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*Changing the Purpose of a Reserve.*

HERCULES ROBINSON, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this  
seventeenth day of April, 1879.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

**WHEREAS** the land mentioned in the first column of the Schedule hereto was reserved by "The Oamaru Town Reserves Management Ordinance, 1872," for a site for a slaughterhouse:

And whereas the said reserve is for one of the purposes named in Part I. of the Schedule to "The Public Reserves Act Amendment Act, 1878," and, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to change the purpose of such reserve to another of the purposes named in the said Part I. as hereinafter mentioned:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, and in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the sixth section of "The Public Reserves Act Amendment Act, 1878," doth hereby order and direct that the purpose of the reserve mentioned in the first column of the said Schedule hereto shall be changed from that of a reserve for a slaughterhouse, and doth hereby declare and define the purpose of the said reserve to be that specified in the second column of the said Schedule, the same being one of the purposes named in Part I. of the Schedule to the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

Description of Land Reserved.	Purpose to which Reserve is Changed.
All that area in the Provincial District of Otago, containing by admeasurement one (1) acre and twenty-one (21) poles, more or less, situate in the Town of Oamaru, being Sections numbered respectively 20, 21, 22, 23, and 24, Block XIV., on the map of the said town, deposited in the office of Crown Lands at Dunedin.	For municipal purposes.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Changing the Purpose of a Portion of a Reserve.*

HERCULES ROBINSON,  
Administrator of the Government.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this  
eighth day of April, 1879.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE  
GOVERNMENT IN COUNCIL.

**WHEREAS** the land mentioned in the first column of the Schedule hereto is a portion of a reserve for a cemetery for the City of Dunedin:

And whereas the said reserve is for one of the purposes named in Part I. of the Schedule to "The Public Reserves Act Amendment Act, 1878," and, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to change the purpose of the portion of such reserve referred to in the Schedule hereto to one of the purposes named in Part III., as hereinafter mentioned:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Administrator of the Government of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, and in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the sixth section of "The Public Reserves Act Amendment Act, 1878," doth hereby order and direct that the purpose of the portion of the reserve mentioned in the first column of the Schedule hereto shall be changed from that of a reserve for a cemetery, and doth hereby declare and define the purpose of the said portion of such reserve to be that specified in the second column of the said Schedule, the same being one of the purposes named in Part III. of the Schedule to the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

Description of Land Reserved.	Purpose to which Reserve is Changed.
All that parcel of land situated in the Provincial District of Otago, in the City of Dunedin, containing by admeasurement five (5) acres twenty (20) poles, more or less. Bounded towards the North by the Town Belt, six hundred and ninety-seven and two-tenths (697.2) links; towards the North-east by Section No. 1, Block XIX.,	As a school site and teachers' residence for the Otago Girls' and Boys' High Schools.

**ERRATUM.**—In the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 39, of 10th April, 1879, at page 468, for "The Native Land Act, 1878," read "The Native Land Act, 1873."

two hundred and sixty-nine and two-tenths (269.2) links; towards the South-east by Arthur Street, seven hundred and sixty (760) links; towards the South by a right line bearing  $111^{\circ} 43' 42''$ , six hundred and seven (607) links; again towards the South-east by a right line bearing  $201^{\circ} 43' 42''$ , sixteen (16) links; again towards the South by a line bearing  $111^{\circ} 43' 42''$ , one hundred and sixty and two-tenths (160.2) links; and towards the North-west by a reserve, three hundred and eighty-nine (389) links: as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the Survey Office, Dunedin.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Changing the Purpose of a Portion of a Reserve.*

HERCULES ROBINSON,  
Administrator of the Government.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eighth day of April, 1879.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE  
GOVERNMENT IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the first column of the Schedule hereto is a portion of a reserve for purposes of the Provincial Government of Otago:

And whereas the said reserve is for one of the purposes named in Part I. of the Schedule to "The Public Reserves Act Amendment Act, 1878," and, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to change the purpose of the portion of such reserve referred to in the Schedule hereto to one of the purposes named in Part III., as hereinafter mentioned:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Administrator of the Government of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, and in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the sixth section of "The Public Reserves Act Amendment Act, 1878," doth hereby order and direct that the purpose of the portion of the reserve mentioned in the first column of the Schedule hereto shall be changed from that of a reserve for purposes of the Provincial Government of Otago, and doth hereby declare and define the purposes of the said portion of such reserve to be those specified in the second column of the said Schedule, the same being one of the purposes named in Part III. of the Schedule to the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

Description of Land Reserved.	Purpose to which Reserve Changed.
All that parcel of land situated in the Provincial District of Otago, in the City of Dunedin, containing by admeasurement one (1) acre thirty-three (33) poles, more or less, being Sections numbered respectively one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), and part of five (5), Block XIX. Bounded towards the North-west by the Town Belt, five hundred and thirty-four (534) links; towards the North-east by the other part of Section five (5), two hundred and fifty (250) links; towards the South-east by London Street, four hundred and thirty-four (434) links; and towards the South-west by a reserve, two hundred and seventy-three (273) links: as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the Survey Office, Dunedin.	As a school site and teacher's residence for the Otago Girls' and Boys' High Schools.

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SCHEDULE.

Description of Land Reserved.	Purpose to which Reserve Changed.
All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Otago, containing by admeasurement fifteen (15) perches, more or less, situated in the City of Dunedin. Bounded towards the North-east by a right line, bearing $111^{\circ} 43' 42''$ , six hundred and seven (607) links; towards the South-east by Arthur Street, sixteen (16) links; towards the South-west by the land described in "The Dunedin School Reserves Act, 1877," six hundred and seven (607) links; and towards the North-west by a line bearing $201^{\circ} 43' 42''$ , sixteen (16) links: as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the Survey Office, Dunedin.	As a site for Middle District School.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Constitution, &c., of High Commissioner's Court under  
"Western Pacific Order in Council of 1877."*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 26th April, 1879.

THE following extracts from an Order in Council made by Her Majesty the Queen, and known as "The Western Pacific Order in Council of 1877," relative to the constitution, &c., of a High Commissioner's Court, are published for general information.

The Order in Council commenced and had effect from 4th February, 1878, being the day fixed by a Proclamation issued by the Governor of Fiji, and published in the Royal Gazette of Fiji of the 2nd

February, 1878, as provided in clause 3 of the said Order. A copy of the Order in Council can be seen at this office.

G. S. WHITMORE.

At the Court at Osborne House, Isle of Wight, the 13th day of August, 1877.

