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Declaring Land open for Sale within the Orepuki Gold Field.

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

WHEREAS by the one hundred and fifty-fourth section of "The Land Act, 1877," it is enacted that the Governor, by Proclamation, may from time to time declare any Crown lands within any mining district, not held under license or lease at the date of such Proclamation, or over which the license or lease has been cancelled, to be open for sale or selection, in sections of such size and form, and on such date, as he may determine; and any lands so proclaimed may hereafter be sold at a like price, and subject to the like terms and conditions, or as near thereto as may be, as Crown lands of the same class not within a mining district: And the Governor may from time to time alter, amend, or revoke any such Proclamation:

Now, therefore, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the land specified in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale, and that the eighteenth day of February next ensuing shall be the day on which the said land shall be open for sale.

SCHEDULE.

OREPUKI GOLD FIELD, LONGWOOD DISTRICT.

Section 29, Block II., Longwood District	A.	R.	P.
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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 third day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine.

J. BALLANCE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

22nd January to be a Bank Holiday in Provincial District of Wellington.

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

IN pursuance and exercise of all powers and authorities enabling me in that behalf, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that, by Order in Council made under the provisions of "The Bank Holidays Act, 1873," of even date herewith, I have appointed Wednesday, the twenty-second day of January instant, to be observed throughout the Provincial District of Wellington, as a bank holiday under and for the purposes of the above-mentioned Act.

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 seventh day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine.

J. T. FISHER,
(in the absence of the Colonial Secretary.)

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

ERRATUM.—In *New Zealand Gazette* No. 110, of 7th November, 1878, on page 1519, first column, eighth line from bottom, for "Block seven (VII.)," read "Block six (VI.)"

3rd February to be a Bank Holiday in Nelson Provincial District.

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

IN pursuance and exercise of all powers and authorities enabling me in that behalf, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that, by Order in Council made under the provisions of "The Bank Holidays Act, 1873," of even date herewith, I have appointed Monday, the third day of February next, to be observed throughout the Provincial District of Nelson as a bank holiday under and for the purposes of the above-mentioned Act.

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 seventh day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine.

J. T. FISHER,
(in the absence of the Colonial Secretary.)
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Lands taken for a Road in the Clarendon Survey District, County of Bruce.

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

WHEREAS by section twenty-one of "The Public Works Act, 1876" (herein referred to as "the said Act"), it is enacted that whenever lands are required to be taken for public works the Road Board, in the case of district works, shall cause a survey to be made and plans to be prepared showing generally the nature of the works proposed to be executed and the lands required to be taken for the same, together with the names of the owners and occupiers of such lands so far as they can be ascertained, and shall cause a copy of such plans to be deposited in some place in the road district in which such lands are: And by section twenty-two of the said Act it is further enacted that the said Road Board shall cause a notice to be gazetted, and to be twice publicly notified, stating the place where such plans are open for inspection, with a general description of the works proposed to be executed and of the land required to be taken, and in such notice shall call upon all persons affected to set forth in writing any well-founded objections to the execution of such works or to the taking of such lands, and to send such writing within forty days from the first publication of such notice to the said Road Board: And by sections twenty-three and twenty-four of the said Act it is further enacted that the Road Board shall cause a copy of such notice and description to be served upon the said owners and occupiers so far as they can be ascertained; and that the said Road

Board shall, upon receiving any objection, appoint a time and place within the colony within which the objector may appear before the said Road Board, and support the objection by such evidence as the objector thinks fit; and by section twenty-five of the said Act it is enacted that, if within the said forty days no such objection is made, or if after due consideration of such objections the said Road Board is of opinion that it is expedient that the proposed works should be executed and that no private injury will be done thereby for which due compensation is not provided by the said Act, the land proposed to be taken shall be taken in the following manner, that is to say: The said Road Board shall lay before the Governor a memorial containing an accurate description of the land proposed to be taken, together with a map thereof, signed by the Surveyor-General or some certificated surveyor as evidence of the accuracy thereof; and the Governor in Council may thereupon, if he think fit, by Proclamation gazetted and publicly notified, declare that the said lands are taken for the use of a railway, road, or other public work, as the case may be; and from and after a date to be named in the said Proclamation the land therein specified shall become absolutely vested in fee-simple in Her Majesty, discharged from all mortgages, charges, claims, estates, or interests of what kind soever, for the public use named in the said Proclamation:

And whereas the lands described in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken under the said Act for a certain work, to wit, the construction of a road in Block II., Clarendon Survey District, County of Bruce:

And whereas the Waihola 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 purpose of a road; and that, from and after the ninth day of January 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 area in the Provincial District of Otago, Colony of New Zealand, containing by admeasurement four (4) acres three (3) roods and three (3) poles, more or less, and situate in Block II., Clarendon Survey District. Boundary lines as follows: Commencing at a point due north from the south-east corner of Section numbered 2 of 2, said block, and distant from the said corner peg nine hundred and ninety and three-tenths (990.3) links, thence due north one thousand eight hundred and six and seven-tenths (1806.7) links, thence bearing 155° 14' three hundred and thirty-three and four-tenths (333.4) links, thence bearing 169° 55' one hundred and forty-seven and eight-tenths (147.8) links, thence bearing 137° 22' four hundred and a tenth

(400·1) links, thence bearing 159° five hundred and three and four-tenths (503·4) links, thence bearing 170° 29' six hundred and eighty-seven and a tenth (687·1) links, thence bearing 148° 15' fifty and five-tenths (50·5) links, thence bearing 238° 31' twenty-one and seven-tenths (21·7) links, thence bearing 197° 38' one hundred and ninety-four and seven-tenths (194·7) links, thence bearing 178° 11' three hundred and fifty-eight and two-tenths (358·2) links, thence bearing 156° 18' one hundred and twenty-nine (129) links, thence bearing 154° 28' sixty-eight and four-tenths (68·4) links, thence bearing 197° 53' one hundred and thirty-three and seven-tenths (133·7) links, thence bearing 165° 21' one hundred and thirty-four and six-tenths (134·6) links, thence bearing 137° 11' sixty-four and a tenth (64·1) links, thence bearing 196° 17' sixty-three and six-tenths (63·6) links, thence bearing 155° 51' three hundred and sixty-eight and nine-tenths (368·9) links, thence bearing 85° 39' three hundred and forty-one and eight-tenths (341·8) links, thence bearing 357° 58' one hundred (100) links, thence bearing 265° 39' two hundred and seventy-five (275) links, thence bearing 335° 51' two hundred and seventy-three and four-tenths (273·4) links, thence bearing 16° 17' ninety-five (95) links, thence bearing 317° 11' ninety-five and eight-tenths (95·8) links, thence bearing 345° 21' eighty-one and four-tenths (81·4) links, thence bearing 17° 53' one hundred and forty-five and three-tenths (145·3) links, thence bearing 334° 28' one hundred and nine and five-tenths (109·5) links, thence bearing 336° 18' one hundred and eight and three-tenths (108·3) links, thence bearing 358° 11' three hundred and twenty-seven and six-tenths (327·6) links, thence bearing 17° 38' one hundred and fifty and four-tenths (150·4) links, thence bearing 58° 31' seventy-eight and three-tenths (78·3) links, thence bearing 328° 15' one hundred and thirteen and nine-tenths (113·9) links, thence bearing 350° 29' six hundred and seventy-seven and five-tenths (677·5) links, thence bearing 339° five hundred and thirty-two and five-tenths (532·5) links, thence bearing 317° 22' three hundred and ninety (390) links, thence bearing 349° 55' one hundred and thirty-one and five-tenths (131·5) links, thence bearing 335° 14' three hundred and eighty-nine and six-tenths (389·6) links, thence bearing 360° one thousand five hundred and forty-eight and a tenth (1548·1) links, thence bearing 338° 14' one hundred and thirty-seven and five-tenths (137·5) links to the starting point; 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 seventh day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine.

J. MACANDREW.

Approved in Council.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land taken for a Road in the Heathcote Road District, County of Selwyn.

(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 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 Government work, to wit, the construction of a Road in Rural Section number thirty (30), Heathcote Road District, County of Selwyn:

And whereas the Heathcote 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 ninth day of January 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 parcel of land part of Rural Section No. 30, Heathcote Road District, County of Selwyn, containing by admeasurement one (1) rood and thirty-six (36) perches, more or less. Commencing at a point on the eastern side of the road forming the western boundary of the section, distant five hundred and fifty (550) links from the south-western corner of the section, extending along the eastern side of the said road for a distance of one hundred (100) links, and extending thence at a right angle easterly in a rectangular figure for a distance of four hundred and seventy-nine (479) links; 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 seventh day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine.

J. MACANDREW.

Approved in Council.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Lands taken for the Purpose of a Portion of the Railway from Napier to a junction with the Railway from New Plymouth to Waitara, at Sentry Hill (Waitotara Contract).

A MEMORIAL

LAI'D before His Excellency the Governor by the Minister for Public Works, pursuant to the provisions of "The Public Works Act, 1876," containing an accurate description of the lands proposed to be taken for a certain public work—to wit, the construction of a portion of the railway from Napier to a junction with the railway from New Plymouth to Waitara, at Sentry Hill (Waitotara contract).

