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Regulations for Settlement on Special Blocks of Land.

(L.S.) JAMES FERGUSSON, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Immigration and Public Works Act Amendment Act, 1871," it is, among other things, enacted that the Governor may from time to time, on the recommendation of the Minister therein mentioned, make regulations for the sale, occupation, and disposal of land taken under the said Act, and all such lands as specified in the 60th section of the said Act, and such regulations may provide specially for the occupation of any of such lands by and for the sale or disposal thereof to immigrants introduced under the provisions of "The Immigration and Public Works Act, 1870," and the said Act, or otherwise, and prescribe the terms and conditions upon which such lands may be so occupied, sold, or disposed of, and the mode of allotment, and may provide for the occupation and disposal of such lands without payment, or for the sale of such lands upon payment, either present or deferred, and prescribe the mode or order of allotment of or application for such lands, the size or acreage of the sections into which the lands shall be divided; and the regulations shall, if any part of the land is intended to be laid off as town or suburban lands, prescribe for the laying off of such lands into town, suburban, and rural sections: And whereas by a Proclamation made under the said Act, bearing date the sixteenth day of November instant, the lands therein particularly mentioned were reserved and set apart for the purposes of immigration and to be dealt with under the said Act: And whereas the Minister for Immigration has recommended the Governor to make the regulations set forth in the Schedule hereto for the sale, occupation, and disposal of the lands so reserved and set apart as aforesaid:

Now therefore, I, Sir James Fergusson, Baronet, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the said Act, and of all other powers enabling me in this behalf, and on the recommendation of the said Minister, do hereby make the regulations set forth in the Schedule hereto for the sale, occupation, and disposal of the lands reserved and

set apart by the said Proclamation of the sixteenth day of November instant.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honorable Sir James Fergusson, Baronet, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, 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 Auckland, this twenty-fourth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

H. A. ATKINSON.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

SCHEDULE.

1. In the interpretation of these Regulations, unless there is something in the context repugnant thereto, the following terms and expressions shall have the meanings hereby assigned to them, that is to say,—

"Minister" shall mean the Minister for Immigration for the time being.

"Settlement" shall mean either of the blocks of country in the Provinces of Hawke's Bay and Wellington, described in the Schedules to a certain Proclamation made under "The Immigration and Public Works Act Amendment Act, 1871," bearing date the sixteenth day of November instant.

"Settler" means any person authorized to settle on the said block of land in accordance with these Regulations.

2. The lands comprised within the said settlements shall be rural lands, and shall be surveyed by and at the expense of the General Government, in sections as nearly as may be of not less than 40 acres each, and such sections shall be of such depth and with such frontages to roads or roadways as may be best fitted to afford convenient access to the lands. The whole of the land comprised in the said settlements shall on the publication hereof cease to be subject to

the Regulations in force in the Provinces of Hawke's Bay and Wellington for the sale and disposal of the waste lands of the Crown.

3. Roads and road lines shall be laid off through the said settlements in such directions as may be thought expedient.

4. Within the settlements, the Minister may from time to time make such reserves for the purposes of the Government of the Colony, or for railways, bridges, roads, tramways, or other public works, or for schools and schoolhouses, churches or chapels, or for the purpose of preserving the timber in any part of the settlements, as he may think fit.

5. Such reserves shall be managed in such manner as the Minister shall think fit, and he may allow the same to be occupied, sold, or disposed of under these Regulations on such terms and conditions as he shall prescribe. The purpose for which any such reserve shall have been made may be changed by the Minister, and any such reserve may be by him withdrawn from reservation. Notice of the making of any such reserve, and of any change made in the purposes for which the same shall have been reserved, or of any withdrawal thereof, shall be notified in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

6. The persons to be located on the said settlements shall be such immigrants as shall from time to time be approved of by the Minister, and the head of each family of such immigrants shall be allowed to select one section of land in the settlement. Such selection shall be made in such order and at such time as the Minister shall prescribe.

7. During the first two years of his occupation, if the settler shall have erected on the land selected a habitable dwelling-house, and shall have improved the land by felling the bush thereon, cropping or laying down in grass, and fencing at least five acres thereof, he shall be allowed to continue his holding and to purchase the land at a price of £1 per acre, payable in equal annual instalments of £13 6s. 8d. each; such instalments to be payable at the end of each year after the expiration of the first two years. The money to be paid in such manner and to such persons as the Minister shall from time to time direct.

8. If at the end of the said two years' occupation the settler shall be in a position to pay for his land at once, he shall be at liberty to do so at the rate aforesaid.

9. Any failure to make the said payments or to perform and fulfil the conditions above prescribed will occasion a forfeiture of the land selected, and of all claim thereto or interest therein.

10. Upon full payment of the purchase money at the rates aforesaid, and upon the performance of the terms of these Regulations, the settler shall be entitled to a Crown grant of his land free of any further expense, except the usual Crown grant fees.

11. No settler shall be at liberty to part with, sell, assign, charge, or encumber his estate or interest in any land selected by him under these Regulations until he shall have paid his said purchase money, and otherwise complied with these Regulations: Provided that the Minister may in any case, if he think fit, by writing under his hand, consent to any such sale, assignment, or charge upon the land selected as aforesaid.

Establishing a Municipality at Napier.

(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: And whereas it is expedient to constitute the Town of Napier a borough in manner hereinafter provided:

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 comprised within

THE TOWN OF NAPIER,

as the boundaries thereof are defined in the Schedule hereto, to be a Borough under "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1867," aforesaid.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honorable Sir James Fergusson, Baronet, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, 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 Public Seal of the said Colony, at Auckland, this twenty-sixth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

DANIEL POLLEN.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

SCHEDULE.

ALL the land known as the Town of Napier, except that portion of the town which is situated on Meeanee Spit. The boundaries whereof are—Commencing at the Pilot Station, following the sea beach in an easterly direction to the point of the Ahuriri Bluff, rounding the Bluff and proceeding along the sea beach to the southern extremity of the Town of Napier; there it crosses at the southern boundary of Section No. 586 to the inner lagoon, following the lagoon by Wellesley Road and Hyderabad Road to Pandora Point; thence in a straight line to the beacon on the most westerly point of Maori Island; thence in a straight line to the starting point.

Rules of Practice and Procedure in Appeals under "Native Lands Frauds Prevention Act, 1870."