Present:

(L.S.) THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS Her Majesty the Queen has power and jurisdiction within some islands and places in the Western Pacific Ocean, particularly described in this order, and therein collectively referred to as the Western Pacific Islands, the same not being within Her Majesty's Dominions, and not being within the jurisdiction of any civilized Power:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in this behalf by the Pacific Islanders Protection Acts 1872 and 1875, and by the Foreign Jurisdiction Acts 1843 to 1875, or otherwise, in Her Majesty vested, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered as follows:—

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3. This order shall, except as otherwise expressed, commence and have effect on a day fixed by Proclamation under the hand of the Governor of Fiji, or of the Officer for the time being Administering the Government of Fiji, and published in the Royal Gazette of Fiji.

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PART II.—EXTENT AND APPLICATION OF ORDER.

*Description of Western Pacific.*

5. The islands and places in the Western Pacific Ocean to which this order extends and applies, and which are in this order collectively referred to as the Western Pacific Islands, are the following, namely:—

(1.) The groups of islands known as the Friendly Islands, the Navigators' Islands, the Union Islands, the Phoenix Islands, the Ellice Islands, the Gilbert Islands, the Marshall Islands or Archipelago, the Caroline Islands, the Solomon Islands, the Santa Cruz Islands.

(2.) The Island of Rotumah.

(3.) The part of the Island of New Guinea eastward of the 143rd meridian of longitude.

(4.) The Islands or Archipelago of New Britain and New Ireland.

(5.) The Louisiade Archipelago.

(6.) All other islands in the Western Pacific Ocean not being within the limits of the Colonies of Fiji, Queensland, and New South Wales, and not being within the jurisdiction of any civilized Power.

(7.) The waters within three miles of every island or place aforesaid.

*Application of Order.*

6. This order applies to—

(1.) All British subjects for the time being within the Western Pacific Islands, whether resident there or not.

(2.) All British vessels for the time being within the waters mentioned in article 5 of this order.

(3.) Foreigners, in the cases and according to the conditions in this order specified, but not otherwise.

PART III.—HIGH COMMISSIONER: COURT.

*High Commissioner.*

7. There is hereby created and constituted, from the date of this order, the office of High Commissioner in, over, and for the Western Pacific Islands; and the person for the time being filling that office shall be styled Her Britannic Majesty's High Commissioner for the Western Pacific (and is in this order referred to as the High Commissioner).

8. The High Commissioner shall have an official seal bearing the style of his office, and such device as the Secretary of State from time to time approves.

*Judicial Commissioners.*

9. The Chief Justice of Fiji, and every other Judge for the time being of the Supreme Court, shall be, by virtue of his office, a Judicial Commissioner for the Western Pacific (and is in this order referred to as a Judicial Commissioner).

(2.) Where, in the opinion of the High Commissioner, the attendance of the Chief Justice, or of another Judge of the Supreme Court, to discharge the duty of a Judicial Commissioner is impracticable or would be inconvenient, then, and in every such case, from time to time, the High Commissioner may, in the name and on behalf of Her Majesty, by writing under his hand and official seal, appoint a person of legal knowledge and experience to be a Judicial Commissioner for the Western Pacific, for particular purposes or for a particular time, as to the High Commissioner in each case appears expedient (and every person so appointed is in this order referred to as a Judicial Commissioner).

(3.) Each Judicial Commissioner shall, for the purposes of so much of section 6 of the Pacific Islanders Protection Act of 1875 as relates to Deputy Commissioners, be deemed to be and shall, by virtue of this order, be a Deputy Commissioner duly appointed and empowered under the provisions of this order, and acting under the directions of the High Commissioner.

(4.) A Judicial Commissioner shall not be deemed to be a Deputy Commissioner within any other article of this order.

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*High Commissioner's Court.*

12. There shall be a Court styled Her Britannic Majesty's High Commissioner's Court for the Western Pacific (in this order referred to as the High Commissioner's Court).

13. The members of the High Commissioner's Court shall be the High Commissioner, the Judicial Commissioners, and the Deputy Commissioners.

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*Jurisdiction.*

17. All Her Majesty's jurisdiction exercisable in the Western Pacific Islands in criminal and civil matters shall, subject and according to the provisions of this order, be vested in and exercised by the High Commissioner's Court.

18. The whole jurisdiction and authority of the High Commissioner's Court may, subject and according to the provisions of this order, be exercised by the High Commissioner or by a Judicial Commissioner, while he (the High Commissioner or Judicial Commissioner) is either in the Western Pacific Islands or in Fiji.

19. The whole or any part of the jurisdiction and authority of the High Commissioner's Court for or in respect of any district or part of the Western Pacific Islands may, subject and according to the provisions of this order, be exercised by a Deputy Commissioner, being authorized by the terms of his appointment to act for and in respect of that district or part, and being within that "district or part."

(2.) The term "the district" "or the particular district" in this order means the particular district or part for and in respect of which a Deputy Commissioner is so authorized to act, and in which the proceeding in question is pending or is intended to be taken.

20. Each member of the High Commissioner's Court exercising for the time being the jurisdiction and authority thereof in conformity with this order,

shall, for the purposes of this order, be deemed to form a High Commissioner's Court.

(2.) The term "the Court" in this order includes and applies to every member so exercising jurisdiction or authority.

21. Where a British subject charged with an offence committed on the sea, or in any haven, river, creek, or place within the jurisdiction of the Admiralty, is found or brought within the Western Pacific Islands, the Court shall have power to take cognizance of the offence.

(2.) The Court shall have the like jurisdiction and authority, and the like proceedings shall, subject and according to the limitation expressed in article 31, be had in respect of the charge, as if the charge were for an offence committed within the Western Pacific Islands.

22. Subject to the other provisions of this order, Her Majesty's criminal and civil jurisdiction exercisable in the Western Pacific Islands shall, as far as circumstances admit, be exercised on the principles of and in conformity with the Statute and other law for the time being in force in and for England, and with the powers vested in and according to the course of procedure and practice observed by and before the Courts of Justice and Justices of the Peace in England, according to their respective jurisdiction and authorities.

*Notice of proposed Loan, County of Wallacee.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 25th April, 1879.

THE following notice received from the Chairman of the County Council of Wallace is published in accordance with section 146 of "The Counties Act, 1876."

G. S. WHITMORE.

Wallace County Council Chambers,  
Riverton, 19th April, 1879.

SIR,—I have the honor to forward to you the result of poll taken on the following question: "That the sum of £2,500 be borrowed for the purpose of constructing a bridge over the Jacobs River at the Upper Ford." For the resolution, seventy-six (76); against the resolution, seven (7). Majority in favour of the resolution, sixty-nine (69).

I have, &c.,  
HENRY HIRST,  
Chairman.

*Warden elected for the Otaki Highway District.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 26th April, 1879.

NOTICE has been received at this office, under the hand of Mr. James Linton, the Presiding Officer, that, on the 18th instant,

CHARLES GEORGE HEWSON

was duly elected to be a Warden for No. 1 Ward of the Otaki Highway District, County of Manawatu, vice G. Hadfield, whose seat had become vacant.