COMMENCING at a point on Okehu Stream or Creek in a north-easterly direction from north-east corner of Section 51, Waitotara Block, at a distance of 992 links therefrom; thence by lines north-easterly 1227, 1282, 485, 957, 867, 360, 995, 147, 449, 639,

809, 289, 3437, 978, and 426 links; thence northerly 622 and 680 links, thence north-easterly 300 links, thence northerly 553, 407, 655, 573, and 614 links; thence north-easterly 389, 973, and 1393 links; thence south-easterly 50 links, thence north-easterly 567, 262, and 392 links; thence southerly 100 links, thence south-westerly 285, 424, and 463 links; thence south-easterly 50 links, thence south-westerly 2318 and 464 links, thence southerly 440, 478, 635, 465, 694, 642, and 910 links; thence south-westerly 284, 323, 801, 3745, 898, 251, 418, 401, 1533, 618, 318, 693, 520, 1087, 532, and 877 links; thence northerly 168 links to point of commencement: containing 39 acres 1 rood 28 perches, more or less.

Commencing at a point on Okehu Stream or Creek in a north-easterly direction from north-east corner of Section 51, at a distance of 992 links therefrom; thence south-easterly by said creek 168 links, thence westerly 590 and 491 links, thence north-westerly 674, 420, 590, and 617 links; thence northerly 434, 469, 653, and 542 links; thence westerly 400, 515, 625, and 272 links; thence south-westerly 443 and 452 links, thence westerly 895, 678, and 154 links to road boundary; thence northerly by said boundary 153 links, thence easterly 232, 477, 960, and 320 links; thence north-easterly 645, 661, 374, and 540 links; thence south-easterly 535, 529, and 365 links; thence south-westerly 492 and 447 links, thence south-easterly 362, 521, 418, 352, and 360 links to Okehu Creek; thence following down said creek to point of commencement: containing 27 acres 3 perches, more or less.

Commencing at a point on western boundary north 2678 links from south-west corner of said subdivision of Section 42, thence easterly 1534, 354, and 379 links; thence northerly 114 links, thence westerly 98, 484, 476, and 1211 links to boundary between J. Handley and R. Pharazyn; thence southerly 100 links to point of commencement: containing 2 acres 2 roods 5 perches, more or less.

Commencing at a point on western boundary of Brighton Road north-westerly from Trig. A at a distance of 3855 links, thence by southern boundary of road diversion 121 and 560 links, thence northerly 50 links, thence south-westerly 1501 links, thence northerly 50 links, thence south-westerly 520 links, thence northerly 114 links, thence north-easterly 464 links, thence northerly 50 links, thence north-easterly 1501 links, thence northerly 50 links, thence north-easterly along northern boundary of road diversion 871 links to western boundary of Brighton Road, thence southerly by said boundary 114, 161, and 103 links to point of commencement: containing 5 acres 3 roods 11 perches, more or less.

Commencing at a point on boundary between Sections 42 and 44 at 2159 links northerly from south-east corner of Section 44, thence easterly 781 links, thence south-easterly 2614, 400, 428, 346, 1890, 374, and 1759 links; thence easterly 296, 1986, and 1641 links; thence northerly 50 links, thence easterly 1774 and 1016 links; thence north-easterly 939 links, thence easterly 457, 1130, 383, 364, 613, and 2239 links to boundary between J. Handley and R. Pharazyn; thence northerly 100 links, thence westerly 1988, 836, 594, 1369, and 735 links; thence south-westerly 991 links, thence westerly 415, 661, and 1352 links; thence northerly 50 links, thence westerly 2342, 692, 329, 407, and 439 links; thence north-westerly 1166, 433, 456, 1968, 490, and 3406 links; thence westerly 367 and 69 links to boundary between Sections 42 and 44, thence southerly 1883 links to point of commencement: containing 31 acres 2 roods 14 perches, more or less.

Commencing at a point 2159 links on boundary between Sections 42 and 44 from north-east corner of Section 64 northerly, thence by lines westerly

324 and 2353 links, thence southerly 50 links, thence westerly 400 links, thence northerly 50 links, thence westerly 1807 links to subdivision boundary between R. Pharazyn and W. Lowes, thence northerly by said boundary 100 links, thence easterly 1792 links, thence northerly 50 links, thence easterly 400 links, thence southerly 50 links, thence easterly 2691 links to boundary between Sections 42 and 44, thence southerly by said boundary 188 links to point of commencement: containing 5 acres 1 rood 28 perches, more or less.

Commencing at a point 1350 links northerly from south-east corner of subdivision of Section 44 on boundary between R. Pharazyn and W. Lowes, thence by line westerly 5338 links to boundary between W. F. Russell and W. Lowes, thence northerly by said boundary 100 links, thence easterly 5338 links to boundary between R. Pharazyn and W. Lowes, thence southerly by said boundary 100 links to point of commencement; containing 5 acres 1 rood 14 perches, more or less.

Commencing at the north-west corner of Section 68, thence by northern boundary of said section 3773 links, thence northerly by boundary between W. F. Russell and W. Lowes 473 links, thence westerly 1214, 704, and 1838 links to boundary between W. F. Russell and Nukumar Reserve; thence southerly by said boundary 170 links to point of commencement: containing 9 acres 9 perches, more or less.

Commencing at a point on northern boundary of Section 69 westerly 308 links from north-east corner of said section, thence along northern boundary of said section westerly 297, 760, and 510 links; thence south-easterly 879 links, thence easterly 283 links, thence north-easterly 451 links to point of commencement: containing 1 acre 2 roods 5 perches, more or less.

Commencing at north-east corner of Section 69, thence by eastern boundary of Nukumar Reserve 170 links, thence westerly 337 and 315 links to northern boundary of Section 69, thence easterly by said boundary 605 links to point of commencement.

Also from a point on northern boundary of Section 69 westerly from north-east corner of Section 69 1366 links, thence north-westerly 5468 links, thence northerly 50 links, thence westerly 400 links, thence southerly 50 links, thence westerly 211 links to western boundary of Nukumar Reserve, thence southerly by said boundary 100 links, thence south-easterly 200 links, thence southerly 50 links, thence south-easterly 400 links, thence northerly 50 links, thence south-easterly 4967 links to northern boundary of Section 69, thence easterly by said boundary 510 links to point of commencement; containing 6 acres 3 roods 18 perches, more or less.

Commencing at a point on southern boundary of Section 45, 2580 links westerly from south-east corner of said section; thence north-easterly 715, 427, and 464 links; thence easterly 430 and 752 links to western boundary of road, thence northerly by said boundary 100 links, thence north-westerly 1157 links, thence south-westerly 647 and 1260 links to southern boundary of Section 45, thence easterly by said boundary 164 links to point of commencement: containing 3 acres 3 roods 6 perches, more or less.

Commencing at the point that description mentions of Section 45 above, thence south-westerly 683, 765, 1830, and 148 links to southern boundary of Section 46; thence westerly by said boundary 463 links, thence north-easterly 82, 658, 1997, and 942 links to northern boundary of Section 46; thence easterly by said boundary 164 links to point of commencement: containing 4 acres 8 perches, more or less.

Commencing at a point on southern boundary of

Section 46, 4631 links westerly from south-east corner of said section; thence south-westerly 218, 343, 257, 822, 863, 1008, 557, 987, 508, 374, 1262, and 160 links to boundary between Sections 47 and 77; thence northerly 338 links on said boundary, thence north-easterly 331, 1044, 304, 366, 872, 742, 1064, 833, 638, and 263 links to northern boundary of Section 47; thence easterly by said boundary 463 links to point of commencement: containing 12 acres 2 roods 8 perches, more or less.

Commencing at a point on southern boundary of Section 77, 1123 links easterly from south-west corner of Section 77; thence south-easterly 261 links, thence easterly and north-easterly 680 and 292 links to southern boundary of Section 77, thence westerly along said boundary 1085 links to point of commencement: containing 1 acre 2 roods 25 perches, more or less.

Commencing at a point on eastern boundary of Native Reserve No. 5, 1479 links northerly from south-west corner of Section 77; thence north-westerly 361 and 1110 links, thence north-easterly 103 links, thence south-easterly 1286 links to eastern boundary of said Native Reserve No. 5, thence southerly by said boundary for a distance of 224 links to point of commencement: containing 1 acre 1 rood 30 perches, more or less.

Commencing at a point north-westerly from Trig. W at a distance of 3836 links, thence south-easterly 213 and 762 links, thence south-westerly 108 links, thence north-westerly 517 and 394 links, thence westerly 381 and 1200 links, thence northerly 250 links, thence easterly 1200 links, thence southerly 100 links, thence easterly 245 and 175 links to point of commencement; containing 4 acres 2 roods 10 perches, more or less.

Commencing at a point on boundary between Sections 47 and 77, 627 links northerly from south-east corner of Section 77; thence south-westerly 1008 and 641 links to southern boundary of Section 77, thence westerly along said boundary 379 links, thence north-easterly 808, 899, and 418 links to eastern boundary of Section 77; thence southerly by said boundary for a distance of 338 links.

Also from a point 1123 links easterly from south-west corner of Section 77, thence north-westerly 2007 links to eastern boundary of Native Reserve, thence northerly by said boundary 224 links, thence south-easterly 333, 1827, and 340 links to southern boundary of Section 77; thence westerly along said boundary 410 links to point of commencement: containing 9 acres 2 roods 18 perches, more or less.

The aforesaid linkages being more or less, and the several parcels of land being more particularly delineated on the map marked P.W.D. 6550 hereto attached.

I, the undersigned, James Macandrew, the Minister for Public Works, hereby certify that the above-written memorial is true and correct in the several particulars thereof.

Witness my hand this seventh day of January, 1879.

J. MACANDREW,
Minister for Public Works.

Witness to signature—

JOHN KNOWLES,
Under Secretary for Public Works, Wellington.

