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(L.S.) G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by virtue of the power vested in the Governor by "The Marine Act, 1867," the limits of the Port of Auckland were, for the purposes of the said Act, defined by a Proclamation dated the twenty-ninth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight: And whereas it is expedient to define anew the limits of the said port:

Now therefore, His Excellency Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Governor of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Colony, and in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority for that purpose vested in him by "The Marine Act, 1867," doth hereby define the limits of the Port of Auckland for the purposes of the said Act to be as under:—

A straight line from the East Head of the Tamaki River to Park Point, Waihiki Island, thence in a straight line to the north-eastern point of Pehi-Matawha (Home) Bay, Motutapu Island, and a straight line West (true) from Rangitoto Reef to the opposite shore.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir George Ferguson Bowen, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same, at the Government House, at Wellington; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, this twenty-fourth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two.

WILLIAM FOX,
Presiding.

Approved in Council, 24th June, 1872.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

(L.S.) G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, intituled "The Resident Magistrates Act, 1867," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor from time to time, or at any time, by Proclamation in the *New Zealand Gazette*, to declare that the limit of jurisdiction of the Resident Magistrate's Court of any district shall be extended to fifty pounds, or to one hundred pounds, as he may think proper, and thereupon such Court shall have power to hear and determine any case in which the amount of the debt or damage claimed shall not exceed the limit fixed by such Proclamation, and which might have been lawfully tried in such Court in case the amount of the debt or damage claimed therein had not exceeded twenty pounds:

And whereas the districts specified in the Schedule hereto were, by Proclamations dated the eleventh day of July instant, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* on the fifteenth day of July instant, constituted Resident Magistrates' Districts, with such boundaries as in the said Proclamations are defined: And whereas it is expedient that the jurisdiction of the Resident Magistrates' Courts within the districts mentioned in the said Schedule should be extended to the limit of one hundred pounds and fifty pounds respectively:

Now therefore, I, Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority in me vested in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the limit of jurisdiction of the Resident Magistrate's Court of the District of Clutha so constituted as aforesaid, which is specified in the Schedule hereto, shall, from and after the first day of September next, be extended to one hundred pounds; and that the limit of jurisdiction of the Resident Magistrates' Courts of the District of Otago Gold Fields and the District of Kaipara, so constituted as aforesaid, which are specified in the Schedule hereto, shall, from and after the said first day of September next, be extended to fifty pounds.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir George Ferguson Bowen, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same, at the Government House, at Wellington; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, this eighteenth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two.

W. GISBORNE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

SCHEDULE.

Clutha District.
Otago Gold Fields District.
Kaipara District.

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Auckland, this twenty-ninth day of June, 1872.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867," it is enacted that "if any title to or interest in any hereditaments shall accrue to any Maoris who or any of whom shall be infants, lunatics, or under legal disability, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, if he think fit, to order that such hereditaments, or any part thereof or interest therein as shall to the Governor in Council be shown to belong to such infant, lunatic, or other person under legal disability, shall be vested in trustees as the Governor in Council shall think fit: And whereas by virtue of a certificate of title, bearing date the eleventh day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, the parcel of land and hereditaments described in the Schedule written hereon were declared to be owned by Pita Taurua, of the District of Coromandel, in the Province of Auckland, an aboriginal native of New Zealand: And whereas the said Pita Taurua died intestate: And whereas at a Native Lands Court held at Auckland, in the Province aforesaid, Wiremu Taurua claimed to succeed to the interest of the said Pita Taurua in the said parcel of land described in the said Schedule, and it was recommended by the said Court that the said Wiremu Taurua should succeed to the hereditaments aforesaid; and it is expedient that Mereana Kanaki, along with Charles Ring, of Coromandel, in the Province of Auckland, and Colony of New Zealand, be appointed Trustees under the said Act on behalf of the said Wiremu Taurua during his minority:

Now therefore, His Excellency Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Governor of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of New Zealand, in exercise and in pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by the said Act, doth hereby order that the estate or interest of the said Pita Taurua in the said land so described in the said Schedule shall be and remain vested in the said Mereana Kanaki, of the District of Coromandel, in the Province of Auckland, an aboriginal native of New Zealand, and the said Charles Ring, of Coromandel aforesaid, as Trustees within the meaning and for the purposes of the said Act for the said Wiremu Taurua during his minority.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Province of Auckland in the Colony of New Zealand, containing by admeasurement 172 acres and 35 perches, more or less, situate at Coromandel, in the District of Coromandel, Queen's County, being called or known by the name of "Te Umuhau," and numbered two thousand four hundred and ninety (2490); bounded towards the North by the Karaka Creek; towards the South-east by the Pakirikiri No. 2 Block, 1940 links, 130 links, and 400 links; towards the North-east by a swamp of the said Pakirikiri No. 2 Block, 436 links and 1631 links; towards the East by the Huaroa Creek; towards the South by the said creek; towards the South-west by ordinary high watermark; and towards the North-west by a stream; by Kapanga No. 1 Block, 178 links; by the Parangu No. 4 Block, 203 links; by the Parangu No. 11 Block, 138 links and 500 links; by the Koparatoto Nos. 2 and 3 Blocks, 395 links; and by the Papaparoro Block, 198 links; by an irregular line and by lines 213 links, 322 links, and 728 links. Excepting those seven parcels of land which have already been conveyed to Messrs. Ring and Williams on the 30th day of June, 1871; to Mr. Ring, on the 30th day of June, 1871; to Mr. Jones, on the 21st June, 1871; to Mr. Jones, on the 7th day of July, 1871; to Mr. Lynch, on the 22nd day of June, 1871; to Mr. McGregor, on the 2nd day of August, 1871; to Mr. O'Neill, on the 28th June, 1871; and containing respectively, 1 acre and 7 perches; 2 acres; 2 acres 2 roods and 20 perches; 5 acres; 17 acres; 3 acres 1 rood and 34 perches; and 2 roods and 36 perches—as the same are coloured yellow and described in the plan deposited in the Native Lands Court.

R. S. MACHELL, A.D.C.
(for Clerk of the Executive Council.)

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of July, 1872.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867," it is enacted that if any title to or interest in any hereditaments shall accrue to any Maoris who or any of whom shall be infants, lunatics, or under legal disability, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, if he think fit, to order that such hereditaments, or any part thereof or interest therein, as shall to the Governor in Council be shown to belong to such infant, lunatic, or other person under legal disability, shall be vested in trustees as the Governor in Council shall think fit: And whereas by virtue of a certificate of title, bearing date the 24th day of September, 1867, the parcel of land and hereditaments described in the Schedule hereon written became vested in Tamati Matangihia, Wiremu Te Raumaunga, Ihaka Whanga, Paioneone, Wiremu Kirikiri, Te Kemara, Hanuhanu, Komene Tahu, Kaho, Taraipine Kutu, and Te Waka Mihi, of the Wairoa District, in the Province of Hawke's Bay, aboriginal natives of New Zealand: And whereas Wiremu Kirikiri, one of the persons named in the said certificate of title, died intestate: And whereas at a Native Lands Court held at Te Wairoa, in the Province aforesaid, on the 28th day of September, 1870, Wiremu Kirikiri, Maraia Newa, Meri, Te Irikowhai, Maia, Mata Kua, Heni Ngamako, and Mare, minors, claimed to succeed to the interest of the said Wiremu Kirikiri in the said parcel of land

described in the said Schedule; and it was ordered by the said Court that the said Wiremu Kirikiri, Maraia Newa, Meri, Te Irikowhai, Maia, Mata Kuao, Heni Ngamako, and Mare, should succeed to the hereditaments aforesaid: And it is expedient that Tamati Matangihia and Waka Mihi be appointed Trustees under the said Act on behalf of the said Wiremu Kirikiri, Maraia Newa, Meri, Te Irikowhai, Maia, Mata Kuao, Heni Ngamako, and Mare, during their minority:

Now therefore, His Excellency Sir George Ferguson Bowen, Governor of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony, in exercise and in pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by the said Act, doth hereby order that the estate or interest of the said Wiremu Kirikiri in the said land described in the said Schedule shall be and remain vested in the said Tamati Matangihia and Waka Mihi, of the District of Wairoa, in the said Province, aboriginal natives of New Zealand, as Trustees within the meaning and for the purposes of the said Act for the said Wiremu Kirikiri, Maraia Newa, Meri, Te Irikowhai, Maia, Mata Kuao, Heni Ngamako, and Mare, during their minority.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land containing by admeasurement 10,408 acres, more or less, situate at Te Mahia, in the District of Ahuriri, in the Province of Hawke's Bay, being called or known by the name of "Tawapata South," and numbered 607, bounded towards the East by the ocean; towards the West by Hawke's Bay; and towards the North by the Mangatea Stream and by the Tawapata North Block, 11940 links.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this seventeenth day of July, 1872.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS at a sitting of the Native Land Court of New Zealand, at Kapanga, in the District of Coromandel, Province of Auckland, on the twenty-second day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, the claim of Haimona Ngaroma and others, aboriginal natives of New Zealand, to a piece of land called Otanguru, situate at Whangapoua, in the district aforesaid, was heard, and a certain order was thereupon made by the Court aforesaid: And whereas it is enacted by "The Native Lands Act, 1865," and "The Native Lands Act, 1867," and "The Native Lands Act, 1870," that the Governor in Council may order a rehearing of any matter judicially heard, before the Court aforesaid, and before one or more Judges of the Court, and one or more Assessors, as may be specified in the Order in Council ordering such rehearing, and within such period of time as may be limited in such order, provided that no such order for rehearing shall be made after six months shall have elapsed from the date of the original decision: And whereas it is expedient that the said claim shall be reheard before the said Court:

Now therefore, His Excellency the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony, in pursuance and exercise of the above-recited power and authority, doth hereby order that the aforesaid claim of Haimona Ngaroma and others to the aforesaid piece of land shall be reheard before

one Judge of the said Court and one Assessor thereof; and doth order that such rehearing shall take place before the twenty-second day of April next.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this seventeenth day of July, 1872.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The New Zealand Settlements Act, 1863," it is provided that after setting apart sufficient land for all persons who shall be entitled thereto under the contracts therein referred to, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council to cause towns to be surveyed and laid out, and also suburban and rural allotments, and that all such town, suburban, and rural lands shall be sold, occupied, and disposed of at such prices, in such manner and for such purposes, upon such terms and subject to such regulations, as the Governor in Council shall from time to time prescribe for that purpose:

And whereas by "The New Zealand Settlements Amendment and Continuance Act, 1865," it is enacted that the order and manner in which land taken under the authority of "The New Zealand Settlements Act, 1863," and "The New Zealand Settlements Amendment and Continuance Act, 1865," should be laid out for sale and sold, should be at the discretion of the Governor, who shall have power to cause such land or any part thereof to be laid out for sale and sold from time to time in such manner, for such consideration, and in such allotments as he shall think fit, and subject to such regulations as he shall, with the advice of the Executive Council, from time to time prescribe:

And whereas by "The New Zealand Settlements Amendment Act, 1866," it is provided that the said lands shall be sold for such consideration or at such price, and whether for cash or otherwise, as the Governor shall from time to time prescribe, and that all lands taken under the authority of the said "New Zealand Settlements Act, 1863," and "The New Zealand Settlements Amendment and Continuance Act, 1865," or either of them, and sold or disposed of under the authority of the said first-recited Act, shall be sold or disposed of under regulations to be made by the Governor in Council, which regulations shall be published in the *New Zealand Gazette*:

And whereas His Excellency the Governor did, on the 11th day of May, 1871, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, make regulations for the sale and disposal of lands in the West Coast District, taken under the said Acts:

And whereas it is expedient that the lands described in the Schedule hereto should be sold to the respective Flax Companies therein mentioned, and at the prices therein specified:

Now therefore, His Excellency the Governor, in exercise and pursuance of all powers and authorities enabling him in this behalf, and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of New Zealand, doth hereby order that the lands described in the Schedule hereto shall and may be sold to the respective Flax Companies at the prices therein specified; and that John Stephenson Smith, Esquire, the Commissioner of Crown Lands for the Province of Taranaki, shall and may conduct the said sale.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

SCHEDULE
OPUNAKE TOWNSHIP.

Name of Company.	Section.	Area.	Price
			per acre
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
Cape Egmont Flax Company	Eastern portion of Suburban Section No. 34 ...	1 0 0	3 0 0
Opunake Flax Company	Western portion of Suburban Section No. 34 ...	1 0 0	3 0 0
Opunake Flax Company	Suburban Section No. 33, excepting the old Native burial-ground, and the right of road thereto ...	5 0 0	3 0 0
Opunake Flax Company	Town Sections No. 1 and 2, Block XVII. ...	0 1 30	20 0 0

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this
seventeenth day of July, 1872.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Intestate Estates Act Amendment Act, 1869," it is enacted that every person appointed Curator of Intestate Estates shall forthwith provide security for such sum, and in such manner and form, as the Governor in Council shall from time to time direct: And whereas by an Order in Council, bearing date the seventeenth day of November, 1869, the manner and form of giving such security has been fixed and prescribed: And whereas it is expedient to fix the sum for which Robert Pollock, Curator of Intestate Estates for the District of Nelson, shall provide security:

Now therefore, I, Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Governor of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the power and authority vested in me by the said Act, do hereby, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony, direct that the sum for which the said

ROBERT POLLOCK

shall provide security shall be as follows:—

If the security is by bond alone, the amount of the bond shall be one thousand pounds, with a proviso limiting the liability of the sureties to five hundred pounds each.

If the security is by guarantee of an Insurance Company, together with a personal bond, the amount of the guarantee shall be five hundred pounds, and the amount of the bond shall be five hundred pounds, without any limitation of the liability of the surety.

If the security is by guarantee of any Insurance Company alone, the amount of the guarantee shall be one thousand pounds.

And whereas it is expedient to fix the sum for which Stephen Lunn Müller, Curator of Intestate Estates for the District of Marlborough, shall provide security:

Now therefore, I, Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Governor of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the power and authority vested in me by the said Act, do hereby, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony, direct that the sum for which the said

STEPHEN LUNN MULLER

shall provide security shall be as follows:—

If the security is by bond alone, the amount of the bond shall be five hundred pounds, with a proviso limiting the liability of the sureties to two hundred and fifty pounds each.

If the security is by guarantee of an Insurance Company, together with a personal bond, the amount of the guarantee shall be two hundred and fifty pounds, and the amount of the bond shall be two hundred and fifty pounds, without any limitation of the liability of the surety.

If the security is by guarantee of an Insurance Company alone, the amount of the guarantee shall be five hundred pounds.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this
twenty-fourth day of June, 1872.

Present:

THE HONORABLE WILLIAM FOX, PRIME MINISTER,
PRESIDING, AND MEMBERS OF THE EXECUTIVE
COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Orders in Council dated respectively the twenty-fifth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, and the nineteenth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, delegations made to the Superintendent of the Province of Auckland of certain powers under "The Marine Act, 1867," and exercisable within the Port of Auckland, were revoked: And whereas by certain other Orders in Council bearing even date with the said first-mentioned Orders in Council, certain powers under the said Act, and therein mentioned and referred to, were delegated by the Governor to "The Auckland Harbour Board," but the exercise of the powers conferred by such delegation was limited to the Port of Auckland, as in the said orders mentioned: And whereas the limits of the said port have been altered, and are now defined by a Proclamation bearing even date herewith, and it is expedient that the delegation so made as aforesaid should be extended as hereinafter provided:

Now therefore, His Excellency Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Colony, and in pursuance and exercise of all powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, doth hereby alter the delegations so made as aforesaid, and doth order and declare that the delegations to the Auckland Harbour Board, made and given in and by the said Orders in Council of the twenty-sixth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, and the nineteenth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, with the powers thereby conferred, shall, from and after the day of the date hereof, extend and apply to the Port of Auckland, as the same is defined in the said Proclamation of even date herewith.

WILLIAM FOX,
Presiding.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 19th July, 1872.

HIS Excellency the Governor has, in Her Majesty's name, summoned

The Honorable JOHN HALL,
of Christchurch, in the Province of Canterbury, to the Legislative Council of New Zealand, by Writ of summons under the Seal of the Colony.

W. GIBBORNE.

Executive Council Chamber,
Wellington, 20th July, 1872.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

The Honorable JOHN HALL

to be a Member of the Executive Council; and His Excellency directs it to be notified that that gentleman has taken the necessary oath.

By command.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 18th July, 1872.

THE following Extract from the *London Gazette* of 29th September, 1871, is published for general information.

W. GISBORNE.

“THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Ernest Louis Bucholz, as Consul at Auckland, New Zealand; of Mr. Henry Houghton, as Consul for the Province of Otago, to reside at Dunedin, New Zealand; of Mr. Johann Fredrick August Kelling, as Consul at Nelson, New Zealand; and of Mr. Fredrick August Krull, as Consul at Wellington, New Zealand,—for His Majesty the Emperor of Germany, King of Prussia.”

Colonial Defence Office,
Wellington, 17th July, 1872.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the under-mentioned promotions and appointments, viz. :—

In the New Zealand Militia.

Lieutenant James Woodbine Johnson to be Captain. Date of commission, 31st March, 1872.

Ensign James Benjamin Poynter to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 31st March, 1872.

Ensign Frederick William Helyar to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 31st March, 1872.

George Scott to be Sub-Lieutenant. Date of commission, 15th April, 1872.

Samuel Tomlin Horsfall to be Sub-Lieutenant. Date of commission, 15th April, 1872.

William Smith to be Sub-Lieutenant. Date of commission, 15th April, 1872.

John Henry Stubbs to be Sub-Lieutenant. Date of commission, 15th April, 1872.

William James Parris to be Sub-Lieutenant. Date of commission, 28th June, 1872.

In the Howick Troop, Royal Cavalry Volunteers.

James Lindsay to be Sub-Lieutenant. Date of commission, 3rd July, 1871.

In the Porirua Rifle Volunteers.

Gibbes Walker Jordan to be Captain. Date of commission, 9th March, 1872.

In the Karori Rifle Volunteers.

Ensign Henry Cook to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 7th June, 1872.

In the Kaiwharawhara Rifle Volunteers.

Sub-Lieutenant George Reynolds to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 16th April, 1872.

Charles Thompson to be Sub-Lieutenant. Date of commission, 16th April, 1872.

In the Invercargill Artillery Volunteers.

William Henderson to be Sub-Lieutenant. Date of commission, 25th January, 1872.

In the Invercargill Rifle Volunteers.

Frederick Wentworth Wade to be Captain. Date of commission, 14th June, 1872.

In the Bruce Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant Edward Pettit to be Captain. Date of commission, 26th March, 1872.

In the Riverton Rifle Volunteers.

Joseph Schmidt to be Sub-Lieutenant. Date of commission, 15th February, 1872.

In the Auckland Engineer Volunteer Cadets.

Edward Henry Reilly to be Honorary Lieutenant. Date of commission, 12th May, 1871.

Charles Lord Russell to be Honorary Sub-Lieutenant. Date of commission, 12th May, 1871.

In the No. 1 Company, Auckland Grammar School Cadets.

Farquhar McRae to be Honorary Captain. Date of commission, 15th May, 1871.

Arthur Stichbury to be Honorary Lieutenant. Date of commission, 15th May, 1871.

John Balneavis to be Honorary Sub-Lieutenant. Date of commission, 15th May, 1871.

In the No. 2 Company, Auckland Grammar School Cadets.

Joseph N. Flower to be Honorary Captain. Date of commission, 15th May, 1871.

Robert Lachlan Maclean to be Honorary Lieutenant. Date of commission, 15th May, 1871.

Henry Lynch to be Honorary Sub-Lieutenant. Date of commission, 29th June, 1872.

In the Auckland Blue School Cadets.

Charles Arthur Taylor to be Honorary Captain. Date of commission, 12th June, 1871.

Charles Wildigg to be Honorary Lieutenant. Date of commission, 12th June, 1871.

In the St. John's (Auckland) College Cadets.

John Adams, B.A., to be Honorary Captain. Date of commission, 25th September, 1871.

Frederick Williams to be Honorary Lieutenant. Date of commission, 25th September, 1871.

Martin Lush to be Honorary Sub-Lieutenant. Date of commission, 25th September, 1871.

In the No. 1 Company, Auckland Naval Volunteer Cadets.

George McKay to be Honorary Lieutenant. Date of commission, 22nd December, 1871.

James McLeod to be Honorary Sub-Lieutenant. Date of commission, 22nd December, 1871.

In the Onehunga Rifle Volunteer Cadets.

Edwin Davy to be Honorary Captain. Date of commission, 12th February, 1872.

Robert Bilkey to be Honorary Lieutenant. Date of commission, 12th February, 1872.

Andrew Kelly to be Honorary Sub-Lieutenant. Date of commission, 12th February, 1872.

In the Egmont Rifle Volunteer Cadets.

Robert Edward Scott to be Honorary Lieutenant. Date of commission, 18th October, 1871.

