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*Limits and Description of a portion of the Wanganui-Manawatu Railway.*

(L.S.) JAMES FERGUSSON, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Immigration and Public Works Act, 1870," it is enacted, that the railways to be constructed under the said Act shall be only such railways as shall from time to time be determined by the General Assembly: And it is also thereby enacted, that, subject to the provisions contained therein, the Governor may construct or cause to be constructed any lines of railway which shall be prescribed by the General Assembly as railways to be constructed under the said Act, or any part or parts thereof, and acquire the necessary engines, plant, and machinery for working and using the same, or any of them: And it is also thereby enacted, that whenever the Governor shall determine to construct any such railway, or any part thereof, it shall be lawful for him, by Proclamation published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, to declare and define the limits and description and line thereof, and the lands proposed to be taken for the purpose of such railway, subject to the provisions of any Act defining such limits and descriptions; and any such Proclamation may refer to maps, plans, or drawings to be deposited in the office of the Registrar or Deputy Registrar of the Supreme Court in the Province in which such railway or part thereof is proposed to be constructed, and any maps, plans, or drawings so referred to shall be deemed to form part of such Proclamation; and upon the publication of such Proclamation, the provisions and regulations contained in the Seventh Part of the said Act shall be applicable to the railway, and to the lands to which the Proclamation shall relate: And it is also thereby enacted, that it shall be lawful for the Governor to make, construct, and maintain any such railway as aforesaid, with proper works, approaches, and conveniences connected therewith, commencing at the place delineated on, and extending along the lines set forth in, and terminating at a point described in the Act or Proclamation proclaiming and defining such railway, or shown in the maps, plans, or drawings referred to in such Act or Proclamation: And it is also thereby enacted, that

the Governor may direct that any part of such line of railway may be constructed on and along any part of any public highway, and that any part of any such line of railway may be constructed on or through any public reserves: And it is also thereby enacted, that, subject to the provisions of that Part of the said Act, and of the Acts incorporated therewith, the Governor may exercise all or any of the powers by that Part of the said Act or the said incorporated Acts conferred upon him for the construction of any such railway, and may enter upon and cause to be entered upon all lands within the Colony for the purpose of making such surveys as may be necessary, and may take and hold all the lands required for the railway along the line set forth and described as aforesaid, or within the limits of deviation described in the Proclamation relating thereto, and may temporarily occupy and use such lands as may be necessary on either side of the railway, during the construction thereof:

And whereas by "The Railways Act, 1871," and "The Railways Act, 1872," it is enacted, that the Governor may, under the provisions of the hereinbefore firstly recited Act and of the now reciting Acts, construct and maintain, or cause to be constructed and maintained, the several lines of railway specified therein: And it is also thereby enacted, that the line of the railways thereby authorized to be constructed shall be fixed by the Governor, and shall commence and terminate at points to be fixed by the Governor: And whereas by "The Immigration and Public Works Act, 1872," it is enacted, that as to any railway which the Governor has been authorized to construct, and to fix the commencing and termination points and line thereof, it shall be competent for him, if he thinks fit, instead of fixing and proclaiming such points and the whole line at one time, to fix and proclaim portions of such line from time to time, and the commencing and termination points of any such portion or portions, and the limits and description of any such portion or portions, and the lands proposed to be taken for the purpose of any such portion or portions, and to construct any portion or portions so fixed, and to take the lands for the same; and any such portion so proclaimed shall be deemed to be a railway within the meaning of the said Act and the said amending Act and this Act:

And whereas by "The Immigration and Public Works Act, 1872," it is enacted, that, at any time after the expiration of twenty-one days from the publication in the *New Zealand Gazette*, and in a newspaper ordinarily circulating in the district, of a Proclamation under the thirteenth section of the said Act, whether of the whole or a portion or portions of a line of railway, the Governor, on behalf of Her Majesty, may enter upon, take possession of, use and hold, or cause to be entered upon, taken possession of, used and held, so much of the lands defined in such Proclamation as proposed to be taken as shall be required to be taken, purchased, or permanently used for the purposes of such railway, notwithstanding that an agreement shall not have been come to or an award made for the purchase or compensation money to be paid in respect of such lands:

And whereas by the said last-mentioned Act it is also enacted, that in any case in which a road or right of road has been or hereafter may be reserved in any Crown grant, and in any case in which, under "The Native Lands Act, 1865," or any law for the time being in force relating to the sale of waste lands of the Crown, or any law whatever, there is a right to take a public road through any lands, it shall be lawful, after such road shall have been surveyed, to construct under the said Acts any railway, or any part of any railway, on the road so surveyed, notwithstanding that such road may not have been made:

And whereas the Governor has determined to construct and maintain a portion of the railway from Wanganui to Manawatu, authorized to be constructed by "The Railways Act, 1871," and "The Railways Act, 1872," which said portion is hereinafter described:

Now therefore, I, the Right Honorable Sir James Fergusson, Baronet, Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred on me by the hereinbefore in part recited Acts, and in exercise of every other power enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim, declare, and define the limits, description, and line of the said portion of the said railway to be those set forth in the First Schedule hereto; and that the lands specified and described in the Second Schedule hereto are proposed to be taken for the purposes of the said portion of the said railway, and that the limits of deviation shall be those set forth in the said First Schedule hereto; and in pursuance and exercise of all powers and authorities conferred on me in that behalf, I do hereby fix the point of commencement of the said portion of the said railway to be at or near a point which is situated at or on that part of the East Bank of the Wanganui River which adjoins the western portion of Rural Section numbered eighty-nine, in the Province of Wellington, and the point of termination thereof to be at or near a point which is situated in Rural Section numbered two hundred and forty-eight, in the same Province, the said point being on the southern side of No. 2 line of road from Wanganui, and about thirty-five chains, more or less, distant from the south-easternmost corner of Rural Section one hundred and ninety-four, in the Province aforesaid.

#### FIRST SCHEDULE.

*Limits, Description, Line, and Limits of Deviation of a portion of the Railway from Wanganui to Manawatu, in the Province of Wellington.*

COMMENCING at or near a point which is situated at or on that part of the East Bank of the Wanganui River which adjoins the western portion of Rural Section numbered 89, in the Province of Wellington, and terminating at or near a point which is situated in Rural Section numbered 248, in the same Province,

the said point being on the southern side of No. 2 line of road from Wanganui, and about 35 chains, more or less, distant from the south-easternmost corner of Rural Section 194, in the Province aforesaid, as the limits, description, and line thereof are set forth in the plan, and described in the book of reference referred to on the face of the said plan, and which plan and book are authenticated for the purposes of this Proclamation by the signature of the Honorable Edward Richardson, Minister for Public Works, to be deposited in the office of the Registrar of the Supreme Court at Christchurch, or within the limits of deviation set forth in the said plan by dotted red lines, being not more than 110 yards on either side of the said line, except where otherwise delineated on the said plan, and passing in, through, into, or over the several sections of land, roads, reserves, places, beaches, rivers, and watercourses enumerated in the Second Schedule hereto.

#### SECOND SCHEDULE,

##### OR BOOK OF REFERENCE.

*Lands and Roads, &c., proposed to be taken for the purposes of the portion of the Railway from Wanganui to Manawatu, hereinbefore described.*

So much of the lands and roads hereinafter mentioned as are required for the said portion of the said railway along the line of the said railway hereinbefore defined, or within the limits of deviation aforesaid, as the lands are described and defined in the plan or book of reference aforesaid.

