F. L. Clarke, for the supply of coals to the County Government, has been accepted:—

Coals, best Grey River, (screened), £2 5s. per ton.

Coals, best Grey River, (unscreened), £2 2s. 6d.

A. E. TENNANT,
County Secretary.

[Extracted from the *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 3, of the 16th January, 1872.]

Colonial Secretary's Office,
(Judicial Branch),
Wellington, January 11, 1872.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

THOMAS HINCHLIFF, ESQ.,
to be Clerk of the Resident Magistrate's Court at Greenstone, and

CHARLES JOHN HALLIDAY, ESQ.,
to be Clerk of the Resident Magistrate's Court at Kanieri, in the County of Westland.

W. GISBORNE.

[Extracted from the *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 6, of the 31st of January, 1872.]

Colonial Secretary's Office,
(Judicial Branch),
Wellington, January 27, 1872.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

EDWARD HARDCASTLE, ESQ.
Clerk of District Court at Hokitika, to be Clerk of the Resident Magistrate's Court at Hokitika, *vice* H. C. S. Baddeley, Esq., transferred. This appointment dates from the 16th instant.

W. GISBORNE.

[Extracted from the *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 7, of the 5th February, 1872.]

Colonial Secretary's Office,
(Judicial Branch),
Wellington, January 23, 1872.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

GEORGE WILLIAM HARVEY, ESQ.,

Barrister, to be District Judge for the District Court of the County of Westland, and the District Court of Westland North, *vice* C. D. R. Ward, Esq., resigned.

W. GISBORNE.

[Extracted from the *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 7, of the 5th of February, 1872.]

Colonial Secretary's Office,
(Judicial Branch),
Wellington, February 1, 1872.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

FITZHERBERT DERMOTT, ESQ., and
GEORGE WILLIAM HARVEY, ESQ.,
of Hokitika, to be Justices of the Peace for the Colony.

W. GISBORNE.

IT is hereby notified that the boundaries of Block XXXVIII (Rural) as gazetted in the *County of Westland Gazette*, No. 5, of the 2nd February, 1870, have been extended by the Waste Lands Board as follows:—

Block XXXVIII. (Rural.)
ARAHURA DISTRICT.

Situate at the Otira George. Bounded on the Northward by foot of range North of Otira River, on the Eastward by a line bearing 180° (magnetic) through the forty-ninth mile post, on the Southward by foot of range South of the Otira River, and on the Westward by a line bearing 360° (magnetic) through the forty-eighth mile post, exclusive of necessary reserves, and subject to gold workings.

G. G. FITZGERALD,
Chief Commissioner of the Waste Lands Board.

STATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Will and the Way Gold Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ending December 26, 1871, in accordance with Section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869":—

Name of Company.—"The Will and the Way Gold Mining Company, Registered."

When formed, and date of Registration.—June 15, 1869.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager.—Sailor's Gully, Ross, Westland; William G. Edwards.

Nominal capital.—£4900.	Number of Shareholders at time of Registration of Company.—21.
Amount of paid-up scrip given to Shareholders.—None.	Amount of cash in hand.—None.
Number of Shares into which capital is divided.—980.	Whether in operation or not.—In operation.
Number of Shares taken.—910.	Total amount of dividends declared.—None.
Amount of calls made.—£4200.	Number of Shares unallotted.—70.
Total amount of subscribed capital paid-up.—£3836 7s. 4d.	

WILLIAM G. EDWARDS.
Manager.

HOKITIKA HOSPITAL.

TREASURER'S STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE FROM 1ST OCTOBER, 1871, TO 5TH JANUARY, 1872, INCLUSIVE.

RECEIPTS.				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance in Bank of New Zealand, 30th September	...	...	...				55	13	9
County of Westland, Government account, viz. :—									
Subsidy Account	...	...	...	694	6	1			
Female Ward Accounts	...	...	...	373	8	5			
Surgeon's Salary	...	...	...	166	13	4			
Lunatic Asylum Accounts	...	...	...	145	16	10			
							1380	4	8
Subscriptions, Donations, &c., viz. :—									
Okarito District	...	...	...	50	0	0			
Hokitika „	...	...	...	4	8	0			
Grey „	...	...	...	3	0	0			
							57	8	0
Paying Patients, viz. :—									
Hokitika District	...	...	...	34	17	0			
Female Account, County	...	...	...	17	10	0			
Arahura District	...	...	...	10	7	6			
Totara „	...	...	...	7	10	0			
Okarito „	...	...	...	4	10	0			
Greenstone „	...	...	...	1	10	0			
							76	4	6
Stores and Sundries sold	...	...	...				16	10	4
							£1586	1	3
EXPENDITURE.									
Supplies paid	...	...	...	921	11	1			
Salaries „	...	...	...	565	5	5			
Balance in Bank of New Zealand	...	...	...	99	4	9			
							£1586	1	3

E. & O. E.—Hokitika, 6th January, 1872.

Pro JOHN TAIT, Treasurer, } Hokitika
WM. WILKINSON, Secretary, } Hospital.