John Hartley Ainslie to be Honorary Sub-Lieutenant. Date of commission, 18th October, 1871.

DONALD McLEAN.

Colonial Defence Office,
Wellington, 17th July, 1872.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation of the commissions held by the under-mentioned Officers, viz. :—

Cornet J. Robertson, Otahuhu Troop, Royal Cavalry Volunteers.

Ensign J. B. Gatland, No. 1 (City) Company, Auckland Rifle Brigade.

Ensign H. McKay, East Taieri Rifle Volunteers.

DONALD McLEAN.

Colonial Defence Office,
Wellington, 17th July, 1872.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to disband

The Auckland Artillery Volunteer Cadet Corps.

DONALD McLEAN.

ARTICLES of AGREEMENT made this thirteenth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, between the New Zealand Steam Shipping Company, (Limited), of Wellington, hereinafter styled "the Contractors," of the one part, and Her Majesty's Postmaster-General of the Colony of New Zealand, on behalf of the said Colony, in pursuance of the provisions of "The New Zealand Post Office Act, 1858," of the other part, WITNESS, that for the considerations hereinafter mentioned, the said Contractors, for themselves, their heirs, executors, and administrators, covenant with the said Postmaster-General and his successors in office as follows:—

1. That at all times during the continuance of this agreement, or so long as the services hereby agreed to be performed between Picton and Manukau, and Manukau and Picton, ought to be performed in pursuance thereof, the Contractors will, for the purpose of conveying, as hereinafter provided, all Her Majesty's Mails (in which term "Mails" all letters, boxes, bags, or packets of letters, newspapers, books, or printed papers, whether loose or in closed mails, sent by the Post, to whatever country or places they may be addressed, or in whatever country or places they may have originated; and all empty bags and other stores, used or to be used in carrying on the Post Office service, which shall be sent by, or to, or from the Post Office, are agreed to be comprehended,) which shall at any time and from time to time, by the Postmaster-General for the time being of the said Colony, hereinafter styled "the Postmaster-General," or any of his officers or agents, be required to be conveyed, provide and keep seaworthy and in complete repair, for such conveyance, once in every four weeks between Manukau and Picton, and between Picton and Manukau, a good, efficient, and substantial steam vessel, such as may be requisite for the said services.

2. The said steam vessel shall always be furnished, while actually employed under this agreement, with all appropriate and necessary machinery, engines, apparel, furniture, stores, tackle, boats, fuel, lamps, oil for lamps and engines, tallow, provisions, anchors, cables, fire pumps and other proper means for extinguishing fire, lightning conductors, charts, chronometers, proper nautical instruments, medicines, and whatsoever else may be requisite for equipping the said vessel, and rendering her constantly efficient for the service hereby agreed to be performed; and also manned and provided with competent officers, and with a sufficient number of efficient engineers, and a sufficient crew of able seamen and other men—to be in all respects, as to vessel, engines, equipments, officers, engineers, and crew, subject in the first instance, and from time to time, and at all times afterwards, to the approval of the Postmaster-General, or of such other competent person or persons as he shall at any time or times, or from time to time, authorize to inspect and examine the same.

3. This contract shall be deemed to have commenced on the third day of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, and thereafter the said Contractor shall perform one Postal Service in every four weeks between Manukau and Picton, calling at Nelson and New Plymouth, and back to Picton by the same route, according to Time Table to be

furnished by the Postmaster-General, subject to variation of dates as hereinafter mentioned.

4. The Contractors shall respectively land, ship, and tranship all Her Majesty's Mails at the respective Ports of Call, except New Plymouth, at their own expense; and such respective services shall be performed when necessary, in boats seaworthy and suitable for the purpose, furnished with effective covering for the protection of the Mails, and properly provided, manned, and equipped by the Contractor, to the satisfaction of the Postmaster-General or his Agent.

5. A Chief Cabin passage, free of cost either for passage or victualling, in the steamship for the time being employed under this contract, shall be provided on all occasions when required by the Postmaster-General for an Officer of the New Zealand Post Office; and also a safe and proper place of deposit for the Mails, to the satisfaction of the said Postmaster-General or his Agent.

6. If there be no Post-Office Agent in charge of the Mails forwarded by the said steam vessel on board, the Master of the said steamship shall, without charge to the Government, take care of, and the Contractors shall be responsible for, the receipt, safe custody, and proper delivery of the Mails, according to the terms of this contract. The Contractors and commander, and all other officers of the vessel for the time being employed in the performance of this agreement, and all agents, seamen, and servants of the Contractors, shall at all times punctually attend to the orders and directions of the Postmaster-General, his officers or agents, as to the mode, time, and place of landing, delivering, and receiving of Mails.

7. The said steam vessel shall (weather permitting) proceed on the respective voyages from the different ports on the dates specified in Time Tables to be furnished by the Postmaster-General, or on such other dates or hours as may be fixed as hereinafter mentioned, and shall not, in the respective voyages between the said ports, exceed the time allowed by the said Tables: Provided always that it shall be lawful for the said Postmaster-General, or his authorized Agent at either of the said ports, to detain the said steam vessel for a period of twelve hours at each of the said ports without payment.

8. In the event of the Mail from San Francisco not arriving in Auckland at its due date, the said steam vessel shall await the arrival of such Mail for a period of forty-eight hours after noon of the date fixed for her departure in the Time Table furnished by the Postmaster-General without extra remuneration; and, also, shall so await the arrival of the said Mail for any period beyond such period of forty-eight hours that may be required by the Postmaster-General or any person duly authorized by him, in consideration of an extra payment at the rate of three pounds (£3) per hour for such further detention.

9. The sum of fifty pounds (£50) shall be paid by the Contractors to the Postmaster-General if on any occasion the said steam vessel shall not, weather permitting and accident excepted, sail at the appointed time, and an additional sum of ten pounds (£10) shall be in like manner paid for every delay of six hours in sailing after the appointed time; and the sum of one hundred pounds (£100) shall be in like manner paid whenever the said steamship shall not call at any port as duly required in fulfilment of this agreement, unless prevented from doing so by tempestuous weather.

10. The said Postmaster-General shall be at liberty, on reasonable notice, so often as he shall think fit, to alter the dates of sailing mentioned in the Time Tables hereinbefore alluded to.

11. The Contractors shall not assign, underlet, or dispose of this agreement, or any part thereof, without the consent of the Postmaster-General, signified in writing under his hand or under the hand of the Secretary of the General Post Office of New Zealand; and in case of the same or any part thereof being assigned, underlet, or otherwise disposed of, or of any gross or habitual breach of this agreement, or any covenant matter or thing herein contained, on the part of the Contractors, their officers, agents, or servants, and whether there be or be not any penalty or sum of money payable by the Contractors for any breach, it shall be lawful for the Postmaster-General, if he shall think fit (and notwithstanding there may or may not have been any former breach of this contract), by writing under his hand or under the hand of the Secretary of the General Post Office of New Zealand, to determine this agreement without any previous notice to the Contractors or their Agents, nor shall the Contractors be entitled to any compensation in respect of such determination.

12. All sums of money hereinbefore stipulated to be forfeited or paid by the Contractors shall be considered as stipulated or ascertained damages, and may, at the option of the Postmaster-General, be deducted and retained out of any money payable to the Contractors under this contract.

13. For the faithful performance of all the covenants, stipulations, and agreements hereinbefore contained, the Contractors bind themselves in the sum of one thousand pounds sterling (£1,000), to be paid to our Sovereign Lady the Queen, her heirs and successors, by way of liquidated or ascertained damages, in manner following: that is to say, the sum of five hundred pounds (£500) in case of wilful failure or default on the part of the Contractors in the due performance of this contract, or any part thereof, in respect of each or either of the said Mail Services hereby contracted for,—that is to say, the services between Picton and Manukau, and Manukau and Picton, as aforesaid.

14. And in consideration of the due and faithful performance by the said Contractors of all the services hereby contracted to be performed by them, the said Postmaster-General, on behalf of the Colony of New Zealand, hereby covenants with the said Contractors, their executors and administrators, to pay to them, or to their Agents in New Zealand, for the said services, the sum of three hundred pounds (£300) on the completion of each service from Picton to Manukau, and from Manukau back to Picton, as aforesaid, such payment to be made at the Treasury in Wellington; and also such further sum for detention of the steamship employed under this contract by the said Postmaster-General or his Agent, as provided in the eighth clause hereof.

15. All notices or directions which the Postmaster-General, his officers, agents, or others, are hereby authorized to give to the Contractors, their officers, servants, or agents (other than any notice of termination of this contract), may, at the option of the Postmaster-General, his officers, agents or others, either be delivered to the master of the said vessel, or other officer or agent of the Contractors in the charge or management of the vessel employed in the performance of this agreement, or left for the Contractors at their usual or last known office or house of business; and any notices or directions so given or left shall be binding on the Contractors: Provided always that any notice of termination of this contract shall be served on the Contractors, their officers, servants, or agents, at their office in Wellington.

16. It is lastly agreed by and between the said parties hereto, that the service hereby contracted for shall be carried on and shall continue in force until determined by three months' notice by either party,

unless determined by notice under the provisions of the eleventh and twelfth clauses hereof. But the said Contractors shall not thereby be relieved from any penalty or damages incurred under the provisions hereof, nor be discharged from the performance of any act, duty, matter or thing which they ought to do, perform, or fulfil hereunder, prior to such determination.

In witness whereof the said parties to these presents have hereunto set their hands and seals, the day, month, and year first above written.

JULIUS VOGEL.

Signed, sealed, and delivered by the said Postmaster-General, in the presence of—William Gray, Inspector of Post Offices, Wellington.

For the New Zealand Steam Shipping Company, Limited—

CHAS. HARTMANN,
Manager.

Signed, sealed, and delivered by the said Charles Hartmann, in the presence of—William Gray, Inspector of Post Offices, Wellington.

MONEY ORDER OFFICES.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 18th July, 1872.

IT is hereby notified, that information has been received from the General Post Office, Melbourne, that Money Order Offices have been opened in Victoria at

MITTA-MITTA and ALLANSFORD;

and that the Money Order Office at SNOWY CREEK,

in the same Colony, has been closed.

By order.

W. GRAY
(for the Secretary).

General Post Office,
Wellington, 15th July, 1872.

POST OFFICE MONEY ORDERS.

THE following Notices, reporting the extension of the Money Order System in the Colonies of New South Wales and South Australia, are published for general information.

W. GRAY
(for the Secretary).

General Post Office,
Sydney, 19th June, 1872.

POST OFFICE MONEY ORDERS.

