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*Wellington Choral Society incorporated.*

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

WHEREAS by an Act of the Provincial Council of the Province of Wellington, Session twenty-two, number six, the Short Title of which is "The Voluntary Associations Incorporation Act, 1872," it is, amongst other things, enacted that whenever, after the passing of that Act, it should be made to appear to the Superintendent that there was within the province any association of persons not incorporated, and not registered under the provisions of any Act of the General Assembly, and that such association had been formed for the purpose of effecting, amongst others, the following objects,—

The maintenance of any library, public hall, or institution for lectures, discussions, entertainments, or other like purposes, where the members of such associations derive no pecuniary profit from the use of such library, public hall, or institution,—

it should be lawful for the Superintendent, by Proclamation in the Provincial Government Gazette, to declare such association a body corporate by such name as should be agreed on at the meeting of the association therein referred to, and in the same Proclamation he shall declare, according to the wish of a majority of the members of the association present at such meeting, whether such body be a nominated body or a body composed of persons contributing to the funds thereof, or a body composed in part of nominated members and in part of persons contributing to the funds thereof:

And whereas the powers vested in the Superintendent by the said Act are now, by "The Abolition of Provinces Act, 1875," vested in the Governor:

And whereas it has been made to appear to me that there is within the Provincial District of Wellington an association named the Wellington Choral Society, consisting of persons not incorporated and not registered under the provisions of any Act of the General Assembly, and that such association has been formed for the purpose of the maintenance of an institution for the cultivation of a taste for vocal and instrumental music of a high class, and the practice and performance of such music, sacred or secular:

And whereas on the eighteenth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, a meeting of the said association, convened by notice and advertisement, was held, and a majority of the members

of the association present at such meeting resolved that the said association should be incorporated under the said "Voluntary Associations Incorporation Act, 1872," by the name of "The Wellington Choral Society," and that such body should be composed of persons contributing to the funds thereof:

Now, therefore, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the said "Voluntary Associations Incorporation Act, 1872," and by "The Abolition of Provinces Act, 1875," do hereby proclaim and declare that the association called the Wellington Choral Society shall be and the same is hereby constituted a body corporate under "The Voluntary Associations Incorporation Act, 1872," by the name of "The Wellington Choral Society," and that such body corporate shall be composed of persons contributing to the funds thereof: And, in further exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me as aforesaid, I do hereby appoint that a first meeting of the members of the said body corporate shall be held in the building known as the Athenæum Building, in the City of Wellington, on the last Thursday of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, at the hour of eight of the clock post meridian.

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

G. S. WHITMORE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Boundaries of Knapdale and Otarai Road Districts altered.*

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

WHEREAS by section seven of "The Otago Roads Ordinance 1871 Amendment Ordinance, 1874," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Superintendent, upon the recommendation of the Provincial Council, from time to time, by Proclamation in the *Gazette*, to alter the boundaries of any district, and either to enlarge or diminish the area thereof:

And whereas by "The Abolition of Provinces Act, 1875," the hereinbefore recited power is vested in and is to be exercised and performed by the Governor:

And whereas there exists in the Provincial District of Otago two road districts named respectively the Knapdale Road District and the Otarai Road District:

And whereas it is expedient to alter the boundaries of the said two districts:

Now, therefore, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the hereinbefore recited Act and Ordinance, and of every other power and authority enabling me in that behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the boundaries of the said two districts are altered so that the boundaries set forth in the First Schedule hereto shall be the boundaries of the Knapdale Road District, and the boundaries set forth in the Second Schedule hereto shall be the boundaries of the Otarai Road District; and the areas of the respective districts shall be and they are hereby enlarged or diminished accordingly.

## FIRST SCHEDULE.

## KNAPDALE ROAD DISTRICT.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Otago, bounded towards the North by Wendon and Greenvale Survey Districts; towards the East by Glenkenich Survey District and Blocks III. and VI., Waikaka Survey District; towards the South by the Pukerau Stream and the Township of East Gore; and towards the West by the Mataura River, to the commencing point on the southern boundary of Wendon Survey District.

## SECOND SCHEDULE.

## OTARAIA ROAD DISTRICT.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Otago, bounded on the North by the Township of East Gore and Pukerau Stream; thence towards the West by Block II., Waikaka Survey District; thence again towards the North by Glenkenich Survey District; towards the East by the Clutha County, to a point due east of the south-eastern corner of Tuturau Survey District; on the South by a right line through Slopedown Survey District, to and along the northern boundary of Wyndham Survey District; and towards the West by Tuturau Road District and the Mataura River.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Most Honorable George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, Earl of Mulgrave, Viscount Normanby, and Baron Mulgrave of Mulgrave, all in the County of York, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom; and Baron Mulgrave of New Ross, in the County of Wexford, in the Peerage of Ireland; a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honorable Privy

Council; Knight 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 sixteenth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

G. S. WHITMORE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Setting apart Lands in Otago for Agricultural Leases and Alienation by Occupation Licenses on Deferred Payments.*

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

WHEREAS by the fifty-fourth section of "The Mines Act, 1877," it is, amongst other things, enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor to cause Crown lands situate within a gold field to be selected and set apart for the purpose of granting agricultural leases thereon and therefor; or for alienation by occupation licenses on deferred payments under any law for the time being in force in the land district in which such mining district is situate:

And whereas the lands described in the First Schedule hereto are Crown lands subject to be dealt with under the provisions of the said fifty-fourth section of "The Mines Act, 1877," and it is deemed expedient to set the same apart for the purpose of granting agricultural leases thereon and therefor: And whereas the lands described in the Second Schedule hereto are also Crown lands subject to be dealt with under the said Act for alienation by occupation licenses on deferred payments as aforesaid:

Now, therefore, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby select and set apart, for the purpose of granting agricultural leases thereon and therefor, the lands described in the First Schedule hereto, and do fix the twenty-first day of January next ensuing, at the Warden's and District Land Office at Roxburgh, as the day and place on which the said land shall be open for application in allotments, as surveyed and marked on the survey map in the office of the Chief Surveyor, Dunedin.

And I do hereby further select and set apart, for the purpose of alienation by occupation licenses on deferred payments, the lands described in the Second Schedule hereto; and do fix the twenty-first day of January aforesaid as the day on which the said allotments shall be open for application in allotments, as surveyed and marked on the survey map in the office of the Chief Surveyor, Dunedin.

## FIRST SCHEDULE.

## SETTING APART SECTIONS FOR THE PURPOSE OF GRANTING AGRICULTURAL LEASES.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Otago, being Sections 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8, Block XII., and Section 1, Block XIII., in the Benger District; as the same is delineated on the plans deposited in the Provincial District Survey Office, Dunedin.

## SECOND SCHEDULE.

## SETTING APART SECTIONS FOR ALIENATION BY OCCUPATION LICENSES ON DEFERRED PAYMENTS.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of

Otago, being Sections 1, 2, and 3, Block XII., and Sections 3 to 11, Block XIII., Benger District; as delineated on the plans deposited in the Provincial District 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 sixteenth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

J. BALLANCE,  
(for the Minister of Lands.)

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Land set apart on Deferred Payments in Otago.*

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

WHEREAS by the fifty-third section of "The Land Act, 1877," it is enacted that the Governor, by Proclamation in the *Gazette*, may from time to time set apart out of any suburban or rural lands such blocks or allotments of land as he shall think fit, and set the same aside for sale on deferred payments, and in such Proclamation may fix a day on which the land shall be open for application; and that he may also in like manner set apart for sale on deferred payments such blocks or allotments as may be recommended by any Land Board, and may also from time to time alter, amend, or revoke any such Proclamation:

And whereas the Land Board of Southland did, on the fourteenth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, pass a resolution recommending that the land described in the Schedule hereto annexed should be set apart for sale on deferred payments:

And whereas it is expedient to give effect to the aforesaid recommendation, and to set apart the said land accordingly:

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 above-named Act, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is set apart for sale on deferred payments; and that Monday, the thirteenth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, shall be the day on which the said land shall be open for application.

SCHEDULE.

Section.	Block.	Locality.	Area.
3	VII.	Waimatuku Township	A. R. P. 10 0 19
5	"	"	15 0 9
7	"	"	15 0 8
9	"	"	15 0 7

SCHEDULE—continued.

Section.	Block.	Locality.	Area.
11	VII.	Waimatuku Township	A. R. P. 15 0 7
13	"	"	9 3 8
15	"	"	9 3 8
17	"	"	9 3 8
2	VIII.	"	14 0 0
4	"	"	14 0 0
6	"	"	15 0 6
8	"	"	15 2 34
1	IX.	"	10 0 0
2	X.	"	10 2 0
4	"	"	10 3 36
6	"	"	14 0 10
8	"	"	11 2 7
10	"	"	7 1 11
Total			222 3 14

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J. BALLANCE,  
(for the Minister of Lands.)

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Lands declared to be Waste Lands of the Crown.*

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

WHEREAS by the seventeenth section of "The Waste Lands Administration Act, 1876," it is enacted that whenever the Governor is satisfied that any lands purchased out of the sums authorized under "The Immigration and Public Works Act, 1870," and any Act amending the same, to be issued and expended in the purchase of lands in the North Island of New Zealand, are free from Native claims and all difficulties in connection therewith, he shall, by Proclamation, declare such lands to be waste lands of the Crown, subject, except as thereafter in the said Act provided, to be sold and dealt with according to the provisions of the laws regulating the sale and disposal of waste lands of the Crown for the time being in force in the land district in which such land is situated; and thereupon such land so proclaimed shall become subject to such provisions:

And whereas the land described in the Schedule hereto has been purchased out of the sums authorized under "The Immigration and Public Works Act, 1870," and Acts amending the same, and it is expedient that the said land should be declared to be waste lands of the Crown:

Now, therefore, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, being satisfied that the lands de-

scribed in the Schedule hereto are free from Native claims and all difficulties in connection therewith, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by "The Waste Lands Administration Act, 1876," do hereby proclaim and declare the said lands to be waste lands of the Crown, subject to be sold and dealt with according to the provisions of the laws regulating the sale and disposal of waste lands of the Crown in force in the Land District of Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

MANGOIRA RUAHINE.

ALL that piece of land at Mangoira Ruahine, in the District of Wanganui, in the Provincial District of Wellington, known by the name of Mangoira Ruahine, containing by admeasurement thirty-five thousand six hundred and sixty (35,660) acres, be the same more or less. Bounded towards the North-east by the Pongaraki River and lines, 80825 links; towards the East and South-east by lines, 60623 links; and towards the South-west and West by the Ngamoko (Manawatu No. 5) Block and lines, and the Oroua River and lines, 120438 links.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Most Honorable George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, Earl of Mulgrave, Viscount Normanby, and Baron Mulgrave of Mulgrave, all in the County of York, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom; and Baron Mulgrave of New Ross, in the County of Wexford, in the Peerage of Ireland; a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council; Knight 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 fourteenth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

JOHN SHEEHAN.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Lands taken for a Road in the Waiareka 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 public work, to wit, the construction of a road in Section thirty-one (31), Block four (IV.), Oamaru Survey District, in the County of Waitaki:

And whereas the Waiareka 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 nineteenth 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 one acre thirty-two poles and five-tenths of a pole, being part of Section numbered thirty-one (31), Block four (IV.), Oamaru Survey District: Commencing at a point distant eight hundred and fifty-five (855) links in a south-westerly

direction from the north-east corner of the said Section numbered thirty-one (31) of the said block, proceeding thence in a north-westerly direction six hundred and ninety-eight (698) links bearing one hundred and twenty degrees ten minutes ( $120^{\circ} 10'$ ), thence in a north-easterly direction three hundred (300) links bearing one hundred and eighty-three degrees forty-four minutes ( $183^{\circ} 44'$ ) to a creek there, thence along the southern bank of the said creek in a north-westerly direction sixty-four (64) links, thence in a south-westerly direction three hundred and twenty (320) links bearing one hundred and eighty-three degrees forty-four minutes ( $183^{\circ} 44'$ ), thence in a westerly direction nine hundred and fifty-seven (957) links bearing eighty-nine degrees thirty minutes ( $89^{\circ} 30'$ ), thence in a south-easterly direction sixty-two (62) links, thence in an easterly direction nine hundred and sixty-seven (967) links bearing eighty-nine degrees thirty minutes ( $89^{\circ} 30'$ ), thence in a south-easterly direction seven hundred and seven (707) links bearing two hundred and ninety-six degrees twenty-eight minutes ( $296^{\circ} 28'$ ), and thence in a north-easterly direction sixty and four-tenths ( $60\frac{4}{10}$ ) links bearing nineteen degrees twenty-six minutes thirty seconds ( $19^{\circ} 26' 30''$ ) along a public road home to the starting point. Bounded towards the North in part by other part of said Section numbered thirty-one (31) of said block, and in part by the said creek; towards the North-east by other part of said Section numbered thirty-one (31); towards the South-east by a road line; towards the South and South-west by other part of said Section numbered thirty-one (31); and towards the West by another road line: 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 seventeenth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

J. BALLANCE,  
Minister acting for the Minister  
for Public Works.

Approved in Council.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

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

(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 objection 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 public work, to wit, the construction of a road through Sections 113, 59A, 271, and 270, in the Wanganui Survey District, County of Wanganui:

And whereas the Wangaehu Highway 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 nineteenth 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 those pieces or parcels of land in the Wangaehu Highway District, Wanganui Survey District, County of Wanganui, running into and through the following sections, as numbered on the map of the left bank of the Wanganui River:—

Section 113: Commencing at a point in Section No. 113 at a distance northwards of seven hundred and sixty-four (764) links along the new eastern line of road from the southern boundary of said section, thence south-easterly by a line six hundred and eleven (611) links in length, thence south-easterly by a line one hundred and fifty-one (151) links in length, thence north-easterly by a line five hundred and thirty-one (531) links in length, thence south-easterly by a line eleven (11) links in length to boundary between Sections 113 and 59A, thence northerly by said boundary for a distance of sixty-one (61) links, thence south-westerly by a line five hundred and thirty-two (532) links in length, thence north-westerly by a line one hundred and forty-three (143) links in length, thence north-westerly by a line six hundred and twenty-seven (627) links in length to new eastern line of road, thence southwards by said road for a distance of sixty-one (61) links to point of commencement; be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; containing three (3) roods and five (5) perches, more or less.