G. S. WHITMORE.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 28th April, 1879.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM HENEY, Esq.,

to be Registrar of Marriages and of Births and

Deaths, and also Vaccination Inspector, for the District of Manuherikia.

G. S. WHITMORE.

*Hawera Acclimatization Society registered.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 28th April, 1879.

IT is hereby notified that a copy of the rules of The HAWERA ACCLIMATIZATION SOCIETY, duly signed, have been deposited in this office, and the said Society is therefore deemed to be a registered Acclimatization Society under "The Protection of Animals Act, 1873."

G. S. WHITMORE.

*Australian International Exhibition.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 20th January, 1879.

REFERRING to the notice published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 36, of the 26th of April, 1878, relative to the Australian International Exhibition to be held in Sydney, New South Wales, in August, 1879, it is hereby further notified that the Government of New Zealand will be prepared to receive and to forward to Sydney any articles for exhibition which may be prepared by persons resident in this colony.

A Royal Commission will be appointed immediately, who will prepare and publish regulations under which they will receive exhibits for transmission.

As articles for exhibition should be shipped from Wellington not later than June next, persons wishing to exhibit are invited to communicate with Dr. Hector, the Chairman of the Royal Commission, without delay.

All expenses of transmitting and exhibiting approved articles will be defrayed by the Government; but, as experience has proved that in exhibitions of this kind the best effect is produced by a few well-displayed objects of considerable size, and as the space allowed to the colony for exhibition will be limited, a careful selection will have to be made, so that the representation may be complete.

The Collectors of Customs at the various ports have been instructed to receive exhibits, and to forward them to the Chairman of the Exhibition Commission at Wellington, by whom they will be collected and transmitted to Sydney; but no exhibits can be received later than the 30th June, 1879.

After the Exhibition is closed, the exhibits will be either returned to exhibitors free of expense, or sold or otherwise disposed of in Sydney, at the desire of the exhibitors; but the Government undertakes no responsibility for loss or damage, either in transit or during exhibition, or in regard to the price to be realized if sold, nor will they guarantee the safe remittance of the money.

G. S. WHITMORE.

*Resident Magistrate and Warden appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 25th April, 1879.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ALEXANDER LE GRAND CAMPBELL, Esq., R.M., to be Resident Magistrate for the District of Collingwood, with jurisdiction to £50, and to be Warden of all Wardens' Courts within the Golden Bay Gold

Fields District, from the 1st proximo, *vice* F. Guinness, Esq., R.M., transferred.

G. S. WHITMORE,  
(for the Minister of Justice.)

*Resident Magistrate appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 25th April, 1879.

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

FRANK GUINNESS, Esq., R.M.,

to be Resident Magistrate for the Districts of Ashburton and Geraldine, with jurisdiction to £100, from the 1st proximo, *vice* A. Le G. Campbell, Esq., transferred.

G. S. WHITMORE,  
(for the Minister of Justice.)

*Accountants in Bankruptcy appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 28th April, 1879.

**I**T is hereby notified that His Honor Mr. Justice Gillies has appointed

Mr. DENNIS GILMORE MACDONNELL, of Auckland;

that Mr. District Judge Ward has appointed

Mr. WILLIAM RICHARDSON BOYLE, of Ashburton, and

Mr. GEORGE ALLEN, of Ashburton;

and that Mr. District Judge Harvey has appointed

Mr. REGINALD BREE, of Gore,

to be Certificated Accountants in Bankruptcy under "The Debtors and Creditors Act, 1876."

G. S. WHITMORE,  
(for the Minister of Justice.)

*Appointments in Treasury.*

Treasury,  
Wellington, 29th April, 1879.

**I**T is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments to the staff of the Treasury:—

ERNEST CALVERT WILKINSON, Esq.,

HUBERT NEWMAN WIGMORE CHURCH, Esq., and

HENRY DAVID YOUNG, Esq.,

to be Clerks, and

FRANCIS HENRY TUCKEY

to be a Cadet, as from the 1st instant.

J. BALLANCE.

*Resignation of a Clerk in the Treasury.*

Treasury,  
Wellington, 30th April, 1879.

**I**T is hereby notified for public information that

WALTER HEBBERT KAY, Esq.,

has resigned his appointment as a Clerk in the Treasury, as from the 25th instant.

J. BALLANCE.

*Member of Moeraki Harbour Board appointed.*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 24th April, 1879.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance of the provisions of section 23 of "The Harbours Act, 1878," been pleased to appoint

Mr. DAVID MUNRO

to be a Member of the Moeraki Harbour Board.

J. BALLANCE.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

No. 20 of 1879.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 24th April, 1879.

**T**HE following Notices to Mariners, received from the Marine Board at Sydney, and the Portmaster at Brisbane, are published for general information.

J. BALLANCE.

**FIXED WHITE LIGHT ON TACKING POINT.**

ON and after the night of Friday, the 4th of April, a fixed white light will be exhibited from sunset to sunrise on Tacking Point, near Port Macquarie, which will be visible from seaward within a range of ten or twelve miles during ordinary weather.

FRANCIS HIXSON,  
President.

Office of the Marine Board of New South Wales,  
29th March, 1879.

**MIDDLE CHANNEL, ENTRANCE TO MORETON BAY.**

THE small knoll reported as having formed in the Middle Channel having been washed away, there is now not less than 16 feet at low water with the leading lights in line.

Vessels entering must be careful not to go to the northward of the line of lights until approaching the Venus Bank, when the lights must be opened to the northward, a distance equal to half the difference between their heights, and the spit rounded as previously directed.

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

Department of Ports and Harbours,  
Brisbane, 4th April, 1879.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

No. 21 of 1879.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 29th April, 1879.

**T**HE following Notices to Mariners, received from the Commissioner of Trade and Customs, Melbourne, are published for general information.

J. BALLANCE.

**MIDDLE BANK, WESTERN PORT.**

PILOTS, masters of vessels, and others are informed that the middle bank in Western Port, to the north-westward of Phillip Island, and between it and the mainland, has extended to the south-west about half a mile. High land near Barker's Point, open of West Head W. by S.  $\frac{1}{2}$  S. until Tortoise Head bears N.E.  $\frac{3}{4}$  E., will still clear the S.W. edge of the bank.

CHARLES B. PAYNE,  
Chief Harbourmaster.

Department of Ports and Harbours,  
Melbourne, 28th March, 1879.

**PORT PHILLIP.—SOUTH CHANNEL.**

PILOTS, masters of vessels, and others navigating the South Channel are hereby informed that a shoal has been found between Nos. 1 and 3 buoys; it bears S.E. by E.  $\frac{3}{4}$  E. from No. 1 buoy, and nearly due west from No. 3 buoy.

