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*Revocation of Exemption of certain Land from Occupation for Mining, &c., Purposes, within the Hauraki Gold-Mining District.*

(L.S.) HERCULES ROBINSON, Governor.  
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by a Proclamation dated the fourth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, under the hand and seal of Sir George Grey, issued by virtue of the powers delegated to him by the Governor in Council under "The Gold-Mining Districts Act, 1873," the piece of land situated within the Hauraki Gold-Mining District, particularly described in the Schedule hereto, was exempted from occupation for mining purposes, or for machine sites, or for business, or for residence: And whereas it is expedient and desirable that the said exemption should be revoked:

Now, therefore, I, Hercules George Robert Robinson, Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by virtue of the powers and authorities vested in me by the fifth section of "The Gold-Mining Districts Act, 1871," and the ninth section of "The Gold-Mining Districts Act, 1873," do hereby revoke the exemption contained in the Proclamation above mentioned, and referring to the land described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece of ground within the Hauraki Gold-Mining District, containing by admeasurement 2 acres and 1 rood, commencing at a point bearing 179° 2', 67·5 links from the south-east corner of the Shamrock Battery, Waiotahi Creek; thence to the south-west peg of the Ballarat and Rising Sun Gold-Mining License, 110° 36', 130·7 links; thence along the southern boundary of the Ballarat and Rising Sun Gold-Mining License, 76° 38', 560 links; thence 158° 25', 394 links; thence 256° 38', 303 links; thence 111° 50', 689 links; thence to starting point, 51° 13', 156·6 links: all bearings being magnetic.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir Hercules George Robert Robinson, 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 fourth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine.

G. GREY.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Declaring Lands open for Free Selection, Hawke's Bay.*

(L.S.) HERCULES ROBINSON, Governor.  
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by the fourth section of "The Crown Lands Sales Act, 1877," it is enacted that, from and after the coming into operation of that Act, and until further provision is made for the classification of Crown lands by the General Assembly, all Crown lands shall be sold in accordance with the law in force in the land district where such lands are situated, but not in any case at a less price than two pounds per acre, if by free selection; and in the event of any land having to be sold at auction after application to purchase, then the upset price at which such land shall be put up to auction shall be at such price per acre as the Waste Land Board may determine, not being less than the price at which the land was open for application: Provided that, after lands have been put up to auction at a price of not less than one pound per acre, the said land may, by Proclamation by the Governor, be open to free selection at a price of not less than one pound per acre:

And whereas the lands specified in the Schedule hereto have been put up to auction at a price of not less than one pound per acre, and were not sold, and it is expedient that the same lands should be opened to free selection:

Now, therefore, I, Sir Hercules George Robert Robinson, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the hereinbefore recited Act, do hereby proclaim and declare that the lands in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay specified in the Schedule hereto are opened to free selection at a price of not less than one pound per acre.

## SCHEDULE.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Price.
RURAL SECTIONS, POHUI SURVEY DISTRICT.			
VIII.	2	A. R. P. 516 0 0	£ s. d. 645 0 0
"	3	496 2 0	620 12 6
"	4	579 0 0	723 15 0
RURAL SECTIONS, MAUNGAHARUBU 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
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
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
96	...	50 0 0	50 0 0
97	...	50 0 0	50 0 0
RURAL SECTION, WOODVILLE.			
187		110 0 0	137 10 0

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir Hercules George Robert Robinson, 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 eleventh day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine.

W. GISBORNE,  
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

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

(L.S.) HERCULES ROBINSON, Governor.

## A PROCLAMATION.

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

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

Now, therefore, I, Sir Hercules George Robert

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

## SCHEDULE.

## MURIMOTU No. 1.

ALL that parcel of land at Murimotu, in the District of Mangonui, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Murimotu No. 1, containing by admeasurement 1,706 acres or thereabouts. Bounded towards the South by the Murimotu No. 2 Block 18948 links, and on all other sides by the sea, the peninsula or island at the North Cape being included.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir Hercules George Robert Robinson, 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 eleventh day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine.

JOHN SHEEHAN.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Setting apart Land in Otago for Agricultural Leases and Sale on Deferred Payments.*

(L.S.) HERCULES ROBINSON, Governor.

## A PROCLAMATION.

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

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

Now, therefore, I, Hercules George Robert Robinson, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby select and set apart, for the purpose of granting agricultural leases thereon and therefor, the lands described in the First Schedule hereto; and to fix the eighteenth day of August next ensuing, at the Warden's office at Clyde, as the day and place on which the said land shall be open for application in allotments, as surveyed and marked on the survey map in the office of the Chief Surveyor, Dunedin.

And I do hereby further select and set apart, for

the purpose of alienation by occupation licenses on deferred payments, the lands described in the Second Schedule hereto; and do fix the eighteenth day of August aforesaid as the day on which the said allotments shall be open for application in allotments, as surveyed and marked on the survey map in the office of the Chief Surveyor, Dunedin.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

Section.	Block.	District.	Area.
			A. R. P.
4	X.	Poolburn ...	320 0 0
5	"	" ...	316 0 0
1	XI.	" ...	319 3 37
5	"	" ...	320 0 0

—be all the aforesaid areas more or less.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

Section.	Block.	District.	Area.
			A. R. P.
1	X.	Poolburn ...	310 2 2
2	"	" ...	203 1 22
3	"	" ...	287 1 12
6	"	" ...	268 0 12
7	"	" ...	318 3 21
8	"	" ...	319 0 19
9	"	" ...	308 0 37
2	XI.	" ...	319 2 28
3	"	" ...	320 0 0
4	"	" ...	312 0 15
6	"	" ...	320 0 0
7	"	" ...	320 0 0
8	"	" ...	311 1 27

—be all the aforesaid areas more or less.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir Hercules George Robert Robinson, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this fourteenth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine.

Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Dog Registrar appointed.*

(L.S.) HERCULES ROBINSON, 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, 1882," and "The Abolition of Provinces Act, 1875," I, Hercules George Robert Robinson, 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.
Maurice Fitzpatrick	County of Selwyn	South Malvern Road Board Office, Coal-gate.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir Hercules George Robert Robinson, 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 eleventh day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine.

G. S. WHITMORE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Division of Borough of Maori Hill into Wards, under "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1876,"*

(L.S.) HERCULES ROBINSON, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1876," section twenty-one, it is enacted that, if not less than one-fourth of the burgesses of a borough petition the Governor, praying him to divide such borough into wards, the Governor may, by Proclamation, divide such borough into not less than three nor more than six wards, and shall in such Proclamation assign such names and boundaries to each ward as he thinks fit: And whereas not less than one-fourth of the burgesses of the Borough of Maori Hill have petitioned me to divide such borough into wards:

Now, therefore, I, Hercules George Robert Robinson, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the hereinbefore recited authority, do hereby proclaim and declare that the Borough of Maori Hill shall be and the same is hereby divided into four wards, having the names mentioned in the first column of the Schedule hereto; and that the boundaries of such wards shall be those set forth in the second column of the said Schedule opposite the name of each ward respectively.

SCHEDULE.

Name of Ward.	Boundaries of Ward.
North Ward ...	Comprises all that area in the Borough of Maori Hill which is bounded towards the North by a right line due east from Swampy Hill to the north-eastern corner of Section 44, Block VIII., North Harbour and Blueskin District; thence towards the East and South-east by a line due south to Section numbered 55; thence by Sections numbered 55 and 58, a road line, Sections numbered respectively 35, 8, and 7, a road line, Sections numbered respectively 5, 6, 14, 17, and 10, a road line, Sections numbered respectively 9, 50, 15, 13, and 12, and a road line, Section 68, Block XI., North Harbour and Blueskin District, a road line, Sections 70 and 72, the Water of Leith, a road line, and Section 74; thence towards the South-west by a road line, Sections 47 and 45, Block V., Dunedin and East Taieri District; thence towards the West by

## SCHEDULE—continued.

Name of Ward.	Boundaries of Ward.
East Ward	Sections numbered respectively 53, 54, and 55; thence towards the North-west by Sections numbered respectively 9, 10, 11, and 3, Block V., Dunedin and East Taieri District. Comprises all that area in the Borough of Maori Hill which is bounded towards the North-west by a road line; thence towards the North-east by Sections numbered respectively 66 and 65, Block XI., North Harbour and Blueskin District; thence towards the South-east by Section numbered 8; and again towards the North-east by said Section numbered 8; and again towards the South-east by Section 6, and that line continued through Sections 4 and 1, and a road line; thence again towards the North-east by a road line; thence again towards the South-east by the Dunedin Town Belt; thence towards the South-west by a road line; thence towards the North-west by part of Block XI., Dunedin and East Taieri Survey District; and again towards the South West by a road line.
South Ward	Comprises all that area in the Borough of Maori Hill which is bounded towards the North-west by Sections 14 and 1, Block II., Upper Kaikorai District; towards the North-east by part of Block XI., Dunedin and East Taieri District, and East Ward; thence towards the South-east by the Dunedin Town Belt; thence towards the South-west by Section numbered 7, Block I., Upper Kaikorai District; thence again towards the North-west by a road line; and thence again towards the South-west by a road line.
West Ward	Comprises all that area in the Borough of Maori Hill which is bounded towards the North-east and South-east by North Ward, East Ward, and South Ward; thence towards the South-west by a road line; thence again towards the South-east by Section numbered 19, Block III., Upper Kaikorai District; thence again towards the South-west by two road lines, and Sections numbered respectively 104, 10, and 57, Waikari District; thence again towards the North-west by Bush Reserve, a road line, and Sections numbered respectively 4 of 40, 3 of 40, and 2 of 40; thence again towards the South-west by Sections numbered respectively 2 of 40, 2 of 38, and 61; and thence again towards the North-west by Sections numbered respectively 4 of 49, 3 of 49, 50, 51, 1 of 52, and 53, Block V., Dunedin and East Taieri District.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir Hercules George Robert Robinson, 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 eleventh day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine.

G. S. WHITMORE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Defining the Middle Line of Portion of the Railway from Napier to a Junction with the Railway from New Plymouth to Waitara at Sentry Hill (length about 43.50 chains.) (Napier Workshops).*

(L.S.) HERCULES ROBINSON, Governor.

## A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by the one hundred and twenty-second section of "The Public Works Act, 1876," it is enacted that every railway shall be made only under the authority of a special Act, which shall state as nearly as may be the line of the railway and the two termini thereof; and, by the one hundred and twenty-third section of the same Act, that the several railways specified in the Fourth Schedule to the said Act shall be deemed to have been made, and in so far as any of them are unfinished may be completed, under the provisions of the Act now under recital, and the said Act shall be deemed to be a special Act authorizing the construction of each of the said railways; and, by the one hundred and twenty-fourth section of the same Act, that when any railway is to be constructed under the provisions of any special Act the Governor shall issue a Proclamation defining the middle line of the railway or any part thereof, and may from time to time, by a Proclamation revoking or amending such former Proclamation, alter such line in any manner or to any extent which may be found necessary for the construction of such railway within the provisions of the said special Act; and, by the one hundred and twenty-fifth section of the same Act, that the Minister shall cause to be made and deposited in the office of the Registrar of the Supreme Court such maps and plans as may be necessary to explain the said line and the land through which the same passes, and such maps and plans shall be referred to in any such Proclamation: And whereas the railway from Napier to a junction with the railway from New Plymouth to Waitara at Sentry Hill, passing by Pakipaki, Waipawa, Waipukurau, Takapau, &c., is one of the railways specified in the said Fourth Schedule, and the same is unfinished, and it has been determined to construct and maintain a further portion of such railway—namely, from a point situate on the south-western boundary line of Section No. 349, in the Town of Napier, to a point on the southern boundary line of Section No. 319 in the said Town of Napier, all within the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay:

Now, therefore, I, Hercules George Robert Robinson, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and in pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred on me by "The Public Works Act, 1876," and in exercise of every other power and authority enabling me in that behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the middle line of the said further portion of the said railway shall be that defined and set forth in the Schedule hereto. The said middle line and the land through which the same passes are set forth in the map and plan marked P.W.D. 7110, and authenticated for the purposes of this Proclamation by the signature of the Honorable James Macandrew, Minister for Public Works, and which said map and plan is deposited in the office of the Registrar of the Supreme Court at Napier, in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay.

