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Lands declared to be Waste Lands of the Crown.

(L.S.) NORMANBY, Governor.
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS under the provisions of "The Immigration and Public Works Act, 1870," the Governor was empowered from time to time, in the name and on behalf of Her Majesty, to purchase or in any way acquire any land in the North Island of New Zealand, or any interests therein, which the owners might be willing to sell, convey, or surrender, as therein mentioned: And whereas by "The Immigration and Public Works Act, 1873," it is enacted that whenever the Governor is satisfied that any lands purchased out of the sums of two hundred thousand (200,000) pounds and five hundred thousand (500,000) pounds therein mentioned are free from Native claims and all difficulties in connection therewith, he shall by Proclamation declare such lands to be waste lands of the Crown, subject, except as hereafter provided, to be sold and dealt with according to the provisions of the laws for the time being in force in the province in which such land is, regulating the sale and disposal of waste lands of the Crown within such province; and thereupon such lands so proclaimed shall become subject to such provisions: And whereas the lands described in the Schedule hereto have been purchased out of the sum of two hundred thousand (200,000) pounds declared to be applicable for the purchase of lands in the North Island under the provisions of Part Four (IV.) of "The Immigration and Public Works Act, 1870," and the further sum of five hundred thousand (500,000) pounds declared to be applicable for the purchase of lands in the North Island under the provisions of section 3 of "The Immigration and Public Works Act, 1873:" And whereas it is expedient that the said lands should be declared to be waste lands as hereinafter set forth: Now, therefore, I, the Most Honorable George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, being satisfied that the lands described in the Schedule hereto are free from Native claims and all difficulties in connection therewith, in pur-

suance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by "The Immigration and Public Works Act, 1873," do hereby proclaim and declare the said lands to be waste lands of the Crown, subject (except as by the said Act is provided) to be sold and dealt with according to the provisions of the laws for the time being in force in the Province of Auckland regulating the sale and disposal of waste lands of the Crown within such province.

SCHEDULE.
TANGIHUA.

ALL that parcel of land in the Whangarei District, Province of Auckland, containing by admeasurement fifteen thousand six hundred (15600) acres more or less, called or known as Tangihua. Bounded towards the North-east by a line ten thousand six hundred and thirty (10630) links; towards the East by the Waionepe River, and by lines six hundred and thirty-two (632) links, one thousand four hundred and thirty-two (1432) links, one thousand (1,000) links, three thousand four hundred and forty-five (3445) links, and five thousand eight hundred and seventy (5870) links; towards the North by lines one thousand eight hundred and twenty-six (1826) links, one thousand eight hundred and thirty (1830) links, one thousand six hundred and one (1601) links, one thousand and thirty (1030) links, nine hundred and eighty (980) links, one thousand and thirty (1030) links, two thousand two hundred and ninety-six (2296) links, three thousand three hundred and sixty-five (3365) links, nine hundred and fifty (950) links, seven hundred and seventy-five (775) links, and four thousand three hundred and fifty-six (4356) links: again towards the North East by lines one thousand one hundred and sixty-two (1162) links, three thousand five hundred and ninety (3590) links, five thousand three hundred and ninety-six (5396) links, and one thousand three hundred and seventy (1370) links; again towards the East by land granted to Mr. Walton, one hundred (100) links, eight hundred and thirty-nine (839) links, and four thousand two hundred and forty-five (4245) links; towards the South-East by the said land granted to Mr. Walton,

six thousand and seventy (6070) links, two thousand and eighteen (2018) links, six hundred and seven (607) links, four hundred and five (405) links, four hundred and forty (440) links, four thousand four hundred and forty-two (4442) links, two thousand five hundred and thirty-eight (2538) links, three thousand five hundred and forty (3540) links, one thousand two hundred and sixteen (1216) links, and eight thousand and sixty-seven (8067) links; towards the South by the said land granted to Mr. Walton, one thousand eight hundred and eighty (1880) links, one thousand seven hundred and fifty-seven (1757) links, eight hundred and sixty-six (866) links, six hundred and seventy (670) links, seven hundred and fifty-nine (759) links, eight hundred and forty-eight (848) links, one thousand and sixty-three (1063) links, seven hundred and thirty-two (732) links, seven hundred and four (704) links, two hundred and twenty-five (225) links, three thousand and ten (3010) links, six hundred and eighty-two (682) links, five hundred and fifty (550) links, six hundred and five (605) links, and one thousand six hundred and three (1603) links; towards the West by lines two thousand one hundred and eighty-two (2182) links, and two hundred and ten (210) links, the Taoroa River, and by lines five thousand nine hundred (5900) links, fifty-four (54) links, ninety-eight (98) links, two hundred and ninety (290) links, six hundred (600) links, three hundred and fifteen (315) links, three hundred and forty-nine (349) links, three hundred and fourteen (314) links, six hundred and thirty (630) links, two hundred and thirty-five (235) links, two hundred (200) links, sixty-eight (68) links, one hundred and twenty (120) links, three hundred and twenty (320) links, nine hundred and eighty (980) links, two hundred and forty (240) links, one thousand and fifty-six (1056) links, four hundred and twenty-three (423) links, two hundred and thirty (230) links, one hundred and nine (109) links, three hundred and fourteen (314) links, four hundred and twenty-three (423) links, two hundred and thirty (230) links, eight hundred and sixteen (816) links, and seven thousand two hundred (7200) links; and towards the North-West by lines three hundred and ninety-one (391) links, three hundred and fifty-four (354) links, sixty-five (65) links, three hundred and thirty-three (333) links, one hundred and eighty-four (184) links, two hundred and sixty-six (266) links, thirty-eight thousand nine hundred and ninety-six (38996) links, and one thousand one hundred and fifty (1150) links.

PURUA.

All that parcel of land in the Whangarei District, Province of Auckland, containing by admeasurement fifteen thousand four hundred and ten (15410) acres, more or less, and called or known as Purua. Bounded towards the North by a line two thousand nine hundred and seventy-five (2975) links; towards the East by the Wairua Block, five thousand nine hundred and fifty (5950) links; again towards the North by the said Wairua Block, fifteen thousand and seventy-eight (15078) links, six thousand seven hundred and eighty-five (6785) links, and one thousand three hundred (1300) links; again towards the East by the Otakirangi Block, twenty-two thousand four hundred and seventy-six (22476) links, and one thousand one hundred and fifty-seven (1157) links, and by the Wairua River; towards the South by the Mangakowhara Creek and by Native land, nine thousand one hundred and fifty-two (9152) links, and twenty thousand and three (20003) links; and towards the West by Native land, twelve thousand one hundred and ninety-four (12194) links, and thirty-four thousand five hundred and forty-six (34,546) links, excepting all that reserve of ten (10) acres called or known by the name of Okauheke.

NGATAHUNA.

All that parcel of land in the Whangarei District, Province of Auckland, containing by admeasurement eight hundred and eighty-two (882) acres, more or less, and called or known as Ngatahuna. Bounded towards the East by the Wai o Ngatahuna River and the Otonga Block, three thousand one hundred and twenty-nine (3129) links, one thousand six hundred (1600) links, and one thousand four hundred and sixty-six (1466) links; towards the South-west by the Hikurangi Block, six thousand four hundred (6400) links; towards the West by the Tauranga Block, one thousand seven hundred and thirty-two (1732) links, three thousand and eleven (3011) links, and four thousand three hundred and six (4306) links; and towards the North-west by the Opuawhanga Block, two thousand seven hundred and fourteen (2714) links, and four thousand three hundred (4300) links.

WAIMAMAKU No. 2.

ALL that parcel of land in the District of Hokianga, Province of Auckland, containing by admeasurement twenty-seven thousand two hundred (27200) acres, more or less, and called or known as Waimamaku No. 2. Bounded towards the North by the Pakanae No. 1 Block, four thousand six hundred and twenty-eight (4628) links, fifteen thousand and seventy-five (15075) links, four thousand six hundred and sixty (4660) links, and thirty-two thousand nine hundred and seventy-three (32973) links, the Pakanae No. 3 Block, five thousand nine hundred and seventy-seven (5977) links, the Pukehuia Block, nine hundred and four (904) links, and the Manawakiaia Block, three thousand and ten (3010) links, one thousand seven hundred and twenty-three (1723) links, one thousand six hundred and five (1605) links, one thousand six hundred and ninety-eight (1698) links, four hundred and ninety-three (493) links, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine (1869) links, one hundred and ninety-seven (197) links, one thousand six hundred and fifty-seven (1657) links, three thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (3923) links, four hundred and thirty-seven (437) links, two thousand and twenty-eight (2028) links, one thousand six hundred and eighty-seven (1687) links, seven hundred and thirty-two (732) links, one thousand five hundred and forty-five (1545) links, one thousand five hundred and eight (1508) links, two hundred and seventeen (217) links, two thousand seven hundred and eight (2708) links, one thousand one hundred and seventy (1170) links, three hundred and fifty-eight (358) links, four hundred and forty (440) links, seven hundred and seventy-one (771) links, five hundred and thirteen (513) links, eight hundred and fourteen (814) links, one thousand seven hundred and thirty-one (1731) links, two thousand four hundred and sixteen (2416) links, seven hundred and sixty-eight (768) links, two thousand two hundred and eighty-two (2282) links, two thousand five hundred and eighty-three (2583) links, three thousand and twenty-four (3024) links, one thousand three hundred and twenty-eight (1328) links, two hundred and sixty-three (263) links, one thousand nine hundred (1900) links, seven hundred and fifty-two (752) links, eight hundred and twenty-nine (829) links, seven hundred and eleven (711) links, and four hundred and ninety-eight (498) links; towards the East, by lines nine hundred and seventy-eight (978) links, one hundred and seventy-one (171) links, one hundred and forty-six (146) links, seven hundred and ninety (790) links, three hundred and thirty-nine (339) links, three hundred and ninety-seven (397) links, eight hundred and forty-four (844) links, eight hundred and eighty-two (882) links, three hundred and twenty-two (322) links, four hundred and