Audited and found correct, Hokitika, 26th January, 1872.

W. D. BANKS, }
G. DALRYMPLE, } Auditors.

A True Copy.

JAS. A. BONAR, President, Hokitika Hospital.

HOSPITAL STATEMENT—CONTINUED.

STATEMENT OF COST AND DIVISION FOR THE HALF-YEAR ENDING
DECEMBER, 1871.

Cost.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
For the Quarter ending September, as per audit	...	...	...	...	1402	16	11
" Month of October	...	312	1	0				
" " November	...	407	12	11				
" " December	...	437	15	1				
					<u>1157</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>0</u>	
					2560	5	11	
Less Stores and Sundries Sold, September Quarter	...	19	14	1				
" " " December	...	16	10	4				
					<u>36</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	
Nett Cost for Half-Year ending December, 1871	...	...	...	...	£2524	1	6
DIVISION.								
County of Westland Government, viz. :—								
Subsidy Accounts for Half-Year	...	1030	15	6				
Female Ward Account	...	508	18	5				
Surgeon's Salary	...	250	0	0				
Lunatic Asylum Account	...	218	19	10				
					<u>2008</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>9</u>	
Districts, one-third of £1546 3s 3d, as under :—	...	515	7	9				
Arahura, proportion 65	... £168	7	0					
Hokitika	... 60	155	8	0				
Kanieri	... 38	98	8	6				
Greenstone	... 12	31	2	0				
Okarito	... 10	25	17	6				
Totara	... 10	25	17	6				
Grey	... 4	10	7	3				
		<u>199</u>	<u>£515</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>9</u>			
						<u>£2524</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>6</u>

E. & O. E.—Hokitika, 12th January, 1872.

WILLIAM WILKINSON, Secretary, Hokitika Hospital.

Audited and found correct, Hokitika, 26th January, 1872.

W. D. BANKS,	} Auditors.
G. DALRYMPLE,	

A True Copy.

JAS. A. BONAR, President, Hokitika Hospital.

LIABILITIES AND ASSETS AS AT 31st DECEMBER, 1871, AND CASH
ACCOUNT TO 5th JANUARY, 1872.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Sundry Accounts for December, unpaid	...	...	...	...	252	10	0
Balances at Credit of District Accounts, viz. :—								
Kanieri District	...	230	0	9				
Hokitika	...	170	19	6				
Paroa	...	52	9	1				
Arahura	...	33	19	5				
Okarito	...	5	3	7				
					<u>492</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>4</u>	
Less against Grey District	... £7	7	3					
" Totara	... 2	7	8					
					<u>9</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>11</u>	
						<u>482</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>5</u>
						<u>£735</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>5</u>

HOSPITAL STATEMENT—CONTINUED.

ASSETS.			
Balances as under, due by County Government—			
Subsidies unpaid	...	...	401 17 4
Female Ward Accounts unpaid	...	...	161 2 4
Lunatic Asylum	„	...	73 3 0
			636 2 8
Balance in Bank of New Zealand	...	...	99 4 9
			£735 7 5

E. & O. E.—Hokitika, 26th January, 1872.

WILLIAM WILKINSON, Secretary, Hokitika Hospital.

Audited and found correct, Hokitika, 26th January, 1872.

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JAS. A. BONAR, President, Hokitika Hospital.

ABSTRACT OF COST FOR HALF-YEAR ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1871,

SHEWING ITEMS.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Salaries	...	...	...	854	3	1
Groceries, Beer, Wines and Spirits	...	...	...	489	1	10
Butchers' Meat	...	...	...	225	3	4
Less Pigs sold	...	...	...	15	10	6
				209	12	10
Drugs and Instruments	...	...	...	184	6	4
Firewood and Coals	...	...	...	174	4	3
Buildings, &c., Fixing Tanks, Range, Piping, Repairs,	...	...	...	...	...	...
Timber and Iron	...	...	...	161	17	2
Drapery, Blankets and Bedding	...	...	...	115	0	7
Milk	...	...	...	84	0	1
Bread	...	...	...	77	9	2
General Charges Account, viz. :—Advertising and Printing	40	7	9	...	...	...
Letters and Postage	...	...	...	9	18	0
Rents	...	...	...	9	0	0
Stationery	...	...	...	7	8	2
Audit Fees	...	...	...	5	5	0
Sweep	...	...	...	4	5	0
				76	3	11
Ironmongery, Crockery and Utensils	...	...	...	59	0	8
Freehold Property, Revell-street	...	...	...	47	7	0
Garden Seeds and Improving Grounds	...	...	...	18	14	0
Paints, Oils and Paperhangings	...	...	...	7	15	0
Pauper Burial	...	...	...	1	10	0
				2560	5	11
Less Stores and Sundries Sold, per Cash Account	...	...	...	36	4	5
				£2524	1	6