## SCHEDULE.

COMMENCING at a point situate on the south-western boundary line of Section No. 349, Town of Napier, the said point being within the limits of deviation of portion of the railway from Napier to Waipukurau, as described in the Proclamation dated the 17th March, 1873, and published in the *New Zealand*

*Gazette* No. 17, of 20th March, 1873; proceeding thence in a generally north-easterly, easterly, and south-easterly direction for a distance of 43·50 chains or thereabouts, and passing in, into, through or over the following lands: Town of Napier, Sections Nos. 349, 348, 346, 344, 342, 340, 338, 336, 334, 332, 329, 328, 326, 324, 322, and terminating at a point on the southern boundary line of Section 319, all within the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, in the Colony of New Zealand, and including all adjoining and intervening places, lands, roads, reserves, streams, rivers, and watercourses, in the manner delineated on the map and plan marked P.W.D. 7110, signed by the Honorable James Macandrew, Minister for Public Works, deposited in the office of the Registrar of the Supreme Court at Napier, in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay; the total length being 43·50 chains or thereabouts.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir Hercules George Robert Robinson, 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 twelfth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine.

J. MACANDEW.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Land taken for Portion of the Riverton to Otautau Branch of the Railway from Invercargill to Kingston, with Branches.*

(L.S.) HERCULES ROBINSON, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by the sixth section of "The Public Works Act 1876 Amendment Act, 1878," it is, amongst other things, enacted that, at any time and from time to time after the deposit of maps and plans, pursuant to section one hundred and twenty-five of "The Public Works Act, 1876," the Governor may, by Proclamation, take any land required for the railway, and that such Proclamation, when gazetted, shall be conclusive evidence that the land therein referred to is vested in Her Majesty in fee-simple, freed and discharged from all mortgages, charges, claims, estates, and interests of what kind soever, for the use of the railway: And whereas by a Proclamation issued under the authority of sections one hundred and twenty-two, one hundred and twenty-three, and one hundred and twenty-four of "The Public Works Act, 1876," the middle line of portion of the Riverton to Otautau branch of the railway from Invercargill to Kingston, with branches, being one of the railways specified in the Schedule to the said "Public Works Act, 1876," was defined: And whereas pursuant to the one hundred and twenty-fifth section of "The Public Works Act, 1876," the Minister for Public Works has caused to be made and, on the second day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, to be deposited in the office of the Registrar of the Supreme Court at Invercargill, such maps and plans as were necessary to explain the said portion of the said line of railway and the land through which the same passes, and such maps and plans were referred to in such Proclamation as aforesaid: And whereas the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken for the said portion of the said branch line of railway:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by the sixth section of "The Public Works Act 1876 Amendment Act, 1878," and of every power and authority in that behalf, doth hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is taken for the said portion of the said branch line of railway.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land containing by admeasurement two roods sixteen poles, more or less, situate in Section numbered five, Block II., on the map of the Aparima Hundred, in the Provincial District of Otago and Colony of New Zealand: Commencing at the north-western corner of said Section 5, and bounded thence towards the South-west by a road, 473 links; thence towards the South-east by other part of said Section 5, 127 links; thence towards the North-east by other part of said section, 413 links; and thence to the point of commencement on the North by Nantwich Street, 131 links. Also all that parcel of land containing by admeasurement seven acres two roods one pole, more or less, situate in the Township of Otautau, in the said provincial district: Commencing at the north-western corner of Section 5, Block II., Aparima Hundred aforesaid, and bounded thence towards the South-west by Nantwich Street and a road, 191 links; thence again towards the South-west by part of Section 28, Block IV., 193 links; thence again towards the South-west by Durham Street, 110 links; thence again towards the South-west by parts of Sections numbered respectively 10, 9, 8, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, and 19, in Block IV., 912 links; thence again towards the South-west by King Street, 346 links; thence on the South by Knutsford Street, 112 links; thence again towards the South-west by Sections 25 and 26, Block V., 689 links; thence again in a south-westerly direction by Devon Street, 108 links; thence on the South by Section 3, Block VIII., 146 links; thence again towards the South-west by parts of Sections 1 and 2, Block VIII., 448 links; thence on the North by Clitheroe Street, 112 links; thence again towards the South-west by Clitheroe Street and parts of Sections 3, 4, 2, and 1; Block VII., 1157 links; thence towards the West by Hulme Street and part of Section 14, Block VII., 563 links, thence towards the North by a road, 50 links and 191 links; thence on the East and North-east by King Street, 491 links, 105 links, and 2488 links; thence again towards the North-east by King and Rochdale Streets, 202 links; thence again towards the North-east by Sections 20, 19, 18, 17, 16, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10, Block IV., 1100 links; thence again towards the North-east by Durham Street and a road, 100 links; thence again towards the North-east by a road, a proposed street now part of E Reserve, and Nantwich Street, 455 links; thence to the point of commencement on the South by the parcel of land first herein described, 131 links: be all the aforesaid measurements more or less. The above particulars being delineated upon the plan marked P.W.D. 7082 hereto attached, and deposited in office of the Minister for Public Works at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir Hercules George Robert Robinson, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington,

this fourteenth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine.

J. MACANDREW.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Abolishing Prisons at Lyell, Kumara, and Hokitika.*

(L.S.) HERCULES ROBINSON, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by the eighth section of "The Prisons Act, 1873," it is enacted that, as to any public prison which the Governor shall be of opinion has become unfit for the purpose, or unnecessary, or for any other reason ought to cease to be a public prison, the Governor may, by Proclamation published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, declare that such public prison shall no longer be a public prison, and upon the publication of such Proclamation in the *New Zealand Gazette*, or from and after any later date fixed in such Proclamation for the purpose, such public prison shall cease to be a public prison:

Now, therefore, I, Hercules George Robert Robinson, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that, on and after the thirty-first day of July instant, the public prisons at Lyell and Kumara, and the Lower Prison at Hokitika, shall cease to be public prisons.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir Hercules George Robert Robinson, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this fourteenth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine.

JOHN SHEEHAN.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Vesting a Reserve.*

HERCULES ROBINSON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of July, 1879.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto was reserved for a market under the provisions of "The Oamaru Town Reserve Management Ordinance, 1872:" And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to vest the said land in the Corporation of the Town of Oamaru:

Now, therefore, 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 declare that, from and after the tenth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, the said reserve shall become vested in the Corporation of the said Town of Oamaru.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Provincial District of Otago, containing by admeasurement 1 acre and 21 perches,

more or less, situate in the Town of Oamaru, being Sections Nos. 6, 7, 8, and 9, Block XXV., on the map of the said town, deposited in the Survey Office, Dunedin.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Vesting a Reserve.*

HERCULES ROBINSON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of July, 1879.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto was reserved for a slaughterhouse under the provisions of "The Oamaru Town Reserves Management Ordinance, 1872:" And whereas by an Order in Council under the hand of the Governor, dated the seventeenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, the purpose of the said reserve was changed to municipal purposes: And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to vest the said land in the Corporation of the Town of Oamaru:

Now, therefore, 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 declare that, from and after the tenth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, the said reserve shall become vested in the Corporation of the said Town of Oamaru.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Provincial District of Otago, containing by admeasurement 1 acre and 21 perches, more or less, situate in the Town of Oamaru, being Sections Nos. 20, 21, 22, 23, and 24, Block XIV., on the map of the said town, deposited in the Survey Office, Dunedin.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

HERCULES ROBINSON, Governor.

WHEREAS by "The Public Reserves Act Amendment Act, 1878," it is, amongst other things, enacted that the Governor may declare his intention to make, change, exchange, or alter the dedication of any public reserve now or hereafter vested in Her Majesty or the Governor for any of the purposes named in Part II. of the Schedule to the said Act, whether the same be granted or not; and, in the case of any reserves made under the authority of section one hundred and forty-four of "The Land Act, 1877," if it shall, in the opinion of the Governor, be expedient to change the purpose of such reserves or any part thereof from the purpose or presumed purpose for which it was set apart to any other purpose, or if it shall, in the opinion of the Governor, be expedient to exchange any of the land comprised in such reserve for other land of equal value, to be dedicated to one or more purposes named in the said Part II., the Governor may, by notice in the *Gazette*, declare his intention to make such change, exchange, or dedication, as the case may be, and in such notice declare the manner and terms in which the same is intended to be so made:

Now, therefore, I, Sir Hercules George Robert

Robinson, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by "The Public Reserves Act Amendment Act, 1878," aforesaid, change the specific purpose of the reserve described in the first column of the said Schedule hereto to the specific purposes set opposite such description in the third column of the said Schedule, and such lands shall henceforth be deemed to be reserved and set apart for such last-mentioned specific purposes and no other.

SCHEDULE.

Description and Purpose of Reserve.	Area of which the Purpose is intended to be Changed.	Intended Purpose.
Section No. 283 (in red), 77 acres, in the Timaru District, Provincial District of Canterbury. For purpose of a railway station.	All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Canterbury, containing 10 acres 1 rood, more or less, being part of Section numbered 283 (in red). Bounded Eastward by the Railway Reserve, 1065 links; Southward by Section 2692, 1175 links; Westward by the Main South Road, 1026 links; Northward by a line 893 links in length, bearing 265° 20' (true), drawn from a point on the eastern boundary 1065 links north of the north-east corner of Section 2692; and numbered 2401 (in red) on the official map in the Provincial District Survey Office, Christchurch.	For the use of the Temuka and Geraldine Agricultural and Pastoral Association, as a show-ground.
	All that parcel of land, containing 80 acres, more or less, being part of the above-mentioned Section numbered 283 (in red). Bounded Eastward by the Railway Reserve, 2970 links; Southward by a line 893 links in length, bearing 265° 20' (true), drawn from a point on the eastern boundary 1065 links north of the north-east corner of Section 2692; Westward by the Main South Road, 2959 links; and Northward by a line parallel to the southern boundary and 2959 links distant therefrom; and numbered 2402 (in red) on the official map in the Provincial District Survey Office, Christchurch.	For a recreation-ground.

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

ROBERT STOUT,  
Minister of Lands.

*Changing the Purpose of a Reserve.*

HERCULES ROBINSON, Governor.

WHEREAS by "The Public Reserves Act Amendment Act, 1878," it is, amongst other things, enacted that the Governor may declare his intention to make, change, exchange, or alter the dedication of any public reserve now or hereafter vested in Her Majesty or the Governor for any of the purposes named in Part II. of the Schedule to the said Act, whether the same be granted or not; and, in the case of any reserves made under the authority of section one hundred and forty-four of "The Land Act, 1877," if it shall, in the opinion of the Go-

vernor, be expedient to change the purpose of such reserves or any part thereof from the purpose or presumed purpose for which it was set apart to any other purpose, or if it shall, in the opinion of the Governor, be expedient to exchange any of the land comprised in such reserve for other land of equal value, to be dedicated to one or more purposes named in the said Part II., the Governor may, by notice in the *Gazette*, declare his intention to make such change, exchange, or dedication, as the case may be, and in such notice declare the manner and terms in which the same is intended to be so made:

Now, therefore, I, Sir Hercules George Robert Robinson, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by "The Public Reserves Act Amendment Act, 1878," aforesaid, change the specific purpose of the reserve described in the first column of the said Schedule hereto to the specific purpose set opposite such description in the second column of the said Schedule, and such land shall henceforth be deemed to be reserved and set apart for such last-mentioned specific purpose, and no other.

SCHEDULE.

Description and Purpose of Reserve.	Intended Purpose.
Town of Wellington, Reserve No. 14, 1 acre 2 roods 14 perches. For public purposes.	Site for a school for the Wellington Education District.

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

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

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

HERCULES ROBINSON, Governor.

WHEREAS by "The Public Reserves Act Amendment Act, 1878," it is, amongst other things, enacted that the Governor may declare his intention to make, change, exchange, or alter the dedication of any public reserve now or hereafter vested in Her Majesty or the Governor for any of the purposes named in Part II. of the Schedule to the said Act, whether the same be granted or not; and, in the case of any reserves made under the authority of section one hundred and forty-four of "The Land Act, 1877," if it shall, in the opinion of the Governor, be expedient to change the purpose of such reserves or any part thereof from the purpose or presumed purpose for which it was set apart to any other purpose, or if it shall, in the opinion of the Governor, be expedient to exchange any of the land comprised in such reserve for other land of equal value, to be dedicated to one or more purposes named in the said Part II., the Governor may, by notice in the *Gazette*, declare his intention to make such change, exchange, or dedication, as the case may be, and in such notice declare the manner and terms in which the same is intended to be so made:

Now, therefore, I, Sir Hercules George Robert Robinson, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by "The Public Reserves Act Amendment Act, 1878," aforesaid, change the specific purpose of the reserve described in the first column of the said Schedule hereto to the specific purposes set opposite such

description in the third column of the said Schedule, and such lands shall henceforth be deemed to be reserved and set apart for such last-mentioned specific purposes, and no other.