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

WHEREAS by "The Public Works Act, 1876," it is enacted that, whenever lands are required to be taken for public works, the Minister for Public 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 it is further enacted that the said Minister 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 lands required to be taken; and if after due consideration the said Minister 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 Act now in recital, the land proposed to be taken shall be taken in the following manner, that is to say: The said Minister shall lay before the Governor a memorial containing an accurate description of the lands 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 lands 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 Minister for Public Works has laid before me the above memorial and the map therein referred to, containing an accurate description of the lands proposed to be taken under the authority of the said "Public Works Act, 1876," for a certain public work—to wit, the construction of a portion of the railway from Napier to a junction with the railway from New Plymouth to Waitara of Sentry Hill (Waitotara contract):

And whereas all the requirements and conditions prescribed by the said Act prior to the taking of such lands have been duly performed and fulfilled, and all things have happened and been done to enable 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 power and authority in me vested by the said Act, and of any other power and authority enabling me in that behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the lands described in the memorial above written, and shown on the plan thereto attached, are hereby taken for the purposes of a railway; and that, from and after the day of the date hereof, the lands described in the Schedule hereto 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 railway.

SCHEDULE.

COMMENCING at a point on Okehu Stream or Creek in a north-easterly direction from north-east corner of Section 51, Waitotara Block, at a distance of 992 links therefrom; thence by lines north-easterly 1227, 1282, 485, 957, 867, 360, 995, 147, 449, 639, 809, 289, 3437, 978, and 426 links; thence northerly 622 and 680 links; thence north-easterly 300 links; thence northerly 553, 407, 655, 573, and 614 links; thence north-easterly 389, 973, and 1393 links; thence south-easterly 50 links, thence north-easterly 567,

262, and 392 links; thence southerly 100 links, thence south-westerly 285, 424, and 463 links; thence south-easterly 50 links, thence south-westerly 2318 and 464 links; thence southerly 440, 478, 635, 465, 694, 642, and 910 links; thence south-westerly 284, 323, 801, 3745, 898, 251, 418, 401, 1533, 618, 318, 693, 520, 1087, 532, and 877 links; thence northerly 168 links to point of commencement: containing 39 acres 1 rood 28 perches, more or less.

Commencing at a point on Okehu Stream or Creek in a north-easterly direction from north-east corner of Section 51, at a distance of 992 links therefrom; thence south-easterly by said creek 168 links, thence westerly 590 and 491 links, thence north-westerly 674, 420, 590, and 617 links; thence northerly 434, 469, 653, and 542 links; thence westerly 400, 515, 625, and 272 links; thence south-westerly 443 and 452 links, thence westerly 895, 678, and 154 links to road boundary; thence northerly by said boundary 153 links, thence easterly 232, 477, 960, and 320 links; thence north-easterly 645, 661, 374, and 540 links; thence south-easterly 535, 529, and 365 links; thence south-westerly 492 and 447 links, thence south-easterly 362, 521, 418, 352, and 360 links to Okehu Creek; thence following down said creek to point of commencement: containing 27 acres 3 perches, more or less.

Commencing at a point on western boundary north 2678 links from south-west corner of said subdivision of Section 42, thence easterly 1534, 354, and 379 links; thence northerly 114 links, thence westerly 98, 484, 476, and 1211 links to boundary between J. Handley and R. Pharazyn; thence southerly 100 links to point of commencement: containing 2 acres 2 roods 5 perches, more or less.

Commencing at a point on western boundary of Brighton Road north-westerly from Trig. A at a distance of 3855 links, thence by southern boundary of road diversion 121 and 560 links, thence northerly 50 links, thence south-westerly 1501 links, thence northerly 50 links, thence south-westerly 520 links, thence northerly 114 links, thence north-easterly 464 links, thence northerly 50 links, thence north-easterly 1501 links, thence northerly 50 links, thence north-easterly along northern boundary of road diversion 871 links to western boundary of Brighton Road, thence southerly by said boundary 114, 161, and 103 links to point of commencement; containing 5 acres 3 roods 11 perches, more or less.

Commencing at a point on boundary between Sections 42 and 44 at 2159 links northerly from south-east corner of Section 44, thence easterly 781 links, thence south-easterly 2614, 400, 428, 346, 1590, 374, and 1759 links, thence easterly 296, 1986, and 1641 links, thence northerly 50 links, thence easterly 1774 and 1016 links, thence north-easterly 939 links, thence easterly 457, 1130, 383, 364, 613, and 2239 links to boundary between J. Handley and R. Pharazyn; thence northerly 100 links, thence westerly 1988, 836, 594, 1369, and 735 links; thence south-westerly 991 links, thence westerly 415, 661, and 1352 links; thence northerly 50 links, thence westerly 2342, 692, 329, 407, and 439 links; thence north-westerly 1166, 433, 456, 1968, 490, and 3406 links; thence westerly 367 and 69 links to boundary between Sections 42 and 44, thence southerly 1883 links to point of commencement: containing 31 acres 2 roods 14 perches, more or less.

Commencing at a point 2159 links on boundary between Sections 42 and 44 from north-east corner of Section 64 northerly, thence by lines westerly 324 and 2353 links, thence southerly 50 links, thence westerly 400 links, thence northerly 50 links, thence westerly 1807 links to subdivision boundary between R. Pharazyn and W. Lowes, thence northerly by

said boundary 100 links, thence easterly 1792 links, thence northerly 50 links, thence easterly 400 links, thence southerly 50 links, thence easterly 2691 links to boundary between Sections 42 and 44, thence southerly by said boundary 188 links to point of commencement; containing 5 acres 1 rood 28 perches, more or less.

Commencing at a point 1350 links northerly from south-east corner of subdivision of Section 44 on boundary between R. Pharazyn and W. Lowes, thence by line westerly 5338 links to boundary between W. F. Russell and W. Lowes, thence northerly by said boundary 100 links, thence easterly 5338 links to boundary between R. Pharazyn and W. Lowes, thence southerly by said boundary 100 links to point of commencement; containing 5 acres 1 rood 14 perches, more or less.

Commencing at the north-west corner of Section 68, thence by northern boundary of said section 3773 links, thence northerly by boundary between W. F. Russell and W. Lowes 473 links, thence westerly 1214, 704, and 1838 links, to boundary between W. F. Russell and Nukumaru Reserve; thence southerly by said boundary 170 links to point of commencement: containing 9 acres 9 perches, more or less.

Commencing at a point on northern boundary of Section 69 westerly 308 links from north-east corner of said section, thence along northern boundary of said section westerly 297, 760, and 510 links; thence south-easterly 879 links, thence easterly 283 links, thence north-easterly 451 links to point of commencement: containing 1 acre 2 roods 5 perches, more or less.

Commencing at north-east corner of Section 69, thence by eastern boundary of Nukumaru Reserve 170 links, thence westerly 337 and 315 links to northern boundary of Section 69, thence easterly by said boundary 603 links to point of commencement.

Also from a point on northern boundary of Section 69 westerly from north-east corner of Section 69 1366 links, thence north-westerly 5468 links, thence northerly 50 links, thence westerly 400 links, thence southerly 50 links, thence westerly 211 links to western boundary of Nukumaru Reserve, thence southerly by said boundary 100 links, thence south-easterly 200 links, thence southerly 50 links, thence south-easterly 400 links, thence northerly 50 links, thence south-easterly 4967 links to northern boundary of Section 69, thence easterly by said boundary 510 links to point of commencement: containing 6 acres 3 roods 18 perches, more or less.

Commencing at a point on southern boundary of Section 45, 2580 links westerly from south-east corner of said section; thence north-easterly 715, 427, and 464 links, thence easterly 430 and 752 links to western boundary of road, thence northerly by said boundary 100 links, thence north-westerly 1157 links, thence south-westerly 647 and 1260 links to southern boundary of Section 45, thence easterly by said boundary 164 links to point of commencement: containing 3 acres 3 roods 6 perches, more or less.

Commencing at the point that description mentions of Section 45 above, thence south-westerly 683, 765, 1830, and 148 links to southern boundary of Section 46; thence westerly by said boundary 463 links, thence north-easterly 82, 658, 1997, and 942 links to northern boundary of Section 46; thence easterly by said boundary 164 links to point of commencement: containing 4 acres 8 perches, more or less.

Commencing at a point on southern boundary of Section 46, 4631 links westerly from south-east

corner of said section; thence south-westerly 218, 343, 257, 822, 863, 1008, 557, 987, 508, 374, 1262, and 160 links to boundary between Sections 47 and 77; thence northerly 338 links on said boundary, thence north-easterly 331, 1044, 304, 366, 872, 742, 1064, 833, 638, and 263 links to northern boundary of Section 47; thence easterly by said boundary 463 links to point of commencement: containing 12 acres 2 roods and 8 perches, more or less.

Commencing at a point on southern boundary of Section 77, 1123 links easterly from south-west corner of Section 77; thence south-easterly 261 links, thence easterly and north-easterly 680 and 292 links to southern boundary of Section 77, thence westerly along said boundary 1085 links to point of commencement: containing 1 acre 2 roods 25 perches, more or less.

Commencing at a point on eastern boundary of Native Reserve No. 5, 1479 links northerly from south-west corner of Section 77; thence north-westerly 361 and 1110 links, thence north-easterly 108 links, thence south-easterly 1286 links to eastern boundary of said Native Reserve No. 5, thence southerly by said boundary 224 links to point of commencement: containing 1 acre 1 rood 30 perches, more or less.

