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*Constituting the Road District of Toe Toes.*

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

**WHEREAS** by the sixth section of the Ordinance of the Superintendent and Provincial Council of the Province of Otago shortly intituled "The Otago Roads Ordinance, 1871," it is enacted, that "if a majority in number of persons on the roll or rolls for the time being in force under 'The Registration of Electors Act, 1866,' or any other Act for the like purpose, shall sign and cause to be presented to the Superintendent a petition in the form in the Second Schedule hereto, or to the like effect, praying him to constitute the portion of the province in which such persons shall reside a road district under this Ordinance, and in such petition shall set forth the boundaries of the portion of the province to which such petition shall refer, it shall be lawful for the Superintendent, if he shall think fit so to do, by Proclamation to constitute such portion of the province a road district by such name as in and by the Proclamation shall be assigned to the same:"

And whereas by the seventh section of "The Abolition of Provinces Act, 1875," it is, among other things, enacted that "all powers, duties, and functions which, immediately before the date of the abolition hereunder of any province, were, under or by virtue of any law not expressly or impliedly repealed or altered hereby, vested in or to be exercised or performed by the Superintendent of such abolished province, either alone or with the advice and consent of or on the recommendation of the Executive or Provincial Council of such province, shall, on the day of the date of the abolition of such province, and for the purposes of the district included within such abolished province, vest in and be exercised and performed by the Governor:"

And whereas the Province of Otago has been abolished under the provisions of "The Abolition of Provinces Act, 1875:"

And whereas a petition in the form in the Second Schedule of "The Otago Roads Ordinance, 1871," or to the like effect, and signed by such number of persons as is required by the sixth section of the said

Ordinance, was, on the second day of March last past, presented to the Governor, praying him to constitute the portion of the Provincial District of Otago described in the Schedule hereto a road district under the said Ordinance:

Now, therefore, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me in that behalf, do hereby constitute and proclaim that portion of the Provincial District of Otago described in the Schedule hereunder written a road district under the said Ordinance by the name of the Toe Toes Road District.

SCHEDULE.

TOE TOES ROAD DISTRICT

COMPRISES all that area bounded towards the North by the Wyndham Survey District; towards the East by the Mokoreta and Otaea Survey Districts; and towards the South and West by the ocean and the Matura River.

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 eleventh day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

DANIEL POLLEN.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Auckland Highways Act, 1874.—Abolishment of Mangapiko District, and creation of two new districts in place thereof.*

(L.S.) NOEMANBY, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by the seventh section of the Act of the Superintendent of the Province of Auckland, with the advice and consent of the Provincial Council thereof, intituled "The Highways Act, 1874," it is enacted, that it shall be lawful for the Superintendent, from time to time, by notification in the Provincial Government Gazette, to divide such portions of the said province, as he may think fit, into districts for the purposes of the Act now in recital, with distinctive names, and to define the boundaries thereof; and in like manner, after due notice to any District Boards affected thereby, and upon hearing any objections offered thereto by any such District Boards, to alter or amend the names and boundaries of or abolish any district, and to create new districts:

And whereas by virtue of "The Abolition of Provinces Act, 1875," all powers, duties, and functions by the said "Highways Act, 1874," vested in or to be exercised or performed by the Superintendent are now vested in and are to be exercised by the Governor:

And whereas there exists in the Provincial District of Auckland a district named the Mangapiko Highway District: And whereas it is expedient to abolish the said district, and to create two new districts in place thereof:

Now, therefore, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of all the powers vested in me in that behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that from and after the date hereof the said Mangapiko Highway District shall be and the same is hereby abolished; and I do hereby further proclaim and create within the Provincial District of Auckland the two districts mentioned in the Schedule hereto, and do declare that the said districts shall have the names mentioned in the first column of the said Schedule, and that the boundaries of such districts shall be those set forth in the second column of the said Schedule opposite the name of each district respectively.

SCHEDULE.

