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Proclaiming North-East Valley 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 that portion of the district of North-East Valley described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby constituted, as from the twenty-fifth day of October, 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 North-East Valley, and the boundaries of such borough shall be those specified in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Provincial District of Otago, in the Colony of New Zealand, bounded towards the North-west by a line commencing at a point twenty-five (25) links distant from the north-eastern corner and in a direct line with the north-eastern boundary of Section numbered sixty-eight (68), Block eleven (XI.), North Harbour and Blueskin Survey District, and running along the centre of a road between said Block eleven (XI.) and Block eight (VIII.), North Harbour and Blueskin Survey District, seventeen thousand one hundred (17100) links; thence towards the South-west by a road line twenty-five (25) links; thence again towards the North-west by Section numbered fifty-one (51), Block eight (VIII.), North Harbour and Blueskin Survey District, one thousand five hundred and twenty (1520) links; thence towards the North-east by Section numbered sixty-two (62), said Block eight (VIII.), North Harbour and

Blueskin Survey District, three thousand one hundred and thirty (3130) links; thence again towards the North-west by said Section numbered sixty-two (62), one thousand seven hundred and thirty-two (1732) links; thence again towards the North-east by Section numbered forty-eight (48), Block eight (VIII.), North Harbour and Blueskin Survey District, one thousand nine hundred and forty-four (1944) links; thence again towards the North-west by said Section numbered forty-eight (48), seven hundred and seven (707) links; thence again towards the North-east by said Section numbered forty-eight (48) and Section numbered forty-two (42), Block seven (VII.), North Harbour and Blueskin Survey District, three thousand five hundred and seventy (3570) links; thence towards the South-east by a road line, two hundred (200) links; thence again towards the North-east by a road line and Section numbered eighty-five (85), North-East Valley District, one thousand five hundred and fifty (1550) links; thence again towards the South-east by a road line, three hundred (300) links; thence again towards the North-east by a road line and Section numbered eighty-four (84), North-East Valley District, two thousand and ten (2010) links; also by a production of the south-western boundary line of said Section numbered eighty-four (84), through Section numbered thirty-three (33), Block nine (IX.), North Harbour and Blueskin Survey District, two thousand four hundred (2400) links; thence again towards the South-east by Section numbered two of four (2 of 4), Block nine (IX.), North Harbour and Blueskin Survey District, eight hundred and five (805) links; thence again towards the North-east by said Section numbered two of four (2 of 4), one thousand four hundred and four (1404) links; thence again towards the South-east by a right line to Trig. Station E, North Harbour and Blueskin Survey District, twelve thousand three hundred and eighty (12380) links, and by another right line from said Trig. Station E to a point on the northern boundary of Section numbered fifty-two (52), Block nine (IX.), North Harbour and Blueskin Survey District, twelve thousand two hundred and fifty (12250) links; thence towards the South-west by said Sec-

tion numbered fifty-two (52), to Pelichet Bay, one thousand and ninety (1090) links; thence towards the West by Pelichet Bay, one thousand three hundred (1300) links; thence towards the North-west by the Town Belt of Dunedin, two thousand five hundred (2500) links; thence again towards the South-west by said Town Belt of Dunedin, eight thousand five hundred and fifty (8550) links, and also by Sections numbered respectively one (1), two (2), three (3), and four (4), Block eight (VIII.), Upper Kaikorai District, one thousand six hundred and fifty (1650) links; thence again towards the North-west by a road line, and by a right line to and along the north-western boundary of Section numbered six (6), Block ten (X.), North Harbour and Blueskin Survey District, four thousand six hundred (4600) links; thence again towards the North-west by Section numbered five (5), said Block ten (X.), one thousand four hundred and thirty-four (1434) links; thence again towards the North-west by Section numbered sixty-seven (67), Block eleven (XI.), North Harbour and Blueskin Survey District, one thousand six hundred and fifty-four (1654) links; and thence again towards the South-west by Section numbered sixty-seven (67), a road line, Section numbered sixty-eight (68), and part of a road line, four thousand nine hundred and four (4904) links, to the starting point; be all the aforesaid linkages more or less, as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan deposited in the Survey Office, Dunedin.

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 Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-fifth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

G. S. WHITMORE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Town of Milton 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 Milton, 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 sixty-two 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 twenty-fourth day of August, 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 twenty-fifth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, the said Town of Milton shall be a borough constituted under the said "Municipal Corporations Act, 1876," and shall be called the Borough of Milton; and that the boundaries of such borough shall be those specified in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Provincial District of Otago, containing by admeasurement one hundred and eighty-three (183) acres three (3) roods thirty-one (31) perches, more or less, being Sections numbered respectively one hundred and thirty-four (134), one hundred and thirty-five (135), and one hundred and thirty-seven (137), Block seventeen (XVII.), Tokomairiro Survey District; and parts of Sections numbered respectively one hundred and thirty (130), one hundred and thirty-one (131), and one hundred and thirty-two (132), Block sixteen (XVI.), Tokomairiro Survey District, together with part of Section numbered one hundred and two (102), Block twelve (XII.), of the said district. Bounded towards the North-west by a line commencing at the western corner of section one hundred and thirty-four (134), Block seventeen (XVII.), Tokomairiro District, proceeding in a north-easterly direction along the Main South Road one thousand and three (1003) links; thence crossing the Main South Road at a right angle in a north-westerly direction to a point two hundred and fourteen (214) links distant from the north-western side of the Main South Road; thence at a right angle in a north-easterly direction two hundred and thirty-five (235) links; thence at a right-angle in a north-westerly direction three hundred and forty-six (346) links; thence at a right angle in a north-easterly direction one thousand six hundred and sixty-two (1662) links; thence at a right angle in a south-easterly direction three hundred and ten (310) links to a point two hundred and fifty (250) links distant from the Main South Road; and thence at a right angle in a north-easterly direction across Sections one hundred and thirty-one (131) and one hundred and thirty (130), Block sixteen (XVI.), three thousand and thirty (3030) links; thence crossing the District Road in the same direction to Section one hundred and two (102), Block twelve (XII.), sixty (60) links; thence at a right angle along the north-eastern boundary of the said road line in a north-westerly direction three hundred (300) links; thence at a right angle in a north-easterly direction across Section one hundred and two (102), Block twelve (XII.), one thousand five hundred (1500) links; thence at a right angle in a south-easterly direction five hundred and fifty (550) links to the Main South Road; thence in a south-westerly direction along the Main South Road, crossing the District Road, to the eastern corner of Section one hundred and thirty (130), Block sixteen (XVI.), one thousand five hundred and sixty (1560) links; thence crossing the Main South Road at a right angle to the northern

corner of Section one hundred and thirty-five (135), Block seventeen (XVII.); thence along the north-east boundary of the said Section numbered one hundred and thirty-five (135) two thousand one hundred and seventy (2170) links to Section one hundred and thirty-six (136); thence along the north-western boundary of Section one hundred and thirty-six (136) to Section one hundred and thirty-seven (137) two thousand six hundred (2600) links; thence along the north-eastern boundary of Section one hundred and thirty-seven (137) in a south-easterly direction eight hundred and seventy-five (875) links to Section one hundred and thirty-eight (138); thence along the north-western boundary of Section one hundred and thirty-eight (138) to a district road line along Tokomairiro River bank four thousand four hundred and fifty (4450) links; thence in a north-western direction along the said road line four thousand five hundred (4500) 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 Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-fifth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

G. S. WHITMORE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Delegation of Governor's Powers under "The Public Domains Act, 1860."

NORMANBY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-third day of October, 1877.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the eleventh section of "The Public Domains Act, 1860," it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, by Order in Council, delegate all or any of the powers thereby conferred upon him to any person for any period, and subject to such stipulations as may be specified in such order, and that every such delegation may from time to time in like manner be altered or revoked: And whereas it is enacted by "The Public Domains Act Amendment Act, 1865," that the word "person" in the said eleventh section of the said Act shall be deemed to include more persons than one: And whereas by the second section of "The Auckland Military Reserves Act, 1871," it is declared that all the land mentioned or described in the First Schedule to the said Act is subject to the provisions of "The Public Domains Act, 1860," and "The Public Domains Act Amendment Act, 1865:"

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, doth by this present order revoke the dele-

gation under the said "Public Domains Act, 1860," contained in preceding Orders in Council, and doth in like manner by this present order delegate, in respect of lands contained in the Schedules to the last said Act, and "The Auckland Military Reserves Act, 1871," respectively, all the powers conferred by the said Act, except the powers under subsections two, five, and ten of section five, and under section eleven, to the under-mentioned persons:—

Francis Dart Fenton, Esquire;
Theophilus Heale, Esquire;
George Manners Mitford, Esquire;
George Burgoyne Owen, Esquire;
His Worship the Mayor of the City of Auckland;
His Worship the Mayor of the Borough of Parnell;
The Chairman of the Highway District Board, Newmarket;
The Chairman of the Highway District Board, Newton;
The Chairman of the Highway District Board, Ponsonby and or Dedwood;
The Chairman of the Highway District Board, Grafton Road;
The Chairman of the Highway District Board, Karangahape Road;

subject to the stipulations hereinafter contained:—

1. None of the powers delegated shall be exercised in respect of any land in the actual occupation of the Governor, except at his instance or request, nor in respect of any buildings situate on the land described in the First Schedule to "The Auckland Military Reserves Act, 1871," except at the instance and request of the Colonial Government; and in respect of any land mentioned in section three of the Schedule to "The Public Domains Act, 1860," and in the Schedule to "The Public Domains Acts Extension Act, 1868."

2. The Board shall meet at such times and places as shall be from time to time appointed by the Chairman, or shall be convened by him.

3. The Board shall keep proper minutes and records of its proceedings, and separate minutes and accounts shall be kept in respect of the lands described in the First Schedule to "The Auckland Military Reserves Act, 1871." Yearly reports shall be sent to the Colonial Government.

4. Three members of the Board shall form a quorum.

5. All questions shall be determined by a majority of the members of the Board present at a meeting. The Chairman shall have a casting as well as an original vote.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

District of Kaikoura not to be an infected district under "The Diseased Cattle Act, 1871."