WITH reference to Treasury notice of the 10th December, 1862, published in *Government Gazette* No. 231, it is hereby notified, that, on and after the 1st July, 1872, the Post Office Money Order System will be extended to the following places, viz. :—

Obley and Wattle Flat.

GEO. A. LLOYD,
Postmaster-General.

NOTICE is hereby given, that, on and after Monday, the 1st proximo, Money Order Offices will be established at the following Post Offices, viz. :—

Farrell's Flat.

Woodchester.

Border Town.

H. L. HURST

(in absence of Postmaster-General).

General Post Office, Adelaide,
June 12, 1872.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

No. 17 of 1872.

Customs Department (Marine Branch),
Wellington, 17th July, 1872.

THE following Notices to Mariners received from the Portmaster, Brisbane, are published for general information.

JULIUS VOGEL.

ROCKS OFF THE ENTRANCE TO BROAD SOUND.

CAPTAIN BROOKS, of the "Black Swan," reports having sighted on his last voyage from Brisbane to Broad Sound, a small patch of dangerous rocks, about seven feet above low water, lying in the following position:—

Pier Head S.E. by S. $\frac{1}{2}$ S.
North-east hummock of eastern-
most North Point Isles ... W. by N.
Northernmost of Two Round
Rocks E. by N. $\frac{3}{4}$ N.

G. P. HEATH, Commander, R.N.,
Portmaster.Department of Ports and Harbours,
Brisbane, 15th June, 1872.

WIDE BAY BAR.

THE Channel over the Bar having again shifted further northwards, the leading beacons are not to be depended upon as a guide for crossing the Bar until they have been replaced in position, when a notice to that effect will be issued from this office.

SHOAL AND REEF, NORTHERN ENTRANCE TO BROAD SOUND.

Captain Saunders, of the s.s. "James Paterson," reports that a large sandbank, which dries in patches at low water, extends about $1\frac{1}{2}$ mile to the south-west from g Island.

Also, that a reef $1\frac{1}{2}$ mile long extends to the eastward from No. 2 Flat Isles.

G. P. HEATH, Commander, R.N.,
Portmaster.Department of Ports and Harbours,
Brisbane, 21st June, 1872.

IN the matter of "The Friendly Societies Act, 1867:" Notice is hereby given, that a transcript of the Rules of

"The Morning Star Division of the National Grand and Subordinate Order (No. 1) of the Sons of Temperance,"

Timaru, duly certified, has been lodged with the Registrar of Friendly Societies, registered and recorded in his office under the provisions of "The Friendly Societies Act, 1867."

Dated the tenth day of July, 1872.

G. S. COOPER
(for the Registrar).

IN the matter of "The Friendly Societies Act, 1867:" Notice is hereby given, that transcripts of the By-laws of

"The Loyal Effort Lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, Manchester Unity, Wellington District," and

"The Loyal Marton Lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, Manchester Unity, No. 5860, Wanganui District Branch,"

duly certified, have been lodged with the Registrar of Friendly Societies, registered and recorded in his office under the provisions of "The Friendly Societies Act, 1867."

Dated the tenth day of July, 1872.

G. S. COOPER
(for the Registrar).

Colonial Architect's Office,

Wellington, 16th July, 1872.

TENDERS are invited for the Erection of Additions, and Alterations, at Upper Mount Cook Barracks.

General conditions, specifications, and drawings may be seen at the Offices of the Colonial Architect, Wellington.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to Noon on Monday, the 22nd July.

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

W. H. CLAYTON,
Colonial Architect.

PUBLIC NOTIFICATION.—Under and in pursuance of the powers vested in me as Commissioner appointed by His Excellency the Governor to carry out the Regulations for the Sale of Lands taken for Settlement under "The New Zealand Settlements Act, 1863," in the Province of Auckland, I do hereby notify that the Town, Suburban, and Special Rural Lands specified in the Schedule hereunder written will be offered for Sale by Public Auction, in accordance with the said Regulations, at the Waikato Lands Office, Auckland, at Noon on Thursday, the 29th day of August, 1872.

DANIEL POLLEN,
Auckland, 13th July, 1870. Commissioner.

SCHEDULE.

Town of Ngaruawahia (Newcastle).

No. of Lot.	Area.			Upset Price.			Value of Improvements.		
	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
579	0	0	7	30	0	0	40	0	0
891	0	0	18	70	0	0			
582	0	0	15	65	0	0			
586	0	0	32	110	0	0	210	0	0
587	0	0	32	100	0	0			
588	0	0	32	100	0	0			
589	0	0	31	100	0	0			
590	0	0	29	100	0	0			
591	0	0	28	100	0	0	950	0	0
596	0	0	26	100	0	0			
597	0	0	28	100	0	0			
598	0	0	29	100	0	0			
599	0	0	31	100	0	0			
600	0	0	32	100	0	0			
601	0	0	34	100	0	0	150	0	0
602	0	0	28	110	0	0			
624	0	0	14	70	0	0			
625	0	0	22	110	0	0			
656	0	0	15	70	0	0			
657	0	0	18	70	0	0			
661	0	0	6	30	0	0			
663	0	0	15	90	0	0	250	0	0
664	0	0	14	70	0	0			

No. of Lot.	Area.			Upset Price.			No. of Lot.	Area.			Upset Price.		
	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
Town of Hamilton West.													
410	0	0	20	5	0	0	120	0	1	14	12	10	0
411	0	0	14	5	0	0	167	0	1	36	12	10	0
412	0	0	13	5	0	0	106	0	1	0	10	0	0
413	0	0	14	5	0	0	107	0	1	0	10	0	0
414	0	0	13	5	0	0	108	0	1	0	10	0	0
415	0	0	12	5	0	0	Village of Papakura, Section No. 11.						
416	0	0	12	5	0	0	132	0	1	0	5	0	0
417	0	0	9	5	0	0	Suburbs of Mercer.						
418	0	0	9	5	0	0	11	5	0	0	15	0	0
419	0	0	8	5	0	0	Parish of Opahike, Settlement of Maketu.						
431	0	0	9	7	0	0	89	10	0	0	20	0	0
432	0	0	7	5	0	0	142	7	0	29	7	10	0
433	0	0	8	5	0	0	143	9	3	11	10	0	0
434	0	0	9	5	0	0	145	10	0	0	10	0	0
435	0	0	10	5	0	0	191	18	2	0	28	0	0
436	0	0	11	5	0	0	Williamson's Clearing, Section No. 3, Parish of Opahike.						
437	0	0	10	7	0	0	135	10	0	0	15	0	0
438	0	0	7	5	0	0	Section 4.						
439	0	0	8	5	0	0	17	10	0	0	15	0	0
440	0	0	9	5	0	0	19	10	0	0	15	0	0
Town of Opotiki, Section No. 1.													
26	0	1	0	5	0	0	20	10	0	0	15	0	0
27	0	1	0	5	0	0							

No. of Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.	No. of Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
A. R. P.	£	s. d.	A. R. P.	£	s. d.
Parish of Mangatawhiri, Settlement of Pokeno, Section No. 1.			Parish of Tuhikaramea.		
144	4 1 0	10 10 0	296	59 0 0	30 0 0
Section No. 2.			Parish of Te Papa.		
34	9 0 0	13 10 0	317	11 0 0	5 10 0
40	8 0 0	12 0 0	Parish of Mangapiko.		
42	53 2 17	90 0 0	23B	4 0 32	4 0 0
Parish of Waiuku.			51A	20 0 0	15 0 0
132	30 0 0	22 10 0	54A	8 3 24	9 0 0
Whiriwhiri.			106	20 3 0	20 0 0
27	4 2 10	5 0 0	113	14 2 0	14 10 0
57	5 0 0	6 10 0	116	6 1 25	6 10 0
69	3 2 32	4 0 0	169	50 0 0	37 10 0
Settlement of Pukekohe, Section No. 1.			193A	20 0 0	20 0 0
77	5 0 0	15 0 0	262A	20 0 0	20 0 0
78	5 0 0	15 0 0	276A	5 3 20	6 0 0
Section No. 2.			279	4 0 0	4 0 0
194	7 2 14	12 0 0	298	19 0 0	19 0 0
204	10 0 0	15 0 0	329	27 0 0	40 0 0
215	6 2 30	10 0 0	332	1 3 32	4 0 0
226	4 1 0	7 0 0	333	2 0 0	4 0 0
231	6 3 0	10 10 0	335	460 0 0	230 0 0
272	4 1 24	7 0 0	336	12 3 9	12 0 0
284	10 0 0	20 0 0	337	8 2 11	8 0 0
Section No. 3.			338	20 0 0	20 0 0
13	10 0 0	15 0 0	339	12 0 0	12 0 0
14	10 0 0	15 0 0	340	8 0 0	8 0 0
24	10 0 0	15 0 0	341	23 0 0	23 0 0
29	10 0 0	15 0 0	342	30 0 0	30 0 0
51	10 0 0	15 0 0	343	30 0 0	30 0 0
Part of			Parish of Te Rapa.		
57	7 0 0	10 10 0	371	19 2 0	10 0 0
Parish of Pukekohe.			Parish of Puniu.		
53	64 0 0	80 0 0	34	50 0 0	37 10 0
Waipipi, Section No. 3.			35	50 0 0	32 0 0
7	10 0 0	15 0 0	36	50 0 0	32 0 0
7A	1 2 18	3 0 0	37	50 0 0	32 0 0
8	10 0 0	15 0 0	38	50 0 0	32 0 0
9	10 0 0	15 0 0	39	80 1 20	50 0 0
Settlement of Tuakau.			42	20 0 0	15 0 0
22	36 0 0	54 0 0	51	29 3 27	18 0 0
Parish of Opaheke.			52	33 1 30	20 0 0
154	80 0 0	80 0 0	55A	101 1 15	60 0 0
162	117 0 0	58 0 0	63	17 1 0	17 5 0
220	65 0 0	65 0 0	90	32 2 0	24 0 0
175	50 0 0	25 0 0	125	48 0 0	36 0 0
Parish of Tuakau.			130	25 3 0	25 15 0
42	81 0 0	121 10 0	165	50 0 0	25 0 0
46	20 0 0	20 0 0	166	50 0 0	25 0 0
Parish of Otau.			208	86 2 0	86 10 0
41	78 0 0	78 0 0	210	48 8 0	48 0 0
42	152 0 0	152 0 0	220	50 0 0	50 0 0
Parish of Pepepe.			222	5 1 36	6 0 0
166	10000 0 0	3750 0 0	241	15 0 0	15 0 0
Parish of Kirikiriroa.			251A	8 0 0	8 0 0
223	40 2 0	81 0 0	258 } 70 0 0	35 0 0	
Parish of Mangatawhiri.			260 }		
124	92 0 0	69 0 0	268	38 2 0	30 0 0
137	26 0 0	39 0 0	276	2 1 32	3 0 0
Parish of Koheroa.			322	70 0 0	40 0 0
88	60 0 0	30 0 0	328	8 2 0	8 10 0
Parish of Komakorau.			337A } 55 0 0	40 0 0	
145	50 0 0	25 0 0	338 }		
Parish of Hautapu.			351	76 0 0	38 0 0
138A	15 0 0	16 0 0	Parish of Pukekura.		
Parish of Pirongia.			23A	11 0 0	8 5 0
159A	2 0 16	2 10 0	25A	19 0 0	15 0 0
Parish of Ngaroto.			41	36 0 0	27 0 0
120	50 0 0	37 10 0	53	50 0 0	37 10 0
268	11 1 20	11 10 0	54	50 0 0	37 10 0
324A	3 3 17	3 15 0	85A	10 0 0	10 0 0
340	50 0 0	25 0 0	91	67 0 0	50 0 0
357	50 0 0	25 0 0	96A	7 0 0	7 0 0
358	16 3 22	10 0 0	97A	8 0 0	8 0 0
			129	20 0 0	20 0 0
			210	17 1 0	18 0 0

Office of the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies, Auckland, 1st July, 1872.