Names of Districts.	Boundaries.
Mangapiko District	<p><b>BOUNDARIES OF THE MANGAPIKO DISTRICT.</b></p> <p>Commencing at the junction of the Waipa River and Heather's Creek, thence East along the southern bank of Heather's Creek, crossing to the north of said creek so as to include Lot 119, Parish of Ngaroto, continuing thence in an easterly direction along the southern boundary of the Tuhikaramea District until it meets the boundary of the Rangiaohia District, at the north-east corner of Lot 381, Parish of Ngaroto; thence by a line bounding the Rangiaohia District in a South by West direction to the Alexandra and Ohaupo Road, thence by a line bounding the Rangiaohia District in a South by East direction to Lake Ngaroto; thence along the western, southern, and part of the eastern shores of the said lake, and thence in a southerly direction by lines bounding the Rangiaohia District to the Puniu River; thence along the north bank of the Puniu River to its junction with the Waipa River, thence</p>

Names of Districts.	Boundaries.
Mangapiko District— <i>continued.</i>	<p>along the eastern bank of the Waipa River to the eastern boundary of the Alexandra Highway District, thence along the eastern and northern boundaries of the Alexandra District to the Waipa River, and thence along the eastern bank of the Waipa River to the starting point.</p>
Tuhikaramea District	<p><b>BOUNDARIES OF TUHIKARAMEA DISTRICT.</b></p> <p>Commencing at the junction of Heather's Creek with the Waipa River, going North along the east bank of the Waipa River to the north-west corner of Lot 101, Tuhikaramea; thence going East along the centre of a road on the north side of Lots 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 129; thence South-easterly along the centre of road bounding Lots 129, 130, 132, 132A, 137, 138, 140, 142, 146A, and part of 147 to the north-west corner of Lot 214; thence East along the northern boundary of Lot 214; thence South along the eastern boundary of Lots 214, 213, 212, 211, 210; thence going East in a straight line on the north side of Lots 314, 325, 326, 339, to its junction with a straight line going South along the west side of Lots 332, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, and part of 340, Parish of Ngaroto, to the north-east corner of Lot 381, Ngaroto; thence in a straight line West along the north boundary of Lots 381, 382, 363, 364, 362, 359; thence South-west along the boundary of Lots 359, 358, 119, to Heather's Creek, thence along the southern bank of Heather's Creek to its junction with the Waipa River.</p>

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 Wellington, this eleventh day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

DANIEL POLLEN.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Proclaiming Gisborne a Borough under "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1876."*

(L.S.) NOEMANBY, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section seventeen of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1876," the Governor is empowered by Proclamation to declare any district in New Zealand to be a borough under the said Act from and after a day to be named in such Proclamation:

Now, therefore, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, Governor of the Colony of

New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the said Act, do hereby proclaim and declare that the district of Gisborne shall be and the same is hereby constituted, as from the twelfth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, a borough under the said Act; and that the name of such borough shall be the Borough of Gisborne, and the boundaries of such borough shall be those specified in the Schedule hereto.

## SCHEDULE.

COMMENCING at the junction of the Taruheru with the Waimata River, thence along the Taruheru River by a line parallel with the said river distant 200 links from its northernmost bank, on the Whataupoko Block, to a point in a straight line with the eastern boundary of Matawhero No. 5 Block; thence by a straight line crossing the Taruheru River bearing  $5^{\circ} 26'$  magnetic-scaled distance 800 links to the willow tree at the eastern boundary of Matawhero No. 5; thence by the said boundary by lines bearing  $5^{\circ} 26'$  magnetic 8869 links, and  $168^{\circ} 44'$  magnetic 398 links to the Waikanae River; thence crossing the said river to the north-western boundary of the Wai-o-hi-a-rore Block; thence by the said boundary between the Wai-o-hi-a-rore and Awapuni Blocks by lines bearing  $321^{\circ} 39'$  magnetic 655 links, and  $297^{\circ} 20'$  magnetic 4622 links, to the sea-coast; thence by the coast line to the mouth of the Waimata River; thence crossing the said river, and extending for a distance of 200 links beyond the east bank of the said river on the Kaiti Block; thence by a line parallel with the Waimata River distant 200 chains from the east bank, to the junction of the Waimata and Taruheru Rivers; thence to the starting point.

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 May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

DANIEL POLLEN.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Town of Lawrence proclaimed a Borough under "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1876."*

(L.S.) NORMANBY, Governor.