Commencing at a point north-westerly from Trig-W at a distance of 3836 links, thence south-easterly 213 and 762 links, thence south-westerly 108 links, thence north-westerly 517 and 394 links, thence westerly 381 and 1200 links, thence northerly 250 links, thence easterly 1200 links, thence southerly 100 links, thence easterly 245 and 175 links to point of commencement: containing 4 acres 2 roods 10 perches, more or less.

Commencing at a point on boundary between Sections 47 and 77, 627 links northerly from south-east corner of Section 77; thence south-westerly 1008 and 641 links to southern boundary of Section 77, thence westerly along said boundary 379 links, thence north-easterly 808, 899, and 418 links to eastern boundary of Section 77, thence southerly by said boundary for a distance of 338 links.

Also from a point 1123 links easterly from south-west corner of Section 77, thence north-westerly 2007 links to eastern boundary of Native Reserve, thence northerly by said boundary 224 links, thence south-easterly 333, 1827, and 340 links to southern boundary of Section 77, thence westerly along said boundary 410 links to point of commencement: containing 9 acres 2 roods 18 perches, more or less.

The aforesaid linkages being more or less, and the several parcels of land being more particularly delineated on the map marked P.W.D. 6550 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 seventh day of January,

in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine.

J. MACANDREW.

Approved in Council.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Registrar of Dogs appointed.

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

IN pursuance of the powers vested in me by "The (Canterbury) Dog Nuisance Ordinance, Session XVII., No. 3," "The (Canterbury) Dog Nuisance Amendment Ordinance, 1862," and "The Abolition of Provinces Act, 1875," I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the person whose name appears in the first column of the Schedule hereto to be the person to register dogs for the place set opposite his name in the second column of the said Schedule: And I do further appoint the place mentioned in the third column of the said Schedule to be the office at which persons shall register their dogs.

SCHEDULE.

Name.	Place.	Registration Office.
James Fraser ...	County of Ashburton, Mount-Somers Riding	Mount Somers Road Board Office.

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 eighth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine.

J. T. FISHER,
(in the absence of the Colonial Secretary.)

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Boundaries of District Court of Western Otago altered.

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

WHEREAS by "The District Courts Act, 1858," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor from time to time, as he shall think fit, by Proclamation in the *New Zealand Gazette*, to constitute throughout the colony, or in any part thereof, districts within which District Courts shall be re-

spectively held, and such districts to abolish, and the boundaries thereof to define or alter:

And whereas by a Proclamation bearing date the twenty-third day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, a district was defined within which a District Court should be held under the said Act, and it was thereby declared that the said Court should be designated by the name of "The District Court of Western Otago:"

And whereas by Proclamations bearing date the twelfth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, and the twenty-third day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, respectively, the boundaries of the said district so defined were altered:

And whereas it is expedient to further alter the boundaries of the said district so defined and altered as aforesaid:

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 authority vested in me by the said Act, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date hereof, the boundaries of the district within which the District Court of Western Otago shall be held shall be altered, and that thenceforth the boundaries thereof shall be the boundaries herein-after described.

THE DISTRICT COURT OF WESTERN OTAGO.

Description of District.

This district comprises all that area bounded towards the North and North-east by the Otago Gold Fields District Court District, as defined by a Proclamation dated the twenty-third day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 10, of the thirty-first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, and the District Court District of Tokomairiro and Clutha, as defined by a Proclamation dated the twelfth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 2, of the thirteenth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, from Milford Sound to the sea at the mouth of the Tokanui Stream; thence towards the South and West by the sea to Milford Sound, including Stewart, Ruapuka, and adjacent islands.

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 ninth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine.

J. BALLANCE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Extending Time for Sitting of the Assessment Court for the Wyndham Road Board.

NORMANBY, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this seventh day of January, 1879.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Rating Act, 1876," it is enacted that, if the local body or the Assessment Court fails, through misadventure or accident, to do anything which by that Act is required to be done in a fixed time, the Governor may, by an Order in Council published in the *Government Gazette* and publicly notified, extend the time for doing such thing; and may, by any such order, validate anything which may have been irregularly done in matter of form, so that the intent and purpose of the said Act may have effect: And whereas a sitting of the Assessment Court to hear objections made against the valuation roll of the Wyndham Road Board was appointed for a certain day, and by misadventure no sitting of the said Court was held on such day:

Now, therefore, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by "The Rating Act, 1876," and every other power and authority enabling me in that behalf, do hereby, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, extend the time for the sitting of the Assessment Court for the purpose aforesaid until Thursday, the ninth day of January now next ensuing, and do hereby order that the said Assessment Court shall sit on that day accordingly for the purpose of hearing objections made against the valuation roll of the Wyndham Road Board.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Land temporarily reserved in the Provincial District of Wellington.

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 Wellington 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 Wellington, containing by admeasurement four (4) acres and thirty-eight (38) perches, more or less, being the Town Section numbered ninety-six (96) on the plan of the Township of Foxton. Bounded towards the North by Sections Nos. 523, 527, 94, and 95, seven hundred and fifty-nine (759) links; towards the East by a public road, six hundred and fifty (650) links; towards the South by a public road and by Section No. 97, five hundred and seven (507) links; and towards the South-west by a public road, seven

hundred and twenty-eight (728) links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As a site for a school.

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

J. BALLANCE.

Land temporarily reserved in the Provincial District of Wellington.

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 Wellington described in the Schedule hereunder written, for the purposes in the said Schedule specified.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land estimated to contain 32 acres and 2 roods, more or less, being the Section numbered 282 on the plan of the Township of Sandon, in the Manawatu District. Bounded towards the South-east by the Pakapakatea Native Reserve (Section No. 138), 5333 links; and towards the North and West by the Rangitikei River, 6700 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. For the improvement and protection of the Rangitikei River.

Also all that other parcel of land estimated to contain 16 acres and 2 roods, more or less, being the Section numbered 283 on the said plan. Bounded towards the North by the Rangitikei River, 2800 links; towards the East by a road reserve, 830 links; and towards the South by the Pakapakatea Native Reserve (Section No. 138), 2380 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. For the improvement and protection of the Rangitikei River.

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

J. BALLANCE.

Revocation of Block of Land withdrawn from Sale.

NORMANBY, Governor.

IN pursuance of every power and authority in that behalf enabling me, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby revoke so much of a certain instrument signed by me on the twenty-seventh day of August, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, and issued under the one hundred and sixty-seventh section of "The Land Act, 1877," as relates to the block of land described in the Schedule hereto, which with other land was withdrawn from sale as therein mentioned, and I do hereby also declare that this revocation shall take effect on and after the eighth day of April next.

SCHEDULE.

THAT portion of the land withdrawn from sale and

notified in the *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 84 of 1878, lying to the westward of the Opihi River and a line bearing about 290° (true) drawn from the confluence of that river with the stream separating Runs Nos. 357 and 380 to the north-east corner of the block of forty thousand acres withdrawn from sale, and notified in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 110, of 1878.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this thirty-first 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 Wellington.

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 Wellington described in the Schedule hereunder written, for the purpose in the said Schedule specified.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Township of Waitotara (Extension), in the Provincial District of Wellington, containing one (1) acre and thirty-two (32) perches, more or less, being Sections numbered one hundred and seventy (170), one hundred and seventy-one (171), one hundred and seventy-five (175), and one hundred and seventy-six (176). Bounded towards the North by Rural Section number 297, Block twelve (XII.), of the Wairoa District, 434.4 links; towards the East by Wye Street, 257.6 links; towards the South by Sections 174 and 169, 496.4 links; and towards the West by Trent Street, 250 links. As a site for a school.

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

J. BALLANCE.

Land temporarily reserved in the Provincial District of Wellington.

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 Wellington describe the Schedule hereunder written, for the purpose the said Schedule specified.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Wellington, containing by admeasurement forty-four (44) acres three (3) roods and twenty-seven (27) perches, more or less, being Section numbered five hundred and seventy-five (575) on the plan of the Township of Bunnythorpe, in the Manawatu District. Bounded towards the North-east by the line of railway, 1250 links; towards the South-east by Section No. 574, 2598 links; towards the South-west by Section No. 578, 1250 links; and towards the North-west by Section No. 576, 3589 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As an endowment, for secondary education.

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

J. BALLANCE.

Land temporarily reserved in the Provincial District of Wellington.

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 Wellington described in the Schedule hereunder written, for the purpose in the said Schedule specified.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Township of Waitotara (Extension), containing one (1) rood, more or less, being Section numbered one hundred and sixty-two (162). Bounded towards the North by Severn Street, one hundred and twenty-five (125) links; towards the East by Sections one hundred and sixty-six (166) and one hundred and sixty-five (165), two hundred (200) links; towards the South by Section one hundred and sixty-one (161), one hundred and twenty-five (125) links; and towards the West by Section one hundred and sixty (160), two hundred (200) links. As a police station.

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

J. BALLANCE.

Land temporarily reserved in the Provincial District of Nelson.

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 Nelson 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 Nelson, containing about eight acres. Bounded on the Northward, about one hundred and seventy-five (175) links, by Section numbered 303, on Square 84; on the Eastward two thousand (2000) links by Leonard Street, and three hundred (300) links by part of Section 92, Town of Waiau; on the Southward, about four hundred and ten (410) links, by Culverden Street; and on the Westward by the River Mason, including Section numbered 93, Town of Waiau. For the improvement and protection of the River Waiau-ua.

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

J. BALLANCE.

Trustees appointed for Maintenance of Drybread Cemetery (Otago).

