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*Lands taken for a Road in the Waitaki Road District.  
Oamaru Survey District, County of Waitaki.*

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

WHEREAS by section twenty-one of "The Public Works Act, 1876" (herein referred to as "the said Act"), it is enacted that whenever lands are required to be taken for public works the Road Board, in the case of district works, shall cause a survey to be made and plans to be prepared showing generally the nature of the works proposed to be executed and the lands required to be taken for the same, together with the names of the owners and occupiers of such lands so far as they can be ascertained, and shall cause a copy of such plans to be deposited in some place in the road district in which such lands are: And by section twenty-two of the said Act it is further enacted that the said Road Board shall cause a notice to be gazetted, and to be twice publicly notified, stating the place where such plans are open for inspection, with a general description of the works proposed to be executed and of the land required to be taken, and in such notice shall call upon all persons affected to set forth in writing any well-founded objections to the execution of such works or to the taking of such lands, and to send such writing within forty days from the first publication of such notice to the said Road Board: And by sections twenty-three and twenty-four of the said Act it is further enacted that the Road Board shall cause a copy of such notice and description to be served upon the said owners and occupiers so far as they can be ascertained; and that the said Road Board shall, upon receiving any objection, appoint a time and place within the colony within which the objector may appear before the said Road Board and support the objection by such evidence as the objector thinks fit; and by section twenty-five of the said Act it is enacted that, if within the said forty days no such objection is made, or if after due consideration of such objections the said Road Board is of opinion that it is expedient that the proposed works should be executed, and that no private injury will be done thereby for which due compensation is not provided by the said Act, the land proposed to be taken shall be taken in the following manner, that is to say: The said Road Board

shall lay before the Governor a memorial containing an accurate description of the land proposed to be taken, together with a map thereof, signed by the Surveyor-General or some certificated surveyor as evidence of the accuracy thereof; and the Governor in Council may thereupon, if he think fit, by Proclamation gazetted and publicly notified, declare that the said lands are taken for the use of a railway, road, or other public work, as the case may be; and from and after a date to be named in the said Proclamation the land therein specified shall become absolutely vested in fee-simple in Her Majesty, discharged from all mortgages, charges, claims, estates, or interests of what kind soever, for the public use named in the said Proclamation:

And whereas the lands described in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken under the said Act for a certain work, to wit, the construction of a road through Sections thirty-one (31), twenty-eight (28), and twenty-nine (29), Block four (IV.), and Section fifty-six (56), Block two (II.), Oamaru Survey District, in the County of Waitaki:

And whereas the Waitaki Road Board has laid before the Governor the memorial and map mentioned in and signed and certified as required by the twenty-fifth section of the said Act: And whereas all the requirements and conditions prescribed by the said Act have been duly performed and fulfilled, and all things have happened and all times elapsed to lawfully authorize this Proclamation to be issued:

Now, therefore, 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, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities in me vested by the hereinbefore in part recited Act, and of any other power and authority enabling me in that behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the lands described in the Schedule hereto are hereby taken for the purposes of a road; and that, from and after the twelfth day of December instant, the lands so described shall become absolutely vested in fee-simple in Her Majesty, discharged from all mortgages, charges, claims, estates, and interests of what kind soever, for use as a road.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece of land in the Provincial District of Otago, and Colony of New Zealand, containing by admeasurement two acres and twenty-seven and

**ERRATUM.**—In Schedule to warrant fixing fees to be taken in Resident Magistrates' Courts under "The Imprisonment for Debt Abolition Act, 1874," and published on pages 1621 and 1622 of the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 115, of 21st November, 1878, for "£50," read "not exceeding £50."

seven-tenths poles, being parts of Sections numbered respectively thirty-one (31), twenty-eight (28), and twenty-nine (29), Block four (IV.), Oamaru Survey District, bounded as follows: Commencing at a point in the Oamaru Creek distant eight hundred and eighty-one and two-tenths ( $881\frac{2}{10}$ ) links in a line bearing two hundred and fifty-nine degrees forty-five minutes and thirty seconds ( $259^{\circ} 45' 30''$ ) from the south-eastern corner of said Section twenty-eight (28), thence by the Oamaru Creek sixty-four (64) links, thence by a line bearing three degrees forty-four minutes ( $3^{\circ} 44'$ ) eight hundred and ninety-seven and four tenths ( $897\frac{4}{10}$ ) links, thence by a line bearing thirty-seven degrees twenty-nine minutes ( $37^{\circ} 29'$ ), two hundred and forty-six (246) links, thence by a line bearing eighty-seven degrees ( $87^{\circ}$ ) six hundred and forty-six and five-tenths ( $646\frac{5}{10}$ ) links, thence by a line bearing sixty-three degrees eighteen minutes ( $63^{\circ} 18'$ ) three hundred and forty-two (342) links, thence by a line bearing sixty degrees thirty-five minutes ( $60^{\circ} 35'$ ) five hundred (500) links, thence by a line bearing fifty-five degrees fifty minutes ( $55^{\circ} 50'$ ) one hundred and forty (140) links, thence by a line bearing forty-seven degrees thirty-minutes ( $47^{\circ} 30'$ ) two hundred and ten (210) links, thence by a line bearing twenty-four degrees thirty minutes ( $24^{\circ} 30'$ ) four hundred and thirty-six links (436) links, thence by a line bearing nine degrees twenty-two minutes ( $9^{\circ} 22'$ ) one hundred and ninety-three (193) links, thence by a line bearing due east sixty and one-tenth ( $60\frac{1}{10}$ ) links, thence by a line bearing one hundred and eighty-nine degrees twenty-two minutes ( $189^{\circ} 22'$ ) two hundred and twenty-eight (228) links, thence by a line bearing two hundred and four degrees thirty minutes ( $204^{\circ} 30'$ ) four hundred and fifty-six (456) links, thence by a line bearing two hundred and twenty-seven degrees thirty minutes ( $227^{\circ} 30'$ ) two hundred and twenty-five (225) links, thence by a line bearing two hundred and thirty-five degrees fifty minutes ( $235^{\circ} 50'$ ) one hundred and forty-seven (147) links, thence by a line bearing two hundred and forty degrees thirty-five minutes ( $240^{\circ} 35'$ ) five hundred and four (504) links, thence by a line bearing two hundred and forty-three degrees eighteen minutes ( $243^{\circ} 18'$ ) three hundred and fifty-six (356) links, thence by a line bearing two hundred and sixty-seven degrees ( $267^{\circ}$ ) six hundred and thirty-one and five-tenths ( $631\frac{5}{10}$ ) links, thence by a line bearing two hundred and seventeen degrees twenty-nine minutes ( $217^{\circ} 29'$ ) two hundred (200) links, thence by a line bearing one hundred and eighty-three degrees forty-four minutes ( $183^{\circ} 44'$ ) eight hundred and ninety-nine and three-tenths ( $899\frac{3}{10}$ ) links, back to the starting point.

And also all that piece of land containing by admeasurement one acre one rood and twenty-eight and three-tenths poles, being part of Section fifty-six (56), Block two (II.), Oamaru Survey District aforesaid: Commencing at a point in the southern boundary line of said Section fifty-six (56) distant one thousand three hundred and fifty and one-tenth ( $1350\frac{1}{10}$ ) links due west from the south-eastern corner of said section, thence by a line bearing due north one hundred and sixty (160) links, thence by a line bearing three hundred and forty degrees thirty minutes ( $340^{\circ} 30'$ ) two hundred (200) links, thence by a line bearing three hundred and forty-one degrees seven minutes ( $341^{\circ} 7'$ ) two hundred and ninety-nine (299) links, thence by a line bearing fifteen degrees forty-seven minutes ( $15^{\circ} 47'$ ) three hundred and twenty-three (323) links, thence by a line bearing seventy-one degrees forty-two minutes and thirty seconds ( $71^{\circ} 42' 30''$ ) three hundred and eighty-eight (388) links, thence by a line bearing ninety-one degrees thirty minutes ( $91^{\circ} 30'$ ) five hundred and fifty (550) links,

thence by a line bearing ninety-three degrees twenty-five minutes ( $93^{\circ} 25'$ ) five hundred and ten (510) links to the eastern boundary line of said Section fifty-six (56) at a point distant one thousand and twenty-one (1021) links due north from the extreme south-eastern corner of said Section fifty-six (56), thence along a road line and the said eastern boundary of Section fifty-six (56) aforesaid in a due south direction sixty and one-tenth ( $60\frac{1}{10}$ ) links, thence by a line bearing two hundred and seventy-three degrees twenty-five minutes ( $273^{\circ} 25'$ ) five hundred and eight (508) links, thence by a line bearing two hundred and seventy-one degrees thirty minutes ( $271^{\circ} 30'$ ) five hundred and forty-one (541) links, thence by a line bearing two hundred and fifty-one degrees forty-two minutes and thirty seconds ( $251^{\circ} 42' 30''$ ) three hundred and forty-six (346) links, thence by a line bearing one hundred and ninety-five degrees forty-seven minutes ( $195^{\circ} 47'$ ) two hundred and seventy-two (272) links, thence by a line bearing one hundred and sixty-one degrees seven minutes ( $161^{\circ} 7'$ ) two hundred and eighty (280) links, thence by a line bearing one hundred and sixty degrees thirty minutes ( $160^{\circ} 30'$ ) two hundred and eleven (211) links, thence by a line bearing due south one hundred and seventy and five-tenths ( $170\frac{5}{10}$ ) links, thence by a line bearing due west back to commencement point sixty and one-tenth ( $60\frac{1}{10}$ ) links; be all the aforesaid bearings and distances a little more or less; the above particulars being delineated upon the plan hereto attached.