NORMANBY, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-third day of October, 1877.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

BY virtue of the powers and authorities vested in me by "The Diseased Cattle Act, 1871," and of every other power and authority in that behalf me enabling, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, do hereby annul a certain Proclamation proclaiming the District of Kaikoura to be an infected district under "The

Diseased Cattle Act, 1861," made by the Superintendent of the Province of Marlborough, acting under delegated powers, and which Proclamation is dated the fourteenth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, and is published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twenty-third day of September, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, page five hundred and twenty-eight.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

License to practise Anatomy.

NORMANBY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-third day of October, 1877.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the fourth section of "The Anatomy Act, 1875" (hereinafter called the said Act), it is, amongst other things, enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council to grant a license to practise anatomy to any legally-qualified medical practitioner who shall be engaged at a School of Anatomy, established under the said Act, as a teacher of medicine in such school, on application from any such person for such purpose, countersigned by two Justices of the Peace acting for the district at or nearest which such person resides, certifying to their knowledge or belief that such person so applying is about to carry on the practice of anatomy; and it is enacted that every such license shall state the school at which it shall be lawful for the licensee to practise anatomy: And whereas there has been established a School of Anatomy at Dunedin in connection with the University of Otago: And whereas John Halliday Scott, a legally-qualified medical practitioner, engaged at the said School of Anatomy at Dunedin, has made application for a license to practise anatomy, and has complied with the provisions of the above recited section of the said Act:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the colony, in exercise and in pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by the said Act, doth hereby license and authorize

JOHN HALLIDAY SCOTT, M.D., Edin., M.R.C.S.E., to practise anatomy at the School of Anatomy in connection with the University of Otago.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Auckland Harbour Board By-law approved.

NORMANBY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-third day of October, 1877.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Auckland Harbour Board, acting under delegated powers, has made the by-law contained at the foot hereof; and it is expedient to approve of the same: Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of all powers and authorities vested in me by "The Marine Act, 1867," and "The Harbour Boards Act, 1870," or either of them, I

George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of New Zealand, do hereby, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the colony, approve of the following by-law made by the Auckland Harbour Board.

In pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in the Auckland Harbour Board the said Board do hereby make the following by-law:—

1. This by-law shall come into operation and take effect on and after the 1st day of November, 1877.

2. It shall not be lawful for any person to moor, anchor, or leave or suffer to remain in any part of the Port of Auckland, any timber, except in such places as may be from time to time set apart by the Auckland Harbour Board for such purpose.

3. The word "timber" in this by-law shall include and mean any raft of sawn timber, round or square piles, spars, balk timber, and any other floating article not propelled by sails, oars, or steam.

4. It shall not be lawful for any person to moor or anchor any boat or vessel in any of the places set apart for mooring such timber as aforesaid.

5. For the present purpose of this by-law, and subject to such alteration as the Harbour Board may hereafter make, the said Board hereby set apart as places for mooring timber all that portion of Freeman's Bay westward of a line drawn from the Blockhouse to Acheron Point up to a distance of one chain's length from the shore or high watermark; all that portion of Mechanics' Bay intake westward of a line drawn from a white post on the sea-wall to another white post on the railway embankment up to a distance of half a chain's length from the shore or high watermark; all that portion of the foreshore on the North Shore of Auckland Harbour within a line drawn due south from the old Magazine site to the Sandspit, and thence due west to Depot Point.

6. All timber brought into the Port of Auckland shall, within twelve hours after arrival, unless prevented by stress of weather, be branded or marked in a legible and distinctive manner, so that the owner or person responsible for its care may be known, and shall be moored in the places aforesaid, or such other places as may be substituted therefor.

7. Any person offending against any or either of the provisions of this by-law, or failing or neglecting to comply with the provisions hereof, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding five pounds, in addition to any sum of money, costs and charges, and rent which may be incurred under this by-law.

8. It shall be lawful for the Harbourmaster, or any person acting under his authority, to take charge of, and thereafter moor in any of the places provided for keeping timber, any timber not in actual transit which may be found in such prohibited part of the Port of Auckland, and retain and keep the same until all costs and charges incurred in relation thereto shall be paid.

9. It shall not be lawful for any person to remove any timber so taken charge of and impounded until all charges upon the same are fully paid.

10. It shall be lawful for the Harbourmaster, in addition to any sum of money which he may have paid or expenses which he may have been put to for taking charge of and mooring such timber, or which may be a reasonable charge if done by his own boat's crew, to demand and receive the sum of threepence per week for every fractional part of such timber as may have been taken charge of as aforesaid, and the said Harbourmaster shall duly account to the said Board for all moneys so coming into his hands.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Regulations under "The Stamp Fee Act, 1865."

NORMANBY, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this
twenty-third day of October, 1877.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Stamp Act, 1875," and "The Stamp Fee Act, 1875," the Governor is empowered by Order in Council to make regulations not inconsistent with the provisions of the said Acts for the conduct of all persons concerned in the administration of the said Acts, and generally for carrying the same into effect:

And whereas it is expedient to make special provision for allowance for spoiled stamps used in payment of fees under the Land Transfer Act:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony, in pursuance and exercise of the above-recited power and authority, doth hereby make the regulations hereinafter contained, that is to say,—

If it shall be made to appear to the Commissioner or a Deputy Commissioner of Stamps, by the certificate of any District Land Registrar, that stamps in respect of which allowance is claimed have been used in payment of fees under the Land Transfer Act, and that the claimant is entitled to a refund of such fees, or of any portion thereof, it shall be lawful for the Commissioner or a Deputy Commissioner to make such allowance without further evidence.

Such allowance, subject to the usual deduction at the rate of two and a half per cent., shall be made by order on the Treasury at any time upon production of the certificate aforesaid.

The Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner shall dispense with the surrender of any document to which such stamps are affixed, if the District Land Registrar shall certify that such document is in his custody, and that it is necessary that the same should be retained as a record of his office: Provided that such stamped document shall be produced for the satisfaction of the Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner, and the stamp or stamps thereon shall be by him cancelled and obliterated.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Alteration of Boundaries of Coromandel Highway District.

NORMANBY, Governor.

UNDER and in pursuance of the powers vested in me by the Act of the Provincial Council of Auckland intituled "The Highways Act, 1874," and "The Abolition of Provinces Act, 1875," I do hereby notify that from and after the date hereof the boundaries of the Coromandel Highway District shall be those set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

COMMENCING at high watermark at a point three (3) chains north of a road and track leading from Coromandel to Whangapoa. Bounded towards the South and South-west by a line running parallel thereto three chains from the said road and track leading from Coromandel to Whangapoa; thence to the Waite-kuri Creek, following the course of said creek to the sea; towards the East by high watermark to a point three chains on the northern side of the mouth of the Harataunga River (Kennedy Bay); towards the North by a direct line from high watermark on

the East Coast to high watermark on the West Coast to the mouth of the Paparoa Creek; and towards the West by high watermark to the point of commencement.

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

G. S. WHITMORE,

Conditions for Trout Fishing in River Waihopai, Southland.

NORMANBY, Governor.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by "The Salmon and Trout Act, 1867," His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand doth hereby make the following regulations for the District of Southland:—

REGULATIONS.

1. These regulations shall come into force on the first day of November, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

2. Any holder of a license, as hereinafter mentioned, may fish with rod and line for trout in the River Waihopai from the first day of November next until the thirty-first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

3. Licenses to fish with rod and line in the said river will be issued under the hand of the Secretary to the Southland Acclimatisation Society at Invercargill, and for every license a fee of twenty shillings will be charged.

4. No license shall authorise any person other than the person named therein to fish, and that only with rod and line.

5. Any person fishing without a license, or any person who shall on demand of any person holding and showing a license, or on the demand of any police officer or constable, fail to produce and show to such person, police officer, or constable his license, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds.

6. All trout not exceeding seven inches in length taken by any person fishing as aforesaid shall be immediately returned alive to the said river, and any person convicted of infringing this regulation shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds sterling, and his license shall thereupon become void.

7. Except as aforesaid, no person shall fish or use any net or other engine, instrument, or device for taking fish in any river or stream within the Counties of Fiord, Wallace, and Southland, and all persons offending against this regulation shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds.

8. Any person who puts, throws, or places, or allows to be put, thrown, or placed into any river or stream in the said Counties of Fiord, Wallace, and Southland, any dynamite or other explosive substance, or any matter or liquid deleterious to fish, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds.

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

G. S. WHITMORE.

Reservation of Land in the Provincial District of Canterbury.

NORMANBY, Governor.

IN pursuance of the power and authority in me vested in this behalf by the Canterbury Land Regulations, and "The Waste Lands Administration Act, 1876," I hereby reserve the land in the

Provincial District of Canterbury, the boundaries whereof are described in the Schedule hereunto annexed, and for the purposes in the said Schedule specified.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Provincial District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement twenty-four (24) acres, more or less, being Section numbered two thousand two hundred and thirty-two (2232) (in red). Bounded towards the North-east by Section numbered twenty-nine thousand four hundred and three (29403) for a distance of ten (10) chains; towards the North-west by Crown lands for a distance of twenty-four (24) chains; towards the South-west by Crown lands for a distance of ten (10) chains; and towards the South-east by Crown lands for a distance of twenty-four (24) chains; as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the Provincial District Survey Office, Christchurch. For a gravel reserve.

All that area in the Provincial District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement five (5) acres, more or less, being Section numbered two thousand two hundred and thirty-three (2233) (in red). Bounded towards the North-east by Section number twenty-one thousand five hundred and fifteen (21515) for a distance of ten (10) chains; towards the North-west by a road line for a distance of five (5) chains; towards the South-east by Crown lands for a distance of five (5) chains; and towards the South-west by Crown lands for a distance of ten (10) chains; as the same is delineated on the plans deposited in the Provincial District Survey Office, Christchurch. For a gravel pit.

All that area in the Provincial District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement five (5) acres, more or less, being Section numbered two thousand two hundred and thirty-four (2234) (in red). Bounded towards the West by a road line for a distance of five (5) chains; towards the North by Crown land for a distance of ten (10) chains; towards the East by Crown lands for a distance of five (5) chains; and towards the South by Crown land for a distance of ten (10) chains; as the same is delineated on the plans deposited in the Provincial District Survey Office, Christchurch. For a gravel pit.

All that area in the Provincial District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement five (5) acres, more or less, being Section numbered two thousand two hundred and thirty-five (2235) (in red). Bounded towards the North-east by a road-line for a distance of five (5) chains; towards the North-west by Section number twenty five thousand two hundred and twenty one (25221) for a distance of ten (10) chains; towards the South-west by Crown lands for a distance of five (5) chains; and towards the South-east by Crown lands for a distance of ten (10) chains; as the same is delineated on the plans deposited in the Provincial District Survey Office, Christchurch. For a gravel pit.

