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GOVERNMENT GAZETTE  
(PROVINCE OF NELSON).

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ALFRED GREENFIELD, Provincial Secretary.

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NELSON, MONDAY, APRIL 7, 1873.

No. 9.

Superintendent's Office, Nelson,  
April 1, 1873.

**P**ROTECTION is hereby Granted, subject to the following conditions, for two years from this date under the provisions of "The Goldfields Act 1866," to JAMES OLIVE and ALEXANDER SHEARER for a Tramway to be constructed along the east side of Palmerston-street, Westport, from Wallibi-street to Wakefield-street, and the said James Olive and Alexander Shearer are hereby authorised, subject to the following conditions, to charge the Tolls hereinafter specified.

1. The tramway is to be completed, to the satisfaction of the Provincial Engineer, by the Thirtieth day of April instant, and must be kept in good working order and repair during the whole of the term to the satisfaction of the Provincial Engineer.
2. That a properly constructed truck shall be run each way every day, except Sundays, at

regular stated times between the hours of eight o'clock a.m. and eight o'clock p.m.

3. That a good lamp, properly lighted, shall be carried in front of the truck when running on dark nights.
4. The tolls shall not exceed the following, viz., For every passenger, One Shilling; for every ton of goods, Four Shillings.
5. The Superintendent reserves the right to cancel this protection at any time during the said term of three years, if any of the above conditions are not carried out to his satisfaction; and in the event of any complaint arising, the Superintendent may suspend the operation of this protection until the matter has been inquired into and decided upon.
6. Should this protection be cancelled, as provided by clause 5 hereof, the said tramway shall become the property of the Provincial Government, and the Superintendent shall

have the right to immediate possession thereof; and the said James Olive and Alexander Shearer shall not be entitled to any compensation or payment for the same.

7. The Superintendent to have the right at any time of taking the tramway at a valuation, to be made in the usual way; in which case the valuation of the work only to be taken, exclusive of goodwill.
8. The tramway shall not interfere with ordinary traffic along the streets mentioned in this protection.
9. This protection shall not interfere with the right of the Superintendent to cause a tramway or railway to be constructed from Westport to the Ninemile, by protection or otherwise.
10. This protection shall not be transferred or assigned without the sanction of the Superintendent.

OSWALD CURTIS,  
Superintendent.

Superintendent's Office, Nelson,  
April 2, 1873.

**J**OHAN ANDERSON is hereby authorised, under the provisions of Section XIII of "The Goldfields Act 1866," to keep a Ferry Boat on the Mokihinui River, and charge tolls, until the 31st December, 1873, as per schedule, on the following conditions:—

1. That a competent Ferryman be always in attendance, with a good safe boat.
2. That all Government Officers, including road overseers, laborers, and postmen, when on duty, shall be ferried across the said river free of charge.

This protection shall not be transferred without the sanction of the Superintendent.

The Warden of the district shall, on being satisfied that the ferry service is not being conducted in a proper and efficient manner, and in accordance with the above conditions, have power to suspend the operation of this protection until the matter of complaint be removed.

SCHEDULE OF TOLLS AUTHORISED.

	s.	d.
For each Passenger	...	1 0
Goods, per ton	...	10 0

OSWALD CURTIS,  
Superintendent.

Superintendent's Office, Nelson,  
April 1, 1873.

**M**ICHAEL DALTON is hereby authorised to charge the undermentioned Tolls on the Footbridge erected by him over the Inangahua River at Reefton, for five years from this date, viz:—

Each person	...	...	6d.
Government Officers, on duty	...	...	Free.

OSWALD CURTIS,  
Superintendent.

Superintendent's Office, Nelson,  
April 1, 1873.

**J**AMES RYAN is hereby authorised to charge the undermentioned Tolls for the Punt Ferry on the Buller River, at the Lyell, for one year from this date, viz:—

	each	s.	d.
Passengers	...	1	0
Horses and Cattle, first 12	...	3	0
All over 12	...	2	6
Sheep, first 40	...	0	6
All over 40	...	0	3
Government Officers, on duty	...	Free	

OSWALD CURTIS,  
Superintendent.

Superintendent's Office, Nelson,  
April 1, 1873.