JAMES FERGUSSON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Auckland, this twenty-sixth day of November, 1874.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Native Lands Frauds Prevention Act, 1870," it is enacted that any person aggrieved by any act of the Trust Commissioner in relation to the giving or withholding the certificate in the said Act mentioned may appeal to the Supreme Court against the decision of the Trust Commissioner, and such appeal shall be made within such time and in such form, and with such provisions as to notice of appeal and as to the effect of such notice, and shall be heard and determined in such manner as shall be fixed and provided in that behalf in the rules of procedure hereinafter directed to be made: And whereas by the said Act it is also provided that the Governor in Council may, with the approval of a Judge of the Supreme Court, make and from time to time alter, revoke, or amend such rules of practice and procedure for regulating proceedings under the said Act as to him shall seem fit, and such rules, when published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, shall have the force of law:

And whereas it is expedient that rules of practice and procedure for the purpose of regulating proceedings under the said Act upon appeals from the decision of any Trust Commissioner should be made as and in manner hereinafter set forth:

And whereas the rules in the Schedule hereto have been submitted to and approved of by His Honor Alexander James Johnston, Esquire, a Judge of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, as required by the said Act:

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 said Act, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Colony, doth hereby (with such approval as aforesaid) make the Rules of Practice and Procedure set forth in the Schedule hereto, for the purpose of regulating proceedings under the said Act upon appeals from the decision of any Trust Commissioner to the said Supreme Court.

SCHEDULE.

1. Any person dissatisfied with the decision of any Trust Commissioner as to the giving or withholding any certificate which he is authorized to give under "The Native Lands Frauds Prevention Act, 1870," may on the day on which any such decision shall be given, either personally or by his solicitor or agent, inform the Commissioner that he intends to appeal under these Regulations; and within three clear days after the day on which such decision shall be given, such person shall deliver to the Commissioner a statement in writing, signed by him, his counsel, solicitor, or agent, containing the grounds of his dissatisfaction, and notice of his intention to appeal against such decision.

2. The notice of appeal shall be in writing, and shall state the grounds on which the party appeals, and shall be signed by the appellant, his solicitor, or agent, and such notice shall be delivered to the Trust Commissioner, and a duplicate thereof to every person interested in the proposed alienation.

3. In the event of any notice being given of intention to appeal, as provided in rule 1, the Trust Commissioner shall not indorse his certificate on any instrument of alienation until the final order of the Court in the matter of the appeal: Provided that if such appeal be not duly prosecuted within the periods hereinafter prescribed, the other parties interested in the alienation may require the Commissioner to indorse such certificate in accordance with his previous decision, which he shall be at liberty to do.

4. Where the facts are not in dispute, but the decision of the Commissioner is alleged to be erroneous in point of law, such appeal shall be in the form of a case, to be agreed on by the party appellant, and by the other parties interested in the proposed alienation (hereinafter termed "the respondents"); and, if such parties cannot agree, the Commissioner shall settle the case and sign it.

5. All cases on appeal shall be presented to the Commissioner for his approval and signature not later than fourteen days from the day on which the decision was given, and shall then, or as soon afterwards as the case shall be approved, be signed by the Commissioner; and when so signed one copy thereof shall be left with the Commissioner, and another copy thereof shall be given to the respondents, or to such of them as the Commissioner shall direct, within three days, or as soon afterwards as shall be practicable, next after the signing of the case.

6. The appellant shall within seven days after the case is signed, or as soon thereafter as shall be

practicable, transmit the same to the nearest Registrar of the Supreme Court within the judicial district in which at the time of such decision the Commissioner may have been sitting.

7. If the facts be disputed, then the appeal shall be heard at a time and place to be appointed as hereinafter provided; but it shall not be lawful for the appellant, on the hearing of any appeal, to go into or give evidence of any ground of appeal which shall not have been set forth in the notice of appeal.

8. When a case has been settled as before provided, and at any time after notice of appeal has been given, where it is not necessary to settle a case, the appellant may apply, in Chambers, to a Judge of the Supreme Court, to fix the time and place when the appeal shall be heard or argued.

9. Notice of the time and place so fixed shall be given by the appellant to the respondents, or such of them as shall have had notice of appeal served upon them.

10. The appeal shall be heard or argued in open Court at the time and place so fixed by the Judge as aforesaid, or on such other day as the Judge of the Supreme Court may appoint for the hearing or argument. The Supreme Court is hereinafter referred to and included in the expression "the Court."

11. The Court, if it think fit, shall have power to cause the case to be sent back for amendment; and thereupon the same shall be amended accordingly, and judgment shall be delivered after it shall have been amended.

12. No objection shall be allowed on account of any defect in the form of setting forth any ground of appeal in the notice of appeal, unless the Court shall be of opinion that such ground of appeal is so incorrectly or imperfectly stated as not to enable the party receiving the same to inquire into the subject of such statement and to prepare for trial; and in any such case the Court may make such order for amendment or postponement on such terms as to payment of costs as to the Court shall appear just and reasonable.

13. If upon the hearing of any appeal the Court shall be of opinion that the approval of the Trust Commissioner ought to have been withheld, or have been given, as the case may be, the Court may, by order, prohibit or authorize the proposed alienation as the case may require, and such order shall have the same force and effect as a refusal or consent, as the case may be, by the Trust Commissioner.

14. When the Court has pronounced judgment, either party may deposit the original order of the Court, or an office copy thereof, with the Commissioner whose decision shall have been appealed from, and shall within forty-eight hours thereafter serve or transmit a notice thereof upon or to the other party.

15. Upon any appeal, the Court may make such order as to costs, and the party or parties by whom the same shall be paid, as to it may seem fit; and all such orders shall be final and conclusive on all parties: Provided that no Commissioner stating a case in pursuance of these Regulations, or whose decision may have been appealed from under the said Act, shall be liable to any costs in respect or by reason of such appeal against his decision.

16. The costs to be allowed upon appeal in the Court shall be taxed by the Registrar of the Court, whose certificate shall be final.

17. All orders of the Court made upon the hearing of any such appeal, or for the payment of costs by one of the parties to the appeal to the other of such parties, or as the case may be, shall and may be

enforced in like manner as orders of the Court in its ordinary jurisdiction are enforced.

K. FERGUSSON, A.D.C.,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Approved—

ALEXANDER J. JOHNSTON.

Regulations for Loans of Money under "The Government Insurance and Annuities Act, 1874."

JAMES FERGUSSON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Auckland, this twenty-sixth day of November, 1874.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the fifth section of "The Government Insurance and Annuities Act, 1874," (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act,") it is enacted that the Governor shall have power, by Order in Council, from time to time to do (*inter alia*) the following things:—

To make rules respecting the loan of moneys under the said Act, on the security of the surrender values of policies, and for the effectual recovery of principal and interest accruing on such loans.

To make rules generally for the purpose of carrying the said Act into effect, and to impose penalties not exceeding twenty pounds for breach of such rules.

