Session XL 1873 (November 1873 to January 1874)

1. The Christchurch Stage Coach Ordinance 1873.

[29th November 1873.]

Whereas it is expedient that an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled "The Municipal Corporation Act Amendment Act, 1873," shall be brought into operation in and for the City of Christchurch in the Province of Canterbury.

Be it enacted by the Superintendent of the said Province of Canterbury, with the advice and consent of the Provincial Council thereof, as follows:

1. Title.

This Ordinance shall be inituled "The Christchurch Stage Coach Ordinance.

2. Act of the General Assembly brought into operation in the City of Christchurch on 1st December 1873

The said Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand is hereby brought into operation in and for the City of Christchurch and shall take effect in and for such city on and from the first day of December One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-Three.

2. The Imprest Supply Ordinance 1873-74.

[2nd January 1874.]

Be it enacted by the Superintendent of the said Province of Canterbury, with the advice and consent of the Provincial Council thereof, as follows:

1. £39,975 advanced on Imprest towards service of twelve months ending 30th September 1874.

Out of the revenues of the said Province there may be issued and applied towards defraying the charge of the Government of the said Province for the twelve months ending the Thirtieth day of September One thousand eight hundred and seventy-four any sums of money not exceeding the sums specified in the Schedule to this Ordinance amounting in the whole to the sum of Thirtynine thousand nine hundred and seventy-five pounds and which sum shall be more particularly expressed in any Ordinance to be passed in this present Session of the Provincial Council for appropriating the Revenue of the said Province for the year ending the Thirtieth day of September One thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

2. Treasurer to pay moneys under warrant of the Superintendent.

The Provincial Treasurer shall issue and pay from time to time any sum or sums of money not exceeding in the whole the sum above specified to such persons and in such proportions as the Superintendent shall by warrant under his hand direct to the Provincial Treasurer and certified by the Provincial Auditor in terms of the "Provincial Audit Act 1866" and the "Provincial Audit Act Amendment Act 1868" direct and such Treasurer shall be allowed credit for all sums paid by him in pursuance of such warrants.

3. Title.

This Ordinance shall be intituled and may be cited as the "Imprest Supply Ordinance 1873-74."

Schedule.

Class 1.— Cass Pension	100 00 00
Class 2.— Administrative	250 00 00
Class 3.— Legislative	150 00 00
Class 4.— Gaols	400 00 00
Class 5.— Police	1,000 00 00
Class 6. — Hospitals	500 00 00
Class 7.— Lunatic Asylum	700 00 00
Class 8.— Charitable Aid	750 00 00
Class 9.— Reformatory	200 00 00
Class 10.— Orphan Asylum	300 00 00
Class 11.— Inspection of Sheep	225 00 00
Class 12.— Harbour	500 00 00
Class 13.— Subsidies to Ferries	100 00 00
Class 14.— Miscellaneous	2,500 00 00
Class 15.— Plantations	200 00 00
Class 16.— Museum (only)	100 00 00
Class 17.— Education	4,500 00 00
Class 18.— Public Works, departmental	250 00 00
Class 19.— Provincial Government Works	450 00 00
Class 20.— Railway, Working Expenses	6,500 00 00
Literage	500 00 00

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Class 1 — Waste Lands Board	100 00 00
Class 2.— Surveys	1,200 00 00

Class 3.— Buildings and Works Class 4. — Immigration 5,000 00 00 3,000 00 00

C.

Class 1.— Railways
Class 2.— Harbour Works

8,000 00 00 2,500 00 00

3. The Diversion of Roads Special Ordinance No. 3 1873.

[23rd January 1874.]

Whereas by an Ordinance of the Superintendent and Provincial Council of Canterbury intituled "The Diversion of Roads Ordinance Session XI. No. 3" it is enacted that except as therein provided no Public Road shall be closed up except under the authority of a Special Ordinance of the Superintendent and Provincial Council in that behalf And whereas it is expedient that a certain Public Road should be closed up:

Be it therefore enacted by the Superintendent of the said Province of Canterbury with the advice and consent of the Provincial Council thereof as follows:

1. Public Road colored green on annexed plan to be closed up.

The Public Road described in the Schedule to this Ordinance and in the plan hereto annexed and therein colored Green shall be closed up and shall henceforth cease to be a public Road.

2. Title.

This Ordinance shall be intituled and may be cited as "The Diversion of Roads Special Ordinance No. 3 1873.

Schedule.