sixty six (466) links, nine hundred and twenty (920) links, two hundred and ninety-one (291) links, one thousand three hundred and thirty-two (1332) links, three hundred and eighty-nine (389) links, ninety-three (93) links, two hundred and ninety-three (293) links, one thousand one hundred and seven (1107) links, seven hundred and sixty-two (762) links, three hundred and eighty-nine (389) links, four hundred and eighteen (418) links, two hundred and eighty (280) links, seven hundred and fifteen (715) links, three hundred and nineteen (319) links, four hundred and thirty-three (433) links, two hundred and eighty-one (281) links, eight hundred and eighty-seven (887) links, six hundred and sixty-two (662) links, three hundred and fifty-six (356) links, seven hundred and thirty-three (733) links, four hundred and sixty-nine (469) links, two hundred and seventy-seven (277) links, four hundred and thirty-four (434) links, four hundred and sixty-five (465) links, four hundred and fifty-four (454) links, two hundred and twenty-four (224) links, and three hundred and twenty-six (326) links, and by the Waaka No. 1 Block, seven hundred and twelve (712) links, four hundred and eighty-eight (488) links, one thousand five hundred and seventy-three (1573) links, five hundred and fifty-seven (557) links, three hundred and sixty-four (364) links, four hundred and four (404) links, three hundred and thirty-one (331) links, two hundred and ninety-eight (298) links, four hundred and twenty (420) links, two hundred and ten (210) links, one thousand two hundred and eighteen (1218) links, one thousand six hundred and twenty-five (1625) links, five hundred and two (502) links, four hundred and forty (440) links, five hundred and one (501) links, four hundred and seventy-eight (478) links, one thousand one hundred and fifteen (1115) links, five hundred and twenty-five (525) links, six hundred and twenty-five (625) links, two hundred and eighty (280) links, two hundred and sixty-one (261) links, four hundred and three (403) links, two hundred and fifty-three (253) links, three hundred and twenty-two (322) links, seven hundred and sixty-three (763) links, five hundred and ninety-five (595) links, six hundred and ninety-two (692) links, four hundred and seventy-one (471) links, one thousand one hundred and fifty-four (1154) links, four hundred and thirty-eight (438) links, three hundred and seventy-five (375) links, four hundred and twenty (420) links, two hundred and nineteen (219) links, three hundred and eighty-nine (389) links, two hundred and seventy-five (275) links, one hundred and ninety (190) links, seven hundred and seventy-five (775) links, one hundred and ninety-eight (198) links, one hundred and seventy-nine (179) links, seven hundred and forty-four (744) links, four hundred and forty (440) links, one thousand and four (1004) links, one thousand and one (1001) links, six hundred and thirty-five (635) links, one thousand (1000) links, five hundred and twenty-one (521) links, two hundred and ninety-six (296) links, nine hundred and twenty (920) links, seven hundred and ninety-seven (797) links, four hundred and thirty-four (434) links, two hundred and twenty (220) links, one hundred and eighty-two (182) links, five hundred and sixty-four (564) links, six hundred and ninety-four (694) links, and six hundred and twenty-four (624) links, towards the South by the said Waaka No. 1 Block, two hundred and sixty-two (262) links, five hundred and forty-seven (547) links, seven hundred and fifty-eight (758) links, three hundred and fifty-three (353) links, five hundred and nineteen (519) links, two hundred and twenty-two (222) links, one thousand two hundred (1200) links, two hundred and thirty-eight (238) links, nine hundred and sixty-seven (967) links, one hundred and sixty-five (165) links, two hundred and ten (210) links, one hundred and eighty-four

(184) links, and two hundred and fifteen (215) links, and by the Waipoua Block, seven thousand seven hundred (7700) links, six thousand three hundred and eighty-six (6,386) links, three hundred and ninety-eight (398) links, one thousand two hundred and thirteen (1213) links, four thousand seven hundred and sixty-two (4762) links, one thousand three hundred and sixty-nine (1369) links, three thousand six hundred and twenty-two (3622) links, one thousand three hundred and ten (1310) links, two thousand eight hundred (2800) links, two thousand six hundred and thirty-one (2631) links, one thousand and twenty-seven (1027) links, one thousand two hundred and five (1205) links, one thousand four hundred and seventy-eight (1478) links, eight hundred and eighty-one (881) links, one thousand three hundred and four (1304) links, one thousand three hundred and ninety-seven (1397) links, four hundred and ninety-three (493) links, three hundred and eighty (380) links, one thousand one hundred and sixty-seven (1167) links, two thousand nine hundred and twenty-four (2924) links, two thousand three hundred and sixty-seven (2367) links, fourteen thousand seven hundred and fifteen (14715) links, four thousand one hundred and fifty-four (4154) links, four thousand eight hundred and five (4805) links, four thousand four hundred and eighty-six (4486) links, eleven thousand eight hundred and forty (11840) links, and three thousand three hundred and fifty-seven (3357) links; and towards the West by the Wairau Block, eleven thousand eight hundred and sixty-five (11865) links, fourteen thousand eight hundred and eight (14808) links, three thousand eight hundred and seventy-three (3873) links, and four thousand nine hundred and eighteen (4918) links, the Waimamaku River, and the Waimamaku Block, one thousand four hundred and ninety-eight (1498) links, five hundred and sixty-one (561) links, five hundred and seventy (570) links, and fifteen thousand two hundred and forty-six (15246) links.

TUTURUMATAKOUTU.

All that parcel of land in the Whangaroa District, Province of Auckland, containing one thousand three hundred and thirteen (1313) acres, more or less, and called or known as "Tuturumatakoutu." Bounded towards the North by land granted to J. Kemp, fifteen thousand seven hundred (15700) links; on the East by the Kaeo River; on the South by the Waiari River; and on the West by the Rakautao Creek, and by lines two hundred and seventy (270) links, six hundred and thirty-nine (639) links, one thousand three hundred and twenty (1320) links, and two hundred and twenty (220) links.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Most Honorable George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, Earl of Mulgrave, Viscount Normanby, and Baron Mulgrave of Mulgrave, all in the County of York, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom; and Baron Mulgrave of New Ross, in the County of Wexford, in the Peerage of Ireland; a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council; Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twelfth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

DONALD McLEAN.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Proclaiming Deposit of Memorial Plan of certain Lands taken for purposes of the Railway from Foxton to Manawatu.

(L.S.) NORMANBY, 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 the said 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 the line of railway from Foxton to Manawatu, in the Province of Wellington, 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-sixth day of June last, caused the said map to be deposited in the office of the Registrar of Deeds at Wellington:

Now, therefore, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power 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 pur-

poses of the hereinbefore mentioned railway from Foxton to Manawatu, which said railway is, by "The Railways Act, 1874," 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 Most Honorable George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, Earl of Mulgrave, Viscount Normanby, and Baron Mulgrave of Mulgrave, all in the County of York, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom; and Baron Mulgrave of New Ross, in the County of Wexford, in the Peerage of Ireland; a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council; Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twelfth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

EDWARD RICHARDSON.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Commission under "The Tauranga District Lands Act, 1867," appointed.

