

## SCHEDULE.

| No. | Date.                | Writer and Subject of Paper.  |
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| 31  | 12th October, 1863   | Mr. Wilson, Director I.C.R.M. Company, to Mr. Ward—suggesting terms for the Panama Contract.                                    |
| 32  | 12th "               | Mr. Ward to Mr. Wilson, Director, &c.,—in reply to his letter.  |
| 33  | 14th "               | I.C.R.M. Company to Mr. Ward—in reply to letter of 12th Oct.  |
| 34  | 16th "               | Lord Claud Hamilton, Chairman I.C.R.M. Co., to Mr. Ward—stating definitely conditions of proposed Panama Contract.              |
| 35  | 20th "               | Secretary I.C.R.M. Company to Mr. Ward—in reply to a letter of Mr. Ward's (no copy kept.)                                       |
| 36  | 23rd "               | Secretary I.C.R.M. Company to Mr. Ward—suggesting reference to N. Z. Government for their approval.                             |
| 37  | 20th "               | Mr. Ward to Secretary General Post Office—requesting the assistance of the Post Office Solicitor in preparing Contract.         |
| 38  | 26th "               | Secretary to the Post Office in reply.  |
| 39  | 25th "               | Mr. Ward to Colonial Secretary, N.Z.  |
| 40  | 30th "               | Secretary to I.C.R.M. Company to Mr. Ward.  |
| 41  | 2nd November, 1863   | Mr. Ward to I.C.R.M. Company—suggesting amendment of Tender.  |
| 42  | 4th "                | Secretary I.C.R.M. Company to Mr. Ward.   |
| 43  | 7th "                | Right Hon. F. Peel to Mr. Ward—as to carriage of Mails via Panama.  |
| 44  | 12th "               | Secretary I.C.R.M. Company to Mr. Ward—agreeing to modifications.   |
| 45  | 18th "               | Chairman I.C.R.M. Company to Mr. Ward—finally agreeing to terms for service.  |
| 46  | 18th "               | Secretary I.C.R.M. Company to Mr. Ward.   |
| 47  | 19th "               | Mr. Ward to Chairman I.C.R.M. Company—accepting offer of Company.   |
| 48  | 20th "               | Consul-General of France to Mr. Ward—in reference to steamers calling at Tahiti.  |
| 49  | 23rd "               | Mr. Ward to the Consul-General of France—in reply to the above.   |
| 50  | 24th "               | Mr. Ward to Colonial Secretary, N.Z.  |
| 51  | 27th "               | Mr. Ward to Chairman I.C.R.M. Company—relating to the proposal to call at Tahiti.   |
| 52  | 4th December, 1863   | Mr. Ward to the Consul-General for France—relating to his proposal.   |
| 53  | 3rd "                | Mr. Cuncliffe, Solicitor, I.C.R.M. Company, to Mr. Ward—requesting production of his authority.                                 |
| 54  | 4th "                | Mr. Ward to Secretary General Post Office—asking for Survey Report on I.C.R.M. steamers.  |
| 55  | 8th "                | Mr. Ward to Secretary I.C.R.M. Company—with time-table of the Panama Service.   |
| 56  | 10th "               | Secretary I.C.R.M. Company to Mr. Ward—in reply to the above.   |
| 57  | 10th "               | Secretary I.C.R.M. Company to Mr. Ward.   |
| 58  | 11th "               | Opinion of Counsel as to Mr. Ward's power to enter into the Panama Contract.  |
| 59  | 12th "               | Solicitor I.C.R.M. Company to Mr. Ward.   |
| 60  | 12th "               | Secretary-General Post Office to Mr. Ward—in reply to Letter of the 4th Dec.  |
| 61  | 14th "               | Consul-General of France to Mr. Ward.   |
| 62  | 17th "               | Mr. Ward to Chairman I.C.R.M. Company.  |
| 63  | 17th "               | Secretary I.C.R.M. Company to Mr. Ward—fixing passenger rates between Sydney, New Zealand, and Panama.                          |
| 64  | 18th "               | Mr. Ward to Right Hon. F. Peel—as to continuance of the Subsidy of £13,000.   |
| 65  | 18th "               | Mr. Ward to Mr. Wilson, Director I.C.R.M.—as to assignment of Contract.   |
| 66  | 18th "               | Mr. Ward to Colonial Secretary, N.Z.—transmitting copies of Contract.   |
| 67  | 7th March, 1864      | Postmaster-General, N.Z., to Hon. Reader Wood.  |
| 68  | 7th April, 1864      | Colonial Secretary, N.Z., to Mr. Wood—enclosing Memorandum on Contract.   |
| 69  | 29th March, 1864     | General Manager I.C.R.M. Company to Postmaster-General, N.Z.—proposing increased speed of Steamers for increased Subsidy.       |
| 70  | 31st "               | Postmaster-General, N.Z.,—in reply.   |
| 71  | 29th April, 1863     | Lord Stanley, of Alderley, H.M.'s Postmaster-General, to Lords of the Treasury—respecting Mail Service to Australia via Panama. |
| 72  | 27th September, 1858 | H.M.'s Postmaster-General—Minute on the Panama Mail Service.  |