Kowai Road District.

All that piece of land containing by admeasurement seven acres three roods, more or less, being that portion of the Old North Road bounded on the westward by reserve No. 279 (in red); on the eastward by section No. 8065, and reserve No. 895 (in red); on the northward by the road south of sections Nos. 4498 and 7748; and on the southward by a line in continuation of the south-west boundary

of the aforesaid reserve No. 279 (in red), and also by the road forming the northern boundary of section No. 10502.

4. The Diversion of Roads Special Ordinance No. 4 1873.

[23rd January 1874.]

Whereas by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled "The Highways and Watercourses Diversion Act 1858 " it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Superintendent of any Province with the advice and consent of the Provincial Council thereof by any Law or Ordinance to be made or ordained for that purpose to authorise and empower the Superintendent to divert or stop up any public street road highway or thoroughfare in any such Province and also to exchange the land over which any such public street road highway or thoroughfare was laid out or passed And also that it should be lawful for the Governor in the name and on behalf of Her Majesty to make and execute Crown Grants of any land which should be so sold exchanged or disposed of.

And whereas by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled "The Provincial Council Powers Extension Act 1865" it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Superintendent and Provincial Council of any Province and notwithstanding the restriction contained in the Tenth Sub-section of the Nineteenth Section of the Constitution Act to ordain or pass any Law or Ordinance which but for such restriction might have been ordained or passed by such Superintendent and Council affecting any part of the Waste Lands of the Crown within the Province which then was or thereafter should be a public street road highway or thoroughfare:

And whereas it is for the public benefit that parcels of land mentioned and described in the Schedule A. to this Ordinance and delineated on the Plan hereto annexed and thereon coloured Pink should become a Public Highway in lieu of the parcels of land mentioned and described in Schedule B. to this Ordinance and delineated on the Plan hereto annexed and thereon coloured Green and that the said last-mentioned parcels of land should cease to be a Public Road.

And whereas Sir John Cracroft Wilson C.B. hath conveyed the parcel of land mentioned and described in Schedule A. to this Ordinance to the Superintendent of the Province of Canterbury and his successors upon trust for a Public Highway and upon the treaty for the said conveyance it was agreed that the parcels of land mentioned and described in the Schedule B to this Ordinance should be given to the said Sir John Cracroft Wilson C.B. in exchange for the parcel of land conveyed by him as aforesaid.

Be it therefore enacted by the Superintendent of the said Province with the advice and consent of the Provincial Council thereof as follows:

1. Road described in Schedule A to be Public Road.

From and after the passing of this Ordinance the parcel of land conveyed as aforesaid by the said Sir John Cracroft Wilson C.B. and more particularly described in the Schedule A. hereto and coloured Pink on the Plan hereto annexed shall be and remain for ever a Public Highway.

2. Road described in Schedule B to be closed up, and said land to be granted to Sir J.C. Wilson.

From and after the passing of this Ordinance the Public Road passing over the parcels of land described Schedule B hereto and coloured Green on the Plan hereto annexed shall be closed up and the said parcels of land shall be granted to the said Sir John Cracroft Wilson C.B. his heirs and assigns for ever in exchange for the parcel of land conveyed by him as aforesaid.

3. Title.

This Ordinance shall be intituled and may be cited as "The Diversion of Roads Special Ordinance No.4 1873."

Schedules.

Mount Peel Road District.

Schedule. A.

All that piece or parcel of land one chain wide containing by admeasurement one acre two roods sixteen perches (more or less) being part of Rural Section 1415 the western boundary of the said piece of land commencing at a point on the southern boundary of the said section situate about twenty-one chains twenty links east of the north-west corner of section 3309 and running north-westerly and north-easterly to a point on the northern boundary of section 1415 distant about three chains thirty links from the north-eastern corner thereof bounded on the eastward by lines parallel to and one chain distant from the western boundary of section 3309 and on the northern boundary of section 1415 above-mentioned and more particularly delineated and described on the plan hereunto annexed and coloured Pink thereon.

Schedule B.

All that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement one acre and thirtythree perches (more or less) being that portion of the Old Road passing through section 1415 bounded on the northward by the northern boundary of the said section on the southward and partly on the westward by the new line of road running through the same section and more particularly delineated and described by the plan hereunto annexed and coloured Green thereon.