And whereas by the said Act it is also provided that it shall be lawful for the Colonial Treasurer, in accordance with such Regulations as may from time to time be made by the Governor in Council, to issue out of any funds standing to the credit of the Government Insurance Account, thereafter provided for, sums of money as loans to holders of policies issued under the said Act which shall have been in force for three years before such issue, and interest shall be charged on such loans at a rate of interest per centum per annum to be fixed from time to time by the Governor in Council; but no money shall be lent upon any such policy to an amount exceeding nine-tenths of the surrender value of such policy at the time of the loan, and the Colonial Treasurer shall, on the certificate of the Commissioner, pay to him out of the Government Insurance Account all such sums as shall be required for such loans:

And whereas it is expedient that the Rules and Regulations hereinafter prescribed should be made for the purposes aforesaid:

Now therefore, His Excellency the Right Honorable Sir James Fergusson, Baronet, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by the said Act, and all other powers and authorities in this behalf vested in him, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby fix the rate of interest to be charged on loans made under the authority of the said Act at the rate of seven pounds per centum per annum. And in further exercise and pursuance of the said powers and authorities, and by and with the advice and consent aforesaid, doth hereby make and prescribe the following Rules and Regulations, that is to say,—

Interpretation.

1. In the construction of these Rules and Regulations, the expressions hereinafter mentioned shall have the meanings hereby assigned to them, that is to say: the expression "the Commissioner" shall mean the Government Insurance Commissioner for

the time being appointed under "The Government Insurance and Annuities Act, 1874;" the expression "the Assured" shall mean the person for whose benefit the insurance is effected.

Colonial Treasurer to issue funds required for loans out of the Government Insurance Account.

2. It shall be lawful for the Colonial Treasurer, in accordance with these Regulations, to issue out of the funds standing to the credit of the Government Insurance Account, sums of money, as loans to holders of policies making application for the same in accordance with these Rules and Regulations and the provisions of "The Government Insurance and Annuities Act, 1874."

Commissioner may grant Loans to Policy-holders.

3. The Commissioner may, upon the application of any policy-holder whose policy shall have been in force for three years, advance to him, by way of loan, any sum not exceeding nine-tenths of the then surrender value of the said policy: Provided always that no loan shall be granted upon the security of any policy which may have been issued for the benefit of the wife of the person whose life is insured, or of his wife and children, or of his wife and some or one of his children, or of his children only, or some or one of them.

Policy to be deposited with Commissioner with memorandum signed by Assured.

4. In every case in which a loan shall be so granted, the policy in respect of which such loan is granted shall be deposited with the Commissioner, and the Assured shall thereupon sign a memorandum of deposit of policy, such memorandum to contain such stipulations for the effectual recovery of principal and interest as the Commissioner may think fit, not being inconsistent with the said Act or these Regulations.

Rate of Interest.

5. The rate of interest chargeable in respect of any such loan shall be seven per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly, at the Post Office at which the premiums on the policy may for the time being be payable.

Interest in arrear to be capitalized.

6. Whenever the interest due on any such loan shall be in arrear for thirty days after the date stipulated in the memorandum of deposit of policy, the amount of such interest shall be added to the principal sum, and shall henceforth bear interest at the like rate of seven per cent. per annum.

Assured may repay Loan without notice.

7. At any time during the currency of the loan the Assured may pay off the amount advanced to him, together with all interest due thereon, without giving any notice of his intention to do so. And upon payment of all principal and interest moneys then due, the Assured shall be entitled to have his policy returned to him.

In certain cases Commissioner to declare Policy void.

8. If at any time the total amount due in respect of such loan, together with accrued interest thereon, shall exceed the then surrender value of the policy, or if the policy shall be allowed to lapse, or if the person who has obtained the loan shall assign or otherwise charge the said policy without the consent in writing of the Commissioner, then and in any such case the Commissioner may by notice in writing, to be given to the Assured, or posted to his last known address in the colony, declare such policy to be void, and such policy shall accordingly become absolutely void.

Repayment by instalments.

9. The Commissioner may receive repayment of any loan by instalments, and in every such case a proportionate reduction in the interest payable shall be made.

Maturity of Policy.

10. If the moneys assured under any policy, on the security of which a loan has been granted, shall become payable during the currency of the loan, the Com-

missioner shall deduct all principal and interest moneys which may then be due thereon from the amount assured.

Release on Repayment.

11. On payment by the Assured of all principal and interest due on any such loan, the Commissioner shall return to him the policy deposited on the granting of the loan, together with an acknowledgment in writing signed by the Commissioner, setting forth the payment of such principal and interest, and such acknowledgment shall be sufficient discharge.

Legal remedies for Principal and Interest unpaid.

12. Notwithstanding anything contained in these Rules and Regulations, or in any memorandum of deposit of policy, if a policy on the security of which a loan has been granted shall become or be declared to be void, whether under these Rules and Regulations or in any other manner howsoever, the Commissioner may at any time and from time to time have recourse to such legal remedies as he may deem necessary for the recovery of the principal and interest then remaining unpaid in respect of such loan.

Commissioner may refuse loans.

13. The Commissioner may refuse to make any loan in respect of any application under these Rules and Regulations without being required to assign any cause for such refusal.

K. FERGUSSON, A.D.C.,

Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Warrant appointing a Polling Place.

JAMES FERGUSSON, GOVERNOR.

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME,
GREETING:

WHEREAS by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, intituled "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 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 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 the said Act it is further enacted that every election of the Superintendent or of a Member of the Provincial Council of a Province shall be conducted in the manner prescribed therein for the election of Members of the House of Representatives, and that the Governor shall have the same powers of appointing and altering Polling Places and Principal Polling Places for Electoral Districts for the election of Superintendents and Members of Provincial Councils as under the provisions thereinbefore contained he has for Electoral Districts for election of Members of the House of Representatives:

Now therefore, 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 appoint the following place to be a Polling

Place for the District of Pukekohe, for the election of Members of the Provincial Council of the Province of Auckland, namely,—

The Hall at Patumahoe.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honorable Sir James Fergusson, Baronet, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, 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, at the Government House, at Auckland, this twenty-sixth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

DANIEL POLLEN.

Warrant abolishing a Polling Place.

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, bearing date the fifth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,

The School House at Pokeno Hill, Pokeno,

was appointed a Polling Place for the District of Ramarama (now the District of Pukekohe), for the election of Members of the Provincial Council of the Province of Auckland:

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 the above-named Polling Place for the District of Pukekohe, for the election of Members of the Provincial Council of the Province of Auckland.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honorable Sir James Fergusson, Baronet, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, 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, at the Government House at Auckland, this twenty-sixth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

DANIEL POLLEN.