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 tenth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

ROBERT STOUT,  
Minister acting for the Minister for  
Public Works.

Approved in Council.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Altering Fees under "The Resident Magistrates Evidence Act, 1870."*

NORMANBY, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this tenth day of December, 1878.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is enacted by "The Financial Arrangements Act, 1878," that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council from time to time to abolish or alter the fees to be paid under "The Resident Magistrates Evidence Act, 1870,"

or any of them, and to fix others in lieu thereof, and the fees so fixed shall be published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, and on and after a day to be named therein shall be deemed to be the fees to be paid under the said Act:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him as aforesaid, doth hereby, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony of New Zealand, abolish the fees prescribed to be taken under "The Resident Magistrates Evidence Act, 1870," and doth with the like advice and consent fix that, from and after the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, the fees specified in the Schedule hereto shall be the fees to be taken and paid in respect of the several proceedings, matters, and things under the said Act mentioned and set forth in the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

	Claim not exceeding £5.	Claim more than £5, and not more than £10.	Claim more than £10, and not more than £20.	Claim more than £20, and not more than £50.	Where the claim exceeds £50.
On every application for an examination ...	1	0 1	0 1	0 3	0 6 0
On every examination other than an adjourned examination ...	1	0 2	0 3	0 6	0 12 0
On every adjournment of an examination on application of a party ...	1	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6 0
For every witness sworn at an examination after the first three on each side ...	1	0 1	0 1	0 2	0 4 0
For service on a party of notice of intended examination within two miles from the Court whence the same shall be served ...	2	0 2	0 2	0 3	0 3 0
For every extra mile, one way ...	1	0 1	0 1	0 1	0 1 0
For every affidavit of service of such notice ...	1	0 1	0 1	0 1	0 1 0
For every summons to a witness to attend such examination and for service thereof, to include one name ...	2	0 2	0 2	0 3	0 3 0
For service of summons to a witness, the same charges as for service of notice on a party.					

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Pukekohe East and Pukekohe West Highway Districts abolished.*

NORMANBY, Governor.

UNDER and in pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by an Act of the Province of Auckland intituled "The Highways Act, 1874," and by "The Abolition of Provinces Act, 1875," I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby notify that I do hereby abolish the highway districts constituted under the said "Highways Act, 1874," and named the Pukekohe East Highway District and the Pukekohe West Highway District.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fourth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

G. S. WHITMORE.

*Pukekohe West Highway District constituted.*

NORMANBY, Governor.

UNDER and in pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by an Act of the Province of Auckland intituled "The Highways Act, 1874," and by "The Abolition of Provinces Act, 1875," I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, hereby notify that I do hereby create that portion of the Provincial District of Auckland described in the Schedule hereto a new highway district under the said "Highways Act, 1874," by the distinctive name of the Pukekohe West Highway District, and I declare that the boundaries of the said district shall be those defined in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

COMMENCING at the south-western angle of Allotment No. 60, of the Parish of Karaka, and being bounded towards the North by the southern boundary of Allotment No. 60 aforesaid and the southern boundaries of Lots 79 and 82, to the south-eastern angle of Lot 82 last-named, all of the Parish of Karaka aforesaid: towards the East by the eastern boundaries of Lots No. 3, 13, and 14, of the Parish of Pukekohe; thence by the southern boundaries of Lot 14 aforesaid and Lot 4, of the Parish of Pukekohe aforesaid; thence by part of the eastern and southern boundaries of Lot 118, of Section 1, Pukekohe Settlement, to the Auckland and Waikato Railway; thence by that railway to the south-western corner of Lot 36, Parish of Pukekohe, at its intersection with the Otutainui Stream; thence by that stream to its confluence with the Whakapipi Stream, and thence by that stream to its intersection with the eastern boundary of Lot No. 5, Parish of Tuakau; thence by that boundary and by the centre of a road forming part of the north-eastern boundary of Lot 2, of the same parish, to the northern boundary of Lot 1, Parish of Tuakau aforesaid; thence by the western boundary of the aforesaid Lot 1 to its south-western angle; and thence by a line running due south to the Waikato River: towards the South by the Waikato River, from the southern termination of the line last described to the eastern boundary of the Parish of Puni: and towards the West by the eastern and part of the north-eastern boundaries of the Parish of Puni aforesaid to the south-western angle of Lot No. 38, of the Parish of Pukekohe; thence by the south-eastern and north-eastern boundaries of the aforesaid Lot 38, to the south-west angle of Lot No. 60, of the Parish of Karaka, at the point of commencement.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fourth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

G. S. WHITMORE.

*"Highways Act, 1874," brought into operation in the Pukekohe West District.*

NORMANBY, Governor.

UNDER and in pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by an Act of the Province of Auckland intituled "The Highways Act, 1874," 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 notify that I do hereby bring the said "Highways Act, 1874," into operation in the Pukekohe West Highway District; and I further notify that I do hereby appoint the twenty-first

day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, at seven o'clock p.m., at the Schoolhouse, Pukekohe, to be the day, hour, and place for the first meeting of ratepayers for the said district; and I appoint

JACOB HENRY WRIGHT

to be the Chairman of such meeting.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fourth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

G. S. WHITMORE.

*Pukekohe East Highway District constituted.*

NORMANBY, Governor.

UNDER and in pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by an Act of the Province of Auckland intituled "The Highways Act, 1874," and by "The Abolition of Provinces Act, 1875," I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, hereby notify that I do hereby create that portion of the Provincial District of Auckland described in the Schedule hereto a new highway district under the said "Highways Act, 1874," by the distinctive name of the Pukekohe East Highway District, and I declare that the boundaries of the said district shall be those defined in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

COMMENCING at the junction of roads at the northernmost angle of Lot No. 43, of the Parish of Opaheke, and bounded towards the North-east by the Great South Road from the junction of roads before named to the south-eastern angle of Lot No. 51, of the parish aforesaid; towards the South-east by the south-eastern boundary of Lot No. 51 aforesaid to the south-western boundary of the Parish of Maungatawhiri; again towards the North-east by the south-western boundary of the Parish of Maungatawhiri aforesaid, and thence by the said parish boundary to the Waikato River; towards the South-east and South by the Waikato River aforesaid to the southern termination of a line bearing due south from the south-western angle of Lot 1, Parish of Tuakau: towards the West by the aforesaid line to the south-western angle of the aforesaid Lot 1; thence by the western and northern boundaries of that lot by the centre of a road forming part of the north-eastern boundary of Lot 2, Parish of Tuakau; thence by the eastern boundary of Lot 5, of the aforesaid parish, to its intersection with the Whakapipi Stream; thence by that stream to its confluence with the Otutainui Stream, and by that stream to the south-western corner of Lot 36, Parish of Pukekohe, the said corner being also a point of intersection by the Auckland and Waikato Railway; thence by that railway to the southern boundary of Lot 118, of Section 2, Pukekohe Settlement; thence by the southern and eastern boundaries of the aforesaid Lot 118 to the southern boundary of Lot 4, Parish of Pukekohe; thence by the southern boundaries of Lots 4 and 13, of the aforesaid Parish of Pukekohe; and thence by the eastern boundaries of Lots 14, 13, and 3, of that parish, to the south-eastern angle of Lot No. 82, of the Parish of Karaka; thence by the north-eastern boundary of the said Lot 82 and part of the north-eastern boundary of Lot No. 74, both of the parish last named, to the south-western angle of Lot No. 81; thence by the southern and part of the north-eastern boundary of Lot No. 81 aforesaid to the south-eastern boundary of Lot No. 41, of the Parish of Opaheke; thence by the said south-eastern boundary to its intersection with the road traversing Lot No. 41 aforesaid; and

thence by the western side of the said road to its junction with the Great South Road at the point of commencement.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fourth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

G. S. WHITMORE.

"Highways Act, 1874," brought into operation in the Pukekohe East District.

NORMANBY, Governor.

UNDER and in pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by an Act of the Province of Auckland intituled "The Highways Act, 1874," 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 notify that I do hereby bring the said "Highways Act, 1874," into operation in the Pukekohe East Highway District; and I further notify that I do hereby appoint the twentieth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, at three o'clock p.m., at the Schoolhouse, Harrisville, to be the day, hour, and place for the first meeting of ratepayers for the said district; and I appoint

BENJAMIN HARRIS

to be the Chairman of such meeting.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fourth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

G. S. WHITMORE.

*Limits of Legal Landing-place at Port of Nelson.*

NORMANBY, Governor.

IN exercise of the power in me vested by "The Customs Regulation Act, 1858," I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby annul the Order dated the eight day of August, one thousand eight hundred and sixty, in which the limits of the legal landing-place for the Port of Nelson were set out and appointed, and in lieu thereof do declare and appoint that, from the day of the date hereof, all that area known as the Nelson Wharf and Reclamation, abutting on the western boundary of Haven Road, and extending from the southernmost corner of the Customhouse Building and the stone retaining-wall abutting on the building known as the Albion Hotel, situate on the Haven Road within the Port of Nelson, shall be the legal landing-place for the lading and unloading of goods at the Port of Nelson under "The Customs Regulation Act, 1858."