Also all that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement seven perches (more or less) being that portion of the Old Road passing through section 1415 bounded on the westward by the western side of the said road on the eastward by the new line of road and on the southward by the southern boundary of the aforesaid section 1415 and more particularly delineated and described by the plan hereunto annexed and coloured Green thereon.

5. The Stage Carriages Amendment Ordinance 1874.

[23rd January 1874.]

Whereas it is expedient to amend "The Stage Carriages Ordinance 1863."

Be it therefore enacted by the Superintendent of the said Province of Canterbury with the advice and consent of the Provincial Council thereof as follows:

1. Provisions of the "Stage Carriage Ordinance 1863" not to apply to stage carriages plying for hire within ten miles of centre of Christchurch. On and after the first day of January One thousand eight hundred and seventy-four the provisions of the said Ordinance shall no apply to any stage coach plying for hire within the circumference of a circle whose radius shall be of a length not exceeding ten miles measured from the principal Post Office of the City of Christchurch.

2. Title.

This Ordinance shall be intituled and may be cited as "The Stage Carriages Amendment Ordinance 1874."

7. The Classical Schools Reserves Ordinance 1874.

[23rd January, 1874.]

Whereas the parcels of land more particularly described in the Schedule hereto have under and by virtue of "The Public Reserves Act 1854" and "The Public Reserves Act Amendment Act 1862" been granted by the Governor of New Zealand in the name and on behalf of Her Majesty to the Superintendent of Canterbury and his successors upon trust for the Public Service of the said Province as an endowment for a Classical School And whereas by "The Public Reserves Act Amendment Act 1862" it is provided that the Superintendent and Provincial Council of any Province may by any Act or Ordinance to be from time to time duly passed in that behalf direct and declare that any lands vested or which might thereafter be vested in the Superintendent of any Province under the provisions of "The Public Reserves Act 1854" upon trust for any public purposes shall be transferred to and vested in and held by any Corporation Commission or other person or persons having corporate succession to be named in such Act or Ordinance in trust for the like or for any other public purpose to be specified and declared in such Act or Ordinance in such manner and with such powers of lease management and disposition over the same and over all rents issues profits and proceeds thereof and other powers provisions and conditions as should in such Act or Ordinance be expressed or declared And whereas by an Ordinance of the Superintendent and Provincial Council of Canterbury intituled "The Canterbury College Ordinance 1873 "The Canterbury College was constituted a body corporate with perpetual succession. And whereas it is expedient that the said parcels of land should be transferred to and vested in and held by the Canterbury College in trust for the purposes hereinafter declared in the manner and with the powers of lease arrangement and disposition over the same and over all rents issues profits and proceeds thereof hereinafter expressed and contained.

Be it therefore enacted by the Superintendent of the Province of Canterbury by and with the advice and consent of the Provincial Council thereof as follows:

1. Parcels of land described in Schedule to be transferred to Canterbury College.

The said parcels of land described in the Schedule hereto shall be transferred to and vested in and shall be held by the Canterbury College and their successors in trust for the purposes of superior education and subject to the powers of lease management and disposition over the same and over the rents issues profits and proceeds thereof expressed and declared in "The Canterbury College Ordinance 1873."

2. Power given to Superintendent to convey land described in Schedule to Canterbury College.

It shall be lawful for the Superintendent to execute and make any conveyance or other assurance for transferring to and vesting in the Canterbury College and their successors the lands described in the said Schedule hereto and every or any part or parts thereof respectively.

3. Title.

This Ordinance shall be intituled and may be cited as "The Classical Schools Reserves Ordinance 1874."

Schedule.

720 containing	112	0	0
721 containing	102	0	0
722 containing	143	0	0
726 containing	152	0	0
727 containing	200	0	0
728 containing	40	0	0
729 containing	134	0	0
730 containing	209	0	0
731 containing	272	0	0
737 containing	900	0	0
738 containing	607	0	0
739 containing	500	0	0
956 containing	10	0	0

7. The Township of Geraldine Ordinance 1874.

[23rd January 1874.]

Whereas by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled "The Township of Geraldine Act 1873" it is provided that it shall he lawful for the Superintendent and Provincial Council of Canterbury by Ordinance to be passed in that behalf to enact that all or any of the portions of reserves described in the Schedule to said Act being portions of reserves for public gardens and recreation grounds in the township of Geraldine in the said Province shall be sold by auction as town lands or reserved for public purposes and to provide that reserves for the purposes of public gardens and recreation grounds of equal extent to those so sold or reserved shall be made in the said township.