SCHEDULE.

Description and Purpose of Reserve.	Area of which the Purpose is intended to be Changed.	Intended Purpose.
Section 1288 (in red), 234 acres, in the Malvern District, Provincial District of Canterbury. For road, tramway, and other purposes of the Provincial Government.	All that area in the Hororata Survey District, Provincial District of Canterbury, containing twenty (20) acres, more or less. Bounded—Northward by a road line, 1160 links; Eastward by Section 1288 (in red), 1970 links; Southward by the River Wakaepa; and Westward by Section 2407 (in red), 1700 links; and numbered 2408 (in red) on the official map in the Provincial District Survey Office, Christchurch.	For a cemetery.
	Also all that area in the Hororata Survey District, Provincial District of Canterbury, containing one hundred (100) acres, more or less. Bounded—Northward by a road line, 4825 links; Eastward by Section 1288 (in red), 1700 links; Southward by the River Wakaepa; and North-westward by a road line, 1500 links; and numbered 2407 (in red) on the official map in the Provincial District Survey Office, Christchurch.	For a recreation-ground.

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

G. GREY.  
(for the Minister of Lands.)

*Trustees appointed for Maintenance of Raglan Cemetery.*

HERCULES ROBINSON, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the second section of "The Cemeteries Management Act, 1877," I, Hercules George Robert Robinson, 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.
Richard Galvan. Allan Gilmour. John New Pegler. William Powell. James Wylie.	<b>RAGLAN CEMETERY.</b> All that parcel of land, containing 2 acres and 16 perches, being Lots 6 and 7 of Section 13, Town of Raglan, Parish of Whaingaroa, in the Survey District of Karioi, Provincial District of Auckland. Bounded towards the North-west by Lot 5, 504 links; towards the North-east by East Street, 400 links; towards the South-east by Lots 8 and 9, 520 links; and towards the South-west by Lots 10 and 12, 406 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

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

G. S. WHITMORE.

*Trustees appointed for Maintenance of Clifton Cemetery, County of Rangitikei.*

HERCULES ROBINSON, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the second section of "The Cemeteries Management Act, 1877," I, Hercules George Robert Robinson, 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.
James Doull. Stephen Fagan. David Ross Lewers. George Johnston Scott. John Stevens. James Glenny Wilson.	<b>CLIFTON CEMETERY.</b> All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Wellington, containing by admeasurement three (3) acres and thirty-eight (38) perches, more or less, being portion of Block III., Rangitikei District. Bounded towards the West and North by other portion of Block III., five hundred and sixty-five (565) links and eleven hundred and eighty (1180) links respectively; and towards the South by a cliff of the Rangitikei River, thirteen hundred (1300) links.

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

G. S. WHITMORE.

*Port of Foxton to be a Warehousing Port, and a Port for the Importation of Tobacco.*

HERCULES ROBINSON, Governor.

IN exercise of the power in me for this purpose vested by "The Customs Regulation Act, 1858," I, Sir Hercules George Robert Robinson, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint that the Port of Foxton shall be a warehousing port for the purposes of "The Customs Regulation Act, 1858," and do hereby approve of the same as a port for the importation of tobacco.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir Hercules George Robert Robinson, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; at the Government House, at Wellington, this eighth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine.

G. GREY.

Commissioner's Order No. 120.]

*Pakuranga and Papanoa Highway Districts abolished.*

HERCULES ROBINSON, Governor.

UNDER and in pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by an Act of the Province of Auckland intituled "The Highways Act, 1874," and by "The Abolition of Provinces Act, 1875," I, Hercules George Robert Robinson, Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby notify that I do hereby abolish the highway dis-



tricts constituted under the said "Highways Act, 1874," and named the Pakuranga Highway District and the Paparoa Highway District.

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

G. S. WHITMORE.

*Pakuranga Highway District constituted.*

HERCULES ROBINSON, Governor.

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

SCHEDULE.

BOUNDED towards the North-east by high-water mark of Waitemata Harbour, from the northern extremity of Allotment No. 56 of the Parish of Pakuranga to Mellans Bay; towards the East by the centre of the road leading from Mellans Bay aforesaid, and passing through Section No. 10 of small lots near the Village of Howick, and forming the southern boundary of Allotment No. 10, and the south-eastern boundaries of Allotments Nos. 22, 21, 20, and 18 of said Section No. 10; thence by the centre of the same road continued, which also forms the eastern boundaries of Sections Nos. 1 and 2 of small lots near the Village of Howick aforesaid, and the eastern boundaries of Allotments Nos. 12, 78, and 79 of the Parish of Pakuranga aforesaid to the south-eastern angle of last-named lot; towards the South by the road which forms the southern boundary of Allotment No. 79 aforesaid, and also the southern boundary of Allotment No. 20 of the Parish of Pakuranga before mentioned, from the south-eastern angle of Allotment No. 79 aforesaid to the creek known as King's Creek, which forms the eastern boundary of Allotment No. 26 of the Parish of Pakuranga aforesaid, and thence by that creek and the Tamaki River to the Panmure Bridge; and towards the West by the Tamaki River aforesaid, from the Panmure Bridge to the northern extremity of Allotment No. 56 first mentioned, the place of commencement.

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

G. S. WHITMORE.

*"Highways Act, 1874" (Auckland), brought into Operation in the Pakuranga District.*

HERCULES ROBINSON, Governor.

UNDER and in pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by an Act of the Province of Auckland intituled "The Highways Act, 1874," and by "The Abolition of Provinces Act, 1875," I, Hercules George Robert Robinson, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby notify that I do hereby bring the said

"Highways Act, 1874," into operation in the Pakuranga Highway District; and I further notify that I do hereby appoint the nineteenth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, at two o'clock p.m., at the schoolhouse, Pakuranga, to be the day, hour, and place for the first meeting of rate-payers for the said district, and appoint Alfred Buckland to be the Chairman of such meeting.

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

G. S. WHITMORE.

*Paparoa Highway District constituted.*

HERCULES ROBINSON, Governor.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL those lands bounded towards the North by the sea; towards the East by the Maungamaungaroa Creek, and a right line extending from the head of that creek to the north-east angle of the East Tamaki District; towards the South by the northern boundary of the East Tamaki District; and towards the West by the Pakuranga Highway District: excepting the Village of Howick; including all roads traversing the lands within the before-mentioned boundaries.

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

G. S. WHITMORE.

*"Highways Act, 1874" (Auckland), brought into Operation in Paparoa Highway District.*

HERCULES ROBINSON, Governor.

UNDER and in pursuance of an Act of the Province of Auckland intituled "The Highways Act, 1874," and by "The Abolition of Provinces Act, 1875," I, Hercules George Robert Robinson, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby notify that I do hereby bring the said "Highways Act, 1874," into operation in the Paparoa Highway District; and I further notify that I do hereby appoint the nineteenth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, at two o'clock, at the residence of Mr. John Finlay, Paparoa, to be the day, hour, and place for the first meeting of rate-payers for the said district; and I appoint Thomas McInness to be the Chairman of such meeting.

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

G. S. WHITMORE.

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

HERCULES ROBINSON, 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, Sir Hercules George Robert Robinson, 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, containing 36½ perches, being part 5 of Section No. 3, Town of Carterton, Provincial District of Wellington. Bounded towards the North by a public road, 151.6 links; towards the East by part 2 of said section, 150 links; towards the South by part 4 of said section, 151.6 links; and towards the West by other part of said section, 150 links. As a site for a public library.

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

W. GISBORNE,  
Minister of Lands.

*Scale of Fees for Georgetown Cemetery, Awamoko.*

SCALE of Fees for Georgetown Cemetery, Awamoko, County of Waitaki:—

	£	s.	d.
Family graves, 8 x 12 feet ...	3	0	0
Single graves, 8 x 4 feet ...	1	10	0
Adjoining sections by the same persons, 8 x 4 feet ...	1	0	0
BURIAL FEES, ETC.			
Adults (grave-digging) ...	1	5	0
Over 5 years ...	0	15	0
Under 5 years, or still-born ...	0	5	0
Warrant to inter ...	0	2	6

In pursuance of the powers vested in me by the Ordinance of the Province of Otago intituled "The Cemetery Reserves Management Ordinance, 1864," I do hereby consent to the above scale of fees.

As witness my hand, this fifth day of July, 1879.

HERCULES ROBINSON,  
Governor.

*Member of Executive Council resigned.*

Executive Council Chamber,  
Wellington, 15th July, 1879.

HIS Excellency the Governor has this day been pleased to accept the resignation of  
The Honorable WILLIAM SWAINSON  
as a Member of the Executive Council of New Zealand.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Members of Executive Council sworn in.*

Executive Council Chamber,  
Wellington, 15th July, 1879.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to administer the oaths of office to  
The Honorable JAMES WILLIAM THOMSON and  
The Honorable HOANI NAHE.

They are sworn members of the Executive Council of New Zealand.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Manager appointed for Georgetown Cemetery, County of Waitaki.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 5th July, 1879.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES MCAULEY

to be a Trustee of the Georgetown Cemetery, Awamoko, County of Waitaki, *vice* A. McDonald, resigned.

G. S. WHITMORE.

*Registration and Returning Officer appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 9th July, 1879.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JACKSON KEDDELL, Esq., R.M.,

to be Registration and Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Dunstan for the election of Members of the House of Representatives, *vice* W. L. Simpson, Esq., resigned.

G. S. WHITMORE.

*Public Vaccinator appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 10th July, 1879.

IT is hereby notified that under the provisions of "The Public Health Act, 1876," His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES WITHIEL PHILLIPS HOSKING, Esq.,  
L.R.C.P. Edin.,

to be a Public Vaccinator, to perform gratuitous vaccination in accordance with the provisions of the said Act and any regulations made or to be made thereunder, for the District of Dunedin.

G. S. WHITMORE.

*United States Consul provisionally recognized.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 14th July, 1879.

IT is hereby notified that the President of the United States having appointed

GILDEROY WELLES GRIFFIN

to be United States Consul at Auckland, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to recognize such appointment provisionally.

G. S. WHITMORE.

*Members of Amuri, Suburban North, Motueka, Upper Motueka, and Waimea Road Boards elected (Nelson).*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 14th July, 1879.

IN conformity with an Act, of the Provincial Council of the late Province of Nelson in

titled "The (Nelson) Highways Act, 1872," it is hereby notified that the following gentlemen have been elected to be Members of the Amuri, Suburban North, Motueka, Upper Motueka, and Waimea Road Boards, viz:—

*For the Amuri Road Board.*

WILLIAM OLIVER RUTHERFORD,  
DUNCAN RUTHERFORD, and  
WILLIAM THOMSON.

*For the Suburban North Road Board.*

WILLIAM WELLS,  
DANIEL SLATER, and  
WILLIAM NORTHAM.

*For the Motueka Road Board.*

SAMUEL CARTER, Motueka Sub-district.  
ARTHUR CHAYTOR, Lower Moutere Sub-district.  
THOMAS GROOBY, Pangatotara Sub-district.  
DANIEL BATE, Riwaka Sub-district.

*For the Waimea Road Board.*

NATHANIEL FOWLER, Waimea East Sub-district.  
WILLIAM BELL, Waimea West Sub-district.  
JOSEPH PRICE, Wakefield Sub-district.

G. S. WHITMORE.

*Letters of Naturalization issued.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 12th July, 1879.

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

Name.	Occupation.	Residence.
John Herman	Tobacconist	Timaru.

G. S. WHITMORE.

*Visiting Justices appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 15th July, 1879.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES MACKAY, Esq., J.P.,  
Lieut.-Colonel HENRY ELMHIRST READER, J.P.,  
and  
JONAS WOODWARD, Esq. J.P.,

to be Visiting Justices of the Prison at Mount Cook, Wellington.

JOHN SHEEHAN.

*Justice of the Peace appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 15th July, 1879.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

DAVID CARO, Esq.,

of Christchurch, to be a Justice of the Peace for the colony.

JOHN SHEEHAN.

*Certificated Accountant in Bankruptcy appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 15th July, 1879.