All that area in the Provincial District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement five (5) acres, more or less, being Section numbered two thousand two hundred and thirty six (2236) (in red). Bounded towards the North-west by a road line for a distance of five (5) chains; towards the North-east by a road line for a distance of ten (10) chains; towards the South-east by Crown land for a distance of five (5) chains; and towards the South-west by Crown land for a distance of ten (10) chains; as the same is delineated on the plans deposited in the Provincial District Survey Office, Christchurch. For a gravel pit.

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

J. MACANDREW.

Masterton Cemetery.

THE following Regulations are announced by the Trustees in conformity with "The Greytown and Masterton Public Park and Cemetery Act, 1875," section 22.

Fees charged as follows:—	£	s.	d.
For grave of ordinary depth, 5 feet ...	0	10	0
Each foot of extra depth ...	0	2	0
For permission to erect a gravestone or cross to ordinary grave ...	1	0	0
For purchase of exclusive right of interment in a secluded spot in which brick grave-vault or paling fence may be constructed, space not to exceed 9 feet x 9 feet ...	5	0	0
No fence or monument, other than cross or headstone, to be erected on unpurchased graves.			

Persons who have land fenced in for interment in the old burying-ground can, if they choose, continue to inter their friends within these limits on payment of the above fees of ten and twenty shillings.

We certify that the foregoing regulations were duly made at a meeting of the Masterton Cemetery Trustees on the 31st July, 1877, and that we were present at said meeting.

R. G. WILLIAMS,
TIMOTHY KELLEHER, } Cemetery
R. HARE, } Trustees.

In pursuance of the powers vested in me by "The Greytown and Masterton Public Park and Cemetery Reserves Management Act, 1875," and "The Abolition of Provinces Act, 1875," I do hereby consent to the above rules and regulations and the scale of fees thereby made.

As witness my hand this twentieth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

NORMANBY,
Governor.

Purchase of Horses by the Indian Government.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 22nd October, 1877.

THE following notification received from the Government of India, in reference to the purchase of remounts for the Bengal Army, is published for general information.

G. S. WHITMORE.

Military Department,
Simla, the 31st August, 1877.

SIR,—I am desired by the Right Honorable the Governor-General in Council to forward, for general information, the accompanying notice regarding the purchase of remounts required for the Bengal Army, and to request that, under the orders of His Excellency the Governor, it may be published in the leading journals, and circulated as extensively as possible.

I am, &c.,
H. K. BURNE, Colonel,
Secretary to the Government of India.
The Hon. the Colonial Secretary, N.Z.

NOTICE.

It is hereby notified, with reference to the advertisement of the 31st July, 1876, that the Government of India are prepared to purchase about 600 horses suitable for army purposes during the year 1877-78, and about the same number in the year 1878-79.

The purchases will be made by Remount Agents

at the following stations:—Calcutta, Allahabad, Cawnpore, Lucknow, Agra, Morar, Meerut, Bareilly, Umballa, Lahore, Mooltan, Sialkote, Rawul Pindi, Peshawur.

In future the purchases will, except under special circumstances, be made only between the 15th September and 28th February. With regard to the purchases of the season of 1877-78, however, no alteration will be made in the date of closing—viz., 1st April.

Horses and mares of all breeds will be received, but they must be within the prescribed age, 4 to 7 years.

The average price for a remount has been fixed at rupees 550. Every horse presented for purchase will be valued separately, and higher or lower prices may be given, provided that the average of the purchases does not exceed that limit.

H. K. BURNE, Colonel,
Secretary to the Government of India.

Simla, 31st August, 1877.

Registrars of Dogs appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 22nd October, 1877.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint
Constable WILLIAM FULLBROOK, and
Constable GEORGE CARTMILL,
to be Registrars of Dogs for the District of Canterbury, under clause 3 of "The Canterbury Dog Nuisance Ordinance, 1861."

G. S. WHITMORE.

Manager of Blackstone Hill Cemetery appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 22nd October, 1877.

HIS Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified that he has appointed the following gentleman to be a Manager of the Blackstone Hill Cemetery (Otago), viz.,—

WILLIAM B. LEEDER, Esq., vice George Turnbull, Esq., resigned.

G. S. WHITMORE.

Registration and Returning Officer appointed for East Coast.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 24th October, 1877.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint
HOPKINS CLARKE, Esq.,
to be Registration and Returning Officer for the Electoral District of East Coast, for the election of members of the House of Representatives, vice—Hamlin, resigned.

G. S. WHITMORE.

Letters of Naturalization issued.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 23rd October, 1877.

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

Name.	Occupation.	Residence.
Anna Malenc Bowler ...	Married woman	Woolcombe's Gully, near Timaru.

G. S. WHITMORE.

Justice of the Peace appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 22nd October, 1877.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to re-appoint

FRANCIS HAMILTON, Esq.,
Mayor of Greymouth, to be a Justice of the Peace under "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1876."

JOHN SHEEHAN.

Resignation of Volunteer Officer.

Colonial Defence Office,
Wellington, 24th October, 1877.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation of the appointment held by

Captain J. T. Marshall (New Zealand Militia), as Officer Commanding Volunteers in the Nelson District, from the 31st October, 1877.

G. S. WHITMORE.

Appointment of Volunteer Officer.

Colonial Defence Office,
Wellington, 24th October, 1877.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Captain Albert Pitt, Nelson Artillery Volunteers, to command the Volunteers in the Nelson District. From the 1st November, 1877.

G. S. WHITMORE.

Volunteer Corps disbanded.

Colonial Defence Office,
Wellington, 18th October, 1877.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to disband

The Akaroa Artillery Volunteers.

The under-mentioned gentlemen have therefore ceased to hold the rank of Officers in the Volunteer Force, their commissions having, under the provisions of "The Volunteer Act, 1865," lapsed:—

C. W. Bridge, Esq., late Captain.
H. de B. Bridge, Esq., late Second Lieutenant.

J. SHEEHAN.

New Zealand Railways. Westport to Mount Rochfort Railway.

Westport Wharf Rates.

IN accordance with the By-laws for the New Zealand Railways fixed by Order in Council dated the seventeenth day of April, 1877, the following rates for the Westport Wharf of the Westport to Mount Rochfort Railway are hereby declared to be fixed, and shall be paid by persons using the said wharf on and from the 5th of November, 1877.

SCHEDULE.

WESTPORT TO MOUNT ROCHFORD RAILWAY.

Westport Wharf Rates. s. d.

On all sailing vessels, foreign, intercolonial, or coastwise, from ports beyond the limits comprised between Cape Farewell and Milford Sound, per ton register, per trip	1	0
On all sailing vessels from ports within the above limits, per ton register, per trip	0	9
On all coasting steamers from ports beyond the limits comprised between Cape Farewell and Milford Sound, per ton register, per trip	0	9

On all coasting steamers trading only within the above limits, per ton register, per trip	s. d.
On all intercolonial steamers when coming to the wharf, per ton register, per trip	0 6
On all vessels or steamers tendering ships or steamers (not entering the river) in the roadstead, per ton register, per trip	0 6
On all vessels coming for coal (in ballast)	0 1
On all goods and luggage not otherwise specified, per ton weight or measurement	2 0
Minimum charge	0 3
Wool, per bale	0 6
Timber, per 100 feet superficial	0 1
Firewood, per cord	2 0
Half dues for wharfage to be charged on all goods transhipped into lighters, &c., from vessels lying alongside Government wharves, or at any of the Government moorings	2 0
Cattle and horses, per head	2 0
Sheep, pigs, goats, &c., per head	0 6
Hides, each	0 1
Palings, per 1,000	2 0
Poultry, each	0 1
Shingles, per 1,000	0 6
Slates, per 1,000	3 0
Vehicles, four-wheel	5 0
" two-wheel	2 6
Parcels, each	0 3

Dated at Wellington, this nineteenth day of October, 1877.

W. J. M. LARNACH,
Minister for Public Works.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

LIGHTS ON PORTLAND ISLAND, CENTRE ISLAND, AND PUYSEGUR POINT.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

Customs Department (Marine Branch),
Wellington, 22nd October, 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Lighthouses are now in the course of erection at Portland Island, Centre Island, and Puysegur Point. It is anticipated that Portland Island Light will be ready for exhibition early in 1878, Centre Island and Puysegur Point a few months later. The following is a description of the lights that will be exhibited:—

PORTLAND ISLAND LIGHTHOUSE

Is situated on the southern extremity of Portland Island, which lies off the southern end of the Mahia Peninsula, Hawke's Bay, on the East Coast of the North Island of New Zealand. The Light will be a Second-Order Revolving White Light, visible all round seaward. It will attain its greatest brilliancy every thirty seconds. From the lower part of the tower a Fixed Red Light, having an arc of about 6°, will be shown over Bull Rock, which bears N.E. from the lighthouse distant four miles.

CENTRE ISLAND LIGHTHOUSE

Is situated on the Island of that name in Foveaux Strait. The Light will be a First-Order Fixed Light, showing white from the bearing (from ship) of about W. by N. $\frac{3}{4}$ N. round over a southern arc of 197°, to the bearing of about E. $\frac{1}{4}$ S., and red over certain inshore dangers. Particulars of the bearings of the red arcs will be given in a future notice.

PUYSEGUR POINT LIGHTHOUSE

Is situated on the Point of that name, at the southwestern extremity of the Middle Island of New Zealand. The Light will be a First-Order Flashing White Light, visible all round seaward, and will show a flash every ten seconds.

Due notice will be given of the exact date when these lights will be first exhibited.

G. GREY.

Designation of Post Office changed.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 22nd October, 1877.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the designation of the Post Office in the Otago Provincial District, known as Waiwera, has been changed to

WAIWERA SOUTH.

By order of the Postmaster-General.

W. GRAY,
Secretary.

Depository of Duty Stamps appointed.

Head Office, Stamp Department,
Wellington, 24th October, 1877.

IT is hereby notified for public information that Mr. G. G. WELLSTED, Postmaster at Blueskin, in the County of Waikouaiti, has been appointed a Depository of Duty Stamps.