Be it therefore enacted by the Superintendent of the Province of Canterbury with the advice and consent of the Provincial Council thereof:

1. Parcels of land in Schedule C to be sold by auction.

The portions of reserves for public gardens and recreation grounds in the township of Geraldine described in Schedule C to this Ordinance shall be sold by auction as town lands at such time and place and for such price and upon such terms and conditions as the Superintendent by and with the advice and consent of his Executive Council shall determine and proclaim.

2. Parcels of Schedule A to be held in trust by Superintendent for service of the Province.

The specific purposes of public utility for which the portions of reserves for public gardens and recreation grounds in the township of Geraldine described in Schedule A to this Ordinance are held shall be and are hereby changed and such lands shall be henceforth held by the Superintendent of the said Province and his successors in trust for the public service of the Province of Canterbury.

3. Parcel of land in Schedule B to be Reserve for Public Gardens and Recreation Grounds.

The portion of the township of Geraldine described in Schedule B to this Ordinance shall be reserved for the purposes of public gardens and recreation grounds.

4. Title.

This Ordinance shall be intituled and may be cited as "The Township of Geraldine Ordinance 1873."

Schedule A.

1621 (in red). One rood, more or less, being part of Reserve No. 305 (in red) in the town of Geraldine, having frontage to and being bounded on the north-eastward by Talbot street, on the north-westward by Cox street, on the south-westward by a line parallel to the first-named street, and two chains fifty links distant therefrom, and on the south-eastward by a line parallel to the north-west boundary, so as to contain the above quantity.

1622 (in red). Two roods, more or less, being part of Reserve No. 305 (in red) in the town of Geraldine, bounded on the eastward by Talbot street, on the south-westward by High street, on the westward by a line parallel to Talbot street and 250 links distant therefrom, and on the north by a line at right angles to the eastern boundary, so as to contain the above quantity.

1623 (in red). Two roods, more or less, being part of Reserve No. 306 (in red), in the town of Geraldine, bounded on the eastward by Talbot street, on the northeastward by High street, on the westward by a line parallel to the eastern boundary and 250 links distant therefrom, and on the southward by a line at right angles to Talbot street, so as to contain the above quantity.

Schedule B.

1624 (in red). Eight acres one rood and thirty-six perches, more or less, situate in the town of Geraldine, bounded on the north-eastward by Totara street, on the south-eastward by Jollie street, on the south-westward by High street, and on the

north-westward by a line at right angles to the north eastern boundary, so as to contain the above quantity.

Schedule C.

1625 (in red). Three acres two roods and fourteen perches, more or less, being part .of Reserve No. 305 (in red), situate in the town of Geraldine, bounded on the north-westward by Reserve No. 1621 (in red), on the southward by Reserve 1622 (in red), on the eastward by Talbot street, and on the westward by lines parallel to and two chains fifty links distant from the eastern boundary.

1626 (in red). Three acres three roods and twenty-two perches, more or less, being part of Reserve No. 306 (in red), situate in the town of Geraldine, bounded on the northward by Reserve 1623 (in red), on the eastward by Talbot street, on the southward by the southern boundary of the township, and on the westward by lines parallel to and two chains fifty links distant from the eastern boundary.

8. The Diversion of Roads Special Ordinance No. 5 1874.

[23rd January 1874.]

Whereas by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled "The Highways and Watercourses Diversion Act 1858" it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Superintendent of any Province with the advice and consent of the Provincial Council thereof by any law or Ordinance to be made or ordained for that purpose to authorise and empower the Superintendent to divert or stop up any public street road highway or thoroughfare in any such Province and also to exchange the land over which any such public street road highway or thoroughfare was laid out or passed And also that it should be lawful for the Governor in the name and on behalf of Her Majesty to make and execute Crown Grants of any land which should be so exchanged.

And whereas by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled "The Provincial Council Powers Extension Act 1865" it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Superintendent and Provincial Council of any Province and notwithstanding the restriction contained in the Tenth Sub-section of the Nineteenth Section of the Constitution Act to ordain or pass any law or Ordinance which but for such restriction might have been ordained or passed by such Superintendent and Council affecting any part of the Waste Lands of the Crown within the Province which then was or thereafter should be a public street road highway or thoroughfare. And whereas it is for the public benefit that the parcel of land described in the first column of the Schedule hereto should become a public highway in lieu of the parcel of land described in the second column of the said Schedule and that the last-mentioned parcel of land should cease to be a public road and should be granted in exchange for the first-mentioned parcel of land in manner hereinafter mentioned.