NORMANBY, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the second section of "The Cemeteries Management Act, 1877," I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the several persons whose names are specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto to be Trustees to provide for the maintenance and care of the public cemetery specified in the second column of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Names of Trustees.	Name of Public Cemetery, and Description of Land.
William Greenbank. Charles Wise. Stephen Read.	<p style="text-align: center;">DRYBREAD CEMETERY.</p> <p>All that area in the Provincial District of Otago, Colony of New Zealand, containing by admeasurement four (4) acres, more or less, situate in the Lauder District, being Section numbered 2, Block VI., on the map of the said district. Bounded as follows: Commencing at a point one hundred and sixty-three (163) links south-west bearing 222° 36' from Sub-Trig. (i) (which sub-trig. is distant nine thousand two hundred and twenty-five and eight-tenths (9225·8) links from Trig. Station F, Lauder District, in a northeasterly direction bearing 55° 08'), thence in a line bearing 4° 30' northerly, six hundred and thirty-two and four-tenths (632·4) links; thence easterly in a line bearing 274° 30', six hundred and thirty-two and four-tenths (632·4) links; thence southerly in a line bearing 4° 30', six hundred and thirty-two and four-tenths (632·4) links; thence westerly in a line bearing 94° 30', six hundred and thirty-two and four-tenths (632·4) links, and bounded on all sides by Crown lands: as the same is delineated on the plans in the Survey Office, Dunedin.</p>

As witness the hand of His Excellency the

Governor, this sixth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine.

J. T. FISHER,
(in the absence of the Colonial Secretary.)

Fixing Sittings of District Court of Otago Gold Fields.

NORMANBY, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority in this behalf enabling me, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby fix and appoint that sittings of the District Court of the Otago Gold Fields for Civil and Criminal business shall be held as follows, in lieu of those previously fixed and appointed:—

In the Resident Magistrate's Courthouse at Palmerston, on the twenty-seventh day of January, the twenty-seventh day of February, the twenty-seventh day of March, the thirtieth day of April, the twenty-sixth day of May, the twenty-seventh day of June, the twenty-eighth day of July, the twenty-eighth day of August, the twenty-ninth day of September, the twenty-ninth day of October, the twenty-seventh day of November, and the thirtieth day of December in each year.

In the Resident Magistrate's Courthouse at Naseby, on the thirtieth day of January, the thirty-first day of March, the twenty-ninth day of May, the thirty-first day of July, the first day of October, and the first day of December in each year.

In the Resident Magistrate's Courthouse at Clyde, on the third day of February, the seventh day of April, the second day of June, the 4th day of August, the sixth day of October, and the fourth day of December in each year.

In the Resident Magistrate's Courthouse at Cromwell, on the sixth day of February, the tenth day of April, the fifth day of June, the seventh day of August, the ninth day of October, and the eighth day of December in each year.

In the Resident Magistrate's Courthouse at Queenstown, on the tenth day of February, the fourteenth day of April, the ninth day of June, the eleventh day of August, the thirteenth day of October, and the tenth day of December in each year.

In the Resident Magistrate's Courthouse at Arrowtown, on the thirteenth day of February, the seventeenth day of April, the twelfth day of June, the fourteenth day of August, the sixteenth day of October, and the twelfth day of December in each year.

In the Resident Magistrate's Courthouse at Lawrence on the twenty-fourth day of February, the twenty-eighth day of April, the twenty-fifth day of June, the twenty-fifth day of August, the twenty-seventh day of October, and the twenty-second day of December in each year.

Provided that in case any of the days so fixed as aforesaid shall happen to be a Sunday or a holiday, then the Court appointed for that day shall be holden on the first day thereafter not being a Sunday or a holiday.

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

J. BALLANCE.

Fixing Sittings of the District Court of Western Otago.

NORMANBY, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power in that behalf enabling me, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby fix and appoint that sittings of the District Court of Western Otago, for Civil and Criminal business, shall be held as follows, in lieu of those previously fixed and appointed:—

In the Council Hall, at Invercargill, on the twentieth day of January, the eighteenth day

of February, twentieth March, twenty-first April, twentieth May, twentieth June, twenty-first July, twentieth August, twenty-second September, twentieth October, twentieth November, seventeenth December.

Provided that in case any of the days so fixed as aforesaid shall happen to be a Sunday or a holiday, then the Court appointed for that day shall be holden on the first day thereafter not being a holiday.

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

J. BALLANCE.

Judges of Assessment Courts under "The Rating Act, 1876," appointed.

NORMANBY, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of all powers and authorities vested in me by "The Rating Act, 1876," I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand do hereby appoint the persons named in the Schedule hereto to be the Judges of the Assessment Courts for the districts placed opposite the name of each such person respectively.

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

J. T. FISHER,
(in the absence of the Colonial Secretary.)

SCHEDULE.

Districts.	Judge of Assessment Courts.
PROVINCIAL DISTRICT OF AUCKLAND.	
Ahipara Highway Board District	George Kelly, Esq.
Mongonui Highway Board District	George Kelly, Esq.
Mongonui Township Highway Board District	George Kelly, Esq.
Whakapaku Highway Board District	George Kelly, Esq.
Totara Highway Board District	George Kelly, Esq.
Kaeo Highway Board District	George Kelly, Esq.
Whangaroa North Highway Board District	George Kelly, Esq.
Pukekohe East Highway Board District	Thomas Jackson, Esq., R.M.
Pukekohe West Highway Board District	Thomas Jackson, Esq., R.M.
Matamata Highway Board District	Henry William Northcroft, Esq., R.M.
Taotaoroa Highway Board District	Henry William Northcroft, Esq., R.M.
Waitoa Highway Board District	Henry William Northcroft, Esq., R.M.
Kirikiroa Highway Board District	Henry William Northcroft, Esq., R.M.
Hamilton East Township	Henry William Northcroft, Esq., R.M.
Tamahere Highway Board District	Henry William Northcroft, Esq., R.M.
Cambridge Highway Board District	Henry William Northcroft, Esq., R.M.
Cambridge North Township	Henry William Northcroft, Esq., R.M.
Town of Ngauawahia	Henry William Northcroft, Esq., R.M.
Part of Newcastle Highway Board District	Henry William Northcroft, Esq., R.M.
Hamilton West Township	Henry William Northcroft, Esq., R.M.
Hamilton Highway Board District	Henry William Northcroft, Esq., R.M.
Mangapiko Highway Board District	Henry William Northcroft, Esq., R.M.
Tuhikaramea Highway Board District	Henry William Northcroft, Esq., R.M.
Part of Alexandra Township	Henry William Northcroft, Esq., R.M.
Rangiawhia Highway Board District	Henry William Northcroft, Esq., R.M.
Pukekura Highway Board District	Henry William Northcroft, Esq., R.M.
Town of Kihikihi	Henry William Northcroft, Esq., R.M.
Borough of Hamilton	Henry William Northcroft, Esq., R.M.
PROVINCIAL DISTRICT OF HAWKE'S BAY.	
Mohaka Highway District	Harry Kenrick, Esq., R.M.
Wairoa Country Highway District	Harry Kenrick, Esq., R.M.
Nuhaka Highway District	Harry Kenrick, Esq., R.M.
Woodville Highway District	John William Thomson, Esq.
PROVINCIAL DISTRICT OF TARANAKI.	
Hawera Road Board District	Charles Allen Wray, Esq., R.M.
Patea West Road Board District	Charles Allen Wray, Esq., R.M.
Patea East Road Board District	Charles Allen Wray, Esq., R.M.
Township of Hawera	Charles Allen Wray, Esq., R.M.
Township of Carlyle	Charles Allen Wray, Esq., R.M.

SCHEDULE—continued.

JUDGES OF ASSESSMENT COURT—continued.

