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A. FOLLETT HALCOMBE,
PROVINCIAL SECRETARY.

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FRIDAY, MAY 20, 1870.

No. 11

Brunswick Highway District.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, May 13th, 1870.

IT has been notified to this office by the Chairman, that at the annual meeting of the ratepayers of the above district the following persons were elected a Board of Wardens for the ensuing two years, viz:—

Mr. W. H. Watt
" H. Dyke
" P. Mussen
" John Boyce, chairman
" A. Campbell
" A. Wright

A. FOLLETT HALCOMBE,
Provincial Secretary.

Sheep Inspector's Report.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, May 13th, 1870.

IT has been notified to this office by the Inspector for the East Coast District that he has granted clean certificates for the undermentioned flocks of sheep:—

DUNCAN CAMERON, Blairlogie, dated 8th April, 1870;
H. DYMCK, Mungapokepa, dated 19th April, 1870;
HENRY WISHAW, Te Nui, dated 21st April, 1870;
R. & F. Maunsell, Te Nui, (ewe flock) dated 21st April, 1870.

A. FOLLETT HALCOMBE,
Provincial Secretary.

Sheep Inspector's Report.

Provincial Secretary's office
Wellington, April 7th, 1870.

IT has been notified to this office by the Inspector of Sheep for the East Coast District that he has cancelled the clean certificate of

MESSRS. MURCH & HALES, Flat Point,
from 5th March, 1870; also that he has granted clean certificates to

Mr. JAS. NICHOLL, Tauerau,
dated 18th March, 1870, and

R. & F. MAUNSELL, Te Nui,
dated 28th March, 1870.

A. FOLLETT HALCOMBE,
Provincial Secretary.

Leasing Educational Reserve.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, May 19, 1870.

NOTICE is hereby given that tenders for the lease of the Educational Reserve, Wainuiomata, will be received at this office on or before noon of Wednesday, the 15th day of June, 1870, for a period of fourteen years, subject to conditions printed in *Gazette*, dated March 5th, 1870.

Plans to be seen at the School-house, Wainuiomata.

A. FOLLETT HALCOMBE,
Provincial Secretary.

Sheep Inspector's Report, Wairarapa.

RETURN OF SHEEP IN THE WAIRARAPA DISTRICT FOR THE YEAR ENDING MAY 31st, 1890.

Name of Owner or Person in Charge.	Run or Freshhold.	Number of Sheep.	Rate.	Scab or Clean.	Station when visited.	Remarks.
			£ s. d.			
Ansell, William	Masterton	151	0 6 3½	Clean	December 19	No return from the Otaraia station, supposed to be about 6000 sheep
Boys, Burton	Taratahi West	36	0 1 6	...	June 26	
Dicknell, William	Eden Place	220	0 9 2	...	November 11	
Esird, Martin	Battorosa Farm	950	1 19 7	...	November 11	Visited Messrs. Bootham's station, Brancipath, July 16
Benton, Thomas	Heifer Station	25	0 1 0½	...	November 11	
Bidwell, C. R.	Pianoa	5064	10 11 0	...	June 28, October 10	December 21, at the Court at Whareama
Barton, R.	White Rock	12400	31 13 4	...	August 13, October 28, December 23	
Burling, H., senr.	Wairongamui	1020	2 2 6	Scab	August 19, December 11	Mr. Burling is now fencing off the bush hills, and until this is done, he will have difficulty in cleaning his flock
Blatchford, John	Tamatic	50	0 2 1	Clean	December 15	
Barnett, William	Ta Witi	500	1 0 10	Scab	July 15, September 8	
Bruce, Alexander	Opaki	280	0 10 10	Clean	December 15 (Jan. 19, Mar. 21, Ap. 8)	
Bennett, Jos.	Otahuao	2275	6 8 11½	...	July 13, August 17, Sept. 13, Nov. 24,	
Buck and Kemble	Punui	2400	5 0 0	Scab	July 6, January 19, March 12	
Bunny, H.	Fern Side	4500	9 7 6	Clean	November 6	
Bassett, W.	Carterton	49	0 2 0½	...	September 9	
Brightwell, William	Taratahi West	300	0 13 6	...	November 28, January 27	
Bunnister, H.	Masterton	2300	5 4 2	...	July 6, November 27	
Bennett, William	Masterton	230	0 9 7	...	December 19	
Braithwaite, H.	Tutu	100	0 6 8	...	October 10	
Bunny, Arthur	Kakaripakari	1200	2 10 0	...	June 26, June 28, November 13, Dec. 19	
Callister, H.	Carterton	50	0 2 1	...	September 9	
Carbeck, S.	Toroanga	829	1 14 6½	...	September 28	
Cotter, P.	Riverside	2098	6 9 1	...	November 6	
Crayne, Holmes	Masterton	212	0 8 10	...	December 19	

SHEEP INSPECTOR'S REPORT, (CONTINUED).