I, JOHN MUIR WAYLAND, Registrar of Joint Stock Companies for the Provinces of Auckland and Hawke's Bay, in the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby certify that I have registered a Memorandum of Association, with Articles of Association, establishing a Company, with limited liability of the shareholders therein, entitled

"The New Zealand Freight Company, Limited."

The objects for which the Company is established are—"To become carriers by sea of goods, wares, merchandise, and cargo of every description, and of passengers to and from and within the Colony of New Zealand, and any other ports or places in the world, and, as incident to the above objects, to hire and charter, on behalf of the Company, ships, barges, or boats; the acquisition of barges, boats, storehouses, warehouses, and offices; the providing the necessary means of transport and conveniences for shipping and unshipping goods; the appointment of agents and attorneys in any part or parts of the world to carry out the objects of the Company, and to do all such other things as are directly or indirectly incidental or conducive to the attainment of the above objects."

And that, in pursuance of the provisions of "The Joint Stock Companies Act, 1860," I have issued a Certificate of Incorporation of the said Company, bearing date this first day of July, 1872.

JOHN M. WAYLAND,
Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same, on or before the 27th day of August, 1872.

Section 16, Block XLVI., Town of Dunedin.—EDMUND EDWARD COLSTON QUICK, of Dunedin, Gentleman, Applicant. 708.

Sections 1, 2, 3, 1 of 15, 2 of 15, 16, 17, Block VII.; Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 10, and 11, Block II., Hawksbury District.—ADAM OLIVER, of Hawksbury, Settler, Applicant. 71, 712, 733.

Sections 49, 50, 51, and parts 48 and 53, Green Island District.—JAMES RUNCIMAN, of Green Island, Miller, Applicant. 713, 714.

Section 35, Block VIII., North Harbour and Blue-skin District.—JOHN HILL, of Tumai, Farmer, Applicant. 716.

Section 6, Block XXVII., Waihola.—EDWARD McGLASHAN, of Dunedin, Gentleman, Applicant. 718.

Part of Section 20, Block VI., Town District.—WALTER AUGUSTUS NETTLETON, of Anderson's Bay, Settler, Applicant. 719.

Part of Section 27, Block IV., Hawksbury District.—FRANCIS FRANKS, of Mount Ida, Settler, Applicant. 720.

Sections 1 of 64, 2 of 64, 2 of 69, 1 of 70, 2 of 70, 3 of 70, 1 of 71, 2 of 71, 3 of 71, Block IV., Moe-raki District.—JOHN RICHARD JONES, of Dunedin, Gentleman, Applicant. 743.

Sections 16 and 17, Block XXVI., Dunedin.—HENRY PORSON MORSE, of Dunedin, Gentleman, Applicant. 744.

Part of Section 78, Block XXVII., Dunedin.—WILLIAM CALDWELL, of Dunedin, Custom House Officer, Applicant. 725.

Sections 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, and 38, Block II., Otepopo District.—JOHN ANDREW, of Hampden, Stockowner, Applicant. 722.

Sections 123 and 124, Block IV., Papakaio District.—JOHN SHENNAN, of Oamaru, Draper, Applicant. 726.

Part of Sections 12 and 13, Block II., Lawrence.—WILLIAM JAMES MUDIE LARNACH, Gentleman, Applicant. 727.

Part of Section 95, Block VII., Town District.—**CHARLES RITCHIE HOWDEN**, of Dunedin, Merchant, Applicant. 728.

Section 1, Block XXXI., and Sections 9, 11, and part of Section 7, Block XXX., Clutha District.—**ALFRED QUARTIER**, of Otanamomo, Settler, Applicant. 738.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.
Dated this 13th day of July, 1872, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

D. F. MAIN,
District Land Registrar.

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LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," unless caveat in the meantime be lodged forbidding the same.

GEORGE GWAVAS CARLYON, of Gwavas, Gentleman, Applicant.—2 acres, being Sections Nos. 372 and 373, Town of Napier. Also 1 acre, being Section No. 383, Town of Napier. The said sections are unoccupied.

Time for caveat, one calendar month after date of gazetting this notice.

REV. ROBERT TAYLOR, of Waipawa, Applicant.—1 rood, part of Block 16, Patangata District, and being Allotment No. 6, Town of Abbotsford.

Time for caveat, 4th September, 1872.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 4th day of July, 1872, at the Lands Registry Office, Napier.

HANSON TURTON,
District Land Registrar.

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LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," unless caveat in the meantime be lodged forbidding the same.

MRS. ELIZABETH SAIT, of Nelson, Widow, Applicant.—1 acre, being Section 291 on the plan of the City of Nelson. Also 30 perches, being part of Section 289 on the said plan. Bounded—North by Cambria Street (51 feet); West by Section 291 (14 feet); South and East by other parts of said Section 289.

ROBERT BURN, of Nelson, Tinsmith, Applicant.—1 rood 25 perches, being part of Section 212 on the plan of the City of Nelson. Bounded—North partly by other part of same section and partly by Section 213; East by Section 210 (440 links); South by Bridge Street (130 links); West by other part of said Section 212. (W. Rout, Broker.)

The Hon. **NATHANIEL EDWARDS**, of Nelson, a Member of the Legislative Council, Applicant.—1 acre 12 perches, being Lot 15 of Section 25 on the plan of the District of Waimea East. Bounded—North by a road (328 feet); East by Section 23 (143 feet); South by Lot 16 of said Section 25 (328 feet); West by the main road (143 feet). (Adams and Kingdon, Solicitors.)

JOHN BLACKETT, of Wellington, Esquire, Applicant.—7 acres 2 roods, being Sections 1089 and 1089A, on the plan of the City of Nelson. Bounded—North by Van Dieman Street (1030 links); East by land lately in occupation of Reverend Thomas Dickson Nicholson (750 links); South by Crown land (1030 links); West by a public road (750 links). (Fell and Atkinson, Solicitors.)

PETER LEVY, of Nelson, Police Constable, Applicant.—15 perches, being part of Section 333 on

the plan of the City of Nelson. Bounded—North by Halifax Street (34 feet); East by Section 332 (119 feet); South and West by other parts of said Section. Also 11 perches, being part of Section 332 on the said plan. Bounded—North by Halifax Street (30 feet); East and South by other parts of same section; West by said Section 333 (105 feet).

WILLIAM HILDRETH, of Waimea South, Nelson, Gentleman, Applicant.—1 acre, being Section 9 on the plan of the City of Nelson. (T. Brunner, Broker.)

HENRY TASKER, of Richmond, Waimea East, Butcher, Applicant.—2 roods, being part of part 6 of Section 26 on the plan of the District of Waimea East. Bounded—North by part 7 of said section; East by a public road; South by part 5 of said section; West by a stream running through the said section.

Caveat in each case must be lodged within one calendar month after date of publication of this notice in the *Gazette*.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 13th day of July, 1872, at the Lands Registry Office, Nelson.

SAMUEL KINGDON,
District Land Registrar.

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LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," unless caveat in the meantime be lodged forbidding the same.

THE BANK OF NEW ZEALAND, Applicant.—1 rood and 28 perches, being Town Allotments 44 and 45 on the plan of the Town of Blenheim, commencing at a point of a piece of land ten feet wide, on the south-western boundary of Allotment 45, reserved out of said Allotment 45 to form part of Alfred Street; thence running northerly, fronting the Grove Road, 305 links; thence easterly 140 links to a piece of land ten feet wide, reserved out of said Allotments 44 and 45 to form part of Sinclair Street; thence southerly, fronting such reserved piece of land 305 links, and thence westerly to the commencing point, 140 links, fronting on said reserved piece of land to form Alfred Street as aforesaid. (C. J. W. Griffiths, Broker.)

THE BANK OF NEW ZEALAND, Applicant.—1 acre and 2 roods in the Town of Tua Marina, being Section 9 on the plan of the said Town. Bounded—on the North-east by Thompson Street, 150 links; on the South-east by Section 8, 640 links; on the West by the Tua Marina River; and on the North-west by Cotterell Street, 365 links. (C. J. W. Griffiths, Broker.)

Caveat in each case may be lodged within one calendar month after the date of publication of this advertisement.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 9th day of July, 1872, at the Lands Registry Office, Blenheim.

J. DEAN BAMFORD,
District Land Registrar.

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LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," unless caveat in the meantime be lodged forbidding the same.

WALTER TURNBULL, of the City of Wellington, Merchant, Attorney for **JOSEPH MILO**, Applicant.—1 acre and 12 perches, being Allotment 24 on the plan of the subdivision of Section 4, Omaka District.

Bounded—towards the North-east by Howick Road (477 links and 133 links respectively); towards the South by Allotment 35 of said subdivision (153 links); towards the North-west by Maxwell Road (200 links); and towards the South-west by Allotment 25 of said subdivision (500 links). And 4 acres 1 rood and 6 perches, being Allotment 35 on the plan of the said subdivision of Section 4, Omaka District aforesaid. Bounded—towards the North by Allotments 24 and 25 of said subdivision (660 links); towards the South by Allotment 36 of said subdivision (660 links); towards the East by Howick Road (650 links); and towards the West by Section 6, Omaka District aforesaid (650 links).