Districts.	Judge of Assessment Courts.
PROVINCIAL DISTRICT OF WELLINGTON.	
Wellington Highway Board District	Thomas Anstey Mansford, Esq., R.M.
Karori-Makara Highway Board District	Thomas Anstey Mansford, Esq., R.M.
Lower Hutt Local Board District	Thomas Anstey Mansford, Esq., R.M.
Kaiwara Local Board District	Thomas Anstey Mansford, Esq., R.M.
Johnsonville Local Board District	Thomas Anstey Mansford, Esq., R.M.
Wellington Borough	Thomas Anstey Mansford, Esq., R.M.
Wairoa Highway Board District	Charles Allen Wray, Esq., R.M.
Manawatu Highway Board District	Robert Ward, Esq., R.M.
Otaki Highway Board District	Robert Ward, Esq., R.M.
Town of Waverley Local Board District	Charles Allen Wray, Esq., R.M.
Borough of Greytown	Herbert Samuel Wardell, Esq., R.M.
PROVINCIAL DISTRICT OF MARLBOROUGH.	
Awatere Road Board District	Hartley McIntire, Esq., R.M.
Wairau Road Board District	Hartley McIntire, Esq., R.M.
Omaka Road Board District	Hartley McIntire, Esq., R.M.
Spring Creek Road Board District	Hartley McIntire, Esq., R.M.
Lower Wairau River Board District	Hartley McIntire, Esq., R.M.
Spring Creek River Board District	Hartley McIntire, Esq., R.M.
Borough of Blenheim	Hartley McIntire, Esq., R.M.
Borough of Picton	John Allen, Esq., R.M.
Havelock Board of Works	John Allen, Esq., R.M.
Pelorus Road Board District	John Allen, Esq., R.M.
PROVINCIAL DISTRICT OF WESTLAND.	
Borough of Hokitika... ..	Joseph Giles, Esq., R.M.
Hokitika Harbour Board	Joseph Giles, Esq., R.M.
Borough of Kumara	Matthew Price, Esq., R.M.
PROVINCIAL DISTRICT OF CANTERBURY.	
Borough of Rangiora... ..	Edward James Lee, Esq.
Borough of Ashburton	Edward James Lee, Esq.
PROVINCIAL DISTRICT OF OTAGO.	
Balmoral Road District	Edgar Hall Carew, Esq., R.M.
Clydevale Road District	Edgar Hall Carew, Esq., R.M.
Pomahaka Road District	Edgar Hall Carew, Esq., R.M.
Clinton Road District	Edgar Hall Carew, Esq., R.M.
Clutha Road District	Edgar Hall Carew, Esq., R.M.
South Molyneux Road District	Edgar Hall Carew, Esq., R.M.
Matau Road District	Edgar Hall Carew, Esq., R.M.
Glenledi Road District	Edgar Hall Carew, Esq., R.M.
Crichton Road District	Edgar Hall Carew, Esq., R.M.
Kaitangata Road District	Edgar Hall Carew, Esq., R.M.
Tokomairiro Road District	Edgar Hall Carew, Esq., R.M.
Waihola Road District	Edgar Hall Carew, Esq., R.M.
Palmerston Road District	Isaac Newton Watt, Esq., R.M.
Hawkesbury Road District	Isaac Newton Watt, Esq., R.M.
Waikouaiti Road District	Isaac Newton Watt, Esq., R.M.
Dunback Road District	Isaac Newton Watt, Esq., R.M.
Peninsula Road District	Isaac Newton Watt, Esq., R.M.
Portobello Road District	Isaac Newton Watt, Esq., R.M.
Port Chalmers Municipality	Isaac Newton Watt, Esq., R.M.
West Hawkesbury Municipality	Edgar Hall Carew, Esq., R.M.
Palmerston Municipality	Edgar Hall Carew, Esq., R.M.
Milton Municipality	Edgar Hall Carew, Esq., R.M.
Balclutha Municipality	Edgar Hall Carew, Esq., R.M.
Riverton Road District	John Nugent Wood, Esq., R.M.
Aparima Road District	John Nugent Wood, Esq., R.M.
Riverton Municipality	John Nugent Wood, Esq., R.M.
Knapdale Road District	Henry McCulloch, Esq., R.M.
Otarua Road District	Henry McCulloch, Esq., R.M.
Waikaia Road District	John Nugent Wood, Esq., R.M.
Borough of Cromwell	William Lawrence Simpson, Esq., R.M.
Waihemo Road District	Isaac Newton Watt, Esq., R.M.

Superintendent Collectors of Agricultural Statistics appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 2nd January, 1879.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned gentlemen to be Superintendent Collectors of Agricultural Statistics for the collection of February, 1879, under "The Census Act, 1877," and to define that the district for which each shall act shall be that portion of the colony comprised by the counties or parts of counties specified opposite his name, including the boroughs within their defined boundaries:—

Names of Superintendent Collectors.	Counties in Districts.
James H. Greenway	... Mongonui, Bay of Islands, Hokiang, Whangarei, and Hobson.
John King	... Rodney, Waitemata, Eden, Manukau, Coromandel, Thames, and Piako.
Herbert W. Brabant	... Tauranga, Whakatane, East Taupo, West Taupo.
Harry Kenrick	... Cook and Wairoa.
James M. Gelling	... Waikato, Waipa, Raglan, and Kawhia.
J. H. M. Good	... Taranaki.
James G. Woon	... Patea and Wanganui.
F. M. Deighton	... Rangitikei and Manawatu.
Samuel Begg	... Hawke's Bay and Waipawa.
Herbert S. Wardell	... Wairarapa East, Wairarapa West.
Edward J. Von Dadelszen	Hutt.
Cyrus Goulter	... Sounds, Marlborough, and Kai-koura.
Robert Pollock	... Waimea, Collingwood, and part Amuri north of Clarence River.
William S. Munday	... Buller and Inangahua.
Gerhard Mueller	... Grey and Westland.
Frederick de C. Malet	... Part Amuri south of Clarence River, Cheviot, Ashley, Akaroa, Selwyn, and Ashburton.
Charles E. Cooper	... Geraldine and Waimate.
Andrew Thompson	... Waitaki and part Waikouaiti north of Waitati Stream.
William L. Simpson	... Vincent, Maniototo, and Lake.
James P. Simpson	... Peninsula, Taieri, and part Waikouaiti south of Waitati Stream.
Edgar H. Carew	... Bruce, Tuapeka, and Clutha.
William G. Fox	... Southland, Wallace, Fiord, and Stewart Island.

J. T. FISHER,

(in the absence of the Colonial Secretary.)

Auditor for Hokonui Rabbit District appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 4th January, 1879.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

THOMAS PERKINS, Esq.,

of Invercargill, an Auditor of the accounts of the Hokonui Rabbit District.

J. T. FISHER,

(in the absence of the Colonial Secretary.)

Town Clerk and Returning Officer, Campbelltown Borough, appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 6th January, 1879.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased, under section 20 of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1876," to appoint

BENJAMIN WILLOUGHBY

to be Town Clerk of the Borough of Campbelltown (as constituted by Proclamation of the 23rd of December, 1878), and also Returning Officer to hold the first election of Mayor, Councillors, and Auditors of the said borough.

Also to appoint Wednesday, the fifth day of February, for the election of Mayor; and Friday, the seventh day of February, for the election of Councillors; and Friday, the fourteenth day of February, for the election of Auditors.

Also to appoint Tuesday, the eleventh day of February, at noon, for the first meeting of the Council of the said borough, and the Courthouse at Campbelltown to be the place of such meeting.

J. T. FISHER,

(in the absence of the Colonial Secretary.)

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 7th January, 1879.

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:—

Names.	Districts.
WILLIAM GARLAND WOON	... Wanganui.
THOMAS A. HARRIS	... Kawau.

J. T. FISHER,

(in the absence of the Colonial Secretary.)

Judge of Assessment Court appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 7th January, 1879.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HENRY McCULLOCH, Esq., R.M.,

Judge of the Assessment Court for the Wyndham Road District (Otago), under "The Rating Act, 1876."

J. T. FISHER,

(in the absence of the Colonial Secretary.)

United States Consular Agents provisionally recognized.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 6th January, 1879.

IT is hereby notified that the Secretary of State at Washington, having approved of the appointments of

Mr. JOHN H. SALMON

as United States Consular Agent at Russell;

Mr. ROBERT WYLES

as United States Consular Agent at Mongonui; and

Mr. CHARLES BENJAMIN TAYLOR

as United States Consular Agent at Christchurch, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept such nominations provisionally.

J. T. FISHER,

(in the absence of the Colonial Secretary.)

Registration and Returning Officer appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 7th January, 1879.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ROBERT STUART, Esq.,

to be Registration and Returning Officer for the Electoral Districts of Napier and Clive for the election of Members of the House of Representatives. This appointment to take effect from the 1st January, 1879.

J. T. FISHER,

(in the absence of the Colonial Secretary.)

Letters of Naturalization issued.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 8th January, 1879.

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.
Johann Böttcher ...	Labourer ...	Foxton.
Friedrich Böttcher ...	Farmer ...	Foxton.
William George Dettleff Bohning	Miner ...	Alexandra (Co. of Vincent).

J. T. FISHER,
(in the absence of the Colonial Secretary.)

Resident Magistrate appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 2nd January, 1879.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

GEORGE LILLY MELLISH, Esq., R.M.,
to be a Resident Magistrate for the District of Lyttelton, with jurisdiction to £100.

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

Certificated Accountants in Bankruptcy appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 2nd January, 1879.

IT is hereby notified that Mr. District Judge Kenny has appointed

JAMES JOHN CRAWFORD, Esq.,
of Wanganui, and
EDWIN WELCOME, Esq.,
of New Plymouth, to be Certificated Accountants in Bankruptcy under "The Debtors and Creditors Act, 1876."

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

Sheriff appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 6th January, 1879.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

COLIN MCKENZIE GORDON, Esq.,
to be Sheriff for the District of Otago, *vice* E. F. Ward, Esq.

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

Justices of the Peace appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 7th January, 1879.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOSEPH GRIMMOND, Esq., Mayor of Ross;
JOHN PUGH JONES, Esq., Mayor of St. Kilda;
JOHN MAHER, Esq., Mayor of South Invercargill,
NATHANIEL YOUNG ARMSTRONG WALES, Esq.,
Mayor of Roslyn;
HENRY JOHN WALTER, Esq., Mayor of Dunedin;
to be Justices of the Peace under "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1876."

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

Clerk of Resident Magistrate's Court appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 7th January, 1879.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Sergeant DAVID MCGUIRE
to be Clerk of the Resident Magistrate's Court for the District of Waiapu.

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

Resignation of Volunteer Officer.

Colonial Defence Office,
Wellington, 8th January, 1879.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation of the commission held by the under-mentioned officer :—

Captain C. Galpin, Royal Rifle Volunteers.

J. T. FISHER,
(in the absence of the Defence Minister.)

Resignation by C. T. Batkin, Esq., of his appointment as a Trustee under "The Wellington Reclaimed Land Act, 1871," and "The Wanganui Bridge and Wharf Act, 1872."

The Treasury,
Wellington, 4th January, 1879.

HIS Excellency the Governor has, this day, been pleased to accept the resignation of C. T. Batkin, Esq., of his appointment under "The Wellington Reclaimed Land Act, 1871," and "The Wanganui Bridge and Wharf Act, 1872," notified in page 701 of the *New Zealand Gazette* for 1878.