Name of Owner or Person in Charge.	Ran or Freehold.	Number of Sheep.	Rate.	Scab or Clean.	Station when Visited.	Remarks.
			£ s. d.			
Campbell, J.	Taratahi	370	0 11 8	Clean	March 30	
Chittenden, Mrs.	Masterton	6	0 0 8	...	December 19	
Collins, H.	Te Ore Ore	4000	8 6 8	Scab	July 13, August 17, August 24, Aug. 28,	
Cameron, Messrs.	Pahan	10100	21 0 10	Clean	Dec. 8, Jan. 8, Jan. 19, March 11	Visited by Mr. Telford Fresh owner
Compton, Wm.	Masterton	49	0 1 8	...		
Corpe, Wm.	Taratahi West	280	0 11 8	...	June 26, September 8, November 26	
Cross, I.	Featherston	101	0 4 2½	...	March 6	
Cockburn, R.	Low Manais	500	1 0 10	...	December 19	
Dakin, R.	Park Lands	2840	5 10 0	...	June 24, August 8, January 21	
Donald, Rhodes	Manais	900	1 17 6	...	October 20	
Dorset, E.	Opaki	180	0 7 6	...	December 15	
Dale, P.	Ramsdale	1400	2 5 10	...	August 13	
Dalgity, D.	Taratahi West	230	0 9 7	...	June 22, June 24, Aug. 8	
Dixon, Chas.	Masterton	76	0 8 2	...	August 28	
Dixon, Robert	Carterton	72	0 3 0	...	September 9	
Daysh, Richmond	Brightfield	500	1 0 10	...	September 25, April 7	
Driscoll, Jas.	Taratahi West	12	0 0 6	...	June 25	
Dorsett, W. L.	Opaki	350	0 14 7	...	December 15	
Edwards, Chas.	Taratahi West	50	0 2 1	...	January 21	
Edwards, George	Taratahi East	750	1 11 3	...	June 24, October 23, January 21	Oct. 26, Dec. 4, March 23, at Otaraia
Fairbrother, R.	Carterton	80	0 8 4	...	September 9 (Jan. 14)	
Francis, Walter	Taratahi West	1200	2 10 0	...	June 23, June 26, September 24, Dec. 17,	This flock has changed ownership from Mr. C. Edwards
Francis, Wm.	Taratahi West	23	0 0 11½	...	July 4, September 24	Fresh owner
Goodrick, G. F.	Kai Wai Wai	34	0 1 5	...		
Grant, Robert	Bannockburn	225	1 1 10½	Scab	July 7, September 22, November 3	
Hellard, Messrs.	Tauherenikau	800	1 13 4	Clean	November 6	
Hodder, Walter	Featherston	550	1 2 11	...	September 12	
Hume, Peter	Tauarua	3200	6 17 6	...	August 13, October 29, March 23	

SHEEP INSPECTOR'S REPORT, (CONTINUED).