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this sixth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

J. BALLANCE.

Governor's Order No. 117.]

*Trustees appointed for Maintenance of Port Molyneux Cemetery.*

NORMANBY, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the second section of "The Cemeteries Management Act, 1877," I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the several persons whose names are specified in the first column of the Schedule

hereto to be Trustees to provide for the maintenance and care of the public cemetery specified in the second column of the said Schedule.

## SCHEDULE.

Name of Trustees.	Name of Public Cemetery, and Description of Land.
John Hartley Jenkinson. William Hay. Richard George Wilson. John Wyllie. James Stevens.	PORT MOLYNEUX CEMETERY. All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Otago, in the Colony of New Zealand, situate in the Town of Molyneux, containing by admeasurement nine (9) acres one (1) rood and twenty-three (23) perches, more or less, and marked Cemetery Reserve on the map of the said town. Bounded towards the North-west by Crown lands, five hundred and forty (540) links; towards the North-east by Ives Street, one thousand seven hundred (1700) links; towards the South-east by Crown lands, five hundred and forty (540) links; and towards the South-west by Section No. 11, Block I., South Molyneux District, one thousand seven hundred (1700) links.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this ninth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

G. S. WHITMORE.

## Regulations for the Land District of Nelson.

## APPENDIX E.

NORMANBY, Governor.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities in me vested by the one hundred and sixty-ninth section of "The Land Act, 1877," I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby make the following regulations for the Land District of Nelson:—

1. All persons desiring leases of unoccupied portions of Crown lands (not exceeding 320 acres) shall lodge with the Land Board an application and description thereof in the form or to the effect of the First Schedule hereto, and shall at the time of lodging such application pay to the Receiver of Land Revenue a deposit of 1s. 6d. per acre towards the expense of the survey for every acre of the land so applied for. No deposit in any case shall be less than £1.

2. The deposit so paid shall be placed to the credit of the applicant, and applied, first, towards the expenses of such survey and the publication of the notice hereafter mentioned, and if there shall be any surplus the same shall be applied towards the payment of any rent payable in respect of the land applied for.

3. If the application is refused by the Board, the amount of deposit paid in respect of such application shall be repaid to the applicant.

4. Before any application for a lease shall be granted by the Board, the Commissioner shall publish in some newspaper circulating in the district, once in each week for two consecutive weeks, a notice setting forth particulars of the application in such form as the Commissioner shall consider best.

5. All sections of land to be leased shall, as far as the features of the country will admit, and, except in the case of natural boundaries, be of a rectangular form, and no section shall be laid off in such manner as, in the opinion of the Board, to render less avail-

able for sale or lease, or injuriously to affect in value any other Crown lands.

6. As soon as conveniently may be after the survey and determination of the rent, a lease executed by the Commissioner shall be issued to the applicant, but no lease shall be executed by the Commissioner until the Board has approved thereof: Provided that the lessee shall first execute a counterpart thereof, and pay for such lease the sum of £1 10s. Every lease shall be in the form or to the effect in the Second Schedule hereto, and contain the covenants and provisions therein set forth.

7. If any applicant shall withdraw his application, or shall fail to sign and execute the counterpart of his lease for the space of three calendar months after notice shall have been given that the same is ready for signature, he shall forfeit his right to such lease, as well as any deposit he shall have paid at the time of making his application. Any such notice may be delivered personally, or sent by post, addressed to the last known place of abode or business of the applicant, or published in some newspaper circulating in the district.

8. It shall be lawful for the Board, at any time before the execution of any such lease, to exclude from the land proposed to be comprised therein any land which to them may appear suitable for any of the purposes, whether temporary or permanent, for which Crown lands may from time to time be reserved according to any law for the time being in force.

9. Particulars of every assignment whereby the land demised by any lease or any part thereof, or the estate or interest of the lessee therein is transferred, shall be recorded in such manner as the Commissioner thinks best, and the instrument of transfer shall be produced to the Commissioner for that purpose within one month from the date thereof. Upon recording any assignment the Commissioner shall indorse on the instrument of transfer a certificate or memorandum that the same has been recorded, and there shall be paid in respect of any such certificate or memorandum a fee after the rate of 10s. for the first one hundred acres or fractional part of one hundred acres, and 1s. additional fee for each additional one hundred acres or fractional part of one hundred acres so recorded: Provided that no assignment or transfer of a part of a leasehold shall be made, and no assignment or transfer of the entirety of a leasehold shall take effect without the consent of the Crown Lands Commissioner.

10. All rents or moneys payable under or in respect of any lease shall be due and paid annually in advance on the first day of January in each year of the term of lease: Provided always that one full year's rent shall be paid at the time of issue on all leases issued prior to the thirtieth day of June in any year, and one-half year's rent shall be paid on leases issued subsequent to the thirtieth day of June in any year.

11. These regulations are subject to the provisions of "The Crown Lands Sale Act, 1877."

## FIRST SCHEDULE.

## APPLICATION FOR LEASE.

To the Commissioner of Crown Lands for the Land District of Nelson.

I HEREBY apply for a lease under Appendix E of "The Land Act, 1877," of the land the particulars of which are as follow:—

District :  
Boundaries :  
Description :  
Acreage :

Deposit ... £

Signature in full:

Residence:

Occupation:

Date:

#### SECOND SCHEDULE.

THIS deed made the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-\_\_\_\_\_, between Her most Gracious Majesty Victoria, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, of the first part, and the Land Board of the Nelson Land District, of the second part, and \_\_\_\_\_, who and whose heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, is and are, unless where the context requires a different construction, styled the lessee, of the third part:

Whereas the lessee has made application to the Land Board of the Land District of Nelson for a lease of the Crown lands hereinafter demised, under and by virtue of and subject to the terms and conditions imposed by "The Land Act, 1877," and the Appendix E thereto and the regulations made thereunder respectively: And whereas the lessee has complied with the regulations and conditions, and has paid the deposit by the said regulations required: And whereas the said Board has assessed the said land at its value to sell, as provided by section eight of Appendix E to the said "Land Act, 1877," and the same is assessed at \_\_\_\_\_ pounds: Now this deed witnesseth that, in consideration of the rents hereinafter reserved, and the covenants on the lessee's part hereinafter contained, Her Majesty the Queen doth hereby demise and lease, and the Land Board aforesaid doth hereby demise, lease, and confirm, unto the lessee all that \_\_\_\_\_, as the same is delineated on plan drawn hereon, bordered red, together with the appurtenances, to hold the same unto the lessee, subject to "The Land Act, 1877," and the said Appendix E thereof, and to any amendments thereof respectively, and of any Act or Law passed for the like purpose, and to any regulations made thereunder respectively, and to the terms and conditions applicable to or directed to be implied in leases by any Law or Ordinance for the time being, for the term of fourteen years from the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, one thousand eight hundred and \_\_\_\_\_, yielding and paying therefor yearly and every year during the said term the annual rent or sum of \_\_\_\_\_ sterling, payable in advance on the first day of January in every year.

Except and always reserved out of this demise unto Her Majesty, her heirs, successors, and assigns, all mines, minerals, in, under, or upon the said demised premises, with full and free liberty of ingress, egress, and regress for her or their agents, servants, and workmen, and her and their lessees and licensees, and all other persons whomsoever, holding a license or authority from the Governor or from the Minister of Lands, with or without horses, carts, carriages, and other vehicles, into, through, and over the said land and premises, to search for and work the said mines and minerals, and to sell, carry away, and dispose of the same, and to make all necessary and convenient roads for such purposes.

And also excepted and always reserved out of this lease, unto Her Majesty, her heirs, successors, and assigns, the right to lay out and construct through and over the said lands hereby demised such roads, other than the roads before-mentioned, as by Her Majesty, her heirs, successors, and assigns, or the Government of the colony, or the Minister of Lands, may be deemed necessary for the public benefit, without any compensation being made therefor, other than the reduction of the rent hereinafter mentioned.

Provided also that the lands taken for the purpose of such roads, other than the roads for access to mines before mentioned, shall not exceed the proportion of five acres for every hundred acres herein comprised.

Provided also that the rent hereby reserved shall, whenever any part of the said land shall be taken for such roads, be reduced at the rate of ten per centum for every acre or part of an acre so taken.

And the lessee covenants with Her Majesty, her heirs, successors, and assigns, that the lessee shall not, nor will, during this demise, assign, underlet, or otherwise dispose of or part with the possession of the demised premises or any part thereof, or of his or their interest therein, otherwise than by will; but the lessee may, with the consent in writing of the Commissioner of Crown Lands of the Land District of Nelson first had and obtained, assign the lessee's estate and interest in the entirety of the leasehold premises hereby demised: Provided that such license or consent shall not extend or be construed to extend to any future assignment unless so expressed.

