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Boundaries of District Court District of Christchurch altered.

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor. (L.S.) A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The District Courts Act, 1858," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor from time to time, as he shall think fit, by Proclamation in the New Zealand Gazette, to constitute throughout the colony, or in any part thereof, districts within which District Courts shall be respectively held, and such districts to abolish, and the boundaries thereof to define or alter:

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

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

Now, therefore, I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pur-suance and exercise of the powers and authority vested in me by the said Act, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the fourteenth day of February next, the boundaries of the district within which the District Court of Christchurch shall be held shall be altered, and that thenceforth the boun-daries thereof shall be the boundaries hereinafter described.

THE DISTRICT COURT OF CHRISTCHURCH. Description of District.

All that area of land in the Provincial District of

Teremakau and Hurunui Rivers to the source of the said Hurunui River; and thence by the middle of that river to the sea; thence towards the East by the sea to the Rakaia River; thence towards the South-west by the left bank of that river to its source in the Southern Alps; and thence by a right line due west to the summit of the said Southern Alps; and thence towards the North-west by lines along the summit of the said Southern Alps to saddle at the sources of the Teremakau and Hurunui Rivers, the starting point.

> Given under the hand of His Excellency the Honourable Arthur Hamilton Gordon, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Her Majesty's High Commissioner for the Western Pacific, 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 Napier, this twenty-ninth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

> > WM. ROLLESTON.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Constituting District Court of Ashburton.

(L.S.) ARTHUR GORDON, Governor. A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Districts Courts Act, 1858," W it is enacted that there shall be within the Colony of New Zealand Courts of Record, possessing civil and criminal jurisdiction, to be called District Courts, and the Governor is empowered from time Canterbury, bounded towards the North by a right Courts, and the Governor is empowered from time line from the saddle between the sources of the to time, as he shall think fit, by Proclamation in the

New Zealand Gazette, to constitute throughout the teer colony, or in any part thereof, districts within which such Courts shall be respectively held, and such districts to abolish, and the boundaries thereof to define or alter, and also to declare by what local her

name such Courts shall be designated : Now, therefore, I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the said colony, in pursuance and exercise of the aforesaid power and authority, do hereby constitute and proclaim the district of the said colony hereinafter described or referred to, to be, from and after the fourteenth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, a district within which a District Court shall be held under the said Act and under "The District Courts Act Amendment Act, 1865."

And in further pursuance and exercise of the authority aforesaid, I do hereby declare that the said Court shall be designated by the name hereunder specified, that is to say,—

Designation of Court.

"THE DISTRICT COURT OF ASHBURTON."

Description of District.

All that area of land in the Provincial District of Canterbury, bounded towards the North-east by the Christchurch District Court District, hereinbefore described, from the summit of the Southern Alps to the sea; thence towards the South-east by the sea to the Rangitata River; thence towards the South-west by the middle of that river to Forest Creek; thence by the middle of that creek to its source in Two Thumb Range; thence by the summit of the source in Two Thumb Range; thence by the summit of the Southern Alps, near Mount Tyndall; and thence towards the Northwest by lines along the summit of the Southern Alps to a point due west of the source of the Rakaia River.

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Lands declared to be Waste Lands of the Orown.

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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, to be issued and expended in the purchase of lands in the North Island of New Zealand, and it is expedient that the said lands should be declared to be waste lands of the Crown:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, 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 seven-

teenth section of "The Waste Lands Administration Act, 1876," and the twenty-eighth section of "The Land Act 1877 Amendment Act, 1879," and all other authorities enabling me in that behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare the said lands to be waste lands of the Crown, subject, except as in the first-mentioned 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 in force in the Land Districts of Auckland and Hawke's Bay respectively.

SCHEDULE.

ROTOKAKARANGU.

ALL that parcel of land situate partly in the Provincial District of Auckland and partly in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, known as Rotokakarangu, containing by admeasurement 16,684 acres or thereabouts, namely, 9,795 acres in the Provincial District of Auckland, and 6,889 acres in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay. Bounded towards the North by a surveyed line from the mouth of the Whakamarino Stream, 46516 links, to Trig. Station No. 126; thence by a line, 18417 links, to Trig. Station No. 63; towards the North-east by a line, 11000 links, to the boundary of the Rotokakarangu No. 2 Block; towards the East by the Rotokakarangu No. 2 Block; towards the East by the Rotokakarangu No. 2 Block; sof600 links, 10883 links and 4350 links, to the Mohaka Biver; towards the South by the Mohaka River; and towards the West by the Mohaka River and Te Hoe Stream to the mouth of the Whakamarino Stream, the point of commencement.