Place and Times appointed for Vaccination.

JAMES FERGUSSON, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Public Health Act, 1872," I, Sir James Fergusson, the Governor of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the place mentioned in the second column of the Schedule hereto as and to be the place at which the Public Vaccinator appointed for the district mentioned in the first column of the said Schedule shall attend for the performance of vaccination, as required by the said Act; and I do hereby give notice that such Public Vaccinator will attend at the place aforesaid, for the purpose of performing such vaccination, on the days and at the hours set forth in the third column of the said Schedule, opposite the name of such place; and further, that at such place as last aforesaid the Public Vaccinator will attend for the purpose of inspecting the progress of such vaccination in the persons so vaccinated on the days and at the hours respectively set forth in the fourth column of the said Schedule opposite the name of such place.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honorable Sir James Fergusson, Baronet, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, 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, at Auckland; and issued this twenty-sixth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

DANIEL POLLEN.

SCHEDULE.

District for which Public Vaccinator appointed.	Place where Vaccination to be performed.	Days and Hours fixed for Performance of Vaccination.	Days and Hours fixed for inspecting the Progress of Vaccination.
PROVINCE OF AUCKLAND.			
Mongonui	Settler's Hotel, at Mongonui ...	First Wednesday in January, April, July, and October, in each year, at 12 noon	Second Wednesday in January, April, July, and October, in each year, at 12 noon.

Trial of Ropes made from New Zealand Phormium.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 30th November, 1874.

THE following report upon a series of trials of New Zealand flax rope, on board H.M.S. "Blanche," is published for general information.

EDWARD RICHARDSON,
(for the Colonial Secretary).

Her Majesty's Ship "Pearl,"
Sydney, 10th November, 1874.

SIR,—With reference to former correspondence relative to the trial of New Zealand flax rope, I have the honor to forward for your Excellency's information a report which I have received from Captain Simpson, of H.M.S. "Blanche," on the comparative merits of rope made of phormium, and that generally used in the navy.

I am, &c.,

J. G. GOODENOUGH,
Captain and Commodore 2nd Class,
commanding Australian Station.

To His Excellency the Right Honorable
Sir James Fergusson, Bart., Governor
of New Zealand.

Reporting result of trial of New Zealand Phormium with English rope:—

H.M.S. "Blanche,"
Wellington, 20th October, 1874.

SIR,—In compliance with your order of 30th December, 1873, relative to the trial of New Zealand phormium, I have to report that as the ship was such a short time at sea during the first three months that the rope was rove for trial, I deemed it desirable to give it a further trial of three months before reporting upon it. A detailed report of all rope rove is given in the attached form, the general result of the trial in my opinion being that the fibre of the New Zealand rope, when subject to a direct and steady strain, is stronger than that from which navy rope is made, but that it is more brittle and easily broken if "kinked," and that its great inferiority to the navy rope through its stretching and swelling is, beyond this, due almost entirely to the manufacture.

I am, &c.,

C. B. SIMPSON,
Captain.

Commodore James G. Goodenough, Senior Officer.

Report on New Zealand Rope tried on board H.M.S. "Blanche" against Naval Rope of corresponding size. Date of trial between April and October, 1874:—

ROPE made from New Zealand flax (phormium) manufactured at Auckland, and rove on board H.M.S. "Blanche" between 26th March and 3rd April, and between April and October, 1874. For every rope, rove naval rope being also rove in opposition:—

Rope rove.	Dimen- sions.	Size on May 18, about 30 hours rain.	Size on June 17, after several days' rain.	10th July.		31st August.		Number of yarns of New Zealand rope.	Number of yarns in Navy rope.
				Maxim. measure- ment.	Minim. measure- ment.	Maxim. measure- ment.	Minim. measure- ment.		
Cutter's falls	3½	4	4	4½	3	4½	3	80	abt. 100
Preventer main brace	3½	4½	4½	4½	3	4½	3	...	...
Fore lift	3½	4	4	4	3	4½	3	...	...
Fore brace	3½	4	4	4	3	4½	3	...	...
Foretop-sail sheet whip	3½	4½	4½	4½	3	4½	3	...	...
Maintopsail sheet whip	3½	4	4	4	3	4½	3	...	...
Luff fall	3	3½	3½	3½	2½	4½	2½	63	93
Galley's fall	3	3½	3½	3½	2½	4½	2½	...	...
Foretop-gallant sheet	3	3½	3½	3½	2½	4½	2½	...	...
Maintop-gallant sheet	3	3½	3½	3½	2½	4½	2½	...	...
Foretopmast staysail sheet	3	3½	3½	3½	2½	4½	2½	...	...
Foretop-sail reef tackle	2½	2½	2½	2½	2½	2½	2½	...	...
Crossjack brace	2½	2½	2½	2½	2½	2½	2½	...	...
Dingy fall	2½	2½	2½	2½	2½	2½	2½	...	...
Main truss fall	2½	2½	2½	2½	2½	2½	2½	...	...
Lower boom topgallant lift fall	2½	2½	2½	2½	2½	2½	2½	...	...
Forecastle jigger	2½	2½	2½	2½	2½	2½	2½	...	...
Quarter-deck jigger	2½	2½	2½	2½	2½	2½	2½	...	...

REMARKS.

July 8.—When about to proceed to sea, cutter's falls were considered hardly safe, but left rove.

July 10.—All the much-used ropes appear to be hurt by the sheaves more than the naval ropes. They became much chafed and very rough; also many of the yarns show themselves to be slacker than the rest of the rope, and some become kinked.

July 11.—Tried which would carry away first—Naval 2½in. or New Zealand 2½. Latter did before the other was even well stretched. Then tried Naval 2½in. against New Zealand 3½. Former carried away.

July 13.—Maintopsail sheet-whip had to be turned end for end, in consequence of being so frayed out and chafed where it led through the main bits; the hauling end was so swollen that it would hardly reeve through block and bits.

Tried, 13th July, 3½in. of New Zealand rope against 3in. of Naval. Latter carried away. Then 3½in. against 3½in. New Zealand carried away. In trying the rope the New Zealand stretched so much, became so very small, and was so extremely oily, that it was with difficulty the ends could be secured, the only way being knotting behind the seizings. If hitched, it always carried away in the hitch, even though a round turn had been taken round the toggle, and nearly in all cases it carried away where one part was over another.

In the case of the preventer main-brace, maintopsail sheet, and fore-brace, it was found impossible to stopper them, from their smoothness and oiliness.