R. C. HAMERTON,
Secretary for Stamps.

Sheep Inspector's Notice.

Crown Lands Office,
Wellington, 18th October, 1877.

NOTICE has been received from the Inspector of Sheep for the Wanganui District that he has cancelled the clean certificates of

Mr. A. Strachan, No. 3 Line, Flock of 900 Sheep; dated 5th October, 1877.

Mr. G. R. Sommerville, No. 3 Line, Flock of 500 Sheep; dated 15th October, 1877.

JOS. G. HOLDSWORTH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Commissioners of the Supreme Court of New Zealand appointed.

NOTICE.—His Honor the Chief Justice has this 19th day of October, 1877, appointed

JOHN DAVIDSON, Solicitor, Goulburn, New South Wales; and

GEORGE GORDON BLAIR, Registrar of Probates, Melbourne, Victoria,

to be Commissioners of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, for the purpose of administering and taking any oath, affidavit, or affirmation under the 2nd section of "The Commissioners of the Supreme Court Act, 1875."

A. S. ALLAN,
Registrar.

Wellington, 19th October, 1877.

STATEMENT of the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of New Zealand, within the Colony, during the Quarter ended 24th September, 1877.

LIABILITIES.	£	s.	d.
Notes in Circulation	427,971	8	5
Bills in Circulation	21,396	0	1
Balances due to other Banks	132	15	0
Government Deposits	841,861	11	1
Other Deposits—			
Not bearing Interest	1,529,781	10	7
Bearing Interest	1,509,910	2	0
Total average Liabilities	£4,331,053	7	2

ASSETS.		
	£	s. d.
Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metal	521,088	2 2
Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars	75,945	10 8
Notes and Bills of other Banks	16,955	10 6
Balances due from other Banks	9,142	4 7
Landed Property	47,700	2 2
Amount of all other Securities—		
1. Notes and Bills Discounted	2,096,402	18 4
2. Colonial Government Securities	382,000	0 0
3. Other Funded Securities	7,600	0 0
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad)	2,566,942	0 8
5. Securities not included under the above heads	79,641	3 8
Total average Assets	£5,803,417	12 9

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ended 24th September, 1877, £725,000.
 Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders, equal to 15 per cent. per annum.
 Amount of the last Dividend declared, £54,375.
 Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend, £362,822 8s. 11d.
 Dated at Auckland, this 20th day of October, 1877.
 JOHN MURRAY, *pro* Inspector.
 FREDERICK BATTLE, Inspector's Accountant.

STATEMENT of the amount of the average Liabilities and Assets of the Union Bank of Australia in the Colony of New Zealand, during the Quarter ended 24th September, 1877.

LIABILITIES.		
	£	s. d.
Notes in Circulation	116,751	11 7
Bills in Circulation	22,833	10 3
Balances due to other Banks	244	8 1
Government Deposits		
Other Deposits—		
Not bearing Interest	543,867	2 3
Bearing Interest	808,504	12 8
Total average Liabilities	£1,492,201	4 10

ASSETS.		
	£	s. d.
Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metals	404,666	4 0
Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars	7,353	10 10
Notes and Bills of other Banks	2,784	7 8
Balances due from other Banks	3,187	6 5
Landed Property	60,500	0 0
Amount of all other Securities—		
1. Notes and Bills Discounted	784,571	11 6
2. Colonial Government Securities		
3. Other Funded Securities		
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad)	821,691	17 3
5. Securities not included under the above heads	28,922	3 6
Total average Assets	£2,113,677	1 2

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ended 24th September, 1877, £1,250,000.
 Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders, 16 per cent. per annum.
 Amount of the last Dividend declared, £100,000.
 Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend, £529,367 12s. 7d.
 Dated at Wellington, this 16th day of October, 1877.
 A. JACKSON, Manager.
 A. C. McDONALD, *pro* Accountant.

STATEMENT of the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of New South Wales in the Colony of New Zealand, during the Quarter ended 30th September, 1877.

LIABILITIES.		
	£	s. d.
Notes in Circulation	84,794	1 5
Bills in Circulation	1,035	14 2
Balances due to other Banks	10,082	3 4
Government Deposits		
Other Deposits—		
Not bearing Interest	254,382	3 3
Bearing Interest	384,977	16 7
Total average Liabilities	£735,271	18 9

ASSETS.			£	s.	d.
Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metal	457,978	11	7		
Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars	25,409	3	0		
Notes and Bills of other Banks	2,468	11	3		
Balances due from other Banks	16,783	5	5		
Landed Property	33,658	18	8		
Amount of all other Securities—					
1. Notes and Bills Discounted	509,282	7	0		
2. Colonial Government Securities					
3. Other Funded Securities					
4. Debts due to Bank (exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad)	579,776	12	1		
5. Securities not included under the above heads	100,406	17	4		
Total average Assets	£1,725,764	6	4		

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ended 30th September, 1877, £1,000,000.
 Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders, 15 per cent. per annum, and Bonus 2½ per cent. per annum.
 Amount of last Dividend declared and Bonus, £87,500.
 Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend, £433,451 16s. 10d.
 Dated at Wellington, this 19th day of October, 1877.
 C. E. SCRIVEN,
 Manager at Wellington.

STATEMENT of the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of Australasia within the Colony of New Zealand during the Quarter ended 24th September, 1877.

LIABILITIES.		
	£	s. d.
Notes in Circulation	50,894	4 7
Bills in Circulation	4,504	5 1
Balances due to other Banks		
Government Deposits		
Other Deposits—		
Not bearing Interest	148,348	8 0
Bearing Interest	285,076	13 10
Total Average Liabilities	£488,823	11 6

ASSETS.		
	£	s. d.
Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metals	71,605	11 3
Gold and Silver in Bullion and Bars	6,490	13 7
Notes and Bills of other Banks	3,071	10 7
Balances due from other Banks		
Landed Property	18,410	0 0
Amount of all other Securities—		
1. Notes and Bills Discounted	373,983	13 9
2. Colonial Government Securities		
3. Other Funded Securities		
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad)	365,745	12 6
5. Securities not included under the above heads		
Total Average Assets	£839,307	1 8

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the quarter ended 24th September, 1877, £1,200,000.
 Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders, £12 10s. per cent. per annum.
 Amount of the last Dividend declared, £75,000.
 Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend, £393,701 10s. 10d.
 Dated at Wellington, this 12th day of October, 1877.
 J. SAWERS, Manager,
 E. TURNER, Accountant, } at Wellington.

STATEMENT of the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the National Bank of New Zealand (Limited), within the Colony, during the Quarter ended 30th September, 1877.

LIABILITIES.		
	£	s. d.
Notes in Circulation	102,003	6 2
Bills in Circulation	5,774	15 3
Balances due to other Banks	8,950	2 11
Government Deposits		
Other Deposits—		
Not bearing Interest	286,203	7 2
Bearing Interest	367,872	9 3
Total average Liabilities	£770,804	0 9

ASSETS.			
Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metal	£	s.	d.
Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metal	162,299	14	4
Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars	45,607	11	4
Notes and Bills of other Banks	4,650	2	8
Balances due from other Banks	4,763	18	0
Landed Property	56,422	0	8
Amount of all other Securities—			
1. Notes and Bills Discounted	778,642	10	0
2. Colonial Government Securities	...	...	...
3. Other Funded Securities	...	...	...
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad)	647,313	10	2
5. Securities not included under the above heads	13,314	6	3
Total average Assets	£1,713,013	13	5

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ended 30th September, 1877, £350,000.

Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders, 6 per cent. per annum.

Amount of the last Dividend declared, £10,500.

Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend, £12,386 18s. 6d.

Dated at Wellington, this 23rd day of October, 1877.

THOS. BUCHANAN, Inspector.

W. H. CHURTON, Branch Accountant.

GENERAL Abstract showing the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the Colonial Bank of New Zealand within the Colony, taken from the several Weekly Statements during the Quarter from the 2nd July to 24th September, 1877.

LIABILITIES.			
	£	s.	d.
Notes in Circulation	68,019	15	5
Bills in Circulation	1,199	4	2
Balances due to other Banks	1,572	1	4
Government Deposits	...	...	...
Other Deposits—			
Not bearing Interest	237,841	11	7
Bearing Interest	273,984	4	5
Total average Liabilities	£582,616	16	11

ASSETS.			
Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metal	£	s.	d.
Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metal	136,928	4	10
Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars	12,513	0	7
Notes and Bills of other Banks	1,513	2	4
Balances due from other Banks	6,143	4	9
Landed Property	4,486	12	8
Amount of all other Securities—			
1. Notes and Bills Discounted	393,776	2	8
2. Colonial Government Securities	...	...	...
3. Other Funded Securities	...	...	...
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad)	331,230	11	8
5. Securities not included under the above heads	18,019	7	0
Total average Assets	£904,610	6	6

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at this date, £328,500.
Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders, 6 per cent. per annum.

Amount of last Dividend declared, £9,855.

Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend, £23,893 17s. 3d.

Dated at Dunedin, this 11th day of October, 1877.

GEO. COWIE, General Manager.

R. BARTLEMAN, pro Accountant

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 after the gazettement of this notice.

JOHN HYDE HARRIS.—Part of Section twenty-eight (28), Block one (I.), Invercargill Hundred (known as Harrisville). Unoccupied. No. 1008.

PETER MCEWAN.—Section twenty (20), Block sixty-three (LXIII.), Invercargill. Unoccupied. No. 1045.

RICHARD POWELL.—Part of Section twenty-seven (27), Block six (VI.), Campbelltown Hundred. Unoccupied. No. 1042.

JOHN TURNBULL THOMSON.—Section eleven (11), Block three (III.), Invercargill. No. 1041.

THOMAS KING WELDON.—Section sixteen (16), Block fourteen (XIV.), Invercargill. Unoccupied. No. 1046.

HENDERSON LAW and THOMAS WATSON.—Sections one (1) and two (2), Block two (II.), Invercargill Hundred. Occupied by Henry Simon. No. 1047.

FREDERICK NUTTER.—Section five (5), Block thirty-one (XXXI.), Invercargill. Unoccupied. No. 1048.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 15th day of October, 1877, at the Land Registry Office, Invercargill.

C. M. HENNING,
District Land Registrar.

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LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one calendar month from date of the Gazette containing this notice.

3214. ISAAC BRIDGES.—1 rood 16 perches, part of Rural Section 72, Christchurch District (Lot 83, Plan 63). Occupied by Applicant.