Section 59A: Commencing at a point on boundary between Sections 59A and 113 at a distance on said boundary of three hundred and ninety-four (394) links, more or less, southwards from the north-west corner of said Section 59A, thence north-easterly by a line nine (9) links in length, thence south-easterly by a line two hundred and eighty-two (282) links in length, thence south-easterly by a line seven hundred and twenty-five (725) links, thence north-easterly by a line four hundred and four (404) links in length, thence north-easterly by a line three hundred and twenty (320) links to boundary between Sections 59A and 271, thence south-easterly by said boundary for a distance of one thousand nine hundred and sixty-three (1963) links, thence south-westerly by a line eighty-four (84) links in length, thence north-westerly by a line one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven (1887) links in length, thence south-westerly by a line three hundred and two (302) links in length, thence south-westerly by a line four hundred and fourteen (414) links in length, thence by a line north-westerly seven hundred and fifty-five (755) links in length, thence north-westerly by a line two hundred and sixty-seven (267) links in length to boundary between Sections 59A and 113, thence northwards by said boundary for a distance of sixty-one (61) links to point of commencement; be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; containing two (2) acres and thirty-one (31) perches, more or less.

Section 271: Commencing at a point upon boundary between Sections 59A and 271 at a distance of one thousand eight hundred and fifty (1850) links or thereabouts north-westerly from the south-east corner of said Section 271, thence by a line north-easterly four hundred and ninety-two (492) links in length, thence north-easterly by a line six hundred and eighty-three (683) links in length, thence north-

easterly by a line three hundred and fifty-one (351) links in length, thence north-easterly by a line four hundred and thirty-six (436) links in length, thence north-easterly by a line two hundred and five (205) links in length to boundary between Sections 271 and 270, thence northerly by said boundary for a distance of sixty-two (62) links, thence south-westerly by a line two hundred and twenty-five (225) links, thence south-westerly by a line four hundred and forty-four (444) links in length, thence south-westerly by a line three hundred and fifty-seven (357) links in length, thence south-westerly by a line six hundred and eighty-seven (687) links in length, thence south-westerly by a line five hundred and fifty-four (554) links in length to boundary between Sections 271 and 59A, thence south-easterly by said boundary for a distance of eighty-four (84) links to point of commencement; be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; containing one (1) acre one (1) rood and fourteen (14) perches, more or less.

Section 270: Commencing at a point upon boundary between Sections 271 and 270 at a distance of two hundred and ninety (290) links or thereabouts southerly on said boundary from the Mangaone Stream, thence north-easterly by a line four hundred and fifty (450) links in length, thence north-easterly by a line two hundred and forty-six (246) links in length, thence south-easterly by a line eight hundred and eighty-three (883) links in length, thence south-easterly by a line one thousand one hundred and fifty-four (1154) links in length, thence south-easterly by a line seven hundred and seven-nine (779) links in length, thence north-easterly by a line four hundred and four (404) links in length, thence easterly by a line one thousand one hundred and nine (1109) links in length, thence north-easterly by a line one thousand three hundred and fifty (1350) links in length, thence north-easterly by a line two thousand and ninety (2090) links in length, thence north-easterly by a line five hundred (500) links in length, thence north-easterly by a line two hundred and forty-four (244) links in length to the northern boundary of Section 270, thence south-easterly on said boundary for a distance of sixty-six (66) links to the north-eastern corner of that portion of Section 270 now the property of Alexander McGregor, thence south-westerly by the south-east boundary of said portion of Section 270 for a distance of two hundred and seventy-eight (278) links, thence south-westerly by a line five hundred and twelve (512) links in length, thence south-westerly by a line two thousand one hundred and six (2106) links in length, thence by a line south-westerly one thousand three hundred and sixty-six (1366) links in length, thence westerly by a line one thousand one hundred and nine (1109) links in length, thence south-westerly by a line four hundred and six (406) links in length, thence north-westerly by a line seven hundred and ninety-three (793) links in length, thence north-westerly by a line one thousand one hundred and seventy (1170) links in length, thence north-westerly by a line eight hundred and sixty-one (861) links in length, thence south-westerly by a line two hundred and twenty-two (222) links in length, thence south-westerly by a line four hundred and seventy-four (474) links in length to boundary between Sections 270 and 271, thence northerly by said boundary for a distance of sixty-two (62) links to point of commencement; be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; containing five (5) acres two (2) roods and seven (7) perches, more or less.

The above particulars being delineated on 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 seventeenth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

J. BALLANCE,  
Minister acting for the Minister  
for Public Works.

Approved in Council.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Audit of School Commissioners' Accounts.*

NORMANBY, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

BY virtue of the powers and authorities vested in me by "The Education Reserves Act, 1877," I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, do hereby make the following regulations prescribing the times and manner of the audit of the accounts of School Commissioners, that is to say,—

1. The School Commissioners of every Provincial District shall, before the fifteenth day of March in every year, cause their accounts to be made up for the year ending the thirty-first day of December immediately previous, and shall submit the same for audit to the Auditor appointed for the purposes of the said Act in or for the Provincial District for which such School Commissioners are appointed.

2. Every such Auditor shall have access to all the books and accounts of the School Commissioners and any of their officers, and shall examine the general statement of the receipts and expenditure of the School Commissioners, and verify the same with the accounts and vouchers relating thereto, and shall either certify under his hand the same as found by him to be correct, duly vouched, and in accordance with law, or specially report to the Minister of Education holding office for the time being under "The Education Act, 1877," in what respect he finds it incorrect, unvouched, or not in accordance with law.

3. These regulations shall come into force upon the date hereof.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*By-laws on the New Zealand Railways, in substitution of previous By-laws.*

NORMANBY, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance of the power and authority vested in him by the one hundred and forty-fifth section of "The Public Works Act, 1876," and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby make the following by-laws, and doth declare that the same shall come into force on the several lines of railway in New Zealand from the day of the date hereof, and shall be in lieu of the by-laws and regulations relating to the same subject at present in force on such railways respectively:—

BY-LAWS.

1. In the interpretation of these by-laws, the word "Minister" shall mean Minister for Public Works appointed in accordance with "The Public Works Act, 1876." The term "General Manager" shall mean the person who shall be General Manager of any section of the railways, in accordance with the provisions of "The Railways Regulation and Inspection Act, 1873." The word "railway" shall mean and include any lines of railway within the meaning of "The Public Works Act, 1876." The term "goods" shall mean goods and chattels of every description, including live animals.

2. No person will be admitted to the booking office at any station whilst the door is closed for making up and despatching any train; and no person will be allowed to take a seat in or upon any carriage used on the railway, or to travel therein upon the railway, without first having paid the fare, and obtained a ticket.

3. Any person wilfully altering or defacing a ticket, so as to render the date, number, or any material portion thereof illegible, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds, and shall, in addition, be liable to pay the fare from the station whence the train originally started.

4. Tickets will be issued conditionally—that is to say, in case there shall be room in the train for all the passengers to whom tickets shall have been issued. If there shall not be room for all such passengers, the holders of periodical tickets shall have priority over holders of return and single tickets, and the fare will be returned, on application to the Station Clerk, to the holders of such return and single tickets as shall be unable to obtain seats.

5. If any person travel or attempt to travel in any carriage on the railway without having previously paid his fare, and with intent to evade payment thereof; or if any person, having paid the fair for a certain distance, knowingly and wilfully proceed in any such carriage beyond such distance without previously paying the additional fare for the additional distance, and with intent to evade payment thereof; or if any person knowingly and wilfully refuse or neglect, on arriving at the point to which the fare has been paid, to quit such carriage, every such person shall for every such offence be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.

6. If any person is found trespassing upon a railway and refuses to leave after being warned by any officer or servant employed thereon, or is drunk or

behaving in a violent or offensive manner to the annoyance of others on the railway or at any station or platform thereof, or in any carriage thereon, or is doing or attempting to do, or is counselling, aiding, or assisting another person to do, anything which may endanger the lives of persons employed on or travelling on the railway, it shall be lawful for any constable or any person employed on or about such railway or carriages, without warrant or other authority, to arrest and detain the person so offending, and to take such person as speedily as conveniently may be before a Justice of the Peace to be dealt with as the law directs; and all persons present shall, when called upon, assist in making such arrest.

7. No return or periodical ticket will be available for special or for excursion trains, except when the ordinary time-table is suspended. Return tickets will be available for distances of twenty-five miles and under on the day of issue only; for each additional twenty-five miles or fraction thereof, one day's extension of time will be allowed for the return journey. Ordinary single tickets issued on Saturdays and Sundays will be available as return tickets until the end of the following Monday. Tickets used for return after the day of issue must be presented at the ticket window, and re-dated before the passenger enters the train for the return journey. Passengers neglecting to get their tickets re-dated will be charged the ordinary fare.

8. Every passenger, on arriving at the station for which a ticket has been taken by such passenger, or to or from which such passenger may hold a periodical ticket, shall quit the station and premises of the railway; and no person shall be allowed to loiter about the stations, wharf, or premises, or any part thereof; and if any passenger or other person shall refuse to quit the station, wharf, or premises aforesaid, on being requested so to do by any Station Clerk or any servant attached to the railway or wharf, such passenger or person may be expelled by such Station Clerk or other servant as aforesaid from the railway premises.

9. No gunpowder or other explosive or dangerous material shall be carried by any passenger train.

10. Each passenger, on paying the fare, will be furnished with a ticket, which shall be produced whenever required by any Station Clerk or authorized Porter, or by the Guard in charge of the train; and if it be a return ticket it must be given up to be marked when required; and every ticket must be delivered up on the demand of any Porter or servant authorized to collect tickets. Single tickets not used on the day of issue (except as specified in clause 7 hereof), or a return ticket not used within the prescribed time, shall be deemed to be cancelled. Any passenger travelling under any circumstances without a ticket shall pay the fare from the station whence the train originally started to the end of his journey. Any person offending against the provisions of this regulation shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.

11. Tickets are not transferable; and any person transferring any ticket, or using or attempting to use a transferred ticket, or a ticket the time for the proper use of which has expired, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.

12. Any person knowingly, and with intent to defraud, travelling upon the railway in a carriage of a superior class to that for which such person is provided with a ticket, or altering a return or other ticket, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.

13. Tickets, whether single or return, shall be used by passengers only to convey them to the station named thereon, or to a station short of that destination. In no case, however, shall any "cheap excursion"

ticket be used for any other station than that for which such ticket is issued. Any person using or attempting to use a ticket in violation of the provisions of this section shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.

14. Any person, not duly authorized by the General Manager, who shall sell or offer for sale any free-pass ticket or portion of a return ticket, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.

15. No male passenger shall be allowed to enter any waiting-room or carriage set apart for the accommodation of females; and any person remaining in any such room or carriage after being warned to leave the same shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.

16. Any person entering a carriage or compartment of a carriage containing the full number of persons which it is constructed to convey, except with the consent of the persons in such carriage or compartment, and refusing to go out when requested by the Guard or other officer of the railway to do so, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding two pounds.

17. Any person, not being a railway servant, who shall open any carriage for the purpose of entering the same after the tickets have been examined and the carriage doors locked by the person appointed for that purpose, or who shall open any carriage or truck, or attempt to do so, at any station or at any time during the journey, by means of a private key or other instrument, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.

18. No person shall, without the consent of the General Manager or other authorized officer, travel outside a carriage on any railway under any circumstances, or get into or upon or quit any railway carriage when the train is in motion; and any person doing so, or attempting to do so, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.

19. Loaded firearms are on no account to be taken into or placed upon any carriage, wagon, truck, or other vehicle forming or intended to form a train, or any portion of a train, on the railway; and every person so offending shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.

20. Smoking is strictly prohibited in any of the railway sheds, offices, platforms, or waiting-rooms, or any part of the railway premises, and any person found so smoking shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.

21. Smoking is strictly prohibited in any railway carriage except those set apart for the purpose; and any person found smoking in a carriage not set apart for the purpose shall forfeit a penalty not exceeding ten pounds, and may be removed from the carriage by any railway servant.

22. Dogs will be conveyed and charged for according to printed conditions, but will not on any account be allowed to accompany passengers in the carriages. Any person persisting in taking a dog into a passenger carriage shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.

23. No railway servant shall, under any circumstances, be allowed to receive any gratuity, on pain of dismissal. Any person giving or offering a gratuity to any such servant shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.

24. Any person writing any indecent words on any part of a railway, or the premises thereof, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.

25. Any person making use of insulting or abusive language to any railway officer or servant while in the execution of his duty, or obstructing any such officer while in the execution of his duty, or making use of indecent or blasphemous language in any carriage or upon any railway platform or premises, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.



26. If any person omit to shut and fasten any gate or slip-panel set up at either side of the railway for the accommodation of the owners or occupiers of the adjoining lands, as soon as he and the carriage, cattle, or other animals under his care have passed through the same, he shall forfeit for every such offence any sum not exceeding ten pounds.

27. Any person throwing stones, gravel, timber, or any rubbish on a railway, or at any engine, carriage, or wagon thereon; or causing or allowing any animal to wander on a railway which is fenced on both sides; or doing any act which may obstruct the working of a railway or may endanger the lives of persons travelling thereon; or driving or attempting to drive any vehicle or animal across a level crossing or elsewhere on a railway when an engine or any carriages or wagons on the railway are approaching and within a mile from such crossing; or moving any part of the rolling-stock on any railway, or leaving the same on any part of a railway, not having lawful authority so to do; or attempting to do, or counselling or aiding any other person in doing, any of the things mentioned in this section, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds, in addition to any penalty to which he may otherwise be liable for doing any of the said things.

28. If any person deface the writings on any boards, or any notices authorized to be maintained on a railway or any station thereof, or any rolling-stock thereon, he shall forfeit for every such offence a sum not exceeding ten pounds, and an additional sum equal to the cost incurred in repairing any such damage.

29. Any person trespassing upon any part of a railway, not being a station platform or crossing, or other part to which the public are allowed access by law, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.

30. The General Manager shall publish the short particulars of the several offences for which any penalty is imposed by these or any other by-laws of the railway, and of the amount of every such penalty, and shall cause such particulars to be painted on a board, or printed upon paper and pasted thereon, and shall cause such board to be hung up or affixed on some conspicuous part of the principal station of the railway; and, where any such penalties are of local application, shall cause such boards to be affixed in some conspicuous place in the immediate neighbourhood to which such penalties are applicable or have reference; and such particulars shall be renewed as often as the same or any part thereof is obliterated or destroyed.