The shoal lays about due north and south, and is a cable in length and a half a cable in breadth, with 21  $\frac{1}{2}$  feet over it at low water.

The shallowest part is a cable and a half south of a line between Nos. 1 and 3 buoys, and two and a quarter cables from the fairway up South Channel—viz., two lights in one, E.  $\frac{3}{4}$  S.

This shoal is supposed to be the same on which the "Great Britain" touched some years ago. All bearings are magnetic.

CHARLES B. PAYNE,  
Chief Harbourmaster.

Department of Ports and Harbours,  
Melbourne, 28th March, 1879.

*Authority to Frank.*

General Post Office,  
Wellington, 28th April, 1879.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to authorize

The CHIEF ACCOUNTANT, RAILWAY DEPARTMENT,  
WELLINGTON, and

The RAILWAY ACCOUNTANT, CHRISTCHURCH,

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

J. T. FISHER,  
Postmaster-General.

*Authority to Frank.*

General Post Office,  
Wellington, 29th April, 1879.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to authorize

The CHIEF CLERK, COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,

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

J. T. FISHER,  
Postmaster-General.

*Authority to Frank.*

General Post Office,  
Wellington, 29th April, 1879.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to authorize

The ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR TELEGRAPHS

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

J. T. FISHER,  
Postmaster-General.

*Tenders.*

Public Works Office,  
Wellington, 29th April, 1879.

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

J. MACANDREW,  
Minister for Public Works.

CLUTHA TO CATLIN'S RIVER RAILWAY—INVERTIEL CONTRACT.

	Accepted.	£	s.	d.
George Mackie, Dunedin	...	5,388	10	10
	Declined.			
George Bain, Balclutha	...	5,828	18	0
W. Morton, Balclutha	...	6,112	10	0
James Muir and Co., Kaitangata	...	9,563	15	8

*Fresh Tenders.*

Public Works Office,  
Wellington, 30th April, 1879.

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

J. MACANDREW,  
Minister for Public Works.

GREYMOUTH CONTRACT, GREYMOUTH-HOKITIKA RAILWAY.

	Accepted.	£	s.	d.
W. Rowe, Wanganui	...	8,440	0	0
	Declined.			
O'Connor and Gray, Ahaura	...	10,351	0	
H. Hanrick, Dunedin	...	11,084	0	
John Maher, Hokitika	...	11,170	18	
Morgan and Lutzen, Greymouth	...	11,829	17	2
E. J. Price, Greymouth	...	11,863	5	0
James Clark, Hokitika	...	12,387	9	0
Kilgour and Perotti, Greymouth	...	14,626	0	0

*Notice to Ploughmen and Landowners.*

IT having been reported to the Surveyor-General that survey pegs in various districts are being daily ploughed up, the Government has decided to prosecute in every case, and on conviction will press for the infliction of the highest penalty (£50) allowed under "The Trigonometrical Stations and Survey Marks Act, 1868."

Surveyors and Police will be instructed to use every endeavour to discover any person disturbing or removing any existing survey mark or peg, either on his own land or on land that he may be at work on.

J. BALLANCE,  
(for Minister of Lands.)

*Wellington Cemetery Accounts.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 26th April, 1879.

THE following abstract of accounts of the Wellington Cemetery is published for general information.

HUGH POLLEN,  
(for the Under Secretary.)

BALANCE-SHEET, 1878.

1878.	Dr.	£	s.	d.
Mar. 7.	To Deposit at Bank of New Zealand	50	0	0
Apr. 4.	Secretary, honorarium, 1877	10	0	0
May 27.	Murdoch and Rose, contract for repairs to Curator's house	16	0	0
July 27.	Coffey, for gravel for walks	2	0	0
Oct. 9.	May's debenture paid off	50	0	0
	Interest thereon	3	15	0
Dec. 25.	Fire insurance	0	13	2
" 31.	Robertson, 115 interments, at 9s.	51	15	0
	Ditto, for labour, 50½ days, at 8s.	20	4	0
	Ditto, paid for ropes, rails, and iron-work for gate	0	6	0
	Balance carried forward	86	7	8
		£291	0	10

Amount owing by Trustees, nil.

1878.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
By Balance brought forward	...	92	4	2
Oct. 8.	Bank of New Zealand, deposit returned	50	0	0
	interest thereon	1	5	0
Dec. 31.	Amounts received for right of interment, as per Secretary's cash-book	75	6	8
	Amount of fees received for 115 interments, at 12s.	69	0	0
	D. Robertson, on account of money owing	3	5	0
		£291	0	10

1879.		£	s.	d.
Jan. 1.	By Balance	86	7	8

J. WOODWARD,  
DAVID LEWIS,  
JOS. G. HOLDSWORTH, } Trustees.

Amount owing to Trustees, Dec. 31, 1878, for right of interment ... £40 15 0

Audited, 21st April, 1879.

CHAS. P. POWLES.

*Application to register a Trade Mark.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 26th April, 1879.

NOTICE is hereby given that Messrs. MILES, HASSAL, and Co., of Christchurch, in the Colony of New Zealand, have applied, on behalf of Mr. LANING COATES, of the City of Philadelphia, United States of America, to register under "The Trade Marks Act, 1866," the trade mark of which the following is a description, viz. :—

*Description of Trade Mark.*

The words "Royal Oil, 140° Fire Test, 49° Gravity, (W. E. Elkins & Co., Philadelphia, Pa., Sole Manufacturers of Royal Oil," printed on a placard pasted on the cases or stencilled on the cases containing the article to which the trade mark is to apply.

*Nature of the Article to which it is intended such Trade Mark shall apply.*

Kerosene oil.

HUGH POLLEN,  
(for the Registrar of Trade Marks.)

*Legislative Council Standing Orders relative to Local Bills.*

Legislative Council,  
1st February, 1879.

IN accordance with a resolution of the Legislative Council, the following Standing Orders relative to Local Bills are published for general information.

L. STOWE,  
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

STANDING ORDERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL  
RELATIVE TO LOCAL BILLS.

1. Local Bills are those which not being such as require to be introduced as Private Bills, are yet Bills specially affecting local interests and dealing with private rights, or with public reserves for local and municipal purposes; also Bills altering the constitution, election, or powers of local public bodies.

2. There shall be a Standing Committee, to consist of five members, to be called the "Local Bills Committee," to which shall stand referred, after their first reading, all Bills which may appear to the Speaker to come within the description given in the preceding Order. Such Committee shall, in the case of every Bill referred to it, decide whether the same comes within the definition of a Local Bill; and, if so, whether the conditions laid down in Orders 3, 4, and 5 have been complied with.

3. No Local Bill shall be introduced into the Legislative Council by any member later than two months after the commencement of the session.

