

10. No person shall take, fish for, catch, or kill, in any manner whatsoever, or have in his possession, any salmon, salmon-parr, or smolts, or the ova, young, or fry of any of the salmonidæ or trout in any stage whatever; and any of the above-mentioned fish or things taken by accident or otherwise shall immediately be returned to the water from which it was or they were taken.

11. No person shall buy, sell, or expose or offer for sale, within the said County of Stratford and [or] Borough of Stratford any of the salmonidæ or trout, or take, fish for, catch, or kill any of the salmonidæ or trout in order to make sale of the same, without the permission in writing under the hand of the Secretary of the Stratford Acclimatisation Society first had and obtained for such purposes.

12. No person, persons, or corporation shall place, cast, or put in any of the rivers, streams, or waters or creeks mentioned in the Schedule hereto any sawdust or sawmill refuse, and the casting of sawdust or any sawmill refuse in any of the said rivers, streams, creeks, or waters is hereby prohibited.

13. The penalty for the breach of any of these regulations shall be such sum of money, not exceeding fifty pounds and not being less than forty shillings, as the Justices of the Peace by whom the information charging such breach shall be heard, tried, determined, and adjudged shall appoint or fix, and such penalty is hereby imposed.

14. If any person shall be convicted of any offence against these regulations, the license (if any) held by the offender shall thereupon become void.

15. These regulations shall come into force as from the date of the publication thereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

*The Schedule hereto.*

The Patea River, the Kahouri River, the Piakau River, the Rum-keg Creek (a tributary of the Manganui River), the Manganui River, the Waingongoro River, the Gentle Annie Stream, the Konini or Cold Stream (tributaries of the Patea River), the Toko River, the Waipuku River, the Waitara River, the Mangaehu River, the Makuri River, the Makino River, and every tributary of any of such rivers respectively.

J. F. ANDREWS,  
Acting-Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Hares may be taken or killed in the South Malvern Road District, County of Selwyn.*

RANFURLY, Governor.

IN pursuance of the powers vested in me by "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and the Acts amending the same, I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby declare that from

and after the date hereof hares shall cease to be within the operation of the said Acts within the South Malvern Road District.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fifteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and one.

WM. HALL-JONES.

*Virginian Deer, &c., turned at large in Nelson Acclimatisation Society's District declared to be vested in Chairman of that Society.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 10th June, 1901.

HIS Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified that the Nelson Acclimatisation Society have turned at large a number of Virginian deer and Virginian quail in the Nelson District, and that the property in such deer and quail, and their offspring, is deemed to be absolutely vested in the Chairman of the said Nelson Acclimatisation Society for a period of three years from the date hereof, as provided by section 38 of "The Animals Protection Act, 1880."

J G. WARD.

*Probation Officer appointed.*

Department of Justice (Prisons Branch),  
Wellington, 10th June, 1901.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Sergeant JOSEPH SWINBURNE KELLY  
to be Probation Officer for the Boroughs of Christchurch, St. Albans, and Sydenham, *vice* Sergeant William Lyons, transferred.

JAMES MCGOWAN.

*Clerks of Courts, &c., appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 26th June, 1901.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable ANDREW CHRISTIE  
to be Clerk of the Magistrate's Court at Waimate, and Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Waitaki, from the 10th instant, *vice* F. S. Parker; and

Constable JOHN WALTON  
to be Clerk of the Magistrate's Court at Mosgiel, and Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Taieri, from the 8th instant, *vice* Constable A. Christie, transferred.

JAMES MCGOWAN.