J. BALLANCE.

J. C. Gavin, Esq., appointed a Trustee of Sinking Fund under "The Wellington Reclaimed Land Act, 1871," and "The Wanganui Bridge and Wharf Act, 1872."

The Treasury,
Wellington, 4th January, 1879.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES CLARK GAVIN, Esq.,
to perform the functions of the Superintendent under "The Wellington Reclaimed Land Act, 1871," and "The Wanganui Bridge and Wharf Act, 1872."

J. BALLANCE.

Authority to Frank.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 2nd January, 1879.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to authorize

The SUPERINTENDENT COLLECTORS
under "The Census Act, 1877," a notification of whose appointments appears in the present *Gazette*, or whose appointments may be hereafter notified in any subsequent *Gazette*, to frank and receive, free from prepayment of postage, for a period of four months from this date, letters and packets addressed from or to them "On Business of Agricultural Statistics only."

J. T. FISHER,
Postmaster-General.

Assistant Surveyor appointed.

General Survey Office,
Wellington, 27th December, 1878.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN INNES, Esq.,

to be an Assistant Surveyor in the Surveyor-General's Department. The appointment to date from 1st July, 1878.

J. T. FISHER,
(for the Minister of Lands.)

Twenty-second of January a Public Holiday in Wellington Provincial District.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 8th January, 1879.

IT is hereby notified that Wednesday, the 22nd of January instant, is to be observed as a general holiday in all public departments of the Government throughout the Provincial District of Wellington.

By command.

G. S. COOPER,
Under Secretary.

Third of February a Public Holiday in Nelson Provincial District.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 8th January, 1879.

IT is hereby notified that Monday, the 3rd of February, is to be observed as a general holiday in all public departments of the Government throughout the Provincial District of Nelson.

By command.

G. S. COOPER,
Under Secretary.

Statement of Accounts of the Hokitika Harbour Board.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 7th January, 1879.

THE following statement of accounts of the Hokitika Harbour Board for the period ended 10th December, 1878, is published in accordance with section 32 of "The Hokitika Harbour Board Act, 1876."

G. S. COOPER,
Under Secretary.

STATEMENT and Account of Receipts and Expenditure for the period dating from 10th December, 1877, to 10th December, 1878, both inclusive.

RECEIPTS.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
To Tonnage dues ...	...	526 16 6	
Wharfage ...	...	1,301 7 2	
Storage ...	...	7 5 2	
			1,835 8 10
J. A. Bonar, rent of wharf ...	...		20 0 0
J. Reynolds, forfeited deposit on contract ...	...	5 0 0	
J. Maunders, sale of iron office ...	...	3 0 0	
			8 0 0
Government grant in aid ...	...	1,938 18 9	
Waste Lands Board, refund ...	...	143 19 2	
			2,082 17 11
Bank overdraft ...	...	426 14 2	
Unpresented cheque ...	...	50 0 0	
			476 14 2
			<u>£4,423 0 11</u>

EXPENDITURE.		£ s. d.
By Bank overdraft, December 10, 1877 ...	...	1,227 2 6
Salaries, including engineers ...	...	475 3 7
Expenses of elections ...	8 8 0	
Office furniture and fittings ...	95 18 1	
Fuel and light ...	41 5 0	
Printing and advertising ...	75 18 3	
Travelling expenses ...	11 10 0	
Auditors' fees ...	10 10 0	
Insurance ...	5 0 0	
Law expenses ...	26 10 4	
Borough rates ...	5 0 0	
Miscellaneous ...	114 7 4	
		394 7 0
Designs for harbour improvements ...	298 17 1	
River survey ...	5 6 6	
Removing snags from river ...	16 10 0	
New transit shed ...	338 12 10	
Scrub, various works ...	131 17 0	
T. Dayly, contract, river bank protection ...	1,083 7 8	
J. Reynolds, contract, river bank protection ...	89 0 0	
Repairs to wharf ...	20 19 0	
River works ...	11 12 6	
Survey and collecting data for Sir John Coode ...	240 11 7	
		2,236 14 2
Refund deposit on contract ...	18 15 0	
Bank interest ...	70 18 8	
		89 13 8
		<u>£4,423 0 11</u>

DEPOSIT ON CONTRACTS ACCOUNT.

Receipts ...	449 0 0
By amount forfeited by J. Reynolds, and placed to general account ...	5 0 0
Amount refunded ...	30 0 0
Cash in Bank of New Zealand ...	414 0 0
	<u>£449 0 0</u>

We certify the above statements to be correct.

D. W. VIRTUE, Chairman.
EDWARD PATTEN, Treasurer.

We have examined the books, vouchers, and other documents relating to the above accounts, compared the same with the Bank pass-book, and hereby certify that they are correct.

JNO. ANDERSON, } Auditors.
HENRY HARVEY, }

ASSETS.

	£ s. d.
To Wharfage and tonnage dues uncollected ...	11 19 9
Waste Lands Board, rent of run ...	33 6 8
Balance, Government grant ...	13,061 1 3
Balance ...	15,551 10 3
	<u>£28,657 17 11</u>

LIABILITIES.

	£ s. d.
By Amount due Bank of New Zealand ...	426 14 3
Unpresented cheque ...	50 0 0
	476 14 3
Salary, Secretary, from October 15 to date ...	38 9 3
Balance, survey, &c., for Sir John Coode ...	279 2 3
Municipal Corporation, erecting wing-dam ...	250 0 0
Miscellaneous accounts ...	20 0 0
Contract, training-wall and breakwater ...	27,593 12 2
	<u>£28,657 17 11</u>

We certify the above statement to be correct.

D. W. VIRTUE, Chairman.
EDWARD PATTEN, Treasurer.

We hereby certify that the above statement of

assets and liabilities of the Hokitika Harbour Board, as taken from the books and other documents of the said Board, is correct.

JNO. ANDERSON, }
HENRY HARVEY, } Auditors.

Designation of Post Office changed.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 7th January, 1879.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the designation of the Post Office in the Postal District of Canterbury, formerly known as Coldstream, has been changed to

EALING.

By order of the Postmaster-General.

W. GRAY,
Secretary.

Notification of Resignation of Seat in the House of Representatives for Electoral District of Nelson City.

IN compliance with the provisions of the thirteenth section of "The Regulation of Elections Act, 1870," I hereby notify that John Sharp, Esquire, has resigned his seat in the House of Representatives for the Electoral District of Nelson City, and that his letter of resignation was received by me on the 7th day of January, 1879; and that the said seat is vacant by reason of such resignation.

Dated at Wellington, the 7th day of January, 1879.

WILLIAM FITZHERBERT,
Speaker.

Commissioner of the Supreme Court of New Zealand appointed.

NOTICE.—His Honor the Chief Justice has, this third day of January, 1879, appointed EDWARD HART, of Commercial Bank Chambers, 22, Collins street West, Melbourne, Victoria, a solicitor of the Supreme Court of Victoria, to be a Commissioner of the Supreme Court of New Zealand in Victoria, for taking any oath, affidavit, or affirmation, and for taking the acknowledgments of married women, under the second and fourth sections respectively of "The Commissioners of the Supreme Court Act, 1875."

ALEX. S. ALLAN,
Registrar, Supreme Court.
Wellington, 3rd January, 1879.

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.

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.

3831. FREDERICK AUGUSTUS BISHOP.—2 roods, Sections 299 and 300, Christchurch City. Occupied by Applicant.

3833. JOHN TELFORD.—1 rood 7 perches, part of Rural Section 105, Christchurch District. Unoccupied.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 2nd day of January, 1879, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

13 R. W. D'O'LY,
District Land Registrar.

GLADSTONE GOLD-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that the Registered Office of the above Company has been removed from Ballarat Street, Queenstown, to Buckingham Street, Arrowtown, Otago.

WILLIAM SCOLES, }
JOHN WILLIAMS, } Directors.
Arrowtown, 29th December, 1878. 14

*Appointments of Valuers under "The Land-Tax Act, 1878."*Land-Tax Department,
Wellington, 1st January, 1879.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments of Valuers under "The Land-Tax Act, 1878," in addition to those published in *Gazette* No. 3, dated the 4th instant:—