4. The member in charge of a Local Bill shall produce to the Local Bills Committee satisfactory evidence that the intention to introduce the Bill and the purport of the same has been made public in the locality whose interests are affected, by advertisement in a local newspaper, at least four times in four successive weeks. When the Bill specially affects the interests of any private individual, evidence shall also be produced that personal notice to the effect above stated has been given to such individual.

5. When a Local Bill refers to an exchange of or other dealing with any Crown lands, or with a public reserve, the member in charge thereof shall also produce a certified map, on a scale of not less than 20 chains to an inch, showing the land or reserve in question, and the mode in which it is proposed to

deal with the same. When any Schedule containing a description of any land is attached to such Bill, it shall be accompanied by a certificate of its correctness from an officer of the Survey Department or other duly-authorized Surveyor.

*Sale of a further Portion of the Reclaimed Land in the City of Wellington.*

General Crown Lands Office,  
Wellington, 29th April, 1879.

THE Commissioner of Crown Lands for Wellington will sell, by public auction, on Tuesday, the 17th of June, 1879, at the Athenæum Hall, Lambton Quay, Wellington, the under-mentioned allotments of freehold land, in Blocks numbered X., XI., XII., and XIII., on the plan of the reclaimed land, in the City of Wellington.

Lithographed plans, as well as conditions of sale, are now ready for distribution at the various Land Offices throughout the colony.

The plans contain the fullest particulars, giving the number of sections, with their area in poles and tenths; also the frontage in feet and tenths.

Each section will be pegged and numbered before the day of sale.

Block	X.	contains	15	sections.
"	XI.	"	8	"
"	XII.	"	5	"
"	XIII.	"	14	"
Total ... .. 42				

These several blocks of land have frontages to Waterloo Quay on the East; Lambton Quay on the West; Allen Street on the North; and to the Government Buildings on the South.

Terms of payment: 15 per cent. cash deposit; the balance by bills at six, nine, and twelve months, without interest.

Immediate possession will be given after the sale. Title direct from the Crown.

By order.

H. J. H. ELIOTT,  
Under Secretary for Crown Lands.

*Sale of Land under License and Lease.*

Crown Lands Office,  
Napier, 24th April, 1879.

NOTICE is hereby given that the lands described in the Schedule hereunder will be offered by public auction, at the Council Chamber, Napier, on Friday, the 30th day of May next, at 11 o'clock, a.m., for occupation under the respective systems therein mentioned. Terms and conditions to be seen on application at this office.

J. T. TYLEE,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

SCHEDULE.

Section.	Area.	Upset Rental per Annum.
<i>Under License.</i>		
MAHIA.		
Signal Station Reserve	A. R. P. 33 0 0	£ s. d. 5 0 0
<i>Under Lease.</i>		
TOWN SECTIONS, CLYDE.		
386	0 1 13	1 0 0
387	0 1 10	1 0 0
SUBURBAN SECTION, CLYDE.		
28, class 3	3 1 10	3 10 0
TOWN SECTION, HAVELOCK.		
77	4 3 10	10 0 0

*Sale of Town and Rural Lands.*

Crown Lands Office,  
Napier, 24th April, 1879.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned allotments of land will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Council Chamber, Napier, on Friday, the 30th day of May next, at 12 o'clock noon.

One-fourth of the purchase-money to be paid at the sale, and the remainder within one calendar month, or the deposit will be forfeited.

J. T. TYLEE,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

SCHEDULE.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
TOWN SECTIONS, MAHIA.			
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
	57	0 1 27	12 12 6
	82	0 2 0	15 0 0
	83	0 2 0	15 0 0
	84	0 2 0	15 0 0
	85	0 2 0	15 0 0
	86	0 2 0	15 0 0
	87	0 2 0	15 0 0
	88	0 2 0	15 0 0
	89	0 2 0	15 0 0
RURAL SECTIONS, WOODVILLE.			
	187	110 0 0	137 10 0
RURAL SECTIONS, POHUI SURVEY DISTRICT.			
VIII.	2	516 0 0	645 0 0
	3	502 0 0	627 10 0
	4	579 0 0	723 15 0
RURAL SECTIONS, MAUNGAHARURU SURVEY DISTRICT.			
I.	1	4,330 0 0	4,330 0 0
	2	3,446 0 0	3,446 0 0
	3	2,915 0 0	4,372 10 0
	4	535 0 0	668 15 0
Section No. 1, fern hills, soil light; Section No. 2, fern hills, more undulating, with native grasses; Section No. 3, first-class pastoral land; Section No. 4, fern hills.			
RURAL SECTIONS, WAITARA SURVEY DISTRICT.			
IV.	...	3,989 0 0	3,989 0 0
V.	5	5,326 0 0	5,326 0 0
	5A	3,827 0 0	3,827 0 0
	6	5,817 0 0	5,817 0 0
Block IV., open fern, hilly; Section No. 5A, hilly, with manuka scrub; Sections Nos. 5 and 6, open fern, hilly.			
MAKARETU RESERVE.			
	61	78 0 0	78 0 0
	91	200 0 0	200 0 0
	92	200 0 0	200 0 0
	93	42 0 0	42 0 0
	94	50 0 0	50 0 0
	95	40 0 0	40 0 0
	96	50 0 0	50 0 0
	97	50 0 0	50 0 0
VICTORIA SPECIAL SETTLEMENT.			
On deferred payments, and subject to the terms and conditions under which the same was set apart for settlement.			
	9	50 0 0	50 0 0
	37	100 0 0	100 0 0
	39	50 0 0	50 0 0

*Land District of Canterbury.*

IN virtue of the authority contained in "The Land Act, 1877," and under the authority also of an Order in Council dated the 11th day of February last, the under-mentioned sections of town lands will be submitted to auction, at the Land Office, Christchurch, on Tuesday, the 20th day of May next, at 11 o'clock:—

TOWN OF ASHBURTON.

Sixty-six sections, each containing 1 rood; upset price of each section, £12, viz.:—

8	sections numbered	845 to 852.
8	"	855 to 862.
10	"	864 to 873.
10	"	875 to 884.
6	"	905 to 910.
3	"	918 to 920.
8	"	1192 to 1199.
8	"	1202 to 1209.
1	"	1222.
4	"	1224 to 1227.

And 1 section numbered 1221, containing 1 rood 35 perches; upset price, £22 10s.

TOWN OF SOUTH RAKAIA.

Twenty-six sections, each containing 1 rood; upset price of each section, £12 10s., viz.:—

4	sections numbered	461, 463, 465, 467.
5	"	471, 473, 475, 477, 479.
3	"	442, 444, 446.
6	"	450, 452, 454, 456, 458, 460.
2	"	462, 464.
3	"	468, 470, 472.
3	"	476, 478, 480.