#### WANGAHEU HIGHWAY DISTRICT.

Wanganui River, Rural Sections numbered 77, 89, 90, 91, 78, 64, 65, 79, 66, 67, 80, 81, 68, 69, 82, 70, 71, 72, 72A, 73, 74, 75, 76, 110, 56, 57, 112, 113, 58, 59A, 59, 123, 124, 125, 126, 126A, 128, 178, 270, 195, 196, 197, 198, 247, 248, and all adjoining and intervening sections of land, reserves, places, roads, streams, and watercourses.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honorable Sir James Fergusson, Baronet, a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at Wellington, this fifth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

EDWARD RICHARDSON.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Proclaiming certain Lands to have been taken for purposes of the Railway from Wellington to Masterton.*

(L.S.) JAMES FERGUSSON, GOVERNOR.

#### A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Immigration and Public Works Act, 1872," it is, among other things, enacted, that whenever it shall become necessary that any lands which the Governor or the Minister is, by or under the Acts therein mentioned, or any Act authorizing the construction of any railway by the Governor or Minister, authorized to purchase or take for such railway, or any portion thereof, on or over which a railway authorized by the said Acts, or any Act to be passed in pursuance thereof, has been or may hereafter be constructed, should be vested in Her Majesty the Queen, it shall be lawful for the Governor or the Minister to cause a map of all such lands as may

have been taken or purchased under the said Acts, or any Act authorizing the construction of any railway as aforesaid, or any portion of such railway, to be prepared. Such map shall fully and accurately set forth the pieces or parcels of land intended to be taken and permanently used, or which have been purchased or taken, or are required to be vested in Her Majesty for the purposes of any such railway, and shall be authenticated by the signature of the Minister, or by that of some person to be appointed by him for that purpose from time to time. And it is also enacted, that the Minister shall cause the map to be deposited in the office of the Registrar of Deeds for the Registration District within which the lands shall be situated, or if the lands set forth on any such map shall extend beyond the boundaries of any one district, then such map shall be prepared in so many parts as shall be requisite to delineate the lands within each such district, and the map or the parts thereof as aforesaid shall be deposited in the office of the Registrar of Deeds in each Registration District where the lands shall be situated to which such map relates; but for the purposes of this Act, such map, although consisting of several parts, shall only be deemed to be one map: And whereas by the said Act it is further enacted, that it shall thereupon be lawful for the Governor from time to time, by Proclamation in the *New Zealand Gazette*, to declare that the lands set forth in such map, or any of them, have been taken or acquired for the purposes of the railway in respect of which the same shall have been taken or acquired under the said Acts, or any Act authorizing the same to be taken or acquired, and in such Proclamation the lands intended to be affected shall be therein described by reference to such map so to be deposited as aforesaid: And whereas, in accordance with the provisions of the said in part recited Act, the Minister for Public Works has caused a map of all such lands as have been taken or purchased for that portion of the line of railway from Wellington to Masterton, in the Province of Wellington, which is situated between the City of Wellington and the eighth mile-peg on the said line of railway, to be prepared as by the said in part recited Act is required, and the said map is authenticated by the signature of the Honorable Edward Richardson, as such Minister for Public Works: And whereas the said Minister, on or about the twenty-fifth day of September last past, caused the said map to be deposited in the office of the Registrar of Deeds at Wellington aforesaid:

Now therefore, I, Sir James Fergusson, Baronet, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authority vested in me by the hereinbefore in part recited Act, do hereby proclaim and declare that the lands set forth in the said map so deposited as aforesaid have been taken or acquired for the purposes of the said railway from Wellington to Masterton, which said railway is, by "The Railways Act, 1871," authorized to be constructed and maintained under the provisions of "The Immigration and Public Works Act, 1870," and the several Acts amending the same: And, in further pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, I do hereby proclaim and declare, that the lands intended to be affected by this Proclamation are described and delineated in the said map so deposited as aforesaid.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honorable Sir James Fergusson, Baronet, a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the

same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at Wellington, this fifth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

WILLIAM H. REYNOLDS,  
Minister acting for the Minister for  
Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Station for Quarantine appointed.*

(L.S.) JAMES FERGUSSON, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Public Health Act, 1872," it is, amongst other things, enacted, that the Governor may from time to time, by any order notified by Proclamation in the *Gazette*, appoint certain stations within or near any harbour or place within New Zealand, for the performance of quarantine, under the Third Part of the said Act, where all vessels liable to quarantine, and the crews, passengers, and persons on board thereof, shall perform the same: And whereas it is expedient that the place hereinafter particularly mentioned should be appointed a Quarantine Station for the purposes in the said Act mentioned:

Now therefore, I, Sir James Fergusson, Baronet, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me for that purpose, do by this Proclamation order and appoint that the place named and described in the Schedule hereto, shall be, and the same is hereby appointed to be, a station for the performance of quarantine, under the Third Part of "The Public Health Act, 1872."

SCHEDULE.

QUARANTINE GROUND, BLUFF HARBOUR.

ALL that piece or parcel of land in the Province of Otago, being Section 5, Campbell Town Hundred, facing Bluff Harbour, containing 240 acres, more or less, above high watermark:—Bounded on the North-west by Section 6, 32 chains; on the North-east by the north-east boundary of Section 6 aforesaid, continued to the Awarua Bay, 45 chains; on the East, South, and West, by the Bluff Harbour and Awarua Bay, including a small island adjacent, about three miles; and by a line 40 chains below high watermark of said Bluff Harbour and Awarua Bay, together with the water frontage to the said Section 5, within half a mile of its shores.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honorable Sir James Fergusson, Baronet, a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at Wellington, this fifth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

JULIUS VOGEL.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*The "Thames" to be a Borough under "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1867."*

(L.S.) JAMES FERGUSSON, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1867," provision is made for constituting, by Proclamation, boroughs in districts not comprised

within the limits of any of the cities, towns, or places therein particularly mentioned:

Now therefore, I, Sir James Fergusson, Baronet, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance of the powers vested in me by the said Act, do hereby constitute and proclaim the district defined in the Schedule hereto, and comprising the Townships of Shortland, Grahamstown, and Tararu, together with such other lands as are described in the said Schedule, to be a Borough under "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1867," aforesaid: And, in further pursuance of the said powers vested in me, I do hereby proclaim that the name of the said Borough shall be "Thames."

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honorable Sir James Fergusson, Baronet, a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at Wellington, this fifth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

WILLIAM H. REYNOLDS.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

SCHEDULE.

ALL that block of land in the Province of Auckland commencing at a point bearing from Trig. Station F 282 degrees 36 minutes 31 seconds, distant 11681 $\frac{1}{2}$  links; thence due east to Rocky Point, 80 chains; thence bearing 126 degrees 52 minutes, distant 4250 links, to Trig. Station F; thence by straight line to Trig. Station No. 5, Kuranui Hill; thence by straight line to Trig. Station No. 1, Waiotahi Spur; thence by a straight line to the centre of the Karaka Road, opposite centre of Sandes Street; thence by centre of Karaka Road to the centre of Rolleston Street; thence by centre of Rolleston Street to the centre of the Hape Creek; thence by the centre of Hape Creek to its confluence with the Kauwaeranga River; thence due westward, 80 chains; thence by a straight line to the point of commencement, a distance of 286 chains or thereabouts—all bearings being on the true meridian. Bounded—towards the North, by the sea and the gold fields; towards the East, by the Thames Gold Field, and an irregular boundary described by the centre of the Karaka Road and Rolleston Street; towards the South, by the centre of the Hape Creek, the mouth of the Kauwaeranga River, and the sea; and towards the West, by the sea.

"The Province of Westland Act, 1873," to come into operation.