August 31.—The galley's and cutter's falls were considered unsafe, and were therefore unrove. The rope was very much frayed out, and many yarns kinked and broken, and the strands stretched nearly straight. All naval rope rove at same time in good working order.

Dated on board H.M. ship "Blanche," Wellington, October 20, 1874.

(Signed) WALTER B. BRIDGES, Senior Lieut.
H. W. CAMPION, Navigating Lieut.
P. HOLLAND, Boatswain, 1st class.

Approved—
(Signed) C. B. SIMPSON, Captain.

Letters of Naturalization issued.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 30th November, 1874.

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.	Occupation.	Residence.
George Lewis	Ironmonger	Lyell.
Peter Lawson	Settler	Cambridge.
John Mohr	Baker	Christchurch.
Gustave Alphonse Morel	Storekeeper	Lyell.

EDWARD RICHARDSON,
(for the Colonial Secretary).

Registrar of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 1st December, 1874.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM TYRONE FERRAR, Esq.,

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

EDWARD RICHARDSON,
(for the Colonial Secretary).

Member of Central Board of Health appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 1st December, 1874.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HENRY ISAACS, Esq.,

to be a Member of the Central Board of Health for the Province of Auckland, *vice* P. A. Philips, Esq., resigned.

EDWARD RICHARDSON,
(for the Colonial Secretary).

Clerk in Land Transfer and Deeds Offices appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 25th November, 1874.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

GEORGE STURTEVANT

to be a Clerk in the Land Transfer and Deeds Registry Offices at Auckland.

H. A. ATKINSON,
Acting Minister of Justice.

Chairman of Licensing Courts appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 26th November, 1874.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN TURNBULL, Esq., R.M.,

to be Chairman of the Licensing Courts for the Licensing Districts of Maitara, South Maitara, Waimumu, and Lothian.

H. A. ATKINSON,
Acting Minister of Justice.

Member of Licensing Court appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 26th November, 1874.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

THOMAS MITCHELL, Esq.,

to be a Member of the Licensing Courts for the Districts of Raglan and Kawhia, *vice* C. E. Savage, Esq., resigned.

H. A. ATKINSON,
Acting Minister of Justice.

Clerk of Resident Magistrate's Court appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 26th November, 1874.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM PAPILLON KEMP

to be Clerk of the Resident Magistrate's Court at Waimate, Bay of Islands, from and after the 1st instant.

H. A. ATKINSON,
Acting Minister of Justice.

Immigration Officer appointed.

Immigration Office,
Wellington, 1st December, 1874.

IT is hereby notified for public information, that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ALFRED HESKETH, Esq.,

to be Immigration Officer for Oamaru, *vice* J. Locke, Esq., resigned.

H. A. ATKINSON.

Commissioners of Waste Lands Board, Taranaki, appointed.

General Crown Lands Office,
Wellington, 1st December, 1874.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve the appointment by His Honor the Superintendent of Taranaki of

ARTHUR STANDISH, Esq., and
THOMAS KELLY, Esq.,

to be Commissioners of the Waste Lands Board for the Province of Taranaki.

H. A. ATKINSON.

Appointing Bonding Warehouse.

CUSTOMS.—In exercise of the powers in me for this purpose vested by "The Customs Regulation Act, 1858," I, the Minister for the time being acting for the Commissioner of Customs, do hereby approve and appoint the under-mentioned Warehouse, *viz.*—

Port of Nelson.

A galvanized iron building with slate roof, situate on the north side of Bridge Street, and known as

DAVIS'S BOND.

—to be a Warehouse for the reception of goods under Bond.

Given under my hand at Wellington, this twenty-fifth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

EDWARD RICHARDSON,
(for the Commissioner of Customs).

Commissioner's Order No. 76.]

Money Order Offices.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 26th November, 1874.

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

By order.

W. GRAY,
Secretary.

MONEY ORDER OFFICES.

ENGLAND.

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

1. Money Order Offices will be opened at—

	Head Office.	County.
Barford	... Warwick	... Warwick.
Belle Vue, R.O.	... West Hartle-	Durham.
	pool	
Brightside Lane, R.O.	Sheffield	... York.
Claydon	... Ipswich	... Suffolk.
Doncaster, New Town,	Doncaster	... York.
R.O.		
Gedney, Drove End	... Wisbeach	... Cambridge.
Great Portwood Street,	Stockport	... Chester.
R.O.		
Kilgerran	... R.S.O.	... Cardigan.
Lanchester	... Durham	... Durham.
Lowick	... Belford	... Northumber-
		land.
Mile End Landport,	Portsmouth	... Hants.
R.O.		
Ordsall, R.O.	... Manchester	... Lancaster.
Ryton	... R.S.O.	... Durham.
Stanley	... Wakefield	... York.
Wethersfield	... Braintree	... Essex.
Witton Gilbert	... Durham	... Durham.

2. The Money Order Office at Catworth will be served from St. Neots instead of from Thrapston, and the Office at Magor from Newport (Monmouth) instead of from Chepstow.

3. The Money Order Offices at Cleveland Street (Doncaster) and Kelloe (Ferryhill) will be abolished.

4. The Offices at Consett (Durham), Leadgate (Durham), Shotley Bridge (Durham), and Penmaenmawr (Conway) will be constituted Railway Sub Offices.

SCOTLAND.

5. Money Order Offices will be opened at—

	Head Office.	County.
Clyde Bank	... Glasgow	... Dumbarton.
Kennethmont	... Aberdeen	... Aberdeen.
Newton	... Glasgow	... Lanark.
Obbe	... Stornoway	... Ross.
St. Enoch Square, R.O.	Glasgow	... Lanark.

IRELAND.

6. A Money Order Office will be opened at—

	Head Office.	County.
Scotstown	... Monaghan	... Monaghan.

General Post Office, London,
24th August, 1874.

Naval Training School established.

IN pursuance of "The Naval Training Schools Act, 1874," it is hereby notified that a Naval Training School has been established for the purposes of that Act at Kohimarama, in the Province of Auckland.

WILLIAM H. REYNOLDS.
Dunedin, 28th November, 1874.

Licensed Distributor of Duty Stamps appointed.

Office of the Commissioner of Stamps,
Wellington, 28th November, 1874.

IT is hereby notified for public information, that
Mr. RICHARD WATKINS,
of Waimate, in the Province of Canterbury, has been
appointed a Licensed Distributor of Duty Stamps.

By order.

R. C. HAMMERTON,
Acting Secretary.

New Zealand Telegraph—List of Stations.

New Zealand Telegraphs,
Wellington, 24th November, 1874.