NORMANBY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eleventh day of July, 1876.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Tauranga District Lands Act, 1867," and "The Tauranga District Lands Act, 1868," after reciting that by an Order in Council made the eighteenth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, and therein referred to as a Proclamation, it was declared that all the lands of the tribe Ngaiterangi, described in the Schedule to the now reciting Acts, should be a district within the provisions of "The New Zealand Settlements Act, 1863," and should be designated by the name "Tauranga District," therein mentioned or referred to, and it was declared that the said lands were required for the purposes of "The New Zealand Settlements Act, 1863," aforesaid, and ordered that the said lands should be and were thereby set apart as sites for settlement and colonization, agreeably to the provisions of the said Act, and that it was expressed to be ordered that, in accordance with the promise made by His Excellency the Governor at Tauranga, on the sixth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, three-fourths in quantity of the said lands should be set apart for such persons of the tribe Ngaiterangi as should be determined by the Governor after due inquiry should have been made; it is enacted and declared, amongst other things, that the whole of the lands specified in the Schedule to the Act now in recital were, by the said Order in Council, duly and effectually declared to be a district within the provisions of "The New

Zealand Settlements Act, 1863," and that the whole of the said land was duly and effectually set apart, reserved, and taken under the said Act as sites for settlement for colonization, and was duly and effectually declared to be required for the purposes of the said "New Zealand Settlements Act, 1863," and to be subject to the provisions thereof, and that, for the purposes of the Act now in recital, the words "due inquiry" in the said Order in Council should be deemed and taken to extend to inquiries made and carried through by persons thereunto appointed by the Governor: And whereas by "The Commissioners Powers Act, 1867," provision is made for enabling Boards or Commissioners, appointed by the Governor in Council, to examine witnesses on oath, to require the production of books, papers, writings, deeds, and other documents, and to exercise the powers and authorities in the said last-named Act mentioned:

Now, therefore, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me as aforesaid, do hereby, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Colony, appoint

HERBERT WILLIAM BRABANT,

of Tauranga, Esquire, to be a Commissioner to make the inquiry required by the said Order in Council, and by "The Tauranga District Lands Act, 1867," and "The Tauranga District Lands Act, 1868," for the purpose of determining for what persons of the tribe Ngaiterangi three-fourths in quantity of the lands in the said Order in Council and in the Acts last aforesaid shall be set apart, in pursuance of the said Order in Council and "The Tauranga District Lands Act, 1867," with all the powers and authorities by "The Commissioners Powers Act, 1867," provided in the case of any Board or Commission appointed or issued, or to be appointed or issued, by the Governor in Council.

FORSTER GORING,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

Order in Council, and the appointment of H. T. Clarke, Esq., a Commissioner thereunder, revoked.

NORMANBY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eleventh day of July, 1876.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council bearing date the twenty-seventh day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, Henry Tacy Clarke, of Auckland, Esquire, was appointed a Commissioner to make a certain inquiry, and with certain powers in the said Order in Council mentioned: And whereas it is expedient that the appointment of the said Henry Tacy Clarke should be revoked:

Now, therefore, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of all powers enabling me in that behalf, do hereby, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony, revoke the said recited Order in Council, and the appointment of the said Henry Tacy Clarke to be a Commissioner thereunder.

FORSTER GORING,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

Appointing Legal Landing Place at Napier

NORMANBY, Governor.

IN exercise of the power in me for this purpose vested by "The Customs Regulation Act, 1858,"

I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint that on and from the day of the date hereof, the legal landing place at the Port of Napier shall be within the following limits, viz., extending from and including the wharf on the Pilot Reserve; thence along Customs Street, including the wharves abutting thereon, to the bridge known as the Railway Bridge; thence along Railway Quay to its junction with West Quay, and eighteen (18) chains measuring southward along West Quay.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Most Honorable George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, Earl of Mulgrave, Viscount Normanby, and Baron Mulgrave of Mulgrave, all in the County of York, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom; and Baron Mulgrave of New Ross, in the County of Wexford, in the Peerage of Ireland; a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council; Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

H. A. ATKINSON.

Governor's Order No. 112.]

Bye-law of Wanganui Municipal Corporation.

Colonial Secretary's Office,

Wellington, 11th July, 1876.

THE following Bye-law, passed by the Municipal Corporation of the Town of Wanganui, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Municipal Corporations Acts Amendment Act, 1875."

DANIEL POLLEN.

(L.S.) BYE-LAW NO. 10.

BYE-LAW of the Council of the Borough of Wanganui, made under special order of the said Council dated the ninth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, confirmed the seventh day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, and sealed with the common seal of the said borough, the seventh day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

In pursuance of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1867," and the Acts amending the same, the Council of the Borough of Wanganui ordain as follows:—

1. The provisions of section fifty-seven (57), subdivision two (2) of Part ten (10) of the thirteenth Schedule of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1867," shall not be deemed to be limited to carts standing or plying for hire, or being used as wood-carts, water-carts, or night-carts, but shall apply to all carts standing or plying for hire generally, within the prescribed space of the Borough of Wanganui.

2. For the purposes of sections fifty-seven (57) and fifty-eight (58) of the aforesaid sub-division, the person appearing to be in charge of any cart shall be deemed to be the owner thereof.

Passed by the said Council this seventh day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

W. H. WATT,
Mayor.

GEO. BROOKING,
Town Clerk.

Guano not to be removed from Islands belonging to South Australia.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 7th July, 1876.

THE following letter, received from the Acting Colonial Secretary of Western Australia, is published for general information.

DANIEL POLLEN.

[CIRCULAR.]

Western Australia.
Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 12th June, 1876.

SIR,—I have the honor, by direction of His Excellency Governor Robinson, C.M.G., to forward to you copies of a Notice, and to request that you will be good enough to give the same as much publicity as you can.

I have, &c.,
A. O'GRADY LEFROY,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

The Hon. the Colonial Secretary,
New Zealand.

WHEREAS it has become known to the Government of the Colony of Western Australia that certain persons have from time to time, without license or permission, removed Guano and other natural products from islands lying within the limits of the territory of the said colony:

Notice is hereby given, that the Government of Western Australia will be prepared to consider any applications that may be made for license to remove Guano and other natural products from islands within the limits of the colony, but any persons removing any such Guano or other natural products from any such islands without license or authority from the said Government will be prosecuted with the utmost rigour of the law.

MALCOLM FRASER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands for
Western Australia.

Perth, 10th June, 1876.

Letters of Naturalization issued.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 12th July, 1876.

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.
Adolph Moritzson ...	Clerk	Dunedin.
Benjamin Cohen ...	Jeweller	Wellington.
Louis Levein ...	Hairdresser	Wellington.

DANIEL POLLEN.

Registration Officer appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 7th July, 1876.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ALFRED ROSS, Esq.,

to be the Registration Officer for the election of Members of the House of Representatives for the District of Rangitikei.

DANIEL POLLEN.

Regulation of the Town Council of Clyde not disallowed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 6th July, 1876.

IT is hereby notified that a copy of a Regulation of the Municipal Corporation of Clyde, Otago, under the seal of the Corporation, "for Pedlars and Hawkers," having been laid before the Governor, His Excellency has been pleased not to exercise his power of disallowance with respect to the same.

DANIEL POLLEN.

Regulations of Nelson Town Council not disallowed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 7th July, 1876.

IT is hereby notified that a copy of Regulations of the Municipal Corporation of Nelson, under the seal of the Corporation, "for Boats and Boatmen," having been laid before the Governor, His Excellency has been pleased not to exercise his power of disallowance with respect to the same.

DANIEL POLLEN.

Progress Report of the New Zealand War Medal Commissioners.

Colonial Defence Office,
Wellington, 8th July, 1876.

THE following Report, relative to the issue to officers, non-commissioned officers, and men of the Colonial Forces, of the New Zealand War Medal, is published for general information.

DONALD McLEAN.

To His Excellency the Most Honorable the Marquis of Normanby, &c., &c., &c.

In accordance with the instructions conveyed by the Commission of the 3rd September, 1872, I have the honor to report that up to the present date I have examined all applications for the Medal which were referred to me since the 7th August, 1875, and I now respectfully forward the enclosed Nominal Rolls A, B, and C, containing the names of the officers and men of the Colonial Forces who would be entitled to the decoration for their services, and whose claims to the distinction have been admitted since the publication of our last report.

I therefore respectfully submit this Progress Report for your Excellency's consideration.

JAMES PAUL,
Medal Commissioner.

Wellington, New Zealand,
8th June, 1876.

ROLL A.

NOMINAL RETURN of Officers and Men of the Colonial Forces whose claims to the New Zealand War Medal for services performed prior to the 31st December, 1866, are now admitted by the Commissioner.

- Brooks, Robert, Private, Taranaki Militia
- Davies, Fred., Private, 1st Waikato Militia
- Edwards, Charles, Private, Taranaki Military Settlers
- George, Henry Rees, Private, Auckland Volunteers
- Gregory, R., Sergeant, Taranaki Military Settlers
- Groves, George, Private, Taranaki Militia
- Guirk, Patrick, Corporal, Taranaki Bush Rangers
- Harper, Robert, Trooper, Auckland Colonial Defence Force
- Hunter, Fred. Alex., Private, Auckland Volunteers
- King, William, Private, 1st Waikato Militia
- Lander, George, Private, Taranaki Rifle Volunteers
- Loxton, William, Private, 2nd Waikato Militia
- Mason, William, Private, 1st Waikato Militia
- Mayne, Henry, Private, Taranaki Military Settlers
- McDougall, James, Private, 1st Waikato Militia

McGouagle, Robert, Private, Auckland Militia
 Newton, W. T., Private, 2nd Waikato Militia
 Oxenham, William Thomas, Private, Taranaki Mounted Corps
 Spencer, Gray, Volunteer, Whanganui Native Contingent
 Street, Sydney, Private, 1st Waikato Militia
 Swan, John, Private, Taranaki Military Settlers
 Whatmore, Edward, Private, Taranaki Military Settlers
 Whitelock, George, Private, Patea Rangers
 Williamson, John, Private, 3rd Waikato Militia
 Windsor, Henry, Private, Taranaki Rifle Volunteers
 Wooldom, Henry, Private, Wellington Militia.

ROLL B.