Provided nevertheless that consent to any assignment as aforesaid shall not be withheld, if at the time of applying for such consent the covenants and conditions of this lease shall be fully observed and performed; and the lessee shall pay all rents in arrear, and any fee which for the time being is by any regulation or law required to be paid for any certificate or memorandum that such assignment has been recorded by the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

And the lessee further covenants with Her Majesty, her heirs, successors, and assigns, that if at any time during this demise the rent thereby reserved, or any part thereof, shall be in arrear and unpaid for six calendar months, the lessee will pay double the rent so in arrear: Provided nevertheless that this covenant shall not prejudice the rights and remedies of Her Majesty, her heirs, successors, and assigns, under the power of re-entry hereafter contained.

Provided always, and it is expressly agreed, that if the rent hereby reserved, or the said double rent or any part thereof respectively, shall be unpaid for three calendar months next after any of the days on which the same ought to have been paid (although no formal demand shall have been made thereof), or in case of the breach or non-performance of any of the covenants and agreements herein contained or implied on the part of the lessee, then, and in either of such cases, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty the Queen, her heirs, successors, or assigns, at any time thereafter, into and upon the said demised premises, or any part thereof, in the name of the whole, to re-enter, and the same to have again, repossess, and enjoy as of her or their former estate, and such re-entry shall operate to release and discharge the lessee's estate and interest at law and in equity to the demised premises, anything herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding; but such re-entry shall not release the lessee from any rent in arrear, or from liability for any breach of covenant: Provided that no covenants whatever shall be implied herein on the part of Her Majesty the Queen, or the Land Board aforesaid respectively.

In witness whereof these presents have been executed by or on behalf of the parties hereto, the day and year first above written.

Signed &c., &c.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this ninth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

ROBERT STOUT.

*Authorizing the taking and laying down of Roads in the Auckland Provincial District.*

NORMANBY, Governor.

WHEREAS by an Act of the General Assembly intituled "The Crown Grants Act, 1866," it is enacted that, whenever roads or rights of roads have been or hereafter may be reserved in any Crown grants, but such roads or the particular part or portions of the land comprised in the grant over which the road is to be or may be taken have not been or may not be specifically described in the body of the grant and laid down from survey on the plan in the margin thereof, or indorsed thereon or attached thereto, such Crown grants, if otherwise duly and legally executed, shall be and be taken to have been as valid and effectual to all intents and purposes as if the said road or part of the land over which the right of road was to be taken had been specifically described and laid down as aforesaid on the said grant before the execution of the same, any law or practice to the contrary notwithstanding; and it is also thereby enacted that all such reservations made before or after the passing of the said Act shall be valid and effectual to all intents and purposes; provided always that the right of taking a road through any section shall only be exercised within five years after the issue of the grant, and, with regard to grants issued before the passing of the said Act, within three years from the coming into operation of the said Act; and it is also thereby enacted that, in any case where allowances have been or shall be made in land or remission of purchase-money in respect of such reservation of road, the road to be taken shall in no case exceed the amount of land allowed or the amount of the purchase-money whereof shall have been or shall be remitted as aforesaid; and it is also thereby enacted that, whenever such road or roads shall have been taken and laid down in manner aforesaid on the land comprised in any such grant by any person legally authorized in that behalf, the land conveyed by the grant shall be deemed, from the date of the laying down of such road, to be all the land therein described to be granted, with the exception of the part thereof taken for such road, which part shall be deemed to be vested in Her Majesty, her heirs and successors:

And whereas by "The Special Powers and Contracts Act, 1878," it is declared that the reservation in the several Crown grants issued under "The Poverty Bay Grants Act, 1869," of the right to take roads through the lands thereby granted within ten years from the date of the said grants shall be and be deemed to have been, as from the issue of such grants, valid to all intents and purposes, and the provisions

of sections nine, ten, and eleven of "The Crown Grants Act, 1866," shall apply to such grants, except that those provisions, so far as the grants aforesaid are concerned, shall be construed as if "ten years" had been inserted in lieu of "five years" in the tenth section of the said "Crown Grants Act, 1866:"

And whereas it is expedient that a fit and proper person should be authorized to take and lay down roads over the lands specified in the Schedule hereto:

Now, therefore, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of all powers and authorities enabling me in this behalf, do hereby authorize

FRANCIS SIMPSON, Esquire,

Assistant Surveyor, of Gisborne, to take and lay down roads over the lands specified in the Schedule hereto, and for that purpose to exercise all such powers as by the said Act may be exercised by a person legally authorized in that behalf under the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

Block.	No.	Area.			District.
		A.	R.	P.	
Repongaere ...	819	9,900	0	0	Waikohu, Waimata, and Patutahi.
Pukepapa ...	829	11,000	0	0	Waikohu and Waimata.
Te Kuri ...	1701A	783	1	36	Turanganui.
Kupinga No. 1 ...	1734	19	0	0	"
" No. 2 ...	1620	25	0	0	"
Kohanga Karearea ...	931	152	0	0	"
Pukiwhinau ...	462	74	0	0	"
Pakowai No. 1 ...	752	4,950	0	0	Turanganui and Patutahi.
Pakakea Whirikoka ...	421	6,354	0	0	Waingaromia and Mangatu.
Poroporo ...	772A	108	0	0	Patutahi.
Rahui ...	844	21	0	0	Turanganui.
Ruangarehu ...	320	3,146	0	0	Waikohu and Waimata.
Rakaukaka ...	772	1,563	0	0	Patutahi.
Tahunihorangi ...	1558	15	1	15	Turanganui.
Tawhiritu ...	661	120	0	0	Waimata.
Tangotete No. 1 ...	1552	5	0	0	Turanganui.
" No. 2 ...	437	72	3	21	"
Waikanae ...	1561	223	0	0	"

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this tenth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

ROBERT STOUT.

*Lands permanently reserved.*

NORMANBY, Governor.

WHEREAS by the one hundred and forty-fourth section of "The Land Act, 1877," it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, either by general or particular description, and whether the same has been surveyed or not, reserve from sale temporarily, notwithstanding that the same may be then held under pastoral license, any Crown lands which in his opinion are required for any of the purposes in the said section mentioned:

And whereas by the one hundred and forty-fifth section of the said Act it is provided that land temporarily reserved under the said one hundred and forty-fourth section may, at the expiration of one month but not later than six months after the publication in the *Gazette* of notice of such temporary reservation, be permanently reserved, and that notice of such permanent reservation shall be published in the *Gazette*:

And whereas the lands specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto were, by the several warrants the dates of which are specified in the third column of the said Schedule, and the notifications of which were published in the *Gazettes* specified in the fourth column, temporarily reserved under the authority of the said Act for the purposes specified in the second column of the said Schedule:

Now, therefore, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the said Act, do hereby permanently reserve the lands so temporarily reserved as aforesaid, and enumerated in the first column of the Schedule hereto, for the purposes specified in the second column of the said Schedule, being the same purposes for which the said lands were so temporarily reserved as aforesaid.

## SCHEDULE.

First Column. DESCRIPTION OF RESERVES.					Second Column. Purpose for which Land Reserved.	Third Column. Date of Warrant.	Fourth Column. Gazette.
Provincial District.	Locality.	Lot.	Block.	Area.			
Auckland	... Opotiki	... 365, 366, 411	2	A. E. P. 2 3 28	Hospital	1878. 27 August	1878. No. 84, 29 Aug.
Otago	... Glenkenich	... 43	IX.	10 0 0	School	18 Sept.	... 89, 19 Sept.
Canterbury	... Ashburton	... 2278	...	75 0 0	Endowment for primary education	28 Sept.	... 95, 3 Oct.
Taranaki	... Huirangi	... 87, 88, 89, 90, 188	...	2 0 24	Cemetery	3 October	... 97, 10 Oct.
Otago	... Warepa	... 33	X.	10 0 0	School	4 October	...
Auckland	... Ngaruawahia	... 48	...	0 0 25	Public library	10 October	... 98, 14 Oct.
Hawke's Bay	... Clyde	... 12	2	8 0 32	Recreation	"	"
Auckland	... Waiuku	... 73	...	10 0 0	"	"	"
"	... Waiuku E.	... 162, 163, 164	...	52 0 0	"	"	"
Taranaki	... Hawera	... 15	19	0 0 20	Public library	"	"
Otago	... Glenkenich	... 63	XIII.	5 0 0	Hospital	15 October	... 101, 17 Oct.
Hawke's Bay	... Havelock	... 79	...	1 2 0	Police-station	"	"

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this ninth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

ROBERT STOUT,  
Minister of Lands.

Notice by Mayor of East Invercargill under Section 145, "Municipal Corporations Act, 1876."

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 29th December, 1878.

THE following notice, received from his Worship the Mayor of East Invercargill, is published in accordance with section 145 of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1876."

G. S. WHITMORE.

Council Chambers,

East Invercargill, 29th November, 1878.

SIR,—In conformity with section 145 of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1876," I have the honor to forward to you the result of a poll taken on the 28th instant, in the Borough of East Invercargill, on the proposal to borrow one thousand pounds (£1,000) sterling as a special loan, to be secured by a special rate of one shilling in the pound on the rateable value of property in the borough. Such loan to be devoted for the making of streets within the borough.

For the proposal ... 60 ratepayers.  
Against the proposal ... 3 "

Majority for proposal... 57

I have, &c.,

JOSEPH STOCK,  
Mayor.

The Hon. the Colonial Secretary,  
Wellington.

*Vice-Consul temporarily appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 5th December, 1878.