## A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by the fifteenth section of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1876," it is enacted that the Governor may, by Proclamation, declare any of the several places specified in the Third Schedule to the said Act in which a Municipal Corporation has been established under the provisions of an Ordinance of the Province of Otago, intituled "The Otago Municipal Corporations Ordinance, 1865," to be a borough constituted under the

said "Municipal Corporations Act, 1876," from a day to be named in such Proclamation: subject, however, to certain conditions in the said section mentioned: And whereas the Town of Lawrence, in the Provincial District of Otago, is one of the places mentioned in the said Third Schedule, and a petition has been presented to His Excellency the Governor by one hundred and ninety of the ratepayers of such town praying him to constitute such town into a borough under the said "Municipal Corporations Act, 1876," and such petition was on the thirtieth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, publicly notified, and no petition from an equal or greater number of such ratepayers was presented to His Excellency within two months after such public notification praying him not to assent to the prayer of such first-mentioned petition:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, in exercise and pursuance of all powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, doth hereby proclaim and declare that from the eleventh day of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, the said Town of Lawrence shall be a Borough constituted under the said "Municipal Corporations Act, 1876," and shall be called the Borough of Lawrence; and that the boundaries of such borough shall be those specified in the Schedule hereto.

## SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Otago, in the Colony of New Zealand, containing by admeasurement six hundred and six (606) acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by Block numbered XIX., Tuapeka East District, seven thousand four hundred and thirty-one (7431) links; towards the East South-east by Block numbered II., Tuapeka East District, six thousand nine hundred and thirteen (6913) links; towards the South South-east by Block numbered II., Tuapeka East District, five thousand nine hundred and forty-five (5945) links; towards the South-west by Block numbered I., Tuapeka East District, four thousand (4000) links; towards the South-east by the said Block numbered I., five hundred (500) links; again towards the South-west by the said Block numbered I., two thousand (2000) links; and towards the North-west by the said Block numbered I., five hundred (500) links; also by Blocks numbered respectively I., and XX., Tuapeka East District, three thousand six hundred and seventy (3670) 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 Wellington, this eleventh day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

DANIEL POLLEN.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Proclaiming Roslyn a Borough under "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1876."*

(L.S.) NORMANBY, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section seventeen of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1876," the Governor is empowered by Proclamation to declare any district in New Zealand to be a borough under the said Act from and after a day to be named in such Proclamation:

Now, therefore, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the said Act, do hereby proclaim and declare that the district of Roslyn shall be and the same is hereby constituted, as from the twelfth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, a borough under the said Act; and that the name of such borough shall be the Borough of Roslyn, and the boundaries of such borough shall be those specified in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area bounded towards the North-west by Sections numbered 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6, Block V., Lower Kaikorai District; towards the South-west by other part of said Section 1, Block V.; again towards the North-west by Sections numbered 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, and 17, Block IV., and Section numbered 10, Block III., Upper Kaikorai District; towards the North-east by Sections numbered 3, 5, and 7, Block III., and Section 5, Block I., Upper Kaikorai District; towards the South-east by the Dunedin Town Belt; and towards the South-west by Section 86, Block VI., Town District, and by a straight line from the North-eastern corner of said Section 86 to the South-western corner of Section numbered 6, Block V., Lower Kaikorai District, being the starting point.

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 May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

DANIEL POLLEN.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Town of Tapanui proclaimed a Borough under "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1876."*

(L.S.) NORMANBY, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by the fifteenth section of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1876," it is enacted that the Governor may, by Proclamation, declare any of the several places specified in the Third Schedule to the said Act in which a Municipal