MR. District Judge Shaw has appointed  
JAMES WATKINS, Esq.,  
of New Plymouth, to be a Certificated Accountant in Bankruptcy.

JOHN SHEEHAN.

*Appointment of Volunteer Officers.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 16th July, 1879.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the under-mentioned promotions and appointments:—

*Waikari Rifle Volunteers.*

Alexander Telford to be Lieutenant (No. 2 Company).  
Henry John Mathews to be Sub-Lieutenant (No. 2 Company).

Date of commissions, 22nd October, 1878.

*Bruce Rifle Volunteers.*

Lieutenant James Scott to be Captain.  
Sub-Lieutenant Donald Reid to be Lieutenant.  
Date of commissions, 1st March, 1879.

*Thames Rifle Rangers.*

James Clout to be Sub-Lieutenant. Date of commission, 16th January, 1879.  
Robert Fleetwood Andrews, Esq., to be Honorary Surgeon. Date of commission, 12th June, 1879.

*Taranaki Rifle Volunteers.*

Lieutenant John Ellis to be Captain.  
Sub-Lieutenant Josiah Hoskin to be Lieutenant.  
William Francis Brooking to be Sub-Lieutenant.  
Date of commissions, 9th June, 1879.

*Wellington City Rifles.*

Leighton Kesteven to be Honorary Assistant-Surgeon. Date of commission, 2nd July, 1879.

*Waitara Rifle Volunteers.*

Frederick Bayly to be Sub-Lieutenant. Date of commission, 3rd June, 1879.

*Waverley Rifle Volunteers.*

Owen Hawes to be Captain.  
John Wilcox Kenah to be Sub-Lieutenant.  
Date of commissions, 9th June, 1879.

*No. 1 Company Inglewood Rangers.*

Captain Henry Brown (N.Z.M.) to be Captain.  
Joseph Clarke Peach to be Lieutenant.  
Samuel Mathews to be Sub-Lieutenant.  
Date of commissions, 6th June, 1879.

*Normanby Rifle Volunteers.*

Francis Hingdon Brett to be Captain.  
Patrick Dolan to be Lieutenant.  
Charles Reynold Wreford to be Sub-Lieutenant.  
Date of commissions, 8th June, 1879.

*Bell Block Rifle Volunteers.*

Frederick Delacour Cornwall to be Captain.  
George Hoby to be Lieutenant.  
Samuel Rundle to be Sub-Lieutenant.  
Date of commissions, 5th June, 1879.

*Urenui Rifle Volunteers.*

Captain Thomas Wilson (N.Z.M.) to be Captain.  
Albert Richard Langley to be Lieutenant.  
Courtenay Melmoth Kyngdon (N.Z.M.) to be Sub-Lieutenant.  
Date of commissions, 5th June, 1879.

*Okato Rifle Volunteers.*

William Bayly to be Captain.  
John Veale Dingle to be Lieutenant.  
William Andrews to be Sub-Lieutenant.  
Date of commissions, 5th June, 1879.

*Omato Rifle Volunteers.*

Albert Bayly to be Captain.  
William Henry Free (N.Z.M.) to be Lieutenant.  
Date of commissions, 5th June, 1879.

*No. 2 Company Inglewood Rangers.*

Walter Bewley to be Captain. Date of commission, 6th June, 1879.

Robert Stevens to be Lieutenant.

William Peattie to be Sub-Lieutenant.

Date of commissions, 21st June, 1879.

*No. 2 Company Taranaki Rifle Volunteers.*

Captain Henry Lufkin Skeet (N.Z.M.) to be Captain.  
Lieutenant Decimus Atkinson (N.Z.M.) to be Lieutenant.

George Dye Draper to be Sub-Lieutenant.

Date of commissions, 7th June, 1879.

*No. 3 Company Taranaki Rifle Volunteers.*

John Thomas Vaughan Kirby to be Captain.

Charles Gordon Ralph Gore to be Lieutenant.

Albert Cracroft Fookes to be Sub-Lieutenant.

Date of commissions, 7th June, 1879.

*No. 1 Company Hawera Rifle Volunteers.*

James Livingstone to be Captain.

William Thomas Watts to be Lieutenant.

Date of commissions, 7th June, 1879.

Horace R. Baker to be Sub-Lieutenant. Date of commission, 30th June, 1879.

*No. 2 Company Hawera Rifle Volunteers.*

Coslett Johnson to be Captain.

William J. White to be Lieutenant.

James Davidson to be Sub-Lieutenant.

Date of commissions, 30th June, 1879.

*Manutahi (Taranaki) Rifle Volunteers.*

Captain John Kelly (N.Z.M.) to be Captain.

Lieutenant John Richard Lawson (N.Z.M.) to be Lieutenant.

Robert Wells to be Sub-Lieutenant.

Date of commissions, 9th June, 1879.

*Tikorangi Rifle Volunteers.*

Captain John Henry Armstrong (N.Z.M.) to be Captain.

George Jupp to be Lieutenant.

Date of commissions, 9th June, 1879.

*Oakura Rifle Volunteers.*

Captain Francis Joseph Mace (N.Z.M.) to be Captain.

Lieutenant Charles James Messenger (N.Z.M.) to be Lieutenant.

Date of commissions, 9th June, 1879.

*No. 1 Company Carlyle Rifle Volunteers.*

Charles Allan Wray to be Captain.

William Cowan to be Lieutenant.

Date of commissions, 9th June, 1879.

*No. 2 Company Carlyle Rifle Volunteers.*

Edward Tregear to be Captain. Date of commission, 9th June, 1879.

*Kent Road Rifle Volunteers.*

Henry Spry Mathews to be Lieutenant.

George Henry Herbert to be Sub-Lieutenant.

Date of commissions, 11th June, 1879.

*Manutahi (Patea) Rifle Volunteers.*

John George Ginger to be Captain. Date of commission, 16th June, 1879.

*Mangorei Rifle Volunteers.*

Mathew Carrick to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 16th June, 1879.

*Kaikaramea Rifle Volunteers.*

William Stanley Ginger to be Captain. Date of commission, 16th June, 1879.

*Waitara West Rifle Volunteers.*

Captain Mathew Jonas (N.Z.M.) to be Captain.

William Thomas Oxenham to be Lieutenant.

Date of commissions, 18th June, 1879.

*No. 3 Company Inglewood Rangers.*

Alfred Trimble to be Captain.

Herbert Bloomer Curtis to be Lieutenant.

George Burrows to be Sub-Lieutenant.

Date of commissions, 19th June, 1879.

*No. 4 Company Inglewood Rangers.*

George Newsham Curtis to be Captain. Date of commission, 28th June, 1879.

*Thames Naval Brigade.*

Sub-Lieutenant Thomas Lawless to be Lieutenant.

Date of commission, 12th May, 1879.

G. S. WHITMORE.

*Designation of Corps altered.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 16th July, 1879.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to alter the designation of the Oamaru Grammar School Cadets to

The Oamaru High School Cadet Rifle Volunteers.

G. S. WHITMORE.

*Volunteer Corps disbanded.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 16th July, 1879.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to disband the under-mentioned corps:—

Alfred Troop (Rangitikei) Cavalry Volunteers, at their own request.

No. 2 Waiuku Rifle Volunteers.

Riverton Cadet Rifle Volunteers.

The commissions of the under-mentioned gentlemen, as specified below, therefore lapse under "The Volunteer Act, 1865:—"

John Stevens, late Captain, Alfred Troop.

Charles Bull, late Lieutenant, Alfred Troop.

David Scott, late Sub-Lieutenant, Alfred Troop.

F. M. Alexander, late Captain, No. 2 Waiuku Rifle Volunteers.

Hugh Douglas, late Sub-Lieutenant, No. 2 Waiuku Rifle Volunteers.

G. S. WHITMORE.

*Resignation of Volunteer Officers.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 16th July, 1879.

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

*Hawera Light Horse.*

Captain Isaac Bayly. Date of resignation, 14th May, 1879.

*Thames Rifle Rangers.*

Lieutenant Scott Hunter. Date of resignation, 4th June, 1879.

*Thames Naval Brigade.*

Sub-Lieutenant Charles Gordon Brown. Date of resignation, 2nd June, 1879.

G. S. WHITMORE.

*Services of Volunteer Corps accepted.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 16th July, 1879.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the services of the under-mentioned Volunteer Corps:—

L Battery of Artillery (Port Chalmers). Date of acceptance, 14th June, 1879.

Bell Block Rifle Volunteers.  
 Urenui Rifle Volunteers.  
 Okato Rifle Volunteers.  
 Omato Rifle Volunteers.  
 Date of acceptance, 5th June, 1879.

No. 2 Company Inglewood Rangers (Rifle Volunteers).  
 No. 2 Company Taranaki Rifle Volunteers.  
 No. 3 Company Taranaki Rifle Volunteers.  
 No. 1 Company Hawera Rifle Volunteers.  
 No. 2 Company Hawera Rifle Volunteers.  
 Date of acceptance, 7th June, 1879.

Manutahi (Taranaki) Rifle Volunteers.  
 Tikorangi Rifle Volunteers.  
 Oakura Rifle Volunteers.  
 No. 1 Company Carlyle Rifle Volunteers.  
 No. 2 Company Carlyle Rifle Volunteers.  
 Date of acceptance, 9th June, 1879.

Kent Road Rifle Volunteers. Date of acceptance, 11th June, 1879.

Manutahi (Patea) Rifle Volunteers.  
 Mangorie Rifle Volunteers.  
 Kaikaramea Rifle Volunteers.  
 Date of acceptance, 16th June, 1879.

Waitara West Rifle Volunteers. Date of acceptance, 18th June, 1879.

No. 3 Company Inglewood Rangers (Rifle Volunteers). Date of acceptance, 19th June, 1879.

No. 4 Company Inglewood Rangers (Rifle Volunteers). Date of acceptance, 28th June, 1879.

G. S. WHITMORE.

*J. M. Barr appointed a Clerk, Auckland Savings Bank.*

Treasury,  
 Wellington, 12th July, 1879.

IT is notified for public information that the Trustees of the Auckland Savings Bank have appointed

Mr. JAMES MUIR BARR  
 to be a Clerk in the Auckland Savings Bank.

G. GREY.

*Surveyor appointed.*

General Survey Office,  
 Wellington, 4th July, 1879.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

CHRISTIAN FRIEDRICH RUDOLPH NEUMANN  
 to be a Surveyor in the Survey Department of New Zealand. Appointment dating from 1st July, 1879.

W. GISBORNE,  
 Minister of Lands.

*Receiver of Gold Revenue and Mining Registrar appointed.*

Mines Department,  
 Wellington, 16th July, 1879.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM ALFRED BARTON, Esq.,  
 to be a Receiver of Gold Revenue and Mining Registrar under "The Mines Act, 1877," for the Kumara Mining District, as from the 8th of July instant.

W. GISBORNE,  
 Minister of Mines.

*Receiver of Gold Revenue and Mining Registrar appointed.*

Mines Department,  
 Wellington, 16th July, 1879.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ANDREW ROBY BLOXAM, Esq.,  
 to be a Receiver of Gold Revenue and Mining Registrar under "The Mines Act, 1877," for No Town, in the Nelson South-West Mining District, and for Maori Gully and Dunganville (Clifton), in the Westland Mining District, as from the 16th June, 1879.

W. GISBORNE,  
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*Receiver of Gold Revenue and Mining Registrar appointed.*

Mines Department,  
 Wellington, 16th July, 1879.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ALEXANDER LE GRAND CAMPBELL, Esq.,  
 to be a Receiver of Gold Revenue and Mining Registrar under "The Mines Act, 1877," for the Collingwood Mining District, as from the 1st May, 1879.

W. GISBORNE,  
 Minister of Mines.

*Gold-Mining Lease cancelled.*

Mines Department,  
 Wellington, 10th July, 1879.

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to pronounce the under-mentioned gold-mining lease in the Nelson South-West Gold Fields cancelled; and that the ground is now open for application as if no lease of the said ground had ever been applied for:—

Pierre Bossard and others; 4 acres 3 roods 12 perches, District of Buller. No. 828.

W. GISBORNE,  
 Minister of Mines.

*Tenders.*

Public Works Office,  
 Wellington, 11th July, 1879.

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

J. MACANDREW,  
 Minister for Public Works.

LUMSDEN-MARAROA RAILWAY (LUMSDEN CONTRACT).