Be it therefore enacted by the Superintendent of the said Province with the advice and consent of the Provincial Council thereof as follows:

1. Land described in first column of Schedule be transferred to Superintendent for Public Road.

When and so soon as the parcel of land described in the first column of the Schedule hereto shall have been transferred to the Superintendent and his successors for a public road the same shall be and remain for ever a public highway and a public highway passing over the parcel of land described in the second column of the said Schedule shall be stopped up.

2. Land described in second column of Schedule to be given in exchange for land described in first Schedule.

When and so soon as the parcel of land described in the first column of the said Schedule has been so transferred as aforesaid the parcel of land described in the second column of the said Schedule shall be granted in fee to the persons transferring the parcel of land described in the first column in exchange for the land transferred by them.

3. Title.

This Ordinance shall be intituled and may be cited as "The Diversion of Roads Special Ordinance No. 5 1874."

South Malvern Road District.

Schedule.

First Column	Second Column.
All that parcel of land containing by	All that parcel of land containing by
admeasurement one rood thirty-four	admeasurement one rood and thirty-five
perches, more or less, and being part of	perches fifty-one links wide, being portion
the Section No. 18695 on the Record	of the road abutting on the Road and
Map of the said Province of Canterbury,	Tramway Reserve No. 1601 (in red),
setting out the District of Malvern, and	commencing at the north-east corner of
being fifty.five links wide, commencing at	Rural Section 12778, bounded on the
the north-west corner of the said section,	south-west for a distance of nine chains
and bounded on the east for a distance	ninety-four links by said section last

of ten chains by other part of the said mentioned; and on the east for a section 18695, and on the other side for distance of ten chains sixty-eight links by a distance of ten chains thirty-one links other part of road first mentioned; and on by the Road and Tramway Reserve No. the north-west for a distance of ninety-1601. (in red) and more particularly four links by Rural Section 16876, which delineated and described in the plan said portion of the road proposed to be hereunto annexed and coloured Blue abandoned is more particularly delineated on the plan hereunto annexed thereon. and coloured Yellow thereon.

9. The Diversion of Roads Special Ordinance No. 6 1874.

[23rd January 1874.]

Whereas by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled "The Highways and Watercourses Diversion Aet 1858" it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Superintendent of any Province with the advice and consent of the Provincial Council thereof by any law or Ordinance to be made or ordained for that purpose to authorise and empower the Superintendent to divert or stop up any public street road highway or thoroughfare in any such Province and also to exchange the land over which any such public street road highway or thoroughfare was laid out or passed And also that it should be lawful for the Governor in the name and on behalf of Her Majesty to make and execute Crown Grants of any land which should be so exchanged.

And whereas by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled "The Provincial Council Powers Extension Act 1865" it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Superintendent and Provincial Council of any Province and notwithstanding the restriction contained in the Tenth Sub-section of the Nineteenth Section of the Constitution Act to ordain or pass any law or Ordinance which but for such restriction might have been ordained or passed by such Superintendent and Council affecting any part of the Waste Lands of the Crown within the Province which then was or thereafter should be a public street road highway or thoroughfare.

And whereas it is for the public benefit that the parcel of land described in the first column of the Schedule hereto should become a public highway in lieu of the parcel of land described in the second column of the said Schedule and that the last-mentioned parcel of land should cease to be a public road and should be granted in exchange for the first-mentioned parcel of land in manner hereinafter mentioned.

Be it therefore enacted by the Superintendent of the said Province with the advice and consent of the Provincial Council thereof as follows:

1. Land described in first column of Schedule be transferred to Superintendent for Public Road.

When and so soon as the parcel of land described in the first column of the Schedule hereto shall have been transferred to the Superintendent and his successors for a public road the same shall be and remain for ever a public highway and a public highway passing over the parcel of land described in the second column of the said Schedule shall be stopped up.

2. Land described in second column of Schedule to be given in exchange for land described in first Schedule.

When and so soon as the parcel of land described in the first column the said Schedule has been so transferred as aforesaid the parcel of land described in the second column of the said Schedule shall be granted in fee to the persons transferring the parcel of land described in the first column in exchange for the land transferred by them.

3. Title.

This Ordinance shall be intituled and may be cited as "The Diversion of Roads Special Ordinance No. 6 1874."

Waimate Road District.