Corporation has been established under the provisions of an Ordinance of the Province of Otago intituled "The Otago Municipal Corporations Ordinance, 1865," to be a borough constituted under the said "Municipal Corporations Act, 1876," from a day to be named in such Proclamation: subject, however, to certain conditions in the said section mentioned: And whereas the Town of Tapanui, in the Provincial District of Otago, is one of the places specified in the said Third Schedule, and a petition has been presented to His Excellency the Governor by fifty-one of the ratepayers of such town praying him to constitute such town into a borough under the said "Municipal Corporations Act, 1876," and such petition was on the seventh day of March, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, publicly notified, and no petition from an equal or greater number of such ratepayers was presented to His Excellency within two months after such public notification praying him not to assent to the prayer of such first-mentioned petition:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, in exercise and pursuance of all powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, doth hereby proclaim and declare that from the twelfth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, the said Town of Tapanui shall be a borough constituted under the said "Municipal Corporations Act, 1876," and shall be called the Borough of Tapanui; and that the boundaries of such borough shall be those specified in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Otago, containing by admeasurement seventy (70) acres, more or less. Bounded by a line commencing at the south-western angle of Section 16, Block XIII., Glenkenich District, and proceeding in an Easterly direction along the southern boundaries of Sections 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, and 22, Block XIII., and Section 3, Block IV., Glenkenich District, four thousand and eighty (4080) links; thence in a Southerly direction along the western boundary of Section 1, Block IX., Glenkenich District, and across road line, two thousand two hundred and four (2204) links; thence in a South-westerly direction along the boundary of the said Section 1, two hundred and seventeen (217) links; thence in a West-north-westerly direction across road line and along the boundary of Section 23 of the said Block XIII., one thousand three hundred and eighty (1380) links; thence in a North-westerly direction along the boundary of Section 63, one hundred and twelve (112) links; thence in a North-westerly direction along the boundary of the said Section 63, one thousand four hundred and seventy-seven (1477) links; thence in a Westerly direction along the boundaries of Sections 63 and 24 of the said Block XIII., one thousand three hundred and seventeen (1317) links; thence in a Northerly direction along the eastern boundaries of Sections 24 and 15 of the said Block XIII., one thousand four hundred (1400) links, to the starting point.

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 May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

DANIEL POLLEN.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Proclaiming Mornington a Borough under "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1876."*

(L.S.) NORMANBY, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section seventeen of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1876," the Governor is empowered by Proclamation to declare any district in New Zealand to be a borough under the said Act from and after a day to be named in such Proclamation:

Now, therefore, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the said Act, do hereby proclaim and declare that the Mornington Road District shall be and the same is hereby constituted, as from the twelfth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, a borough under the said Act; and that the name of such borough shall be the Borough of Mornington, and the boundaries of such borough shall be those specified in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area bounded towards the North-west by Lower Kaikorai Survey District; towards the South by Sections 42, 41, 38, 37, 34, 33, 31, 30, 27, 26, 23, 22, 19, 18, 11, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, and 5, Block VI., Town Survey District, to Section 4, Block VI., Town Survey District; thence towards the South-west by Section 5, Block VI., Town Survey District, to the middle of the Main South Road; thence towards the South by the middle of the Main South Road to the Dunedin Town Belt; towards the East by the Dunedin Town Belt; and towards the North-east by the boundary line between Sections 86 and 87, Block VI., Town District, and a continuation of that line to the southern angle of Section 6, Block V., Lower Kaikorai Survey District.

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 May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

DANIEL POLLEN.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Reservation of Lands for the purpose of granting them to the Corporation of the Borough of Lyttelton.*

NORMANBY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eleventh day of May, 1877.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the three hundred and fiftieth section of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1876," and upon the request of the Corporation of the Borough of Lyttelton, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony of New Zealand, doth hereby order that the lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same are hereby reserved out of the waste lands in the Provincial District of Canterbury for the purpose of granting the same to the Corporation of the Borough of Lyttelton aforesaid.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 400 acres, more or less, being Section No. 2180 (in red), situate in the Ashburton District. Bounded on the North-eastward by Section 26928; on the South-eastward by the road south-east of that section; on the South-west by the continuation of the road south-west of Section 26710; and on the North-west by a line at right-angles to the south-west boundary: so as to contain the above quantity.

All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 1250 acres, more or less, being Section No. 2181 (in red), situate in the Ashburton District. Bounded on the North-eastward by the road south-west of Section No. 27303; on the North-west by a line at right-angles to the north-east boundary drawn from the junction of aforesaid road with road south of Reserve No. 1013 (in red); on the South-eastward by a line parallel to the north-west boundary drawn from the intersection of the south-west side of first-mentioned road by the north-west boundary of Improvement Pre-emptive Right H., on Run No. 117, Class 3; and on the South-west by a line at right-angles to the south-east boundary: so as to contain the above quantity.