NOMINAL RETURN of Officers and Men of the Colonial Forces, whose claims to the New Zealand War Medal for services rendered after the 31st December, 1866, have been admitted by the Commissioner.

Campbell, Chas. Stuart, Constable, Armed Constabulary
 Harefield, John, Corporal, Forest Rangers
 Hayden, John, Constable, Armed Constabulary
 Ingram, Chas. Edwin, Constable, Armed Constabulary
 Keir, Frederick, Sergeant, Whanganui Rangers
 Lanauze, George, Constable, Armed Constabulary
 McCauley, Thomas, Private, Wellington Rifles
 McCauley, William, Private, 1st Waikato Militia
 Newman, William J., Private, Forest Rangers
 Sherges, Louis, Private, Colonial Defence Force
 Stark, James, Corporal, Wellington Rifles
 Summers, Frederick, Private, 1st Waikato Militia
 Wharton, Chas. Bygram, A.D.C., Staff.

ROLL C.

NOMINAL RETURN of Natives whose claims to the New Zealand War Medal have been admitted by the Commissioner.

Hare Takerei, Sergeant, Armed Constabulary
 Hetikia Arama, Constable, Armed Constabulary
 Heta Hianga, Constable, Armed Constabulary
 Kirihi Renata, Constable, Armed Constabulary
 Komene, Constable, Armed Constabulary
 Matutaera, Constable, Armed Constabulary
 Paoro Pene, Constable, Armed Constabulary
 Raniera Tumata, Constable, Armed Constabulary
 Taituha, Constable, Armed Constabulary
 Tame Tekiri, Constable, Armed Constabulary
 Te Taupe Kania, Constable, Armed Constabulary
 Wenetia, Constable, Armed Constabulary
 Rota Watene, Constable, Armed Constabulary.

Post Offices opened.

General Post Office,
 Wellington, 12th July, 1876.

THE following list of additional Post Offices which have been opened in the colony is published for general information.

JULIUS VOGEL,
 Postmaster-General.

Name of Office.	In what Province.	Circulating Office.
Balcairn ...	Canterbury	Christchurch.
Barrhill ...	Canterbury	Christchurch.
Dunrobin ...	Otago	Dunedin.
Halcombe ...	Wellington	Wellington.
Horokiwi, re-opened	Wellington	Wellington.
Kaurihohori ...	Auckland	Auckland.
Kurama ...	Westland	Hokitika.
Purakanui ...	Otago	Dunedin.
Red Jack's ...	Westland	Greymouth.
Sefton ...	Canterbury	Christchurch.
Spring Creek ...	Marlborough	Blenheim.
St. John's at Wanganui	Wellington	Wellington.
Te Kapu ...	Hawke's Bay	Napier.
Waihenga ...	Wellington	Wellington.
Waimangaroa ...	Nelson	Westport.

Post Offices closed.

General Post Office,
 Wellington, 12th July, 1876.

THE following list of Post Offices which have been closed within the colony is published for general information.

JULIUS VOGEL,
 Postmaster-General.

Name of Office.	In what Province.	Circulating Office.
Goulard's Ferry ...	Marlborough	Blenheim.
Mount Somers ...	Canterbury	Christchurch.

Appointment of Postmasters.

General Post Office,
 Wellington, 12th July, 1876.

IN virtue of the powers delegated to the Postmaster-General by His Excellency the Governor, the following appointments have been made in the Postal Service of the colony.

JULIUS VOGEL,
 Postmaster-General.

Name.	To be Postmaster at	In what Province.	From
W. C. Morgan ...	Alford Forest	Canterbury	1 May, 1876
C. McWilliam ...	Amberley ...	Canterbury	1 April, 1876
Philip Tisch ...	Ashburton	Canterbury	11 May, 1876
W. H. Alderton	Balcairn ...	Canterbury	15 July, 1876
H. Sparrow ...	Barrhill ...	Canterbury	1 July, 1876
G. G. Wellsted...	Blueskin ...	Otago ...	1 April, 1876
Robt. Wilson ...	Caversham ...	Otago ...	1 April, 1876
Hy. Vale ...	Coutt's Island	Canterbury	1 May, 1876
Geo. B. Purdue...	Dipton ...	Otago ...	1 April, 1876
C. R. Parsons ...	Dayleston ...	Canterbury	16 June, 1876
John Lomas ...	Dunrobin ...	Otago ...	1 June, 1876
Peter Hansen ...	Elbow ...	Otago ...	1 June, 1876
Wm. Wallace ...	Featherston	Wellington	1 July, 1876
A. J. Palmer ...	Foxhill ...	Nelson ...	1 May, 1876
Geo. J. Browne...	Gisborne ...	Auckland ...	1 June, 1876
W. H. Lash ...	Halcombe ...	Wellington	1 July, 1876
Alex. Hamilton...	Horokiwi ...	Wellington	1 May, 1876
John W. Wilkin	Invercargill	Otago ...	16 May, 1876
Wm. S. Lucas ...	Kaik ...	Otago ...	1 Feb., 1876
J. W. Kerr ...	Kaurihohori	Auckland ...	1 May, 1876
John Wesley ...	Kelly's Creek	Westland ...	1 May, 1876
Wm. Corboy ...	Kibikibi ...	Auckland ...	1 July, 1876
Jas. Drummond	Kurama ...	Westland ...	1 July, 1876
H. C. Francis ...	Long Beach	Canterbury	1 May, 1876
J. J. King ...	Long Bush...	Otago ...	1 May, 1876
C. L. White ...	Maketu ...	Auckland ...	1 July, 1876
Thos. Monteath...	Maerewhenua	Otago ...	1 April, 1876
R. M. Spurr ...	Mount Somers	Canterbury	1 July, 1876
Robt. Craig ...	One-Tree Point	Otago ...	1 May, 1876
Jas. Eastwood ...	Porirua ...	Wellington	1 April, 1876
T. H. Spencer ...	Porangahau	Hawke's Bay	1 Mar. 1876
Jas. D. Ramsden	Pouere ...	Hawke's Bay	1 June, 1876
Jas. Comrie ...	Pukekohe East	Auckland ...	1 April, 1876
Hy. Henderson...	Purakanui ...	Otago ...	1 May, 1876
Samuel Frankpitt	Red Jack's ...	Westland ...	1 July, 1876
Mrs. E. Drayton	Riccarton ...	Canterbury	1 June, 1876
Robert Phillips...	Spring Creek	Marlborough	1 July, 1876
C. S. Edwards ...	Sefton ...	Canterbury	15 July, 1876
C. Wallnutt ...	St. Bathans...	Otago ...	1 April, 1876
Samuel Peters ...	St. John's, at Wanganui	Wellington	1 June, 1876
Jas. Tautari ...	Taumarere ...	Auckland ...	1 June, 1876
Geo. S. Fraser ...	Te Kapu ...	Hawke's Bay	1 May, 1876
D. Drummond ...	Tokatoka ...	Auckland ...	1 April, 1876
Richd. Bright ...	Waihenga ...	Wellington	1 April, 1876
Harry Peat ...	Waikuku ...	Canterbury	1 April, 1876
Robt. McFarlane	Waimangaroa	Nelson ...	1 June, 1876
C. N. Marshall ...	Wangaparoa	Auckland ...	1 April, 1876
Mrs. M. A. Richardson	Wangaehu ...	Wellington	1 July, 1876
Peter Iwersen ...	Whatawhata	Auckland ...	1 July, 1876
Wm. Bass ...	Winchester...	Canterbury	16 Mar. 1876
Wm. Burns ...	Zala Town ...	Nelson ...	1 May, 1876

Licensing Officer under Arms Act appointed at Carlyle.

Customs Department,
Wellington, 27th June, 1876.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

EDWARD CHARLES MEREDITH, Esq.,
Clerk in the Resident Magistrate's Court at Carlyle,
to be a Licensing Officer under "The Arms Act,
1860."

H. A. ATKINSON,
Commissioner of Customs.

Designation of Post Office changed.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 12th July, 1876.

IT is hereby notified for general information, that the designation of the Post Office in the Province of Canterbury, known as Upper Ashburton, has been changed to

MOUNT SOMERS.

By order of the Postmaster-General.

W. GRAY, Secretary.

OFFICIATING MINISTERS FOR 1876.—NOTICE No. 14.

Registrar-General's Office,

Wellington, 10th July, 1876.

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 names of Officiating Ministers within the meaning of the said Act are published for general information:—

Lutheran Church.

The Reverend JOHANNES FRIEDRICH GOSSLING.

Roman Catholic Church.

The Reverend ANTONY HALBWACHS.

The Reverend PATRICK KERRIGAN.

The Reverend PATRICK CLAFFEY.

WM. R. E. BROWN,

Registrar-General.

Under "The Neglected and Criminal Children Act, 1867."

PARTICULARS of an Arrangement entered into between His Honor the SUPERINTENDENT of the Province of Otago, and His Honor the DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT of the Province of Wellington.