3246. BENJAMIN GIBSON.—3 roods, part of Rural Section 7555, Timaru District (Lots 403, 405, and 407, Plan 1). Occupied by Applicant.

3253. JOSHUA STRANGE WILLIAMS.—38 acres 2 roods 26 perches, part of Rural Section 96, Christchurch District. Occupied partly by John Crosbie and partly by — Hawkins.

3259. ROBERT SAYERS.—1 rood 12 perches, part of Rural Section 997, Waitangi District (Lot 12, Plan 6). Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 18th day of October, 1877, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch

R. W. D'OILY,
District Land Registrar.

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LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 1st day of December next.

834.—WILMOT POWELL and DAVID PORTER, 2 roods, part of Suburban Section "43," Wanganui, fronting 200 links to Campbell Street, with depth of 250 links, distant 300 links from Plymouth Street. Occupied by George Hutchison.

841.—THE WELLINGTON LAND AND BUILDING COMPANY (LIMITED).—1 acre, Section 952, Wellington City. Unoccupied.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 24th day of October, 1877, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

GEO. B. DAVY,
District Land Registrar.

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STATEMENT of the LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the under-mentioned BANKS in the Colony of NEW ZEALAND, for the QUARTER ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1877.

LIABILITIES.

BANKS.	Notes in Circulation.		Bills in Circulation.		Balances due to other Banks.		Deposits.			Total Liabilities.				
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	Government.	Not bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.	£	s. d.			
Bank of New Zealand	427,971	8 5	21,396	0 1	132	15 0	841,861	11 1	1,529,781	10 7	1,509,910	2 0	4,331,053	7 2
Union Bank of Australia	116,751	11 7	22,833	10 3	244	8 1	...	...	543,867	2 3	808,504	12 8	1,492,201	4 10
Bank of New South Wales	84,794	1 5	1,035	14 2	10,082	3 4	...	...	254,382	3 3	384,977	16 7	735,271	18 9
Bank of Australasia	50,894	4 7	4,504	5 1	...	...	...	...	148,348	8 0	285,076	13 10	488,823	11 6
National Bank of New Zealand (Limited) ...	102,003	6 2	5,774	15 3	8,950	2 11	...	...	286,203	7 2	367,872	9 3	770,804	0 9
Colonial Bank of New Zealand	68,019	15 5	1,199	4 2	1,572	1 4	...	...	237,841	11 7	273,984	4 5	582,616	16 11
Totals	850,434	7 7	56,743	9 0	20,981	10 8	841,861	11 1	3,000,424	2 10	3,630,325	18 9	8,400,770	19 11

ASSETS.

BANKS.	Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metals.		Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars.		Notes and Bills of other Banks.		Balances due from other Banks.		Landed Property.		Notes and Bills Discounted.		Government Securities.		Other Funded Securities.		Debts due to the Bank, exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad.		Securities not included under other heads.		Total Assets.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Bank of New Zealand	521,088	2 2	75,945	10 8	16,955	10 6	9,142	4 7	47,700	2 2	2,096,402	18 4	382,000	0 0	7,600	0 0	2,566,942	0 8	79,641	3 8	5,803,417	12 9
Union Bank of Australia	404,666	4 0	7,353	10 10	2,784	7 8	3,187	6 5	60,500	0 0	784,571	11 6	...	...	...	...	821,691	17 3	23,922	3 6	2,113,677	1 2
Bank of New South Wales	457,978	11 7	25,409	3 0	2,468	11 3	16,783	5 5	33,658	18 8	509,282	7 0	...	...	...	...	579,776	12 1	100,406	17 4	1,725,764	6 4
Bank of Australasia	71,605	11 3	6,490	13 7	3,071	10 7	...	...	18,410	0 0	373,983	13 9	...	...	...	...	365,745	12 6	...	...	839,307	1 8
National Bank of New Zealand (Limited) ...	162,299	14 4	45,607	11 4	4,650	2 8	4,763	18 0	56,422	0 8	778,642	10 0	...	...	...	...	647,313	10 2	13,314	6 3	1,713,013	13 5
Colonial Bank of New Zealand	136,928	4 10	12,513	0 7	1,513	2 4	6,143	4 9	4,486	12 8	393,776	2 8	...	...	...	...	331,230	11 8	18,019	7 0	904,610	6 6
Totals	1,754,566	8 2	173,319	10 0	31,443	5 0	40,019	19 2	221,177	14 2	4,936,659	3 3	382,000	0 0	7,600	0 0	5,312,700	4 4	240,303	17 9	13,099,790	1 10

CAPITAL AND PROFITS.

BANKS.	Capital paid up.		Rate per annum of last Dividend.				Amount of last Dividend declared.		Amount of Reserve Fund at the time of declaring such Dividend.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Bank of New Zealand	725,000	0 0	Fifteen per cent.	...	...	...	54,375	0 0	362,822	8 11
Union Bank of Australia	1,250,000	0 0	Sixteen per cent.	...	...	...	100,000	0 0	529,367	12 7
Bank of New South Wales	1,000,000	0 0	Fifteen per cent., and two and a half per cent. bonus	...	...	...	87,500	0 0	433,451	16 10
Bank of Australasia	1,200,000	0 0	Twelve and a half per cent.	...	...	...	75,000	0 0	393,701	10 10
National Bank of New Zealand (Limited) ...	350,000	0 0	Six per cent.	...	...	...	10,500	0 0	12,386	18 6
Colonial Bank of New Zealand	328,500	0 0	Six per cent.	...	...	...	9,855	0 0	23,893	17 3
Total	4,853,500	0 0					337,230	0 0	1,755,624	4 11

Treasury,
Wellington, 24th October, 1877.

C. T. BATKIN,
Secretary to the Treasury.

STATEMENT showing the NUMBER, AMOUNT, &c., of MONEY ORDER and SAVINGS BANK TRANSACTIONS in the several Postal Districts of the Colony of NEW ZEALAND, during the QUARTER ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1877.

POSTAL DISTRICTS.	Money Order and Savings Bank Offices Open.	MONEY ORDERS.				SAVINGS BANKS.							
		Issued.		Paid.		Accounts.		Number of Deposits.	Number of Withdrawals.	Amount of Deposits.	Amount of Withdrawals.	Excess of Deposits over Withdrawals.	Excess of Withdrawals over Deposits.
		Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Opened.	Closed.						
Auckland	32	3,235	£ s. d. 12,314 6 3	3,287	£ s. d. 12,859 15 1	290	230	1,623	1,176	£ s. d. 17,789 9 2	£ s. d. 18,250 12 7	£ s. d. ...	£ s. d. 461 3 5
Thames	1	473	1,704 4 4	307	1,093 12 9	81	47	522	327	7,882 14 11	5,025 8 5	2,857 6 6	...
New Plymouth	4	576	2,028 11 5	300	998 18 11	60	37	304	158	3,916 6 3	3,205 11 11	710 14 4	...
Napier	8	1,149	4,660 1 11	495	1,799 14 11	118	80	573	309	5,849 10 2	4,777 6 10	1,072 3 4	...
Wellington	17	4,348	14,212 14 3	3,574	12,745 0 9	584	369	3,507	1,940	31,080 0 10	27,564 8 4	3,515 12 6	...
Blenheim	4	666	2,642 13 10	308	955 17 11	56	26	295	117	3,589 5 11	3,077 0 6	512 5 5	...
Nelson	4	673	2,504 11 4	1,032	4,402 8 11	65	53	425	253	4,569 12 2	4,694 16 11	...	125 4 9
Westport	3	513	2,323 0 6	267	1,139 17 3	32	15	171	88	2,144 11 4	1,835 6 0	309 5 4	...
Greymouth	3	1,219	5,148 6 6	785	2,462 10 9	54	40	293	162	3,368 11 8	3,555 7 2	...	186 15 6
Hokitika	3	778	2,735 12 7	556	2,012 17 10	43	35	201	164	2,511 17 6	2,571 5 0	...	59 7 6
Christchurch	21	3,553	12,621 17 9	2,281	8,024 17 11	647	483	3,538	2,320	37,068 8 10	39,727 4 7	...	2,658 15 9
Dunedin	31	4,947	17,384 4 7	4,007	13,661 13 10	657	639	3,894	2,595	39,897 10 11	44,026 14 2	...	4,129 3 3
Invercargill	6	703	2,616 17 6	422	1,663 9 8	74	56	346	221	4,822 9 10	3,823 15 10	998 14 0	...
Total for 3rd Quarter in 1877 ...	137	22,833	82,897 2 9	17,621	63,820 16 6	2,761	2,110	15,692	9,830	164,490 9 6	162,134 18 3	2,355 11 3	...
Total for 3rd Quarter in 1876 ...	123	20,652	78,401 9 10	15,615	60,040 3 6	2,733	2,467	14,638	10,285	161,526 9 3	182,425 10 10	...	20,899 1 7

General Post Office, Wellington, 23rd October, 1877.

W. GRAY,
Secretary.

GENERAL BALANCE-SHEET and SUMMARY of TRANSACTIONS of the PUBLIC ACCOUNT for the QUARTER ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1877.

