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By His Honor's command,

CHARLES ROBERT BLAKISTON,

Provincial Secretary.

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Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Auckland, December 11, 1861.

**E**NQUIRIES having been made respecting the person named below, any one who can give any information concerning such a person is requested to communicate the same to this office.

E. W. STAFFORD.

Christian and Surname.—Gommaire Van Wentswinkle, known in the Colony by the name of the "Belgian," or "Belgian Peter."

Age.—Between 39 and 40.

Residence before going to the Colony.—Anvers, Belgium.

Married.—Wife and four children in Belgium.

Left Europe in September, 1854, as an Officer of the Belgian vessel "Petronille," Van Hornborstel, master. Date of arrival in the Colony, unknown.

AUCTIONEER'S LICENSE.

Provincial-Treasury,  
Christchurch, December 14, 1860.

**I** CERTIFY that the undermentioned person has taken out an Auctioneer's License for the year 1860-61,

WILLIAM THOMSON,  
of Christchurch, Commission Agent.

JOHN MARSHMAN,  
Provincial Treasurer.

Provincial Secretary's Office,

Christchurch, January 30, 1861.

**H**IS Honor the Superintendent directs it to be notified for public information that in pursuance of the powers vested in him by the Waste Lands Regulations now in force within the Province of Canterbury, he has made the following Reserves of Land for the uses of the Provincial Government, and for other public purposes, temporarily, until the next Session of the Provincial Council, viz. :—

No. 173, in red.—One hundred acres on the south bank of the Rakaia, for the purposes of a Ferry House, situate opposite the present Ferry Reserve, and east of Chapman's Homestead pre-emptive rights.

No. 174, in red.—Six hundred and forty acres south bank of the Rakaia, extending about  $2\frac{1}{2}$  miles westward of Chapman's Homestead pre-emptive right, on run 90, and back southerly on the average 30 chains.

No. 175, in red.—One hundred acres north bank of the Rangitata, opposite the upper Ferry Reserve, No. 164, in red.

No. 176, in red.—One hundred acres on the north-east bank of the Rangitata, Deep Creek, at the crossing known as Scott and Gray's crossing.

No. 177, in red.—One hundred acres on the south-west bank of the Rangitata, Deep Creek, at the crossing known as Scott and Gray's crossing.

- No. 178, in red.—Two hundred acres, more or less, situate on the southern bank of the Waimakariri, below the terrace between the 11th and 12th mile pegs, above trig. pole C, 30.
- No. 179, in red.—Two hundred acres, more or less, situate on the northern bank of the Waimakariri, opposite reserve, No. 178, at about the junction of runs, No. 119 and No. 135.
- No. 180, in red.—Two hundred acres, more or less, at the junction of the Tekapo river, with lake Tekapo on the eastern side of the Tekapo river, and bounded on the northward by the lake.
- No. 181, in red.—Two hundred acres, more or less, at the junction of the Tekapo river, with lake Tekapo on the western side of the Tekapo river, opposite reserve 180, and bounded on the northward by the edge of the lake.
- No. 182, in red.—Two hundred acres more or less, at the junction of the Pukaki river, with the lake Pukaki on the eastern side of the Pukaki river, and bounded on the northward by the edge of the lake.
- No. 183, in red.—Two hundred acres, more or less, at the junction of the Pukaki river, with lake Pukaki on the western side of the Pukaki river, opposite reserve, No. 182, and bounded on the northward by the edge of the lake.
- No. 184, in red.—Two hundred acres, more or less, on the eastern bank of the river Tekapo, at the usual crossing place, opposite reserve 184, on runs 269 or 290.
- No. 185, in red.—Two hundred acres, more or less, on the western bank of the Tekapo river, at the usual crossing place, opposite reserve 184.
- No. 186, in red.—Two hundred acres, more or less, on the eastern bank of the Pukaki river, at the usual crossing place, on runs 186 or 187.
- No. 187, in red.—Two hundred acres, more or less, situate on the western bank of the Pukaki river, at the usual crossing place, opposite reserve 186.
- No. 188, in red.—Two hundred acres, more or less, situate on the north-eastern bank of the Ohou river, at the usual crossing place, on run 179.
- No. 189, in red.—Two hundred acres, more or less, on the south-western bank of the Ohou river, at the usual crossing place, opposite reserve 188.

