



SHEEP ORDINANCES AMENDMENT ORDINANCE 1873.

IN THE THIRTY-SEVENTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF HER MAJESTY
QUEEN VICTORIA.

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AN ORDINANCE to amend the various Ordinances relating to Sheep now in Title.
force in the Province of Otago. [30TH JULY 1873.]

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend certain Ordinances relating to Preamble.
Sheep and to make other provisions in lieu thereof:

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Superintendent of the Province of Otago by and with the advice and consent of the Provincial Council thereof as follows:—

1. This Ordinance may be cited and referred to as the "Sheep Ordinance Amendment Ordinance 1873." Short Title.

2. In the construction of this Ordinance the word "owner" when used in the sense of owner of sheep shall be held to include the person having the charge control or management of any sheep as well as the person to whom such sheep shall actually belong: The word "sheep" shall include rams ewes wethers and lambs: The word "inspector" shall mean any inspector of sheep who has been or shall be appointed under the provisions of the "Sheep Ordinance 1867." Interpretation clause.

3. Section 4 of the "Sheep Ordinance 1868" shall be and the same is hereby repealed. Repeal of section 4 of the "Sheep Ordinance 1868."

Sheep not to be imported into the Province until permission given by inspector, who may cause sheep to be dressed within 48 hours of landing.

4. No sheep shall be imported into the Province of Otago by sea until such sheep shall have been inspected by an Inspector previous to their being landed and such Inspector shall have given permission to land such sheep. It shall be lawful for any Inspector to order and cause any such sheep to be well dipped or dressed by some reputed effective scab-destroying preparation prescribed by such Inspector. Such sheep to be so dipped or dressed within forty-eight hours of their being so landed at some convenient place not further than one mile from the place at which such sheep were so landed. All expenses and charges attending the dressing of such sheep so imported or landed shall be borne and paid by the owner thereof. Any person importing or landing any sheep contrary to the provisions of this Ordinance shall forfeit and pay for every such offence any sum not less than £50 nor more than £100. And every person so offending may be proceeded against for such offence upon the information of an Inspector or any other person.

Penalty

Inspector to charge a fee of £3 for every flock of sheep so imported.

5. For every inspection of sheep made on board of any ship vessel or steamer a fee of £3 shall be charged by the Inspector making such inspection and no certificate or authority to land any sheep shall be given by such Inspector until the said fee of £3 shall have been paid to him by the owner of such sheep.

Sheep not to be introduced into the Province by land until certificate granted by inspector.

6. No sheep shall be introduced into the Province of Otago by land until after the same shall have been inspected by an Inspector and until such Inspector shall have granted a certificate in the form in Schedule D to the "Sheep Ordinance 1867." Such inspection to be made in a good and secure yard with a pen attached to it such pen not to hold more than 200 sheep at a time and such yard to be provided by the owner of such sheep or the Province from which such sheep are being brought: And such yard shall not be situated at a greater distance than three miles in a straight line outside the boundary of this Province: And if any sheep shall be introduced into the Province by land contrary to the provisions of this Ordinance the owner of such sheep shall forfeit and pay for every such offence any sum not less than £50 nor more than £100: And every person so offending may be proceeded against for such offence upon the information of an Inspector or any other person.

Penalty.

Fee of 1d per head to be charged by inspector for every sheep inspected.

7. For every inspection of sheep to be introduced into the Province of Otago by land a fee of one penny (1d) per head for every sheep so inspected shall be charged by the Inspector making such inspection: And no certificate or authority to introduce any sheep by land shall be given by such Inspector until the said fee of one penny (1d) per head for every sheep shall have been paid to him by the owner of such sheep.

Inspector may cause sheep to be introduced by land into Province to be dressed if necessary.

8. Should any Inspector after having inspected any sheep to be introduced into the Province of Otago by land deem it necessary he may order and cause such sheep to be dressed to his satisfaction with some reputed effective scab-destroying preparation to be prescribed by such Inspector: And if such Inspector shall deem it necessary he may order and cause such sheep to be so dressed as aforesaid a second time at an interval of not less than twelve clear days such sheep to be so dressed at some convenient place not further than three miles outside the boundary of the said Province of Otago in a proper and efficient dipping apparatus to be approved of by the Inspector and to be provided by the owner of such sheep or the Province from which such sheep are being brought: And the Inspector shall not grant a certificate to the owner of sheep so dressed until after the expiration of twelve clear days from the time of such sheep being so dressed: And all expenses and charges attending the dressing of such sheep shall be borne and paid by the owner of such sheep.

9. All moneys received by any Inspector by way of head money or inspection fees together with all fines and penalties recovered under the provisions of this Ordinance shall be accounted for and paid to the Provincial Treasurer of the Province of Otago by the person or persons receiving or recovering the same. All moneys to be accounted for.

10. Nothing herein contained or implied shall prejudice or affect the right of action or other remedy of any person who shall have incurred or sustained any loss damage or expense through in consequence or by reason of any infringement or breach of this Ordinance against any person not conforming with the provisions of this or any other Ordinance or Ordinances relating to sheep. Right of action against any person infringing this Ordinance not affected.

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