31. Any person in or upon any railway carriage or station being in a state of intoxication, or committing any nuisance, or gambling, or wilfully interfering with the comfort of any passenger, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds, and to removal from such carriage or station as soon as shall be practicable.

32. No driver or conductor of any cab, hackney carriage, omnibus, express, or other public vehicle, shall ply for hire within the railway premises without a license in writing from the General Manager or other authorized officer; and any person offending contrary to this section shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.

33. No person will be allowed to come upon any railway platform for the purpose of removing any passenger or luggage, unless required by a passenger and engaged by him for such purpose, and no person will be allowed to come upon any railway premises for the purpose of soliciting custom or hire. Any person attempting to evade or being guilty of a breach of this section, or not quitting the premises when required by a Station Clerk or other railway

servant, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.

34. Any person, unless authorized by the General Manager, who shall post or stick any placard or bill within or on any of the buildings or fences connected with a railway shall be subject to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.

35. Any person who shall wilfully injure, wholly or in part, any of the linings or blinds, or break or deface any of the windows, or remove or injure any number-plate or advertisement, or remove or extinguish any of the lamps, or otherwise damage any engine, carriage, truck, wagon, or other property belonging to a railway, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds, in addition to a sum equal to the cost incurred in repairing any such damage.

36. Any person selling, or attempting to sell, any article on any of the premises of a railway, without the consent of the General Manager, shall forfeit a sum not exceeding ten pounds.

37. No goods will be received for carriage or carried upon a railway, except upon the following conditions:—

- (1.) That a "consignment note," on a form to be obtained from the person in charge of the station, properly filled in and signed by or on behalf of the consignor, is handed to the officer taking delivery of the goods at the time of their delivery:
- (2.) That the person delivering the goods obtains at the same time a written receipt for the same, signed by the officer to whom they are delivered.

38. The Minister will not be responsible for any loss or damage in respect to any goods received for carriage or carried on a railway under any of the following circumstances, that is to say,—

- (1.) If the above-mentioned consignment note is not delivered with the goods, or the receipt not obtained for the same.
- (2.) If the goods are wrongly or insufficiently described on the consignment note.
- (3.) If the goods are allowed to remain on the premises of the railway for more than twelve working hours after their arrival at the station to which they are addressed.
- (4.) If they are put into packages described as "empties."
- (5.) If they are insufficiently or insecurely packed, or if articles liable by breakage or leakage to damage one another are packed in the same package.
- (6.) If the loss or damage arises from the act of God, civil commotions, Queen's enemies, or from fire (except from the railway engines or apparatus), or from accidental delays in transit occurring from either of these causes.

39. The following goods are hereby declared to be special goods, within the meaning of "The Public Works Act, 1876:—

Bank notes.	Maps.
Bills of exchange.	Marble goods.
Carriages.	Musical instruments.
Castings.	Notes or securities for payment of money.
Cattle.	Orders for ditto.
China.	Paintings.
Clocks.	Pictures.
Drays.	Pigs.
Engravings.	Plated articles.
Furniture.	Precious stones.
Furs.	Sheep.
Glass.	Silks.
Gold or silver coin.	Slate goods.
Gold or silver plate.	

Gold or silver, manu- factured.	Stamps. Title-deeds.
Gold or silver, unmanu- factured.	Toys. Trinkets.
Horses.	Wagons.
Jewellery.	Watches.
Lace.	Writings.
Machinery.	

Any package, the contents of which are of higher value than five hundred pounds.

40. The consignment note accompanying any special goods must state them to be "special," and must set forth their nature and value. Unless such statement and declaration is made, the Minister is not responsible for any loss or damage to a greater extent than fifteen pounds in respect to any horse, eight pounds in respect to any neat cattle, fifteen shillings in respect of any sheep or swine, and ten pounds in respect of any package in which any special goods are contained. All special goods exceeding in value the above-mentioned sums shall be subject to a charge, in addition to the ordinary freight, by way of insurance, according to a scale of rates of insurance to be from time to time published by the Minister in that behalf.

41. If the value of any special goods stated on the consignment note appears to the officer receiving the same to be extravagant or fictitious, or if the goods are of a nature to be extraordinarily liable to damage, such officer may refuse to receive them without the instructions of the General Manager of the railway. And the General Manager may, by the authority of and on behalf of the Minister, make such special agreement for the carriage of such goods, on such terms as to insurance or otherwise, as he thinks fit; or, if no such special agreement is come to, may refuse to receive or carry such goods on the railway except at the sole risk of the consignor; and, upon notice in writing to the consignor to that effect given to the consignor by the General Manager, the Minister shall not be liable to any claim for loss or damage from any cause whatsoever in respect of such goods. Such notice may be served upon the consignor or his agent, or either of them, or may be left at the last known place of abode or business of either of them.

42. Any claim for loss or damage must be specified in writing, and made within two days after delivery in case of partial loss or damage, or within seven days after the due time of delivery in case of total loss.

43. No person shall have any right to send by a railway any goods of a dangerous nature; and if any person attempts to send by a railway, or deposits in any premises of the railway, any box or package containing any such goods, or any goods declared by the regulations, or publicly notified by the Minister, to be of a dangerous nature, without distinctly marking the contents on the outside of such box or package, or giving notice in writing of the contents to the officer in charge of the station at which such box or package is left, he shall be guilty of a misdemeanour.

The following are, amongst others, declared to be dangerous goods: Benzoline and all other dangerous oils, bisulphide of carbon, blasting powders, bleaching liquids, bromine, cartridges, chloride of sulphur, cotton gunpowder, dynamite, fireworks, fluoric acid, fog signals, fusees, gasoline, gazogen, gun cotton, gunpowder, lucifer matches, muriatic acid or spirit of salts, naphtha, naphthaline, nitrate of iron, nitric acid, oil of vitriol or sulphuric acid, oily canvas or oily paper for packing, oily rags or oily waste, perchloride of iron, petroleum, phosphorus, pudrolythe, pyrolithe, or other materials or compounds liable to

sudden ignition or explosion; and the Minister may, at his option, refuse to receive or carry such goods.

44. Fruit, fish, meat, poultry, and any other perishable articles, shall be carried only at the sole risk of the person sending the same, and, if not taken away within six hours after arrival at the station to which they are consigned, may be forthwith sold, by auction or otherwise, without notice to the sender or consignee; and payment or tender of the net proceeds of any such sale, after deduction of freight and expenses, shall be accepted as equivalent to delivery.

45. All empties not taken away within one month after arrival will be sold to defray expenses.

46. All goods and merchandise, whether bonded or free, and all luggage, having arrived at its destination, shall be removed by the consignees from the platform and sheds within such periods as may be defined in the tables of rates published in accordance with clause 52 hereof; and if not removed within such period may be stored or kept in the wagons at the risk and expense of the consignees or owners, and will become subject to such charges as may from time to time be published in such tables. If on the arrival of goods forwarded by railway the railway sheds and stores shall, in the opinion of the General Manager, be full, and the consignees or owners do not take delivery within twelve working hours, the General Manager may store such goods in any private store or yard at the risk and expense of the owners. In case of goods to be unloaded by the consignee, a charge will be made for demurrage according to the tables of rates from time to time published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, in accordance with clause 52 hereof, for each truck not unloaded within the period named therein.

47. Should a consignor present a consignment note with goods understating the quantity or weight of such goods, he shall be liable to a charge of double the ordinary rate on the difference between the actual weight or measurement of the goods in question and that stated upon the consignment note, in addition to any penalty which may be inflicted under the 154th clause of "The Public Works Act, 1876."

48. All tolls and charges and warehousing charges must be paid immediately on demand to the person duly authorized to receive the same, and, except where a special agreement is entered into, no goods will be delivered to the consignee until the payment of such tolls and charges shall have been made.

49. If any person refuses or fails to pay the proper charges for any goods carried on a railway, or received on, stored in, or delivered from any wharf, pier, jetty, shed, or yard connected therewith, or any charge for demurrage, for one month after demand of same by any person duly authorized to collect such charges, any such goods, or, in case such goods have been delivered, then any other goods on the premises of the railway belonging to the same person, may, by order of the Minister, be sold; and the proceeds of such sale shall be applied first for paying the said charges and the expenses of such sale, and the balance, if any, shall be paid over to the owner of the goods sold.

50. If any such goods are left on the premises of the railway, and the owner thereof, or the person liable for the charges thereon, is not known, the Minister may cause it to be publicly notified that such goods will be sold upon a day named in such notice, not less than one month from the publication thereof; and, if such goods are not removed and the charges thereon paid before such day, the said goods may be sold, and the balance of the proceeds of such sale, after paying the charges upon such goods, shall be paid into the Public Trust Office, and shall be

paid by the Public Trustee to any person establishing a lawful claim thereto.

51. If the Minister shall have paid any claim for goods for the time being lost on a railway, and such goods are afterwards found, the claimant shall have the option of taking such goods when refunding the amount so paid to him, but if he decline to do so such goods shall be sold, and the proceeds of such sale shall be paid into the Public Account.

52. The Minister may from time to time fix or alter scales of fares and charges for passengers and goods carried on a railway, or received on or into, or stored in, or delivered from any wharf, pier, jetty, store, shed, or yard in connection with a railway, or for demurrage on the use of any rolling-stock, or for the use of any cranes, hoists, or other machinery for loading or unloading of such goods, by a notice published in the *New Zealand Gazette* declaring the date at which such shall take effect. A printed notice of such fares and charges shall also be fixed and maintained in a conspicuous place at such stations as may be deemed advisable by the Engineer-in-Chief.

The Minister may authorize the General Manager from time to time to alter such passenger fares and rates temporarily by publishing a notice to that effect, such notice to be affixed in some conspicuous place at each station to which such alterations refer on the line of railway affected.

The General Manager may from time to time make time-tables fixing and showing the times at which trains arrive at and depart from stations; such time-tables, so far as relating to public passenger trains, shall be advertised in a local newspaper three days before coming into force, and shall also be posted in a conspicuous place at each station on the railway affected where tickets are sold.

The General Manager may, by the posting of notices at such stations as they refer to, fix rules for regulating the loading and unloading of carriages and wagons and the weights they carry, for ordering the receipt and delivery of goods, and for storing the same.

The Minister may from time to time, by a notice in the *New Zealand Gazette*, make rules and regulations for the guidance and observance of the officers and men employed on the railways, and for the conduct of the traffic thereon.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*By-laws and Regulations under which the Rakaia Bridge will be open for Ordinary Traffic (in substitution of Regulations previously issued).*

NORMANBY, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Public Works Act, 1876," it is, among other things, provided that the Governor in Council may from time to time make, alter, or revoke by-laws and regulations for regulating the traffic on roads and bridges used both for ordinary and railway traffic:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of all powers and authorities vested in him for that purpose, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby make the by-laws and regulations set forth in the Schedule hereto for regulating the traffic on the Rakaia Bridge, and which said bridge forms part of the railway from Amberley to the Bluff, and is used both for

ordinary and railway traffic; and in further pursuance and exercise of the said powers and authorities, and with the like advice and consent, doth revoke all by-laws and regulations in force at the date hereof, authorizing or regulating traffic on, along, or across the said bridge.

#### SCHEDULE.

1. All horses crossing the bridge which are not driven in harness, or led by bridle or halter, and all cattle, sheep, pigs, goats, mules, and donkeys, must have a man behind and before them.

2. Horses or light-wheeled vehicles will not be allowed to enter upon the bridge within fifteen minutes, drays within thirty minutes, and cattle and sheep or pigs within one hour of the advertised time of arrival and departure of any train from the Rakaia Railway Station.

3. Horsemen or wheeled vehicles will not be allowed to travel at a greater rate than six miles an hour across the bridge.

4. Traction engines will not be permitted on the bridge otherwise than on the goods wagons in use on the railways. Portable engines employed in agriculture, flax-dressing, or other purposes may pass over the bridge on their own wheels, provided they have not fewer than four travelling wheels, with tires not less than five inches broad, the cylinder not more than eleven inches in diameter if single, or eight inches if double; the weight, without water, not exceeding four tons and a half; and all fire must be drawn at least half a mile distant from the bridge.

5. No greater weight than three tons gross on any one pair of wheels with tires less than five inches wide will be permitted to cross the bridge.

6. The restrictions provided in clause 2 for advertised trains shall be in force with respect to special trains, but any authorized officer of the Railway Department may, at his discretion, relax any of such restrictions as the case may require.

7. Any person or persons entering upon the bridge within the prohibited hours, or resisting the gatekeepers in the execution of their duties, will be subject to the penalty hereinafter mentioned.

8. Any person in a state of intoxication will not be permitted to enter upon the bridge whilst in such condition.

9. Any person offending against any of these regulations will be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.

10. So far as applicable the general by-laws and regulations for the time being respectively in force and affecting the traffic on the New Zealand railways shall extend and apply to the Rakaia Bridge.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*By-laws and Regulations under which the Ashburton Bridge will be open for Ordinary Traffic (in substitution of Regulations previously issued).*

NORMANBY, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Public Works Act, 1876," it is, among other things, provided that the Governor in Council may from time to time make, alter, or revoke by-laws and regulations for regulating the traffic on roads and bridges used both for ordinary and railway traffic:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise

of all powers and authorities vested in him for that purpose, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby make the by-laws and regulations set forth in the Schedule hereto for regulating the traffic on the Ashburton Bridge, and which said bridge forms part of the railway from Amberley to the Bluff, and is used both for ordinary and railway traffic; and in further pursuance and exercise of the said powers and authorities, and with the like advice and consent, doth revoke all by-laws and regulations in force at the date hereof, authorizing or regulating traffic on, along, or across the said bridge.

SCHEDULE.