(L.S.) JAMES FERGUSSON, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Province of Westland Act, 1873," it is enacted that the said Act shall come into operation on such day as the Governor shall, by Proclamation published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, appoint: And whereas it is expedient that such Proclamation should be made:

Now therefore, I, Sir James Fergusson, Baronet, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the said Act, do hereby proclaim and declare that the said Act shall come into operation on the first day of the month of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honorable Sir James Fergusson, Baronet, a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at Wellington, this fifth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

WILLIAM H. REYNOLDS.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*District under "The Native Lands Frauds Prevention Act, 1870."*

(L.S.) JAMES FERGUSSON, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Native Lands Frauds Prevention Act, 1870," it is enacted that the Governor in Council may, by Proclamation in that behalf, from time to time define districts to be called Native Trust Districts, and bring the same under the operation of the said Act:

Now therefore, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, and in exercise of the power vested in him by the said Act, doth hereby proclaim and declare the Province of Taranaki to be a Native Trust District under the said Act, by the name of

THE TARANAKI DISTRICT.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honorable Sir James Fergusson, Baronet, a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at Wellington, this fifth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

WILLIAM H. REYNOLDS.

Approved in Council.

FORSTER GORING,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Benjamin MacLean, Esq., to Audit Accounts of the Official Agent, Thames Gold Field.*

JAMES FERGUSSON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Auckland, this twenty-eighth day of October, 1873.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act Amendment Act, 1869," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council to appoint one or more persons, to be called Official Auditors, to audit the accounts of all Official Agents theretofore appointed or thereafter to be appointed under "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act, 1865:"

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the above in part recited Act, and of every other

power and authority enabling him in that behalf, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Colony, doth hereby appoint

BENJAMIN MACLEAN, Esquire, of Auckland,

in the said Colony, as and to be an Official Auditor of the accounts of the Official Agent appointed under "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act, 1865," in and for the Mining District of the Thames Gold Fields, with all the powers and subject to the provisions in the said in part recited Act contained, from and after the twenty-eighth day of October, 1873.

C. R. K. FERGUSSON, A.D.C.  
(for Clerk of the Executive Council.)

*Polling Places appointed.*

JAMES FERGUSSON, Governor.

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME,  
GREETING:

WHEREAS by "The Regulation of Elections Act, 1870," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, by Warrant under his hand, from time to time to appoint Polling Places for each Electoral District within or within one mile of the limits thereof, and to appoint any one of such Polling Places to be the Principal Polling Place for the District, and all or any of such Polling Places from time to time to abolish, and, if he think fit, to appoint other Polling Places in lieu of those abolished, and that every such Warrant shall be published in the *New Zealand Gazette*: Provided always that no Polling Place shall be appointed by the Governor under the said Act unless he shall be first satisfied that the place to be appointed is more convenient than any other for at least twenty electors to record their votes thereat:

And whereas, by Warrant under the hand of the Governor, certain places were appointed Polling Places and Principal Polling Places for the Province of Auckland, for the election of Members of the Provincial Council of the said Province; and whereas it is expedient to abolish the same:

Now know ye that I, Sir James Fergusson, Baronet, the Governor of New Zealand, in pursuance of the power and authority in me vested by the said Act, do hereby abolish all existing Polling Places for the said Province for the election of Members of the Provincial Council thereof, and do appoint in lieu thereof—

For the District of Waiuku:

Waiuku, Court House.  
Maioro, Carter's Dwelling House.  
Awhitu, School House.  
Pollock Settlement, School House.

For the District of Waikato:

Hamilton East, Volunteer Hall.  
Cambridge, Court House.  
Horatiu Township, Mill House.  
Rangiriri, Quick's Stables.

For the District of Coromandel:

Coromandel, the new Court House, Kapanga Road.

For the District of Thames:

Shortland, Resident Magistrate's Court House.  
Hastings, Roger's Store, Tapu Creek.

For the District of Town of Onehunga:

Onehunga, Court House.

For the District of Eden:

Newmarket, Toll House.  
Whau, Public Hall.

For the District of Tamaki:

Tamaki, St. John's College.

For the District of Pakuranga:

Otahuhu, Public Hall.  
Howick, Court House.

For the District of City of Auckland West:

Auckland, Young Men's Christian Association Building.

For the District of City of Auckland East:

Auckland, Mechanics' Institute.

For the District of Newton:

Newton, Newton Academy.

For the District of Parnell:

Parnell, Public Hall.

For the District of Waitemata:

Whau, Public Hall.

Huia, Gibbons' Mill.

„ Henderson's Mill.

For the District of Takapuna:

Devonport, North Shore, Public Hall.

Lucas' Creek, the Mill, Fraser and Tinnie.

Weiti, the Store where the Court and Highway Board sit.

For the District of Waipa:

Alexandra, the Court House.

Hamilton West, the Court House.

Ngaruawahia, the Court House.

Raglan, the Court House.

Te Awamutu, the Post Office.

Ohaupo, the School House.

For the District of Tauranga:

Tauranga, the Court House.

Maketu, the Court House.

For the District of Ramarama:

Pukekohe West, School House.

Pokeno, School House, Pokeno Hill.

Tuakau, School House.

For the District of Papakura:

Papakura, the Court House.

Wairoa, the Public Hall.

Bombay Settlement, the School House.

Pokeno, the School House, Pokeno Hill.

For the District of Turanganui:

Gisborne, the Court House.

Ormond, the Theatre.

Tolago Bay, the Native School.

For the District of Raglan:

Raglan, the Court House.

Harapipi, the Post Office.

For the District of Kaipara:

Helensville, the Court House.

Kaukapakapa, the Public Hall.

Pitoitoti, Riverhead, Mr. Keogh's house.

Weiti, Wade, the Court House.

Waiwera, Mr. John Sullivan's Private Residence.

Puhoi, The School House at the German Settlement.

For the District of Wairoa and Mangapai:

Wairoa, House of J. A. Walker, Kopuru Saw Mills.

Mangapai, House of W. Harrison.

Matakohe, House of Alder Fisher, junior.

Waipu North, Store of Charles Lewis.

For the District of Warkworth:

Warkworth, the Public Hall.

Mahurangi Heads, the Post Office.

Upper Matakana, the School House.

For the District of Otamatea:

Maungatauroto, the Chapel.

Paparoa, the Post Office.

- Waipu, Central School, Mangawai.  
Huharu, the School.
- For the District of Opotiki :  
Opotiki, the School House.  
Whakatane, the School House.
- For the District of Hokianga :  
Hokianga, the School House, Herd's Point.  
Whangaroa, the Court House.  
Okaihū, the School House.
- For the District of the Bay of Islands :  
Russell, the Court House.  
Waimate, the Runanga House.  
Kawakawa, Mr. James Tautari's Store.  
Waitangi Falls, Cottage occupied by Mr. Walter Irving.
- For the District of Whangarei :  
Whangarei Township, the Court House.  
Whangarei Heads, the Resident Magistrate's Station.  
Maungakaramea, Mr. William Henry Tippett's Residence.
- For the District of Mongonui :  
Mongonui, Resident Magistrate's Court House.  
Oruaiti, Mr. Ball's House.  
Oruru, Runanga House.  
Kaitaia, Mr. J. B. Matthews' House.
- For the District of Albertland :  
Port Albert, the Post Office.  
Te Arai, the School House.
- And I do hereby also abolish the existing Principal Polling Places for the Province of Auckland, for the election of Members of the Provincial Council thereof, and do appoint in lieu thereof—
- For the District of Waiuku :  
Waiuku, Court House.
- For the District of Waikato :  
Hamilton East, Volunteer Hall.
- For the District of Coromandel :  
Coromandel, the new Court House, Kapanga Road.
- For the District of Thames :  
Shortland, Resident Magistrate's Court House.
- For the District of Town of Onehunga :  
Onehunga, Court House.
- For the District of Eden :  
Newmarket, Toll House.
- For the District of Tamaki :  
Tamaki, St. John's College.
- For the District of Pakuranga :  
Otahuhu, Public Hall.
- For the District of City of Auckland West :  
Auckland, Young Men's Christian Association Building.
- For the District of City of Auckland East :  
Auckland, Mechanics' Institute.
- For the District of Newton :  
Newton, Newton Academy.
- For the District of Parnell :  
Parnell, Public Hall.
- For the District of Waitemata :  
Whau, Public Hall.
- For the District of Takapuna :  
Devonport, North Shore, Public Hall.
- For the District of Waipa :  
Alexandra, the Court House.
- For the District of Tauranga :  
Tauranga, the Court House.