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SCHEDULE.

OKURA NO. 2 (PART OF).

ALL that parcel of land at Whangaroa, in the District of Mangonui, in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 216 acres, more or less, being a portion of the block known as Okura No. 2. Bounded towards the North-east by a line, 5918 links; towards the East by other portion of Okura No. 2 Block, 780 links, 1129 links, and 2429 links; towards the South again by other portion of Okura No. 2 Block aforesaid, 4007 links; and towards the West by the Totara Block, 5834 links.

PATUTUMUTUMU.

All that parcel of land at Ohaeawai, in the District of Bay of Islands, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Patutumutumu, containing by admeasurement 1,409 acres. Bounded towards the North-east by lines, 14963 links; towards the South-east by lines, 9395 links; towards the Southwest by the Punakitire Stream, 20600 links; and towards the North-west by the Tukuwhenua Block, the Whakapure Stream, the last-named block, the Ngapipito Block, and the Otaupea Stream, 20541 links.

MAROPARAE.

All that parcel of land in the District of Hokianga, in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 250 acres, more or less, being the portion of Te Arawhatatora No. 1 Block known as the Maroparae Reserve. Bounded towards the North by the Punakitere River, 7400 links; towards the East and South by lines, 7639 links; and towards the West by other portion of the said Te Arawhatatotara No. 1 Block, 7493 links.

TE HUEHUE No. 1.

All that parcel of land at Waoku, in the District of Hokianga, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Te Huehue No. 1, containing by admeasurement 4,745 acres. Bounded towards the North-east by Te Huehue No. 2 Block, 23400 links; towards the South-east by the Otaienga Stream and lines, 23248 links; towards the Southwest by the Wai-o-te-tahanga Stream and the Waoku No. 1 Block, 19555 links; and towards the Northwest by lines and Te Toutou Block, 24107 links: excepting a Native burial-ground known as Kaitakapu, containing by estimation 50 acres or thereabouts.

TE PAKU.

All that parcel of land at Herekino, in the District of Hokianga, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Te Paku, containing by admeasurement 327 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by the Herekino River, 6650 links; towards the North-east by lines, 8542 links; towards the South by the Puhata Creek, 11000 links; and towards the West by the Herekino River aforesaid, a Wahi Tapu, and the said river, 5926 links: excepting out of the hereinbefore-described area a Native burial-ground, containing 10 acres, more or less.

AUKUMEROA NO. 2.

All that parcel of land in the District of Mangakahia, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Aukumeroa No. 2, containing by admeasurement 1,327 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North-west and North-east by the Mangakahia River, 43900 links; towards the South by the Opouteke Block, 17543 links; and towards the South-west by the said block, 18882 links.

MANGAHUI.

All that parcel of land at Whangarei, in the District of Whangarei, in the Provincial District of Auekland, known by the name of Mangahui, containing by admeasurement 1,653 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by the Taheke Block and lines, and the Kakahoroa Block and lines, 24049 links; towards the East by the Horahora No. 2 Block, 2356 links; towards the South-east by the Waiparera Block, 22510 links; and towards the West by the said Taheke Block, 16253 links.

KAKAHOROA.

All that parcel of land at Whangarei, in the District of Whangarei, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Kakahoroa, containing by admeasurement 366 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by a line and the Horahora River, 6169 links; towards the North-east by the said river and a line, 6750 links; towards the South-east by the Mangahui Block, 5670 links; and towards the South-west by the said block, 6550 links.

OHIRUA (PART OF).

All that portion of the block of land in the District of Whangarei, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Ohirua, containing by admeasurement 2 acres 3 roods 20 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the North by a line, 102 links; towards the West by lines, 155 links and 560 links; towards the North-west by lines, 1126 links and 901 links; again towards the West by a line, 71 links; towards the South by a line, 105 links; towards the East by a line, 76 links; towards the South-east by lines, 876 links and 1178 links; and again towards the East by lines, 586 links and 121 links.

OTAIKA No. 1.

All that parcel of land in the District of Whangarei, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Otaika No. 1, containing by admeasurement 3 acres and 36 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the North-east by a line, 106 links; towards the East by lines, 3158 links; towards the South by the Otaika River, 110 links; and towards the West by lines, 3302 links.

MOEHAU NO. 1L.

All that parcel of land at Cape Colville, in the District of Coromandel, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Moehau No. 1L, containing by admeasurement 980 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North-east by the Moehau No. 1r Block, 10510 links; towards the South-east by the Moehau No. 1 κ Block, 9269 links; towards the South-west by the Hauraki Gulf, 14300 links; and towards the North-west by the Moehau No. 1r Block aforesaid, 8000 links.

