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GOVERNMENT GAZETTE,
(PROVINCE OF NELSON).

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ALFRED GREENFIELD, Provincial Secretary.

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Superintendent's Office,
Nelson, 14th January, 1870.

IT is hereby notified that it is intended after the expiration of two months from the date hereof to grant Leases for gold-mining purposes of the Crown land within the district of the Golden Bay Goldfields, hereinafter described, viz:—

1. A block of land containing four acres two roods and fourteen perches, more or less, situated at Bedstead Gully, Collingwood, applied for by Peter A. Poulsen and others.
2. A block of land containing sixteen acres two roods and four perches situated on a spur between Bedstead and Golden Gully, Collingwood, applied for by Thomas Adams and others.
3. A block of land containing sixteen acres two roods and four perches situated at Bedstead Gully, Collingwood, applied for by Edward Everett and others.
4. A block of land containing sixteen acres two roods and four perches situated at Toi Toi Flat,

Collingwood, applied for by William B. Gibbs (Imperial Gold-mining Company).

5. A block of land containing sixteen acres two roods and four perches situated at Coles' Creek Collingwood, applied for by Alexander Fletcher and others (Camera Gold-mining Company).
6. A block of land containing sixteen acres two roods and four perches, situated near Toi Toi Flat, Collingwood, applied for by Wylie Wakelin and others (Motueka Gold-mining Company).
7. A block of land containing sixteen acres, two roods, and four perches, situated at Coles' Creek, Collingwood, applied for by P. K. Watty (Nelson Quartz Gold-mining Company).
8. A block of land containing sixteen acres two roods and four perches, situated at Cole's Creek, Collingwood, applied for by Thomas Snow and others (Commercial Gold-mining Company).

ALFRED GREENFIELD,
Provincial Secretary.

THE NEPTUNE GOLD MINING AND SLUICING COMPANY, REGISTERED.
BALANCE SHEET, 31ST DECEMBER, 1869.

Dr.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	Cr.		
To Calls paid up, 7 shares at £107 each ...	749	0	0					By Cost of Plant and Race Keeping ...	609	15	6		
Rent of Water ...	37	10	0					Wages ...	235	18	6		
Gold produced ...	66	15	9					Balance in Bank of New Zealand ...	7	11	9		
				£853	5	9					£853	5	9

ASSETS.				LIABILITIES.									
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.				
Estimated value of Race, Claim, and Plant ...	1000	0	0				Debts owing by Company ...		136	17	8		
Cash in Bank of New Zea- land ...		7	11	9									
Amount of Capital unpaid, 7 shares at £33 each ...	231	0	0										
				£1238	11	9					£136	17	8

JOHN W. ROWE,

Manager,

Charleston.

JOSEPH MOSS,
CHARLES WEITZEL, } Auditors.

NELSON GOVERNMENT GAZETTE.

I, THE Undersigned, JAMES DRUMMOND MACPHERSON, hereby make application to register the "STARLIGHT GOLD MINING COMPANY, REGISTERED," under the provisions of the "Mining Companies Limited Liability Act, 1865," and I do solemnly and sincerely declare that the following statement is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true in every particular:—

1. The name and style of the Company is the "Starlight Gold Mining Company, Registered."
2. The place of operations is on the Nelson South-west Goldfields, near the claim of the Moonlight Gold Mining Company, Registered.
3. The nominal capital of the Company is Two Thousand Pounds (£2000) in Four Hundred (£400) Shares of Five Pounds (£5) each.
4. The amount already paid up is Five Hundred and Eighty Eight Pounds (£588), of which Two Hundred and Eighty Eight Pounds (£288) has been paid in cash, and Three Hundred Pounds (£300) in Sixty full paid-up shares held by the Manager in trust for the Company.
5. The name of the Manager is James Drummond Macpherson.
6. The Office of the Company is at the offices of the said James Drummond Macpherson, in Cashel-street in the City of Christchurch, in the Province of Canterbury.
7. The Names and several Residences of the Shareholders, and the Number of Shares held by each at this date, are as follows:—

Name.	Residence.	No. of Shares held.
John Ollivier	Christchurch	9
William Newton Millton	"	17
Augustus Frederick Noel Blakiston	"	8
William Montgomery	"	17
Joshua Strange Williams	"	17
Henry Hayes Hennah	"	17
William Wilson	"	17
Robert May Morten	"	9
Colin Campbell Aikman	"	20
Charles Robert Blakiston	"	17
Leander Goss Cole	"	17
Thomas Smith Duncan	"	17
James Drummond Macpherson	"	17
Edward Merson Templar	"	17
John Inglis	Coringa Station	17
Harold Henry de Bourbel	Christchurch	9
Charles Christopher Bowen	"	9
William Donald	"	8
William Reeves	Lyttelton	17
Andrew Jameson	Christchurch	7
Joshua Page	"	17
Arthur Morton Ollivier	"	17
Robert H. Wood	"	8
Thomas Maberly Hassal	"	8
Robert Allan	"	8
James Drummond Macpherson, in trust for the Company	"	16
		60
		400

Dated this Twenty-third day of December, One thousand eight hundred and sixty nine.

J. D. MACPHERSON,
Manager.

Witness to signature—
J. EVANS BROWN,
Justice of the Peace.

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Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 29th December, 1869.

IT is hereby notified, that Writs issued for the election of Members of the Provincial Council of the Province of Nelson have been returned with Certificates to the effect that,

For the District of Amuri,

Andrew Rutherford, of Mendip Hills, householder;

For the District of Golden Bay,

William Gibbs, Esq., of Totaranui, freeholder;

For the District of Buller,

Eugene Joseph O'Connor, of Westport, freeholder;
Alexander Reid, of Westport, householder;

For the District of Motueka,

Henry Alexander Tarrant, of Moutere, freeholder and householder;
Bernard Macmahon, of Riwaka, freeholder, leaseholder, and householder;

For the District of Waimea South,

Edward Baigent, of Waimea South, freeholder;
Joseph Shephard, of Waimea South freeholder;

For the District of Waimea East,

John Wallis Barnicoat, of Waimea East, freeholder;
John Fedor Augustus Kelling, of Waimea East, freeholder;

For the District of Waimea West,

Charles Kelling, of Moutere, freeholder;

For the District of Charleston.

George Donne, of Charleston, freeholder;

For the District of Grey,

William Norris Franklyn, of Westport, freeholder;
Samuel Meggit Mackley, of Waituna, Grey, freeholder;

For the District of Suburban North,

Edmund Wastney, of Suburban North, freeholder;

For the District of City of Nelson,

David Mitchell Luckie, of City of Nelson, freeholder;
Henry Adams, of City of Nelson, freeholder;
Alfred Greenfield, of City of Nelson, freeholder;
Arthur Collins, of Suburban North, freeholder;
have been duly elected.

W. GISBORNE.