THOMAS WILLIAM MAUDE,  
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,  
February 1, 1861.

HIS Honor the Superintendent directs it to be notified that  
RICHARD JAMES STRACHAN HARMAN, Esq.  
has resigned the Office of Provincial Auditor.  
THOMAS WILLIAM MAUDE,  
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,  
February 1, 1861.

HIS Honor the Superintendent directs it to be notified that the  
HON. CHARLES ROBERT BLAKISTON  
has resigned the Offices of Provincial Secretary and Member of the Executive Council.  
THOMAS WILLIAM MAUDE,  
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,  
February 1, 1861.

HIS Honor the Superintendent directs it to be notified that  
JOHN MARSHMAN, Esq.  
has resigned the Office of Provincial Treasurer.  
THOMAS WILLIAM MAUDE,  
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,  
February 1, 1861.

HIS Honor the Superintendent directs it to be notified that  
MR. FREDERICK THOMPSON  
has resigned the Office of Clerk in the Register of Deeds Department.  
THOMAS WILLIAM MAUDE,  
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,  
February 1, 1861.

HIS Honor the Superintendent directs it to be notified that  
WILLIAM THOMSON, Esq.  
has resigned his seat in the Provincial Council as Member for the Avon District.  
THOMAS WILLIAM MAUDE,  
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,  
February 1, 1861.

HIS Honor the Superintendent directs it to be notified that the  
HON. CHARLES ROBERT BLAKISTON  
has resigned his seat in the Provincial Council as Member for the Town of Kaiapoi District.  
THOMAS WILLIAM MAUDE,  
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,  
February 1, 1861.

HIS Honor the Superintendent directs it to be notified that he has appointed  
THOMAS WILLIAM MAUDE, Esq.  
to be Provincial Secretary, vice the Hon. Charles Robert Blakiston, resigned.  
This appointment to bear date the 1st February, 1861.  
THOMAS WILLIAM MAUDE,  
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,  
February 1, 1861.

HIS Honor the Superintendent directs it to be notified that he has appointed  
WILLIAM J. WARBURTON HAMILTON, Esq.  
to be Commissioner of Police for the Province of Canterbury.  
THOMAS WILLIAM MAUDE,  
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,  
February 1, 1861.

**H**IS Honor the Superintendent directs it to be notified that he has appointed RICHARD JAMES STRACHAN HARMAN, Esq. to be Provincial Treasurer, vice John Marshman, Esq., resigned.

This appointment to bear date the 1st February, 1861.

THOMAS WILLIAM MAUDE,  
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,  
February 1, 1861.

**H**IS Honor the Superintendent directs it to be notified that he has appointed WILLIAM THOMSON, Esq.

to be Provincial Auditor, vice Richard James Strachan Harman, Esq., resigned.

This appointment to bear date the 1st February, 1861.

THOMAS WILLIAM MAUDE,  
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,  
February 1, 1861.

**H**IS Honor the Superintendent directs it to be notified that he has appointed

MR. GEORGE BOWRON,

temporarily, to the Office of Registrar of Deeds for the Province of Canterbury.

This appointment to bear date the 1st January, 1861.

THOMAS WILLIAM MAUDE,  
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,  
Christchurch, February 1, 1861.

**I**T is hereby notified that a Writ, issued for the Election of a Member to serve in the Provincial Council for the Avon District, has been returned, with a certificate that

WILLIAM THOMSON

has been duly elected.

THOMAS WILLIAM MAUDE,  
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,  
Christchurch, February 1, 1861.

**I**T is hereby notified that a Writ, issued for the Election of a Member to serve in the Provincial Council for the Heathcote District, has been returned, with a certificate that

JOHN OLLIVIER

has been duly elected.

THOMAS WILLIAM MAUDE,  
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,  
February 1, 1861.

**H**IS Honor the Superintendent directs it to be notified that he has appointed JOHN MARSHMAN, Esq. to be Emigration Officer in England for the Province of Canterbury.

THOMAS WILLIAM MAUDE,  
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,  
February 12, 1861.

**H**IS Honor the Superintendent directs it to be notified that he has appointed

MR. CHARLES LUCAS

to be the Official Printer for the Provincial Government of Canterbury, within the meaning of the 7th clause of the "Official Documents Evidence Act, 1860."