THE following amended List of Telegraph Stations
opened within the Colony is published for the
information of the public.

C. LEMON,
General Manager.

Ahaura, <i>Nelson.</i>	Mercer, <i>Auckland.</i>
Akaros, <i>Canterbury.</i>	Mosgiel, <i>Otago.</i>
Alexandra, <i>Otago.</i>	Motueka, <i>Nelson.</i>
Alexandra, <i>Auckland.</i>	*Napier, <i>Hawke's Bay.</i>
Arrow, <i>Otago.</i>	Naseby, <i>Otago.</i>
Ashburton, <i>Canterbury.</i>	*Nelson, <i>Nelson.</i>
*Auckland.	Newcastle, <i>Auckland.</i>
Balclutha, <i>Otago.</i>	New Plymouth, <i>Taranaki.</i>
Bealey, <i>Canterbury.</i>	Oamaru, <i>Otago.</i>
Blenheim, <i>Marlborough.</i>	Onehunga, <i>Auckland.</i>
*Bluff, <i>Otago.</i>	Ophir, <i>Otago.</i>
Brighton, <i>Nelson.</i>	Opotiki, <i>Auckland.</i>
Bull's, <i>Wellington.</i>	Opunaki, <i>Taranaki.</i>
Cambridge, <i>Auckland.</i>	Otahuhu, <i>Auckland.</i>
Castlepoint, <i>Wellington.</i>	Otaki, <i>Wellington.</i>
Charleston, <i>Nelson.</i>	Palmerston, <i>Otago.</i>
Cheviot, <i>Nelson.</i>	Patea, <i>Taranaki.</i>
*Christchurch, <i>Canterbury.</i>	Pictou, <i>Marlborough.</i>
Clinton, <i>Otago.</i>	*Port Chalmers, <i>Otago.</i>
Clyde, <i>Otago.</i>	Queenstown, <i>Otago.</i>
Coromandel, <i>Auckland.</i>	Rakaia, <i>Canterbury.</i>
Cromwell, <i>Otago.</i>	Rangiora, <i>Canterbury.</i>
Drury, <i>Auckland.</i>	Reefton, <i>Nelson.</i>
*Dunedin, <i>Otago.</i>	Richmond, <i>Nelson.</i>
Dunedin North, <i>Otago.</i>	Riverton, <i>Otago.</i>
Dunsandel, <i>Canterbury.</i>	Ross, <i>Westland.</i>
Featherston, <i>Wellington.</i>	Rotorua, <i>Auckland.</i>
Foxton, <i>Wellington.</i>	Roxburgh, <i>Otago.</i>
*Grahamstown, <i>Auckland.</i>	Spit, <i>Hawke's Bay.</i>
Greymouth, <i>Westland.</i>	St. Bathans, <i>Otago.</i>
Greytown, <i>Wellington.</i>	Stoney River, <i>Taranaki.</i>
Hamilton, <i>Auckland.</i>	Tapanui, <i>Otago.</i>
Hampden, <i>Otago.</i>	Tarawera, <i>Auckland.</i>
Hastings, <i>Auckland.</i>	Taupo, <i>Auckland.</i>
Havelock, <i>Marlborough.</i>	Tauranga, <i>Auckland.</i>
Hawera, <i>Taranaki.</i>	Te Awamutu, <i>Auckland.</i>
Hokitika, <i>Westland.</i>	Temuka, <i>Canterbury.</i>
Hurunui, <i>Nelson.</i>	Timaru, <i>Canterbury.</i>
Hutt, <i>Wellington.</i>	Tokomairiro, <i>Otago.</i>
*Invercargill, <i>Otago.</i>	Waiarau, <i>Nelson.</i>
Kaiapoi, <i>Canterbury.</i>	Waikaiti (Switzer's), <i>Otago.</i>
Kaikoura, <i>Marlborough.</i>	Waikouaiti, <i>Otago.</i>
Kakanui, <i>Otago.</i>	Waimate, <i>Canterbury.</i>
Kati Kati, <i>Auckland.</i>	Wainui, <i>Hawke's Bay.</i>
Kekerangu, <i>Marlborough.</i>	Waipawa, <i>Hawke's Bay.</i>
Lawrence, <i>Otago.</i>	Waipukurau, <i>Hawke's Bay.</i>
Leithfield, <i>Canterbury.</i>	Wairoa, <i>Hawke's Bay.</i>
Longbush, <i>Otago.</i>	Waitaki, <i>Otago.</i>
Lyell, <i>Nelson.</i>	Wanganui, <i>Wellington.</i>
*Lyttelton, <i>Canterbury.</i>	Washdyke, <i>Canterbury.</i>
Maketu, <i>Auckland.</i>	*Wellington, Government Buildings, Wellington.
Malvern, <i>Canterbury.</i>	Westport, <i>Nelson.</i>
Manukau Heads, <i>Auckland.</i>	*White's Bay, <i>Marlborough.</i>
Marton, <i>Wellington.</i>	Winton, <i>Otago.</i>
Masterton, <i>Wellington.</i>	
Mataura, <i>Otago.</i>	

* The stations marked with an asterisk are open from 8 a.m. till 8 p.m.; all others from 9 a.m. till 5 p.m., except Onehunga, which opens at 8 a.m. and closes at 5 p.m., and Government Buildings, which opens at 10 a.m. and closes at 4.30 p.m., except on Saturdays, when it closes at 2 p.m. This station is also closed on Sundays.

In addition to the ordinary hours, the stations at Oamaru, Timaru, and Wanganui are open from 7 p.m. till 8 p.m. daily; also Hokitika, Greymouth, Reefton, and Westport are open from 7.30 till 8 p.m. daily, Sundays and holidays excepted.

N.B.—On Sundays, public holidays, and within each province the anniversary of such province, the office hours are from 10 a.m. till 10.30 a.m., and from 5 p.m. till 5.30 p.m.

Notice to the Public.

ALL Sales of Acts and other Publications issued from the General Government Press will, after this date, be made only to the Trade throughout the Colony. Purchasers are therefore requested to make application to some Bookseller, instead of to the undersigned.

GEO. DIDSBURY,
Government Printer.

Government Printing Office,
Wellington, 2nd November, 1874.

THE NEW ZEALAND GAZETTE.

SUBSCRIPTIONS.—The subscription is at the rate of £2 per annum, PAYABLE IN ADVANCE.

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NO ADVERTISEMENT WILL IN FUTURE BE INSERTED UNTIL ALL CHARGES THEREON HAVE BEEN PAID.

Postage or duty stamps cannot in any case be received in payment from any place at which post-office orders are issued, and, under any circumstances, are subject to a deduction at the rate of one shilling in the pound.