- For the District of Ramarama :  
Pukekohe West, School House.
- For the District of Papakura :  
Papakura, the Court House.
- For the District of Tūranganui :  
Gisborne, the Court House.
- For the District of Raglan :  
Raglan, the Court House.
- For the District of Kaipara :  
Helensville, the Court House.
- For the District of Wairoa and Mangapai :  
Wairoa, House of J. A. Walker, Kopuru Saw Mills.
- For the District of Warkworth :  
Warkworth, the Public Hall.
- For the District of Otamatea :  
Maungatauroto, the Chapel.
- For the District of Opotiki :  
Opotiki, the School House.
- For the District of Hokianga :  
Hokianga, the School House, Herd's Point.
- For the District of the Bay of Islands :  
Russell, the Court House.
- For the District of Whangarei :  
Whangarei Township, the Court House.
- For the District of Mongonui :  
Mongonui, Resident Magistrate's Court House.
- For the District of Albertland :  
Port Albert, the Post Office.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honorable Sir James Fergusson, Baronet, a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued at Wellington, this fifth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

WILLIAM H. REYNOLDS.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Member of Executive Council sworn.*

Executive Council Chamber,  
Wellington, 17th October, 1873.

HIS Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified for general information, that Commodore JAMES G. GOODENOUGH, R.N., Commanding on the Australian Station, has this day been appointed a Member of the Executive Council of New Zealand, and that that gentleman has taken the necessary oath.

By command.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Deputy Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 5th November, 1873.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

SAMUEL CARROLL, Esq.,

to be Deputy Registrar of Marriages, and of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, for the District of Wellington, as the same is defined in Proclamation of 8th day of May, 1873, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 28, of 9th day of May, 1873.

WILLIAM H. REYNOLDS.

*Letters of Naturalization granted.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 5th November, 1873.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to issue Letters of Naturalization, under "The Aliens Act, 1866," in favour of the under-mentioned persons, viz. :—

Name.	Residence.	Occupation.
Henry Phillips ...	Palmerston	Storekeeper.
Louis Grimald ...	Dunedin ...	Labourer.
H. J. H. Wolters ...	Greymouth	Commission Agent.
Conrad Hoos ...	Hokitika	Miner.
Christian E. Olsen ...	Stafford ...	Butcher.

WILLIAM H. REYNOLDS.

*Registrar-General appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 6th November, 1873.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM ROBERT EDWARD BROWN, Esq.,  
to be Registrar-General for the Colony, under "The Registration Act, 1858," vice John Boyle Bennett, Esquire, retired.

This appointment dates from the 1st instant.

WILLIAM H. REYNOLDS,  
(in the absence of the Colonial Secretary).

*Justice of the Peace appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 5th November, 1873.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

DUNCAN MCGREGOR, Esq.,  
of Dunedin, to be a Justice of the Peace for the Colony.

WILLIAM H. REYNOLDS,  
[in the absence of the Minister of Justice).

*Clerk in Treasury appointed.*

Treasury,  
Wellington, 31st October, 1873.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN POWNE, Esq.,  
to be a Clerk in the Colonial Treasury, from the 1st November proximo, vice J. L. McGillivray, Esquire, resigned.

JULIUS VOGEL.

*Resignation of a Trustee, Dunedin Savings Bank, accepted.*

Treasury,  
Wellington, 5th November, 1873.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation by

THOMAS HILL, Esq.,  
of his office as a Trustee of the Dunedin Savings Bank.

JULIUS VOGEL.

*Registrar of Joint Stock Companies appointed.*

Treasury,  
Wellington, 5th November, 1873.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM FOX CHEESMAN, Esq.,  
to be Registrar of Joint Stock Companies for the District of Wellington during the absence of John Elisha Smith, Esquire.

JULIUS VOGEL.

*Trust Commissioner under "The Native Lands Frauds Prevention Act, 1870," appointed.*

Native Office,  
Wellington, 6th November, 1873.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HARRY EYRE KENNY, Esq.,  
to be Trust Commissioner under "The Native Lands Frauds Prevention Act, 1870," for the District of Taranaki.

WILLIAM H. REYNOLDS,  
(in the absence of Mr. McLean).

*Harbour Master appointed.*

Customs Department (Marine Branch),  
Wellington, 5th November, 1873.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

THOMAS SEON  
to be Harbour Master for the Port of Hokianga.

WILLIAM H. REYNOLDS.

*Money Order Offices.*

General Post Office,  
Wellington, 30th October, 1873.

THE following Notice, received\* from the General Post Office, London, is published for general information.

By order.  
W. GRAY,  
(for the Secretary).

MONEY ORDER OFFICES.

ENGLAND.

On the 1st of September the following alterations will be made, viz. :—

1. Money Order Offices will be opened in the Suburbs of London at—

	Postal District.
Leyton (High Street) ... ..	E.
Little Tower Street ... ..	E.C.
Redcliffe Square (Adrian Terrace ... ..	S.W.

and the Offices at New Peckham, S.E., and Woolwich (Hill Street), S.E., will be abolished.

2. The Coal Exchange Office will henceforth be designated Lower Thames Street, E.C. (No. 76).

3. Money Order Offices will be opened in the Country at—

	Head Office.	County.
Alnmouth ... ..	Alnwick	Northumberland.
Avon Dassett ... ..	Leamington	Warwick.
Brompton ... ..	Northallerton	York.
Cliffe ... ..	Rochester	Kent.
Howden-le-Wear ... ..	Darlington	Durham.
Kelloe ... ..	Ferryhill	Durham.
Ludham ... ..	Norwich	Norfolk.
North Lowestoft, R.O.	Lowestoft	Norfolk.
Partington ... ..	Manchester	Chester.



	Head Office.	County.
Shapwick ...	Bridgewater	Somerset.
Tan-y-bwlch ...	Carnarvon	Carnarvon.
Walkern ...	Buntingford	Hertford.

4. The Money Order Office at South Lowestoft (Lowestoft) will be abolished.

5. The Sub-Office at Seilly (Penzance) will be constituted a Railway Sub-Office.

## SCOTLAND.

6. Money Order Offices will be opened at—

	Head Office.	County.
Blanefield ...	Glasgow	Stirling.
Cambuslang ...	Glasgow	Lanark.
Kincardine O'Neil, Aberdeen	Aberdeen	Aberdeen.
Torridon ...	Dingwall	Ross.

## IRELAND.

7. Money Order Offices will be opened at—

	Head Office.	County.
Ballybricken R.O.,	Waterford	Waterford.
Ballybrittas ...	Monastereven	Queen's.

General Post Office, London,  
25th August, 1873.

Public Works Offices,  
(Colonial Architect's Branch.)  
Wellington, 31st October, 1873.

**TENDERS** are invited for reclaiming Two Acres Two Roods and Thirty-two Perches of the Harbour, as a site for the new General Government Offices.