This appointment bears date the 1st January, 1861.

THOMAS WILLIAM MAUDE,  
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,  
Christchurch, February 13, 1861.

**H**IS Honor the Superintendent directs it to be notified for public information

that in pursuance of the powers vested in him by the "Public House Ordinance, Sess. VI., No. 3," his Honor has been pleased to grant a Conditional License to John Jauncey Buchanan for the House of Accommodation situate in the Christchurch District, near Harewood road, by Riccarton, and known as the "Claveinch Accommodation House," subject to the usual conditions.

THOMAS WILLIAM MAUDE,  
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,  
Christchurch, February 13, 1861.

**H**IS Honor the Superintendent directs it to be notified for public information

that in pursuance of the powers vested in him by the "Public House Ordinance, Sess. VI., No. 3," his Honor has been pleased to grant a Conditional License to George Gibbs, for the House of Accommodation situate in the Timaru District at the point on the line of road to McKenzie Country, 14 miles from Timaru, subject to the usual conditions.

THOMAS WILLIAM MAUDE,  
Provincial Secretary.

#### PUBLIC NOTICE.

Provincial Treasury,  
Christchurch, February 13, 1861.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that no payments will be made at the Provincial Treasury after 3 o'clock p.m.

By order of his Honor the Superintendent.

R. J. S. HARMAN,  
Provincial Treasurer.

**N**OTICE of error in Gazette, Vol VII., No. 13, published November 27, 1860.

Page 68.—No. of reserve for the use of whaling vessels frequenting the Port of Akaroa, omitted.

After the words "whaling vessels" read "and numbered on the map of the Chief Surveyor, 169, in red."

Page 69.—After the words "and numbered," instead of 172, read 171.

Page 69.—After the words "and numbered," instead of 171, read 170.

Page 69.—After the words "and numbered," instead of 171, read 172.

THOMAS WILLIAM MAUDE,  
Provincial Secretary.

RETURN OF DISEASED SHEEP IN THE PROVINCE OF CANTERBURY, FOR THE QUARTER ENDED 31st DECEMBER, 1860.

*N.B.—All Sheep must be included in this return which were reported as diseased in the return for the previous quarter; if they have been pronounced clean, the date of the inspection must be given.*

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NAME OF STATION.	NAME OF MANAGER OR OWNER	NUMBER OF SHEEP ON THE STATION	NUMBER DISEASED.	WHEN FIRST PRO- NOUNCED DISEASED.		RESULT.	DATE AND NATURE OF LAST LEGAL PROCEEDINGS.		RESULT.	REMARKS.
				1860	1860					
Glenmark	... G. H. Moore	... 37,000	1,000	19th January	... 16th August	... Scabby	... 21st February	... Fined £100	...	
Heathstock	... J. D. Lance	... 20,000	400	19th January	... 19th January	... Scabby	... 21st February	... Fined £25	...	
Eskhead	... C. E. Dampier	... 2,500	2,500	28th May	... 28th May	... Scabby	... 26th June	... Fined £100	...	An extension of four months allowed for cleaning.
Heathstock	... J. D. Lance	... { 20,000 }	3,000	12th June	... 12th June	... Scabby	... 26th June	... Fined £100	} ...	An extension of four months allowed for cleaning.
Heathstock	... J. D. Lance		3,000	12th June	... 12th June	... Scabby	... 26th June	... Fined £100		
Heathstock	... J. D. Lance		2,000	12th June	... 12th June	... Scabby	... 26th June	... Fined £100		
Acton	... E. Chapman	... 7,000	3,000	25th July	... 25th July	... Scabby	... 7th August	... Fined £100	...	
Beard's	... W. Dunford	... 2,400	2,400	25th August	... 25th August	... Scabby	... 18th September	... Fined £100	...	
Lake's	... Stace and King	... 1,700	1,700	28th September	... 28th September	... Scabby	... 2nd October	... Fined £85	...	
Selwyn	... R. J. S. Harman	... 2,000	900	5th October	...	Scabby	... 23rd October	... Fined £45	...	
Valetta	... Charles Hurst	... 3,000	3,000	21st November	... 21st November	... Scabby	... 22nd December	... Fined £100	...	
							Ditto for not having 800 sheep branded	Fined £20	...	