	Accepted.	£	s.	d.
D. W. McArthur, Invercargill	...	3,616	11	4
<i>Declined.</i>				
J. Campbell, Invercargill	...	4,213	15	10
M. Hughes and Co., Invercargill	...	4,264	12	3
J. M. Bennett, Invercargill	...	4,353	13	3
J. Shirley, Invercargill	...	4,450	10	1
Matheson Bros., Dunedin	...	4,595	0	0
J. Whitaker, Dunedin	...	4,764	0	8
J. Tosh, Invercargill	...	4,786	19	7
Macrorie and Cuthbertson, Invercargill	...	5,717	16	8

*Notice of Times and Places for hearing Objections to Valuations under "The Land-Tax Act, 1878."*

VALUATION FOR NEW ZEALAND.

Wellington, 16th July, 1879.

IT is hereby notified that, in pursuance of the provisions of "The Land-Tax Act, 1878" (section

*For the Southland County.*

At the Resident Magistrate's Courthouse, Invercargill, on Thursday, 14th August, at 11 a.m.

*For the Boroughs of North Invercargill, South Invercargill, East Invercargill, Avenal, and Gladstone.*

At the Resident Magistrate's Courthouse, Invercargill, on Thursday, the 21st August, at 11 a.m.

*For the Borough of Winton.*

At the Police Station, Winton, on Monday, the 25th August, at 11 a.m.

*For the County of Wallace.*

At the Resident Magistrate's Courthouse, Riverton, on Wednesday, the 13th August, at 11 a.m.

*For the Borough of Riverton.*

At the Resident Magistrate's Courthouse, Riverton, on Thursday, the 14th August, at 11 a.m.

*For the Borough of Oamaru.*

At the Resident Magistrate's Courthouse, Oamaru, on Monday, the 4th August, at 10 a.m.

*For the County of Waitaki.*

At the Resident Magistrate's Courthouse, Oamaru, on Wednesday, the 6th August, at 11 a.m.

*For the Borough of Dunedin.*

At the Resident Magistrate's Courthouse, Dunedin, on Thursday, the 7th August, at 11 a.m.

*For the Borough of Caversham.*

At the Town Hall, Caversham, on Tuesday, the 12th August, at 11 a.m.

*For the Borough of Mornington.*

At the Town Hall, Mornington, on Thursday, the 14th August, at 11 a.m.

*For the Borough of Lawrence and County of Tuapeka.*

At the Resident Magistrate's Courthouse, Lawrence, on Monday, the 11th August, at 10 a.m.

*For the Borough of Milton and the County of Bruce.*

At the Resident Magistrate's Courthouse, Tokomairiro, on Wednesday, the 13th August, at 10 a.m.

*For the Borough of Balclutha and the County of Clutha.*

At the Resident Magistrate's Courthouse, Balclutha, on Friday, the 15th August, at 10 a.m.

*For the Borough of Tapanui.*

At the Resident Magistrate's Courthouse, Tapanui, on Thursday, the 21st August, at 10 a.m.

*For the County of Vincent.*

At the Resident Magistrate's Courthouse, Clyde, on Thursday, the 7th August, at 11 a.m.

*For the Borough of Cromwell.*

At the Resident Magistrate's Courthouse, Cromwell, on Friday, the 8th August, at 11 a.m.

*For the Borough of Alexandra.*

At the Resident Magistrate's Courthouse, Alexandra, on Tuesday, 12th August, at 11 a.m.

*Member of House of Representatives elected.*

Clerk of the Writs' Office,  
Wellington, 15th July, 1879.

THE Clerk of the Writs has received a return to the Writ issued by him on the third day of July, 1879, for the election of a Member to serve in the House of Representatives of New Zealand, for the electoral district hereinafter specified; and by the indorsement on such Writ it appears that the under-

mentioned gentleman has been duly elected Member for such district, viz.:—

*For the District of City of Dunedin:*

WILLIAM DOWNIE STEWART.

G. S. COOPER,

Clerk of the Writs.

OFFICIATING MINISTERS FOR 1879.—NOTICE No. 11.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 15th July, 1879.

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

*Church of the Province of New Zealand, commonly called the Church of England.*

The Reverend John Sheldon.

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

*Cancellation of Agricultural Leases Nos. 904c, 905c, and 915c.*

IT is hereby notified that the agricultural leases specified in the Schedule hereto have, with the approval of the Land Board of the Otago Land District, been cancelled, and that the land in each case is now open for occupation as if no such leases had been issued.

SCHEDULE.

(Under "The Gold Fields Act, 1866.")

No. 904c. Walter Gardiner; Section 2, Block XIV., and Section 4, Block VI., Mid-Wakatipu.

No. 905c. James Hardy Lawton; Section 1, Block XIV., Mid-Wakatipu.

No. 915c. James Hardy Lawton; Section 3, Block XIV., Mid-Wakatipu.

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

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

*Sale of Crown Lands.*

Crown Lands Office,  
Napier, 3rd July, 1879.

THE under-mentioned Crown lands will be open for sale, on application, on Friday, the 22nd August next.

One-fourth of the purchase-money to be paid on application, the remaining three-fourths within one month.

J. T. TYLEE,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

SCHEDULE.  
PUKETITIRI BUSH.

Section.	Area.	Price.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
5	53 3 20	108 0 0
6	54 2 30	109 10 0
7	41 1 30	83 0 0
8	44 1 0	88 10 0
9	35 1 18	70 15 0
10	39 2 39	80 0 0
11	32 2 36	65 10 0
12	45 1 17	90 15 0

*Sale of Town and Rural Lands.*

IN pursuance of "The Land Act, 1877," and "The Crown Lands Sale Act, 1877," the Land Board for the Land District of Marlborough hereby notifies that the allotments of town and rural lands mentioned in the following Schedule will be offered for sale by public auction, at the upset prices specified in the said Schedule, at the Survey Office, Blenheim, at noon, on Tuesday, the 19th day of August, 1879.

One-fourth of the purchase-money must be paid at the sale, and the remaining three-fourths within one month, or the amount paid will be forfeited. A deposit of £1 for each Crown grant must be paid on completion of purchase.

Dated at the Crown Lands Office, Blenheim, this 7th day of July, 1879.

A. P. SEYMOUR,  
Chairman of the Land Board.

SCHEDULE.  
TOWN OF PICTON.

No. of Sec.	Area.	Upset Price.	No. of Sec.	Area.	Upset Price.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
32	0 1 0	7 10 0	879	0 1 0	10 0 0
457	0 1 0	12 0 0	880	0 1 0	10 0 0
539	0 1 0	7 10 0	881	0 1 0	10 0 0
561	0 1 0	7 10 0	882	0 1 0	10 0 0
582	0 1 0	7 10 0	1012	0 1 0	7 10 0
583	0 1 0	7 10 0	1013	0 1 0	7 10 0
587	0 1 0	7 10 0	1065	0 1 0	7 10 0
588	0 1 0	7 10 0	1066	0 1 0	7 10 0
589	0 1 0	7 10 0	1067	0 1 0	7 10 0
594	0 1 0	7 10 0	1068	0 1 0	7 10 0
595	0 1 0	7 10 0	1083	0 1 0	7 10 0
596	0 1 0	7 10 0	1097	0 1 0	9 0 0
597	0 1 0	8 0 0	1098	0 1 0	9 0 0
598	0 1 0	10 0 0	1101	0 1 0	7 10 0
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TOWN OF KAIKOURA.

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KAITUNA, SURVEY DISTRICT OF ONAMALUTU,  
BLOCK III.

1	21 0 35	22 4 6	7	20 0 16	25 2 0
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5	20 0 0	23 0 0	11	21 2 13	27 2 0
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LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

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SAMUEL FALLWELL.—Lot 1 of Section 8, Village of Papakura, containing 1 acre and 3 roods. In Applicant's occupation. 1422.

ALEXANDER CHARLES HUGHES TOVEY.—Allotments 221 and 222 of Section 2, Town of Tauranga, containing 2 roods. Occupied by John Hadder. 1430.

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Diagrams may be inspected at this office. Dated this 8th day of July, 1879, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

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REGISTRAR-GENERAL'S Report on the Vital Statistics of the Principal Towns of New Zealand during the Month of June, 1879.

RETURN of the Number of Births, with the actual Mortality of Males and Females, and the Proportion of Deaths to Population, in the under-mentioned Boroughs, during the Month of June, 1879.

BOROUGH.	POPULATION.	TOTAL BIRTHS.	DEATHS REGISTERED IN JUNE, 1879.						Total Deaths.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population.
			Males.			Females.				
			Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.		
Auckland ...	14,163	33	...	...	5	2	2	3	12	0.85
Wellington ...	19,467	57	2	1	4	2	1	6	16	0.83
Christchurch ...	14,186	57	5	...	6	3	2	3	19	1.34
Dunedin ...	23,261	78	5	1	13	8	3	7	37	1.59
Thames ...	5,003	18	...	1	2	...	...	1	4	0.80
Napier* ...	5,415	25	1	2	5	...	1	3	12	2.22
Wanganui* ...	3,661	22	...	2	3	1	1	1	8	2.19
Nelson ...	6,804	19	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	0.15
Lyttelton* ...	3,476	15	2	...	1	1	...	2	6	1.73
Timaru* ...	3,389	17	1	...	3	1	...	2	7	2.07
Oamaru* ...	4,927	28	2	...	3	2	...	1	8	1.62
Hokitika ...	2,853	3	...	...	1	...	1	1	3	1.05
Caversham* ...	3,425	4	...	...	...	2	3	...	5	1.46
Invercargill ...	4,045	19	2	1	...	1	...	2	6	1.48
Totals ...	...	395	20	8	47	23	14	32	144	...

The deaths of persons not residents of the boroughs, occurring at hospitals, have been excluded in all cases.

POPULATION.—In the cases marked thus \* the numbers given are for the 3rd March, 1878, according to the census then taken; in the other cases the numbers have been estimated for the 1st January, 1879.

The total births in the above boroughs amounted to 395, against 445 in May, a decrease of 50. The deaths amounted to 144 in June, a decrease of 26 on the number in May.

Of the above deaths, males contributed 75; females, 69. 65 of the deaths were of children under five years of age, being 45.14 per cent. of the whole number; 43 of these were of children under one year of age.

THE following Table shows the Causes of the Deaths of Persons of both Sexes under 5 years of age and 5 years and upwards, and the Proportions per Cent. of Deaths from each cause in the Boroughs of Auckland, Wellington, Christchurch, and Dunedin that were registered, during the Month of June, 1879.

CLASS.	CAUSES OF DEATH.	AUCKLAND.		WELLINGTON.		CHRISTCHURCH.		DUNEDIN.		TOTAL.	PROPORTIONS PER CENT.
		Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.		
I.	Zymotic Diseases ...	2	...	4	2	1	1	9	3	22	26.19
II.	Constitutional Diseases ...	1	3	...	4	...	1	1	9	19	22.62
III.	Local Diseases ...	1	4	2	4	6	6	2	8	33	39.29
IV.	Developmental Diseases ...	...	1	...	...	3	1	5	...	10	11.90
V.	Violent Deaths ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
VI.	Unspecified ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Totals ...	4	8	6	10	10	9	17	20	84	100.00

CLASS I.—ZYMOTIC DISEASES.				AUCKLAND.	WELLINGTON.	CHRISTCHURCH.	DUNEDIN.	TOTAL.
ORDER 1:—								
<i>Miasmatic Diseases,—</i>								
	Scarlatina...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	Whooping Cough	...	...	...	...	...	6	6
	Typhoid Fever	...	...	...	...	1	2	3
	Remittent Fever	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
	Dysentery	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
	Diarrhoea	...	...	...	1	1	2	5
	Croup	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
	Septicæmia	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
ORDER 3:—								
<i>Dietic Diseases,—</i>								
	Want of Breast-milk	...	...	...	2	...	...	2
CLASS II.—CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES.								
ORDER 1:—								
<i>Diathetic Diseases,—</i>								
	Cancer	...	...	...	1	...	1	2
	Dropsy	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
ORDER 2:—								
<i>Tubercular Diseases,—</i>								
	Phthisis	...	...	...	3	3	7	13
	Tubercular Peritonites	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	Hydrocephalus	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
	Scrofula	...	...	...	1	...	...	1

