

Christchurch. October 2. 1851
Ordinary General Meeting of the Society of Land
Purchasers.

- 1 The Minutes of the Ordinary General Meetings of 3^d April, and of the Special General Meetings of 25th June & 3^d July were read and confirmed.
 - 2 The Report of The Council was read: The several Documents referred to in this report were also read: namely:—
 - (1) A letter, dated June 11th from the Colonial Secretary in reply to the Minute of the General Meeting of the 3^d April recommending Mr. Ballard to the Office of Landing Waster at Lyttelton
 - (2) A letter ~~was read~~ dated 18th August from the Council to the Colonial Secretary in reference to the appointments to Public Offices in the Settlements
 - (3) A reply to the last mentioned letter, from the Colonial Secretary, dated September 2nd
 - (4) The Memorial sent from the Legislative Council of New Zealand for presentation to Her Majesty praying Her Majesty not to extend the Canterbury Block
 - (5) The Counter Memorial prepared by the Council of the Society for Presentation to Her Majesty & both Houses of Parliament.
- The Report was adopted unanimously.
- 3 Upon the reading of the Memorial from the Council upon the Motion of Mr. Fitzgerald, seconded by Mr. Willock, It was resolved:—

That the Memorial as now adopted be transmitted to his Excellency with a respectful request