P. B. BOULTON,

Inspector of Sheep.

Christchurch, 3rd January, 1861.

RETURN OF SHEEP INSPECTED IN THE PROVINCE OF CANTERBURY FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER, 1860.

DATE OF INSPECTION.	DATE OF PRECEDING INSPECTION.	NAME OF STATION.	WHERE SITUATE.	NAME OF MANAGER OR OWNER.	NO. OF SHEEP ON THE STATION.	NO. OF SHEEP INSPECTED.	RESULT.	DATE ON WHICH SHEEP WERE LAST DRESSED.	REMARKS.
1st December	14th July	Motunau	Coast	J. S. Caverhill	2,000	1,200	Clean		
13th December		Double Corner	Waipara	Polhill & Palmer	9,000	4,500	Clean		
14th December		Glenmark	Waipara	G. H. Moore	45,000	500	Clean		Rams.
17th December		Waitohi	Hurunui	J. D. Lance	20,000	9,000	Clean		
19th December		Virginia	Waitohi	J. D. Lance		2,000	Clean		
29th December		Cheviot Hills	Nelson Province	* Wm. Gerrard		3,060	Clean		About to be introduced into the Province by Messrs. G. D. Lockhart, J. T. Brown, and J. J. Oakden.
31st December		Hawkswood	Nelson Province	† J. S. Caverhill		3,100	Clean		

Christchurch, 3rd January, 1861.

P. B. BOULTON, Inspector of Sheep.

\* DECLARATION.—I, William Gerrard, of Cheviot Hills, Nelson Province, do hereby solemnly declare that the sheep, 3,060 in number, marked LH (conjoined), now being depastured by me at Cheviot Hills, have not within three months last past been subjected to any dressing for the cure of the scab, nor been mixed with any sheep infected with scab or catarrh, and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true.  
 Declared before me at Cheviot Hills, this 31st day of December, 1860. WILLIAM GERRARD.  
 A newly shorn sheep of Mr. Lee's crossed the river and got into the Cheviot Hills flock on the 5th October. No appearance of disease in the sheep. P. B. BOULTON, Inspector of Sheep.

CERTIFICATE OF INSPECTOR.—I, Philip Baker Boulton, Inspector of Sheep, hereby certify that I have carefully examined 3,060 sheep, branded LH (conjoined), the property of William Gerrard, now being depastured at Cheviot Hills, Nelson Province, and that I find such sheep to be entirely free from scab or catarrh.  
 Given under my hand at Cheviot Hills, this 31st day of December, 1860. P. B. BOULTON, Inspector of Sheep.

† DECLARATION.—I, John Scott Caverhill, of Hawkswood, Nelson Province, do hereby solemnly declare that the sheep, 3,100 in number, marked B under LD (conjoined) and C (within circle), now being depastured by me at Hawkswood, have not within three months last past been subjected to any dressing for the cure of the scab, nor been mixed with any sheep infected with the scab or catarrh, and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true.  
 Declared before me at Hawkswood, this 31st day of December, 1860. J. S. CAVERHILL.  
 P. B. BOULTON, Inspector of Sheep.

CERTIFICATE OF INSPECTOR.—I, Philip Baker Boulton, Inspector of Sheep, hereby certify that I have carefully examined 3,100 sheep, branded B under LD (conjoined) and C (within circle), the property of John S. Caverhill, now being depastured at Hawkswood, Nelson Province, and that I find such sheep to be entirely free from scab or catarrh.  
 Given under my hand at Hawkswood, this 31st day of December, 1860. P. B. BOULTON, Inspector of Sheep.

RETURN OF SHEEP IMPORTED BY SEA FOR THE MONTHS OF NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER, 1860, AND FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY, 1861.