CLASS III.—LOCAL DISEASES.				AUCKLAND.	WELLINGTON.	CHRISTCHURCH.	DUNEDIN.	TOTAL.
<b>ORDER 1:—</b>								
<i>Diseases of Nervous System,—</i>								
Apoplexy	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	3
Convulsions	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
Coma	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
<b>ORDER 2:—</b>								
<i>Diseases of Organs of Circulation,—</i>								
Aneurism	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Heart Disease	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	3
Embolism	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
<b>ORDER 3:—</b>								
<i>Diseases of Respiratory Organs,—</i>								
Bronchitis	...	...	...	1	1	2	3	7
Pneumonia	...	...	...	...	1	2	2	5
Congestion of Lungs	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
<b>ORDER 4:—</b>								
<i>Diseases of Digestive Organs,—</i>								
Peritonitis	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
Spleen Disease	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
Liver Disease	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	3
<b>ORDER 5:—</b>								
<i>Diseases of Urinary Organs,—</i>								
Bright's Disease	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Renal Disease	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
<b>ORDER 8:—</b>								
<i>Diseases of Integumentary System,—</i>								
Rupia	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
<b>CLASS IV.—DEVELOPMENTAL DISEASES.</b>								
<b>ORDER 1:—</b>								
<i>Developmental Diseases of Children,—</i>								
Premature Birth	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4
Cyanosis	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
Teething	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
<b>ORDER 4:—</b>								
<i>Diseases of Nutrition,—</i>								
Atrophy and Debility	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Old Age	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	2
Totals	...	...	...	12	16	19	37	84

The following remarks apply only to the above four principal boroughs:—  
 The births were 225 in June, against 235 in April, a decrease of 10.  
 The deaths in May were 84, against 109 in April, a decrease of 25.  
 There were 5 deaths of persons of 65 years and upwards—viz., 2 males of 67 and 73, and 1 female of 68, in Auckland; 1 female of 79 in Christchurch; and 1 male of 72 in Dunedin.  
*Zymotic diseases.*—The deaths from Zymotic diseases decreased from 28 in May to 22 in June; typhoid fever caused 3 deaths in June, against 6 in May.  
*Constitutional diseases.*—The deaths from these diseases were 19, the same number as in May. Of these, cancer caused 2 deaths in June, against 7 in May; tubercular diseases caused 16 deaths in June, against 11 in May; the deaths from Phthisis increased from 4 in May to 13 in June.  
*Local diseases* caused 33 deaths in June, against 40 in May; of these, diseases of the nervous system caused 6 deaths in June, against 13 in May.

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

TOWNS.	SIX PRINCIPAL ZYMOTIC DISEASES.												PRINCIPAL LUNG DISEASES.							
	Measles.		Scarlet Fever.		Typhus and other Fever.		Diphtheria.		Whooping Cough.		Dysentery and Diarrhoea.		Bronchitis.		Pleurisy.		Pneumonia.		Congestion of Lungs.	
	Jun.	May	Jun.	May	Jun.	May	Jun.	May	Jun.	May	Jun.	May	Jun.	May	Jun.	May	Jun.	May	Jun.	May
Auckland	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	4	1	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wellington	...	...	...	...	1	3	...	...	...	1	4	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...
Christchurch	...	...	1	...	...	2	...	1	...	1	1	2	...	...	...	2	3	...	2	...
Dunedin	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	6	1	3	...	3	2	...	...	2	6	...	...
Totals	...	...	1	...	3	7	...	2	6	5	6	6	7	4	...	...	5	10	2	...

Registrar-General's Office,  
 Wellington, 14th July, 1879.

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

PROVISIONAL METEOROLOGICAL RETURN FOR JUNE, 1879.

	AUCKLAND.	WELLINGTON.	NELSON.	CHRIST-CHURCH.	HOKITIKA.	DUNEDIN.
Mean Temperature in Shade ...	53.1	48.1	47.1	42.1	45.7	41.9
Average for same month previous years ...	53.3	49.1	47.7	43.4	46.5	43.9
Maximum Temperature in shade, and date	62.8 on 13th	58.0 on 17th	68.0 on 19th and 20th	61.0 on 17th	60.4 on 2nd	55.0 on 16th
Minimum Temperature in shade, and date	39.1 on 9th	34.0 on 11th	31.0 on 22nd	25.7 on 11th	29.0 on 8th and 27th	30.0 on 22nd
Maximum Solar Radiation, and date ...	105.2 on 14th	100.0 on 15th and 25th	88.0 on 4th	88.0 on 16th	104.5 on 10th	61.0 on 11th
Minimum Terrestrial Radiation, and date	35.0 on 9th	30.0 on 22nd, 23rd, and 24th	...	21.0 on 11th	24.5 on 27th	26.0 on 11th
Mean Humidity (Saturation=100) ...	80	90	82	85	83	78
Average for same month previous years ...	84	79	79	87	88	80
Total Rainfall in inches ...	4.515	6.770	4.400	6.870	8.470	6.680
Average for same month previous years ...	4.679	5.252	5.890	3.065	10.854	3.502
Number of Days of Rain ...	27	20	11	17	16	17
Average for same month previous years ...	19	14	9	12	14	14

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

July, 1879.

J. HECTOR, Inspector.

RETURN of the QUANTITY and VALUE of GOLD ENTERED for DUTY for EXPORTATION from NEW ZEALAND, from 1st APRIL, 1857, to 30th JUNE, 1879.

ENTERED FOR DUTY AT	PRODUCE OF THE GOLD FIELDS IN	DURING THE QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1879.		ENTERED FOR EXPORTATION TO THE 31ST MARCH, 1879.		TOTAL ENTERED FOR EXPORTATION FROM NEW ZEALAND TO THE 30TH JUNE, 1879.	
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Auckland ...	Auckland ...	Oz. 5,332	£ 22,516	Oz. 1,220,770	£ 4,451,728	Oz. 1,226,102	£ 4,474,244
Wellington ...	Wellington ...	...	...	30	120	30	120
Pictou ...	Marlborough ...	202	8 00	46,521	180,510	46,723	181,310
Nelson ...	Nelson ...	54	220	1,620,787	6,435,803	1,620,841	6,436,023
Nelson ...	Westland ...	500	1,877	2,322,108	9,195,638	2,357,435	9,336,815
Westport ...		5,337	21,349				
Greymouth ...		15,948	63,793				
Hokitika ...		13,542	54,158				
		35,327	141,177				
Dunedin ...	Otago ...	29,841	118,427	3,823,966	15,038,967	3,856,065	15,166,426
Invercargill ...		2,258	9,032				
		32,099	127,459				
Totals ...		73,014	292,172	9,034,182	35,302,766	9,107,196	35,594,938

Customs Department,  
Wellington, 15th July, 1879.

WILLIAM SEED,  
Secretary of Customs.

RETURN of the QUANTITY and VALUE of GOLD EXPORTED from NEW ZEALAND, for the HALF-YEARS ended 30th JUNE, 1878, and 30th JUNE, 1879.

DISTRICT OF	HALF-YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1879.		HALF-YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1878.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Auckland ...	Oz. 14,899	£ 60,624	Oz. 32,875	£ 129,835
Marlborough ...	762	3,040	...	...
Nelson ...	1,247	4,738	2,427	9,416
West Coast ...	77,091	308,212	81,666	326,707
Otago ...	53,715	213,051	60,831	245,343
Totals ...	147,714	589,665	177,799	711,301

Customs Department,  
Wellington, 15th July, 1879.

WILLIAM SEED,  
Secretary of Customs.

RETURN of the CUSTOMS REVENUE at the several Ports of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 30th JUNE, 1879

HEADS OF REVENUE.	Rates of Duty.	TOTALS.																								Corresponding Quarter, 1878.	HEADS OF REVENUE.								
		Auckland.	Thames.	Russell.	Mongonui.	Hokianga.	Kaipara.	Tauranga.	Poverty Bay.	New Plymouth.	Wanganui.	Wellington.	Napier.	Wairau.	Pictou.	Havelock.	Kaikoura.	Nelson.	Westport.	Greymouth.	Hokitika.	Lyttelton.	Akaroa.	Timaru.	Oamaru.			Dunedin.	Invercargill.	Riverton.	Chatham.	Quantities.	Revenue.		
Spirits, ℥ gal.	12s.	15813	1386	169	9	196	...	346	1507	1402	4183	11767	2719	652	119	110	109	2303	1200	2828	1632	16263	...	1991	2633	24209	4968	604	...	165,196 gal.	99,118	105,466	Spirits, ℥ gal.		
" New Zealand, ℥ gal.	6s.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	" New Zealand, ℥ gal.
Cigars and Snuff, ℥ lb.	5s.	713	51	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cigars and Snuff, ℥ lb.
Tobacco, ℥ lb.	2s. 6d.	6715	68	87	26	103	170	32	341	312	768	3726	934	188	53	92	30	822	347	1064	710	3990	...	507	276	8787	1345	114	...	252,856 "	31,607	33,068	Tobacco, ℥ lb.		
" (Sheepwash), ℥ lb.	3d.	10	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	" (Sheepwash), ℥ lb.	
Wine, ℥ gal.	2s 4s 6s	1265	90	22	...	6	...	19	68	84	246	1206	198	28	19	...	5	154	80	205	55	1651	...	193	123	1549	323	8	...	...	7,597	8,374	Wine, ℥ gal.		
Ale, Beer, &c. in Bottle, ℥ gal.	1s. 3d.	1068	24	...	...	3	...	...	44	39	160	1753	53	...	...	...	...	119	15	51	10	1135	...	103	50	1292	264	...	98,928 gal.	6,183	5,018	Ale, Beer, &c. in Bottle, ℥ gal.			
" in Wood, "	1s.	44	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	" in Wood, "	
Tea, ℥ lb.	4d.	2249	43	4	...	...	25	12	41	91	159	1535	254	83	17	6	9	512	110	342	251	2079	...	90	85	3561	489	25	...	724,320 lb.	12,072	19,225	Tea, ℥ lb.		
Coffee, Cocoa, &c., ℥ lb.	3d.	494	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	267	10	...	...	...	...	50	...	17	86	441	...	...	1	588	122	...	166,160 "	2,077	2,095	Coffee, Cocoa, &c., ℥ lb.			
" Roasted, ℥ lb.	5d.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	" Roasted, ℥ lb.	
Sugar and Molasses, ℥ lb.	½d.	2500	95	...	2	4	77	55	18	163	351	2431	282	70	36	10	12	649	136	427	335	2946	...	59	81	3747	759	47	...	7,340,160 "	15,292	32,063	Sugar and Molasses, ℥ lb.		
Opium, ℥ lb.	20s.	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Opium, ℥ lb.	
Goods by Weight	...	3251	34	...	...	22	10	13	87	134	3362	100	7	6	...	8	657	116	565	409	3285	...	77	142	5489	1057	14	...	...	18,845	18,538	Goods by Weight.			
Ad valorem, 10 ℥ cent.	...	11423	249	4	...	85	26	75	136	918	11409	896	47	52	...	...	1617	98	638	457	13304	35	1981	691	19644	1498	113	...	...	65,396	62,056	Ad valorem, 10 ℥ cent.			
Other Duties not specified above	...	2016	43	...	...	...	11	2	22	40	69	2470	71	...	...	...	698	52	252	78	2576	...	133	27	4865	382	16	...	...	13,824	9,259	Other Duties not specified above.			
Totals	...	47575	2083	287	37	312	390	502	2137	2377	7068	40737	5643	1075	302	218	174	7650	2232	6655	4139	48546	35	5209	4187	76785	11320	961	*	...	278,636	...	Totals.		
Corresponding Qr., 1878	...	51183	2262	326	113	472	161	405	3054	2189	6440	42657	9870	1127	299	166	283	8021	3479	8367	6567	55272	37	4938	4987	79339	10394	1136	Nil	...	...	303,544	Corresponding Qr., 1878.		
Total for Financial Year ended 30th June, 1879	...	221026	8524	1267	319	1754	1338	2185	9334	9716	26991	205173	36355	4895	1212	834	1072	35060	9795	29599	20913	228011	92	20489	16996	367177	45647	3737	*3	...	1309514	...	Total for Financial Year ended 30th June, 1879.		

\* Chatham Islands return for June quarter not yet received.

Customs Department,  
Wellington, 15th July, 1879.

WILLIAM SEED,  
Secretary and Inspector.

## 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.

3998. PHILIP BOUVERIE LUXMOORE.—40 acres 3 roods 23 perches, part of Rural Section 2282, Timaru District. Occupied by Applicant.