WHEREAS a Reformatory School has been established by the Superintendent of the said Province of Otago for the purposes of "The Neglected and Criminal Children Act, 1867," at Dunedin, in the said Province of Otago: And whereas no Reformatory School has been established in the said Province of Wellington:

Now we, James Macandrew, Superintendent of the Province of Otago, and Henry Bunny, Deputy Superintendent of the Province of Wellington, duly appointed under the provisions of "The Deputy Superintendent of Wellington Act, 1876," with the consent and by the advice of my Executive Council, do hereby arrange and agree that the said Reformatory School at Dunedin, in the Province of Otago, shall be used in common for "convicted children," within the meaning of the said "Neglected and Criminal Children Act, 1867," found or requiring to be dealt with under the provisions of the said "Neglected and Criminal Children Act, 1867," in the Province of Wellington, as well as for such children found or requiring to be dealt with in the Province of Otago.

And we do hereby further agree that out of the moneys in the Treasury of the Province of Wellington, there shall be paid to the Superintendent of Otago, for every child sent from the Province of Wellington to the said Reformatory School, a sum equivalent to the actual cost of maintaining and providing for such child in the said Reformatory School.

J. MACANDREW.

HENRY BUNNY.

Dated this 12th day of July, 1876.

PARTICULARS of the Estates of Deceased Persons which have been placed under the charge of the PUBLIC TRUSTEE during the Month of June, 1876.

No.	Name of Deceased.	Colonial Residence.	Supposed British or Foreign Residence.	Date of Rule or Order.	Value or Estimated Value of Personal Estate.	Time of Deceased's Death.	Remarks.
1	Blake, James ...	Napier	...	June 13, 1876 ...	Under £100	Feb. 25, 1874	Also published in return for April, 1875, as without order.
2	Brown, Alexander	Greymouth	...	June 13, 1876 ...	Under £100	Sept. 4, 1875	
3	Austin, Charles ...	Waipukurau	...	June 13, 1876 ...	Under £100	Feb. 24, 1876	
4	Storey, John ...	Christchurch	...	June 13, 1876 ...	Under £180	Mar. 4, 1876	
5	Anderson, John ...	Rangitikei	...	June 13, 1876 ...	Under £200	Mar. 9, 1876	
6	Briggs, William ...	Auckland	...	None required ...	Under £50	May 19, 1876	
7	Paddon, P. ...	"	...	None required ...	Under £5	May 15, 1876	
8	Neilson, Emily ...	Greymouth	...	None required ...	Under £10	Mar. 17, 1876	
9	Johnston, Charles	Dunedin	...	None required ...	Under £50	...	
10	Wilson, William ...	Hokitika	...	None required ...	Under £3	Mar. 1, 1876	
11	Smith, Frederick ...	Hokianga	...	None required ...	Under £25	Sept. 16, 1875	
12	Anderson, George	Dunedin	...	None required ...	Under £50	May 3, 1876	
13	Paton, Andrew ...	Coromandel	...	None required ...	Under £20	May 29, 1876	
14	O'Shea, Michael ...	Christchurch	...	None required ...	Under £5	...	
15	Vollenweider, H. ...	"	...	None required ...	Under £1	...	
16	Kerr, G. W. ...	"	...	None required ...	Under £50	April 21, 1876	
17	Tait, Alex., alias Corry, Philip	"	...	None required ...	Under £5	April, 1876	Found dead, April 15.
18	Winder, Jeremiah	Dunedin	...	None required ...	Under £15	Oct. 4, 1875	
19	Carson, Alexander	Mercury Bay	...	None required ...	Under £25	Jan. 30, 1874	
20	Smith, Charles ...	Onehunga	...	None required ...	Under £20	Mar. 28, 1873	

Dated the 6th day of July, 1876.

J. WOODWARD, Public Trustee.

REGISTRAR-GENERAL'S REPORT on the Vital Statistics of the Boroughs of Auckland, Thames, Wellington, Nelson, Christchurch, Dunedin, and Hokitika, during the Month of June, 1876.

TABLE showing the Number of Births, the actual Mortality of Males and Females, and the Proportion of Deaths to Population, in the Boroughs of Auckland, Thames, Wellington, Nelson, Christchurch, Dunedin, and Hokitika, during the Month of June, 1876.

BOROUGH.	ESTI-MATED POPULA-TION, JUNE 1, 1876.	TOTAL BIRTHS.	DEATHS IN THE BOROUGHS REGISTERED IN JUNE, 1876.						Total Deaths.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population.
			Males.			Females.				
			Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.		
Auckland ...	13,231	48	1	1	5	1	2	11	21	1.59
Thames ...	8,385	18	...	...	3	...	1	3	7	.83
Wellington ...	11,393	78	6	1	5	5	2	7	26	2.28
Nelson ...	5,911	18	...	...	1	...	...	2	3	.51
Christchurch ...	10,821	55	1	1	12	2	1	5	22	2.03
Dunedin ...	19,762	83	4	4	14	...	3	8	33	1.67
Hokitika ...	3,506	8	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	.28
Total ...	...	308	12	8	40	8	9	36	113	...

The deaths of persons not residents of the boroughs, occurring at hospitals, have been excluded in all cases. The population has been estimated by adding the excess of births over deaths since the 1st March, 1874, to the then census population. It is impossible to estimate the increase from immigration. The births were 15 more than in May. The deaths were 2 more in number than the deaths in May. Of the deaths, males contributed 60; females, 53: 37 of the deaths were of children under 5 years of age, being 32.74 per cent. of the whole number; 20 of these were of children under 1 year of age. There were 7 deaths of persons of 65 years of age and over: 5 of these persons were males and 2 females: of these, 1 male, aged 69, died at Auckland; 1 male of 65 at Nelson; and 3 of 66, 76, and 79, respectively, at Dunedin; 1 female, aged 73, died at Wellington; and 1 of 75 at Dunedin.

THE following Table shows the Causes of the Deaths of Persons of both Sexes under 5 years of age and 5 years and upwards, and the Proportions per Cent. of Deaths from each cause in the Boroughs named, and that were registered, during the Month of June, 1876.

CLASSES.	CAUSES OF DEATH.	AUCKLAND.		THAMES.		WELLINGTON.		NELSON.		CHRISTCH'CH.		DUNEDIN.		HOKITIKA.		TOTAL.	PROPOR-TIONS PER CENT.
		Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.				
I.	Zymotic Diseases ...	3	3	1	1	5	4	...	...	1	3	5	3	...	...	29	25.66
II.	Constitutional Diseases ...	...	3	...	...	1	2	...	1	...	4	2	9	...	...	22	19.47
III.	Local Diseases ...	1	9	...	3	7	4	...	2	2	10	1	9	1	...	49	43.36
IV.	Developmental Diseases ...	1	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	2	...	3	1	...	...	11	9.74
V.	Violent Deaths ...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1.77
	Unspecified ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total ...	5	16	1	6	14	12	...	3	5	17	11	22	1	...	113	100.00

CLASS I.—ZYMOTIC DISEASES.

- ORDER 1.—*Miasmatic Diseases*.—Scarlatina, 9; Diphtheria, 1; Croup, 3; Whooping Cough, 2; Typhoid Fever, 4; Diarrhæa, 5; Rheumatic Pericarditis, 1; Erythema, 1.
- ORDER 3.—*Dietic Diseases*.—Inanition, 2.
- ORDER 4.—*Parasitic Diseases*.—Thrush, 1.

CLASS II.—CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES.

- ORDER 1.—*Diathetic Diseases*.—Cancer, 3.
- ORDER 2.—*Tubercular Diseases*.—Spinal Disease, 1; Phthisis, 14; Hydrocephalus, 1; Serous Apoplexy, 2; Tubercular Meningitis, 1.

CLASS III.—LOCAL DISEASES.

- ORDER 1.—*Diseases of Nervous System*.—Apoplexy, 3; Epilepsy, 2; Convulsions, 2; Brain Disease, 4.
- ORDER 2.—*Diseases of Organs of Circulation*.—Pericarditis, 1; Aneurism, 1; Heart Disease, 9.
- ORDER 3.—*Diseases of Respiratory Organs*.—Bronchitis, 8; Pleurisy, 1; Empyema, 1; Pneumonia, 3; Congestion of Lungs, 3.
- ORDER 4.—*Diseases of Digestive Organs*.—Enteritis, 3; Strangulated Hernia, 1; Hæmatemesis, 1; Hepatitis, 2; Liver, Disease, 1.
- ORDER 5.—*Diseases of Urinary Organs*.—Nephritis, 1; Cystitis, 1.
- ORDER 8.—*Diseases of Integumentary System*.—Pyæmia, 1.

CLASS IV.—DEVELOPMENTAL DISEASES.

- ORDER 1.—*Developmental Diseases of Children*.—Premature Birth, 3; Cyanosis, 1; Abscess in Chest, 1.
- ORDER 2.—*Developmental Diseases of Adults*.—Childbirth, 4.
- ORDER 4.—*Diseases of Nutrition*.—Atrophy and Debility, 2.

CLASS V.—VIOLENT DEATHS.

- ORDER 1.—*Accident or Negligence*.—Injury to Brain by fall downstairs, 1; Fall on Stump of Tree, 1 (wound of intestine).