General conditions, specifications, and plans may be seen at the Offices of the Colonial Architect, Wellington. Tenders addressed to the Hon. the Minister for Public Works, and marked outside "Tender for Reclaiming," will be received at the office of the undersigned up to noon of Monday, the 10th day of November next.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. H. CLAYTON,  
Colonial Architect.

*Officiating Minister registered.*

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 31st October, 1873.

**PURSUANT** to the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, passed in the eighteenth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, and intituled "The Marriage Act, 1854," the following name of an Officiating Minister within the meaning of the said Act is published for general information:—

*United Methodist Free Churches.*

The Reverend SAMUEL MACFARLANE.

I, JOHN B. BENNETT, Registrar-General of Births, Deaths, and Marriages in New Zealand, do hereby certify that the foregoing Name of an Officiating Minister, within the meaning of "The Marriage Act, 1854," has been sent in to me, in addition to the names in Lists published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 6, of the 30th January; No. 9, of the 13th February; No. 11, of the 27th February; No. 17, of the 20th March; No. 22, of the 10th April; No. 25, of the 24th April; No. 26, of the 1st May; No. 30, of the 15th May; No. 31, of the 22nd May; No. 38, of the 12th June; No. 41, of the 26th June; No. 42, of the 3rd July; No. 46, of the 17th July; No. 55, of the 18th September; No. 57, of the 2nd October; No. 60, of the 9th October; and No. 61, of the 16th October, in the present year.

Given under my hand, at Wellington, this thirty-first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

JOHN B. BENNETT,  
Registrar-General.

*Notification under "The Municipal Corporations Waterworks Act, 1872."*

I, JAMES MACANDREW, Esquire, Superintendent of the Province of Otago, do hereby, in accordance with the provisions of "The Municipal Corporations Waterworks Act, 1872," notify that two-fifths of the ratepayers of the Incorporated Town of Port Chalmers not having objected to the construction of the Waterworks mentioned in a notice dated the 2nd day of August, 1873, and published in the *Otago Guardian* newspaper once a week for four weeks in succession, commencing on the 4th day of August, 1873, the undertaking is now an authorized one, and may be carried out under the provisions of the said Act.

Dated this 20th day of October, 1873.

J. MACANDREW,

Superintendent of the Province of Otago.

## 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 within one calendar month from the date of publication of this notice.

Part of Section numbered twenty-four (24), Block four (IV.), Upper Kaikorai District, now known as Allotment twenty (20), in the private Township of Kaikorai.—GEORGE SHERIFF, of Kaikorai aforesaid, Butcher, Applicant. 1273.

Section numbered ten (10), Block thirty-five (XXXV.), Town of Dunedin.—ANDREW ALEXANDER, of Dunedin aforesaid, Carpenter, Applicant. 1274.

Section numbered twenty-five (25), Block four (IV.), District of Otepopo.—Henry Connell, of Oamaru, Estate Agent, as Attorney for GEORGE BARRON, now of parts beyond the seas, Farm Servant, Applicant. 1275.

Sections numbered respectively sixty (60) and sixty-two (62), Block six (VI.), Moeraki District.—DAVID WATERS PHILIP, of Palmerston, Contractor, Applicant. 1279.

Section numbered one hundred and sixty-one (161), Town of Port Chalmers.—GEORGE GOURLAY, of Dunedin, Slater, Applicant. 1282.

Section numbered eleven (11), Block one (I.), Town of Lawrence.—HORACE BASTINGS, of Lawrence aforesaid, Gentleman, Applicant. 1283.

Part of Section numbered fifty-one (51), Block seven (VII.), Town of Dunedin.—WILLIAM TAYLOR, of Dunedin aforesaid, Merchant's Clerk, Applicant. 1284.

Section numbered twenty-five (25), Block twelve (XII.), Town of Dunedin.—ROBERT DOW, of Dunedin aforesaid, Carpenter, Applicant. 1285.

Part of Section numbered sixty (60), Block twenty-five (XXV.), Town of Dunedin.—THOMAS CALCUTT, of Dunedin aforesaid, Gentleman, Applicant. 1286.

Section numbered sixty-seven (67), Block fourteen (XIV.), Glenkenich District.—HORACE BASTINGS, of the City of Dunedin, Esquire, Applicant. 1288.

Part of Section numbered twelve (12), Sawyer's Bay District.—GEORGE SCOTT MURRAY, of Sawyer's Bay aforesaid, Gentleman, Applicant. 1289.

Part of Application numbered 1689, Block one (I.), Otago Peninsula District.—JOHN ROBERT MONSON, of Port Chalmers, Gentleman, Applicant. 1290.



Section numbered fifty-one (51), Block thirty-one (XXXI.), Town of Dunedin.—BETSY BOYD LEIGHTON, Wife of James Leighton, of Dunedin aforesaid, Storekeeper, Applicant. 1291.

Part of Section numbered thirty-three (33), Block twenty-five (XXV.), Town of Dunedin.—JOSEPH SYKES WEBB, of Dunedin aforesaid, Gentleman, Applicant. 1293.

Part of Section numbered ninety-two (92), Block six (VI.), Town District of the Province of Otago, now known as Allotment numbered five (5), Block six (VI.), Township of Morningson.—JOHN POPE of Dunedin, Labourer, Applicant. 1294.

Sections numbered respectively five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10), and eleven (11), Block two (II.), Tomahawk Valley District.—WILLIAM SMAILL, of Dunedin, Road Inspector, Applicant. 1295.

Section numbered thirty-seven (37), Block four (IV.), District of Waikouaiti.—JOHN LAW, of Waikouaiti, Blacksmith, Applicant. 1300.

Sections numbered respectively six (6), seven (7), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), and twenty-two (22), Block one (I.), Maruenua District.—JOHN REID, of Dunedin, Merchant, and EDWARD MENLOVE, of Windsor Park, near Oamaru, Settler, Applicants. 1302.

Section numbered twenty (20), and parts of Sections numbered respectively three (3), fifteen (15), and forty-two (42), Block one (I.), Maruenua District.—JOHN REID, of Dunedin, Merchant, and EDWARD MENLOVE, of Windsor Park, near Oamaru, Settler, Applicants. 1303.

Section numbered eleven (11), and parts of Sections numbered respectively twelve (12), and twenty-one (21), Block seven (VII.), Awamoko District; Sections numbered respectively two (2), ten (10), eleven (11), twelve (12), thirteen (13), fourteen (14), fifteen (15), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), nineteen (19), twenty (20), twenty-one (21), twenty-two (22), twenty-five (25), twenty-eight (28), and thirty-two (32), and parts of Sections numbered respectively four (4) and five (5), Block (X.), Awamoko District; Section numbered thirty-one (31), Block ten (X.), Awamoko District; Sections numbered respectively twenty-seven (27), twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29), thirty (30), thirty-two (32), thirty-three (33), thirty-four (34), fifty-four (54), and fifty-five (55), and parts of Sections numbered respectively thirty-one (31), thirty-seven (37), and thirty-eight (38), Block nine (IX.), Awamoko District; Sections numbered respectively five (5) and seven (7), Block fifteen (XV.), Oamaru District; Sections numbered respectively one (1), two (2), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10), eleven (11), twelve (12), thirteen (13), fourteen (14), fifteen (15), and sixteen (16), and Application numbered two thousand seven hundred and ninety (2790), Block three (III.), Kauroo District; Section numbered three (3), Block two (II.), Kauroo District; Sections numbered respectively one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), and ten (10), Block eleven (XI.), Kauroo District; Section numbered four (4), Block one (I.), Maruenua District; Sections numbered respectively ten (10), eleven (11), twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29), and thirty (30), Block one (I.), Maruenua District; Sections numbered respectively twenty-three (23), twenty-four (24), twenty-five (25), twenty-six (26), thirty-five (35), thirty-six (36), sixty (60), and sixty-one (61), and parts of Sections numbered respectively twenty (20), thirty-one (31), thirty-seven (37), and thirty-eight (38), Block nine (IX.), Awamoko District; Sections numbered respectively six (6), seven (7), eight (8), and nine (9), and parts of Sections numbered respectively four (4), and five

