

No. 21.

MEMORANDUM No. 29, 1872, for the AGENT-GENERAL, London.

HEREWITH I forward for your information, copies of two letters noted in the margin from the Immigration Officer at Auckland with reference to the immigrants by the "Ballarat."

G. M. WATERHOUSE,
(for the Hon. Minister of Immigration.)

Lands and Immigration Office,
Wellington, New Zealand, 27th November, 1872.

Enclosure 1 in No. 21.

Dr. POLLEN to the Hon. the MINISTER for LANDS and IMMIGRATION.

SIR,— General Government Office, Auckland, 15th November, 1872.

I have the honor to report that on the 27th September ultimo, the immigrants transhipped from the "Ballarat" at Napier arrived here by the s.s. "Rangatira," and were landed and taken to Barracks on the following day.

Enclosed are returns showing the nationalities of the immigrants, and report by the Barrack Master showing how the families and individuals have been disposed of. The greater portion of the labourers found employment on the railway works, and, of the single women, those who did not join their friends were at once engaged as servants at current rates of wages.

The Hon. Minister for Lands and Immigration,
Wellington.

I have, &c.,
DANIEL POLLEN,
Immigration Officer.

RETURN of Nationalities arrived by ship "Ballarat," on 27th September, 1872, having been sent from Napier in "Rangatira."

Country.	Adults.		Children.		Infants.		Remarks.
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	
Government Immigrants—	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	
England	4	12	1	3	1	...	21 souls.
Scotland	4	5	2	2	...	1	14 "
Ireland	*5	9	1	3	...	...	18 "
Brogden's Immigrants—							
England	5	5	4	3	2	1	20 souls.
Scotland ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ireland	1	1	3	1	...	...	6 souls.
Total	19	32	11	12	3	2	

RECAPITULATION OF ADULTS.

Males ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	19
Females ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	32
Eleven male children	...	...	...	...	...	...	5½
Twelve female children	...	...	...	...	...	...	6
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	62½

Two men, James McCahey and Wm. Crawford arrived in "Ballarat," but are not in list of immigrants.

* Jocelyn Fletcher remained in Napier (ran away from ship).

LIST of ASSISTED IMMIGRANTS by the Ship "Ballarat," from London to Auckland, arrived 28th September, 1872, in Barracks.

	Adults.	Children.	Statute Adults.
MESSRS. BROGDEN AND SON.			
Single men	2		2
Six families	12	11 }	17½
Infants	3	3 }	
GENERAL GOVERNMENT.			
Six families	12	8 }	16
Infants ... ..	...	2 }	
Single men	7		7
Single Women	21	4	22
Total	54	28	64½