JOHN HENRY DALTON, of Waitohi Valley, Marlborough, Saw Miller, Applicant.—29 perches, being part of Allotment 46 on the plan of the Town of Blenheim, commencing at a point on the north-east corner of Sinclair Street, running in a westerly direction a distance of ninety-three links, having a frontage on Alfred Street; thence in a southerly direction one hundred and fifty-one links; thence again westerly forty links; thence again southerly thirty-five links; thence easterly at right angles, one hundred and twenty-four links; and thence northerly to the commencing point one hundred and eighty-five links. (Dodson, Fell, and Co., Brokers.)

Caveat in each case may be lodged within one calendar month after the date of publication of this advertisement.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 5th day of July, 1872, at the Lands Registry Office, Blenheim.

J. DEAN BAMFORD,
District Land Registrar.

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LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," unless caveat be lodged for bidding the same in each case on or before 21st August, 1872.

Northern half of Allotment 3, Section 2, Town of Auckland, Lower Queen Street. In occupation of J. S. Macfarlane and Co.—On application of JAMES FARMER, of Auckland, Gentleman.

Lots 3, 4, 5 of Subdivision of Allotment 9, and part of Allotment 8, Section 19, Suburbs of Auckland, Grafton Road. In occupation of F. McRae, Esq.—On application of ELLEN, wife of SAMUEL SAGE RAPSON, of Auckland, Assayer.

Part of Allotment 23 of Section 46, Town of Auckland, Beresford Street, unoccupied.—On application of BENJAMIN TONKS, of Auckland, Auctioneer.

Allotment 4 of Section 28, Town of Auckland, Hobson Street.—On application of THOMAS MINETTI, of Auckland, Baker. In occupation of Applicant, and A. McCrapp as Tenant.

Part of Allotment 2 of Section 17, Town of Auckland, Mills Lane.—On application of ALBERT DORNWELL, of Auckland, Butcher. In Applicant's own occupation.

Allotments 5, 6, 26, and 517, Parish of Te Papa, Cook's County, 217 acres. Unoccupied.—On application of JAMES BURTT, of Auckland, Mining Agent, as Trustee.

Lot 13, Parish of Paremoro, County of Eden, 52 acres. In occupation of Samuel Tonkers.—On application of THOMAS SHORT, of Auckland, Mariner.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 10th day of July, 1872, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

GEO. W. DAVY,
District Land Registrar.

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LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," unless caveat in the meantime be lodged for bidding the same.

WILLIAM STEWART.—304 acres Rural Sections 13614, 9078, and 8104, Timaru District.

JOHN GRIGG.—120 acres 26 perches, Rural Sections 801, 809, and parts of 479, 2381, 2385, Mandeville District. (A. Thompson, Solicitor.)

JOHN GRIGG.—44 acres 3 roods 39 perches, part Rural Section 1048, Christchurch District. Bounded—South-west by boundary of section; North-west by boundary of section, 1065 links; South-east by boundary of section, 1046 links; and North-east by line parallel to south-west boundary. (R. D. Thomas, Solicitor.)

JAMES GOSS.—100 acres, Rural Sections 540, 600, 1164, 6496, 8901, Le Bon's Bay.

WILLIAM REEVES.—Part Rural Section 247, Lyttelton District, commencing at a point 138 links in a straight line west-south-west 52° from the westernmost corner of Lyttelton Cemetery Reserve; thence in same line 182 links, thence south-easterly 110 links to a point on Governor's Bay Road 420 links from intersection of said road with said reserve; thence along said road easterly 182 links, and thence in a straight line to commencing point. (Hanmer and Harper, Solicitors.)

HUGH STACE.—2 roods, part Rural Section 32, Christchurch District, commencing at a point on Ferry Road 375 links from north-east corner of section; thence north-westerly fronting Ferry Road 125 links, and back south-westerly in a rectangular block 4 chains. (R. J. S. Harman, Broker.)

GEORGE ALLAN READE.—2 roods 10 perches, part Lot 26, Christchurch Town Reserves, commencing at a point on west boundary of lot 936 links north of north-west corner of Lot 24; thence at a right angle easterly 262 links; thence north-westerly, 260 links, to a point on Town Belt North 483 links from north-east corner of said Lot 26; thence westerly, south-westerly, and southerly along boundaries of lot to commencing point.

JOHN JOHNSTON FLETCHER.—1 rood, part Rural Section 4516, Ellesmere District, commencing at a point on road to Lake Ellesmere 554 links from north-west corner of section; thence east along said road 104 links, and south in a rectangular block 250 links.

JOHN JOHNSTON McCLELLAND.—447 acres, Rural Sections 4962, 5754, 7058, and part 7569, Christchurch District. (R. J. S. Harman, Broker.)

DAVID FINDLAY.—20 perches, part Lot 88, Christchurch Town Reserves, commencing at north-west corner of lot, thence east fronting Gloucester Street 50 links, and back south, in a rectangular block 250 links. (Hanmer and Harper, Solicitors.)

WILLIAM CHARLES MORGAN.—20 acres, Rural Section 2930, Christchurch District. (W. Wilson, Broker.)

ARTHUR CAMPBELL.—40 acres, Rural Section 9875, Ellesmere District.

JOHN GREENAWAY.—4 acres 2 roods, part Rural Section 135, Christchurch District, commencing at a point on northern boundary 1050 links west of north-east corner of section; thence south-westerly along northern boundary 350 links and half a link, and back south-easterly in a rectangular block 1285 links.

WILLIAM ROBERT MITCHELL.—12 perches, part Lot 108, Christchurch Town Reserves, commencing at a point 235 feet from east and 99 from

south boundary of lot; thence west parallel to south boundary 33 feet, and back south in a rectangular block 99 feet. (R. D. Thomas, Solicitor.)

RICHARD MAY MORTEN.—100 acres, Rural Section 56, Christchurch District. (W. H. Wynn Williams, Solicitor.)

CHARLES SKEVINGTON.—30 acres, part Rural Section 992, Mandeville District, a rectangular block, bounded West by boundary of section; and North and South by boundaries of section, 24 chains. (R. J. S. Harman, Broker.)

JOHN McLEAN, ALLAN McLEAN, and GEORGE BUCKLEY.—127 acres, Rural Sections 999, 7494, 7495, and part 998, Waitangi District, such part being bounded North-east by boundary of section, 1519 links; North-west and South-west by boundaries of section; and South-east by line parallel to north-west boundary. (Garrick and Cowlishaw, Solicitors.)

PETER DEWAR BOAG.—70 acres, Rural Section 4519, 4520, 5392, Ellesmere District.

WILLIAM BRAMLEY.—100 acres Rural Section 1685, Mandeville District. (R. Wilkin, Broker.)

JOHN MALCOLM.—20 acres, Rural Section 9028, Malvern District. (R. Wilkin, Broker.)

JOHN ABBOTT.—59 acres 18 perches, being that part of Rural Section 3659, Christchurch District, not already under Land Transfer Act. (T. J. Joynt, Solicitor.)

JOHN GIBSON.—1 rood, Lot 252, Rhodes' Town, Timaru, part Rural Section 8. (E. H. Tate, Broker.)

CHARLES WILLIAM WYATT (by **JOHN LEWIS**, his Attorney).—1 rood, part Lot 110, Christchurch Town Reserves, a rectangular block fronting east boundary of lot 125 links, and south boundary 2 chains; also 50 acres, Rural Section 4706, Malvern District. (John Lewis, Broker.)

Caveat in each case may be lodged within one calendar month after the date of publication of this advertisement.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 13th day of July, 1872, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

JOSHUA STRANGE WILLIAMS,
District Land Registrar.

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LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 24th day of August next.

CITY OF WELLINGTON.

Part of No. 79, containing 38 perches. Bounded—North, 400 links, by other part of 79; East, 60 links, by Taranaki Street; South, 400 links, by 78; and West, 60 links, by Hopper Street.—In occupation of **GEORGE MASLEN** and **WILLIAM HENRY BEAGLEHOLE**, the Applicants. (B. Smith, Broker.)

Part of No. 128, containing 13 perches. Bounded—North, South, and West, 90 links respectively, by other parts of 128; and East, 90 links, by a private way, other part of 128; the northern boundary of which said piece of land is parallel with and distant 182 links from Ingestre Street.—In occupation of **JAMES PAUL**, the Applicant.

Part of No. 203, containing 10 perches. Bounded—North and South, 104 links respectively, by other parts of 203; East, 62½ links, by Herbert Street; and West, 62½ links, by 201; the southern boundary whereof is parallel with and distant 209½ links from Dixon Street.—**WILLIAM WARING TAYLOR**, Applicant, on behalf of Robert Port and Samuel Costall, the Occupants. (B. Smith, Broker.)

Part of No. 378, containing 1 rood 19 perches. Bounded—East, 62 links, by 382; South, 369 links, by 377; West, 150 links, by Roxburgh Street; and North-east, 340 links, by other part of 378.—In occupation of **CONSTANTINE EDWARD ZOHRAB**, the Applicant.

Part of No. 625, containing 10 perches. Bounded—North-west 49½ links, South-west 121½ links, and South-east 49½ links, by other parts of 625; and North-east, 121½ links, by 626; the south-east boundary whereof runs parallel with and distant 142 links from the Tinakori Road.—**WILLIAM JONATHAN TABOR**, Applicant, on behalf of William Staples, the Occupant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this seventeenth day of July, 1872, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

JOHN E. SMITH,
District Land Registrar.

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PATENT for an "Invention for more simply, quickly, and easily rivetting Wrought-iron Pipes of small diameter by a tool called the Auxiliary Rivetter, and the use of short pieces of round iron instead of ordinary Rivets."

This is to notify, that **CHARLES McQUEEN**, of Dunedin, in the Province of Otago, New Zealand, Engineer, did, on the sixth day of May last, deposit at the office of the Patent Officer, in the Colonial Secretary's Office, in Wellington, a Specification or Instrument in writing under his hand and seal, particularly describing and ascertaining the nature of the said Invention, and in what manner the same is to be performed; and that by reason of such deposit the said Invention is protected and secured to him exclusively for the term of six calendar months thence next ensuing.

And I do further notify, that the said **Charles McQueen** has given notice in writing at my office of his intention to proceed with his application for Letters Patent for the said Invention, and that I have appointed Friday, the twenty-fifth day of October next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at my office, to hear and consider the said application and all objections thereto; and I do hereby require all persons having an interest in opposing the grant of such Letters Patent to leave, on or before the twenty-first day of October, at my office in Wellington, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

Given under my hand, this first day of July, 1872.

JAMES PRENDERGAST,
Patent Officer.