(5), Block ten (X.), Awamoko District; Sections numbered respectively one (1), three (3), four (4), five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), fifteen (15), and sixteen (16), and parts of Sections numbered respectively twelve (12), and twenty-one (21), Block seven (VII.), Awamoko District; Sections numbered respectively twenty-three (23), twenty-four (24), twenty-five (25), twenty-six (26), thirty-seven (37), thirty-eight (38), thirty-nine (39), forty (40), forty-one (41), forty-two (42), forty-three (43), forty-four (44), and forty-nine (49), Block six (VI.), Awamoko District; Sections numbered respectively twenty-one (21), twenty-seven (27), thirty-six (36), and forty-one (41), and parts of Sections numbered respectively three (3), fifteen (15), and forty-two (42), Block one (I.), Maruenua District; Sections numbered respectively three (3), four (4), ten (10), eleven (11), twelve (12), fourteen (14), fifteen (15), and sixteen (16), Block two (II.), Maruenua District.—JOHN REID, of Dunedin, Merchant, and EDWARD MENLOVE, of Windsor Park, near Oamaru, Settler, Applicants. 1304.

Section numbered five (5), Block one (I.), Maruenua District.—JOHN REID, of Dunedin, Merchant, and EDWARD MENLOVE, of Windsor Park, near Oamaru, Settler, Applicants. 1305.

Sections numbered respectively forty (40), and seventy-two (72), Block twenty (XX.), Town of Dunedin.—JOHN CURLE, of Dunedin aforesaid, Tinsmith, Applicant. 1307.

Sections numbered respectively three (3), four (4), five (5), and six (6), Block five (V.), Table Hill District.—ABEL KERR, of Table Hill District aforesaid, Settler, Applicant. 1296.

Section numbered eight (8), Block seven (VII.), Town of Dunedin.—CHARLES COLUMB, of Dunedin aforesaid, Settler, Applicant. 1301.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 18th day of October, 1873, 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.

Part of Allotment 41, containing 9 acres 2 roods, part of Rural Section 4 in the District of Otago, commencing at the north-westerly angle of the said allotment. Bounded—towards the North, 950 links, by a road called Muller Road; towards the East, 1000 links, by a line at right angles to the said road, and other part of the said allotment; towards the South, 950 links, by a public road; and towards the West by Allotments 39 and 40 of said subdivision, 1000 links, to the commencing point.—EDMUND ECCLES, Land Broker, for Thomas Maddock, the Applicant.

Allotments 1, 2, and 3, adjoining each other, containing 1 acre 5 perches of subdivision of Rural Section 46, in the District of Otago. Bounded—towards the South by Custom House Street, and commencing on the western boundary of said Section 46, 2370 links from the south-western corner of said section, and running eastward 300 links; towards the East by a line at right angles to the last-mentioned boundary to the Omaka River; towards the North by the Omaka River; and towards the West by a public road parallel with and 300 links from the eastern boundary from the Omaka River to the starting point.—C. J. W. GRIFFITHS, Land Broker, for the Trustees of the Wellington Mutual Investment Society, the Applicants.

Allotments 30, 31, 32 and 33, adjoining each other, containing in the aggregate 1 acre, being part of subdivision of said Section 46 in the District of Opawa. Bounded—towards the East, 250 links, by Allotment 29; towards the South, 400 links, by Main Street; and towards the West, 250 links, by Opawa Street.

Also Allotments 24, 25, 26, and 27, adjoining each other, containing in the aggregate 1 acre, being also part of said subdivision of Section 46. Bounded—towards the North, 400 links, by Custom House Street; towards the East, 250 links, by Allotment 23; towards the South, 400 links, by Main Street; and towards the West, 250 links, by Allotment 28.

Also Allotment 206, containing 1 rood 23 perches. Bounded—towards the North by the River Opawa; towards the North-east, 270 links, by Allotment 207; towards the South-east, 205 links, by Park Terrace; towards the South-west, 40 links, by Allotment 205; and towards the West, 280 links, by a Custom House Reserve.—C. J. W. GRIFFITHS, Land Broker, for the Trustees of the Wellington Mutual Investment Society, the Applicants.

Allotment 205, containing 34 perches, being part of subdivision of Rural Section 46, in the District of Opawa. Bounded—towards the South-east, 250 links, by Park Terrace; towards the East, 40 links, by Allotment 206; towards the North, 200 links, by Custom House Reserve; and towards the West, 170 links, by Stuart Street.—C. J. W. GRIFFITHS, Land Broker, for the Trustees of the Wellington Mutual Investment Society, the Applicants.

Allotment 40, containing two acres, being part of subdivision of Rural Section 4, in the District of Omaka. Bounded—towards the North by Allotment 59 of said subdivision, 690 links; on the East by Allotment 41, 290 links; on the South by a road, 690 links; and on the West by Howick Road, 290 links.—RICHARD ENGLAND McRAE, Applicant.

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

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 17th day of October, 1873, 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 forbidding the same on or before the 13th day of December, 1873.

WELLINGTON.—Parts Section "248," containing, Firstly, 1 rood 13 perches. Bounded—North, 110 feet, by 249; East, 132 feet, by other part 248; South, 110 feet, by Vivian Street; and West, 132 feet, by 241. Secondly, 24 perches. Bounded—North, 50 feet, by 249; East, 132 feet, and West, 132 feet, by other parts of 248; South, 50 feet, by Vivian Street. The western boundary whereof runs parallel with and distant 150 feet from 241. In occupation of Maria Neill and JOHN MARTIN, the Applicant.

WELLINGTON.—Part Section "249," containing 3 roods 37 perches. Bounded—North, 330 feet, by 250; East, 132 feet by Tory Street and 18 feet by other part of 249; South, 180 feet and 110 feet by 248, and 40 feet by other part of 249; West, 18 feet by other part of 249, and 132 feet by 241. In occupation of JOHN MARTIN, the Applicant.

WANGANUI TOWN.—Section "164," 1 rood. In occupation of James Decimus Tripe. HENRY IRESON JONES, of Wanganui, Bookseller, Applicant, on behalf of his son Walter George Jones. (C. H. Borlase, Solicitor.)

WELLINGTON.—Parts Sections "462," "463," and "464," 1 acre, 1 rood, 37 perches. Bounded—North, 171 links by other part of 464, and 290 links by other part of 463; East, 78 links and 133 links, by other parts of 464 and 463, 214 $\frac{3}{4}$  links by Wellington Terrace, and 75 $\frac{3}{4}$  links by other part of 462; South, 151 $\frac{1}{2}$  links and 348 $\frac{1}{2}$  links, by other part of 462; and West, 220 $\frac{1}{2}$  links and 188 links, by the Town Belt. In occupation of JOSEPH EDWARD NATHAN, the Applicant.

WELLINGTON.—Part Section "197," 11 perches. Bounded—North, 194 $\frac{3}{4}$  links, by other part of 197; South, 110 links, and South-west, 97 links, by a right of way, other part of 197; East, 45 $\frac{1}{2}$  links, by Willis Street, the southern corner whereof is distant measured along Willis Street 18 $\frac{1}{2}$  links from the southern corner of Section 197. JOHN BROWN, of Wellington, Butcher, Applicant, on behalf of Joseph Archer, the occupant.