FORSTER GORING,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Reservation of Lands for the purpose of granting them to the Corporation of the Borough of Christchurch.*

NORMANBY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eleventh day of May, 1877.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the three hundred and fiftieth section of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1876," and upon the request of the Corporation of the Borough of Christchurch, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony of New Zealand, doth hereby order that the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby reserved out of the waste lands in the Provincial District of Canter-

bury, for the purpose of granting the same to the Corporation of the Borough of Christchurch aforesaid.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the District of Timaru, containing by admeasurement one thousand five hundred and ten (1510) acres, more or less, being Section numbered 2173 (in red). Bounded on the Southward by the River Kakahu and Section 24193; on the Westward by Sections 20581, 22481, 25139, and 25140, also by a line in continuation of the eastern boundary of the latter section; on the Eastward by Section 24193, also by a line parallel to the eastern boundary of Section 25140 drawn from the northernmost corner of said Section 24193; and on the Northward by Section 22481, also by a line at right angles to the western boundary, to include the required quantity. Save and except that portion of Section 27134 which is included within the above described boundaries.

All that parcel of land in the District of Timaru, containing by admeasurement seventy-five (75) acres, more or less, being Section numbered 2174 (in red). Bounded on the Eastward by Reserve 2173 (in red); on the Southward by Sections 20582, 19980, and 25140; on the Westward by Section 24406, and a line in continuation of the eastern boundary thereof; and on the Northward by a line parallel to the southern boundary drawn from the point where the western boundary of this reserve meets the southern boundary of Improvement Pre-emptive Right D, on Run 548, Class 3.

All that parcel of land in the District of Timaru, containing by admeasurement fifty-four (54) acres, more or less, being Section numbered 2175 (in red). Bounded on the Southward by Reserve 2174 (in red); on the Eastward by Reserve 2173 (in red); on the Northward by a line in continuation of the northern boundary of the latter reserve; and on the Westward by a line parallel to the eastern boundary drawn through the south-eastern corner of Improvement Pre-emptive Right D, on Run 548, Class 3.

All that parcel of land in the District of Timaru, containing by admeasurement thirty (30) acres, more or less, being Section numbered 2176 (in red). Bounded on the Eastward by Reserve 2175 (in red); on the Northward by a line in continuation of the northern boundary of that reserve; on the Westward by Section 24405, and a line in continuation of the eastern boundary of said section; and on the Southward by a line at right angles to the western boundary drawn through the north-eastern corner of Improvement Pre-emptive Right on Run 548, Class 3.

All that parcel of land in the District of Timaru, containing by admeasurement two hundred and fifty (250) acres, more or less, being Section numbered 2177 (in red). Bounded on the Westward by Reserve 2173 (in red); on the Northward by the road south of Section 27134; on the Eastward by the road running through Section 7012; and on the Southward by Sections 7012 and 2527, also by a line in continuation of the northern boundary of the latter section. Save and except Sections 7241 and 15450, which are included within the above described boundaries.

All that parcel of land in the District of Timaru, containing by admeasurement twenty-five (25) acres, more or less, being Section numbered 2178 (in red). Bounded on the Westward by Section 27134; on the South-westward and South-eastward by the continuation of the road south of Section 27134; and on the North-eastward by the road north-east of that section.

All that parcel of land in the District of Timaru,

containing by admeasurement fifty-six (56) acres, more or less, being Section numbered 2179 (in red). Bounded on the Westward by Reserve 2173 (in red); on the South-westward by the road north-east of Section 27134; and on the North-eastward by a line at right angles to the general direction of the above-mentioned road, to include the required quantity.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Reservation of Land for the purpose of granting it to the Corporation of the Borough of Oamaru.*

NORMANBY, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eleventh day of May, 1877.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the three hundred and fiftieth section of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1876," and upon the request of the Borough of Oamaru, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony of New Zealand, doth hereby order that the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby reserved out of the waste lands of the Provincial District of Otago for the purpose of granting the same to the Corporation of the Borough of Oamaru.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Otago, in the Colony of New Zealand, containing by admeasurement two hundred and twenty-eight (228) acres and two (2) roods, more or less, situate in the Awamoko District, being Section numbered thirty (30), Block three (3), on the map of the said district. Bounded towards the North and North-east by the Waitaki River, thirteen thousand two hundred and fifty (13250) links; towards the East by a road line, eight hundred and sixty (860) links; towards the South-west by Sections numbered respectively 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, and 24, eleven thousand four hundred and thirty-nine (11439) links; and towards the West by Block numbered 4, Maruwenua District, two thousand six hundred and sixty (2660) links, and intersected by a road line one hundred (100) links wide.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Vesting reserve in the Waimate County Council.*