1. All horses crossing the bridge which are not driven in harness, or led by bridle or halter, and all cattle, sheep, pigs, goats, mules, and donkeys, must have a man behind and before them.
2. Horses or light-wheeled vehicles will not be allowed to enter upon the bridge within fifteen minutes, drays within thirty minutes, and cattle and sheep or pigs within one hour of the advertised time of arrival and departure of any train from the Ashburton Railway Station.
3. Horsemen or wheeled vehicles will not be allowed to travel at a greater rate than six miles an hour across the bridge.
4. Traction engines will not be permitted on the bridge otherwise than on the goods wagons in use on the railways. Portable engines employed in agriculture, flax-dressing, or other purposes may pass over the bridge on their own wheels, provided they have not fewer than four travelling wheels, with tires not less than five inches broad, the cylinder not more than eleven inches in diameter if single, or eight inches if double; the weight, without water, not exceeding four tons and a half; and all fire must be drawn at least half a mile distant from the bridge.
5. No greater weight than three tons gross on any one pair of wheels with tires less than five inches wide will be permitted to cross the bridge.
6. The restrictions provided in clause 2 for advertised trains shall be in force with respect to special trains, but any authorized officer of the Railway Department may, at his discretion, relax any of such restrictions as the case may require.
7. Any person or persons entering upon the bridge within the prohibited hours, or resisting the gatekeepers in the execution of their duties, will be subject to the penalty hereinafter mentioned.
8. Any person in a state of intoxication will not be permitted to enter upon the bridge whilst in such condition.
9. Any person offending against any of these regulations will be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.
10. So far as applicable the general by-laws and regulations for the time being respectively in force and affecting the traffic on the New Zealand railways shall extend and apply to the Ashburton Bridge.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Extending the operation of Order in Council under "The Stamp Fee Act, 1875," dated 3rd instant.*

NORMANBY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

**W**HEREAS by an Order in Council made and issued under the provisions of "The Stamp

Fee Act, 1875," on the third day of December instant, after reciting as is therein recited, it was directed that, on and after the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, all duties, fees, fines, and penalties now and from time to time payable under any Acts mentioned or referred to in the Schedule thereto, except such as are payable in Courts of Petty Sessions, should be collected by stamps under the said Act as therein mentioned: And whereas it is expedient that the provisions of the said Order in Council should be altered as hereinafter set forth:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony of New Zealand, and in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by "The Stamp Fee Act, 1875," doth hereby order and direct that the provisions of the said in part recited Order in Council, and the Schedule thereto, shall extend and apply to all duties, fees, fines, and penalties levied, received, recovered, or enforced under any Act or Ordinance, by virtue of any process or proceeding had or taken under any of the Acts mentioned in the Schedule to the said in part recited Order in Council, or under any other Act or Ordinance, in any Resident Magistrate's Court, or before any Justice or Justices of the Peace; but nothing herein shall be deemed to apply to any duties, fees, fines, or penalties received or receivable in any Court of Petty Sessions.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Appointing Apiata Aterea and Tanirau Kahu Trustees under "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867."*

NORMANBY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

**W**HEREAS by "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), it is enacted that, if any title to or interest in any hereditaments shall accrue to any Maoris, who or any of whom shall be infants, lunatics, or under legal disability, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, if he think fit, to order that such hereditaments, or any part thereof or interest therein as shall to the Governor in Council be shown to belong to such infant, or lunatic, or other person under legal disability, shall be vested in trustees, as the Governor in Council shall think fit:

And whereas by an order bearing date the twenty-third day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, under the hand of Henry Halse, Esquire, Judge of the Native Land Court, under the seal of the said Court, it was ordered that a memorial of the ownership of Te Tohea Apiata, Puhani Pataka, and others to the land and hereditaments described in the Schedule hereto be inscribed on the Court rolls:

And whereas the said Te Tohea Apiata and Puhani Pataka are infants under the age of twenty-one years, and it is expedient that Apiata Aterea and Tanirau Kahu be appointed trustees under the said Act, on behalf of the said Te Tohea Apiata and Puhani Pataka:

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

and shares of the said Te Tohea Apiata and Puhānui Pataka in the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be and remain rested in

APIATA ATEREA and  
TANIRAU KAHU,

as Trustees, within the meaning and for the purposes of the said Act, for the said Te Tohea Apiata and Puhānui Pataka during their minority, from the date of the above order.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 43,051 acres, more or less, situate at Upper Rangitaiki, in the District of Bay of Plenty, being called or known by the name of Pukahunui. Bounded on the North-east by the Heruiwi Block; towards the East by survey lines; towards the South by the Waipunga River and the Runanga No. 1 Block; and towards the West by the Rangitaiki River.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Appointing Tanirau Kahu and Moihi Runga Trustees under "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867."*

NORMANBY, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), it is enacted that, if any title or interest in any hereditaments shall accrue to any Maoris, who or any of whom shall be infants, lunatics, or under legal disability, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, if he think fit, to order that such hereditaments, or any part thereof or interest therein as shall to the Governor in Council be shown to belong to such infant, or lunatic, or other person under legal disability, shall be vested in trustees, as the Governor in Council shall think fit:

And whereas by an order bearing date the twenty-third day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, under the hand of Henry Halse, Esquire, Judge of the Native Land Court, under the seal of the said Court, it was ordered that a memorial of the ownership of Kohutapu Tia and others to the land and hereditaments described in the Schedule hereto be inscribed on the Court rolls:

And whereas the said Kohutapu Tia is an infant under the age of twenty-one years, and it is expedient that Tanirau Kahu and Moihi Runga be appointed Trustees under the said Act, on behalf of the said Kohutapu Tia:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the colony, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by the said Act, doth hereby order that the interest and share of the said Kohutapu Tia in the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be and remain vested in

TANIRAU KAHU and  
MOIHI RUNGA,

as Trustees, within the meaning and for the purposes of the said Act, for the said Kohutapu Tia during her minority, from the date of the above order.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 43,051

acres, more or less, situate at Upper Rangitaiki, in the District of Bay of Plenty, being called or known by the name of Pukahunui. Bounded on the North-east by the Heruiwi Block; towards the East by survey lines; towards the South by the Waipunga River and the Runanga No. 1 Block; and towards the West by the Rangitaiki River.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Appointing Kereama te Heheu and Hinau Mehaka Trustees under "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867."*

NORMANBY, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), it is enacted that, if any title to or interest in any hereditaments shall accrue to any Maoris, who or any of whom shall be infants, lunatics, or under legal disability, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, if he think fit, to order that such hereditaments, or any part thereof or interest therein as shall to the Governor in Council be shown to belong to such infant, or lunatic, or other person under legal disability, shall be vested in trustees, as the Governor in Council shall think fit:

And whereas, by an order bearing date the twenty-third day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, under the hand of Henry Halse, Esquire, Judge of the Native Land Court, under the seal of the said Court, it was ordered that a memorial of the ownership of Te Marama Heheu and others to the lands and hereditaments described in the Schedule hereto be inscribed on the Court rolls:

And whereas the said Te Marama Heheu is an infant under the age of twenty-one years, and it is expedient that Kereama te Heheu and Hinau Mehaka be appointed trustees under the said Act, on behalf of the said Te Marama Heheu:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the colony, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by the said Act, doth hereby order that the interest and share of the said Te Marama Heheu in the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be and remain vested in

KEREAMA TE HEHEU and  
HINAU MEHAKA,

as Trustees, within the meaning and for the purposes of the said Act, for the said Te Marama Heheu during his minority, from the date of the above order.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 43,051 acres, more or less, situate at Upper Rangitaiki, in the District of Bay of Plenty, being called or known by the name of Pukahunui. Bounded on the north-east by the Heruiwi Block; towards the East by survey lines; towards the South by the Waipunga River and the Runanga No. 1 Block; and towards the West by the Rangitaiki River.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Appointing Gilbert Mair and Ruiha Penupenu Trustees under "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867."*

NORMANBY, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Maori Real Estate Management Act" 1867" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), it is enacted that, if any title to or interest in any hereditaments shall accrue to any Maoris, who or any of whom shall be infants, lunatics, or under legal disability, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, if he think fit, to order that such hereditaments, or any part thereof or interest therein as shall to the Governor in Council be shown to belong to such infant, or lunatic, or other person under legal disability, shall be vested in trustees, as the Governor in Council shall think fit:

And whereas by orders bearing date the twenty-third and twenty-fourth days of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, respectively, under the hand of Henry Halse, Esquire, Judge of the Native Land Court, under the seal of the said Court, it was ordered that memorials of the ownership of Pukohu Riripeti Peraniko and others to the lands and hereditaments described in the Schedules A and B hereto be inscribed on the Court rolls:

And whereas the said Pukohu Riripeti Peraniko is an infant under the age of twenty-one years, and it is expedient that Gilbert Mair and Ruiha Penupenu be appointed trustees under the said Act, on behalf of the said Pukohu Riripeti Peraniko:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the colony, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by the said Act, doth hereby order that the interest and share of the said Pukohu Riripeti Peraniko in the lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be and remain vested in

GILBERT MAIR and  
RUIHA PENUPENU

as Trustees, within the meaning and for the purposes of the said Act, for the said Pukohu Riripeti Peraniko during her minority, from the date of the above orders.

SCHEDULE A.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 43,051 acres, more or less, situate at Upper Rangitaiki, in the District of Bay of Plenty, being called or known by the name of Pukahunui. Bounded on the North-east by the Heruiwi Block; towards the East by survey lines; towards the South by the Waipunga River and the Runanga No. 1. Block; and towards the West by the Rangitaiki River.

SCHEDULE B.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 25,161 acres, more or less, situate at Upper Rangitaiki, in the District of Bay of Plenty, being called or known by the name of Heruiwi. Bounded on the North by the Rangitaiki River to its confluence with Wheao River; towards the East by Wheao River and Waione Stream, thence by lines to northern boundary of Pukahunui Block; towards the South by the Pukahunui Block aforesaid; and towards the North-west by the Rangitaiki River.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Appointing Apikaira Pakupaku and Ruiha Mehaka Trustees under "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867."*

NORMANBY, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), it is enacted that, if any title to or interest in any hereditaments shall accrue to any Maoris, who or any of whom shall be infants, lunatics, or under legal disability, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, if he think fit, to order that such hereditaments, or any part thereof or interest therein as shall to the Governor in Council be shown to belong to such infant, or lunatic, or other person under legal disability, shall be vested in trustees, as the Governor in Council shall think fit:

And whereas by an order bearing date the twenty-third day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, under the hand of Henry Halse, Esquire, Judge of the Native Land Court, under the seal of the said Court, it was ordered that a memorial of the ownership of Harata Mehaka and others to the land and hereditaments described in the Schedule hereto be inscribed on the Court rolls:

And whereas the said Harata Mehaka is an infant under the age of twenty-one years, and it is expedient that Apikaira Pakupaku and Ruiha Mehaka be appointed trustees under the said Act, on behalf of the said Harata Mehaka:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the colony, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by the said Act, doth hereby order that the interest and share of the said Harata Mehaka in the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be and remain vested in

APIKAIRA PAKUPAKU and  
RUIHA MEHAKA

as Trustees, within the meaning and for the purposes of the said Act, for the said Harata Mehaka during her minority, from the date of the above order.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 43,051 acres, more or less, situate at Upper Rangitaiki, in the District of Bay of Plenty, being called or known by the name of Pukahunui. Bounded on the North-east by the Heruiwi Block; towards the East by survey lines; towards the South by the Waipunga River and the Runanga No. 1. Block; and towards the West by the Rangitaiki River.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Appointing Horomona Peti and Erena Horomona Trustees under "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867."*

NORMANBY, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), it is enacted that, if any title to or interest in

any hereditaments shall accrue to any Maoris, who or any of whom shall be infants, lunatics, or under legal disability, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, if he think fit, to order that such hereditaments, or any part thereof or interest therein as shall to the Governor in Council be shown to belong to such infant, or lunatic, or other person under legal disability, shall be vested in trustees, as the Governor in Council shall think fit:

And whereas by an order bearing date the twenty-third day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, under the hand of Henry Halse, Esquire, Judge of the Native Land Court, under the seal of the said Court, it was ordered that a memorial of the ownership of Harete Horomona and others to the land and hereditaments described in the Schedule hereto be inscribed on the Court rolls:

And whereas the said Harete Horomona is an infant under the age of twenty-one years, and it is expedient that Horomona Peti and Erena Horomona be appointed trustees under the said Act, on behalf of the said Harete Horomona:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the colony, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by the said Act, doth hereby order that the interest and share of the said Harete Horomona in the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be and remain vested in

HOROMONA PETI and  
ERENA HOROMONA

as Trustees, within the meaning and for the purposes of the said Act, for the said Harete Horomona during her minority, from the date of the above order.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 43,051 acres, more or less, situate at Upper Rangitaiki, in the District of Bay of Plenty, being called or known by the name of Pukahunui. Bounded on the North-east by the Heruiwi Block; towards the East by survey lines; towards the South by the Waipunga River and the Runanga No. I. Block; and towards the West by the Rangitaiki River.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Appointing Ramarihi te Hau and Ngawaka te Toroa Trustees under the "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867."*

NORMANBY, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), it is enacted that, if any title to or interest in any hereditaments shall accrue to any Maoris, who or any of whom shall be infants, lunatics, or under legal disability, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, if he think fit, to order that such hereditaments, or any part thereof or interest therein as shall to the Governor in Council be shown to belong to such infant, or lunatic, or other person under legal disability, shall be vested in trustees, as the Governor in Council shall think fit:

And whereas by an order bearing date the twenty-third day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, under the hand of Henry Halse,

Esquire, Judge of the Native Land Court, under the seal of the said Court, it was ordered that a memorial of the ownership of Hou Ramarihi and others to the land and hereditaments described in the Schedule hereto be inscribed on the Court rolls:

And whereas the said Hou Ramarihi is an infant under the age of twenty-one years, and it is expedient that Ramarihi te Hau and Ngawaka te Toroa be appointed trustees under the said Act, on behalf of the said Hou Ramarihi:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the colony, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by the said Act, doth hereby order that the interest and share of the said Hou Ramarihi in the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be and remain vested in

RAMARIHI TE HAU and  
NGAWAKA TE TOROA

as Trustees, within the meaning and for the purposes of the said Act, for the said Hou Ramarihi during his minority, from the date of the above order.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 43,051 acres, more or less, situate at Upper Rangitaiki, in the District of Bay of Plenty, being called or known by the name of Pukahunui. Bounded on the North-east by the Heruiwi Block; towards the East by survey lines; towards the South by the Waipunga River and the Runanga No. I. Block; and towards the West by the Rangitaiki River.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Appointing Hapimana Parakiri and Kinihi Hapimana Trustees under "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867."*

NORMANBY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), it is enacted that, if any title to or interest in any hereditaments shall accrue to any Maoris, who or any of whom shall be infants, lunatics, or under legal disability, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, if he think fit, to order that such hereditaments, or any part thereof or interest therein as shall to the Governor in Council be shown to belong to such infant, or lunatic, or other person under legal disability, shall be vested in trustees, as the Governor in Council shall think fit:

And whereas by an order bearing date the twenty-third day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, under the hand of Henry Halse, Esquire, Judge of the Native Land Court, under the seal of the said Court, it was ordered that a memorial of the ownership of Takurua Hapimana, Pohe Hapimana, Toetoe Hapimana, and others to the land and hereditaments described in the Schedule hereto be inscribed on the Court rolls:

And whereas the said Takurua Hapimana, Pohe Hapimana, and Toetoe Hapimana are infants under the age of twenty-one years, and it is expedient that Hapimana Parakiri and Kinihi Hapimana be appointed trustees under the said Act, on behalf of the said Takurua Hapimana, Pohe Hapimana, and Toetoe Hapimana:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the colony, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by the said Act, doth hereby order that the interests and shares of the said Takurua Hapimana, Pohe Hapimana, and Toetoe Hapimana in the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be and remain vested in

HAPIMANA PARAKIRI and  
KINIHI HAPIMANA

as Trustees, within the meaning and for the purposes of the said Act, for the said Takurua Hapimana, Pohe Hapimana, and Toetoe Hapimana during their minority, from the date of the above order.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 43,051 acres, more or less, situate at Upper Rangitaiki, in the District of Bay of Plenty, being called or known by the name of Pukahunui. Bounded on the North-east by the Heruiwi Block; towards the East by survey lines; towards the South by the Waipunga River and the Runanga No. I. Block; and towards the West by the Rangitaiki River.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Appointing Hapurona Kohi and Mere Peka Harema Trustees under "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867."*

NORMANBY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), it is enacted that, if any title to or interest in any hereditaments shall accrue to any Maoris, who or any of whom shall be infants, lunatics, or under legal disability, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, if he think fit, to order that such hereditaments, or any part thereof or interest therein as shall to the Governor in Council be shown to belong to such infant, or lunatic, or other person under legal disability, shall be vested in trustees, as the Governor in Council shall think fit:

And whereas by an order bearing date the twenty-third day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, under the hand of Henry Halse, Esquire, Judge of the Native Land Court, under the seal of the said Court, it was ordered that a memorial of the ownership of Hape Anania and others to the land and hereditaments described in the Schedule hereto be inscribed on the Court rolls:

And whereas the said Hape Anania is an infant under the age of twenty-one years, and it is expedient that Hapurona Kohi and Mere Peka Harema be appointed trustees under the said Act, on behalf of the said Hape Anania:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the colony, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by the said Act, doth hereby order that the interest and share of the said Hape Anania in the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be and remain vested in

HAPURONA KOHI and  
MERE PEKA HAREMA

as Trustees, within the meaning and for the purposes of the said Act, for the said Hape Anania during his minority, from the date of the above order.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 43,051 acres, more or less, situate at Upper Rangitaiki, in the District of Bay of Plenty, being called or known by the name of Pukahunui. Bounded on the North-east by the Heruiwi Block; towards the East by survey lines; towards the South by the Waipunga River and the Runanga No. I. Block; and towards the West by the Rangitaiki River.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Appointing Rukarei Amopeti and Harete Peraniko Trustees under "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1876."*

NORMANBY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1837" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), it is enacted that, if any title to or interest in any hereditaments shall accrue to any Maoris, who or any of whom shall be infants, lunatics, or under legal disability, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, if he think fit, to order that such hereditaments, or any part thereof or interest therein as shall to the Governor in Council be shown to belong to such infant, or lunatic, or other person under legal disability, shall be vested in trustees, as the Governor in Council shall think fit:

And whereas by an order bearing date the twenty-third day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, under the hand of Henry Halse, Esquire, Judge of the Native Land Court, under the seal of the said Court, it was ordered that a memorial of the ownership of Hamahona Rukarei, Tenu Hopaia, and others to the land and hereditaments described in the Schedule hereto be inscribed on the Court rolls:

And whereas the said Hamahona Rukarei and Tenu Hopaia are infants under the age of twenty-one years, and it is expedient that Rukarei Amopeti and Harete Peraniko be appointed trustees under the said Act, on behalf of the said Hamahona Rukarei and Tenu Hopaia:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the colony, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by the said Act, doth hereby order that the interests and shares of the said Hamahona Rukarei and Tenu Hopaia in the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be and remain vested in

RUKAREI AMOPETI and  
HARETE PERANIKO

as Trustees, within the meaning and for the purposes of the said Act, for the said Hamahona Rukarei and Tenu Hopaia during their minority, from the date of the above order.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 43,051 acres, more or less, situate at Upper Rangitaiki, in the District of Bay of Plenty, being called or known



by the name of Pukahunui. Bounded on the North-east by the Heruwi Block; towards the East by survey lines; towards the South by the Waipunga River and the Runanga No. I. Block; and towards the West by the Rangitaiki River.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Appointing Roka Awhimate and Mere Meihana Trustees under "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867."*

NORMANBY, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), it is enacted that, if any title to or interest in any hereditaments shall accrue to any Maoris, who or any of whom shall be infants, lunatics, or under legal disability, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, if he think fit, to order that such hereditaments, or any part thereof or interest therein as shall to the Governor in Council be shown to belong to such infant, or lunatic, or other person under legal disability, shall be vested in trustees, as the Governor in Council shall think fit:

And whereas by an order bearing date the twenty-third day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, under the hand of Henry Halse, Esquire, Judge of the Native Land Court, under the seal of the said Court, it was ordered that a memorial of the ownership of, Urutaparoro, Rangihiroa Hapeta, and others to the land and hereditaments described in the Schedule hereto be inscribed on the Court rolls:

And whereas the said Urutaparoro and Rangihiroa Hapeta are infants under the age of twenty-one years, and it is expedient that Roka Awhimate and Mere Meihana be appointed trustees under the said Act, on behalf of the said Urutaparoro and Rangihiroa Hapeta:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the colony, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by the said Act, doth hereby order that the interests and shares of the said Urutaparoro and Rangihiroa Hapeta in the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be and remain vested in

ROKA AWHIMATE and  
MERE MEIHANA

as Trustees, within the meaning and for the purposes of the said Act, for the said Urutaparoro and Rangihiroa Hapeta during their minority, from the date of the above order.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 43,051 acres, more or less, situate at Upper Rangataiki, in the District of Bay of Plenty, being called or known by the name of Pukahunui. Bounded on the North-east by the Heruwi Block; towards the East by survey lines; towards the South by the Waipunga River and the Runanga No. I. Block; and towards the West by the Rangitaiki River.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Appointing Peti Maraea and Te Pokairangi Pukepuke Trustees under "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867."*

NORMANBY, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), it is enacted that, if any title to or interest in any hereditaments shall accrue to any Maoris, who or any of whom shall be infants, lunatics, or under legal disability, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, if he think fit, to order that such hereditaments, or any part thereof or interest therein as shall to the Governor in Council be shown to belong to such infant, or lunatic, or other person under legal disability, shall be vested in trustees, as the Governor in Council shall think fit:

And whereas by an order bearing date the twenty-third day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, under the hand of Henry Halse, Esquire, Judge of the Native Land Court, under the seal of the said Court, it was ordered that a memorial of the ownership of Tahuri Peti, Wiki Peti, and others to the land and hereditaments described in the Schedule hereto be inscribed on the Court rolls:

And whereas the said Tahuri Peti and Wiki Peti are infants under the age of twenty-one years, and it is expedient that Peti Maraea and Te Pokairangi Pukepuke be appointed trustees under the said Act, on behalf of the said Tahuri Peti and Wiki Peti:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the colony, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by the said Act, doth hereby order that the interests and shares of the said Tahuri Peti and Wiki Peti in the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be and remain vested in

PETI MARAEA and  
TE POKAIRANGI PUKEPUKE

as Trustees, within the meaning and for the purposes of the said Act, for the said Tahuri Peti and Wiki Peti during their minority, from the date of the above order.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 43,051 acres, more or less, situate at Upper Rangitaiki, in the District of Bay of Plenty, being called or known by the name of Pukahunui. Bounded on the North-east by the Heruwi Block; towards the East by survey lines; towards the South by the Waipunga River and the Runanga No. I. Block; and towards the West by the Rangitaiki River.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Appointing Patuata te Tuhi and Rihimona Tamaiwaho Trustees under "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867."*

NORMANBY, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867" (hereinafter called "the said

Act"), it is enacted that, if any title to or interest in any hereditaments shall accrue to any Maoris, who or any of whom shall be infants, lunatics, or under legal disability, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, if he think fit, to order that such hereditaments, or any part thereof or interest therein as shall to the Governor in Council be shown to belong to such infant, or lunatic, or other person under legal disability, shall be vested in trustees, as the Governor in Council shall think fit:

And whereas by an order bearing date the twenty-third day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, under the hand of Henry Halse, Esquire, Judge of the Native Land Court, under the seal of the said Court, it was ordered that a memorial of the ownership of Mihiki te Kapua, Hunuku te Tuhi, and others to the lands and hereditaments described in the Schedule hereto be inscribed on the Court rolls:

And whereas the said Mihiki te Kapua and Hunuku te Tuhi are infants under the age of twenty-one years, and it is expedient that Patuata te Tuhi and Rihimona Tamaiwaho be appointed trustees under the said Act, on behalf of the said Mihiki te Kapua and Hunuku te Tuhi:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the colony, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by the said Act, doth hereby order that the interests and shares of the said Mihiki te Kapua and Hunuku te Tuhi in the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be and remain vested in

PATUATA TE TUHI and  
RIHIMONA TAMAIWAHO

as Trustees, within the meaning and for the purposes of the said Act, for the said Mihiki te Kapua and Hunuku te Tuhi during their minority, from the date of the above order.

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 43,051 acres, more or less, situate at Upper Rangitaiki, in the District of Bay of Plenty, being called or known by the name of Pukahunui. Bounded on the North-east by the Heruiwi Block; towards the East by survey lines; towards the South by the Waipunga River and the Runanga No. I. Block; and towards the West by the Rangitaiki River.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Appointing Peraniko Ngarimu and Ngapere Kenehi Trustees under "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867."*

NORMANBY, Governor.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), it is enacted that, if any title to or interest in any hereditaments shall accrue to any Maoris, who or any of whom shall be infants, lunatics, or under legal disability, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, if he think fit, to order that such hereditaments, or any part thereof or interest therein as shall to the Governor in Council be shown to belong to such infant, or lunatic, or other person under legal disability, shall be vested in trustees, as the Governor in Council shall think fit:

And whereas by an order bearing date the twenty-third day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, under the hand of Henry Halse, Esquire, Judge of the Native Land Court, under the seal of the said Court, it was ordered that a memorial of the ownership of Puhirere Tukuha, Aupounamu Raimapaha, and others to the land and hereditaments described in the Schedule hereto be inscribed on the Court rolls:

And whereas the said Puhirere Tukuha and Aupounamu Raimapaha are infants under the age of twenty-one years, and it is expedient that Peraniko Ngarimu and Ngapere Kenehi be appointed trustees under the said Act, on behalf of the said Puhirere Tukuha and Aupounamu Raimapaha:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the colony, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by the said Act, doth hereby order that the interests and shares of the said Puhirere Tukuha and Aupounamu Raimapaha in the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be and remain vested in

PERANIKO NGARIMU and  
NGAPERERE KENEHI

as Trustees, within the meaning and for the purposes of the said Act, for the said Puhirere Tukuha and Aupounamu Raimapaha during their minority, from the date of the above order.

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 43,051 acres, more or less, situate at Upper Rangitaiki, in the District of Bay of Plenty, being called or known by the name of Pukahunui. Bounded on the North-east by the Heruiwi Block; towards the East by survey lines; towards the South by the Waipunga River and the Runanga No. I. Block; and towards the West by the Rangitaiki River.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Appointing Miriama Paekau and Peraniko Ngarimu Trustees under "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867."*

NORMANBY, Governor.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), it is enacted that, if any title to or interest in any hereditaments shall accrue to any Maoris, who or any of whom shall be infants, lunatics, or under legal disability, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, if he think fit, to order that such hereditaments, or any part thereof or interest therein as shall to the Governor in Council be shown to belong to such infant, or lunatic, or other person under legal disability, shall be vested in trustees, as the Governor in Council shall think fit:

And whereas by an order bearing date the twenty-third day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, under the hand of Henry Halse, Esquire, Judge of the Native Land Court, under the seal of the said Court, it was ordered that a memorial of the ownership of Miriama Ngakari and others to the land and hereditaments described in the Schedule hereto be inscribed on the Court rolls:

And whereas the said Miriama Ngakari is an infant

under the age of twenty-one years, and is expedient that Miriama Paeakau and Peraniko Ngarimu be appointed trustees under the said Act, on behalf of the said Miriama Ngakari:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the colony, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by the said Act, doth hereby order that the interest and share of the said Miriama Ngakari in the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be and remain vested in

MIRIAMA PAEAKAU and  
PERANIKO NGARIMU

as Trustees, within the meaning and for the purposes of the said Act, for the said Miriama Ngakari during her minority, from the date of the above order.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 43,051 acres, more or less, situate at Upper Rangitaiki, in the District of Bay of Plenty, being called or known by the name of Pukahunui. Bounded on the North-east by the Heruiwi Block; towards the East by survey lines; towards the South by the Waipunga River and the Runanga No. I. Block; and towards the West by the Rangitaiki River.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Appointing Remi Tupuahoronuku and Rakapa Peraniko Trustees under "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867."*

NORMANBY, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), it is enacted that, if any title to or interest in any hereditaments shall accrue to any Maoris, who or any of whom shall be infants, lunatics, or under legal disability, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, if he think fit, to order that such hereditaments, or any part thereof or interest therein as shall to the Governor in Council be shown to belong to such infant, or lunatic, or other person under legal disability, shall be vested in trustees, as the Governor in Council shall think fit:

And whereas by an order bearing date the twenty-third day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, under the hand of Henry Halse, Esq., Judge of the Native Land Court, under the seal of the said Court, it was ordered that a memorial of the ownership of Hiria Rakapa, Himaima Rakapa, Ripeka Pareraututu, and others to the land and hereditaments described in the Schedule hereto be inscribed on the Court rolls:

And whereas the said Hiria Rakapa, Himaima Rakapa, and Ripeka Pareraututu are infants under the age of twenty-one years, and it is expedient that Remi Tupuahoronuku and Rakapa Peraniko be appointed trustees under the said Act, on behalf of the said Hiria Rakapa, Himaima Rakapa, and Ripeka Pareraututu:

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

and shares of the said Hiria Rakapa, Himaima Rakapa, and Ripeka Pareraututu in the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be and remain vested in