First Column	Second Column.
The parcels of land coloured Blue in the	The parcels of land coloured Green in
annexed tracing, viz:—	the annexed tracing, viz:—
No. 1A.—A strip of land one chain wide, being part of section No. 7105, containing by admeasurement 6 acres 3 roods and 24 perches, bounded on the north-eastward by the River Pareora; on the south-westward by the Pareora Valley Road; and on the north-westward and south-eastward by lines in continuation of the north-west and south-	No. 1.—Containing by admeasurement 18 acres and 32 perches (more or less), being the road separating sections 14800 and 14801, commencing at the Otaio Valley Road, and extending in a north- easterly direction to the road passing north-westerly through section 14789. No. 2.—Containing by admeasurement
east sides of the road passing through that section in a north-easterly direction south-east of and next to trig station No. 56.	19 acres 2 roods (more or less), being portion of the Main South Road, extending from the proposed New South Road at the south-west corner of section 7103 to the same road near the
No. 2A.—A strip of land one chain wide, being part of sections Nos. 6227, 6632,	easternmost corner of section 6227.

 and 7104, containing by admeasurement 7 acres (more or less), extending from the Main South Road in a westerly direction to the junction of the Pareora Valley Road with the road forming the south-western boundary of section 6227. No. 3A.—A strip of land one chain wide, being part of sections 6632, 7104, and reserve No. 640 (in red), containing by admeasurement 2 acres 2 roods (more or less), extending between the land last above-described and the Main South Road. No. 4A.—All that piece or parcel of land one chain wide, being part of sections 6228 and 7103, containing by admeasurement 19 acres 3 roods 24 perches (more or less), commencing on the eastern side of the Main South Road, at a point distant about eight chains south of the easternmost corner of section 6632, and running in a southerly, direction to the south-west corner of section 7103, being partly bounded on the south-eastward by the railway reserve, save and except those portions of the roads passing through sections 6228 and 7103, which cross the above- described land in an easterly direction. 	 No. 3.—Containing by admeasurement 10 acres 3 roods 24 perches (more or less), being the road forming the south- west boundary of section 6227, commencing where the proposed new road joins the road passing through section 6228, and extending in a north- westerly direction to the Pareora Valley Road, save and except that portion of the Main South Road to be abandoned, described in No. 2, which is included in this description. No. 4.—Containing by admeasurement 6 acres 3 roods 24 perches (more or less), being that portion of the Pareora Valley Road extending between the South Road and the road forming the south-western boundary of section 6227, save and except that portion of the proposed new road described in No. 3A, which is included in this description.
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10. The Superintendent's Salary Ordinance 1870 Amendment Ordinance 1874.

[23rd January 1874.]

Whereas an Ordinance was passed by the Superintendent and Provincial Council of the Province of Canterbury intituled "The Superintendent's Salary Ordinance 1870" and whereas it is expedient to amend the said Ordinance.

Be it therefore enacted by the Superintendent of the said Province of Canterbury with the advice and consent of the Provincial Council thereof as follows:

1. Repealing Clause.

Section 1 of the said Ordinance is hereby repealed save so far as the same repeals the Ordinance therein mentioned.

2. Superintendent's salary to be £1,000 a year.

From and after the thirty-first day of December one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three the Annual Salary payable and to be paid to the Superintendent of the said Province for the time being and his successors in Office shall be the sum of one thousand pounds.

3. Title.

This Ordinance shall be intituled and may be cited as "The Superintendent's Salary Ordinance 1870 Amendment Ordinance 1874."

11. The Canterbury Sheep Ordinance 1872 Amendment Ordinance 1874.

[23rd January 1874.]

Whereas it is expedient to amend "The Canterbury Sheep Ordinance 1872."

Be it therefore enacted by the Superintendent of the Province and with the advice and consent of the Provincial Council thereof as follows

1. Title.

This Ordinance shall be entituled and may be cited as the "Canterbury Sheep Ordinance 1872 Amendment Ordinance 1874."

2. Repeal of Section 17 and 18.

Sections 17 and 18 of the said Ordinance are hereby repealed and the following provisions shall stand in place thereof respectively:

Possession of Infected Sheep.