IT is hereby notified that the United States Consul at Auckland has reported that he has appointed

temporarily

ALEXANDER HAMILTON SHIPLEY, Esq.,

to be United States Vice-Consul at Auckland, and his Excellency the Governor directs such appointment to be recognized provisionally.

G. S. WHITMORE.

*Member of Medical Board, Christchurch Hospital, appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 10th December, 1878.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM HENRY SYMES, Esq., M.D.,  
to be a Member of the Medical Board of the Christchurch Hospital, Christchurch.

G. S. WHITMORE.

*Member of Suburban North Road Board elected.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 10th December, 1878.

IN conformity with an Act of the Provincial Council of Nelson intitled "The (Nelson) Highways Act, 1872," it is hereby notified that

WILLIAM WELLS  
has been elected a Member of the Suburban North Road Board, vice R. Donald, resigned.

G. S. WHITMORE.

*Members of Canterbury Hospital and Charitable Aid Board appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 11th December, 1878.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint



HENRY THOMSON, Esq.,  
 GEORGE BOOTH, Esq.,  
 WILLIAM MONTGOMERY, Esq., M.H.R.,  
 JOHN EVANS BROWN, Esq., M.H.R.,  
 JAMES SOMERVILLE TURNBULL, Esq., M.D., and  
 The MAYORS of CHRISTCHURCH and LYTTELTON  
 (for the time being),  
 to be Members of the Temporary Hospital and  
 Charitable Aid Board for the Canterbury District.  
 G. S. WHITMORE.

*Cadet in Colonial Secretary's Office appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
 Wellington, 10th December, 1878.  
**HIS** Excellency the Governor has been pleased to  
 make the under-mentioned appointment to the  
 Civil Service:—  
 EDWARD CAMPBELL RAIKES  
 to be a Cadet in the Colonial Secretary's Office.  
 Appointment to date from 1st December, 1878.  
 G. S. WHITMORE.

*Justice of the Peace and Resident Magistrate resigned.*

Department of Justice,  
 Wellington, 5th December, 1878.  
**HIS** Excellency the Governor has been pleased to  
 accept the resignation by  
 HERBERT JOSEPH WILLIAMS, Esq.,  
 of Wairoa, of his appointments as a Justice of the  
 Peace and Resident Magistrate.  
 ROBERT STOUT,  
 (for the Minister of Justice.)

*Gaoler appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
 Wellington, 5th December, 1878.  
**HIS** Excellency the Governor has been pleased to  
 appoint  
 Constable THOMAS WHELAN  
 to be Gaoler to the Prison at Tauranga, *vice* Sergeant  
 White.  
 ROBERT STOUT,  
 (for the Minister of Justice.)

*Accountant and a Clerk to the Treasury appointed.*

Treasury,  
 Wellington, 10th December, 1878.  
**HIS** Excellency the Governor in Council has been  
 pleased to make the under-mentioned appoint-  
 ments:—  
 JAMES BARNES HEYWOOD, Esq.,  
 to be Accountant to the Treasury, from the 1st  
 instant; and  
 EDWARD MILLER, Esq.,  
 to be a Clerk in the Treasury, from the 9th instant.  
 J. BALLANCE.

*Resignation of Volunteer Officer.*

Colonial Defence Office,  
 Wellington, 3rd December, 1878.  
**HIS** Excellency the Governor has been pleased to  
 accept the resignation of the commission held by  
 the under-mentioned officer:—  
 Captain J. B. Poynter,  
 J Battery, New Zealand Regiment of Artillery Volun-  
 teers.  
 G. S. WHITMORE.

*Appointment of Volunteer Officers.*

Colonial Defence Office,  
 Wellington, 6th December, 1878.  
**HIS** Excellency the Governor has been pleased to  
 make the under-mentioned appointments:—  
*In the New Zealand Regiment of Artillery Volunteers,*  
*J Battery.*  
 Captain Thomas William Porter (New Zealand  
 Militia) to be Captain. Date of commission, 31st  
 October, 1878.  
 Sub-Lieutenant Thomas U'Ren to be Lieutenant.  
 Date of commission, 31st October, 1878.  
 G. S. WHITMORE.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

No. 33 of 1878.

Marine Department,  
 Wellington, 9th December, 1878.  
**T**HE following Notice to Mariners, received from  
 the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, South Aus-  
 tralia, is published for general information.  
 J. BALLANCE.

INVESTIGATOR STRAIT, ALTHORPE ISLAND.

REFERRING to notices issued from this department  
 on the 27th July, 1877, and 25th January, 1878, and  
 the 6th June, 1878, mariners are now hereby in-  
 formed that, on and after the 14th day of February,  
 1879, a Revolving Light of the First Order, flashing  
 every fifteen seconds, will be exhibited from a Light  
 Tower, painted white, and 40 feet in height, erected  
 on the large Althorpe Island. The colour of the  
 light will be white, except between the bearings,  
 from the lighthouse, of N. 25° W., and N. 61° W.,  
 where a RED arc of light will be shown, leading half  
 a mile to the eastward of Emmes Reef, and nearly  
 half a mile southward of the S.W. Rock.

The focal plane of the light will be at an elevation  
 of 350 feet above the sea level. In ordinary weather,  
 the bright portion of the light should be observed  
 from a ship's deck about 25 miles distant, and the  
 red arc of light about 17 miles.

When much refraction exists both lights may be  
 seen at a greater distance.

R. H. FERGUSON,  
 President, Marine Board.  
 Marine Board Offices,  
 Port Adelaide, 7th November, 1878.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

No. 34 of 1878.

Marine Department,  
 Wellington, 10th December, 1878.  
**T**HE following Notices to Mariners, received from  
 the Portmaster, Brisbane, are published for  
 general information.  
 J. BALLANCE.

NEW LIGHT, NORTH REEF, CAPRICORN CHANNEL.  
 ON and after this date, a Fixed and Flashing Light  
 will be exhibited from the Lighthouse recently  
 erected on North Reef.

The tower, which is circular, is painted white, and  
 is 80 feet in height.

The illuminating apparatus is dioptric, of the  
 second order, showing two flashes in succession, at an  
 interval of one minute, followed by two minutes of  
 fixed light, the series of changes occupying four  
 minutes.

The light, which shows all round the horizon, is 72 feet above high water, and is visible from the deck of a small craft about 13 miles.

G. P. HEATH, Commander, R.N.,  
Portmaster.

Department of Ports and Harbours,  
Brisbane, 14th November, 1878.

**LIGHT ON GATCOMBE HEAD, PORT CURTIS.**

ON and after this date, a White Light will be exhibited from the west side of the Pilot's Cottage on Gatcombe Head, at an elevation of 80 feet above high water.

The light will be obscured when bearing East of E. by S.  $\frac{1}{4}$  S. Vessels proceeding up the harbour should, after opening out the light, keep away for Auckland Point, being clear of the West Banks and the shoal water off Southtrees Point, while the light is kept in sight.

G. P. HEATH, Commander, R.N.,  
Portmaster.

Department of Ports and Harbours,  
Brisbane, 19th November, 1878.

*Authority to Frank.*

General Post Office,  
Wellington, 11th December, 1878.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to authorize

The DEPUTY COMMISSIONER of the LAND-TAX  
DEPARTMENT at NAPIER

to frank and receive, free from the prepayment of postage, letters and parcels posted on the public service.

J. BALLANCE,  
(for the Postmaster-General.)

*Appointment under "Land-Tax Act, 1878."*

Land-Tax Department,  
Wellington, 11th December, 1878.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint

SAMUEL YEOMAN COLLINS, Esq.,

to be Deputy Land-Tax Commissioner for the Hawke's Bay District, as from the 4th instant.

J. BALLANCE.

*Assistant Photo-Lithographer dismissed.*

General Survey Office,  
Wellington, 10th December, 1878.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to dismiss from the Service

Mr. SAMUEL PHILLIPS,

Assistant Photo-Lithographer in the General Survey Department at Wellington.

G. S. WHITMORE,  
(in the absence of the Minister of Lands.)

*Deputy Commissioners of Stamps appointed.*

Head Office, Stamp Department,  
Wellington, 10th December, 1878.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments, viz. :—

GWALTER PALAIRET, Esq.,

to be Deputy Commissioner of Stamps for the Provincial District of Canterbury, to take effect from the 1st March, 1878; and

JOHN OWEN LORD, Esq.,

to be Deputy Commissioner of Stamps for the Provincial District of Wellington, to take effect from the 27th April, 1878.

J. BALLANCE.

*Land taken for Lighthouse Site, &c., Burgess Island.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Minister for Public Works, under the provisions of "The Public Works Act, 1876," proposes to execute certain public works, to wit, the construction of a lighthouse, lightkeeper's dwellings, with all requisite works, roads, and appurtenances, on Island Pokohinou or Burgess Island, Hauraki Gulf, in the Colony of New Zealand, and has caused a survey to be made and plans to be prepared showing generally the nature of the works proposed to be executed, and the lands required to be taken for the same, together with the names of the owners and occupiers of such lands, so far as the same could be ascertained, and has caused copies of such plans to be deposited in the Public Works Office in the City of Auckland, and at the Post Office, Whangarei, and are there open for inspection: And notice is hereby also given that the land so required to be taken as aforesaid is described in the Schedule hereto: And notice is hereby further given that the works proposed to be executed consist of a lighthouse, lightkeeper's dwellings, with all requisite works, roads, and appurtenances:

And notice is hereby further given that all persons affected shall, and they are hereby required to, set forth in writing any well-grounded objections to the execution of such works or to the taking of such lands, and to send such writing within forty days from the first publication of this notice to the Minister for Public Works, Wellington.