4007. HENRY SEWELL.—5 acres 2 roods 20 perches, part of Rural Section 72, Christchurch District. Unoccupied.

4008. EDWARD CEPHAS JOHN STEVENS.—10 acres 16 perches, part of Rural Section 72, Christchurch District. Occupied by A. A. Smith.

4009. SOLOMON POHIO.—10 acres 3 roods 8 perches, part of Rural Section 4310, Waitangi District. Unoccupied.

4010. FREDERICK ALERS HANKEY, LEWIS POTTER, JOHN HUNTER, WILLIAM BROWN, JAMES MORTON, SAMUEL FRANCIS WHITE, and ROBERT STEWART.—592 acres, Rural Sections 11120 and 11238, Timaru District. Occupied by New Zealand and Australian Land Company (Limited).

4011. FREDERICK RICHARD INWOOD.—90 acres, part of Lunatic Asylum Reserve No. 92 (in red), Christchurch District. Occupied by Robert Sutherland.

4012. GEORGE DIELL.—2 acres, part of Rural Section 154, Christchurch District. Occupied by Applicant.

4013. LAUNCELOT GILES.—289 acres, Rural Sections 6165, 6166, and 6167, Mandeville District. Occupied by Applicant.

4014. DAVID LAMBDEN.—30 perches, part of Rural Section 154, Christchurch District. Occupied by Applicant.

4015. HENRY COCKAYNE ADAMS.—1 rood 7 perches, part of Rural Section 6, Christchurch District. Occupied by Applicant.

4016. FRANCIS HUDSON.—1 rood, part of Rural Section 2724, Lincoln District. Unoccupied.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 10th day of July, 1879, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

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

## LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM DEXTER, of Christchurch, Carpenter, and THOMAS GRANTHAM, of the same place, Gentleman, claiming as Trustees of the real estate of MORICE BING, late of Christchurch, Gentleman, deceased, have applied to be registered as Proprietors of 2 acres 1 rood 11 perches of land, part of Rural Section No. 41, Christchurch District, being the Lots marked 5, 6, 9, 10, 11, and part of Lot 4, on the plan deposited in this office as Plan No. 339; and that they will be so registered, unless caveat forbidding the same be lodged within one month after the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 10th day of July, 1879, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

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

## LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that ROBERT HEATON RHODES, of Christchurch, Stockowner, has applied to be registered as sole Proprietor of 1,747

acres of land situated in the Timaru District, and comprising the Rural Sections marked 14359, 14360, 14368, 14391, 14468, 14474, 14475, 14561, 14565, 14577, 14578, 14594, 14595, 14598, 14609, 14625, 14656, 14657, 15704, 15705, 15721, 16045, 16046, 16047, 16048, 16049, 16647, 16648, 19856, 20098, 20220, 20771, 23224, 23225, 23226, 23227, and 24537; and that he will be so registered, unless caveat forbidding the same be lodged within one month after the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 10th day of July, 1879, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

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

## LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that CHRISTINA AITKEN, of Naseby, in the Provincial District of Otago, Widow, claiming as Devisee under the Will of ROBERT AITKEN, late of Naseby aforesaid, Storekeeper, deceased, has made application to be registered as Proprietor in fee-simple of Section No. 157, Block I., Town of Naseby aforesaid; and that she will be so registered, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one calendar month from the date of the publication of this notice.

Dated this 3rd day of July, 1879, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

426 A. W. SMITH,  
District Land Registrar.

## 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 25th day of August, 1879.

1023. CHARLES LAIRD.—5 acres, Suburban Section No. 30, Township of Wanganui. Occupied by Alexander Don.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 16th day of July, 1879, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

435 GEO. B. DAVY,  
District Land Registrar.

## APPLICATION FOR WATER-LICENSE IN LIEU OF CERTIFICATES.

To Charles Broad, Esq., Warden, Charleston.

Charleston, 16th June, 1879.

SIR,—We, the undersigned, are desirous, under section 88 of "The Mines Act, 1877," of amending the titles we at present hold to the herein-mentioned certificates for Dams and Easements attached, and obtaining in lieu thereof a Water-license embracing the whole under the provisions of section 31, subsection 3, of "The Mines Act, 1877."

*Dams for Storing Water, as included in Registered Certificates now held as under:—*

No. 7423, 2892.

December 3, 1879. Granted, January 22, 1874. Area, 50 by 80 yards; wall, 7 feet high; situate in a gully, Darkies' Terrace, near Thompson's Machine. Reg. No. 754.

No. 8961, 2570.

July 17, 1878. Granted, May 4, 1869. Area, 200 by 200 yards; situate on flat south-west of Darkies' Terrace. Reg. No. 527.

No. 8965, 654.

July 17, 1878. Granted, March 19, 1879. Area, 200 by 200 yards; wall, 5 feet high; situate near Thompson and party's Machine, Darkies' Terrace. Reg. No. 885.

No. 8966, 655.

July 17, 1878. Granted, March 12, 1874. Area, 200 by 200 yards; wall, 5 feet high; situate 300 yards below Thompson and Parker's Machine, Darkies' Terrace. Reg. No. 886.

No. 8967, 2503.

July 17, 1878. Granted, March 28, 1867. Area, 50 by 60 yards; situate south-west of their claim, Darkies' Terrace. Reg. No. 293.

No. 8968, 2504.

July 17, 1878. Granted, April 3, 1868. Area, 60 by 60 yards; situate in a gully near Darkies' Terrace. Reg. No. 2097.

No. 970, 2868.

March 12, 1879. Granted, July 14, 1878. Area, 100 yards square; situate about 50 yards from McCarthy and party's claim. Reg. No. 163.

No. 969, 2875.

March 12, 1879. Granted, February 19, 1869. Area, 100 by 100 yards; wall, 6 feet high; situate about 300 yards north of Catholic Chapel, and 100 yards from Brighton Road.

No. 908, 8702.

April 16, 1879. Granted, March 5, 1867. Area, 300 by 50 yards, and race commencing at dam, terminating at sea-beach, one mile in length; course, east and west; situate at Cement Terrace. Reg. No. 213.

No. 723, 2784.

December 19, 1878. Granted, November 25, 1870. Area, 150 by 40 feet; wall, 14 feet high; situate at Cement Lead, in a gully a quarter of a mile from Charleston. Reg. No. 562.

No. 725, 2786.

December 19, 1878. Granted, November 25, 1870. Area, 150 by 40 feet; wall, 14 feet high; situate at Cement Lead, in a gully a quarter of a mile from Charleston. Reg. No. 560.

No. 727, 787.

December 19, 1878. Area, 30 by 15 yards. Granted, November 27, 1877. Wall, 2 feet high from surface, or 6 inches higher than the present level of tailings with gate in wall; situate at the head of their race, Darkies' Creek; for protecting the head of race from tailings. Reg. No. 176.

No. 8918, 2610.

July 5, 1878. Granted, July 2, 1872. Area, 100 by 100 yards; wall, 10 feet high; situate on the lease "Who would have thought it," Charleston. Reg. No. 876.

No. 8996, 2646.

August 7, 1878. Granted, July 29, 1873. Area, 40 by 60 yards; wall, 8 feet high; situate at the head of their race, Darkies' Creek, Charleston. Reg. No. 691.

No. 8760, 691.

April 17, 1878. Granted, April 15, 1869. Area, 200 by 100 yards; wall, 6 feet high; situate near the cricket-ground at Charleston. Reg. No. 507.

*And following Easements:—*

No. 7420, 1524.

March 12, 1879. Granted, January 16, 1867. 1½

miles in length; commencing 300 yards from Darkies' Terrace; course, east and west; and terminating at Township Lead, Charleston. 2 heads of water, 80 inches; head-race. Reg. No. 42.

No. 1147, 2785.

July 17, 1878. Granted, April 3, 1869. Head-race, 300 yards in length, commencing at their dam Back Lead, Darkies' Terrace; course, east and west; and terminating at their machine; 60 inches of water.

No. 7421, 1148.

March 12, 1879. Head-race. Granted, March 11, 1869. 50 yards in length, commencing in Darkies' Creek; course, east and west; and terminating at their machine under Hunter's Fluming. Reg. two heads of water, 40 inches. Reg. No. 4334.

No. 1146, 786.

July 17, 1878. Head-race. Granted, April 11, 1868. 300 yards in length, commencing at their dam; course, north and east; and terminating at their machine. Reg. 20 inches of water. Reg. No. 2096.

No. 529, 1395.

September 13, 1878. Head-race. Granted, August 31, 1876. 400 yards in length, commencing at head-race No. 503, Darkies' Terrace, and terminating in head-race No. 3382; course, north and south. Reg. No. 103.

No. 1145, 750.

July 17, 1878. Head-race. Granted, 4369, 3170, 600 yards in length, commencing on the Frenchman's Claim, Town Lead (extension included in old right), and terminating at Ferguson's Claim, Town Lead. Reg. No. 203.

No. 967, 1527.

March 12, 1879. Head-race. Granted, March 1, 1877. 200 yards in length, commencing at our dam, Cement Lead, and terminating at our claim, Charleston Flat. Reg. No. 183.

No. 822, 1422.

November 28, 1878. Head-race. Granted at Westport, November 8, 1866. 1½ miles in length, commencing half a mile east of the new rush on Darkies' Terrace, one mile east of Charleston, and terminating a quarter of a mile from the beach on the claim, Town Lead; course, east and west. See Reg. 1146, November 12, 1868, Westport, No. 16 of renewal of Reg. at Charleston. Reg. No. 196. Three heads, of 40 inches each.

No. 1177, 1288.

July 26, 1878. Head-race. Granted, July 25, 1871. 400 yards in length, commencing at their dam, Rotten Row, Charleston; course, east and west; and terminating at Constant Bay. Reg. No. 756.

No. 1176, 1287.

July 26, 1878. Head-race. Granted, July 22, 1872. ½ mile in length, commencing at the Post Office Dam, Charleston; course, north and south; and terminating at the Town Lead. Reg. No. 691.

No. 7422, 1518.

March 12, 1879. Tail-race. Granted, February 2, 1871. 900 yards in length, commencing at their lease, Darkie's Creek; course, north and south; and terminating below Cronin's Dam. Reg. No. 617.

No. 1194, 3327.

August 7, 1878. Tail-race. Granted, December 19, 1872. 19 chains in length, commencing at their claim, Darkie's Terrace; course, east and west; and terminating at Cronin's Dam. Granted in lieu of

tail-races No. 200 and 1267, certificates of which have been surrendered. Reg. No. 735.

No. 780, 1459.

December 10, 1878. Tail-race. Granted, November 10, 1876. 500 yards in length, commencing at our claim near Cement Lead, and terminating at a creek below the Darkie's Terrace Road; course, north and south. Reg. No. 132.

No. 600, 1367.

October 4, 1878. Tail-race. Granted, September 27, 1872. 500 yards in length, commencing at Town Lead; course, east and west; and terminating at beach, Constant Bay.

JOB GREGORY.  
HUGH HORNER.

Granted.

CHARLES BROAD,  
Warden.

19th June, 1879.

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APPLICATION FOR LEASE.

To the Warden at Lawrence.

Tuapeka, 27th June, 1879.

I HEREBY apply for a Gold-Mining Lease of the lands hereinafter described, in accordance with the Gold-Mining Lease Regulations of New Zealand; and I agree, upon the approval of this application, to execute a lease upon the basis therein stated, if the Governor shall think fit to grant the same.

ALEXANDER McNAB.

Name and address in full of applicants: Alexander McNab, Edward Lawson, William Johnstone, Alexander George Thomson, Richard Snedden, all of Blue Spur.

Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: Nelson Gold-Mining Cement Company, No. 2.

Extent of land applied for: Eight acres.

Minimum number of men to be employed by the lessees: For the first six months, two men; subsequently, when in full work, ten men.

Amount of capital proposed to be invested: £2,000.

Proposed mode of working the land: By sluicing and crushing.

Precise locality: Section 126, Block V., Waitahuna East District.

Term for which lease is required: Fifteen years.

Time of commencing operations: Immediately on lease being granted.

The above application, with any objections thereto, will be heard at the Warden's Office at Lawrence on Friday, the 8th day of August, 1879.

Any person desiring to object to the issue of a mining lease upon the above application must, within forty-one clear days from the date of such application, enter his objection at the Warden's Office, Lawrence.

H. J. ABEL,

Warden's Office, Lawrence,  
27th June, 1879.

pro Warden.  
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CITY OF AUCKLAND.