If any Inspector of Sheep shall be satisfied that any sheep are infected with scab it shall be lawful for him to give the owner of such sheep an order in writing directing him effectually to clean such sheep within six months from the date of such order and if at the expiration of three months after such period of six months such sheep shall not in the opinion of the Inspector be free from scab or if during such period of six months such owner shall not in the opinion of the Inspector make reasonable exertions to clean such sheep he shall be liable to a penalty of not less than sixpence nor exceeding five shillings for every such infected sheep A separate information under this section may be laid in regard to every separate flock in the possession of one owner and if any one such flock shall exceed three thousand sheep in number a separate information may be laid for every additional three thousand sheep or fractional part of such number contained in such flock.

If any sheep in respect of which a conviction shall have taken place as aforesaid shall remain infected with scab at the end of six months from the date of the said conviction the owner thereof shall be liable to a penalty of not less than one shilling nor more than five shillings for every such infected sheep And such owner shall be liable to a further penalty of not less than one shilling nor more than five shillings for every such infected sheep for every subsequent period of six months during which they shall remain infected with scab.

3. Repeal of Section 20.

Section 20 of the said Ordinance is hereby repealed and the following provision shall stand in the place thereof:

When any owner of sheep shall have several flocks of sheep depasturing upon any run or farm or upon adjoining runs or farms and one of such flocks shall be infected with scab it shall not be lawful for such owner to remove any sheep from any such run or runs farm or farms for a period of three calendar months after he shall have obtained from an Inspector of Sheep a certificate that all the flocks in his possession and depasturing upon such run or runs farm or farms are entirely free from disease unless upon each occasion of removal the whole of such flocks shall be mustered and found free from disease and the sheep required to be removed shall be dipped under the supervision and to the satisfaction of an Inspector of Sheep and any person offending against the provision of this section shall be liable to a penalty of Fifty Pounds.

4. Repeal of Sections 26 and 27.

Sections 26 and 27 of the said Ordinance are hereby repealed and the following provision shall stand in the place thereof respectively:

Importation of Sheep.

If any person shall himself or by means of any agent or servant land or cause to be landed from any ship boat or other vessel any sheep infected with scab or catarrh or which shall within three months previously have been mixed with any sheep so infected or have undergone any dressing for the cure of the scab or shall within such period have depastured on any run or farm whereon there were at the same time depastured any infected sheep or any sheep whatever unless they shall within seven days previous to such landing have been inspected by an Inspector of Sheep and unless such person shall have received from such Inspector of Sheep a certificate in the form or to the effect specified in Schedule C to the said Ordinance he shall be liable to a penalty of One Hundred Pounds and for every day during which such sheep so landed in contravention of the provisions of this section shall be driven depastured or suffered to stray within the Province of Canterbury the owner thereof shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding One Hundred Pounds and the before mentioned certificate shall at any time within six months after the date thereof be produced by the owner of such sheep to any person demanding the same under a penalty of Five Pounds.

It shall not be lawful for any Inspector of sheep to grant the Certificate last mentioned until the person or one of the persons for whom or on whose account the sheep in respect of which such Certificate is applied for is or are required to be landed shall have made before such Inspector a declaration in the form or to the effect specified in Schedule D to the said Ordinance and shall have produced to such inspector satisfactory evidence that such sheep have not been infected with scab or catarrh nor mixed with sheep so infected nor had any scab destroying preparation applied to them nor depastured on any run or farm whereon there were at the same time depastured any infected sheep within the three months then last preceding and any person who shall make any such declaration the same being untrue shall be liable to a penalty of One Hundred Pounds or to be imprisoned for a period not exceeding six calendar months and any Inspector who shall grant any such Certificate without first obtaining such declaration and receiving such evidence as aforesaid shall be liable to a penalty of One Hundred Pounds.

5. Repeal of Sections 29 and 30.

Sections 29 and 30 of the said Ordinance are hereby repealed and the following provisions shall stand in the place thereof respectively:

If any person shall himself or by means of any agent or servant introduce or cause to be introduced into the Province of Canterbury by land any sheep infected with scab or catarrh or which shall within three months previously have been mixed with any sheep so infected or which shall within three months previously have been subjected to any dressing for the cure of the scab or shall within such period have been depastured on any run or farm whereon there were at the same time depastured any infected sheep or any sheep whatever unless they shall within fourteen days previously to such introduction have been inspected by an Inspector of Sheep and unless such person shall have received from such Inspector a certificate in the form or to the effect specified in Schedule C to the said Ordinance that such sheep are entirely free from scab or catarrh he shall be liable for every sheep so introduced to a penalty of not less than one shilling nor more than one pound Provided that if the number of sheep so introduced be less than one hundred he shall nevertheless be liable to penalty of

one hundred pounds and for every day during which such sheep so introduced in contravention of the provisions of this Section shall be driven depastured or suffered to stray within the Province of Canterbury the owner thereof shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds and the before-mentioned certificate shall at any time within six months after the date thereof be produced by the owner of such sheep to any person demanding the same under a penalty of five pounds.