**SCHEDULE.**

ALL that piece or parcel of land situate on Pokohinou or Burgess Island, in the Hauraki Gulf, Colony of New Zealand, containing by admeasurement twenty-four (24) acres and thirty-five (35) perches, more or less. Commencing at a point on the line of high-water mark, said point bearing due East from the lighthouse site, and at a distance from it of eighty (80) links or thereabouts; thence in a generally northerly direction along said line of high-water mark for a distance of seven hundred (700) links or thereabouts; thence by a line in a north-westerly direction, on a bearing of  $144^{\circ} 17'$ , for a distance of six hundred and fifty-nine (659) links or thereabouts, to a point on the line of high-water mark on the north-western boundary or coast line; thence following along the line of said high-water mark for a distance of fifteen hundred (1500) links or thereabouts; thence in a southerly direction, on a bearing of  $10^{\circ} 34'$ , for a distance of one thousand five hundred and seventy (1570) links or thereabouts, to a point on the line of high-water mark on the southern boundary or coast line; thence in a generally easterly, southerly, and northerly direction, along the said line of high-water mark, for a distance of two thousand eight hundred (2800) links or thereabouts, to commencing point; access to the east and west portion of island being given by a road one chain wide: all in the manner delineated on the map marked M.D. 104, deposited as aforesaid.

Dated at Wellington, this ninth day of December, 1878.

J. MACANDREW,  
Minister for Public Works,

*Tenders.*

Public Works Office,  
Wellington, 9th December, 1878.

THE following list of successful and unsuccessful Tenderers is published for general information.

J. MACANDREW.

INVERCARGILL-KINGSTON RAILWAY, OTAUTAUBRANCH CONTRACT (No. 2).—FORMATION, PERMANENT WAY, AND BUILDINGS.

	<i>Accepted.</i>	£	s.	d.
David Robertson, Dunedin	...	10,600	0	0
	<i>Declined.</i>			
Topham and Angus, Invercargill	...	11,988	9	5
John Whittaker, Dunedin	...	12,407	3	4

*Sixteenth of December a Public Holiday in Canterbury.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 10th December, 1878.

IT is hereby notified that Monday, the 16th day of December instant, is to be observed as a general holiday in all public departments of the Government throughout the Provincial District of Canterbury.

By command.

G. S. COOPER,  
Under Secretary.

*Notification of Resignation of Seat in the House of Representatives for Electoral District of Maitauro.*

IN compliance with the provisions of the thirteenth section of "The Regulation of Elections Act 1870," I hereby notify that William Wood, Esquire, has resigned his seat in the House of Representatives for the Electoral District of Maitauro, and that his letter of resignation was received by me on the 10th day of December, 1878, and that the said seat is vacant by reason of such resignation.

Dated at Wellington, the 10th day of December, 1878.

WILLIAM FITZHERBERT,  
Speaker.

*Sheep Inspector's Notice.*

Crown Lands Office,  
Wellington, 5th December, 1878.

NOTICE has been received from the Inspector of Sheep for the Wairarapa District that he has cancelled the clean certificates for the following flocks: William McLaren, Wainuiorua; and Andrew Douglas, Wainuiorua; dated 18th November, 1878.

JOS. G. HOLDSWORTH,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Gold-Mining Lease to be granted.*

PUBLIC NOTIFICATION.

IN conformity with the thirty-seventh section of "The Mines Act, 1877," and with the regulations made under that Act for the granting of leases for gold-mining purposes, it is hereby notified that it is intended to grant a lease of Crown lands for gold-mining purposes to the applicants specified in the annexed Schedule, unless there shall be valid objections against such lease.

Objections to the granting of such lease, stating the grounds of objection, must be made in writing, and lodged with the Warden at Greymouth, on or before the 16th day of December, 1878.

Copy of the application made and plan annexed may be seen at the Warden's Office at Greymouth.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICANTS: Charles Patterson and Party. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "Patterson's Lease Company." 16 acres 2 roods, at Langdon's Creek, Grey, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

Given under my hand, at Nelson, this fourth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

ALFRED GREENFIELD,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands,  
(Holding delegated powers.)

*Tenders Invited.*

TO IRONMASTERS.—WANTED 100,000 TONS OF STEEL RAILS.

Public Works Office,  
Wellington, New Zealand,  
6th November, 1878.

WRITTEN TENDERS will be received at Wellington by the Hon. the Minister for Public Works up to 30th September, 1879, for the supply of the whole or any portion of 100,000 tons of steel rails, to be manufactured within the colony from New Zealand ores. Payment will be made in cash on delivery at the works—the Government of New Zealand agreeing to pay, in addition, one-half of the cost of the conveyance to the colony by sea of the workmen to be engaged in the manufacture.

Information as to the mineral resources of New Zealand, and maps indicating the various localities in which mineral deposits are situated in relation to means of transport, may be had on application to the Agent-General of New Zealand, 7, Westminster Chambers, Victoria Street, London; or to W. Walton Evans, Esq., 66½, Pine Street, New York.

As it is unlikely that intending contractors will enter into an engagement of the above nature without first satisfying themselves by personal inspection as to the position and extent of the raw material in New Zealand required for the manufacture of iron, every facility and information on this subject will be afforded on application to Dr. Hector, C.M.G., F.R.S., Director of the Geological Department, Wellington.

For the information of parties desiring to tender, it may be stated that the official returns show that there were imported into New Zealand, within the last eight years, 15,500 tons of cast-iron, and 93,000 tons of wrought-iron, exclusive of iron for Government and other railways, during which period 1,068 miles have been constructed and opened for traffic.

JOHN KNOWLES,  
Under Secretary for Public Works.

NOTICE.

Public Works Office,  
Wellington, New Zealand,  
6th November, 1878.

THE foregoing advertisement will be published in the United Kingdom, the North American States, and the Continent of Europe.

New Zealand colonists who may have friends and correspondents connected with the iron manufacture are requested to be good enough to draw attention to the highly advantageous and profitable field for enterprise which this colony presents to those who can bring the necessary capital and practical experience to bear upon such manufacture.

JOHN KNOWLES,  
Under Secretary for Public Works.

**R**ETURN of LANDS SOLD and DEPOSITS RECEIVED in the Provincial District of WELLINGTON, from the 1st October to the 30th November, 1878.

District.	Purchaser or Applicant.	Land Selected or Applied for.	Contents.	Payment.		Remarks.
				Cash.	Scip.	
Wairarapa	Peter Anderson ...	Rural Section No. 18, Mauriceville ...	A. R. P. 39 3 23	£ s. d. 26 17 11	£ s. d. ...	Balance.
	Hans M. Petersen ...	" " 80, " ...	...	33 6 5	...	"
	Niels Gundersen ...	" " 70, " ...	38 3 19	25 17 5	...	"
	Fritz Jessen ...	" " 35, " ...	...	12 14 5	...	"
Wanganui	Anders Hansen ...	" " 55, " ...	41 2 28	21 13 6	...	"
	G. H. Cunnabell ...	Remainder of Sections Nos. 175, 176, and 222, Right Bank ...	66 0 0	33 0 0	...	"
	Wm. Adamson ...	Remainder of Section No. 25A, Right Bank ...	25 0 0	12 10 0	...	"
	T. B. Taylor and W. H. Watt ...	Remainder of Section No. 231, Right Bank ...	2 0 0	1 0 0	...	"
	C. P. Powles ...	Town Section No. 9, Campbell Town ...	0 0 37	70 0 0	...	"
Manawatu	E. A. Wicksteed ...	Remainder of Sections Nos. 161 and 162, Right Bank ...	48 0 0	24 0 0	...	"
	Henry Thompson ...	Suburban Sections 1508, 1509, 1515, 1517, Bunnythorpe ...	...	223 10 0	...	Balance.
	Wm. Brown ...	Rural Sections 540, 541, Palmerston ...	...	50 1 6	...	Deferred payments.
	Jas. Donnelly ...	Part of Rural Section 543, Palmerston ...	...	19 12 0	...	"
	W. H. R. Flyger ...	Rural Sections 423, 425, " ...	...	55 10 0	...	"
	Peter Manson ...	" " 555, " ...	...	25 0 0	...	"
	D. D. Walker ...	Part of Rural Section 553, " ...	...	36 0 0	...	"
Totals ...			261 2 27	670 13 2	...	

NOTE.—A sum of £568 15s. 4d. has also been received as deposits for Sections Nos. 353, 401, and 403, Okotuku District, being endowments of the Patea Harbour Board, sold under an Act of the General Assembly.

Crown Lands Office,  
Wellington, 10th December, 1878.