GEO. DIDSBURY,
Government Printer.

Government Printing Office,
Wellington, 23rd November, 1874.

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.

Section 1 and part of 1A, Block I., Town of Lawrence.—JONAS HARROP, Chemist and Druggist, and JAMES HILL, Watchmaker and Jeweller, both of Lawrence, Applicants. 1721.

Sections 16 and 17, Block III., Town of Oamaru.

—NEIL FLEMING and ALLAN HEDLEY, of Oamaru, Auctioneers, Applicants. 1722.

Part of Sections 56 and 57, Block XXXII., Town of Dunedin.—MAURICE JOEL, of Dunedin, Brewer, Applicant. 1724.

Part of Section 59, Block XXXVI., Town of Dunedin.—ELIZA HARE McDONALD, of Dunedin, Wife of Henry McDonald, Fellmonger, Applicant. 1725.

Part of Section 8, Block VII., Town District.—JOHN CARGILL and EDWARD BOWES CARGILL, both of Dunedin, Merchants, Applicants. 1726.

Part of Sections 31, 32, 33, and 34, Ocean Beach District, and part of Block XIII., Dunedin and East Taieri District.—JULIUS SAUNDERS JEFFREYS, of the Forbury, near Dunedin, Esquire, Applicant. 1727, 1728.

Part of Sections 130, 131, and 132, Block XVI., Tokomairiro District.—JAMES ELDER BROWN, of Tokomairiro, Settler, Applicant. 1729, 1730.

Allotments 6, 7, and 2 of 5, Block I., on a plan of subdivision of Sections 4 and 5, Block XXXV., Clutha District.—THE BANK OF NEW ZEALAND, Applicant. 1731.

Section 27, Block VI., Queenstown.—JOHN SCOTT, of Lake Wakatipu, Runholder, Applicant. 1733.

Section 12, North-East Valley District.—ARCHIBALD McINTYRE, of Liverpool, England, Gentleman, Applicant. 1735.

Sections 2, 3, 4, Block III., North Tuakitoto District.—ALEXANDER HASTIE, of West Taieri, Settler, Applicant. 1736.

Section 8, Block XXXI., Town of Dunedin.—EDWARD FARMER EATON, of Dunedin, Salesman, Applicant. 1737.

Section 21, Block XLIII., Town of Oamaru.—DANIEL NICHOLSON, of Oamaru, Miller, Applicant. 1738.

Sections 47, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, Block III., Papakaio District.—JOHN WILSON, JAMES WILSON, and RICHARD WILSON, of Morven Hills, Settlers, Applicants. 1739, 1740, 1741.

Allotment 64, Township of St. Andrews.—WILLIAM CONYERS, of Dunedin, Railway Manager, Applicant. 1745.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 21st day of November, 1874, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

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D. F. MAIN,
District Land Registrar.

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, within one calendar month after the publication of this notice.

MARIANNE CUDDON.—8 acres 14 perches, parts of Rural Section 18, Christchurch District. (R. J. S. Harman, Broker.) 1749.

GEORGE HOWARD.—2 roods 34 perches, parts of Rural Section 26, Christchurch District, being Lots 41 and 42, Avonville, a rectangular block fronting on the Town Belt 125 links, with a depth of 200 links, and another rectangular block fronting on Hereford Street 100 links, with a depth of 250 links, the south-western corners of which blocks are respectively distant 125 links and 200 links from junction of said belt with north side of said street. (E. Mainwaring-Johnson, Broker.) 1804.

ANDREW MENSAL JOHNSON.—2 roods 4 perches, part of Section 238, Christchurch District, fronting on a reserved road 281 links, and running north parallel to Colombo Street South 187½ links, its south-eastern corner being 1067 links from a point on said street 1703 links from northern boundary of Section 239. (E. Mainwaring-Johnson, Broker.) 1817.

EDWARD McKENZIE.—1 rood 24 perches, part of Rural Section 175, Christchurch District, fronting on a reserved road 200 links, with a like depth westerly, the south-western corner thereof being 475 links north from a point on southern boundary of section 2741½ links from its south-west corner. (E. Mainwaring-Johnson, Broker.) 1821.

JOSHUA STRANGE WILLIAMS.—9 acres, parts of Rural Section 48A, Christchurch District. 1822.

MORICE BING.—3 acres 1 rood 24 perches, part of Rural Section 41, Christchurch District, a rectangular block fronting 630 links on western boundary of section, with a depth of 540 links, its south-west corner being 1921 links north from the River Road. (H. A. Bamford, Solicitor.) 1828.

THOMAS HARLE the Elder.—1 acre, part of Rural Section 79, Christchurch District, a rectangular block fronting 333½ links on Colombo Street South, with a depth of 300 links westerly, its north-eastern corner being 2166½ links from the South Town Belt. (R. J. S. Harman, Broker.) 1830.

THOMAS CHALMERS REID.—2 roods 36 perches, Lots 7, 8, and 9, Makikehi Township, subdivision of Rural Section 2236, Waitangi District. (E. H. Tate, Broker.) 1831.

JAMES GAMMIE.—20 acres, Rural Section 10407, Timaru District. (E. H. Tate, Broker.) 1833.

JULIUS MENDELSON.—59 acres, Rural Sections 11215, 13654, and 13732, Timaru District. (E. H. Tate, Broker.) 1834.

JAMES ALLAN.—1 acre, Sections 937, 938, 939, and 940, Christchurch City. (W. H. Wynn Williams, Solicitor.) 1836.

JOHN INGLIS, as Attorney for Alexander Matheson, Andrew Jardine, Hugh Mackay Matheson, and Charles Magniac.—40 acres, Rural Section 3215, North Waipara District. (Hanmer and Harper, Solicitors.) 1838.

HENRY FRANCIS GRAY.—77 acres, Rural Sections 13538, 13556, and 13575, Lincoln District. (Hanmer and Harper, Solicitors.) 1844.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office,

Dated this 24th day of November, 1874, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

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JOSHUA STRANGE WILLIAMS,
District Land Registrar.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the parcel 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 after the publication of this notice.

GEORGE HARPER, Attorney of Edward David Sweet, Applicant.—10 acres 1 rood 20 perches, more or less, part of Section 160, in the District of Otago; commencing at a point on the western boundary of said section distant 374½ links from the north-west angle of said section, being a rectangular block 746½

links frontage on a public road by a depth of 1390 links.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 26th day of November, 1874, at the Lands Registry Office, Blenheim.

EDWIN 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 in each case within one calendar month from the date of gazetting this notice.