REMI TUPUAHORONUKU and  
RAKAPA PERANIKO

as Trustees, within the meaning and for the purposes of the said Act, for the said Hiria Rakapa, Himaima Rakapa, and Ripeka Pareraututu during their minority, from the date of the above order.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 43,051 acres, more or less, situate at Upper Rangitaiki, in the District of Bay of Plenty, being called or known by the name of Pukahunui. Bounded on the North-east by the Heruiwi Block; towards the East by survey lines; towards the South by the Waipunga River and the Runanga No. I. Block; and towards the West by the Rangitaiki River.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Appointing Hira Potakurua and Roka Pani Trustees under "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867."*

NORMANBY, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), it is enacted that, if any title to or interest in any hereditaments shall accrue to any Maoris, who or any of whom shall be infants, lunatics, or under legal disability, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, if he think fit, to order that such hereditaments, or any part thereof or interest therein as shall to the Governor in Council be shown to belong to such infant, or lunatic, or other person under legal disability, shall be vested in trustees, as the Governor in Council shall think fit:

And whereas by an order bearing date the twenty-third day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, under the hand of Henry Halse, Esquire, Judge of the Native Land Court, under the seal of the said Court, it was ordered that a memorial of the ownership of Tamahou te Hira and others to the land and hereditaments described in the Schedule hereto be inscribed on the Court rolls:

And whereas the said Tamahou te Hira is an infant under the age of twenty-one years, and it is expedient that Hira Potakurua and Roka Pani be appointed Trustees under the said Act, on behalf of the said Tamahou te Hira:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the colony, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by the said Act, doth hereby order that the interest and share of the said Tamahou te Hira in the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be and remain vested in

HIRA POTAKURUA and  
ROKA PANI

as Trustees, within the meaning and for the purposes of the said Act, for the said Tamahou te Hira during his minority, from the date of the above order.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of

Auckland, containing by admeasurement 43,051 acres, more or less, situate at Upper Rangitaiki, in the District of Bay of Plenty, being called or known by the name of Pukahunui. Bounded on the North-east by the Heruiwi Block; towards the East by survey lines; towards the South by the Waipunga River and the Runanga No. I. Block; and towards the West by the Rangitaiki River.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Appointing Mauparaoa Manuka and Raharuhi Puritia Trustees under "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867."*

NORMANBY, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), it is enacted that, if any title to or interest in any hereditaments shall accrue to any Maoris, who or any of whom shall be infants, lunatics, or under legal disability, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, if he think fit, to order that such hereditaments, or any part thereof or interest therein as shall to the Governor in Council be shown to belong to such infant, or lunatic, or other person under legal disability, shall be vested in trustees, as the Governor in Council shall think fit:

And whereas by an order bearing date the twenty-third day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, under the hand of Henry Halse, Esquire, Judge of the Native Land Court, under the seal of the said Court, it was ordered that a memorial of the ownership of Horopapera Mauparaoa, Tiraha Mauparaoa, Raimapaha Mauparaoa, and others to the land and hereditaments described in the Schedule hereto be inscribed on the Court rolls:

And whereas the said Horopapera Mauparaoa, Tiraha Mauparaoa, and Raimapaha Mauparaoa are infants under the age of twenty-one years, and it is expedient that Mauparaoa Manuka and Raharuhi Puritia be appointed trustees under the said Act, on behalf of the said Horopapera Mauparaoa, Tiraha Mauparaoa, and Raimapaha Mauparaoa:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the colony, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by the said Act, doth hereby order that the interests and shares of the said Horopapera Mauparaoa, Tiraha Mauparaoa, and Raimapaha Mauparaoa in the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be and remain vested in

MAUPARAOA MANUKA and  
RAHARUHI PURITIA

as Trustees, within the meaning and for the purposes of the said Act, for the said Horopapera Mauparaoa, Tiraha Mauparaoa, and Raimapaha Mauparaoa during their minority, from the date of the above order.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 43,051 acres, more or less, situate at Upper Rangitaiki, in the District of Bay of Plenty, being called or known by the name of Pukahunui. Bounded on the North-east by the Heruiwi Block; towards the East by

survey lines; towards the South by the Waipunga River and the Runanga No. I. Block; and towards the West by the Rangitaiki River.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Appointing Henare Matua and Rora Hokoaka Trustees under "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867."*

NORMANBY, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), it is enacted that, if any title to or interest in any hereditaments shall accrue to any Maoris, who or any of whom shall be infants, lunatics, or under legal disability, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, if he think fit, to order that such hereditaments, or any part thereof or interest therein as shall to the Governor in Council be shown to belong to such infant, or lunatic, or other person under legal disability, shall be vested in trustees, as the Governor in Council shall think fit:

And whereas by an order bearing date the twentieth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, under the hand of John Jermyn Symonds, Esquire, Judge of the Native Land Court, under the seal of the said Court, it was ordered that a memorial of the ownership of Nepia Matua and others to the land and hereditaments described in the Schedule hereto be inscribed on the Court rolls:

And whereas the said Nepia Matua is an infant under the age of twenty-one years, and it is expedient that Henare Matua and Rora Hokoaka be appointed trustees under the said Act, on behalf of the said Nepia Matua:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the colony, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by the said Act, doth hereby order that the interest and share of the said Nepia Matua in the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be and remain vested in

HENARE MATUA and RORA HOKOAKA,  
as Trustees, within the meaning and for the purposes of the said Act, for the said Nepia Matua during his minority.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, containing by admeasurement sixteen thousand seven hundred and sixty-one (16,761) acres, more or less, situate at Porangahau, in the District of Hawke's Bay, being called or known by the name of Mangaorapa. Bounded towards the East by the Porangahau River; towards the South-east by the Mangaorapa Stream and by Te Tohe Stream; towards the South by the Manawangi Block three hundred (300) links, four thousand and sixty-eight (4068) links, and fourteen thousand four hundred and three (14403) links; towards the West by lines eighteen thousand four hundred and thirty (18430) links, nineteen hundred and sixty-three (1963) links, eighteen hundred and eighty-four (1884) links, two thousand six hundred and thirty (2630) links, two thousand six hundred and eighty (2680) links, eight hundred and twenty (820) links, two thousand two hundred and seventy-nine (2279) links, seven hundred and forty-two (742) links, and one thousand

two hundred and twenty (1220) links; and towards the North-west by the Mangangarara Block three thousand and ninety-five (3095) links, six thousand five hundred and eighteen (6518) links, fourteen hundred and sixty-six (1466) links, five hundred and seventy-nine (579) links, and six hundred and twenty-six (626) links, two thousand and forty-two (2042) links, eight hundred and sixty-eight (868) links, nine hundred and twenty-seven (927) links, five hundred and sixty-seven (567) links, eight hundred and four (804) links, twelve thousand seven hundred and twenty (12720) links, twelve thousand nine hundred and seventeen (12917) links, thirteen hundred and ninety (1390) links, six hundred and seventy-two (672) links, three thousand three hundred and ninety (3390) links, eleven hundred and thirteen (1113) links and by the aforesaid Porangahau River.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Land temporarily reserved in the Provincial District of Otago.*

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:

Now, therefore, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by the said Act, do hereby temporarily reserve from sale the land in the Provincial District of Otago described in the Schedule hereunder written, for the purpose in the said Schedule specified.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Otago, being Section 18, Block XIX., Tuapeka East. Bounded towards the North-west by Section 55 of same block, fifty-one (51) links; towards the North by Section 55 of same block, one hundred and fifty-five and five-tenths (155.5) links; towards the North-east by a road line, five hundred and thirty-nine and four-tenths (539.4) links; towards the South-east by a road line, two hundred and ninety-two and three-tenths (292.3) links; towards the West by Section 56 of same block, four hundred and fifty-one and nine-tenths (451.9) links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less, and containing by admeasurement one (1) acre and six (6) poles, more or less. For a quarry.

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

J. BALLANCE,  
(for the Minister of Lands.)

*Land temporarily reserved in the Provincial District of Taranaki.*

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:

Now, therefore, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by the said Act, do hereby temporarily reserve from sale the land in the Provincial District of Taranaki described in the Schedule hereunder written, for the purpose in the said Schedule specified.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land situate in the Provincial District of Taranaki, containing by admeasurement one (1) rood, more or less, being Section numbered one (1), Block ninety (XC.), on the map of Raleigh (West), Paritutu Survey District. Bounded towards the North-west by Whitaker Street, two hundred and seventy (270) links; towards the North-east by Section numbered two (2) on the above-mentioned map, ninety-four (94) links; towards the South-east by Section numbered three (3) on the above-mentioned map, two hundred and seventy (270) links; and towards the South-west by Queen Street, ninety-four (94) links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As a site for a telegraph station.

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

J. BALLANCE,  
(for the Minister of Lands.)

*Land temporarily reserved in the Provincial District of Canterbury.*

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:

Now, therefore, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by the said Act, do hereby temporarily reserve from sale the land in the Provincial District of Canterbury described in the Schedule hereunder written, for the purposes in the said Schedule specified.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Rakaia Road District, Provincial District of Canterbury, containing twelve (12) acres, more or less, being Section numbered 2287 (in red). Bounded towards the North-east by a road line for a distance of about 15 chains; towards the North-west by the main South Road for a distance of about 10 chains; towards the South-west by Section No. 1763 (in red) for a distance of about 10 chains 50 links; and towards the South-east by a road line for a distance of about 11 chains: as the same is delineated on the official map in the Provincial District Survey Office, Christchurch. For a cemetery.

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

J. BALLANCE,  
(for the Minister of Lands.)

*Land temporarily reserved in the Provincial District of Otago.*

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:

Now, therefore, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by the said Act, do hereby temporarily reserve from sale the land in the Provincial District of Otago described in the Schedule hereunder written, for the purpose in the said Schedule specified.

## SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Provincial District of Otago, containing by admeasurement twelve (12) acres two (2) roods, more or less, situate in the Otokia District, being Section No. 47, Block I., on the map of the said district. Bounded towards the North-west, North, and North-east by Otokia Creek and Boat Harbour, two thousand six hundred and fifty (2650) links; towards the North-east by Boat Harbour, seven hundred (700) links; towards the South-east by the ocean, two thousand nine hundred (2900) links; towards the South-west by Beach Reserve, road line, and Section No. 2 of 7 (now called Town of Brighton, five hundred and forty (540) links; and towards the North-west by a road line, three hundred and sixty (360) links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less, and intersected by a road line 100 links wide. For a recreation-ground.

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

J. BALLANCE,  
(for the Minister of Lands.)

*Notification of the Payment of Money on and Entry into Negotiations for the Purchase of Native Lands in the North Island.*

NORMANBY, Governor.

IN pursuance of the provisions of "The Government Native Land Purchases Act, 1877," it is hereby notified that money has been paid by or on behalf of Her Majesty the Queen for the purchase or acquisition of the block of Native land in the North Island which is more particularly described and mentioned in the Schedule hereto; and, further, that negotiations in respect of such purchase or acquisition as aforesaid have been entered into by or on behalf of Her said Majesty.

SCHEDULE.  
PUHIPUHI.

ALL that parcel of land containing twenty-five thousand (25,000) acres, more or less, known by the name of Puhipuhi, situated within the Hukerenui and Russell Survey Districts, in the Provincial District of Auckland. Bounded towards the North by the Mokotuna Stream and a line, 6380 links; towards the East by the Taparaha and Kaimamaku Rivers; towards the South by the Whakapara and Wairua Rivers; and towards the West by the Waiotu River:

as delineated on a plan deposited in the Survey Office, Auckland.

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

JOHN SHEEHAN.

*Managers of the Inangahua Ferry Reserves appointed.*

NORMANBY, Governor.

IN pursuance of the sixth section of "The Public Reserves Act, 1877," I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby nominate and appoint

THE CHAIRMAN, COUNCILLORS, AND INHABITANTS OF THE COUNTY OF INANGAHUA,

to have the control and management of the Inangahua Ferry Reserves, the boundaries whereof are set forth in the Schedule hereto, until such reserves shall be vested or granted in any particular manner.

## SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land containing one hundred and forty-six (146) acres three (3) roods and twenty (20) perches, more or less, being Section numbered 55 on Square 138 on the plan of the Land District of Nelson, and bounded as follows: On the Northward by Crown land; on the Eastward by the River Buller; on the Southward by Sections 51 and 4; and on the Westward by Sections 51, 4, and 52.

All that parcel of land containing thirty (30) acres, more or less, being Section numbered 56 on Square 138 on the plan of the Land District of Nelson, and bounded as follows: On the North by the River Buller; on the Eastward partly by a public road and partly by Section 58; on the Southward partly by Section 57 and partly by a public road; and on the Westward by the River Buller.

All that parcel of land containing forty (40) acres, more or less, being Section numbered 94 on Square 138 on the plan of the Land District of Nelson, and bounded as follows: On the Northward by the River Buller; on the East by a public road; on the Southward by a public road; and on the Westward by the River Matakaitaki.

All that parcel of land containing seven (7) acres, more or less, being Section numbered 92 on Square 138 on the plan of the Land District of Nelson, and bounded as follows: On the Northward by a public road; on the Eastward by the River Matakaitaki; on the Southward by Crown land; and on the Westward by a public road.

All that parcel of land containing forty-two (42) acres, more or less, being Section numbered 91 on Square 138 on the plan of the Land District of Nelson, and bounded as follows: On the Northward and Eastward by a public road; on the South by Crown land; and on the Westward by Section 90.

All that parcel of land containing forty-five (45) acres two (2) roods and twenty-eight (28) perches, more or less, being Section numbered 19 on Square 134 on the plan of the Land District of Nelson, and bounded as follows: On the Northward by a public road on the banks of the River Inangahua; on the South-eastward by Section 2; on the South-westward by a public road; and on the North-westward by a creek running into the River Inangahua. Excepting Section 1, sold to Christy Mindermann.

All that parcel of land containing two hundred (200) acres, more or less, being Sections 8 and 9 on Square 139 on the plan of the Land District of

Nelson, and bounded as follows: On the Northward partly by a public road and partly by a high bluff; on the Eastward partly by Crown land and partly by the River Buller; on the Southward partly by Section 14, partly by a road reserve, and partly by a creek flowing into the River Buller; and on the Westward partly by the old road to the Lyell and partly by Pensini's Track. The said two sections being separated by the River Buller.

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

ROBERT STOUT,  
Minister of Lands.