TOWNSHIP OF HORNDON.

Twenty-one sections, each containing 1 rood; upset price of each section, £7 10s., viz.:—

Block III.	—5 sections numbered	1 to 5.
" IV.	—4	" " 1 to 4.
" V.	—4	" " 1, 3, 4, 5.
" XIII.	—5	" " 1 to 5.
" XIV.	—3	" " 1 to 3.

TOWNSHIP OF COURTENAY.

Eleven sections, each containing 1 rood; upset price of each section, £7 10, viz.:—

Block VIII.	—6 sections numbered	1 to 6.
"	5	" " 9 to 13.
and one section numbered	7,	containing 1 rood 17 perches; upset price, £10 13s. 9d.

TOWNSHIP OF DROMORE.

Block IV., Sections 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, and 20, each containing 1 rood; upset price of each section, £7 10s.

Plans may be seen at the Survey Office, Christchurch, and will be exhibited at the Railway Stations within the several towns on and after the 1st of May next.

JOHN MARSHMAN,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands Office, Christchurch,  
16th April, 1879.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICE.

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

GERIT ALEXANDER CHALMERS.—1 rood, Section 14, Block LXVII., Town of Invercargill. Occupied by Richard Beaumont. No. 1213.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 22nd day of April, 1879, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

W. STUART,  
Deputy District Land Registrar.



NOTICE TO MARINERS.

No. 19 of 1879.

Marine Department, Wellington, 24th April, 1879.

THE following Notices to Mariners, received from the Colonial Secretary, Cape Town, Cape of Good Hope, is published for general information.

J. BALLANCE.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Cape of Good Hope, 20th February, 1879.

THE subjoined Notice received from the Secretary to Commodore Sullivan, H.M.S. "Active," is hereby published for the information of mariners.

J. GORDON SPRIGG, Colonial Secretary.

HYDROGRAPHICAL NOTE.—CAPE OF GOOD HOPE AND WEST COAST OF AFRICA STATION.  
H.M.S. "Active," 3rd January, 1879.—No. 2.

Place and Subject of Correction.	Position. (Giving latitude and longitude, with angles or bearings and distances.)	Correction is required to				REMARKS. (To embrace all details regarding the correction, the authority, whether by personal examination, from reliable information, &c.)
		Admiralty Charts, Nos.	Sailing Directions (title and page).	Light List (title and page).	Tide Tables (page).	
Africa: South Coast—West of Durnford Point.	Lat. 28° 59' S., long. 31° 53' 5" E.	2089, Africa, South Coast, Sheet VIII.	African Pilot for South and East Coasts, p. 88.	...	...	A dangerous reef of corraline rock, extending apparently three miles from shore, has been discovered to the westward of Durnford Point. Its south-western edge, which is steep to, lies W. $\frac{3}{4}$ S., six and a quarter miles from the point. The least water obtained in this part at low-water neaps was 12 feet, but the bottom appears very uneven over the reef. As there are no marks on the adjacent shore by which the position may be fixed, and as it does not show except in heavy weather by breakers, vessels should not approach the coast in the vicinity nearer than four miles, nor bring Point Durnford to bear to the eastward of E.N.E., nor stand into less than ten fathoms. An occasional current has been found setting to the eastward three or four miles from the shore.

Approved—F. W. Sullivan, Commodore.

C. R. ROBERTSON, Navigating Officer.

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 the date of publication of this notice.

Part of Block XXXIX., Town of Dunedin.—THE MAYOR OF DUNEDIN, Applicant. No. 2754.

Part of Sections 1, 2, 4, and 9, Block XI., Oamaru District.—DAVID LEES (by his Attorney, JAMES LEES), Applicant. No. 2755.

Section 4, Block II., Town of Cromwell.—OWEN PIERCE, Applicant. No. 2756

Section 20, Block XI., Town of Dunedin.—WILLIAM THOMAS WINCHESTER, Applicant. No. 2757.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office. Dated this 19th day of April, 1879, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

A. W. SMITH,  
District Land Registrar.

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LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought

under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one month after the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

3439. JOSEPH WHITE.—1 acre 10 perches, part of Rural Section 1721, Timaru District. Occupied by Robert Tacon.

3648. JOHN GREEN GARFORTH.—2 roods, part of Rural Section 40, Lyttelton District. Unoccupied.

3827. BENDIX HALLENSTEIN.—5 acres, part of Rural Section 148, Christchurch District. Occupied by George Kelly.

3916. JAMES LONG FLEMING.—1 acre 1 rood, part of Lot 93, Christchurch Town Reserves. Unoccupied.

3926. ARTHUR ALBERT FANTHAM.—141 acres, part of Rural Section 147, Christchurch District. Occupied by William Alfred Crooke, William Henry Whiting, and William Hardie Keith.

3928. JOHN KING.—1 acre, part of Rural Section 1652, Timaru District. Unoccupied.

3938. RICHARD GREEN and STRONGWORK MORRISON.—35 perches, part of Rural Section 730, Timaru District. Occupied by Applicants.

3940. JOHN NELSON.—146 acres 3 roods, part of Rural Sections 3711, 3733, 3742, and 4247, Upper Christchurch District. Occupied by Applicant.

3941. GEGRGE WESTON.—20 acres, Rural Section 1258, Mandeville District. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 24th day of April, 1879, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

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

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that FRANCIS BOYD, JAMES INGLIS BOYD, JOHN BROOK, and CHARLES ROUT, claiming as Executors under the Will of WILLIAM BOYD, late of Erroldale, Waimatuku, in the County of Wallace, deceased, have made application to the District Land Registrar for the District of Southland to be registered Proprietors of an estate in fee-simple in Section 12, Block XII, New River Hundred; and that the said Francis Boyd, James Inglis Boyd, John Brook, and Charles Rout will be registered as such proprietors, unless caveat be lodged at this office forbidding the same within one calendar month from the date of the gazetting this notice.

Dated this 22nd day of April, 1879.

252 W. STUART,  
Deputy District Land Registrar.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICE.

APPLICATION having been made on behalf of CHARLES MOODY, as registered Proprietor, to register a certain dealing affecting Lease No. 142, of Lots 78, 79, and 80, Township of Kilbirnie North, and evidence having been tendered of loss of said lease, and that same is not deposited as security for any loan: Notice is hereby given that such dealing will be registered, and the production of the said lease dispensed with, under section 97 of the said Act, unless caveat be lodged on or before the 16th day of May next.

Dated this 30th day of April, 1879, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

255 GEO. B. DAVY,  
District Land Registrar.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 9th day of June, 1879.

1000. JOSHUA LITTLE.—1 acre, Town Section 846, City of Wellington. Unoccupied.

1001. GEORGE McLEAN.—20 $\frac{3}{10}$  perches, part of Section 73, Town of Wanganui, fronting 42 feet on Taupo Quay with a depth of 132 feet, bounded towards South-west by Section 72. Occupied by Stuart Manson.