NOTICE is hereby given that the City Council of Auckland intend to introduce the following Bills to the forthcoming session of Parliament:—

A Bill to consolidate the Loans of the City of Auckland, and to make provision for future Loans.

A Bill to transfer the Improvement Commissioners' Trust to the City of Auckland.

A Bill to transfer the Site and Property of the Auckland Mechanics' Institute and Provincial Council Library to the City of Auckland for the purpose of establishing a Free Public Library.

P. A. PHILIPS,  
Town Clerk.

City Council Offices,  
Auckland, 7th July, 1879.

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In the matter of a Bill intituled "An Act for Declaring the Purposes for which certain Lands are held in Trust by the Church Property Trustees within the Diocese of Christchurch, and for the better defining the Trusts thereof, and for the better Conveyance to and vesting in the said Church Property Trustees of certain other lands, and for the better Regulation and Management of all Lands now or hereafter to be vested in the said Trustees;" and in the matter of "The Private Estates Bills Act, 1867."

NOTICE is hereby given that application is intended to be made at the next session of the General Assembly of New Zealand, by a petition, for leave to bring in a Bill for declaring the purposes for which certain lands are held in trust by the Church Property Trustees within the Diocese of Christchurch, and for the better defining the trusts thereof, and for the conveyance to and vesting in the Church Property Trustees of certain other lands, and for the better regulation and management of all lands now or hereafter to be vested in the said Trustees.

Copies of the Bill will be deposited in the Private Bill Office on or before the commencement of the session.

It is intended to define the trusts upon which certain lands now vested in the Church Property Trustees, constituted a corporation with perpetual succession under that name by an Ordinance of the Superintendent and Provincial Council of the late Province of Canterbury, No. 3, of the second session of the said Council, intituled "The Church Property Trust Ordinance, Session II., No. 3," are held, being the lands commonly known as the Bishopric Estate and the Dean and Chapter Estate, and to apply for powers for the disposal of the income and revenues thereof.

Also for defining the manner in which the lands now vested in the Diocesan Board of Trustees, the Church Property Trustees, or any other Trustees appointed by the Synod of the Diocese of Christchurch, as reserves or sites for churches, schools, parsonages, glebes, cemeteries, or other church purposes, shall be administered by the Church Property Trustees or other Trustees.

Also that certain lands vested in the late George Augustus, Bishop of New Zealand, as a corporation sole, shall vest in the Church Property Trustees, subject to the trusts thereof.

Also that certain lands within the Diocese of Christchurch, held by the Trustees appointed by the Synod of the said diocese under the authority of "The Religious, Charitable, and Educational Act 1856 Amendment Act, 1865," may be conveyed to the Church Property Trustees, subject to the trusts thereof.

Also to give power to the Church Property Trustees to deal with all lands now or hereafter to be vested in them as sites for cemeteries.

Also to make further and better provision for the regulation, administration, and management of all the lands held or to be hereafter held by the Church Property Trustees.

The muniments of title relating to all the above lands will be deposited for inspection at the office of the Church Property Trustees, at Christ's College, in

the City of Christchurch, on or before the 11th day of June instant, and will, if required, on or before the commencement of the session, be deposited in the Private Bills Office.

H. J. C. CHRISTCHURCH.  
HENRY JACOBS, Dean of Christchurch.  
GEORGE COTTEBELL, Canon.

Passed under the corporate seal of the Church Property Trustees.

Dated this tenth day of June, 1879.

HARPER AND HARPER,  
Solicitors for the Bill.

IZARD AND BELL,  
Parliamentary Agents, Wellington. 362

In the matter of the Foxton and Sanson Railway Company (Limited), and "The District Railways Act, 1877," and Amendment Act, 1878.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Foxton and Sanson Railway Company (Limited) propose to construct a railway, under the provisions of the above-named Acts, from the Township of Foxton to the Township of Sanson, both in the Provincial District of Wellington, and that the said Company have, pursuant to the provisions of the said Acts, deposited at each of the several places under mentioned (1) a plan on which is set forth the middle line and direction of the said proposed railway, and (2) a book of reference describing the same.

The several places at which plans and books of reference have been deposited as aforesaid are as follows: The County Council Office, Foxton; the Schoolhouse, Carnarvon; and the Secretary's Office, Sanson.

The plan and book of reference at each such place is there open for public inspection, without fee.

Notice is also given that the area which it is proposed to constitute a railway district for the purposes of the said Acts, and the boundaries thereof, are as follows, that is to say: All that area of land situate wholly in the Provincial District of Wellington, estimated to contain by admeasurement 120,000 acres, boundary lines as follows: Commencing at the north boundary of Section 98, Township of Sanson, and thence in a southerly direction along the Rangitikei River to the south-west boundary of Native Reserve, unoccupied; thence along the said boundary to Section 97 in the said township; thence along the western and south-western boundaries of the said section; thence along the western boundary of Sections 129, 166, 305, 307 (Native Reserve 321), 326, 329, 474, 473, 472, and 471; thence along the southern boundary of Section 471 and Block III. to the Manawatu River; thence along the Manawatu River in a south-easterly direction to the western boundary of Block I.; thence through the property of Falconer Larkworthy to Section 28, Carnarvon; thence in a straight line to Section 334, Native Reserve; thence along the southern and eastern boundaries of the same to Section 319; thence along the southern boundaries of Sections 319, 320, and Native Reserves 337 and 351; thence in a northerly direction along the Manawatu River to Native Reserve 100; thence along the northern boundary of the Douglas Block to Section 304; thence along the eastern boundary of Sections 304, 303, 302, 301, 300, 299, 298, 291, 90, 89, 80, 79, 122, 120, and 118; thence along the northern boundary of Sections 118, 112, 111, Carnarvon, and 101 and 98, Township of Sandon, to the point of starting.

Notice is also given that the maximum rate of tolls and charges for the carriage of animals, goods, merchandise, and passengers proposed to be charged on the said proposed railway shall be as follows:—

	For any Distance not exceeding 10 Miles.	Per Mile after First 10 Miles.
<b>ANIMALS.</b>		
Horses, one only ... ..	10 0	0 3
„ each additional one belonging to same owner ... ..	7 6	0 2½
Cattle, one only ... ..	7 6	0 2½
„ each additional one belonging to same owner ... ..	5 0	0 2
Calves (1 year old and under), one only ... ..	4 0	0 1½
„ each additional one belonging to same owner ... ..	2 0	0 0½
Sheep, goats, or pigs, one only ... ..	4 0	0 1½
„ each additional one belonging to same owner ... ..	2 0	0 0½
Sheep, goats, or pigs, and calves, in large lots, per truck, loaded and unloaded by owner, who takes all responsibility and risk ... ..	15 0	1 0
<b>CARRIAGES, ETC.</b>		
Carriages, two-wheeled ... ..	10 0	0 4
„ four-wheeled ... ..	12 6	0 5
Drays ... ..	12 6	0 5
<b>GOODS AND MERCHANDISE.</b>		
Per ton, per mile ... ..	...	0 7
Minimum weight 2 cwt., minimum charge ... ..	1 0	...
In addition to above charges a terminal charge will be made not exceeding, per ton ... ..	...	3 0
<b>GRAIN.</b>		
Grain of all kinds, flour, green horse-feed, per mile, per ton ... ..	...	0 3
Minimum weight 2 tons. In smaller quantities as merchandise a terminal charge will be made not exceeding, per ton ... ..	...	3 0
<b>MINERAL AND ANIMAL MANURES.</b>		
Per ton, per mile, minimum quantity 4 tons ... ..	...	0 2½
Minimum charges, coal for 3 miles and under ... ..	...	1 6
Minimum charges, coal for over 3 and not exceeding 15 miles ... ..	...	2 6
Minimum charges, other minerals ... ..	...	1 3
Small lots, in packages or bags, as merchandise, every loading or unloading done by the Company, per ton ... ..	...	1 6
<b>WOOL.</b>		
Undumped, per bale, per mile (bale not to exceed 4 cwt.) ... ..	0 1½	...
Undumped, for each bale exceeding 4 cwt., extra, per mile ... ..	0 0½	...
Undumped, minimum charge, per bale ... ..	1 0	...
Double-dumped, per mile (bale not to exceed 8 cwt.) ... ..	0 2½	...
Double-dumped, for each bale exceeding 8 cwt., each, per mile ... ..	0 0½	...
Double-dumped, minimum charge, per bale ... ..	1 6	...
Each loading or unloading done by the Company, per bale, undumped ... ..	0 4	...
Each loading or unloading done by the Company, per bale, dumped ... ..	0 8	...
<b>TIMBER.</b>		
Sawn timber, per 100 feet superficial, per mile ... ..	0 0½	...
Sawn timber, minimum charge, per 100 feet superficial ... ..	0 7	...
Heavy timber, per 100 feet superficial, per mile ... ..	0 1	...
Heavy timber, minimum charge, per 100 feet superficial ... ..	1 0	...
Australian timber, rate and a half. For each loading and unloading done by the Company, 100 feet superficial ... ..	0 4	...
A truck load is computed at 5 tons. A fraction of a mile is counted as a mile. A truck of firewood must not exceed 3 tons.	...	...
<b>PASSENGERS.</b>		
First class, per mile ... ..	0 3½	...
Second class, per mile ... ..	0 2½	...
Minimum charge, first class ... ..	0 6	...
„ second class ... ..	0 4	...
Return fares equal one and a half single fares. A fraction of a mile is counted as a mile.	...	...
<b>STORAGE.</b>		
On all goods not removed within twelve working hours of their arrival, per ton, per day ... ..	2 0	...



DEMURRAGE. s. d.  
On all trucks not unloaded by the consignees within  
four working hours of their arrival, per truck, per day 20 0  
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I HEREBY give notice that, under a writ of *feri facias*, duly issued out of the Supreme Court at the suit of ARTHUR BIGBY BUNNY, of the Town of Masterton, Solicitor, I have taken in execution the equity of redemption of GEORGE HEDGER, of the City of Wellington, Painter, in all that parcel of land, being portion of Section 239 on the plan of the City of Wellington, and being Allotments numbered 28 and 29 on the plan of the said section as subdivided. Bounded towards the North, thirty-three feet six inches and thirty-three feet six inches, by Vivian Street; towards the South, thirty-three feet six inches and thirty-three feet six inches, by other part of the said section; towards the East by Lot 27 of the said section; and towards the West by Lot 30; and measuring respectively ninety-nine feet; 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 eighth day of October, 1879, at two o'clock in the afternoon, unless the same be previously released.

The Solicitor for the Execution Creditor is Mr. H. H. Travers, of Featherston Street, Wellington.  
Dated this 8th day of July, 1879.

ALEX. S. ALLAN,  
Sheriff.

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I HEREBY give notice that, under a writ of *feri facias*, duly issued out of the Supreme Court at the suit of the BANK OF NEW ZEALAND, carrying on business at Napier, I have taken in execution the equity of redemption of ROBERT MCKNIGHT in all those pieces of land situate in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, being Sections numbers 114 and 121 on the Government plan of the Ormondville Special Settlement, and being the whole of the land comprised in the receipt of the Receiver of Land Revenue, registered Provisional Register, Vol. iv., folio 284; and that I intend to cause the same to be sold at the auction-rooms of Edward Lyndon, Auctioneer, at Napier, on the ninth day of October, 1879, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

The Solicitor for the Execution Creditors is Mr. A. J. Cotterill, of Shakespeare Road, Napier.  
Dated this 4th day of July, 1879.

DUNCAN GUY,

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Sheriff of the District of Hawke's Bay.

STATEMENT of the Affairs of the Cromwell Quartz-Mining Company (Limited), for the half-year ended 30th June, 1879, in accordance with section 135 of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872."

Name of Company: The Cromwell Quartz-Mining Company (Limited).  
When formed, and date of registration: December, 1876.  
Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Princes Street, Dunedin; John Alexander Mackenzie.  
Nominal capital: £76,800.  
Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders: Nil.  
Number of shares in which capital is divided: 12,800.  
Number of shares taken: 12,800.  
Amount of calls made: Nil.  
Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: £64,000.  
Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company: 10.  
Amount of cash in hand: £662 17s. 8d.  
Whether in operation or not: In operation.  
Total amount of dividends declared: £17,792.  
Number of shares unallotted: Nil.

J. A. MACKENZIE,

Manager.

Dunedin, 3rd July, 1879.

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GEO. DIDSBUY,  
Government Printer.

Government Printing Office,  
Wellington, 16th December, 1878.

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