Name of Owner or Person in Charge.	Run or Freehold.	Number of Sheep.	Rate.	Scab or Clean.	Station when Visited.	Remarks.
			£ s. d.			
Harris, Abraham	Houtstara	2000	4 11 8	Scab	June 20, May 5	
Hirschberg and Mitchell	Morrison's Run	2000	4 8 4	Clean	November 11	
Harvey, James	Opaki	300	0 12 6	...	December 15	
Hunt, Brown	Masterton	100	0 4 2	...	December 19	
Humphries, William	Greytown	80	0 3 4	...	October 23	
Issiah Whakana	Manaiā	301	0 12 6½	...	March 29	
Jackson, Henry	Stonestead	1050	2 8 9	...	November 6	
Jury, John	Ahiarohi	754	1 11 5	Scab	July 6	
Kelly, Joseph	Tarongani	1900	2 19 2	Clean	August 12	
Kibbwhite, William	Paradise Farm	780	1 11 8	...	May 21	
King, Geo.	Carterton	15	0 0 7½	...	September 9	
Kempson, Thos.	Greytown	1866	2 17 9	...	May 7	
Lucena, W. L.	Pigeon Bush	1600	2 6 11	...	September 11, September 20, May 27	
McLeod, Angus	Opaki	140	0 5 10	...	December 15	
McLeod, James	Pahana	4000	2 6 8	...	May 5	
McLeod, William	Whakaponi	1500	2 2 6	...	December 4	
Matthews, Jacob	Masterton	520	1 1 8	...	March 4	
Masters, Joseph	Masterton	220	0 14 7	...	August 28, March 15	
Mitchell, Wm.	Taratahi West	300	0 12 6	...	September 2, September 25, December 7	
McKenzie, A. and A.	Taratahi East	850	1 15 5	...	May 3	
McKenzie, Jno.	Taratahi East	820	1 14 7	...	May 3	
McKenzie, Mrs.	Masterton	24	0 1 0	...	August 28 [Mar. 23, May 1	
McMasters, Angus	Taiterata and Tupurupuru	21061	45 15 0½	...	June 20, Aug. 20, Feb. 2, Mar. 12, Mar. 19,	
		...		Scab	June 23, July 1, May 11, May 19	
McKenzie, Alex.	Masterton	152	0 0 4	Clean		Fresh owner
Marrison, Hugh	Glenmassein	250	0 14 7	...	December 5	
Matthews, Alfred	Kiriwai	9000	18 15 0	...	December 11	
McLachlan, Duncan	Spring Bank	700	1 9 2	Scab	July 1, July 7, November 8	

SHEEP INSPECTOR'S REPORT, (CONTINUED).

Name of Owner or Person in Charge.	Run or Freehold.	Number of Sheep.	Rate.			Scab or Clean.	Station when Visited.	Remarks.
			£	s.	d.			
Nicol, William	Featherston	2700	5	12	6	Clean	September 29	Mr. O'Mera has never allowed the disease to spread in his flock
Oats, Wm.	Taratahi East	108	0	4	6	...	August 8	
Nopera Tiki	Leong Bush	359	0	14	11½	...	July 6	
O'Meara, John	Ahiaruki	2840	5	18	4	Scab	July 6, November 29, March 13	
Proudfoot, Wm.	Taratahi East	143	0	5	11½	Clean	August 8	
Perry, P. B.	Taratahi East	2500	5	4	2	...	September 8, April 30	
Perry, Walter	Masterton	180	0	5	5	
Parker, William	Cartorton	29	0	1	2½	...	September 9	
Pharazyn, E. and C.	Watarangi	11500	23	19	2	...	October 14	
Reid, Mrs.	Taratahi West	190	0	5	0	...	September 8, September 24, May 31	
Russell, John	Wangsimeana	7200	15	0	0	...	August 11, October 12, March 24	
Rossiter, William	Taratahi West	230	0	9	7	...	June 26, November 13, March 29	
Robel, H.	Matihengi	3300	6	17	6	...	November 27	

SHEEP INSPECTOR'S REPORT, (CONTINUED).