1002. GEORGE McLEAN.—19 $\frac{7}{10}$  perches, part of Section 73, Town of Wanganui, fronting 40 feet 6 inches on Taupo Quay, with a depth of 132 feet, bounded North-east by Section 74. Occupied by Charles Bell.

1006. WILLIAM ANGUS McKAY.—57 acres, part of Section 166, left bank of Wanganui River, fronting on South 718 links on public road, and bounded towards West 5420 links by Section 167, and the East 1800 links by a small stream, and 3200 links by other part of Section 166. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 30th day of April, 1879, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

256 GEO. B. DAVY,  
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CONSTRUCT A WATER-RACE.

To the Mining Registrar at Naseby, in the Mount Ida Mining District, and all other persons whom it may concern.

TAKE notice that it is intended to construct a Water-race and divert water for purposes of irrigation, commencing at a point in the Sowburn, in the neighbourhood of the Township of Sowburn, and terminating at a point on Section 8, Block XIII, Maniototo District.

The length of such race is seven miles or thereabouts, and its intended course is south to north. The mean depth of such race is 6 inches, and the mean breadth 36 inches, and it is proposed to divert four Government-heads of water; and we estimate that four months will be required for its construction.

Dated this 10th day of April, 1879.

PETER LAW.  
SAMUEL LAW.

All objections to the above application must be lodged in writing at the Mining Registrar's Office at Naseby within thirty days from the date hereof.

Hearing at my office, at Naseby, on the 23rd day of May, 1879, at 11 a.m.

254 THOMAS L. SHEPHERD,  
Mining Registrar.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CONSTRUCT WATER-RACE.

To the Mining Registrar at Clyde of the Clyde Mining District, and all other persons whom it may concern.

TAKE notice that it is intended to construct a Water-race and direct water for mining purposes, commencing at a point at Shingle Creek, including both branches of the forks, and terminating on the east bank of the Molyneux River, about half a mile below Mr. Mervyn's residence.

The length of such race is ten miles or thereabouts, and its intended course is south-east, passing through Allen's Hill paddock.

The mean depth of such race is 2 feet, and the mean breadth is 5 feet, and it is proposed to divert twenty-five Government-heads of water.

Time estimated for construction, twelve months.

JAMES RANDLE GASCOIGNE. 8/4/78. 35.

EZEKIEL JOHNS. 29/3/79. 3473.

JOHN UREN. 23/1/79. 3141.

JOHN SNELL. 1/4/79. 1357.

Dated this seventh day of April, 1879. 223

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CONSTRUCT WATER-RACE.

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

TAKE notice that it is intended to construct a Water-race for other than gold-mining purposes, to wit, for wool-washing and irrigation purposes, commencing at a point in Bush Creek, Arrow River, seventy yards below Thomas Mulville's Mining Claim, and terminating at Agricultural Area held under License No. 1383, 1st January, 1879, Shotover Survey District, under the provisions of subsection 1 of section 31 of "The Mines Act, 1877."

The length of such race is 150 yards or thereabouts; course, east and west; mean depth, 12 inches; breadth, 18 inches. One week required to

construct said race, and it is proposed to divert one Government-head of water.

Dated at Arrowtown, this 17th day of April, 1879.

WILLIAM JOHN HARRISON,  
Runholder, Arrow.

Received at the office of the Mining Registrar at Arrowtown, this 18th day of April, 1879, at forty-five minutes past 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

JAMES FLEMING,  
Mining Registrar.

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CONSTRUCT WATER-RACE.

To the Mining Registrar at Waikaia of the Switzer's Mining District, and all other persons whom it may concern.

TAKE notice that it is intended to construct a Water-race to divert water for machine purposes—that is to say, driving machinery appertaining to a flour-mill, commencing at a point 350 yards above Wingrove's Gully on the south side of Winding Creek or Argyle Burn, and terminating at Waikaia Township.

The length of such race is three miles or thereabouts, and its intended course is east and west; the mean depth of such race is 2 feet, and the mean breadth is 4 feet; and it is proposed to divert eight Government-heads of water.

Also that I intend to construct a Wing-dam across the Winding Creek or Argyle Burn at the head or commencement of the above water-race; length of dam, 10 yards; greatest height, 3 feet.

JOSEPH GEORGE BROWN,  
Applicant.

Switzer's, Otago, 18th April, 1879.

Any person objecting to the granting of this application must lodge his objection in writing at the Registrar's Office at Waikaia, within fourteen clear days from the date hereof. Hearing at 11 o'clock on the 20th May, 1879.

JOHN F. GARVEY,  
Mining Registrar.

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MASTERTON HIGHWAY DISTRICT.—COUNTY OF WAIRARAPA WEST.

Highway Board Office,  
Masterton, 21st April, 1879.

NOTICE is hereby given of the intention of the Masterton Highway Board, in pursuance of Part II. of "The Public Works Act, 1876," to memorialize His Excellency the Governor to take for public roads the lands described in the Schedule hereto, and shown upon the plan deposited in the office of the Highway Board at Masterton.

And the owners and occupiers of the said lands are hereby called upon to set forth in writing any well-grounded objection they may have to the taking of the said lands, and to send such writing to the Chairman of the Masterton Highway Board within forty days from the first publication hereof.

JOS. BENNETT,  
Chairman.

SCHEDULE.

DESCRIPTION of road line connecting the Upper and Lower Taueru Roads, passing through lands the property of J. Drummond, Tamati, A. Livingstone, A. McNaughton, D. McKenzie, G. McKay, J. McKenzie, and A. Cockburn: One chain wide, and commencing at a peg in the centre of the Lower Taueru Road, thence by lines along the centre of