No. of days the Patients have been in Hospital, &c., during
 Half-Year :—Males ... 6118
 Females ... 1900
 Lunatics ... 1707

Total days in Hospital ... 9725

Shewing the cost to be, over all, five shillings and twopence
 and three-tenths per day, or thirty-six shillings
 and fourpence per week.

WILLIAM WILKINSON, Secretary, Hokitika Hospital.

22nd January, 1872.

A True Copy.

JAS. A. BONAR, President, Hokitika Hospital.

LIST of APPLICATIONS for PUBLICAN'S LICENSES to be heard at the
Resident Magistrate's Court, Hokitika, on 5th March, 1872.

No.	Name.	Christian Name.	Residence.	Addition.
1	Buckley	Kate	Revell-street	Imperial Hotel
2	Hills	George	Revell-street	West Coast Hotel
3	Glover	Johanna	Revell-street	Southland Hotel
4	Dowell	Bartholemew	Revell-street	Butchers' Arms Hotel
5	Upham	Ferdinand John	Revell-street	Railway Station Hotel
6	Osborne	Ben	Revell-street	Café de Paris Hotel
7	McGuire	Patrick	Revell-street	Royal Hotel
8	Duncan	William	Gibson's Quay	Albion Hotel
9	Martin	James	Revell-street	Worcestershire Arms
10	Cross	John	Weld-street	West Coast Times Hotel
11	Quian	William	Revell-street	Brian Boru Hotel

EDWARD HARDCASTLE,

Clerk, Resident Magistrate's Court, Hokitika.

LIST of APPLICATIONS for PUBLICAN'S LICENSES in the Town of Grey-
mouth, to be heard at the Quarterly sitting of the Bench, on March 5th, 1872.

Name of Applicant.	Name of House.	Situate in.
William King	Lake Wakatipu Hotel ...	Richmond Quay
Henry Chesterman	Sydney Hotel	Boundary-street
Thomas Coutanche	Bank Hotel	Mawhera Quay
James Middleton	Wharf Hotel	Mawhera Quay
Thomas Bailey	Full and Plenty Hotel ...	Gresson-street
Patrick Hanney	Hanney's Hotel	Tainui-street
Samuel George Rich	Argus Hotel	Boundary-street
John Bulstrode	Oddfellows' Hotel	Mawhera Quay
James Jones	Jones' Hotel	Mawhera Quay
Dennis Carroll	Trafalgar Hotel	Mawhera Quay
J. C. Moore	Queen's Hotel	Gresson-street
A. Crawford	London Music Hall	Boundary-street
William Alexander	Great Western Hotel ...	Gresson-street
C. H. Boase	Railway Hotel	Mawhera Quay
Joseph Booth	Empire Hotel (late Flan- nery's Hotel	Mawhera Quay

W. H. REVELL,

Resident Magistrate.

Greymouth, 13th February, 1872.

PARTICULARS of the Estates of Deceased Persons which have been placed under the charge of James Meacham Batham, Esq., Curator of the Estates of Deceased Persons during the month of January, 1872.

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	Christie, Andrew.	Dunedin.	Scotland.	None required.	£ s. d. 1 0	About 15th October, 1871,	Drowned in Otira River. Shilling given to Hokitika Hospital.
2	Thompson, John.	Grey Valley.	Tatnamona, Fermanagh, Ireland.	do.	.....	18th November, 1871.	Property consists of gold ring and seal of little value.
3	Hogan, Margaret.	Greymouth.	.....	do.	.....	18th January, 1872.	Husband of deceased living in New South Wales. Property consists of clothing and jewellery of uncertain value.
4	Gray, Joseph.	Grey Valley.	Not known.	do.	.....	13th December, 1871.	Drowned in Moonlight Creek. Property consists of mining share of no value, and of a small quantity of gold on person. Body not found.
5	Rossi, Leopold.	Ross.	Gravedona, Lombardy.	Not yet obtained.	250 0 0	8th January, 1872.	Value of property can only be approximately stated.

Dated the 1st day of February, 1872.

J. M. BATHAM, Curator at Westland.