NORMANBY, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eleventh day of May, 1877.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

BY virtue of the powers and authorities vested in me by the one hundred and ninety-second section of "The Counties Act, 1876," I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, do hereby order that the control of the reserve made for public purposes situate in the County of Waimate, and described in the Schedule hereto, shall vest and the same is hereby vested in the County Council of the said County of Waimate.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 10 acres, more or less, being Section numbered 1647 (in red), situated in the Town of Waimate, having 10 chains frontage to the south-eastern side of Queen Street, and extending south-easterly 10 chains in a rectangular block; the north-west corner of the above described land is situated at the angle of the street about 17 chains south-west of the westernmost corner of Reserve No. 1582 (in red).

All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 10 acres, more or less, being Section numbered 1648 (in red), situated in the Town of Waimate, having 10 chains frontage to the south-eastern side of Queen Street, and extending south-easterly 10 chains in a rectangular block south-west of and adjoining Reserve No. 1647 (in red).

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Amended Regulations as to Leases in Township of Ross.*

NORMANBY, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eleventh day of May, 1877.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Gold Fields Act, 1874," it is enacted, that notwithstanding anything contained in "The Gold Fields Act, 1866," it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, under regulations to be made in that behalf from time to time, to grant to any occupant of land under business license in the Township of Ross, in the Province of Westland, who has improved such land to the satisfaction of the Warden of the district, a lease, for any term not exceeding twenty-one years, of the surface of such land, at such rates of payment for rent, and under such restrictions as to the use thereof, as he may think necessary; and such lease shall entitle the holder thereof to all the rights and privileges now enjoyed by holders of business licenses:

And whereas by virtue of the aforesaid enactment His Excellency the Governor, by Order in Council, on the fifth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, did prescribe certain Regulations under which leases might be granted to occupants of land under business licenses in the Township of Ross, in the Provincial District of Westland, who had improved such land to the satisfaction of the Warden of the district, and by the ninth of the aforesaid Regulations the annual rental for each section was fixed at the sum of twenty shillings per annum, payable in advance:

And whereas it is expedient to reduce the amount of such annual rental for each section, and for that purpose it is requisite that the aforesaid ninth Regulation should be revoked, and a fresh Regulation should be made in lieu thereof:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, in exercise of all powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, doth hereby, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the colony, revoke the aforesaid ninth Regulation annexed to the hereinbefore recited Order in Council of the fifth day of January, 1875, and in lieu and instead of the same doth hereby make the Regulation set forth hereunder:—

REGULATION.

The annual rental for each section shall be the sum of ten shillings per annum, payable in advance.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Appointment of Resident Magistrates' Courts for Ridings in the Counties of Vincent and Lake, pursuant to 47th Section of "The Counties Act, 1876."*

NORMANBY, Governor.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by the forty-seventh section of "The Counties Act, 1876," I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the Resident Magistrates' Courts named in the first column of the Schedule hereto to be the Resident Magistrates' Courts for the ridings in the Vincent and Lake Counties named in and set opposite to such Courts respectively in the second column of the said Schedule, to which any person who considers himself aggrieved by his own name or that of any other person being entered on or omitted from the roll of such ridings respectively, or by the number of votes allotted to him or to any other person thereon being more or fewer than that to which he or such other person is entitled under the said Act, may apply for relief.

SCHEDULE.

Names of Resident Magistrates' Courts.	Names of Ridings.
The Resident Magistrate's Court, Cromwell	For the Ridings of Hawea and Kawarau, Vincent County.
The Resident Magistrate's Court, Clyde	For the Ridings of Nevis and Earnsleugh, Vincent County.
The Resident Magistrate's Court, Black's	For the Ridings of Manuherikia and Matakani, Vincent County.
The Resident Magistrate's Court, Queenstown	For the Ridings of Greenstone, Shotover, Queenstown, and Kingston, Lake County.
The Resident Magistrate's Court, Arrow	For the Ridings of Arrow, Cardrona, and Matukituki, Lake County.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twelfth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

DANIEL POLLEN.