**F**REDERICK R. BUTT is hereby authorised to charge the undermentioned Tolls for the Wire Suspension Bridge to be erected by him over the Buller River, about 200 yards below the Lyell junction, viz:—

Each person crossing	...	1s.
Government Officers, on duty	...	Free.

OSWALD CURTIS,  
Superintendent.

Superintendent's Office, Nelson,  
April 2, 1873.

**I**T is hereby notified that it is intended, after the expiration of Two Months from the date hereof, to Grant a Lease for Gold-mining purposes, of the Crown Lands within the District of the Nelson South-west Goldfields, hereinafter described, viz:—

A block of land containing one acre two roods and three perches, more or less, situated adjoining the Alpine Company's claim, Lyell District. Applied for by Robert Cairns and others: Little Wonder Company.

ALFRED GREENFIELD,  
Provincial Secretary.

Superintendent's Office, Nelson,  
April 2, 1873.

**I**T 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 Lands within the District of the Nelson South-west Goldfields, hereinafter described, viz:—

1. A block of land containing nine acres three roods and six perches, more or less, situated adjoining the Golden Ledge Company's claim, Murray Creek, Inangahua. Applied for by Frederick Franklyn and others: Hercules Company.

2. A block of land containing six acres three roods and thirty-nine perches, more or less, situated at Rainy Creek, Inangahua. Applied for by J. G. Walsh and others: Nil Desperandum Company.

ALFRED GREENFIELD,  
Provincial Secretary.

Superintendent's Office, Nelson,  
April 2, 1873.

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A block of land containing one acre two roods and thirty perches, more or less, situated at the Caledonian Terrace, Buller District. Applied for by Hugh M'Kenzie.

ALFRED GREENFIELD,  
Provincial Secretary.

Superintendent's Office, Nelson,  
April 2, 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following Gold-mining Lease is declared Forfeited, viz:—

Lease dated July 1, 1872, to James Keeney and others, (No. 64 G), of nine acres and three roods. Grey District.

OSWALD CURTIS,  
Superintendent.

Superintendent's Office, Nelson,  
April 2, 1873.

IT is hereby notified that the following Gold-mining Leases are declared Forfeited, viz:—

BULLER DISTRICT.

No. 14 B. Lease dated January 1, 1870, to John M'Lean, of seven acres.

No. 15 B. Lease dated July 1, 1870, to Peter Brady, of six acres three roods and two perches.

No. 22 B. Lease dated October 1, 1870, to Henry Fahey and others, of seven acres three roods and twelve perches.

No. 36 B. Lease dated April 1, 1871, to George Forman, of six acres.

No. 56 B. Lease dated April 1, 1871, to Robert Oxley, of ten acres.

No. 57 B. Lease dated October 2, 1871, to James M'Gowan, of six acres and thirty perches.

OSWALD CURTIS,  
Superintendent.

Superintendent's Office, Nelson,  
April 2, 1873.

IT is hereby notified that the following Agricultural Leases are declared Forfeited, viz:—

BULLER DISTRICT.

Lease dated July 1, 1868, to James Maitland, of Section 234, Square 141.

Lease dated April 1, 1869, to Alfred Smith, of Section 236, Square 141.

OSWALD CURTIS,  
Superintendent.

Superintendent's Office, Nelson,  
April 2, 1873.

IT it hereby notified that the Superintendent has Refused to Grant the Gold-mining Lease applied for by Charles Flannery and others, for a block of land containing ten acres, more or less, situated at Christmas Terrace, Buller District.

ALFRED GREENFIELD,  
Provincial Secretary.

I, the Undersigned CHARLES HAINES, hereby make application to register THE ARGYLE GOLD-MINING AND WATER SUPPLY COMPANY as a Limited Company, under the provisions of "The Mining Companies Act 1872."