Name of Owner or Person in Charge.	Run or Freehold.	Number of Sheep.	Rate.	Scab or Clean.	Station when Visited.	Remarks.
Tankersley, J. W.	Opaki	800	£ s. d. 1 13 4	Clean	December 15	Fresh owners
Tuck, John	Masterton	345	0 14 4½	...		
Udy, H.	Greytown	600	1 5 0	...	September 9	
Vennell, S.	Morua	1600	3 6 8	...	November 6	
Vilo, John	Pleasant Place	78	0 3 0½	...	September 19	
Vicory, John	Helper Station	15	0 0 7½	...	November 11	
Welch, Wm.	Opaki	2800	5 15 8	...	Aug. 28, Sept. 14, Dec. 15, Dec. 10	
Welch, J. and R.	Opaki	700	1 9 2	...	December 15	
Wilson and Nicholas	Dry River	1100	2 5 10	...	June 31, Dec. 23, March 29, May 19	
Wilton, Chas.	Taratahi	150	0 6 3	...	March 20	
Wilton, Wm.	Taratahi	300	0 12 6	...	March 20	
Wilton, Thomas	Taratahi	250	0 10 5	...	March 4	
Wilson, Robert	Houatara	9530	19 17 1	Scab	January 26	
Williams, Messrs.	Kai Wei Wei	400	0 16 8	Clean	November 11	
Wilkinson, James	Lake Meadows	1450	3 0 5	...	September 29	
Woodruffe, Wm.	Masterton	115	0 4 9½	...	August 28	
Wrigley, James	Masterton	56	0 2 4	...	May 21	
Wi Mapahu	Long Bush	2000	4 3 4	Scab	July 8, Aug. 6, Sept. 22, May 4	
Wall, Anthony	Walloch	4000	8 6 8	...	August 3, March 13	
Wi Waka	Te Ore Ore	500	1 0 10	...	March 13	
Walker, William	Carterton	100	0 4 3	Clean	September 9	
Wakelin, William	Carterton	50	0 2 1	...	September 9	
Wratton, William		270	1 8 9	...	[Dec. 4, Feb. 15, Jan. 26, April 23	Fresh owner
Waterhouse	Huangaeroa	25580	53 5 10	Scab	Jan. 31, Aug. 5, Aug. 11, Aug. 14, Oct. 11,	
Wardell, H. S.	Featherston	100	0 4 3	Clean	September 27	
Yule, R.	Tauherenika	46	0 1 11	...	November 7th	
		226751	4472 7 11½			

REPORT.

SINCE my Report last year many of the Flocks which were then in a very diseased state, have been either got clean, or so near it that nothing is at present visible; still, with large flocks, and in a rough country, where clean mustering is most difficult, until the shearing is over there is no certainty but that the disease may again make its appearance. The only flocks that are now in a bad state are those of the Otarāia, Hautotara and Longbush stations.

Mr. Anderson, whom I understood to have the management of the Otarāia station, and who gave me notice of scab in the flock, having failed to clean it in the six months allowed by the Act, when brought to Court pleaded that he was not the owner or person in charge at the time he gave the notice; and further, that if responsible when notice was given, the flock having subsequently passed into other hands, his responsibility had ceased; consequently the case was thrown out, there being no clause in the Act to meet the case of a flock changing owners whilst scabby; therefore, for a lengthened period these sheep have been ruinously neglected. Little doubt exists but that both the Hautotara and Huangarua flocks became scabby from sheep trespassing into them from Otarāia.

Mr. Collins has spared neither trouble nor expense in endeavouring to clean his flock, by engaging the most experienced hands, and I can only attribute his failure to down right misfortune.

Whatever is to be done with the Native flock at Longbush I am at a loss to know, no appliances for dipping being yet erected, and the Natives state that they have not the means of doing so.

I have not seen any disease amongst the Taratahi flocks now for a considerable time, but until, as I have said before, shearing is got over there is no certainty but that scab may again appear; though should it do so, the settlers in this district having their lands fenced, it will be little trouble to eradicate, they being able to make clean musters.

I have endeavoured to prevail upon many of the flock owners to erect dips, seeing that their flocks were so precariously situated, but with little success, having no power by the Act to enforce action in this matter.

On the whole there is much less disease in the district than there was at this time last year, and what spread of scab there has been, I attribute to the neglect of the Otarāia flock.

Mr. R. Wilson, of Hautotara, has not as yet erected any appliances upon his station for dipping, and has hitherto made use of that of Mr. Harris, the homesteads adjoining each other; and Mr. Wilson would persist in using Hood's specific as a bath in face of my remonstrance, there being no provision in the Act giving the Inspector power to cause flock owners to erect dips or to use effectual means at once.

This report will doubtless be read by many of the flock owners, and it may not be out of place if I mention, as a suggestion, that in dipping a flock of sheep, after a certain time the liquid in the trough becomes so impregnated with the grease of the sheep, together with dirt taken in from the yard, it is doubtful if this thick stuff will penetrate quickly to the skin, which it is necessary for it to do to effect a cure, and may cause a whole dipping to be a failure. This should be most particularly attended to.

There is now in course of erection three boiling down establishments in the Valley, which will be a great boon to the flock owners and enable them to cull the flocks to their satisfaction.

This report refers to that portion of the district on the Wairarapa side of the Tauerau bush, turning in a line for Pahau, the east being under Mr. Telford's special charge.

I have the honor to be, Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

W. H. DONALD,

A. Follett Halcombe, Esq.,
Provincial Secretary,
Wellington.

Inspector of Sheep, Wairarapa and East Coast.