It shall not be lawful for any Inspector of Sheep to grant the certificate last mentioned until the person or one of the persons for whom or on whose account the sheep in respect of which such certificate is applied for is or are required to be introduced shall have made before such Inspector a declaration in the form or to the effect specified in Schedule D to the said Ordinance and shall have forwarded to such Inspector satisfactory evidence that such sheep have not been infected with scab or catarrh nor mixed with sheep so infected nor had any scabdestroying preparation applied to them nor depastured on any run or farm whereon there were at the same time depastured any infected sheep within the then last preceding three months And any person who shall make any such declaration the same being untrue shall be liable to a penalty of one hundred pounds or to be imprisoned for a period not exceeding six calendar months And any Inspector who shall grant any such certificate without first obtaining such declaration and receiving such evidence as aforesaid shall be liable to a penalty of one hundred pounds.

6. Places may, by proclamation, be appointed on the inward boundaries of the Province at which all sheep may be introduced.

It shall be lawful for the Superintendent from time to time by proclamation to be published in the Provincial Government Gazette to appoint one or more place or places at or adjacent to the inland boundaries of the province at some one or other of which places all sheep to be introduced by land into the province shall be crossed over such boundaries and no sheep shall be introduced by land into the said province unless at some one of such places and any person crossing sheep over any such boundary as aforesaid at any other place than one which shall have been proclaimed as aforesaid shall be liable to a penalty of One Hundred Pounds.

7. Repeal of Section 47.

Section 47 of the said Ordinance is hereby repealed and the following provisions shall stand in the place thereof:

Every occupier of any sheep station or run who shall muster his flock or flocks shall twenty-four hours at least before yarding the same give notice to the occupiers of all the adjoining runs or stations of his intention so to yard his sheep And every sheep owner who shall have reason to believe that any of his sheep have strayed on to any land in the occupation of any other sheepowner may by writing under his hand require such other sheepowner to give him notice of his intention to muster his sheep twenty-four hours at least before yarding the same every such notice being given in the manner prescribed for the service of notices by section 40 of the said Ordinance and every person neglecting to give such notice to any such occupier or sheepowner shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Twenty Pounds In the interpretation of this section the word "muster" shall mean the gathering of any flock or flocks for the purpose of docking or earmarking or dipping for the cure of the scab or of shearing.

8. Repeal of Section 54.

Section 51 of the said Ordinance is hereby repealed and the following provisions shall stand in the place thereof:

In the interpretation of the said Ordinance and this Ordinance the words "owner of any sheep" shall mean the person having the charge control or management of such sheep and the word "sheep" shall unless otherwise specially provided be taken to mean all sheep of any age and of either sex The term "Inspector of Sheep" shall mean the Chief Inspector or any inspector appointed by the Superintendent under the provisions of the said Ordinance The term "Highway" shall mean any land laid down as a public road on the map of the Chief Surveyor of the Province of Canterbury The term "herded" shall mean constantly followed and kept in sight The words "infected sheep" shall mean any sheep suffering from or affected with disease or any sheep which have formed part of a flock containing any sheep so suffering from or affected with disease or any sheep which have been in direct or indirect contact with or have been depastured on the same ground or have been placed in the same yard or on board the same ship boat or other vessel as such infected sheep within the next preceding three months unless such sheep are immediately thereafter properly dipped or any sheep which have been dressed or dipped within the same period for the cure of scab and all infected sheep within any such definitions until declared clean All sheep shall be deemed to have been dressed or dipped for the cure of scab to which there shall have been applied any reputed scab destroying preparation unless such sheep shall within fourteen days previously to such application have been inspected by an Inspector of Sheep and have been certified by him to be entirely free from scab Every sheep belonging to any flock or on board any ship boat or other vessel or which may have been placed in any vard or enclosure in which there shall have been at any time within two months previously one sheep infected with scab or catarrh respectively shall be deemed to be infected with scab or catarrh within the meaning of the said Ordinance and this Ordinance unless in the case of scab such yard or enclosure shall in the meantime have been effectually scoured with some reputed effective scabdestroying preparation.