*Warrant abolishing Polling-places.*

NORMANBY, Governor.

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME,  
GREETING:

WHEREAS by "The Regulation of Elections Act, 1870," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, by warrant under his hand, from time to time to appoint polling-places for each electoral district within or within one mile of the limits thereof, and to appoint any one of such polling-places to be the principal polling-place for the district, and all or any of such polling-places from time to time to abolish, and, if he think fit, to appoint other polling-places in lieu of those abolished, and that every such warrant shall be published in the *New Zealand Gazette*: Provided always that no polling-place shall be appointed by the Governor under the said Act, unless he shall be first satisfied that the place to be appointed is more convenient than any other for at least twenty electors to record their votes thereat:

And whereas by warrant under the hand of the Governor, bearing date the sixth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

The School-house, Scotsburn, and  
Mr. Melville Gray's Homestead, Ashwick, Mackenzie Country,

were appointed polling-places for the Electoral District of Gladstone, for the election of Members of the House of Representatives:

And whereas it is expedient to abolish the same:

Now know ye that I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of New Zealand, in pursuance of the power and authority in me vested by the said Act, do hereby abolish the above-named polling-places for the Electoral District of Gladstone, for the election of Members of the House of Representatives.

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; at Wellington, this seventeenth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

G. S. WHITMORE.

*Warrant appointing Polling-places.*

NORMANBY, Governor.

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME,  
GREETING:

WHEREAS by "The Regulation of Elections Act, 1870," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, by warrant under his hand, from time to time to appoint polling-places for each electoral district within or within one mile of the limits thereof, and to appoint any one of such polling-places to be the principal polling-place for the district, and all or any of such polling-places from time to time to abolish, and, if he think fit, to appoint other polling-places in lieu of those abolished, and that every such warrant shall be published in the *New Zealand Gazette*: Provided always that no polling-place shall be appointed by the Governor under the said Act, unless he shall be first satisfied that the place to be appointed is more convenient than any other for at least twenty electors to record their votes thereat:

Now know ye that I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of New Zealand, in pursuance of the power and authority in me vested by the said Act, do hereby appoint the following places to be polling-places for the electoral district hereinafter specified, for the election of Members of the House of Representatives, namely:—

For the Electoral District of Gladstone,—

The Mount Peel Road Board Office, Peel Forest, and

The Mount Cook Road Board Office, Mackenzie Country.

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; at Wellington, this seventeenth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

G. S. WHITMORE.

*Summons to Legislative Council.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 19th December, 1878.

HIS Excellency the Governor has, in Her Majesty's name, summoned

WILLIAM WOOD, Esq.,

of Invercargill, to the Legislative Council of New Zealand, by writ of summons under the Seal of the Colony.

G. S. WHITMORE.

*Member of Bull's Local Board elected.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 12th December, 1878.

NOTICE has been received at this office that  
Mr. JOHN STEVENS  
has been elected a Commissioner for the Bull's  
Local District, *vice* Mr. James Bull, resigned.  
G. S. WHITMORE.

*Registration and Returning Officer appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 16th December, 1878.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased  
to appoint  
GEORGE LESLIE LEE, Esq.,  
to be Registration and Returning Officer for the  
election of Members of the House of Representatives  
for the Electoral Districts of Selwyn and Coleridge,  
*vice* E. J. Lee, Esq., who resigns on 31st December,  
1878. Appointment to date from 1st January, 1879.  
G. S. WHITMORE.

*Trustee for Manutahi Cemetery appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 16th December, 1878.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to  
appoint  
ROBERT TULLOCH  
to be a Trustee for the Manutahi Cemetery, County  
of Patea, *vice* H. Wright, resigned.  
G. S. WHITMORE.

*Trustee for West Oreti Rabbit District appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 16th December, 1878.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to  
appoint  
WILLIAM MACPHERSON,  
of Invercargill, to be a Trustee for the West Oreti  
Rabbit District, *vice* R. W. Aitken, resigned.  
G. S. WHITMORE.

*Registrar of Marriages, &c., appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 18th December, 1878.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to  
appoint  
JAMES FLEMING  
to be the Registrar of Marriages and of Births and  
Deaths, and also Vaccination Inspector, for the  
District of Arrow.  
G. S. WHITMORE.

*Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 18th December, 1878.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to  
appoint the under-mentioned gentlemen to be  
the Deputies of the Registrars of Marriages and of  
Births and Deaths for the districts respectively set  
opposite their names:—

Name.	District.
CHARLES KELLING ...	Ahaura.
SIMON LINDER ...	Mongonui.
JOHN MULHEARN ...	Waimea.

G. S. WHITMORE.

*Judge of Assessment Court for County of Wairoa, appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 17th December, 1878.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to  
appoint  
HARRY KENRICK, Esq., R.M.,  
to be the Judge of the Assessment Court of the  
district comprised within the County of Wairoa.  
G. S. WHITMORE.

*Registration and Returning Officer appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 18th December, 1878.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to  
appoint  
THOMAS WAYTH GUDGEON, Esq.,  
to be Registration and Returning Officer for the  
election of Members of the House of Representatives  
for the Electoral Districts of City of Auckland East,  
City of Auckland West, Parnell, Newton, and Wai-  
temata. Appointment to date from 12th instant.  
G. S. WHITMORE.

*Alteration of Fees for Geraldine Cemetery.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 18th December, 1878.

THE following scale of fees to be charged in the  
future by the Geraldine Cemetery Board are  
published for general information.  
G. S. WHITMORE.

For the future, the fees to be charged by the  
Geraldine Cemetery Board will be as follows:—

	£	s.	d.
Digging grave, attendance and dressing ground, warrant of burial, and regis- tering, without distinction of age ...	0	17	6
Cost of grave plots, each ...	1	10	0
Reopening vault or grave ...	1	0	0

I hereby approve these regulations, this sixteenth  
day of December, 1878.

NORMANBY,  
Governor.

*Letters of Naturalization issued.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 16th December, 1878.

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

Name.	Occupation.	Residence.
John Domico ...	Miner ...	Kumara.
Emil Senn ...	Clerk... ...	Wellington.
Emanuel Eness...	Miner ...	Lyell.
John Ernest ...	General Dealer	Christchurch.
Joseph Kronast ...	Labourer ...	Marton.
Benjamin Naylor, the younger	Storeman ...	Clyde, County of Vincent.

G. S. WHITMORE.

*Justices of the Peace appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 18th December, 1878.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been please  
appoint



HERBERT FITZWILLIAM WAY, Esq.,  
of Wairoa, near Rotorua, County of Tauranga; and  
HARTLEY MCINTIRE, Esq.,  
of Blenheim, to be Justices of the Peace for the  
colony.

JOHN SHEEHAN.

*Justices of the Peace appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 18th December, 1878.  
HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to  
appoint

THOMAS GEORGE BLAKEY, Esq., Mayor of  
Onehunga;  
THOMAS PEACOCK, Esq., Mayor of Auckland;  
CHARLES SAMSON, Esq., Mayor of Green Island;  
and  
EDMUND JOHN SCHLOTEL, Esq., Mayor of North-  
East Valley,

to be Justices of the Peace under "The Municipal  
Corporations Act, 1876."

JOHN SHEEHAN.

*Master of Industrial School appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 18th December, 1878.  
HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to  
appoint

CHARLES ROSEVEARE

to be Master of the Industrial School at Burnham,  
*vice* R. A. Colee, deceased.

JOHN SHEEHAN.

*Designation of Corps altered.*

Colonial Defence Office,  
Wellington, 6th December, 1878.  
HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to  
alter the designation of the Invercargill  
Engineer Volunteers to

The Invercargill Engineer Artillery Volunteers.  
This corps will form part of the New Zealand  
Regiment of Artillery Volunteers, as  
Battery K.

G. S. WHITMORE.

*Member of Land Board of the Land District of  
Southland appointed.*

General Crown Lands Office,  
Wellington, 16th December, 1878.  
HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to  
appoint

ANDREW KINROSS, Esq.,

to be a member of the Land Board of the Land  
District of Southland, *vice* the Hon. Sir J. L. C.  
Richardson, deceased.

J. BALLANCE,  
(for the Minister of Land.

*Interpreter appointed.*

Native Office,  
Wellington, 4th October, 1878.  
HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to  
appoint

CHARLES WILSON HURSTHOUSE,  
of New Plymouth, to be an Interpreter under the  
twelfth section of "The Native Land Act, 1873."

JOHN SHEEHAN.

*Assessor appointed.*

Native Office,  
Wellington, 17th December, 1878.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to  
appoint

PATARA RANGI

to be an Assessor for the purposes of "The Resident  
Magistrates Act, 1867," "The Native Circuit Courts  
Act, 1858," and "The Native Circuit Courts Act  
Amendment Act, 1862," within the District of  
Poverty Bay.

JOHN SHEEHAN.

OFFICIATING MINISTERS FOR 1878.—NOTICE No. 20.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 16th December, 1878.

PURSUANT to the provisions of an Act of the  
General Assembly of New Zealand, passed in  
the eighteenth year of the reign of Her Majesty  
Queen Victoria, and intituled "The Marriage Act,  
1854," the following name of an Officiating Minister  
within the meaning of the said Act is published for  
general information:—

*Church of Christ.*

The Reverend MATHEW WOOD GREEN.

WM. R. E. BROWN,

Registrar-General.

*Gold-Mining Lease Certificate declared void.*

IN pursuance of "The Mines Act, 1877," and the  
regulations thereunder for the granting and issue  
of gold-mining leases, it is hereby notified that, in  
consequence of the applicants for a lease of Section  
6, Block VII., Table Hill District, having declined to  
execute such lease, the Certificate No. 33c has been  
declared void, and that the said land is now open to  
persons holding miners' rights or business licenses,  
or to applicants for a lease, as if no lease of the same  
had been applied for.

Given under my hand, at Dunedin, this fifth day  
of December, 1878.

J. P. MAITLAND,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands,  
(Holding delegated powers.)

*Agricultural Lease Certificate declared void.*

IN pursuance of "The Mines Act, 1877," and the  
regulations thereunder for the granting and issue  
of agricultural leases, it is hereby notified that, in  
consequence of the person in whose favour Agricul-  
tural Lease No. 1654c, of Section 3, Block IV.,  
Wakefield, was issued, having refused to execute  
such lease in terms of No. 14 of the said regulations,  
the certificate under which the said section was  
occupied has been declared void, and the land open  
for application, as if no such certificate or lease had  
been issued.

Given under my hand, at Dunedin, this 20th day  
of November, 1878.

J. P. MAITLAND,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands,  
(Holding delegated powers.)

*Sale of Crown Lands.*

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned  
allotments of Crown lands will be offered for  
sale by public auction, at the Lands Office, Hokitika,  
on Wednesday, the 8th day of January, 1879, at 2  
o'clock p.m.

One-fourth of the purchase money to be paid at

the sale, and the remainder within one calendar month, or the deposit will be forfeited.

Sections 40, 41, 42, and 43, in the Town of Greenstone, containing an area of (18) eighteen perches each.

Upset price, £3 7s. 6d. each section.

Subject, however, to a water-race running through the said sections, and for which allowance has been made.

J. GILES,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.  
Crown Lands Office,  
Hokitika, 5th December, 1878.

*Sheep Inspector's Notice.*

Crown Lands Office,  
Wellington, 12th December, 1878.  
THE Inspector of Sheep for the Wanganui-Waitotara District reports an increase of 14,400 sheep over last year's return; the number on which assessment is payable now being 154,315, yielding £321 9s. 9d. per annum. Nine flocks are returned scabby, but it is expected these will shortly be entitled to clean certificates.

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 Lawrence, on or before the 17th day of January, 1879.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPLICANTS: Frederick Bastings and John Philip Armstrong. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "St. Bathans Gold-Mining Company." 1 acre 2 roods, at Tuapeka East, in the Tuapeka Mining District.

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

J. P. MAITLAND,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands,  
(Holding delegated powers.)

*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 Lawrence, on or before the 10th day of January, 1879.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPLICANTS: Andrew Barr and Others. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "Extended Gold-Mining Company." 8 acres, at Waitahuna East, in the Tuapeka Mining District.

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

J. P. MAITLAND,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands,  
(Holding delegated powers.)

*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 Dunedin, on or before the 9th day of January, 1879.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPLICANTS: Arthur Thomas Kenney and another. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "The Crown Prince Gold-Mining Company." 10 acres, at Black Man's Spur, in the Hindon Mining District.

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

J. P. MAITLAND,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands,  
(Holding delegated powers.)

*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 Naseby, on or before the 10th day of January, 1879.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPLICANTS: John Cogan and Others. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "Cogan, Congreve, and Co." 16 acres, at Serpentine, in the Mount Ida Mining District.

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

J. P. MAITLAND,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands,  
(Holding delegated powers.)

**R**EGISTRAR-GENERAL'S REPORT on the Vital Statistics of the Boroughs of Auckland, Thames, Wellington, Nelson, Christchurch, Dunedin, Hokitika, and Invercargill, during the Month of November, 1878.

TABLE showing the Number of Births, the actual Mortality of Males and Females, and the Proportion of Deaths to Population, in the Boroughs of Auckland, Thames, Wellington, Nelson, Christchurch, Dunedin, Hokitika, and Invercargill, during the Month of November, 1878.

BOROUGH.	CENSUS POPULATION, MARCH, 1878.	TOTAL BIRTHS.	DEATHS IN THE BOROUGHS REGISTERED IN NOVEMBER, 1878.						Total Deaths.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population.
			Males.			Females.				
			Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.		
Auckland ...	13,758	50	2	1	5	1	1	2	12	0·87
Thames ...	5,424	26	1	...	2	...	...	1	4	0·74
Wellington ...	18,953	86	6	1	13	1	1	6	28	1·48
Nelson ...	6,604	14	...	2	1	1	1	2	7	1·06
Christchurch ...	13,425	50	2	1	5	2	2	1	13	0·97
Dunedin ...	22,525	72	...	1	10	...	1	7	19	0·84
Hokitika ...	3,202	6	1	...	...	...	...	2	3	0·90
Invercargill ...	3,761	23	...	...	1	...	...	2	3	0·79
Totals ...	...	327	12	6	37	5	6	23	89	...