The deaths in June were 113, against 111 in May. Diarrhoea, which caused 1 death in May, was fatal in 5 cases last month. From Typhoid Fever there were 4 deaths, as in May. Scarlatina caused 9 deaths: 2 at the Thames, 2 at Wellington, and 5 at Dunedin, against a total of 7 for May.

The deaths from diseases of the Respiratory System show a total of 16, against 8 in May. There were at Auckland 3 cases, at the Thames 2, at Wellington 6, at Hokitika 1, and at Dunedin 4.

Of violent deaths, one case was that of a man 40 years of age, who was accidentally killed by injury to his brain, caused by a fall downstairs; the other was a death from a wound in the intestines, from a fall on a stump of a tree.

In June, 1875, there were 152 deaths in the boroughs, or 39 more than occurred in June, 1876. Comparison of causes shows that there were in June, 1875, 6 cases of Measles, against none in 1876; and 17 of Typhoid Fever, against 4 last month; but, on the other hand, Scarlatina caused 9 deaths in June last, against none in 1875. There were 28 deaths from diseases of the Respiratory System in June, 1875, against only 16 in the corresponding month this year. The excess of deaths for June, 1875, over those in June, 1876, being largely attributable to that cause.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 12th July, 1876.

WM. R. E. BROWN,
Registrar-General.

PROVISIONAL METEOROLOGICAL REPORT FOR JUNE, 1876.

	AUCKLAND.	WELLINGTON.	NELSON.	CHRIST- CHURCH.	HOKITIKA.	DUNEDIN.
Average Temperature in Shade ...	53·3	48·1	47·6	43·8	44·8	44·1
Ditto for same month previous years ...	53·2	49·5	47·6	43·4	46·6	43·9
Highest Temperature in Shade ...	66·0 on 2nd	60·8 on 23rd	63·0 on 13th 14th, and 15th	68·4 on 14th	58·7 on 3rd	59·0 on 14th
Lowest Temperature in Shade ...	39·4 on 27th	33·9 on 28th	32·0 on 5th	24·6 on 11th	30·9 on 11th and 17th	31·0 on 9th
Highest Temperature in Sun ...	106·2 on 4th	110·0 on 17th and 22nd	...	104·0 on 14th	63·2 on 30th	...
Lowest Temperature on Grass ...	33·3 on 26th	28·0 on 28th	12·0 on 14th 19th, 20th, 26th, & 28th	12·6 on 11th	24·0 on 11th	22·0 on 9th
Average Moisture of Air (Saturation=100)	86	83	86	77	88	71
Ditto for same month previous years ...	88	79	79	88	88	80
Rainfall in inches ...	4·030	4·329	10·610	1·920	17·190	7·026
Ditto for same month previous years ...	4·669	5·598	5·434	3·049	9·786	2·584
Number of Days on which Rain fell ...	22	17	11	11	19	10
Ditto for same month previous years ...	19	17	9	12	14	13

NOTE.—This Table is prepared from unchecked averages, transmitted by telegraph in anticipation of the full Returns, and must not be entirely relied on for compiling Meteorological Statistics.

July, 1876.

W. B. D. MANTELL.

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 the 20th day of August, 1876.

2224. HENRY DENT GARDINER, Port Lyttelton and Port Victoria Districts.—858 acres 3 roods, Rural Sections Nos. 181, 202, 229A, 399, 1189, 1619, 2969, 2970, 2971, 2972, 3080, 3318, 3626, 3627, 3651, 4250, 4590, 7504, 8813, 9251, 9641, 9673, 9674, 9675, 10673, and part of 164. In occupation of Applicant.

2247. HENRY STONE MAJOR.—District of Ashley, 43 acres, part of Rural Section No. 2759. In occupation of Applicant.

2515. SUSAN DOROTHY TRIPE.—District of Mandeville, 15 acres 2 roods 14 perches, part of Rural Section No. 541. In occupation of Eber Watkins and John Burt.

2657. THOMAS GREIG.—District of Christchurch, 57 acres, part of Rural Section No. 329. In occupation of James Collins.

2691. JAMES BRIGHTWELL BANKS and JOHN FOX, Trustees under the Will of John Whale, City of Christchurch.—3 roods, Sections Nos. 1124, 1126, and 1128. Unoccupied.

2697. ANDREW PEEBLES, District of Oxford.—125 acres, Rural Sections Nos. 5540, 5542, and 8093. In occupation of Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 6th day of July, 1876, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

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GEO. B. DAVY,
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 in the meantime be lodged forbidding the same within one calendar month from the date of gazetting this notice.

GEORGE EDWARD READ, Applicant.—1 acre and 30 perches, being Section 13, Town of Gisborne, Province of Auckland. In occupation of Joseph Kennedy, George Lawrence, John Pickersgill, James Stott, and Alfred Stevens. (C. L. Margoliouth, Broker.) 469.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 4th day of July, 1876, at the Lands Registry Office, Napier.

J. M. BATHAM,
District Land Registrar.

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LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that THOMAS HICKS, FRANCIS McBRIDE, JOHN COCHRANE PATERSON, and JAMES WHITBOURN have made application to be registered as Proprietors in fee simple of an undivided moiety in Sections 18, 19, and 20, Block VII., Shotover District, in the Province of Otago, as Devises, under the Will of JAMES WILLIAM ROBERTSON, late of Queenstown, Timber Merchant, deceased, and that they will be so registered, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within six calendar months from the date of the publication of this notice.

Dated this 7th day of July, 1876, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

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A. W. SMITH,
District Land Registrar.

ABSTRACT of METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS, New Zealand, for the Month of APRIL, 1876.

STATIONS.	BAROMETER. Corrected and Reduced to Sea Level.		TEMPERATURE FROM SELF-REGISTERING INSTRUMENTS, READ IN MORNING FOR TWENTY-FOUR HOURS PREVIOUSLY.					COMPUTED FROM OBSERVATIONS.		RAIN.		WIND.		Cloud.
	Mean Reading	Extr'me Range.	Mean Temp. in Shade.	Mean Daily Range of Temp.	Extr'me Range of Temp.	Max. Temp. in Sun's Rays.	Min. Temp. on Grass.	Mean Elastic Force of Vapour.	Mean Deg. of Moist. (Saturation = 100.)	Total Fall in Month (inches)	No. of Days on which Rain fell.	Average Daily Force in Miles for Month.	Maximum Velocity in Miles in any 24 hours, and Date.	Mean Amount for Month (0 to 10).
MONGONUI ...	30-025	735	63.2	16.4	40.0	144.0	...	.474	82	6.020	15	210	685, 10th	6.7
Same month previous 10 yrs.	30-085	...	62.5	...	...	...	...	.475	78	5.505	11	...	...	...
AUCKLAND ...	30-048	.817	62.2†	17.2†	34.1†	135.2	38.4	.427†	77†	3.375	22	285	584, 18th	6.5
Same month previous 12 yrs.	30-033	...	61.9	...	...	...	...	.441	78	3.222	13	...	...	...
TARANAKI ...	29-997	.877	60.1	16.4	37.0	126.0	34.0	.397	76	6.950	13	227	660, 10th	7.0
Same month previous 12 yrs.	30-050	...	59.6	...	...	...	...	.387	72	3.120	11	...	...	...
NAPIER ...	30-008	1.047	61.2‡	14.0‡	33.0‡	127.0	37.0	.376‡	70‡	3.360	8	182	400, 10th	3.0
Same month previous 9 years	30-044	...	58.5	...	...	...	...	.389	75	2.565	9	...	...	...
WELLINGTON ...	30-002	1.258	57.1	10.3	30.3	134.0	31.0	.371	79	6.670	12	189	450, 9th	6.2
Same month previous 12 yrs.	30-029	...	57.1	...	...	...	...	.354	74	3.569	12	...	...	...
*WANGANUI ...	30-110	.940	58.7	20.2	39.0	132.0	28.0	.358	73	3.910	12	262	470, 10th	5.0
Same month previous 4 years	30-077	...	57.3	...	...	...	...	.338	72	1.397	7	...	...	...
NELSON ...	29-861	1.007	57.5	20.5	32.0	...	24.0	.377	80	16.070	12	137	311, 10th	6.8
Same month previous 12 yrs.	29-995	...	57.1	...	...	...	...	.365	72	3.771	6	...	...	...
CAPE CAMPBELL ...	30-040	.950	60.1	11.8	29.2	...	...	.395	76	...	8	406	774, 10th	7.0
Same month previous 2 years	30-170	...	60.5	...	...	...	...	.372	70	.690	5	...	...	...
CHRISTCHURCH ...	29-926	1.012	54.2	12.7	35.5	123.0	22.2	.369	88	5.130	12	143	381, 27th	6.7
Same month previous 12 yrs.	30-010	...	53.7	...	...	...	...	.342	79	2.178	8	...	...	...
*BEALEY ...	30-160	.830	50.0	14.0	41.0	...	24.0	.265	74	12.030	18	166	355, 30th	6.0
Same month previous 8 years	29-921	...	48.8§	...	...	...	...	.280§	82§	6.876	13	...	...	...
HOKITIKA ...	29-994	.912	55.1	12.3	32.6	...	26.0	.382	88	18.140	17	...	...	6.0
Same month previous 10 yrs.	30-043	...	54.6	...	...	...	...	.379	86	7.782	14	...	...	...
DUNEDIN ...	29-747	.790	52.4	12.3	28.0	121.0	33.0	.304	77	5.129	20	154	540, 28th	6.6
Same month previous 12 yrs.	29-977	...	52.0	...	...	...	...	.294	76	2.906	13	...	...	...
*QUEENSTOWN ...	29-850	.810	50.2	12.5	31.6	105.7	31.9	.265	74	5.550	15	88	210, 11th	5.0
Same month previous 4 years	29-996¶	...	52.0	...	...	...	...	.264	68	2.182	7	...	...	...
SOUTHLAND ...	29-840	.770	52.0	20.0	45.0	125.0	...	.247	74	4.840	17	152	392, 13th	7.0
Same month previous 11 yrs.	29-980	...	51.1||	...	...	...	...	.289||	77||	3.386	13	...	...	...