A BSTRACT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the Province of Wellington for the Quarter commencing on the First day of October, and ending on the Thirty-first day of December, 1869.

RECEIPTS.				EXPENDITURE.						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
1. ORDINARY REVENUE—				1. EXECUTIVE...				743 11 4
Consolidated Revenue ...	2800	0	0	2. LEGISLATIVE				492 19 4
Licenses, Publicans	10	18	9	3. JUDICIAL—						
Do. Watermen	1	10	0	Gaol Department,						
Pilotage, Wellington	100	3	1	Wellington ...				1114	19	2
Do. Wanganui	174	13	6	Do. Wanganui ...				168	8	4
Assessment on Sheep	890	0	11	Police Department				1819	5	10
Hospital Subsidence								3102 13 4		
Money ...	37	7	0	4. CHARITABLE—						
Toll-bar, Kaiwarra				Wellington Hospital				830	1	2
warra ...	423	0	0	Wanganui do.				210	5	1
Queen's Warehouse				Lunatic Asylum ...				529	3	2
and Wharf ...	560	3	4	Charitable Aid ...				429	12	11
	<u>4997 16 7</u>							<u>1999 2 4</u>		
INCIDENTAL RECEIPTS—				5. SPECIAL—						
Fees for Registering				Harbor Department,						
Sheep Brands ...	2	5	0	Wellington ...				695	4	0
Do. Cattle Brands	4	0	0	Wanganui ...				358	19	10
Do. Dogs...	0	15	0	Manawatu Pilot ...				25	0	0
For Books, Education				Lighthouse ...				127	11	2
Depot ...	37	13	3	Signal Stations ...				114	11	5
For Advertising in				Inspectors of Sheep				536	9	4
Gazette ...	1	10	0	Weights and Mea-						
For Maintenance of				sures, &c. ...				50	0	0
Debtors at Gaol...	4	4	0	Dog Nuisance Act				32	10	0
For picking Oakum								<u>1940 5 9</u>		
at Gaol ...	21	14	0	6. MISCELLANEOUS—						
Immigrants' Prom-				Messenger ...				64	1	0
issory Notes ...	48	12	0	Fuel ...				8	9	0
Fines under Scab Act				Printing ...				137	8	3
Wairarapa ...	1	1	0	Miscellaneous Con-						
Wanganui ...	61	14	6	tingencies ...				515	0	3
Rent of Educational				Expenses of Return-						
Reserve, Master-	12	10	0	ing Officers ...				3	12	0
ton ...								<u>728 10 6</u>		
Refund amount twice				7. PUBLIC WORKS, &c.—						
paid ...	2	8	6	Land Purchase De-						
Rent Lower Ferry,				partment ...				454	11	7
Wanganui ...	31	5	0	Land Department...				580	11	6
	<u>220 12 3</u>			Survey Department				2232	10	8
				Engineer's do.				264	17	4
								<u>3532 11 1</u>		
2. SPECIAL—				8. SUNDRY UNDERTAKINGS—						
Balance from General				Grants in Aid, Schools				273	14	6
Government, as per	742	8	8	Ferries, Bells, &c. ...				208	0	0
award ...				Rent of Offices ...				112	10	0
3. TERRITORIAL—				Furniture, Repairs,						
Land Sales and Rents	1797	5	0	and Insurance ...				7	16	0
				Toll Gate ...				75	0	0
Amounts due 31st	78	13	3	Time Ball ...				50	18	0
March, 1869				Honorarium to Mem-						
				bers of Waste						
				Land Board ...				25	0	0
								<u>747 19 0</u>		
				ROADS—						
				Repairs of Roads ...				1207	13	5
				Masterton to Castle						
				Point ...				63	0	0
				Repairs of Bridges				51	9	8
								<u>1322 3 1</u>		
				SUNDRY WORKS—						
				Wanganui Bridge..				205	19	7
				Contingencies for						
				Public Works ...				557	12	10
				Immigration ...				145	13	9
				Queen's Wharf ...				263	16	0
				Road Foxton to Nga-						
				whakarau ...				44	0	0
				Liabilities at 31st						
				March, 1869 ...				298	4	3
								<u>1515 6 5</u>		
Carry forward ...	£7845 15 9			Carry forward...	£16,125 2 2					