	CR. BALANCES ON 30TH JUNE, 1877.			TRANSACTIONS.			CR. BALANCES ON 30TH SEPT., 1877.			DR. BALANCES ON 30TH SEPT., 1877.																	
	£ s. d.			Dr. Disbursements and Transfers (net).		Cr. Receipts and Transfers (net).		£ s. d.			CASH IN THE PUBLIC ACCOUNT.		SPECIAL FUNDS INVESTED.		ADVANCES TO BE ACCOUNTED FOR.		TOTALS.										
				Colonial.		Foreign.					£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.												
REVENUE ACCOUNTS,—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.						
Consolidated Fund	80,057	12	10	651,323	15	5	830,582	9	3	259,316	6	8	101,844	11	0	...	114,864	19	2	42,606	16	6	259,316	6	8		
Land Fund,—																											
Old Account ... ..	...	...	...	1,707	8	5	1,707	8	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
New Account	115,646	7	9	368,741	3	8	710,186	10	1	457,091	14	2	443,456	16	9	...	12,337	13	5	1,297	4	0	457,091	14	2		
Gold Fields Revenue	2,865	12	9	4,749	12	2	3,976	7	9	2,092	8	4	2,092	8	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,092	8	4
Gold Duty	3,732	10	5	9,784	8	8	9,798	8	6	3,746	10	3	3,746	10	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,746	10	3
SPECIAL FUNDS,—																											
Consolidated Loan Act, 1867	37,632	0	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	37,632	0	8	33,530	17	8	...	2,101	3	0	2,000	0	0	37,632	0	8
Defence and Other Purposes Loan Act, 1870	35,416	18	9	607	18	6	...	...	...	34,809	0	3	34,444	5	2	...	364	15	1	...	...	...	34,809	0	3
Public Works Account	652,989	13	1	561,891	16	9	41,161	11	0	132,259	7	4	Cr-113,725	12	9*	...	64,530	16	8	181,454	3	5	132,259	7	4		
Wellington Debts Act, 1872, Redemption Account	2,059	9	11	...	...	...	2,453	16	10	4,513	6	9	3,257	9	4	1,255	17	5	...	...	...	4,513	6	9	
North Otago District Public Works Loan Act, 1872	540	3	4	...	...	...	628	5	6	1,168	8	10	1,168	8	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,168	8	10
Westland Loan Act, 1873, Redemption Account	425	3	3	...	...	...	53	15	0	478	18	3	95	2	10	383	15	5	...	...	...	478	18	3	
State Forests Account	2,226	13	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,226	13	3	2,226	13	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,226	13	3
New Zealand Loan Act, 1876	59,901	11	11	51,000	0	0	...	...	...	8,901	11	11	8,901	11	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,901	11	11
Provincial Liabilities Account	45,888	3	8	55,755	14	1	52,661	17	5	42,794	7	0	29,823	17	8	...	7,970	9	4	5,000	0	0	42,794	7	0		
Counties Separate Account	12,641	18	9	111,752	16	5	109,756	10	5	10,645	12	9	10,645	12	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,645	12	9
Waitara Bridge Endowment Account	9	0	0	...	...	...	2	10	0	11	10	0	11	10	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	10	0
TRUST FUND	67,115	14	11	45,871	2	6	43,093	5	2	64,337	17	7	50,820	8	6	...	7,063	10	1	6,453	19	0	64,337	17	7		
SUSPENSE ACCOUNT	377	6	3	...	...	...	4,063	4	0	4,440	10	3	4,440	10	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,440	10	3
Totals	1,119,526	1	6	1,863,185	16	7	1,810,125	19	4	1,066,466	4	3	616,781	1	9	1,639	12	10	209,233	6	9	238,812	2	11	1,066,466	4	3

* Covered by Guaranteed Advances obtained in London against Debentures.

Treasury,
Wellington, 15th October, 1877.

JAMES C. GAVIN,
Accountant to the Treasury.

THE NEW ZEALAND GAZETTE.

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STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the PUBLIC

RECEIPTS.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
REVENUE ACCOUNTS.										
CONSOLIDATED FUND,—										
ASSETS OF THE YEAR 1876-77,—										
Ordinary Revenue,—										
Postal	...	5,803	18	2						
Telegraphic	...	86	1	11						
Registration and other Fees	...	24	4	0						
Miscellaneous Reimbursements	...	1,824	18	11						
					7,739	3	0			
CURRENT YEAR 1877-78,—										
Ordinary Revenue,—										
Customs	...	295,292	6	3						
Stamps	...	28,892	17	1						
Postal	...	20,964	11	7						
Telegraphic	...	16,660	19	10						
Judicial	...	10,568	15	8						
Registration and other Fees	...	14,232	5	9						
Railways	...	112,873	14	5						
Incidental	...	9,278	18	11						
		508,764	9	6						
Revenues of Local Bodies	...	14,078	16	9						
					522,843	6	3			
Receipts in Aid,—										
Temporary Advances from Public Works Account	...				300,000	0	0			
								830,582	9	3
LAND FUND (OLD ACCOUNT),—										
Land Sales,—										
Taranaki	...							2	10	0
Gold Fields Revenue,—										
Auckland	...	70	10	0						
Nelson	...	231	0	9						
Westland	...	15	0	0						
Otago	...	1,388	7	8						
					1,704	18	5			
								1,707	8	5
LAND FUND (NEW ACCOUNT),—										
PROVINCIAL DISTRICTS ACCOUNT,—										
Land Sales, &c.	...	542,231	7	7						
Recovery	...	0	11	9						
Receipts in Aid,—										
Transfers from Consolidated Fund	...	56,000	0	0						
					598,231	19	4			
CHIEF OFFICE, SURVEY DEPARTMENT,—										
Temporary Advance from Consolidated Fund	...				1,500	0	0			
SURPLUS LAND REVENUE ACCOUNT,—										
Transfer from Canterbury Provincial District Account	...				110,454	10	9			
								710,186	10	1
GOLD FIELDS REVENUE ACCOUNT,—										
Total Receipts (see Statement appended)	...							3,976	7	9
GOLD DUTY ACCOUNT,—										
Total Receipts (see Statement appended)	...							9,798	8	6
Carried forward	...							£1,556,251	4	0

ACCOUNT for the QUARTER ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1877.

EXPENDITURE.				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
REVENUE ACCOUNTS.												
CONSOLIDATED FUND,—												
LIABILITIES OF THE YEAR 1876-77,—												
Permanent Appropriations,—												
Civil List	...	...	...	669	9	8						
Pensions, Superannuation Allowances, &c.	...	...	...	1,072	6	8						
Annual Appropriations,—												
Miscellaneous Services	...	...	...	62,272	15	2						
Revenues of Local Bodies	...	...	...	8,938	11	5						
							72,953	2	11			
CURRENT YEAR, 1877-78,—												
Permanent Appropriations,—												
Civil List	...	...	...	6,271	9	7						
Interest and Sinking Fund	...	£338,189	12 0									
Less charged on Land Fund	...	83,267	4 9									
				254,922	7	3						
Pensions, Superannuation Allowances, and other Charges	...	...	...	5,949	16	8						
Annual Appropriations,—												
Class I.—Public Departments	...	...	...	32,385	6	8						
Class II.—Law and Justice	...	...	...	30,269	5	3						
Class III.—Postal and Telegraphic	...	...	...	45,072	15	5						
Class IV.—Customs	...	...	...	15,227	11	0						
Class V.—Education	...	...	...	45,126	4	0						
Class VI.—Native	...	...	...	6,711	16	7						
Class VII.—Militia and Volunteers	...	...	...	3,425	18	11						
Class VIII.—Constabulary and Defence	...	...	...	7,757	13	5						
Class IX.—Domains and Buildings	...	...	...	3,809	11	10						
Class X.—Railways	...	...	...	25,580	7	11						
Class XI.—Miscellaneous	...	...	...	2,729	2	1						
Refunds of Revenue	...	...	...	6,948	12	0						
							492,187	18	7			
Revenues of Local Bodies	...	...	...				12,972	6	3			
Temporary and Recoverable,—												
Railway Stores and Workshops Account	...	...	...	13,183	11	5						
Advances to Land Fund	...	...	...	57,500	0	0						
County and other local charges	...	...	...	318	15	3						
Provincial Liabilities	...	...	...	2,208	1	0						
							73,210	7	8			
										651,323	15	5
LAND FUND (OLD ACCOUNT),—												
Transfers to Provincial Liabilities Account,—												
Auckland	...	...	...				70	10	0			
Taranaki	...	...	...				2	10	0			
Nelson	...	...	...				231	0	9			
Westland	...	...	...				15	0	0			
Otago	...	...	...				1,388	7	8			
										1,707	8	5
LAND FUND (NEW ACCOUNT),—												
PROVINCIAL DISTRICTS ACCOUNT,—												
Permanent Appropriations,—												
Interest on Permanent Debts	...	...	...	47,268	11	0						
Interest on Railway Expenditure	...	...	...	35,998	13	9						
Payment to Board of Education, Nelson	...	...	...	46	12	7						
Canterbury College Reserves Account	...	...	...	28,298	0	0						
Ellesmere and Forsyth Reclamation, &c.	...	...	...	3,824	0	0						
Annual Appropriations,—												
Crown Lands Department	...	...	...	5,006	5	7						
Surveys	...	...	...	25,409	14	1						
Miscellaneous	...	...	...	529	7	5						
Refunds of Revenue	...	...	...	5	0	0						
Surplus Land Revenue, Canterbury, transferred to Surplus Land Revenue Account	...	...	...	110,454	10	9						
							256,840	15	2			
CHIEF OFFICE, SURVEY DEPARTMENT	...	...	...				1,445	17	9			
SURPLUS LAND REVENUE ACCOUNT,—												
Payments to County Fund Accounts	...	...	...	9,850	9	11						
Transfers to Counties Separate Accounts, for distribution amongst Road Boards	...	...	...	100,604	0	10						
							110,454	10	9			
										368,741	3	8
GOLD FIELDS REVENUE ACCOUNT,—												
Total Expenditure (see Statement appended)	...	...	...							4,749	12	2
GOLD DUTY ACCOUNT,—												
Total Expenditure (see Statement appended)	...	...	...							9,784	8	8
Carried forward	...	...	...							£1,036,306	8	4

STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the PUBLIC

RECEIPTS.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SPECIAL FUNDS.									
Brought forward ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,556,251	4	0
DEFENCE AND OTHER PURPOSES LOAN ACT, 1870,—									
Receipts, <i>nil.</i>									
PUBLIC WORKS ACCOUNT,—									
Further transfer from New Zealand Loan of 1876, on account of £750,000 authorized for Public Works ... ..	...	...	...	40,000	0	0			
Receipts in Aid,—									
Rents, Colliery Reserve, Westport ... ..	...	...	...	1,013	17	6			
Sales of Allotments ... ..	...	...	...	147	13	6			
									41,161 11 0
WELLINGTON DEBTS ACT, 1872, REDEMPTION ACCOUNT,—									
Land Sales ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,453	16	10
NORTH OTAGO DISTRICT PUBLIC WORKS LOAN ACT, 1872,—									
Land Sales, &c. ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	628	5	6
WESTLAND LOAN ACT, 1873, REDEMPTION ACCOUNT,—									
Land Sales, &c. ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	53	15	0
NEW ZEALAND LOAN ACT, 1876,—									
Receipts, <i>nil.</i>									
PROVINCIAL LIABILITIES ACCOUNT,—									
Total Receipts (<i>see</i> Statement appended) ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	52,661	17	5
COUNTIES SEPARATE ACCOUNT,—									
Total Receipts (<i>see</i> Statement appended) ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	109,756	10	5
WAITARA BRIDGE ENDOWMENT ACCOUNT									
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	10	0
TRUST FUND.									
TOTAL RECEIPTS (<i>see</i> Statement appended) ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	43,093	5	2
SUSPENSE ACCOUNT.									
RECEIPTS UNDISTRIBUTED ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,063	4	0
TOTAL RECEIPTS ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,810,125	19	4
Balance on 30th June, 1877,—									
Cash in the Public Account,—									
In Colony	476,489	10	5						
In London	429,921	8	1						
				906,410	18	6			
Special Funds invested ... ..	...	...	...	1,639	12	10			
Advances to be accounted for,—									
Colonial	68,044	6	7						
Foreign	143,431	3	7						
				211,475	10	2			
							1,119,526	1	6
Total ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	£2,929,652	0	10

Treasury,
Wellington, 15th October, 1877.