Altitude of Bealey, 2,104 feet; Queenstown, 1,070 feet. The stations marked thus * are furnished with aneroid barometers only.

† For 17 days only. ‡ For 27 days only. § 7 years. || 10 years. ¶ 3 years.

NOTES FOR APRIL, 1876.

Mongonui.—From 1st to 6th, 11th to 15th, and on the 29th and 30th, fine; the remainder of month gales, strong winds, and rain; prevailing easterly winds; maximum rain recorded on 28th, 1.90 in.; thunder on 7th. Maximum temperature in shade, 83°; minimum, 43°.

Auckland.—Showery weather, generally during nights; heavy rain from 25th to 28th, preceded by sudden fall in barometer from 29.943 in. to 28.924 in. between 11 a.m. and 12 noon; maximum rainfall recorded on 25th, .830 in.; westerly winds prevailed; thunder on 6th, 11th, and 25th; on night of 11th hail also; fog on 5th, early morning; brilliant aurora on 16th in S.W., followed by strong easterly gales and rain. Maximum temperature in shade, 79° 1; minimum, 45°.

Taranaki.—Fine in early part; heavy S.W. gale on 9th and 10th, with rain; continued showery to 13th, fine to 16th, showery on 17th and 18th, fine on 19th 20th and 21st, then showery almost for remainder of month; the maximum rainfall recorded on 23rd, 2.31; prevailing easterly and westerly winds; thunder on 11th and 24th. Maximum temperature in shade, 77°; minimum, 40°.

Napier.—Generally fine, with prevailing N.E. winds and moderate; heavy rain, however, during latter part of month; the maximum recorded on 28th, 1.37; strong S.W. gale on 9th; fog on 3rd. Maximum temperature in shade, 75°; minimum, 42°.

Wellington.—The month commenced with fine N.W. weather, which continued up to the 7th; on night of 7th strong N.W. winds blew, and stormy from that quarter to 9th; 2.60 in. rain recorded on 10th; changed to S.E. on 10th, and rain; heavy showers on night of 12th from S.E.; otherwise the weather was pleasant, with moderate S.E. and N.W. wind up to evening of 23rd, when rain commenced, and continued wet, unpleasant weather till end of month; distant thunder and lightning on evening of 24th; about 10 a.m. on 25th rain commenced; wet all day; 1.515 in. rain registered on 26th; wind changed to S.W. on night of 25th; barometer down to 29.305 on 26th, cold and still raining, wind moderate from S.W., and changed again to S.E., barometer rising; hail fell on night of 10th; meteor seen on night of 7th, at 9.30 p.m.

Wanganui.—Fine up to 9th, but showery generally for remainder of month; the maximum rainfall recorded on 25th, .85 in.; strong westerly winds on 10th, 12th, 13th, and 28th, with rain; thunder on 24th; fog on 2nd and 5th; prevailing N.W. winds; meteor on 13th, at 6.5 p.m. Maximum temperature in shade, 77°; minimum, 38°.

Nelson.—Rough, unpleasant weather, with very heavy rain towards latter part of month; the maximum fall recorded on 18th, being 4.16 in. for previous 24 hours; wind, N.E.; heavy westerly gale on 10th and 11th, lasting 18 hours, with thunder and lightning on 10th; prevailing westerly winds. Maximum temperature in shade, 74°; minimum, 42°.

Cape Campbell.—Fine, with strong N.W. winds, often reaching gales; occasional showers. Maximum temperature in shade, 75.7; minimum, 46.5.

Christchurch.—Early part fine, at times very warm; showery during middle of month; on 25th rain set in from S.W., and increased to a furious gale on night of 26th; 2.12 in. rain recorded on 27th; considerable damage done by wind during this gale; hail on 11th; prevailing winds N.E. and S.W. Maximum temperature in shade, 72°; minimum, 36° 5.

Bealey.—Up to 16th ten fine bright days; remainder of month very wet, dull, and gloomy; greatest fall of rain recorded on 10th, 4.5 in.; prevailing N.W. winds, and strong on 7th, 8th, 21st, 23rd, and 29th; thunder on 7th and 8th; snow on 10th; hail on 9th; five days of fog. Maximum temperature in shade, 69°; minimum, 28°.

Hokitika.—Generally very wet during month, with occasional fine days; maximum rainfall recorded on 18th, 3.20 in.; prevailing easterly winds; strong gale, with rain, on 9th from N.E., and on 17th from S.E., also with rain; fog on five days. Maximum temperature in shade, 65° 9; minimum, 33° 3.

Dunedin.—Dull and showery generally; high winds on 27th and 28th from S.W., and rain; prevailing westerly winds; maximum rain recorded on 27th, 1.84 in.; thunder on 8th; hail on 18th. Maximum temperature in shade, 66°; minimum, 38°.

Queenstown.—Fine during early part, with occasional showers, on 8th, 9th and 10th, rather heavy; from 16th to end of month very showery; the maximum fall recorded on 8th and 24th, .70 in.; prevailing westerly winds, but moderate; snow on hills on 10th, 23rd, and 27th; hail on 10th and four foggy days. Maximum temperature in shade, 67° 7; minimum, 36° 1.

Southland.—Showery unpleasant weather, at times bright; prevailing westerly winds; maximum rain recorded on 30th, .83 in. Maximum temperature in shade, 75°; minimum, 30°.

GENERAL REMARKS.

Wet, stormy weather during this month, with prevailing westerly winds, thunder and hail storms occurring at several of the stations, and in the South snow,—altogether an unpleasant month for time of year. Earthquakes are reported by Meteorological Observers at Dunedin on 11th, direction N.E. to S.W.; at Queenstown, same date, at 11.40 a.m., direction E. to W.; at Wanganui, on 13th, at 6.10 p.m., loud rumble; a meteor seen at 6.5 p.m., just before the shake. A meteor also at Hokitika on 13th, at 6.20 p.m., and on 28th, at 8.40 p.m., large. From the Telegraph Department.—Earthquakes reported on 11th, at St. Bathans, Otago, 11.40 a.m., slight, but distinct, E. to W.; Naseby, 11.40 a.m., distinct and rumbling noise, W. to E.; Palmerston, 11.40 a.m., sharp; Waikouaiti, 11.40 a.m., slight and distinct, one second, N. to S.; Port Chalmers, 11.40 a.m., slight; Queenstown, 11.40 a.m., slight, S. to N.; Oamaru, 11.40 a.m., severe shock, heaviest yet felt, S. to N.; Dunedin, 11.40 a.m., slight; Waimate, 11.35 a.m., slight. Large meteor fell to W. at 6.15 p.m. on 3rd, at Patea, appearing to burst about 20° from horizon; left brilliant streak of red light lasting several minutes. Also a meteor observed at Foxton, on 13th, at 6.14 p.m., very brilliant, apparently bursting about 20° from horizon, followed by a slight shock, as at Wanganui on same date.

W. B. D. MANFELL (for Inspector).

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 gazettement of this notice.

JAMES STEWART SHANKS, Applicant.—Sections 37 (thirty-seven), 45 (forty-five), 52 (fifty-two), 63 (sixty-three), and parts of 36 (thirty-six) and 38 (thirty-eight), Block IV. (four), Tukurua District. Nos. 916, 917, and 918.

ARTHUR HEATHER and NATHAN HARKER, Applicants.—Section 9 (nine), Block VI. (six), Campbelltown. No. 922.

JOSEPH SYKES WEBB and ANDREW JAMIESON ELLES, Applicants.—Sections 17 (seventeen) and 18 (eighteen), Block IV. (four), Invercargill. 923-4.

MATTHEW INSTONE, Applicant.—Parts of Section 5 (five), Block I. (one), Jacob's River Hundred. No. 925.

JAMES PAMMENT, Applicant.—Allotment 3 (three), Block IV. (four), Gladstone. No. 926.

THOMAS PROCTER, Applicant.—Sections 5 (five) and 6 (six), Block VII. (seven), Wyndham District. No. 927.

MATTHEW HENLEY, Applicant.—Section 32 (thirty-two), Block VIII. (eight), Jacob's River Hundred. No. 928.

JOHN McNAUGHTON, Applicant.—Section 5 (five), Block XIV. (fourteen), Invercargill Hundred. No. 930.