DATE.	PROPRIETOR.	SHIP.	WIIENCE.	DESCRIPTION OF STOCK.	REMARKS.
18th November, 1860	— Rich, Esq.	Steamer Airedale...	Auckland	200 Ewes	Clean and healthy.
28th November	Miles and Co.	Brig Yarra	Sydney	160 Rams	Clean and healthy.
30th November	Martin	Steamer Lord Ashley	Wellington	50 Rams	Clean and healthy.
30th November	Dalgety, Buckley and Co.	Steamer Lord Ashley	Melbourne	2 Rams	Clean and healthy.
30th November	— Burke	Steamer Lord Ashley	Melbourne	1 Ram	Clean and healthy.
4th December	— Martin, Esq.	Motoaka	England	5 Rams	Clean and healthy.
15th January, 1861	J. S. Caverhill	Steamer Lord Ashley	Wellington	42 Rams	Clean and healthy.
23rd January	B. Dowling	Steamer Victory	Melbourne	200 Rams	Clean and healthy.

Christchurch, 26th January, 1861.

I certify the above to be a correct return.

JAMES RULE, Inspector of Sheep.

RETURN OF SHEEP INSPECTED FOR THE PROVINCE OF CANTERBURY DURING THE MONTH OF JANUARY, 1861.

DATE OF INSPECTION.	DATE OF PRECEDING INSPECTION.	NAME OF STATION.	WHERE SITUATE.	NAME OF MANAGER OR OWNER.	NO. OF SHEEP ON THE STATION.	NO. OF SHEEP INSPECTED.	RESULT.	DATE ON WHICH SHEEP WERE LAST DRESSED.	REMARKS.
13th January	...	Swamp Head	Selwyn	* R. J. S. Harman	900	900	Clean		Certificate granted.
15th January	...	Tancred's	Ashburton	T. C. Moorhouse	7,000	2,500	Clean		
17th January	...	Mackie & Beard's	Rakaia	† W. Dunford	3,000	3,000	Clean		Certificate granted.
21st January	...	Double Corner	Waipara	Polhill & Palmer	6,000	5,000	Clean		
24th January	...	Mount Pleasant	Peninsula	A. Hornbrook	3,000	3,000	Clean		
29th January	...	The Lakes	Hurunui	H. Taylor	3,000	2,500	Clean		
30th January	...	Eskhead	Hurunui	C. E. Dampier	1,400	1,400	Scabby		Had been recently dipped.
30th January	...	Horsley Downs	Hurunui	J. D. Lance	20,000	500	Clean		Certificate granted.
31st January	...	Glenmark	Waipara	G. H. Moore	45,000	3,000	Clean		

Christchurch, 2nd February, 1861.

P. B. BOULTON, Inspector of Sheep.

\* DECLARATION.—I, Richard James Strachan Harman, of Christchurch, Civil Engineer, do hereby solemnly declare that my sheep, branded Mallet, being 900 in number, now being at Taylor's Hut, on the Selwyn, have not within three months been subjected to any dressing for the cure of the scab, nor within three months been mixed with any sheep infected with the scab or catarrh, and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true.

Declared before me at Christchurch, this 23rd day of January, 1861.

R. J. S. HARMAN.  
P. B. BOULTON, Inspector of Sheep.

CERTIFICATE OF INSPECTOR.—I, Philip Baker Boulton, Inspector of Sheep, hereby certify that I have carefully examined 900 sheep, branded Mallet, the property of R. J. S. Harman, now being depastured at Taylor's Hut, on the Selwyn, and that I find such sheep to be entirely free from scab or catarrh.

Given under my hand at Christchurch, this 23rd day of January, 1861.

P. B. BOULTON, Inspector of Sheep.

† DECLARATION.—I, William Dunford, of Mackie and Beard's Station, Rakaia River, do hereby solemnly declare that I have made a complete muster of all the sheep in my charge, and that my sheep, branded Hollow Cross, being 3,000 in number, now being at the Rakaia, have not within two months been subjected to any dressing for the cure of the scab, nor within two months been mixed with any sheep infected with the scab or catarrh, and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true.

Declared before me at the Rakaia, this 17th day of January, 1861.

WILLIAM DUNFORD.  
P. B. BOULTON, Inspector of Sheep.

CERTIFICATE OF INSPECTOR.—I, Philip Baker Boulton, Inspector of Sheep, hereby certify that I have carefully examined 3,000 sheep, branded Hollow Cross, the property of William Dunford, now being depastured at the Rakaia, and that I find such sheep to be entirely free from scab or catarrh.

Given under my hand at the Rakaia, this 17th day of January, 1861.

P. B. BOULTON, Inspector of Sheep.

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