AUGUSTA WILKINSON, Applicant.—38 perches, part of Block XVI., Patangata District (situate in Town of Abbotsford), fronting south side of Ruataniwha Road 100 links, and extending back at right angles to Waipawa River, the north-west corner being distant 890 links along said road from the east boundary of Block LVI., Patangata District. (E. Lyndon, Broker.)

JOHN LLOYD, Applicant.—34 perches, part of Block XVI., Patangata District (situate in Town of Abbotsford), fronting south side of Ruataniwha Road, 100 links, and extending back at right angles to Waipawa River, the north-west corner being distant 790 links along said road from the east boundary of Block LVI., Patangata District. (C. L. Margoliouth, Broker.)

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 26th day of November, 1874, 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 be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 9th day of January next.

PALMERSTON.—Sections "303" and "304" (unoccupied), and Sections "305" and "306," in occupation of A. W. F. Halcombe, 19 acres in all.—JOSEPH EDWARD NATHAN, Applicant. 594.

WELLINGTON.—Part Section "525," 12 $\frac{3}{4}$ perches. Bounded—North, 30 feet 3 inches, by Hill Street; East 115 feet 6 inches, and South 30 feet 3 inches, by other parts of Section "525;" West, 115 feet 6 inches, by Section 524.—In occupation of HENRY WILCOX, the Applicant. 597.

WANGANUI.—Part Suburban Section "36," 1 rood. Bounded—North-east 100 links, and North-west 250 links, by other parts of Section "36;" South-east, 250 links, by Plymouth Street; and South-west, 100 links, by Wicksteed Street.—THOMAS LLOYD, by his Attorney W. W. Taylor, Applicant, on behalf of John George Sharpe, the Occupant. (Brandon and Quick, Solicitors.) 595.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 2nd day of December, 1874, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

JOHN E. SMITH,
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.

Sections 980 and 981, Gibson's Quay, Town of Hokitika, Province of Westland.—Applicant, GEORGE FINDLAY, late of Hokitika, now of Dunedin, in the Province of Otago, Gentleman, by his Attorney, William Todd, of Hokitika, Auctioneer. (Solicitor, S. M. South.)

Section 874, Town of Hokitika, Province of Westland. Applicant, JAMES McHAFFIE, formerly of Hokitika, now of Christchurch, in the Province of Canterbury, Accountant. (Broker, G. S. W. Dalrymple.)

Caveat in either of the above cases may be lodged at this office within one calendar month after the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 20th day of November, 1874, at the Lands Registry Office, Hokitika.

J. M. BATHAM,
District Land Registrar.

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PUBLIC NOTICE.

THE Auckland Agency of the National Marine Insurance Company of South Australia have discontinued accepting risks from this date.

GEORGE THORNE, Junior,
(for the National Marine Insurance
Company of South Australia).

Auckland, 20th November, 1874.

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NOTICE.

Dunedin, 13th November, 1874.

THE Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, under the style of "Proudfoot, Oliver, and Ulph," has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

DAVID PROUDFOOT.
RICHARD OLIVER.

Witness—B. C. Haggitt,
Solicitor, Dunedin.

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ITALIAN GOLD MINING COMPANY, REGISTERED.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at an Extraordinary Meeting of "The Italian Gold Mining Company, Registered," held at the Mechanics' Institute, Queen Street, Grahamstown, on 14th October, 1874, at which meeting more than two-thirds of the number and value of shareholders were represented, a resolution was unanimously carried for the voluntary winding up of the said Company: And all the debts of the said Company having been liquidated, I hereby intimate that the said Company has been completely wound up, and is dissolved in accordance with section 112 of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872."

THOMAS HORSBRUGH,
Manager, Italian Gold Mining, Registered.
Brown Street, Grahamstown,
19th November, 1874.

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately existing between the undersigned, under the style or firm of "The New Zealand Provision and Produce Company," is dissolved by mutual consent; and that the business of the said Company will hereafter be transacted by the undersigned, James McNeight Watt.

Dated this 10th day of November, 1874.

W. H. MEIN.
JAMES M. WATT.

Witness—W. Miller Lewis,
Solicitor, Christchurch. 644

I, GEORGE CECIL JACKSON, Licentiate of the Royal College of Surgeons, Ireland, have made application to be registered under "The Medical Practitioners Act, 1869," and have deposited my Diplomas with the Registrar, in compliance with said Act.

Waimati, Canterbury,
7th November, 1874. 635

I, HENRY HUGH CHAPMAN, Member of the Royal College of Surgeons, London; Licentiate of the Royal College of Physicians, Edinburgh, and Licentiate in Midwifery of the same College, have made application to be registered under "The Medical Practitioners Registration Act, 1869," and have deposited my Diplomas with the Registrar in compliance with said Act.

Leeston, 5th November, 1874. 634

I, the undersigned, do hereby make application to register "The Erema Causis Gold Mining Company, Limited," as a Limited Company, under the provisions of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872."

1. The name of the Company is to be "The Erema Causis Gold Mining Company, Limited."
2. The place of operations is at Italian Gully, in the Province of Nelson, New Zealand.

3. The registered office of the Company will be situated at Broadway, Reefton, in the Province of Nelson, New Zealand.

4. The nominal capital of the Company is fifteen thousand pounds, in fifteen thousand shares of one pound each.

5. The number of shares subscribed for is thirteen thousand, two thousand being reserved by the Company.

6. The number of paid-up shares is nil.

7. The amount agreed to be considered as paid up is nil.

8. The name of the manager is William McLean.

9. The names, addresses, and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follow:—

	No. of Shares.
D. P. Anderson, Reefton, Miner	3,500
David Young, Reefton, Miner	1,500
William Pitt, Reefton, Solicitor	4,000
T. E. Connel, Hokitika, Bank Clerk	1,000
R. W. Pownall, Reefton, Stationer	1,000
William McLean, Reefton, Auctioneer	1,000
Andrew Johnson, Soldier's Gully, Miner	500
Louis Davies, Reefton, Mining Agent	250
Hartwick Johnson, Murray Creek, Miner	250
William McLean (in trust for "The Erema Causis Gold Mining Company, Limited")	2,000
	<u>15,000</u>

Dated this 19th day of November, 1874.

WILLIAM McLEAN,
Manager.

Witness to signature—Charles Broad, J.P.

I, WILLIAM McLEAN, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

1. I am the Manager of the said intended Company.
2. The above statement is, to the best of my belief and knowledge, true in every particular; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1866."

WILLIAM McLEAN,
Manager.

Taken before me, at Reefton, in the Province of Nelson, New Zealand, this 19th day of November, 1874—Charles Broad, J.P. 643