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23rd. April, 1927.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

The bearer, Mr. Frank Hay, has been personally known to the writer for some years. He was Head Storeman with the N.Z. Loan & Mercantile Agency Co. Ltd. Oamaru for fully ten years of that period.

I can thoroughly recommend him as a Head Storeman. I always found him most steady and reliable. He is a good judge of all Grain and Produce, and sampling could be safely left in his hands.

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P.O. Box 174,  
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*Timaru*, 28th March, 1927.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

I have known Mr. Frank Hay for ten years in his capacity as Head Storeman for Messrs. J. Mill & Co. Ltd., Timaru, and prior to that, for a number of years as Storeman for the N.Z. Loan & Mercantile Agency Co. Ltd., Oamaru, and have found him a most capable man with a thorough knowledge of the sampling and handling of grain.

He is a man of very good character and I can recommend him to anyone requiring his services.

*A. Bannister*



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TELEPHONE 429

Box 5.

George Street,

Timaru, N. Z.,

March 18th. 1927.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

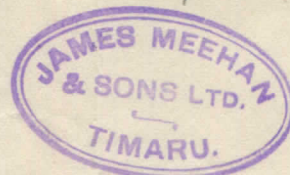
I have pleasure in recommending the bearer of this testimonial, Mr. Frank Hay, to any one requiring his services in the work which he has been accustomed. He has, to my knowledge, been in his present position for about ten years, and after coming into almost daily contact with him, we find him efficient, reliable and trustworthy. He is also to my personal knowledge, sober and industrious and a more conscientious man it would be hard to find.

He has a thorough knowledge of grain sampling and of store work generally.

I should be very pleased to advance his interests in any way that I could, and to respond to any direct enquiries.

Yours truly,

*Walter C. Meehan*





P. O. Box 138,  
Timaru,  
17th March, 1927.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:  
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I have pleasure in certifying that I have known Mr. Frank Hay, Storeman in the employ of Messrs. John Mill & Co. Ltd., for the past ten years. I have always found him most conscientious in the execution of his duties, capable, willing and of irreproachable character, and have every confidence in recommending him for a similar position.

W. M. M. M.



Telegrams: Wills, Timaru.

Phone 694.

# G. Wills & Coy.

Turnball's Building,

Timaru.

Government Grain and Produce Graders,  
Shipping Agents

Timaru, September 8th. 1925

To whom it may concern,

This serves to advise I have known Mr. Frank Hay since he came to Timaru to fill the position with Messrs J. Mill & Co. as Head Storeman, nine years ago.

The above firm acting as Commercial and Shipping Warehousemen, for Wool and Grain Merchants, brings a varied assortment of goods under the supervision of their Storeman, together with the handling of labour, in connection with same.

Mr. Hay's administration, courtesy and tact has earned the confidence of all firms, with his able control and ability to meet accelerated demands so often required by shipping, in handling wool and grain, while giving the sampling and separating of all descriptions of produce the required attention.

Mr. Hay carries the writers recommendation for anyone requiring a thoroughly competent, reliable and trustworthy Head Storeman of strict temperate habits.

The writer will be pleased to furnish any further particulars required.

Yours truly

*G. Wills*  
Government Grader



All communications to be  
addressed to—

Wheat Controller,  
P.O. Box 923,  
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W. S. PRATT.

Wheat Control,

NATIONAL MUTUAL BUILDINGS,  
143 Hereford Street,

CHRISTCHURCH, 18th March 1918.

Mr Frank Hay,  
C/- John Mill & Co. Ltd.,  
T I M A R U.

Dear Sir,

Under the provisions of Clause 48 of the Wheat Trade Regulations 1917, you are hereby appointed by the Board of Trade, as Government Grader, and empowered to decide any disputes referred to you as to whether any wheat delivered in fulfilment of any contract of purchase and sale entered into by Government Brokers on account of the Government is in accordance with the contract, in respect to kind, quality or condition. Your decision shall be final and binding on both parties to the dispute.

Your fee for so acting shall be £1/1/- in each dispute, and in case you have to travel, reasonable travelling expenses will be allowed. Your fee and expenses (if any) shall be payable by the party to the dispute against whom your decision is given.

Yours faithfully,

*W. G. McDonald*

*Actg* Chairman,  
Board of Trade.