Bathgate and Shapter,
Solicitors of the said **Charles McQueen**,
Dunedin.

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PATENT for "An Invention for simultaneously punching holes along two opposite sides or edges of a plate or sheet of Iron, either in parallel, straight or curved lines, or radial lines, called 'The Self-acting Duplex Punching Machine.'"

This is to notify, that **CHARLES McQUEEN**, of Dunedin, in the Province of Otago, New Zealand, Engineer, did, on the sixth day of May last, deposit at the office of the Patent Officer, in the Colonial Secretary's Office, in Wellington, a specification or instrument in writing, under his hand and seal, particularly describing and ascertaining the nature of the said Invention, and in what manner the same is to be performed; and that by reason of such deposit the said Invention is protected and secured to him exclusively for the term of six calendar months thence next ensuing.

And I do further notify, that the said Charles McQueen has given notice in writing at my office of his intention to proceed with his application for Letters Patent for the said Invention, and that I have appointed Friday, the twenty-fifth day of October next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at my office, to hear and consider the said application, and all objections thereto; and I do hereby require all persons having an interest in opposing the grant of such Letters Patent, to leave, on or before the twenty-first day of October, at my office in Wellington, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

Given under my hand, this first day of July, 1872.

JAMES PRENDERGAST,
Patent Officer.

Bathgate and Shapter,
Solicitors for the said Charles McQueen,
Dunedin. 576

PATENT for an "Invention for Improvements in Reaping and Mowing Machines."

This is to notify, that ROBERT REID and JAMES GRAY, both of Oamaru, in the Province of Otago, and Colony of New Zealand, Ironfounders, carrying on business under the style or firm of "Reid and Gray," did, on the eighth day of July instant, deposit at the office of the Patent Officer, in the Colonial Secretary's Office, in Wellington, a Specification or Instrument in writing under their hands and seals, particularly describing and ascertaining the nature of the said Invention, and in what manner the same is to be performed; and that by reason of such deposit the said Invention is protected and secured to them exclusively for the term of six calendar months thence next ensuing.

And I do further notify, that the said Robert Reid and James Gray have given notice in writing at my office of their intention to proceed with their application for Letters Patent for the said Invention, and that I have appointed Friday, the sixth day of December next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at my office, to hear and consider the said application and all objections thereto; and I do hereby require all persons having an interest in opposing the grant of such Letters Patent to leave, on or before the second day of December next, at my office in Wellington, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

Given under my hand, this eighth day of July, 1872.

JAMES PRENDERGAST,
Patent Officer.

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IN THE MATTER OF "THE JOINT STOCK COMPANIES ACT, 1860," AND IN THE MATTER OF THE UNITED CARRYING COMPANY OF OTAGO (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given, that at a Special General Meeting of the Shareholders of the United Carrying Company of Otago (Limited), held on Tuesday, the 11th day of June last, the following Resolutions were unanimously adopted:—

1. "That the United Carrying Company of Otago be wound up voluntarily;"

2. "That Mr Charles Henry Street, Land Agent, Dunedin, be appointed Liquidator of the Company;"

Which Resolutions were confirmed at a Second Special General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company, held on Friday, the 12th day of July instant.

I, Charles Henry Street, liquidator of the United Carrying Company of Otago (Limited), hereby request all persons indebted to the Company to make payment of the sums due by them at my office in Princes Street, Dunedin, within ten days from the date hereof.

C. H. STREET.

Dunedin, 13th July, 1872.

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I, the undersigned DANIEL KERMODE, hereby make application to register "The Maerewhenua Water Race and Mining Company, Registered," under the provisions of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act, 1865," and the Amended Act, 1870; and I do solemnly and sincerely declare that the following statement is, to the best of my belief and knowledge, true in every particular, namely:—

1. The name and style of the Company is "The Maerewhenua Water Race and Mining Company, Registered."
2. The place of operation is at Maerewhenua.
3. The nominal capital of the Company is three thousand pounds, in 200 hundred shares of fifteen pounds each.
4. The amount already paid up is two hundred pounds.
5. The name of the manager is Daniel Kermode.
6. The office of the Company is at Maerewhenua.
7. The names and several residences of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follows:—

	Shares.
William J. Botting, Maerewhenua	40
Francis Reed, Maerewhenua	40
Robert J. Botting, Naseby	40
Jacob Lory, Naseby	40
Daniel Kermode, Maerewhenua	40

Dated this ninth day of May, 1872.

DANIEL KERMODE.

Witness to signature—Robert Campbell, Justice of the Peace, Otekaike. 334

STATEMENT of the Affairs of "The Caledonian Quartz Mining Company, Registered," for the half-year ended 10th June, 1872, in accordance with section 13 of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869."

Name of Company: "The Caledonian Quartz Mining Company, Registered."
When formed, and date of registration: 23rd April, 1872.
Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Reefton, Inangahua, Province of Nelson; Henry George Hankin.
Nominal capital: £15,000.
Amount of paid-up shares given to shareholders: 5,000 shares, half paid up, divided among original shareholders.
Number of shares in which capital is divided: 5,000 shares of £3 each.
Number of shares taken: 5,000.
Amount of calls made: £243 6s. 8d.
Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company: 10.
Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
Whether in operation or not: In operation.
Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
Total amount of subscribed capital: £65.
Number of shares unallotted: The whole allotted.

HENRY GEO. HANKIN,
Manager.

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I, JOHN STEPHENSON SMITH, a Commissioner duly appointed by virtue of the Ordinance No. 15, Session XI., of the Legislative Council of the Islands of New Zealand, to hear and decide Claims to Land by persons claiming title thereto from, through, or under the New Zealand Company, report that the Claims of the persons whose names appear in the Schedule hereto, having been duly referred to me

for investigation, I do hereby decide that the said persons are respectively entitled to Crown Grants of the land set against their names in the annexed Schedule.

Land Claims Office,
Taranaki, 25th June, 1872.

J. STEPHENSON SMITH,
Commissioner of Land Claims.

SCHEDULE.

No. of Report.	No. of Claim.	Name of Claimant.	Commissioner's Decision.
1051	1365	Robert Baker	Entitled to a Grant of 97 acres, more or less, of Rural Allotment No. 775, Grey District.
1072	1412	Edward Adam Adams	Entitled to a Grant of 113 acres 3 roods, more or less, of Rural Allotment No. 770, Grey District.
1086	1142	George Broadmore	Entitled to a Grant of Rural Allotments Nos. 782 and 782B, Grey District.
1087	1429	William Bayly, the elder	Entitled to a Grant of Suburban Section No. 9, Fitzroy District.
1088	1431	Vesey Germain Hine	Entitled to a Grant of Town Allotment No. 984, Town of New Plymouth.
1089	1432	Vesey Germain Hine	Entitled to a Grant of Town Allotment No. 637, Town of New Plymouth.
1090	1433	Vesey Germain Hine	Entitled to a Grant of Town Allotment No. 346, Town of New Plymouth.
1091	1239	Richard Langman	Entitled to a Grant of 20 acres, more or less, of Suburban Section No. 42, Fitzroy District.
1092	1430	Llewellyn Nash	Entitled to a Grant of 15 acres, more or less, of Suburban Section No. 42, Fitzroy District.
1093	1350	Thomas Wheeler	Entitled to a Grant of 2 roods 38 perches, more or less, of Suburban Section No. 28, Fitzroy District.
1094	1435	Henry Robert Richmond	Entitled to a Grant of Rural Allotment No. 519, Grey District.
1095	901	Henry Robert Richmond	Entitled to a Grant of Rural Allotment No. 518, Grey District.
1096	1434	Henry Robert Richmond	Entitled to a Grant of Rural Allotment No. 518A, Grey District.
1097	942	Henry Robert Richmond	Entitled to a Grant of Rural Allotment No. 776, Grey District.
1098	1436	Mary Ibbotson	Entitled to a Grant of Town Allotment No. 598, Town of New Plymouth.
1099	1437	George St. George	Entitled to a Grant of Town Allotment No. 942, Town of New Plymouth.
1100	1438	John Kivell	Entitled to a Grant of Town Allotment No. 1133, Town of New Plymouth.
1101	1394	Francis Ullathorn Gledhill	Entitled to a Grant of Town Allotment No. 347, Town of New Plymouth.
1102	1410	John Lewthwaite	Entitled to a Grant of 15 acres 2 roods 34 perches, more or less, of Suburban Section No. 4, Fitzroy District.
1103	817	Mrs. Emma Stapp	Entitled to a Grant of Town Allotment No. 1472, Town of New Plymouth.

Land Claims Office,
Taranaki, 25th June, 1872.

J. STEPHENSON SMITH,
Commissioner of Land Claims.

By virtue of the fifteenth clause of the New Zealand Company's Land Claimants Ordinance, Session XI., No. 15, I do hereby report that it is expedient that the legal estate in the lands specified in the following Schedule, and comprised in Reports on Claims made on the 25th June, 1872, should be deemed to have been in the Claimants thereto respectively from and after the dates placed opposite to the descriptions of the lands respectively.

SCHEDULE.

No. of Report.	Name of Claimant.	Description of Land Claimed.	Date of Legal Estate.
1087	William Bayly, the elder	Suburban Section No. 9, Fitzroy District	31st Dec., 1861.
1088	Vesey Germain Hine	Town Allotment No. 984, Town of New Plymouth	31st Dec., 1861.
1089	Vesey Germain Hine	Town Allotment No. 637, Town of New Plymouth	31st Dec., 1861.
1090	Vesey Germain Hine	Town Allotment No. 346, Town of New Plymouth	31st Dec., 1861.
1093	Thomas Wheeler	Part of Suburban Section No. 28, Fitzroy District	31st Dec., 1861.
1098	Mary Ibbotson	Town Allotment No. 598, Town of New Plymouth	31st Dec., 1861.
1100	John Kivell	Town Allotment No. 1133, Town of New Plymouth	2nd October, 1855.
1102	John Lewthwaite	Part of Suburban Section No. 4, Fitzroy District	31st Dec., 1861.

Land Claims Office,
Taranaki, 25th June, 1872.

J. STEPHENSON SMITH,
Commissioner of Land Claims.

RETURN of the CUSTOMS REVENUE at the several Ports of NEW ZEALAND, during the Quarter ended 30th JUNE, 1872.

