

## WELLINGTON—continued.

No.	Date.	From.	To.	Subject.
36	1871. May 25	Superintendent of Wellington	Hon. Col. Secretary...	Requesting that arrangements may be made for introducing the following classes of immigrants, viz.:— (1) 500 labourers, with their wives and families; (2) 500 unmarried females; (3) 400 nominated immigrants; (4) 100 families Scandinavians; and (5) sundry manufacturers.
37	May 26	Superintendent of Wellington	Hon. Col. Secretary...	Renewing application of previous Superintendent, contained in No. 35.
38	May 31	Hon. Col. Secretary...	Superintendent of Wellington	Enclosing regulations for nominated immigration made by the Governor.
39	June 1	Hon. Col. Secretary...	Superintendent of Wellington	Government prepared to introduce immigrants of classes 2 and 5, those of class 4 having already been sanctioned; but declining to introduce classes 1 and 3 until provision for locating them has been made. Object to promissory-note system.
40	June 5	Hon. Col. Secretary...	Agent-Gen., London	Forwarding correspondence, and directing him to act on assurance given by Government in reference to classes 2, 3, and 5.
41	July 4	Superintendent of Wellington	Hon. Col. Secretary...	Detailing arrangements proposed for locating classes 1 and 4 on blocks of land to be set apart for that purpose in the neighbourhood of public works, and urging adoption of promissory-note system.
42	July 8	Hon. Minister for Public Works	Agent-Gen., London	Government, for reasons stated, have sanctioned classes 1 and 4; to arrive, however, within two years instead of one year as originally intended. Attention directed to form and execution of promissory note.
43	July 18	Hon. Col. Secretary...	Superintendent of Wellington	In reply to No. 41, Government have sanctioned the introduction of classes 1 and 4 during two years instead of one as originally contemplated. Encloses copy of Memorandum (No. 10) to Agent-General (No. 42), and requests regulations may be prepared for the whole of the assisted immigration now sanctioned.
44	July 25	Superintendent of Wellington	Hon. Col. Secretary...	Forwarding draft regulations for assisted immigration.
45	August 8	Hon. Col. Secretary...	Superintendent of Wellington	Regulations for assisted immigration have been made by the Governor, and issued in last <i>New Zealand Gazette</i> , enclosed.

## NELSON.

46	1871. Feb. 10	Superintendent of Nelson	Hon. Col. Secretary...	Not prepared to recommend introduction of immigrants until important public works have been definitely authorized by General Assembly.
47	July 19	Superintendent of Nelson	Hon. Col. Secretary...	No considerable blocks of agricultural land fit for settlement by immigrants remain in the hands of the Crown outside the boundaries of the gold fields. A Bill is now in preparation enabling lessees to acquire freeholds by paying a moderate rent for a certain number of years. Encloses Mr. Dobson's report.
48	August 2	Hon. Col. Secretary...	Superintendent of Nelson	Acknowledging receipt.

## MARLBOROUGH.

49	1871. March 1	Superintendent of Marlborough	Hon. Col. Secretary...	As there are no lands available for the settlement of any large number of immigrants, only proposes to introduce nominated immigration on payment of one-half of the passage money.
50	April 18	Hon. Col. Secretary...	Superintendent of Marlborough	Forwarding copy of Wellington Nominated Regulations for his guidance.
51	May 15	Superintendent of Marlborough	Hon. Col. Secretary...	Will forward regulations of a similar nature at an early date for approval.

## CANTERBURY.

52	1870. August 26	Superintendent of Canterbury	Hon. J. Vogel ...	Requesting that the immigration on its way may be brought under Government Bill now before Legislature.
53	Sept. 9	Superintendent of Canterbury	Hon. J. Vogel ...	Renewing application contained in No. 52.
54	Dec. 30	Hon. Col. Secretary...	Superintendent of Canterbury	Government have no power to make immigration sections of Act retrospective.
55	1871. May 1	Superintendent of Canterbury	Hon. Col. Secretary...	Again pressing retrospective application of immigration sections on attention of Government.
56	May 27	Hon. Col. Secretary...	Superintendent of Canterbury	Will propose a refund of expenditure on retrospective immigration to the Legislature.