Name and Address.	County.	District.
AUCKLAND LAND-TAX DISTRICT.		
Joseph Newman, Auckland ...	Eden	Borough of Auckland.
Henry Greensmith Wade, Auckland ...		
William Dennison, Newmarket ...	"	Epsom Highway District.
Francis Cherry, Newton ...	"	Mount Eden Highway District.
Henry Clark, Onehunga ...	"	One-Tree Hill Highway District.
Thomas Wayth Gudgeon, Grahamstown ...	Thames	Borough of Thames.
WELLINGTON LAND-TAX DISTRICT.		
Arthur Braithwaite, Hutt ...	Hutt	Wainuiomata Riding.
William Skeet, Greytown ...	Wairarapa East	Awhea
Job Vile, Masterton ...		"	Wainuioru
James Brown, Masterton ...	"	Castlepoint.
Alexander McHutchon, Castlepoint ...	"	{ Greytown Riding.
William Skeet, Greytown ...	Wairarapa West	{ Featherston
		{ Otaraia
Robert William Ind Carver, Masterton ...	"	Borough of Masterton.
Thomas Frethy, Greytown ...	"	Borough of Greytown.
John Coleman Ferguson, Featherston ...	"	Town of Featherston.
Alexander Svend Dreyer, Masterton ...	"	Masterton and Alfredton Ridings.
Frederick Jagerhorn ...	"	
Arthur Beauchamp, Wanganui ...	Wanganui	Wangaehu District.
NELSON LAND-TAX DISTRICT.		
John Octavius Western, Picton ...	Marlborough and Sounds	{ Borough of Picton.
		{ Picton Road District.
		{ Queen Charlotte Sound.
		{ Cloudy Bay.
Horatio Nelson Firth, Havelock ...	"	{ Havelock Town.
		{ Pelorus Road.
		{ Pelorus Sound.
		{ Coast between French Pass and Jackson's Head.
William Douslin, Blenheim ...	Marlborough	Omaka and Spring Creek.
John Tucker Robinson, Blenheim ...	"	Blenheim Borough.
John Langley Adams, Blenheim ...	"	Wairau and Awatere.
Robert Clark Chambers, Westport ...	Buller	Buller County and Borough of Westport.
CANTERBURY LAND-TAX DISTRICT.		
William Arthur Murray, Lincoln ...	Selwyn	Springs.
Charles Edward Dudley, Kaiapoi ...	Ashley	Borough of Kaiapoi.
Robert Aherne, Rangiora ...	"	Borough of Rangiora.
Andrew Hunter Cunningham, Rangiora ...	"	Ashley.
Robert James Dickenson, East Oxford ...	"	Cust and West Eyreton.
Robert Wright, Kaiapoi ...	"	Eyreton.
William Anthony Benn, Amberley ...	"	Kowai.
John Ingram, Oxford ...	"	Oxford.
George Alfred Buck, Christchurch ...	"	Waipari.
Edward Mulcock, Flaxton ...	"	Mandeville.
Alexander Innes McGregor, Akaroa ...	Akaroa	{ Akaroa Borough.
		{ Akaroa and Wainui Road Districts.
William Walker Archer, Lincoln ...	"	Pigeon Bay and Port Levy.
James Wilson, Kaituna ...	"	Little River.
David Wright, Okain's Bay ...	"	Okain's Bay.
William Gray, Governor's Bay ...	"	Port Victoria.
OTAGO LAND-TAX DISTRICT.		
Moses McLay ...	Clutha	Part of County of Clutha.
George Ross, Sawyer's Bay ...	Taieri	Borough of West Harbour.
Andrew Rankin, South Dunedin ...	"	Borough of South Dunedin.

J. BALLANCE.

Wellington Cattle Inspector's Report.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Wellington, 8th January, 1879.

THE following returns from the Inspector of Cattle for the Wellington District are published for general information. G. S. COOPER.

SIR,— Cattle Inspector's Office, Wellington, 6th January, 1879.
I have the honor to forward to you the return of cattle arrived from foreign ports into the Port of Wellington, for the six months ending 31st December, 1878; also the return of diseased cattle inspected in the district within the same period.

I have, &c.,
T. G. RICHARDSON,
Inspector.

G. S. Cooper, Esq., Under Secretary, Wellington.

RETURN of CATTLE inspected within the DISTRICT of WELLINGTON, not brought by Sea, within the Six Months ended the 31st DECEMBER, 1878, which have been found to be affected with any Contagious or Infectious Disease.

Nil.

T. G. RICHARDSON, Inspector.

RETURN of CATTLE arrived from FOREIGN PORTS into the PORT of WELLINGTON, and landed at WELLINGTON, from 30th JUNE, 1878, to 31st DECEMBER, 1878.

Date of Arrival and Inspection.	Name of Ship.	Where from.	Number and Description of Cattle.	Name of Owner.	Condition.
July 2	"Wakatipu," s.s.	Sydney	1 entire race horse	J. Gilligan, Esq.	Healthy and good.
" 22	"Tararua," s.s.	Hobart Town	*5 merino ewe sheep	W. and G. Turnbull	" "
" 25	"Arawata," s.s.	Melbourne	*1 entire race horse	A. McLean, Esq.	" "
August 20	"Alhambra," s.s.	"	*1 merino ram	Bethune and Hunter	" "
September 6	"Albion," s.s.	"	2 bay draught mares	James Kennedy	" "
" 6	"	"	1 roan	"	" "
" 6	"	"	1 bay draught entire horse	"	" "
" 14	"Tararua," s.s.	"	2 Lincoln rams	Mr. Tolhurst	" "
" 14	"	"	+6 merino rams	C. Goulter, Esq.	" "
" 14	"	"	+6 merino ewe sheep	"	" "
" 20	"Wakatipu," s.s.	Sydney	1 dark brown colt	J. C. Chublin, Esq.	" "
" 23	"Ringarooma," s.s.	Melbourne	1 entire race horse	J. W. Jackson, Esq.	" "
" 23	"	"	†1 merino ram	W. C. Goulter, Esq.	" "
" 23	"	"	‡33 merino rams	W. Gibson, Esq.	" "
" 23	"	"	‡80 merino ewe sheep	"	" "
Oct. 4	"Albion," s.s.	"	‡2 merino rams	R. Tinlin, Esq.	" "
" 29	"Easby," s.s.	Sydney	*10	W. Nessin, Esq.	" "
Nov. 20	"Jessie Readman," ship	London	*1 bay entire draught horse	Bethune and Hunter	" "
Dec. 11	"Otaki," ship	"	\$1	Captain Rose	" "
" 13	"Arawata," s.s.	Melbourne	1	Mr. Martin	" "

* Transhipped to Napier. † Transhipped to Picton. ‡ Transhipped to Kaikoura. § Transhipped to Auckland.

T. G. RICHARDSON,
Inspector of Cattle, Wellington.

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 17th day of February, 1879.

967. FREDERICK PEARSE FOOKES.—1 acre, Section 125, Township of Waverley. Unoccupied).

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 7th day of January, 1879, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

15 GEO. B. DAVY,
District Land Registrar.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICE.

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.

JAMES BLAKIE.—1 rood, Section 13, Block LX., Town of Invercargill. Unoccupied. No. 1179.
THEOPHILUS HEALE.—1 rood, Section 10, Block XXVIII., Town of Invercargill. Unoccupied. No. 1181.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.
Dated this 24th day of December, 1878, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

11 C. M. HENNING,
District Land Registrar.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICE.

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

PETER CLAYTON, Applicant.—24 perches, being Allotment numbered 982, and part of Allot-

ment numbered 678, both in the Town of Hokitika. Occupied by Applicant. No. 378. (J. H. Hawkins, Solicitor.)

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 30th day of December, 1878, at the Lands Registry Office, Hokitika.

ALFRED H. KING,
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 30 and 31, Block II., Town of Dunedin.—JAMES McINTOSH, Applicant. No. 2702.

Allotment 2, Block XVIII., Township of St. Kilda.—GEORGE SMITH, Applicant. No. 2703.

Part of Section 70, Block V., Lower Kaikorai District.—JAMES WILSON, Applicant. No. 2704.

Allotments 11 and 12 on plan of subdivision of Sections 2, 4, and 51, Block I., Oamaru District.—WILLIAM PFATTIE, Applicant. No. 2705.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 30th day of December, 1878, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

A. W. SMITH,
District Land Registrar.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND,
CANTERBURY DISTRICT.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that, under a writ of *feri 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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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CONSTRUCT WATER-RACE.

Tuapeka, 31st December, 1878.

To the Warden at Lawrence.

WE hereby give notice that we intend to construct a Water-race to divert and use water for mining purposes, commencing at the junction of Waitahuna and Shepherd's Hut Gullies, about 400 yards south of the foot of Andrew Barr's Tail-race, and terminating at our claim at Richmond Hill, Waitahuna.

The length of such race is about three miles or thereabouts, and its intended course is east and west.

The mean depth of such race is one foot, and its mean breadth is two feet, and it is proposed to divert five Government-heads of water.

We hereby also give notice that we intend to construct a dam-bank and form a reservoir for the storage of water at Sailors' Gully, Waitahuna, and that the following are the particulars respecting such dam and reservoir:—(1.) Locality: Sailors' Gully, Waitahuna. (2.) Length of Dam: 100 feet. (3.) Greatest height: 20 feet. (4.) Greatest breadth of base: 40 feet. (5.) Time estimated for construction: Six months.

THOMAS MARK,
HENRY MARK,
FREDERICK TRAYES,
Applicants.

Date and number of miners' rights: 7th November, 1878; No. 3226. 7th November, 1878; No. 3229. 31st December, 1872; No. 3371.

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

Hearing at eleven o'clock, on Friday, 31st January, 1879.

H. J. ABEL,
pro Warden.

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

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TO THE REGISTRAR OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, AND DEATHS, AUCKLAND DISTRICT.

I, WILLIAM GEORGE SCOTT, Member of the Royal College of Surgeons of England, and Licentiate of Apothecaries' Society of London, being duly registered in the Imperial Register of Great Britain, and about to settle at Onehunga, hereby give notice of my intention to apply to you, in one month from the date hereof, for registration under "The New Zealand Medical Practitioners Registration Act, 1869," having in the meantime deposited with you my diplomas for public inspection.

Onehunga, 19th December, 1878.

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by WILLIAM MURRAY THOMSON and FELIX MCGUIRE, under the firm of "Thomson and McGuire," as Auctioneers, Land and Commission Agents, at Hawera, in the County of Patea, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts against the firm must be sent in before thirty-first January, 1879, and all moneys owing must be paid by same date.

As witness our hands this nineteenth day of December, 1878.

W. MURRAY THOMSON.
FELIX MCGUIRE.

Witness—J. B. Roy, Solicitor, Hawera.

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