JOS. G. HOLDSWORTH,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

**I** HEREBY give notice that, under a writ of *fiery facias*, duly issued out of the Supreme Court, at the suit of WILLIAM WADDELL, ARCHIBALD McLEOD, and WILLIAM WEIR, all of the City of Wellington, Timber Merchants, I have taken in execution the equity of redemption of JOHN BREEN in all that piece or parcel of land being part of Section 71, on the plan of the City of Wellington, having a frontage on the East to Hopper Street of thirty-three feet by a depth of seventy feet, the southern boundary being distant seventy-six feet from the northern boundary of Section 70. And that I intend to cause the same to be sold by public auction, at the rooms of Messrs. Laery and Campbell, in the City of Wellington, on the sixth day of January, 1879, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

The Solicitor for the Execution Creditor is Mr. F. M. Ollivier, of Lambton Quay, Wellington.

Dated 3rd October, 1878.

A. S. ALLAN,  
Sheriff.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND,  
CANTERBURY DISTRICT.

Between ROBERT HEATON RHODES and WILLIAM DONALD, Trustees of the real estate of GEORGE RHODES, deceased, and the said Robert Heaton Rhodes, plaintiffs, and THOMAS WADSWORTH, defendant.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that, under a writ of *fiery facias*, duly issued herein out of the

Supreme Court of New Zealand, Canterbury District, against the real and personal estate of the above-named defendant at the suit of the above-named plaintiffs, I have seized and taken into execution all the estate and interest of the above-named defendant (comprising his estate in fee-simple in possession, free from all encumbrances) in all that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement thirty acres, or thereabouts, situate in the County of Geraldine, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, New Zealand, and being the Rural Section numbered 4407 on the map or plan of the Chief Surveyor of the late Province of Canterbury, now the said provincial district, setting out and describing the rural lands in the Timaru District thereof, together with the hotel known as the "Orari Hotel," and the other buildings and erections thereon; and that I intend to cause the same to be sold by public auction, at the auction-rooms of Messrs. John King and Co., in the Borough of Timaru, on the twenty-first (21st) day of February, 1879, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, unless the judgment-debt and the costs and expenses of and incidental to this execution be previously paid and satisfied.

The Solicitor for the Execution Creditors is Arthur Perry, Esq., of the Main South Road, in the said Borough of Timaru.

Dated this 4th day of November, 1878.

RICHMOND BEETHAM,  
Sheriff of the District of Timaru.

PERRY AND PERRY,  
Solicitors, Timaru.

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## LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICE.

**S**YBELLA MARGARET WATTS, the Widow of JOHN ROSS WATTS, of Tarawera, in the Provincial District of Auckland, having made application as Devisee under the Will of John Ross Watts, aforesaid, gentleman, deceased, to be registered as Proprietor in fee-simple of Allotment 140 of the Town of Kihikihi, Waikato, containing by admeasurement 1 acre, more or less, and being the whole of the land included in existing Certificate of Title, Vol. viii., folio 13, of the Register Book:

Notice is hereby given that the applicant will be registered accordingly, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the eighth day of January next.

Dated at the Land Transfer Office, Auckland, this twenty-eight day of November, 1878.

THEO. KISSLING,  
District Land Registrar.

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## LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICE.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that FRANCES CHRISTOPHER TABART, of the City of Christchurch, New Zealand, Auctioneer, claiming as Devisee under the Will of ROBERT GREEN, late of Kokatahi, in the Provincial District of Westland, New Zealand, aforesaid, Farmer, deceased, has applied to be registered as Proprietor in fee-simple of Rural Section numbered one thousand two hundred and seventeen (1217), situated in the District of Arahura, in the said Provincial District of Westland, and containing 105 acres; and that he will be so registered, unless caveat forbidding the same be lodged at this office within one calendar month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 27th day of November, 1878, at the Lands Registry Office, Hokitika.

ALFRED H. KING,  
District Land Registrar.

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## LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICE.

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

JOHN SPRING, Applicant.—1 rood, Allotment 1155, Town of Hokitika, situated in Bealey Street. Occupied by Applicant. (F. A. Learmonth, Broker.) No. 377.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 28th day of November, 1878, at the Lands Registry Office, Hokitika.

ALFRED H. KING,  
District Land Registrar.

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## LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICE.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that CELIA ISABELLA RUSSELL, of Pembroke, in the Provincial District of Otago, Widow, claiming as Devisee under the Will of THEODORE RUSSELL, late of Pembroke, aforesaid, Hotelkeeper, deceased, has made application to the District Land Registrar of the District of Otago to be registered as Proprietor in fee-simple of Section numbered 1, Block VIII., and Sections numbered respectively 26 and 27, Block IX., on the map of the said Town of Pembroke; and that the said Celia Isabella Russell will be so registered as such proprietor, unless caveat be lodged at this office

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

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin, this 6th day of December, 1878.

A. W. SMITH,  
District Land Registrar.

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## LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICE.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that MARKY ANDERSON, Widow of ALEXANDER FINLAY ANDERSON, of Dunedin, Accountant, deceased, and JAMES ANDERSON, of Timaru, Farmer, claiming as Devisees under the Will of the said Alexander Finlay Anderson, have applied to be registered as Proprietors of Rural Sections 15572, 15902, 15903, 16948, and 17948, Waitangi District; and that they will be so registered, unless caveat forbidding the same be lodged within one month after the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 5th day of December, 1878, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

R. W. D'O'LYLY,  
District Land Registrar.

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## LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICE.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that GEORGE BISHOP, of Lincoln, Schoolmaster, claiming as Devisee under the Will of JOHN FLUTEY, of Okain's Bay, Banks Peninsula District, Farmer, deceased, has applied to be registered as Proprietor of Rural Sections 17260, 22953, 23550, 23551, and 24977, and of an undivided fourth part of Rural Section 16024 in the said district; and that he will be so registered, unless caveat forbidding the same be lodged within one month after the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 5th day of December, 1878, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

R. W. D'O'LYLY,  
District Land Registrar.

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## LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

**N**OTICE 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 month after the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

3290. FRIEDRICH LUERS.—40 acres, Rural Sections 1789 and 1790, Oxford District. Unoccupied.

3446. EDWARD RICHARDSON.—14 acres 1 rood 17 perches, part of Rural Section 96, Christchurch District. Occupied by Applicant.

3520. THOMAS BULLOCK.—6 acres 3 roods 10 perches, part of Rural Section 4873, Ashburton District. Unoccupied.

3539. THOMAS HARRIS PARSONS.—25 perches, part of Rural Section 1652, Timaru District. Occupied by Robert Proctor.

3567. GEORGE KEARNEY.—3 roods 39 perches, part of Section 32, Akaroa Town. Occupied by Applicant.

3731. MARY MASON.—1 rood, part of Rural Section 66, Christchurch District. Occupied by Applicant.

3732. THOMAS MASON.—1 rood, part of Rural Section 66, Christchurch District. Occupied by Applicant.

3767. WILLIAM BROWNING TOSSWILL.—9 acres 1 rood 17 perches, part of Rural Section 547, Banks Peninsula District. Unoccupied.

3790. MARY ANNE WINTON DEWSBURY.—1 rood, part of Rural Section 79, Christchurch District. Occupied by Applicant.

3794. HENRY BANTON.—1 rood, part of Rural Section 72, Christchurch District. Occupied by Applicant.

3795. GEORGE HENRY MOORE.—60 acres, part of Rural Section 7186, Ashburton District. Occupied by David Wilson.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 5th day of December, 1878, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

R. W. D'O'LY,  
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 the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

JOHN CAMPBELL SPEEDY, Applicant.—23 perches, more or less, being part of Lot No. 126, part of Suburban Section No. 9, Meanee District, in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay. In occupation of Applicant. (C. L. Margoliouth, Broker.) 637.

WILLIAM MAYO, Applicant.—40 acres, being Allotment No. 96, Military Settlement of Wairoa, near Hawke's Bay. Unoccupied. (Edward Lyndon, Broker.) 638.

JOHN JOSEPHS, Applicant.—2 acres, being Suburban Section No. 28, Class 1, Township of Clyde, Provincial District of Hawke's Bay. In occupation of Applicant. (J. W. Witty, Broker.) 639.

GEORGE SPENCE, Applicant.—1 rood 17 perches, more or less, being part of Lot No. 126, part Suburban Section No. 9, Meanee District, in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay. Occupied by John Campbell Speedy. (C. L. Margoliouth, Broker.) 640.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 5th day of December, 1878, at the Lands Registry Office, Napier.

J. M. BATHAM,  
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 month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

LAWRENCE FLANAIGHTY.—1 rood 30 poles, part of Section 25, Block I, Invercargill Hundred. Occupied by James Pirt. No. 1135.

GEORGE ABLETT (by his Attorney, DAVID BONTHRON).—31 poles, part of Section 11, Block LXI., Town of Invercargill. Unoccupied. No. 1156.

WILLIAM BOYD.—241 acres 3 roods 12 poles, Section 10, and part of Section 5, Block XI., New River Hundred. Occupied by William Boyd and Frank Boyd. No. 1160.

DAVID CROSS.—16 poles, part of Section 28, Block I, Invercargill Hundred (known as Allotment 3, Block III., Township of Harrisville). Occupied by Archibald Weir. No. 1164.

RICHARD MAGUIRE.—20 poles, western half of Section 2, Block XIII., Town of Invercargill. Occupied by Michael Walsh. No. 1168.