The deaths of persons not residents of the boroughs, occurring at hospitals, have been excluded in all cases.  
 The births were 10 less in number than in October.  
 The deaths were 6 less in number than the deaths in October.  
 Of the deaths, males contributed 55; females, 34: 29 of the deaths were of children under 5 years of age, being 32·58 per cent. of the whole number; 17 of these were of children under 1 year of age.  
 There were 10 deaths of persons over 65 years of age (4 males and 6 females), viz., 1 female of 73 at Auckland; 1 female of 66 at the Thames; 3 males of 70, 76, and 83, and 1 female of 68, at Wellington; 1 female of 72 at Nelson; 1 female of 78 at Dunedin; and 1 male of 71, and 1 female of 73, at Christchurch.

THE following Table shows the Causes of the Deaths of Persons of both Sexes under 5 years of age and 5 years and upwards, and the Proportions per Cent. of Deaths from each cause in the Boroughs named, and that were registered, during the Month of November, 1878.

CLASS.	CAUSES OF DEATH.	AUCKLAND.		THAMES.		WELLINGTON.		NELSON.		CH'CH.		DUNEDIN.		HOKITIKA.		INVERCARGILL.		TOTAL.	PROPORTIONS PER CENT.
		Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.				
I.	Zymotic Diseases ...	3	1	...	...	...	2	...	1	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	10	11·23
II.	Constitutional Diseases ...	...	2	...	...	...	4	1	...	1	1	1	5	...	...	...	1	16	17·98
III.	Local Diseases ...	...	3	...	2	6	7	1	1	4	...	8	1	2	...	...	2	38	42·70
IV.	Developmental Diseases ...	2	1	1	...	2	3	1	1	2	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	17	19·10
V.	Violent Deaths ...	...	...	...	1	1	3	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	8	8·99
	Unspecified ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Totals ...	5	7	1	3	9	19	4	3	6	7	2	17	1	2	...	3	89	100·00

CLASS I.—ZYMOTIC DISEASES.

- ORDER 1.—*Miasmatic Diseases*.—Scarlet Fever, 1; Diphtheria, 1; Typhoid Fever, 3; Diarrhœa, 2.
- ORDER 2.—*Enthetic Diseases*.—Syphilis, 1; Purulent Absorption (Impetigo), 1.
- ORDER 4.—*Parasitic Diseases*.—Worms, 1.

CLASS II.—CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES.

- ORDER 1.—*Diathetic Diseases*.—Carcinoma, 1.
- ORDER 2.—*Tubercular Diseases*.—Tuberculosis, 1; Phthisis, 9; Hydrocephalus, 5.

CLASS III.—LOCAL DISEASES.

- ORDER 1.—*Diseases of Nervous System*.—Meningitis, 4; Apoplexy, 1; Paralysis, 1; Convulsions, 3; Congestion of the Brain, 2.
- ORDER 2.—*Diseases of Organs of Circulation*.—Heart Disease, 7.
- ORDER 3.—*Diseases of Respiratory Organs*.—Laryngitis, 1; Bronchitis, 6; Pleurisy, 1; Pneumonia, 3; Disease of the Lungs, 1.
- ORDER 4.—*Diseases of Digestive Organs*.—Peritonitis, 2; Cholera, 1; Dyspepsia, 1; Hepatitis, 2; Liver Disease, 2.

CLASS IV.—DEVELOPMENTAL DISEASES.

- ORDER 1.—*Developmental Diseases of Children*.—Premature Birth, 4; Teething, 2.
- ORDER 2.—*Developmental Diseases of Adults*.—Childbirth, 2.
- ORDER 3.—*Developmental Diseases of Old People*.—Old Age, 6.
- ORDER 4.—*Diseases of Nutrition*.—Marasmus, 3.

CLASS V.—VIOLENT DEATHS.

- ORDER 1.—*Accident*.—Fracture, 1; Concussion, 1; Injury to Intestines, 1; Suffocation, 1.
- ORDER 4.—*Suicide*.—Cut Throat, 2; Shot himself, 1; Hanging, 1.

There was in November a further decrease in the number of deaths as compared with October, the deaths having fallen in number from 95 in October to 89 in November. The deaths in these boroughs (with the exception of Invercargill) amounted to 108 in November of last year.

Zymotic diseases caused 10 deaths in November, against 12 in October. Of these 10 deaths, 7 were caused by Miasmatic diseases; 3 deaths were from Typhoid Fever.

Constitutional diseases caused 16 deaths in November; the number of deaths in October from these diseases having been 23. The difference is accounted for by the reduced number of deaths from cancer and dropsy—viz., 8 in October, 1 in November.

Local diseases.—These diseases were also less fatal in November, having caused 38 deaths, against 42 in October. Of this class the deaths from diseases of the nervous and respiratory systems were less numerous, and those from heart disease more numerous, than in October.

The subjoined table shows the mortality for the two months at each town from six principal Zymotic diseases of the Miasmatic order, and also the deaths from certain inflammatory diseases of the lungs. These causes of death have been distinguished from the others of the classes to which they belong, as being the most important special diseases which give rise to sudden increases in the death-rates of towns, and the prevalence of which is closely connected with sanitary condition and climatic influence of the season on health.

SEVEN TOWNS.	SIX PRINCIPAL ZYMOTIC DISEASES.												PRINCIPAL LUNG DISEASES.							
	Measles.		Scarlet Fever.		Typhus and other Fever.		Diphtheria.		Whooping Cough.		Dysentery and Diarrhoea.		Bronchitis.		Pleurisy.		Pneumonia.		Congestion of Lungs.	
	Nov.	Oct.	Nov.	Oct.	Nov.	Oct.	Nov.	Oct.	Nov.	Oct.	Nov.	Oct.	Nov.	Oct.	Nov.	Oct.	Nov.	Oct.	Nov.	Oct.
Auckland	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	
Thames	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Wellington	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	1	...	
Nelson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Christchurch	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	
Dunedin	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	1	...	...	3	1	...	
Hokitika	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	
Totals	...	...	1	...	3	2	1	...	...	1	2	1	6	5	1	...	3	6	1	4

Violent Deaths.—Of the 8 deaths classified under this heading, 4 were cases of suicide.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 18th December, 1878.

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

PROVISIONAL METEOROLOGICAL REPORT FOR NOVEMBER, 1878.

	AUCKLAND.	WELLINGTON.	NELSON.	CHRIST-CHURCH.	HOKITIKA.	DUNEDIN.
Mean Temperature in Shade	61.5	56.7	57.9	58.7	52.9	53.8
Average for same month previous years	61.1	56.9	58.2	56.8	54.9	52.9
Maximum Temperature in Shade, and date	73.2 on 21st	68.5 on 4th	74.0 on 7th, 10th, 3rd, 28th	81.0 on 1st	62.4 on 28th	76.0 on 6th
Minimum Temperature in Shade, and date	46.3 on 13th	44.3 on 25th	40.0 on 17th	31.5 on 25th	38.9 on 12th	38.0 on 21st
Maximum Temperature in Sun, and date	141.0 on 6th	137.0 on 18th	140.0 on 4th, 5th, 25th, 28th	147.0 on 25th	135.0 on 3rd	120.0 on 28th
Minimum Temperature on Grass, and date	36.6 on 13th	39.0 on 8th, 12th and 17th	...	22.2 on 8th	36.0 on 12th	30.0 on 2nd
Mean Humidity (Saturation=100)	75	77	72	59	88	66
Average for same month previous years	76	73	75	74	83	72
Total Rainfall in inches	1.155	4.393	5.300	0.160	16.160	2.218
Average for same month previous years	2.980	4.007	4.815	2.133	9.519	2.597
Number of Days of Rain	14	15	9	4	26	11
Average for same month previous years	13	11	7	10	15	14

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

Geological Survey Office,  
6th November, 1878.

J. HECTOR, Inspector.

*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.

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.

NOTICE 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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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 BREN 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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## LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM DEXTER, of Christchurch, Carpenter, and THOMAS GRANTHAM, of the same place, Gentleman, claiming as Devisees under the Will of MORICE BING, of Christchurch, Gentleman, have applied to be registered as Proprietors of 4 acres 6 perches of land, part of Rural Section 41, Christchurch District, being the unsold portion of the land comprised in Certificate of Will, Vol. vi., folio 187; also of 2 roods, part of said Section 41, being the land comprised in Certificate of Title, Vol. xvi., folio 263; also of 12 acres 2 roods, part of Rural Section 160, Christchurch District, comprised in Certificate of Title, Vol. xxi., folio 45; also in that piece of land containing 16 acres 3 roods 24 perches, part of Rural Section 219, Christchurch District, comprised in Certificate of Title, Vol. xxix., folio 97; also in that piece of land containing 1 rood 3 perches, part of said Section 41, being the unsold portion of the land comprised in Certificate of Title, Vol. ii., folio 147; 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 12th 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 month from the date of the gazetting this notice.

JULIUS WENKHEIM.—5½ poles, part of Section 12, Block LXII., Town of Invercargill. Unoccupied. No. 1170.

ALEXANDER BROWN.—1 rood, Section 9, Block LIII., Town of Invercargill. Occupied by David Stewart Stewart. No. 1174.

ROBERT GAMLEN (by his Attorney, THEOPHILUS HEALE).—1 acre 1 rood, Sections 2, Block XXII., 17 and 19, Block XXV., and 8, Block LI., Town of Invercargill. Unoccupied. No. 1177.

ROBERT GAMLEN (by his Attorney, THEOPHILUS HEALE).—1 rood, Section 3, Block XI., Campbelltown. Unoccupied. No. 1178.

EDWARD MORTON.—95 acres 32 poles, Section 1, and 102 acres 2 roods 36 poles, Section 2, Block IV., Mabel Hundred. Unoccupied. No. 1180.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 4th day of December, 1878, at the Lands 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 in each case within one calendar month from date of publication of this notice.

Sections 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, and 82, Block V., Shotover District.—JOHN TURNER, Applicant. No. 2689.

Section 34, Town of Port Chalmers.—WILLIAM ANDERSON, Applicant. No. 2692.

Allotment 12, Block II., Township of Richmond Hill; Allotments 12, 13, 18, and 19, Block I., Township of Clarendon; Allotments 3, 7, and 8, Block II., Township of Balaclava; Section 28, Block XLII., Town of Oamaru; Sections 5 and 19, Block XIII., Town of Dunedin.—JANE TOWERS, Applicant. No. 2693.

Sections 18, 19, 20, 21, 2 of 22, 28, and 60, Block VIII., Otepopo District.—JAMES LITTLE, Applicant. No. 2696.

Sections 29, 49, and 50, Block VIII., Otepopo District.—JOHN LITTLE, Applicant. No. 2699.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 9th day of December, 1878, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

A. W. SMITH,  
District Land Registrar.

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## LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

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

3765. JAMES WILLIAMSON.—2 roods, part of Rural Sections 3344 and 4041, Ellesmere District. Occupied by Applicant.

3766. HARRY MARSH.—14 acres 1 rood, part of Rural Sections 7685 and 9175, Oxford District. Occupied by George Williams, John Stinear, William Osborne, Ferdinand Pawalka, John Garrick, and John Pawalka.

3777. JOSEPH HADFIELD.—8 acres 3 roods, part of Rural Section 41, Christchurch District. Occupied by Applicant.

3798. JAMES JACK.—37 acres, Rural Section 7981, Oxford District. Occupied by Applicant.

3800. JAMES WATKINS and JOHN SHARP.—2 roods 17 perches, part of Rural Section 2, Christchurch District. Occupied by Charles White Duckworth.

3801. JAMES WATKINS and JOHN SHARP.—2 acres 3 roods, part of Rural Section 2, Christchurch District. Unoccupied.

3802. JOSEPH ALLEN.—107 acres, Rural Sections 1394 and 1609, and part of Rural Section 1261, Mandeville District. Occupied by Applicant.

3804. ROBERT ROUSE HICKS.—17 acres, part of Rural Section 338E, Mandeville District. Occupied by Applicant.

3805. ALFRED RICHARD CREYKE.—20 perches, part of Lot 137, Christchurch Town Reserves. Occupied by John Hickman and William Edmonstone.

3810. JAMES GORDON.—2 roods, part of Rural Section 2724, Lincoln District. Unoccupied.

3811. HENRY WILLIAM PACKER.—35 perches, part of Rural Section 6, Christchurch District. Occupied by Thomas McLary.

3812. HENRY JOHN GAZE.—1 rood 6 perches, part of Rural Section 41, Christchurch District. Occupied by Applicant.

3813. JOSEPH DRANSFIELD and EDWARD WILLIAM ROPER.—26 perches, part of Sections 751 and 753, Christchurch City. Occupied by Applicants.

3819. THOMAS MABERLY HASSAL.—129 acres, Rural Section 1572, and parts of Rural Sections 1610 and 1611, Mandeville District. Occupied by Applicant.

3820. JORGEN ANDERSEN.—20 acres, Rural Section 6037, Oxford District. Occupied by Applicant.

3823. THOMAS MERCER.—20 acres, Rural Section 10657, Waitangi District. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 12th 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 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 on or before the 27th day of January, 1879.

963. GEORGE ELLIOTT BARTON.—11 acres 1 rood and 21 perches. Part of Section 4, Hutt District. Occupied by the Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 18th day of December, 1878, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

GEO. B. DAVY,  
District Land Registrar.

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## DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto existing between ALEXANDER McRAE and myself was dissolved on the 19th October last by mutual consent. The business in future will be carried on solely by the undersigned, by whom all liabilities will be discharged, and to whom all accounts are to be paid.

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JAMES A. BONAR.

I, WILLIAM GRAHAME ROSS, M.D. McGill University, Montreal, and M.R.C.S. England, on the Register of the United Kingdom, hereby give notice that I have this day given notice to the Registrar of the Christchurch District that I intend to apply, on the 29th day of December, 1878, to be registered under the New Zealand Medical Act, and that I have deposited my diplomas with the Registrar in terms of said Act.

Christchurch, 29th November, 1878.

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RE GOLCONDA GOLD-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED),  
IN LIQUIDATION.

AT a General Meeting of the above-named Company, held on the 2nd day of December, 1878, in the office of the Liquidator, Shortland Street, next Post Office, Auckland, the following resolution was passed: "This meeting is of opinion that the affairs of the Company have been fairly wound up."

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ROBERT HORNE,  
Liquidator.

## ASHBURTON COAL-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

A GENERAL MEETING of Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the offices of the Company, Mount Somers, on Friday, February 7, 1879, at seven p.m., for the purpose of considering the Liquidator's account as received by the Directors.

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JOHN C. BELL,  
Liquidator for the Company.

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