WANGANUI (Left Bank).—Section "29," 30 acres. In occupation of Arthur Beauchamp. JAMES SPEED, of Picton, Gentleman, Applicant. (B. Smith, Broker.)

WAIROA.—Town Allotment "3," 1 acre. Unoccupied. OKOTUKU.—Section "15," 50 acres. In occupation of Peter McKenzie, the Applicant. (B. Smith, Broker.)

MOTOA BLOCK, FOXTON.—Rural Section "114," 13 acres 3 roods and 30 perches. Unoccupied. JAMES O'MARA, of Palmerston, Sawyer, Applicant, on behalf of John Carter, of Foxton, Farmer. (E. S. Thynne, Broker.)

FOXTON.—Sections "127" and "128," 1 acre. Also, part Allotment 11 of Block VIII, AWAHOU.—1 acre and 38 perches. Bounded—North, 442 links, by a public road; East, 80 links, by a public road; South-east, 193 links, by other part of Allotment 11; South, 400 links, by Allotment 10; West, 300 links, by other part of Allotment 11, the north-west corner whereof is distant, measuring along the public road, 1388 links from the north-west corner of Lot 11 aforesaid. In occupation of Walter Ockenden, and ROBERT PORT, the applicant.

WELLINGTON.—Section "65," 1 acre 1 rood 19 perches. In occupation of Francis Sidey. ELIZA TINLEY and THOMAS MATTHEW TINLEY, of Sydney, by their Attorney, Arthur Rousell Baker, Applicants, on behalf of John Martin, of Wellington, Gentleman. (C. B. Izard, Solicitor.)

WELLINGTON.—Reclaimed Land, Allotment "63," 9 perches. Unoccupied. BANK OF OTAGO (Limited), by its Attorney, William James Mudie Larnach, Applicant, on behalf of the National Bank of New Zealand (Limited). (Hart and Buckley, Solicitors.)

WANGANUI TOWN.—Part Section "114," 26 $\frac{1}{2}$  perches. Bounded—North-east, 88 feet, by 115; South-east, 82 feet 6 inches, by Church Place; South-west, 88 feet, by Harrison Place; North-west, 82 feet 6 inches, by other part of 114. Unoccupied. BERNARD ROGERS, of West Coast, Miner, Applicant, on behalf of John Ballance, Wanganui, Printer. (H. S. Taylor, Broker.)

WELLINGTON.—Sections "324," "331," and "330," 3 acres. In occupation of Jessie Tutchan. JOHN WATERS, of Wellington, Printer, and JESSIE TUTCHEN, Trustees of the Will of Simon Peter Tutchan, deceased, Applicants.

WANGANUI TOWN.—Parts Sections "324" and "325," 36 perches. Bounded—North-east, 100 links, by Nixon Street; South-east, 225 links, by other part of 324; South-west, 100 links, by a private road; and North-west, 225 links, by other part of 325. In occupation of JOSEPH ALFRED LEES, Applicant, on behalf of Charles Samuel Budge, of Wanganui, Labourer. (Geo. Hutchison, Solicitor.)

WELLINGTON.—Part Section "519," 3 and 4-5ths perches. Bounded—North-east, South-east, and South-west, 52 feet, 20 feet, and 52 feet respectively, by other parts of 519; and North-west, 20 feet, by Tinakori Road; the north-east boundary running parallel with and distant 31 feet 9 inches from 521. In occupation of James Ames. JOHN SHIEL of Wellington, Engineer, Applicant.

OPAKI BLOCK.—Section "25," 147 acres. In occupation of DUNCAN STEWART, the Applicant. Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 4th day of November, 1873, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

E. STAFFORD,  
Deputy 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 in each case on or before 13th December, 1873.

THOMAS ROBERT McLARNON.—Part of the land known as Clendon's Grant, Papatoitōi, County of Eden, containing 240 acres, more or less. In his own occupation. No. 523.

JOHN SLATTER.—Part of Allotments 11 and 12, Section 3, Town of Auckland. Frontage to Shortland Street and Fort Street. In occupation of Joseph Tyndall and James Davey. No. 570.

JOSEPH BOULTER.—Allotment 89, Parish of Te Papa. Unoccupied. No. 638.

WILLIAM FAIRWEATHER RUSSELL.—Part of Allotment 85, Section 1, Suburbs of Auckland, St. George's Bay Road, Parnell. Unoccupied. No. 646.

HENRY PARLETT BISHOPP, by Frederick Whitaker, his Attorney.—Allotments 27 and 50, Parish of Waikouiti. In occupation of Richard Smyth. No. 647.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office. Dated this 28th day of October, 1873, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

GEO. B. DAVY,  
District Land Registrar.

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PUBLIC NOTICE.

THE Brewery I am now erecting in Dunedin, I have named "The National Brewery of New Zealand."

JAMES COPELAND,  
(late of MARSHALL and COPELAND).

Wellington, 1st November, 1873. 628

SOUTHERN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY,  
(LIMITED), IN LIQUIDATION.

WE hereby convene a Meeting of the Shareholders in the above-named Company, to approve the Accounts of the Liquidation and to pass the Resolution required to dissolve the Company. Said Meeting to be held at the Offices of Messrs. Webb and Fulton, Temple Chambers, Dunedin, on Wednesday, 10th December, 1873.

J. S. WEBB, } Liquidators.  
C. CALDWELL, }

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CORPORATION OF INVERCARGILL.

Loan, £3,500, at Six per Cent.

THE Town Council having resolved, under the borrowing powers conferred on the Corporation by "The Otago Municipal Corporations Ordinance, 1865," to contract a second Loan of £3,500, sealed Tenders will be received, up to 3 p.m. of the 20th

November, 1873, for Seventy (70) Fifty Pounds (£50) Debentures. To have a currency of twenty years from the date of issue, and bear interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly at Dunedin or Invercargill. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Tenders to be indorsed "Tenders for Debentures."

The interest and sinking funds on loans are a first charge upon the rates. The Debentures will be redeemable by a Sinking Fund, invested annually by Trustees appointed by the Superintendent.

The money raised will be expended exclusively on the drainage of the town and formation of streets.

The Rates for the statutory financial year ending 19th April, 1872, amounted to £1,046 9s., of which £10 18s. 6d., remains unpaid.

For 1873, £1,230.

For 1874, £1,386.

The annual revenue amounts to about £4,000.

The financial position of the Corporation is shown by the Balance Sheet, and Estimate of Revenue, published in the Provincial Government Gazettes of 15th January and 30th April, 1873, respectively.

W. B. SCANDRETT,  
Town Clerk.

Council Hall, Invercargill, N.Z.,  
22nd September, 1873.

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" 18. Life Assurance Companies ... ..	1	6
" 19. Saint Andrew's Church (Wellington) Trustees Incorporation ... ..	0	6
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" 21. Wellington College Loan ... ..	0	6
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" 23. Steam Navigation Amendment ... ..	0	6
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" 31. Timaru and Gladstone Board of Works ... ..	0	6
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RETURN of the CUSTOMS REVENUE at the several Ports of NEW ZEALAND, during the Quarter ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1873.