THE OTAGO AND SOUTHLAND INVESTMENT COMPANY (LIMITED) (by its Attorney, ARTHUR WILLIAM MORRIS).—97 acres 2 roods 31 poles, Section 12, Block XII., New River Hundred. Occupied by George Davis. No. 1171.

ALEXANDER FERGUSON MORRIS (by his Attorney, ARTHUR WILLIAM MORRIS).—3 roods, Section 17, Block XXVII., and Sections 10 and 11, Block XXIV., Town of Invercargill. Unoccupied. No. 1173.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 29th day of November, 1878, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

C. M. HENNING,  
District Land Registrar.

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LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM BOYD, of Erroldale, Flint's Bush, in the County of Wallace, and Colony of New Zealand, Farmer, claiming as Heir-at-law of WILLIAM BOYD, late of Erroldale, Esquire, deceased, has made application to the District Land Registrar of the District of Southland to be registered as Proprietor of an estate in fee-simple in Sections numbered 36 and 37, Block XI., Jacob's River Hundred; and that the said William Boyd will be registered as such proprietor, unless caveat be lodged at this office forbidding the same within one calendar month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 30th day of November, 1878, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

C. M. HENNING,  
District Land Registrar.

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LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICE.

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

300. ELIZABETH and MARGARET BROMFIELD, by their Attorney, GEORGE HARPER.—150 acres, Section 85, Omaka District. Occupied by David Herd.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 27th day of November, 1878, at the Lands Registry Office, Blenheim.

HARTLEY MCINTIRE,  
District Land Registrar.

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BRUNNER COAL MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company, held at the Company's Office, Greymouth, on Thursday, the 5th day of December, 1878, the following Special Resolution was passed, viz.:—

"That this meeting do now, by special resolution, require the Brunner Coal Mining Company (Limited) to be wound up voluntarily." And notice is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the said Company will be held at the office of the Company, Greymouth, on Wednesday, the 15th day of January, 1879, at 8 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of confirming the said special resolution.

MARTIN KENNEDY,  
Manager.

Greymouth, 6th December, 1878.

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## NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CONSTRUCT WATER-RACE.

To the Mining Registrar, also to the Warden at Arrowtown, in the Mining District of Otago Gold Fields, and to all others whom it may concern.

**T**AKE notice that it is intended to construct a Water-race for other than gold-mining purposes, to wit, for coal-mining purposes, commencing at a point above Owen's Coal Pit, situate on the east side of Deep Creek, Gibbstown, terminating at a point on applicant's coal lease area, on east side of Deep Creek aforesaid, under the provisions of subsection 1 of section 31 of "The Mines Act, 1877." Length of race is three-quarters of a mile or thereabouts; course, west by south; mean depth, 1 foot; breadth, 1 foot. Seven days are required to construct and complete said race, and it is proposed to divert one Government-head of water.

Dated at Arrowtown, this 18th day of November, 1878.

RICHARD DAVID OWENS,  
(per his authorized Agent, George A. Barker.)

Received at the office of the Mining Registrar, at Arrowtown, on the 20th day of November, 1878, at the hour of half-past 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

JAMES FLEMING,  
Mining Registrar.

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## NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CONSTRUCT WATER-RACE.

Tuapeka, 31st October, 1878.

To the Warden at Lawrence.

**I** HEREBY give notice that I intend to construct a Water-race to divert and use water for mining purposes, commencing at a point in a gully near Bulger's Flat, and terminating in a race applied for by me this day, to be called the Peninsula Race.

The length of such race is two miles or thereabouts, and its intended course is north-west.

The mean depth of such race is 2 feet, and the mean breadth is 3 feet, and it is proposed to divert three Government-heads of water.

JOHN MCCOMBE,  
Applicant.

Date and number of miner's right: 24th April, 1878; No. 104.

The above application, and any objections thereto, will be heard at the Warden's Office, Lawrence, on Friday, 29th November, at 11 o'clock.

Any person objecting to the granting of this application must lodge his objection in writing at the Warden's Office, Lawrence, within fourteen clear days from the date hereof.

H. J. ABEL,  
*pro* Warden.

Warden's Office, Lawrence,  
31st October, 1878.

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## NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CONSTRUCT WATER-RACE.

Tuapeka, 31st October, 1878.

To the Warden at Lawrence.

**I** HEREBY give notice that I intend to construct a Water-race to divert and use water for mining purposes, commencing at a point in Reedy Creek, near Polson and Sutherland's hut, and terminating at Wetherstones Water Reserve, near Cement Workings, Wetherstones.

The length of such race is twenty-five miles or thereabouts, and its intended course is north-west.

The mean depth of such race is 2 feet, and the mean breadth is 3 feet, and it is proposed to divert seven Government-heads of water.

JOHN MCCOMBE,  
Applicant.

Date and number of miner's right: 24th May 1878; No. 104.

The above application, and any objections thereto, will be heard at the Warden's Office, Lawrence, on Friday, the 29th November, 1878.

Any person objecting to the granting of this application must lodge his objection in writing at the Warden's Office, Lawrence, within fourteen clear days from the date hereof.

H. J. ABEL,  
*pro* Warden.

Warden's Office, Lawrence,  
31st October, 1878.

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## NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CONSTRUCT WATER-RACE.

Tuapeka, 16th November, 1878.

To the Warden at Lawrence.

**I** HEREBY give notice that I intend to construct a Water-race to divert and use water for mining purposes, commencing at a point in the Waipori River, about one mile above Elliott's stockyard, and about four miles below the point of diversion of the Waipori Water-race Company's head-race from the said river, and terminating at the Wetherstones water reserve.

The length of such race is thirty miles or thereabouts, and its intended course is north-west and south-east.

The mean depth of such race is 2 feet, and the mean breadth is 3 feet, and it is proposed to divert twenty Government-heads of water.

ROBERT GRIEVE,  
Applicant, Blue Spur.

Date and number of Miner's Right: 15th October, 1878; No. 3241.

All objections to the above application must be lodged at the Warden's Office, at Lawrence, within fourteen clear days from the date hereof.

Hearing at 11 o'clock, on Friday, 20th December, 1878.

H. J. ABEL,  
*pro* Warden.

Warden's Office, Lawrence,  
16th November, 1878.

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## NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CONSTRUCT WATER-RACE.

Tuapeka, 20th November, 1878.

To the Warden at Waipori.

**I** HEREBY give notice that I intend to construct a Water-race to divert and use water for mining purposes, commencing at a point in Reedy Creek, Waipori, about one mile above the shepherd's hut, and one mile south from the Tuapeka Road, and terminating at the deep faces on the Waitahuna River.

The length of such race is five miles or thereabouts, and its intended course is south-east.

The mean depth of such race is 1 foot 6 inches, and the mean breadth is 2 feet, and it is proposed to divert four Government-heads of water.

ROBERT COTTON,  
Applicant, Waipori.

Date and number of Miner's Right: 14th March, 1878; No. 9.

All objections to the above application must be lodged at the Warden's Office, at Lawrence, within fourteen clear days from the date hereof.

Hearing at 12 o'clock, on Thursday, 19th December, 1878, at Waipori.

H. J. ABEL,  
*pro* Warden.

Warden's Office, Lawrence,  
19th November, 1878.

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PATENT FOR AN INVENTION FOR MIXING AND MANUFACTURING TAR ASPHALTE FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF FLOORS, STREETS, ROADS, FOOTPATHS, AND FOR OTHER WORKS.

THIS is to notify that SAMUEL SMART, of Christchurch, in the Colony of New Zealand, Contractor, did, on this ninth day of December instant, deposit at the office of the Patent Officer, in the Colonial Secretary's Office in Wellington, a specification or instrument in writing, under his hand and seal, particularly describing and ascertaining the nature of the said Invention, and in what manner the same is to be performed; and that by reason of such deposit the said Invention is protected and secured to him exclusively for the term of six calendar months thence next ensuing.

And I do further notify that the said Samuel Smart has given notice in writing at my office of his intention to proceed with his application for Letters Patent for the said Invention, and that I have appointed Friday, the twenty-fifth day of April next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at my office, to hear and consider the said application and all objections thereto; and I do hereby require all persons having an interest in opposing the grant of such Letters Patent to leave, on or before the twenty-first day of April next, at my office in Wellington, particulars in

writing of their objections to the said application; otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

Given under my hand this ninth day of December, 1878.

W. S. REID,  
Patent Officer.

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I, JOSEPH AUGUSTUS WILLIAM WARDALE, of the Waiiau, L.S.A. Lond., 1872, M.R.C.S. Eng., 1872, L.R.C.P. Lond., 1872, hereby give notice that I have this day deposited my certificate of registration on the Medical Register of the United Kingdom with the Registrar of the Christchurch District; and that on the 14th day of December, 1878, I intend to apply to be registered under New Zealand Medical Act.

Christchurch, 14th November, 1878.

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THE Partnership hitherto subsisting between the undersigned as Merchants, under the style or firm of "Zohrab, Knocker, and Co.," is dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted to the late firm are requested forthwith to pay their accounts; and all persons having claims against the late firm are requested to render their accounts at the office in Featherston Street.

Dated at Wellington, this 30th day of November, 1878.

C. E. ZOHRAB.  
C. B. KNOCKER.  
BERNARD HOLMWOOD.

Witness — W. Miller Lewis, Barrister-at-law,  
Wellington.

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