ACCOUNT for the QUARTER ended 30th JUNE, 1877—continued.

EXPENDITURE.				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SPECIAL FUNDS.												
	Brought forward	...	...	...			...			1,036,306	8	4
DEFENCE AND OTHER PURPOSES LOAN ACT, 1870,—												
	Roads	...	...	...	...		...			607	18	6
PUBLIC WORKS ACCOUNT,—												
Annual Appropriations,—												
	Immigration	...	...	...	2,328	11	8					
	Public Works—Departmental	...	...	...	3,444	7	1					
	Railways	...	...	...	126,293	4	1					
	Roads	...	...	...	2,719	13	5					
	Land Purchases	...	...	...	3,881	2	11					
	Waterworks on Gold Fields	...	...	...	7,830	9	1					
	Coal Mines	...	...	...	71	13	9					
	Telegraph Extension	...	...	...	2,890	0	7					
	Public Buildings	...	...	...	10,539	13	1					
	Lighthouses	...	...	...	1,873	1	1					
								161,891	16	9		
Temporary,—												
	Repayment of Advances obtained on security of Guaranteed Debentures	...	...	...	100,000	0	0					
	Advances to Consolidated Fund	...	...	...	300,000	0	0			400,000	0	0
												561,891 16 9
WELLINGTON DEBTS ACT, 1872, REDEMPTION ACCOUNT,—												
	Expenditure, <i>nil.</i>											
NORTH OTAGO DISTRICT PUBLIC WORKS LOAN ACT, 1872,—												
	Expenditure, <i>nil.</i>											
WESTLAND LOAN ACT, 1873, REDEMPTION ACCOUNT,—												
	Expenditure, <i>nil.</i>											
NEW ZEALAND LOAN ACT, 1876,—												
	Transfers,—											
	To Provincial Liabilities Account	...	...	...				11,000	0	0		
	To Public Works Account	...	...	...				40,000	0	0		
												51,000 0 0
PROVINCIAL LIABILITIES ACCOUNT,—												
	Total Expenditure (see Statement appended)...	...	...	...								55,755 14 1
COUNTIES SEPARATE ACCOUNT,—												
	Total Expenditure (see Statement appended)...	...	...	...								111,752 16 5
TRUST FUND.												
	TOTAL EXPENDITURE (see Statement appended) ...	...	...	...								45,871 2 6
SUSPENSE ACCOUNT.												
<i>Nil.</i>												
	TOTAL EXPENDITURE ...	...	...	...								1,863,185 16 7
Balance on 30th September, 1877,—												
Cash in the Public Account,—												
	In the Colony	...	...	...	673,882	9	9					
	Less nominal Overdraft in London (see Note)	...	...	...	57,101	8	0					
								616,781	1	9		
	Special Funds invested	...	...	...				1,639	12	10		
Advances to be accounted for,—												
	Colonial	...	...	...	209,233	6	9					
	Foreign	...	...	...	238,812	2	11					
								448,045	9	8		
												1,066,466 4 3
	Total	...	...	...								£2,929,652 0 10

NOTE.—Covered by advances in London obtained against Guaranteed Debentures.

JAMES C. GAVIN,
Accountant to the Treasury.

STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the LAND FUND (New Account) of the several PROVINCIAL DISTRICTS, for the QUARTER ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1877.

(Under "The Financial Arrangements Act, 1876.")

	AUCKLAND.	TARANAKI.	WELLINGTON.	HAWKE'S BAY.	NELSON.	MARLBORO'.	CANTERBURY.	WESTLAND.	OTAGO.	TOTALS.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
RECEIPTS.										
Revenue,—										
Land Sales	220 16 0	2,417 12 6	7,237 16 6	1,801 1 1	410 2 5	475 18 6	476,130 8 10	424 6 4	37,550 7 5	526,668 9 7
Depasturing Licenses and Assessments, Rents, &c.	152 11 8	58 14 5	51 4 0	65 14 8	1,332 18 3	69 7 4	43 17 3	397 4 0	13,391 6 5	15,562 18 0
Recovery ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 11 9	...	...	0 11 9
	373 7 8	2,476 6 11	7,289 0 6	1,866 15 9	1,743 0 8	545 5 10	476,174 17 10	821 10 4	50,941 13 10	542,231 19 4
Receipts in aid of Revenue,—										
Temporary Advances from Consolidated Fund ...	25,500 0 0	2,500 0 0	10,500 0 0	3,000 0 0	5,500 0 0	1,000 0 0	...	8,000 0 0	...	56,000 0 0
Total Receipts	25,873 7 8	4,976 6 11	17,789 0 6	4,866 15 9	7,243 0 8	1,545 5 10	476,174 17 10	8,821 10 4	50,941 13 10	598,231 19 4
Balances on 30th June, 1877	2,498 8 6	96 2 7	117 0 0	632 13 3	853 6 6	665 19 11	108,697 17 11	62 5 5	716 13 11	114,340 8 0
Total	28,371 16 2	5,072 9 6	17,906 0 6	5,499 9 0	8,096 7 2	2,211 5 9	584,872 15 9	8,883 15 9	51,658 7 9	712,572 7 4
EXPENDITURE.										
Permanent Appropriations,—										
Interest and Sinking Fund on Permanent Debts	13,263 13 9	908 9 3	5,426 10 0	1,804 2 3	2,518 16 0	343 16 6	2,450 16 9	4,367 5 0	16,190 1 6	47,268 11 0
Interest on Cost of Railways	4,390 0 0	590 13 9	4,868 4 9	1,725 19 0	1,488 1 9	761 18 3	9,330 11 9	1,055 2 6	11,788 2 0	35,998 13 9
Board of Education, Nelson ... ..	...	...	...	...	46 12 7	...	...	...	...	46 12 7
Canterbury College Reserves Account ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	28,298 0 0	...	...	28,298 0 0
Transfer to Trust Fund on account of Ellesmere and Forsyth Reclamation, &c. ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,824 0 0	...	...	3,824 0 0
Annual Appropriations,—										
Crown Lands Department	391 7 6	311 10 6	563 19 8	118 6 0	222 19 7	174 0 0	693 0 0	313 13 6	2,217 8 10	5,006 5 7
Surveys	4,279 12 11	1,842 13 2	4,370 4 2	856 2 4	2,416 6 0	322 5 0	5,791 19 5	1,736 0 7	3,794 10 6	25,409 14 1
Miscellaneous	6 5 6	75 0 0	67 10 0	...	108 15 0	...	...	6 19 0	264 17 11	529 7 5
Refunds of Revenue ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	...	...	...	5 0 0
Surplus Land Revenue transferred ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	110,454 10 9	...	...	110,454 10 9
Total Expenditure	22,330 19 8	3,723 6 8	15,296 8 7	4,504 9 7	6,801 10 11	1,606 19 9	160,842 18 8	7,479 0 7	34,255 0 9	256,840 15 2
Balances on 30th September, 1877	6,040 16 6	1,349 2 10	2,609 11 11	994 19 5	1,294 16 3	604 6 0	424,029 17 1	1,404 15 2	17,403 7 0	455,731 12 2
Total	28,371 16 2	5,072 9 6	17,906 0 6	5,499 9 0	8,096 7 2	2,211 5 9	584,872 15 9	8,883 15 9	51,658 7 9	712,572 7 4

Treasury,
Wellington, 15th October, 1877.

JAMES C. GAVIN,
Accountant to the Treasury.

BALANCE-SHEET of ACCOUNTS in the TRUST FUND for the QUARTER ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1877.