HEADS OF REVENUE.	Rate of Duty.	Ports																				Totals.		Corresponding Quarter of 1871.	HEADS OF REVENUE.				
		Auckland.	Thames.	Russell.	Mongonui.	Hokianga.	New Plymouth.	Wanganui.	Wellington.	Napier.	Wairau.	Picton.	Havelock.	Kaikoura.	Nelson.	Westport.	Greymouth.	Hokitika.	Okarito.	Lyttelton.	Timaru.	Oamaru.	Dunedin.			Invercargill and Bluff Harbour.	Riverton.	Chatham Islands.	Quantities.	Revenue.
Spirits, Ψ gal.	12s.	13757	1649	324	76	279	796	2507	4715	2646	679	138	158	200	2293	2909	4823	4204	185	8889	1806	795	17301	2079	552	122933 galls.	73760	72791	Spirits, Ψ gal.
" " New Zealand	6s.	1221	14	...	...	27	37	...	32	34	...	...	...	...	22	90	63	...	168	34	33	2152	109	66	13673 "	4102	2880	" " New Zealand.
Cigars and Snuff, Ψ lb.	5s.	726	172	...	...	11	...	152	67	21	...	...	...	128	65	381	334	...	369	...	...	834	65	6	13324 lbs.	3331	2822	Cigars and Snuff, Ψ lb.
Tobacco, Ψ lb.	2s. 6d.	5024	457	39	73	186	154	468	1408	668	83	62	...	28	1077	729	1234	1130	49	2197	264	208	5955	747	180	179360 "	22420	23518	Tobacco, Ψ lb.
" (Sheepwash) Ψ lb.	3d.	8	...	...	...	...	11	16	1	11	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4080 "	51	211	" (Sheepwash) Ψ lb.
Wine, Ψ gal.	4s.	1406	127	14	...	15	54	194	650	266	29	5	...	11	244	235	467	318	26	1240	136	94	1914	201	45	38455 galls.	7691	7477	Wine, Ψ gal.
Ale, Beer, &c. in Wood, Ψ gal.	1s.	110	25	...	19	8	...	5	113	3	15	143	33	...	9480 "	474	537	Ale, Beer, &c. in Wood, Ψ gal.
" " in Bottle, "	1s. 3d.	646	57	2	3	...	5	76	531	59	...	...	...	64	84	139	145	8	352	10	10	908	83	3	50960 "	3185	2448	" " in Bottle, "
Tea, Ψ lb.	6d.	2826	18	4	5	...	42	253	974	404	84	39	...	19	513	360	613	445	6	1533	159	131	3560	500	52	503600 lbs.	12590	13153	Tea, Ψ lb.
Coffee, Cocoa, &c., Ψ lb.	3d.	332	...	...	...	...	...	155	13	...	...	...	...	111	32	74	130	...	258	...	...	575	54	...	138720 "	1734	1368	Coffee, Cocoa, &c., Ψ lb.
" Roasted, Ψ lb.	5d.	...	...	...	...	...	8	5	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	912 "	19	25	" Roasted, Ψ lb.
Sugar and Molasses, Ψ lb.	1d.	4995	272	7	19	...	107	368	1738	462	83	40	...	1152	514	1193	1003	19	2323	243	79	5595	570	107	5013360 "	20889	18582	Sugar and Molasses, Ψ lb.	
Firearms, each	5s.	5	...	...	...	...	1	...	7	...	...	...	...	5	...	3	1	...	15	...	...	1	2	...	160 No.	40	32	Firearms, each.
Powder, Sporting, Ψ lb.	6d.	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	11	...	...	...	...	...	12	...	...	2080 lbs.	52	99	Powder, Sporting, Ψ lb.
Shot, Ψ cwt.	10s.	10	...	...	...	...	...	19	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	10	12	...	44	...	...	62	1	...	328 cwts.	164	90	Shot, Ψ cwt.
Goods by Measurement, c. ft.	5s.	4573	53	1	1	...	35	45	1637	293	5	43	...	1543	550	807	850	...	2552	231	9	4905	112	19	73056 c. ft.	18264	14575	Goods by Measurement, c. ft.	
" " "	3s.	1140	2	...	...	...	26	4	297	29	...	6	...	210	109	322	119	...	408	39	...	1464	43	35	28353 "	4253	3676	" " "
" " "	2s. 6d.	456	1	...	...	...	5	2	166	31	...	...	...	116	77	175	148	...	286	...	...	582	58	5	16864 "	2108	2062	" " "
" " "	2s.	161	...	1	...	...	5	...	113	42	...	...	...	17	15	35	26	...	132	9	9	174	10	1	7500 "	750	561	" " "
" " "	1s. 6d.	48	...	...	...	...	1	2	27	3	...	...	...	49	...	...	...	...	748	...	60	302	81	41	18160 "	1362	1379	" " "
" " "	1s.	395	7	...	...	...	5	10	183	27	...	1	...	105	42	109	68	...	304	5	9	611	60	4	38900 "	1945	1851	" " "
" " "	6d.	58	...	...	...	...	1	2	63	10	...	...	...	17	8	28	21	...	46	1	1	142	13	...	16440 "	411	325	" " "
" " "	3d.	24	...	...	...	...	...	20	...	1	...	...	...	8	4	2	1	...	42	...	2	51	2	...	12560 "	157	107	" " "
" Weight, Ψ cwt.	4s.	218	2	...	...	...	5	46	134	26	8	2	...	75	17	85	45	...	269	8	1	392	44	2	6895 cwts.	1379	1002	" Weight, Ψ cwt.
" " "	3s. 6d.	13	...	...	...	...	7	...	13	...	...	4	...	23	18	41	57	...	3	3	...	4	15	...	1148 "	201	...	" " "
" " "	3s.	14	...	...	...	...	7	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	9	5	...	2	...	...	26	3	...	527 "	79	79	" " "
" " "	2s. 6d.	" " "
" " "	2s.	115	...	...	...	...	2	1	47	8	...	...	...	19	11	17	17	...	87	1	...	157	8	1	4910 "	491	1024	" " "
" " "	1s.	72	2	...	...	...	2	10	94	124	...	...	...	50	12	19	23	...	310	12	9	661	16	5	28420 "	1421	623	" " "
" " Ψ lb.	3d.	354	5	...	...	...	16	1	87	20	...	...	...	44	21	52	27	...	361	7	4	604	79	...	134560 lbs.	1682	289	" " Ψ lb.
" " "	1d.	1004	...	...	...	...	11	20	368	56	3	...	...	239	101	286	188	...	713	...	3	1313	80	21	1057440 "	4406	3670	" " "
" " "	1/2d.	226	...	...	...	...	5	17	106	8	...	...	...	44	18	12	29	...	83	...	...	1849	439	5	1383680 "	2841	89	" " "
Opium	20s.	4	581	585 "	585	531	Opium
Ad valorem, 10 Ψ cent.	...	113	...	...	...	...	...	16	...	...	...	...	...	24	3	6	2	...	78	...	...	501	4	...	...	747	475	Ad valorem, 10 Ψ cent.
" " 5 "	...	26	...	...	...	...	4	41	...	...	...	...	...	7	9	19	4	...	21	...	...	6	...	...	...	137	45	" " 5 "
Other Duties not specified above	...	2679	152	1	1	3	52	62	532	107	11	6	...	504	256	530	530	...	1132	10	16	2306	276	12	...	9178	5058	Other Duties not specified above.	
Totals	...	42755	2990	393	178	483	1375	4155	14385	5410	1037	346	158	258	8696	6228	11592	9956	293	25150	2981	1488	55643	5787	1162	*	202899	...	Totals.
Corresponding Qr., 1871	...	37048	3087	385	165	493	1428	3928	14103	5843	981	295	200	226	5500	5375	11119	11544	544	20921	3151	1761	47645	6012	1816	31	183601	...	Corresponding Qr., 1871.
Total for Financial Year ended 30th June, 1872	...	163794	14541	1522	719	1647	5507	16789	58233	22383	4135	1230	707	789	31403	20111	40466	41535	1624	91304	12046	6433	212923	20862	5278	...	775981	...	Total for Financial Year ended 30th June, 1872.

* Return not received.

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Secretary and Inspector.

THE NEW ZEALAND GAZETTE.

RETURN of the QUANTITY and VALUE of GOLD EXPORTED from NEW ZEALAND,
from 1st APRIL, 1857, to 30th JUNE, 1872.

PORT OF EXPORT.	PRODUCE OF THE GOLD FIELDS IN THE PROVINCE OF	DURING THE QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1872.						EXPORTED PREVIOUS TO THE 31ST MARCH, 1872.		TOTAL EXPORTED FROM NEW ZEALAND TO THE 30TH JUNE, 1872.	
		To Great Britain.	To New South Wales	To Victoria.	To China.	TOTALS.		Quantities.	Value.	Quantities.	Value.
						Quantities.	Value.				
		Oz.	Oz.	Oz.	Oz.	Oz.	£	Oz.	£	Oz.	£
Auckland	Auckland ...	5,856	33,258	...	...	39,114	127,934	661,936	2,312,328	701,050	2,440,262
Wellington	Wellington ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	120	30	120
Nelson	Marlborough ...	...	75	...	...	75	300	39,504	152,818	39,579	153,118
Nelson	Nelson ...	...	1,719	1,747	...	3,466	13,864	1,154,412	4,569,972	1,175,784	4,655,460
Westport	Ditto ...	...	...	6,665	...	6,665	26,660				
Greymouth	Ditto ...	...	...	11,241	...	11,241	44,964				
						21,372	85,488				
Greymouth	Westland ...	...	...	6,902	...	6,902	27,608	1,643,849	6,481,771	1,670,230	6,587,295
Hokitika	Ditto ...	...	...	18,943	...	18,943	75,772				
Okarito	Ditto ...	...	...	536	...	536	2,144				
						26,381	105,524				
Dunedin	Otago ...	34,259	...	4,827	5,759	44,845	179,380	2,928,144	11,444,012	2,973,877	11,626,944
Invercargill	Ditto ...	...	...	888	...	888	3,552				
						45,733	182,932				
Totals		40,115	35,052	51,749	5,759	132,675	502,178	6,427,875	24,961,021	6,560,550	25,463,199

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COMPARATIVE RETURN of the QUANTITY and VALUE of GOLD EXPORTED from the several Provinces
of NEW ZEALAND for the HALF-YEAR ended 30th JUNE, 1871, and 30th JUNE, 1872.

PROVINCES.	HALF-YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1872.		HALF-YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1871.	
	Quantities.	Value.	Quantities.	Value.
	Oz.	£	Oz.	£
Auckland	71,701	246,316	149,235	529,398
Marlborough	1,030	4,120	992	3,968
Nelson	49,280	197,120	49,398	197,592
Westland	60,865	243,460	65,695	262,780
Otago	104,796	419,184	89,740	358,960
Totals	287,672	1,110,200	355,060	1,352,698

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