*Establishment of a Public Pound and appointment of Poundkeeper in the Town of Oamaru.*

NORMANBY, Governor.

IN pursuance of the powers vested in me by an Ordinance of the Province of Otago intituled "The Impounding Ordinance, 1872," and by "The Abolition of Provinces Act, 1875," I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the place described in the Schedule hereto to be a Public Pound under the said Ordinance; and do further appoint Mr. JOHN GRAY, of Oamaru, in the Provincial District of Otago, to be the Keeper of such pound.

SCHEDULE.

OAMARU POUND.

ALL that area in the town of Oamaru, containing by admeasurement two roods and twenty-two poles, more or less, being part of "Reserve for Public

Gardens." Bounded towards the North and East by Chelmer Street and Cross Lane, and towards the South-west by a lagoon.

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 twelfth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

DANIEL POLLEN.

*Judge of Assessment Court appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 10th May, 1877.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HARRY EYRE KENNY, Esq.,

to be Judge of the Assessment Court for the Township of Inglewood.

DANIEL POLLEN.

*Trustee for Oamaru Municipal Sinking Fund appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 11th May, 1877.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased, in terms of "The Otago Municipal Corporations Ordinance, 1865," to appoint

WILLIAM JUKES STEWARD, Esq.,

a Trustee of the Oamaru Municipal Sinking Fund, vice John Stubbs Wait, Esq., resigned.

DANIEL POLLEN.

*Corporation of Alexandra to manage Alexandra Cemetery Reserve.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 11th May 1877.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the Corporation of the Town of Alexandra to manage the Alexandra Cemetery Reserve, in terms of "The Otago Cemetery Reserves Management Ordinance 1864 Amendment Ordinance, 1875."

DANIEL POLLEN.

*Members of Ellesmere and Forsyth Reclamation and Akaroa Railway Trust nominated.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 12th May, 1877.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased, under the provisions of section 5 of "The

Ellesmere and Forsyth Reclamation and Akaroa Railway Trust Act, 1876," to nominate

AARON FRANKISH, Esq., J.P., and  
JOHN RENNIE, Esq.,

to be Members of the Trust.

His Excellency has further been pleased to appoint

The Resident Magistrate's Court, at Akaroa, as the place, and Tuesday, the 22nd day of May next, at the hour of noon, as the time for the first meeting of the Trust.

DANIEL POLLEN.

*Election of Members of the Ellesmere and Forsyth Reclamation and Akaroa Railway Trust.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 12th May, 1877.

IT is hereby notified, that under the provisions of "The Ellesmere and Forsyth Reclamation and Akaroa Railway Trust Act, 1876," the following gentlemen have been elected to represent the Trust for the districts set opposite their names respectively, viz. :—

Names.	Districts.
James Dalgleish and George Russell	
Joblin ... ..	Borough of Akaroa.
Edward Circuit Latter and John Bell ...	Akaroa and Wainui.
John Gebbie and Thomas Parkinson	
Hodgson ... ..	Little River.
George John Murray and Arthur Pyne	
O'Callaghan ... ..	The Springs.

DANIEL POLLEN.

*Friendly Society registered.*

IN the matter of "The Friendly Societies Act, 1867," notice is hereby given that a transcript of the Rules and Regulations of

"The Primitive Methodist United Aid Society, No. 1, of New Zealand,"

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

Dated the 12th day of May, 1877.

G. S. COOPER,  
(for the Registrar).

*Member of House of Representatives elected.*

Clerk of the Writs Office,  
Wellington, 12th May, 1877.

THE Clerk of the Writs has received a return to the Writ issued by him on the 29th day of March, 1877, for the election of a Member to serve in the House of Representatives for the Electoral District hereinafter specified; and by the indorsement on such Writ it appears that the under-mentioned gentleman has been duly elected Member for such district, viz. :—

For the District of Totara.

WILLIAM GISBORNE.

G. S. COOPER,  
Clerk of the Writs.