	Balances on 30th June, 1877.			Receipts.			Payments.			Balances on 30th Sept., 1877.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Armed Constabulary Reward Fund	1,790	14	11	12	5	0	...	...	...	1,802	19	11
Bay of Plenty Districts	46	5	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	46	5	0
Canterbury Railways Renewal Fund	32,715	13	2	...	...	...	32,715	13	2	...	...	...
Ellesmere and Forsyth Reclamation and Akaroa Railway	1,365	14	6	3,824	0	0	1,000	0	0	4,189	14	6
Foreign Telegrams Account ... ..	...	...	...	2,658	13	9	2,169	17	10	488	15	11
General Assembly Library Fund ... ..	...	...	...	50	0	0	...	...	...	50	0	0
Government Insurance	214,464	8	6	20,628	2	10	7,898	6	1	227,194	5	3
Grey River Railway Repayment	161	7	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	161	7	9
Hurunui Bridge Repairs	800	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	800	0	0
Hurunui-Greta Bridge	1,958	11	5	...	...	...	76	17	9	1,881	13	8
Interest Account ... ..	...	...	...	962	10	0	...	...	...	962	10	0
Land Assurance Fund	13,290	8	8	1	5	11	30	7	9	13,261	6	10
Land Clauses Consolidation Act	475	17	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	475	17	7
Military Savings Bank	156	4	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	156	4	9
Militia Act	48	2	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	48	2	0
Merchant Shipping Act	38	11	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	38	11	11
Native 10 per cent. Auckland Land Purchase	1,376	2	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,376	2	7
Native 5 per cent. Wairarapa Land Purchase	364	3	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	364	3	11
Natives at Wellington, Deposit	370	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	370	0	0
Native Reserves, Auckland ... ..	...	...	...	5	0	0	5	0	0	...	...	...
Native Reserves, Taranaki	124	0	7	54	5	0	18	18	0	159	7	7
Native Reserves, Wellington	163	4	3	118	13	10	158	3	6	123	14	7
Native General Reserves, North Island	221	12	5	36	11	0	41	14	10	216	8	7
Native Reserves, Nelson	166	19	11	423	16	9	61	5	0	529	11	8
Native Reserves, Greymouth	1,040	13	11	497	1	3	231	6	9	1,306	8	5
Native Reserves, Hokonui Endowment	425	0	0	100	0	0	...	...	...	525	0	0
Nelson Rifle Prize Fund	1,194	8	7	...	...	...	100	0	0	1,094	8	7
Otago Education Reserves ... ..	...	...	...	968	10	0	...	...	...	968	10	0
Port Chalmers Railway Depreciation	873	7	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	873	7	0
Post Office Savings Bank	700,377	3	2	693	8	5	3	10	6	701,067	1	1
Railway Servants Fund	89	4	0	0	7	0	...	...	...	89	11	0
Railway Wages Retention Fund ... ..	...	...	...	5,042	8	11	531	11	9	4,510	17	2
Supreme Court	11	10	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	10	10
Temporary Deposits	6,996	12	4	6,290	2	0	69	4	7	13,217	9	9
Trustees Relief Act	519	2	3	...	...	...	246	0	1	273	2	2
Unclaimed Balances	1,995	15	9	68	5	6	132	6	0	1,931	15	3
Unclaimed Balances closed	276	9	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	276	9	7
Unclaimed Dividends... ..	359	15	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	359	15	8
Unclaimed Property	233	9	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	233	9	0
Waimakariri Bridge	3,947	9	6	44	2	0	380	18	11	3,610	12	7
Waiau Sheep Dip ... ..	...	...	...	613	16	0	...	...	...	613	16	0
Totals	988,438	5	5	43,093	5	2	45,871	2	6	985,660	8	1
Investments,—												
General Account ... ..	...	...	...	726,222	10	6	...	...	...	...	...	...
Government Insurance Account ... ..	...	...	...	194,100	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Nelson Rifle Prize Fund Account ... ..	...	...	...	1,000	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total Investments							921,322	10	6			
Cash in the Public Account				50,820	8	6						
Advances to be accounted for,—												
Colonial	7,063	10	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Foreign	6,453	19	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
				13,517	9	1						
							64,337	17	7			
										985,660	8	1

Treasury,
Wellington, 15th October, 1877.

JAMES C. GAVIN,
Accountant to the Treasury.

BALANCE-SHEET of the GOLD FIELDS REVENUE and GOLD DUTY ACCOUNTS for the QUARTER ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1877.

	GOLD FIELDS REVENUE.				GOLD DUTY.			
	Balances on 30th June, 1877.	Receipts.	Payments.	Balances on 30th Sept., 1877.	Balances on 30th June, 1877.	Receipts.	Payments.	Balances on 30th Sept., 1877.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
COUNTIES,—								
Bruce	...	...	...	...	0 7 6	112 1 6	91 5 7	21 3 5
Buller	156 13 9	186 11 3	253 13 0	89 12 0	141 13 10	504 1 3	414 5 2	231 9 11
Collingwood	8 13 6	26 17 6	19 16 6	15 14 6	20 5 9	4 12 0	20 5 9	4 12 0
Coromandel	19 7 10	42 16 10	35 7 2	26 17 6	...	67 1 6	...	67 1 6
Grey	315 10 0	681 9 6	787 3 6	209 16 0	593 12 0	1,197 11 5	1,089 15 3	707 8 2
Inangahua	85 11 9	169 3 0	204 10 6	50 4 3	474 7 0	615 0 0	945 14 2	143 12 10
Lake	102 14 0	311 14 0	251 4 6	163 3 6	1 4 6	605 17 10	393 17 2	213 5 2
Maniototo	67 18 0	220 17 0	209 0 6	79 14 6	...	596 6 5	423 17 11	172 8 6
Marlborough	18 18 6	13 11 0	23 3 6	9 6 0	87 0 10	...	87 0 10	...
Southland	96 16 6	130 4 0	153 2 6	73 13 0	19 11 2	93 2 3	107 15 5	4 18 0
Taieri	16 12 6	9 2 6	22 12 6	3 2 6	8 1 3	43 19 5	39 14 2	12 6 6
Thames	121 14 6	51 15 6	138 12 0	34 18 0	...	2,208 6 4	1,331 11 3	876 15 1
Tuapeka	217 3 0	242 13 6	362 10 0	97 6 6	105 2 9	1,243 13 0	896 7 0	452 8 9
Vincent	266 17 6	303 0 6	473 14 6	96 3 6	252 16 8	917 10 2	945 9 6	224 17 4
Waikouaiti	5 14 0	2 12 6	7 8 0	0 18 6	0 3 11	108 14 5	46 15 4	62 3 0
Waimea	22 9 0	5 13 0	24 13 0	3 9 0	25 7 10	6 6 6	25 7 10	6 6 6
Waitaki	...	...	...	...	2 4 3	46 19 6	40 5 9	8 18 0
Wallace	78 19 6	...	78 19 6	...	70 9 8	76 18 0	95 7 8	52 0 0
Westland	590 13 6	866 19 6	1,114 13 0	343 0 0	730 7 3	1,347 14 6	1,595 18 8	482 3 1
BOROUGH,—								
Thames	3 18 0	...	3 18 0	...	1,193 14 3	...	1,193 14 3	...
NATIVE ACCOUNT	669 7 5	711 6 8	585 10 0	795 4 1	...	...	...	...
UNDISTRIBUTED	...	...	...	...	...	2 12 6	...	2 12 6
Totals	2,865 12 9	3,976 7 9	4,749 12 2	2,092 8 4	3,732 10 5	9,798 8 6	9,784 8 8	3,746 10 3

BALANCE-SHEET of the PROVINCIAL LIABILITIES ACCOUNT for the QUARTER ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1877.

	Balances on 30th June, 1877.	Receipts.	Payments.	Balances on 30th Sept., 1877.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Auckland	665 14 5	72 3 6	663 9 9	74 8 2
Taranaki	429 11 4	2,035 5 2	2,404 12 2	60 4 4
Wellington	16,055 1 11	5,562 14 9	11,635 2 7	9,982 14 1
Hawke's Bay	3,354 9 8	...	1,793 14 6	1,560 15 2
Nelson	11,664 11 11	258 1 3	2,550 10 7	9,372 2 7
Marlborough	281 7 1	3 0 0	246 16 6	37 10 7
Canterbury	1,664 11 7	34,298 5 7	20,435 11 2	15,527 6 0
Westland	3,952 10 1	2,015 0 0	542 14 7	5,424 15 6
Otago	7,820 5 8	8,417 7 2	15,483 2 3	754 10 7
Total	45,888 3 8	52,661 17 5	55,755 14 1	42,794 7 0

BALANCE-SHEET of the COUNTIES SEPARATE ACCOUNT for the QUARTER ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1877.

	Balances on 30th June, 1877.	Receipts.	Payments.	Balances on 30th Sept., 1877.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Akaroa	10,192 1 5	4,698 5 7	14,712 7 0	178 0 0
Amuri	...	0 5 0	...	0 5 0
Ashburton	773 17 10	14,015 17 5	13,679 2 5	1,110 12 10
Ashley	...	20,981 8 7	20,029 3 7	952 5 0
Clutha	114 3 0	197 0 0	2 12 6	308 10 6
Collingwood	...	130 2 3	...	130 2 3
Coromandel	...	662 12 2	647 12 10	15 19 4
Eden	Dr. 12 10 0	1,294 18 0	1 1 0	1,281 7 0
Geraldine	...	28,778 13 2	28,283 8 2	495 5 0
Manukau	Dr. 12 10 0	357 10 0	6 5 0	338 15 0
Marlborough	19 14 0	415 9 4	...	435 3 4
Mongonui	15 3 6	125 0 0	15 3 6	125 0 0
Raglan	...	100 9 0	6 5 0	94 4 0
Selwyn	...	35,970 1 1	34,135 11 1	1,834 10 0
Tauranga	142 17 4	231 5 0	43 4 4	330 18 0
Waimea	84 18 3	793 0 10	73 16 6	804 2 7
Waipa	...	140 0 0	1 7 8	138 12 4
Wairarapa East	50 0 0	95 0 0	7 3 0	137 17 0
Wairarapa West	1,265 0 2	559 13 0	90 9 7	1,734 3 7
Whakatane	8 3 3	210 0 0	18 3 3	200 0 0
Total	12,641 18 9	109,756 10 5	111,752 16 5	10,645 12 9

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same in each case within one calendar month from date of publication of this notice.

Application No. 1754, Block I., Otago Peninsula District—DAVID ROSS and JANE his Wife, RACHEL TINNOCK, JOHN TINNOCK, and WILLIAM TINNOCK, Applicants. No. 2440.

Part of Section 51, Block III., Town of Dunedin.—JAMES GRAY, Applicant. No. 2449.

Part of Section 19, Block XX., Town of Dunedin.—JOHN SINCLAIR, Applicant. No. 2452.

Section 18 and part of Section 19, Block XX., Town of Dunedin.—ROBERT PATERSON and DAVID McLEOD, Applicants. No. 2453.

Part of Allotment 109, the Glen Estate, being part of Section 68, Block VI., Town District.—JOHN BATHGATE, Applicant. No. 2454.

Section 14, Block I., Town of Dunedin.—JOHN REID (as Attorney for ALEXANDER DIACK), Applicant. No. 2455.

North-eastern half of Section 6, Block I., District of Clutha.—WILLIAM DALRYMPLE the Younger (as Attorney for DAVID ALEXANDER COLVILLE), Applicant. No. 2457.

Part of Sections 33 and 34, Block IV., Hawkesbury District.—WILLIAM MILL, and DONALD MALLOCH (as Attorneys for ROBERT STEVENSON), Applicants. No. 2459.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 20th day of October, 1877, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

A. W. SMITH,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE.

I, HUGH McCAW, Bachelor of Medicine, Master in Surgery of the University of Glasgow, now residing at Mosgiel, East Taieri, do hereby give notice that I intend to apply, on the 17th day of November next, to have my name placed on the Register of Medical Practitioners in the Colony of New Zealand; and that I have this day deposited with the Registrar at Dunedin the evidence of my qualifications, in terms of "The Medical Practitioners Act, 1864."

HUGH McCAW.
Dunedin, 13th October, 1877. 547

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