CHARLES OCTAVIUS WOODMAN, Applicant.—Section 43 (forty-three), Block X. (ten), Jacob's River Hundred. No. 931.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 28th day of June, 1876, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

326 W. STUART,
Deputy 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 be lodged forbidding the same within one calendar month from the date of publication of this notice in the *Gazette*.

JAMES WOOLLEY, of Spring Grove, Gentleman, Applicant.—1 rood 11 perches, part of Section "651" on plan of the City of Nelson. Bounded—South-east (102 feet) by other part of same Section; South-west (137 feet) by Section 650; North-east (137 feet) by a private road, 20 feet wide, running through the said section, with a right-of-way over the same; North-west (102 feet) by Kawia Street. (Adams and Kingdon, Solicitors.)

THOMAS FIELD, of the City of Nelson, Gentleman, Applicant.—48 acres 2 roods, parts of Section "104" on plan of the District of Waimea East. Bounded—North (2398 links, 952 links) by Section 102; East (1500 links) partly by Nelson and Foxhill Railway, and partly by public road; South (2393 links, 957 links) by Section 106; West (1500 links) partly by said railway, and partly by Section 105. (R. Richardson, Solicitor.)

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this fifth day of July, 1876, at the Lands Registry Office, Nelson.

328 SAMUEL KINGDON,
District Land Registrar.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICE.

JESSIE GASCOIGNE, Widow of ARTHUR GASCOIGNE, late of Waimate, in the Province of Canterbury, deceased, having made application, as Devisee under the Will of the said Arthur Gascoigne, to be registered as Proprietor of an undivided moiety (as tenant in common) of Rural Section No. 755, District of Waitangi, notice is hereby given that the Applicant will be registered as such proprietor, unless caveat forbidding the same be entered on or before the 20th day of January, 1877.

Dated this 6th day of July, 1876, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

330 GEO. B. DAVY,
District Land Registrar.

REEFTON PUBLIC HALL COMPANY (LIMITED).

A GENERAL Meeting of Shareholders in the above Company will be held at the Exchange Rooms, Reefton, on Wednesday, the 9th August, 1876, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Business: To dissolve the Company.

327 WILLIAM McLEAN,
Secretary.

To the Registrar of the Supreme Court, Hokitika.

WE, the undersigned Directors of the River View Gold Mining Company (Limited), hereby give notice that the situation of the Registered Office of this Company is changed to Camp Street, Ahaura.

WM. BANKS,
JNO. D. PINKERTON, } Directors.

Ahaura, 3rd July, 1876. 339

To the Registrar of the Supreme Court, Hokitika.

WE, the undersigned Directors of the Hochstetter Hydraulic Gold Mining Company (Limited), hereby give notice that the name of the Legal Manager of this Company is RICHARD REEVES.

T. H. GARTH,
W. PHILLIPS, } Directors.

Ahaura, 3rd July, 1876. 340

To the Registrar of the Supreme Court, Hokitika.

WE, the undersigned Directors of the Hochstetter Hydraulic Gold Mining Company (Limited), hereby give notice that the situation of the Registered Office of this Company is changed to Camp Street, Ahaura.

T. H. GARTH,
W. PHILLIPS, } Directors.

Ahaura, 3rd July, 1876. 341

To the Registrar of the Supreme Court, Hokitika.

WE, the undersigned Directors of the Working Miners' Alluvial Gold Mining Company (Limited), hereby give notice that the situation of the Registered Office of this Company is changed to Camp Street, Ahaura.

JAS. ROBT. KNIGHT,
ROBERT VENIS, } Directors.

Ahaura, 4th July, 1876. 334

To the Registrar of the Supreme Court, Hokitika.

WE, the undersigned Directors of the Working Miners' Alluvial Gold Mining Company (Limited), hereby give notice that the Legal Manager of this Company is RICHARD REEVES.

JAS. ROBT. KNIGHT,
ROBERT VENIS, } Directors.

Ahaura, 4th July, 1876. 335

To the Registrar of the Supreme Court, Hokitika.
WE, the undersigned Directors of the River View Gold Mining Company (Limited), hereby give notice that the name of the Legal Manager of this Company is RICHARD REEVES.

WM. BANKS,
 JNO. D. PINKERTON, } Directors.

Ahaura, 3rd July, 1876. 338

To the Registrar of the Supreme Court, Hokitika.
WE, the undersigned Directors of the Moonlight Quartz Prospecting Association (Limited), hereby give notice that the Legal Manager of this Company is RICHARD REEVES.

JNO. D. PINKERTON,
 W. PHILLIPS, } Directors.

Ahaura, 3rd July, 1876. 337

To the Registrar of the Supreme Court, Hokitika.
WE, the undersigned Directors of the Moonlight Quartz Prospecting Association (Limited), hereby give notice that the situation of the Registered Office of this Company is changed to Camp Street, Ahaura.

JNO. D. PINKERTON,
 W. PHILLIPS, } Directors.

Ahaura, 3rd July, 1876. 336

STATEMENT of the Affairs of the Caledonian Quartz Mining Company (Registered), for the half-year ended 30th June, 1876, in accordance with section 135 of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872."

Name of Company: The Caledonian Quartz Mining Company (Registered).
 When formed, and date of registration: 23rd April, 1872.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Hokitika, Province of Westland; Leopold Beit.
 Nominal capital: £15,000.
 Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders: 5,000, half paid up, divided amongst original shareholders.
 Number of shares in which capital is divided: 5,000.
 Number of shares taken: 5,000, at £3 each.
 Amount of calls made: £4,888 13s. 2d.
 Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: £4,888 13s. 2d.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company: 10.
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
 Whether in operation or not: In operation.
 Total amount of dividends declared: £750.
 Number of shares unallotted: 100.

LEOPOLD BEIT,
 Manager.

Hokitika, 30th June, 1876. 332

STATEMENT of the Affairs of the Scandinavian Water Race Company (Registered), for the half-year ended 1st June, 1876, in accordance with section 135 of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872."

Name of Company: The Scandinavian Water Race Company (Registered).
 When formed, and date of registration: 1865; 6th May, 1868.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: St. Bathans, Otago; George Purton.
 Nominal capital: £12,000.
 Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders: £50.
 Number of shares taken: 240.
 Amount of calls made: Nil.
 Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: £12,000.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company: 28.
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
 Whether in operation or not: In operation.
 Total amount of dividends declared: £510.
 Number of shares unallotted: Nil.

GEORGE PURTON,
 Manager.

St. Bathans, Otago, 24th June, 1876.

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

1. The name of the Company is to be the Morning Light Gold Mining Company (Limited).
2. The place of operations is at Owharua, in the District of Ohinemuri, in the Province of Auckland and Colony of New Zealand.
3. The registered office of the Company will be situated at the office of Thomas Horsbrugh, Brown Street, Thames.
4. The nominal capital of the Company is twelve thousand pounds, in twelve thousand shares of one pound each.
5. The number of shares subscribed for is twelve thousand, being the entire number of shares in the Company.
6. The number of paid-up shares is nil.
7. The amount already paid up is nil.
8. The name of the Manager is Thomas Horsbrugh.
9. The names and addresses and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follow:—

	No. of Shares.
Henry Dalton, Thames, Master Mariner ...	750
Samuel Bawden, Thames, Millowner ...	250
George McCaul, Thames, Plumber ...	500
Matthew Vaughan, Thames, Hotelkeeper ...	750
John Wilson, Thames, Agent ...	250
Thomas Leitch Murray, Thames, Bank Manager ...	500
John Dickson, Ohinemuri, Miner ...	250
Thomas Edmund Arnold, Ohinemuri, Miner ...	250
William Turnbull, Ohinemuri, Miner ...	250
Philip Holes, Ohinemuri, Miner ...	750
David Hogan, Ohinemuri, Miner ...	500
Benjamin Cockshutt Fryer, Ohinemuri, Settler ...	250
William McCloughan, Ohinemuri, Hotelkeeper ...	250
Henry McKay, Ohinemuri, Mining Agent ...	250
John Calder, Ohinemuri, Artist ...	500
Daniel McNeil, Thames, Miner ...	250
James Smyth, Ohinemuri, Miner ...	500
Charles Curtis, Thames, Hotelkeeper ...	250
Elizabeth Jane Adlam, Thames ...	500
William John Hurst, Auckland, Merchant ...	750
David Rickard Gellion, Thames, Mining Agent ...	750
John Harris Rogers Harrison, Auckland, Gentleman ...	500
John Quinn, Rotokuhu, Farmer ...	500
Thomas Horsbrugh, Thames, Mining Agent ...	250
William Charles Wright, Thames, Civil Engineer ...	250
Adam Porter, Ohinemuri, Miner ...	500
James Barrett, Ohinemuri, Miner ...	500
James Atkinson Fryer, Thames, Gentleman ...	250
	12,000

Dated this sixth day of July, 1876.

THOMAS HORSBRUGH,
 Manager.

Witness to signature—W. Fraser, R.M.

I, Thomas Horsbrugh, do solemnly and sincerely declare—

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."

THOMAS HORSBRUGH,
 Manager.

Taken before me at Thames, this sixth day of July, 1876—W. Fraser, R.M. 338