1. The name of the Company is to be the Argyle Goldmining and Water Supply Company, Limited.
2. The place of operations is at Charleston.
3. The registered office of the Company will be situated at Argyle Terrace, Charleston.
4. The nominal capital of the Company is £8,160, in 816 share of £10 each.
5. The number of shares subscribed for is 816.
6. The amount already paid-up is £7,140.
7. The name of the manager is Charles Haines.
8. The names and addresses and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follows:—

Names of Shareholders.	No. of Shares.
Charles Haines, Charleston, Miner	204
William Graham Jackson, Charleston, Miner	204
Philip McCarthy, Charleston, Miner	204
James Egan, Charleston, Miner	68
Joseph Dromgool, Charleston, Miner	68
John Woodcock, Charleston, Miner	68
Total	816

Dated this Fourth day of February, One thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

CHARLES HAINES,  
Manager.

Witness to signature—  
J. HENRY, J.P.

Tenders.

Public Works Office, Wellington,  
March 17, 1873.

THE following list of successful and unsuccessful Tenderers are published for general information.

EDWARD RICHARDSON.

NELSON AND FOXHILL RAILWAY (WAIMEA CONTRACT).

	Accepted:	£	s.	d.
Scott and Robertson, Nelson	...	11,989	6	4
Declined:				
William Strachan, Wellington	...	12,904	10	11
H. Wrigg, Auckland	...	13,344	15	8
Wm. Akersten and three others, Nelson	...	13,942	0	7
Halley and Ewing, Wellington	...	23,367	0	0

THE following Return is published for general information. Superintendent's Office, Nelson, April 2, 1873.

ALFRED GREENFIELD, Provincial Secretary.

ACCOUNT OF LAND IN CULTIVATION, AND OF THE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE THEREOF, IN NEW ZEALAND, FEBRUARY, 1873.  
(TAKEN UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF "THE CENSUS ACTS AMENDMENT ACT 1867,")  
SUPERINTENDENT COLLECTOR'S RETURN.—PROVINCE OF NELSON.

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ELECTORAL DISTRICTS.	NUMBER OF HOLDINGS.	Extent of Land broken up, but not under crop (Acres).	In Wheat.		In Oats.			In Barley.		In Sown Grass.			In Potatoes.		In other crops (Acres).	TOTAL NUMBERS OF ACRES UNDER CROP (INCLUDING SOWN GRASSES).	Quantity of last Year's Crop remaining on hand when Form was filled up.				
			Acres (Sown for Grain only).	Estimated Gross Produce (in bushels).	For Green Food or Hay (Acres).	For Grain (Acres).	Estimated Gross Produce of Grain (in bushels).	Acres (Sown for Grain only).	Estimated Gross Produce (in bushels).	In Hay.		Acres.	Estimated Gross Produce (in tons).	In permanent artificial Grass, including land in Hay (previous column) Acres.			Acres.	Estimated Gross Produce (in tons).	Wheat (in bushels).	Oats (bushels).	Barley (bushels).
										Acres.	Estimated Gross Produce (in tons).										
City of Nelson	45	6	10	336	21	...	...	...	...	18	14	381½	3¼	10	57¼	473	...	...	...		
Suburbs of Nelson	237	2132½	1306	17907½	1050	399½	5321	426¾	5222	546	533¾	6867¾	99¼	281¼	142¾	10291½	75	62	...		
Waimea	202	432	804½	7491	511	438½	4505	33½	285	307	267½	5589½	97½	366	66½	7540½	80	143	...		
Motueka	348	387	1368½	19032½	212½	674½	10352	352½	3674	536	560½	11335	420½	1735	371½	14734½	732	66	...		
Collingwood	175	90½	87	1314	34¾	49¾	933½	7¼	135	175½	240½	3158¾	103¾	670¾	16½	3458¾	...	...	...		
Cheviot	30	1335½	...	...	214	50	1750	...	...	128½	164	9630¾	35½	179	6	9936½	...	...	...		
Buller	91	40½	...	...	234	12½	375	...	...	13	18½	519	190	1181½	43	998½	...	...	...		
Grey	94	156½	...	...	948½	281½	9240	¼	10	163	203½	1252¾	187½	1522	63¾	2734½	...	...	...		
General Totals for Province	1222	4580	3575½	46081	3225¾	1905¾	32476½	820½	9326	1887	2001¾	38734¾	1137¼	5946	767	50166½	887	271	...		

I certify that the above is a correct compilation from the original Returns.

ROBT. POLLOCK,  
Superintendent Collector.