HEADS OF REVENUE.	Rate of Duty.	Ports																										Totals.		Corresponding Quarter of 1872.	HEADS OF REVENUE.		
		Auckland.	Thames.	Russell.	Mongonui.	Hokianga.	Tauranga.	Poverty Bay.	New Plymouth.	Wanganui.	Wellington.	Napier.	Wairau.	Pictou.	Havelock.	Kaikoura.	Nelson.	Westport.	Greymouth.	Hokitika.	Okarito.	Lyttelton.	Timaru.	Oamaru.	Dunedin.	Invercargill and Bluff Harbour.	Riverton.	Chatham Islands.	Quantities.			Revenue.	
Spirits, $\Psi$ gal.	12s.	12951	1422	178	62	131	623	822	2770	6390	3145	728	139	172	117	2637	2005	4465	3402	246	10500	1760	1270	16502	2637	709	126646 gals.	75783	71522	Spirits, $\Psi$ gal.			
" New Zealand, $\Psi$ gal.	6s.	1423	24	...	...	...	59	29	9	47	77	...	...	...	30	9	128	81	...	208	29	9	2880	130	9	17270 "	5181	3502	" New Zealand, $\Psi$ gal.				
Cigars and Snuff, $\Psi$ lb.	5s.	619	104	...	...	...	7	...	67	351	138	...	1	...	57	95	310	170	...	357	...	9	1034	30	38	13548 lbs.	3387	2589	Cigars and Snuff, $\Psi$ lb.				
Tobacco, $\Psi$ lb.	2s. 6d.	5767	291	68	127	169	147	124	621	1573	1034	95	18	54	...	1031	627	1336	1100	61	2268	425	276	6176	604	190	193456 "	24182	22404	Tobacco, $\Psi$ lb.			
" (Sheepwash), $\Psi$ lb.	3d.	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	15	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36	...	14	...	...	...	6160 "	77	84	" (Sheepwash), $\Psi$ lb.			
Wine, $\Psi$ gal.	4s.	1424	149	18	...	5	45	31	257	987	327	27	19	11	...	380	145	487	310	6	1246	152	105	1645	184	33	39965 gals.	7993	8169	Wine, $\Psi$ gal.			
Ale, Beer, &c. in Wood, $\Psi$ gal.	1s.	175	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	11120 "	556	569	Ale, Beer, &c. in Wood, $\Psi$ gal.			
" in Bottle, "	1s. 3d.	629	20	...	...	...	60	69	204	954	455	86	46	11	...	734	285	673	616	...	417	30	...	668	103	...	44256 "	2766	3246	" in Bottle, "			
Tea, $\Psi$ lb.	6d.	3372	68	4	...	...	...	...	8	139	20	...	5	...	...	73	22	50	35	...	166	...	...	626	40	...	128480 "	1606	1627	Coffee, Cocoa, &c., $\Psi$ lb.			
Coffee, Cocoa, &c., $\Psi$ lb.	3d.	422	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	144 "	3	1	" Roasted, $\Psi$ lb.			
" Roasted, $\Psi$ lb.	5d.	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	" Roasted, $\Psi$ lb.		
Sugar and Molasses, $\Psi$ lb.	1d.	4495	167	13	15	...	78	157	366	1871	570	176	33	31	...	1237	329	799	854	29	2412	92	137	4965	597	103	4686240 "	19526	19890	Sugar and Molasses, $\Psi$ lb.			
Firearms, each	5s.	10	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	6	3	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	11	...	...	6	5	...	196 No.	49	15	Firearms, each.			
Powder, Sporting, $\Psi$ lb.	6d.	45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	...	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3320 lbs.	83	92	Powder, Sporting, $\Psi$ lb.			
Shot, $\Psi$ cwt.	10s.	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	88 cwt.	44	100	Shot, $\Psi$ cwt.			
Goods by Measurement, c. ft.	5s.	1727	2	...	3	...	15	18	21	553	161	...	14	...	...	308	30	84	236	...	747	23	21	2353	70	6	25568 c. ft.	6392	21511	Goods by Measurement, c. ft.			
" " "	3s.	447	...	...	...	...	2	4	2	92	28	...	...	...	...	25	1	22	49	...	114	...	...	...	...	...	596	10	1	9286 "	1393	3883	" " "
" " "	2s. 6d.	457	...	...	...	...	...	7	8	153	17	...	...	...	...	22	1	49	60	...	172	1	...	...	...	...	288	9	...	9952 "	1244	3190	" " "
" " "	2s.	86	...	...	...	...	5	5	41	16	...	...	...	...	...	32	...	2	10	...	54	1	1	143	5	...	4010 "	401	805	" " "			
" " "	1s. 6d.	29	...	...	...	...	...	...	63	30	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	81	...	...	547	410	" " "	
" " "	1s.	484	6	...	...	...	19	21	164	16	...	2	...	...	...	38	...	39	34	...	382	5	...	537	14	...	35220 "	1761	3147	" " "			
" " "	6d.	61	1	...	...	...	10	11	42	5	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	16	5	...	35	...	...	127	11	...	13360 "	334	580	" " "			
" " "	3d.	22	...	...	...	...	4	3	28	5	...	...	...	...	...	9	...	...	...	...	11	3	...	87	...	...	14000 "	175	292	" " "			
" Weight, $\Psi$ cwt.	5s.	55	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	4	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	6	1	516 cwt.	129	...	" Weight, $\Psi$ cwt.
" " "	4s.	121	5	...	...	...	3	3	41	81	37	3	2	...	...	41	2	33	20	...	223	...	...	532	23	...	5850 "	1170	1784	" " "			
" " "	3s. 6d.	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	7	28	29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	4	...	504	104	" " "	
" " "	3s.	12	...	...	...	...	...	4	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	26	...	...	440 "	66	112	" " "
" " "	2s.	154	...	...	...	...	1	6	60	1	...	...	...	...	...	17	1	11	9	...	66	...	...	197	9	...	5320 "	532	694	" " "			
" " "	1s.	168	1	...	...	...	6	3	32	266	77	...	...	...	...	56	6	34	16	1	172	15	1	746	8	4	32280 "	1614	1629	" " "			
" " $\Psi$ lb.	3d.	554	...	...	...	...	1	...	50	185	28	...	...	...	...	22	7	34	25	...	113	11	13	482	42	...	126000 lbs.	1575	1726	" " $\Psi$ lb.			
" " "	2d.	104	...	...	...	...	...	16	91	35	...	...	...	...	...	7	2	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	134	13	...	48840 "	407	...	" " "
" " "	1d.	1187	11	...	...	...	...	60	630	74	5	2	...	...	...	286	86	188	197	...	261	21	6	1199	82	20	1035600 "	4315	4583	" " "			
" " "	1/2d.	240	...	...	...	...	12	181	7	5	5	...	...	...	...	91	8	73	127	...	39	...	...	967	86	1	884160 "	1842	1165	" " "			
Opium	20s.	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	540	...	...	563 "	563	359	Opium			
Ad valorem, 10 $\Psi$ cent.	...	13572	98	1	...	1	112	146	751	5649	1460	18	6	1	1	3052	175	673	669	42	3968	440	223	19198	966	104	...	51326	690	690	Ad valorem, 10 $\Psi$ cent.		
" " 5 "	...	17	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	8	...	11	2	...	18	...	6	1	...	...	...	68	69	" " 5 "			
Other Duties not specified above	...	4057	118	...	...	...	3	16	103	1003	339	26	3	...	...	378	194	488	842	15	1203	41	17	2981	149	4	...	11980	8210	Other Duties not specified above			
Totals	...	54918	2488	282	207	305	11166	1482	5476	22086	8127	1186	295	269	132	10739	4116	10197	8997	404	27724	3272	2233	69749	6196	1278	*	243325	...	...	Totals		
Corresponding Qr. 1872	...	43924	3611	405	177	394	†	†	1736	4677	17432	6300	1322	376	189	165	7574	6332	10024	9796	215	25242	2718	1249	52654	5799	966	...	...	203277	Corresponding Qr. 1872		

\* Returns not received. † No Port.

NOTE.—The Measurement Duties were abolished by "The Customs Tariff Act, 1873," which imposed an *ad valorem* duty of 10 per cent in lieu of them, from the 29th July, 1873.

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