road, having the following bearings and linkages: 49° 14', 95½ links; 352° 50', 341 links; 33° 15', 248½ links; 28° 21', 271¾ links; 23° 17', 408 links; 29° 4', 510½ links; 345° 39', 180 links; 296° 9', 133¾ links; 6° 21', 148 links; 31°, 340½ links; 337° 6', 663½ links; 301° 54', 158 links; 346° 36', 169½ links; 314° 54', 183½ links; 12° 47', 380 links; 13° 2', 192 links; 303° 48', 404½ links; 346° 29', 434½ links; 59° 40', 378¾ links; 347° 22', 414¼ links; 357° 59', 1148½ links; 1° 4', 115½ links; 11° 4', 721¼ links; 340° 57', 266½ links; 352° 1', 257 links; 346° 48', 181 links; 351° 31', 225½ links; 2° 29', 138¼ links; 16° 52', 370½ links; 9° 22', 278¾ links; 4° 18', 720½ links; 351° 43', 176½ links; 344° 42', 509¼ links; 329° 48', 229½ links; 7° 10', 190½ links; 338° 29', 274¾ links; 320° 43', 379 links; 256° 12', 177¾ links; 245° 52', 129¾ links; 259° 18', 74 links; 287° 58', 178½ links; 258° 2', 131½ links; 305° 49', 125 links; 318° 1', 792 links; 297° 53', 212½ links; 298° 18', 432 links; 316° 35', 430 links; 305° 18', 602½ links; 252° 54', 158 links; 289° 31', 127½ links; 319° 15', 145½ links; 334° 40', 242 links; 274° 26', 113¼ links; 218° 47', 257 links; 235° 51', 156¼ links; 280° 27', 207½ links; 304° 35', 680 links; 304° 32', 662 links; 347° 7', 339 links; 20° 23', 201½ links; 16° 4', 162 links; 316° 43', 317 links; 20° 12', 252 links; 335° 45', 224 links; 334° 4', 414½ links; 347° 2', 537¾ links; 347° 10', 802 links; 347° 8', 600 links; 309° 53', 371¼ links; 357° 54', 102½ links; 355° 12', 393 links; and 333° 51', 431 links, to a peg in the centre of the Upper Taueru Road. Also a branch line, 1 chain wide, commencing at peg 20 on the before-described road line, and passing through land the property of D. McKenzie and Tamati, on lines having the following bearings and linkages: 286° 35', 52½ links, and 292° 29', 1624 links, to the road dividing the properties of D. McKenzie and Joseph Bennett: as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan deposited in the office of the Masterton Highway Board.

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C. E. BREMNER.

IN THE MATTER OF "THE JOINT-STOCK COMPANIES ACT, 1860," AND IN THE MATTER OF THE AGE CO-OPERATIVE NEWSPAPER COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that, at a duly-convened general meeting of the shareholders of the above-named Company, held at their registered office, Princes Street, Dunedin, New Zealand, on the twenty-fifth day of March, 1879, it was unanimously resolved that the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that James Gore, of Dunedin aforesaid, Contractor, and Richard Hudson, of same place, Biscuit Manufacturer, be appointed Liquidators for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the said Company; which said resolution was in like manner duly confirmed at another general meeting of the said shareholders, held at the same place, on the first day of April, 1879.

Dated at Dunedin aforesaid, this eighteenth day of April, 1879.

R. HUDSON, } Liquidators.  
JAMES GORE, }

Witness—James Cahill, Clerk to Mr. W. H. McKeay, Solicitor, Dunedin, New Zealand. 253

I HEREBY give notice that, under a writ of *fi fieri facias*, duly issued out of the Supreme Court at the suit of ROBERT GARNHAM, of the City of Wellington, Painter, I have taken in execution the equity of redemption of CHARLES MOODY in all that piece or parcel of land being part of Section No. 752 on the plan of the City of Wellington, and being Lots 13 and 14 on the subdivisional plan thereof. Bounded towards the East by Adelaide Road, 60 feet; towards the North by Lot 15, 70 feet; towards the West by other part

of the same section, 60 feet; and towards the South by Lot No. 12, 70 feet: together with all buildings and erections thereon. And also all the leasehold interest of the said Charles Moody of and in all that piece or parcel of land situated in the said City of Wellington, and being part of Section No. 756 on the plan thereof. Bounded towards the North by Drummond Street, 400 links; towards the South by other part of the same section, 400 links; towards the East by the Town Belt, 225½ links; and towards the West by the Adelaide Road, 225½ links: together with all buildings and erections thereon; and that I intend to cause the same to be sold by public auction, at the rooms of Messrs. Laery and Campbell, in the City of Wellington, on the 7th day of July, 1879, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon.

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

Dated this thirty-first day of March, 1879.

ALEX. S. ALLAN,  
194 Sheriff of the Sheriff District of Wellington.

I HEREBY give notice that, under a writ of *fiery facias*, duly issued out of the Supreme Court at the suit of RICHARD JOHN DUNCAN, of the City of Wellington, Auctioneer, I have taken in execution the fee-simple of MORTON QUIN in all that piece or parcel of land being portion of Suburban Sections numbered 67 and 68 on the plan of the Township of Fitzherbert, and being Allotments Nos. 1 and 2 on the plan deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar of Wellington, No. 12; and that I intend to cause the same to be sold by public auction, at the rooms of Messrs. Laery and Campbell, in the City of Wellington, on the 7th day of July, 1879, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

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

Dated this 6th day of March, 1879.

EDWARD HARDCASTLE,  
184 Sheriff of the District of Wanganui and Rangitikei.

I HEREBY give notice that, under a writ of *fiery facias*, duly issued out of the Supreme Court at the suit of JAMES and HENRY BARBER, of the City of Wellington, I have taken in execution the equity of redemption of JOSIAS JAMES BEATTY, of the City of Wellington, Hotelkeeper, in all that piece or parcel of land situate in the said City of Wellington, and being Lot numbered 1 of Section numbered three hundred and seventy-three (373) on the plan of the said City of Wellington. Bounded towards the South-east by Macfarlane Street, sixty-four links; towards the North-east by other part of the same section, one hundred and twenty-nine links; towards the North-west by Clyde Quay, seventy links; and towards the South-west by other part of said section, one hundred and sixty-six links; together with the buildings and erections thereon: And that I intend to cause the same to be sold at the auction-rooms of Messrs. Laery and Campbell, in the City of Wellington, on the twenty-seventh day of June, 1879, at two o'clock in the afternoon, unless the same be previously released.

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

Dated this 24th day of March, 1879.

ALEX. S. ALLAN,  
178 Sheriff.

## WAITAKI COUNTY COUNCIL.

I HEREBY proclaim the road leading from Herbert Railway Station to Main South Road, between Sections 29 and 30, Block V., Otepopo District, to be a County Road.

The road from Herbert Railway Station *via* Monk and Burgh Streets, in Herbert Township, is hereby repealed as a County Road.

ROBERT CAMPBELL,  
Chairman, Waitaki County Council.

Oamaru, 24th April, 1869.

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## DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership existing between the undersigned JOHN MCGREGOR, CHARLES RITCHIE HOWDEN, JAMES LEES, and CHARLES GIFFORD MOORE, as Sheepfarmers on the Waihaorunga Estate, near Waimate, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, under the style of "McGregor, Howden, Lees, and Moore," was, by mutual consent, dissolved, so far as regards the said Charles Ritchie Howden, on the first day of August last past.

As witness our hands the thirty-first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

JOHN MCGREGOR.  
C. R. HOWDEN.  
JAMES LEES.  
C. GIFFORD MOORE.

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