WAIKANAE NO. 1.

All that parcel of land at Cabbage Bay, in the District of Coromandel, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Waikanae No. 1, containing by admeasurement 2,950 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North-east by the Waikanae Creek, the Waikanae No. 2 Block, and the Matamataharakeke Block, 23785 links; towards the South-east and South by lines, the Rangiahu Block, the Kairaumati No. 1 Block, and the Kairaumati No. 2 Block, 31628 links; towards the West by Cabbage Bay and lines, 6269 links; and towards the Northwest by lines, 24011 links: excepting out of the hereinbefore-described area two Native reserves known respectively as Waikanae No. 3, containing 147 acres, and Waikanae No. 4, containing 191 acres, to be Crown-granted to the Natives whose names are specified in the deed of conveyance to Her Majesty.

MANGINAHAE.

All that parcel of land at Waiwhakaurunga, in the District of Thames, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Manginahae, containing by admeasurement 147 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the East by the centre of the Waiwhakaurunga River, by the Waiwhakaurunga Block, 695 links and 1340 links, and again by the centre of the Waiwhakaurunga River; towards the South by the Tahunga Stream and by the Mangarehu East Block 230 links, 207 links, 214 links, 112 links, 184 links, 388 links, 187 links, 186 links, 232 links, 386 links, 134 links, 145 links, 216 links, and 166 links, and by the Mangarehu Block 250 links and 156 links; and towards the North-west by the Hotoritori Block and the Waiwhakaurunga Block, 6310 links.

TE WAIU.

All that parcel of land at Parawai, in the District of Hauraki, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Te Waiu, containing by admeasurement 8 acres and 12 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the North-east by lines, 323 links, 389 links, 193 links, and 532 links; towards the South-east by lines, 587 links and 278 links; towards the South-west by lines, 969 links and 492 links; and towards the North-west by the Totara Block, 418 links.

WAIHOU WEST NO. 1A.

All that parcel of land in the District of Thames, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Waihou West No. 1A, containing by admeasurement 1,211 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North-east by the Waihou West No. 1B Block, by lines, the Te Koutu No. 1 Block, the Waihou River, and the Parahamuti No. 2 Block, 17375 links; towards the South-east by the Parahamuti No. 2 Block aforesaid, by lines, the Komataraututu Nos. 2 and 1 Blocks, again by lines, and by the Waihou River aforesaid, 9046 links; towards the South-west by the Waihou West Nos. 3 and 2 Blocks, 7000 links; and towards the West and North-west by lines, 14000 links, to the point of commencement.

TE NIHINIHI.

All that parcel of land at Ohinemuri, in the District of Thames, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Te Nihinihi, containing by admeasurement 548 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North-east by the Waihou River, 5200 links; towards the South-east by the Omotahi No. 1 Block, 12898 links; towards the South-west by the Hoururangi Block, 4435 links; and towards the North-west by the Totarapapa Block, the Ahikope No. 1 Block, and the Ahikope No. 2 Block, 11858 links.

ALLOTMENT NO. 1, PARISH OF MATATA.

All that parcel of land in the District of Matata, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known as Allotment No. 1 of the Parish of Matata, containing by admeasurement 835 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by a road 100 links wide, 928 links; thence crossing the same road, 100 links; thence by Allotment No. 10, 3061 links; thence crossing a road, 107 links; thence by the same road, 330 links; thence by Allotment No. 4, 364 links and 4530 links; towards the East by the Tarawera River; towards the South by Allotment No. 23, 10220 links; and towards the West by a road of width aforesaid, 1160 links, 1548 links, 934 links, 800 links, 1639 links, 1330 links, 1207 links, and 1784 links; intersected by a road 100 links wide,

Allotment No. 27, Parish of Matata.

All that parcel of land in the District of Matata, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known as Allotment No. 27 of the Parish of Matata, containing by admeasurement 4,818 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by Allotment No. 12, 13670 links; towards the East by Allotment No. 21, 8270 links; again towards the North by Allotment No. 21 aforesaid and Allotment No. 26, 6500 links; towards the North-west by Allotment No. 20, 9500 links; thence crossing a road, 194 links; and again by Allotment No. 20 aforesaid, 3200 links; towards the North-east by the Tarawera River; towards the South-east by Allotment No. 29, 9360 links; thence crossing a road, 108 links; thence by Allotment No. 29 aforesaid, 4016 links; thence by Allotment No. 29 aforesaid and Allotment No. 28, 25400 links; and towards the West by Allotment No. 63, 23470 links: intersected from north to south by a road 100 links wide.

ALLOTMENT NO. 32, PARISH OF MATATA.

All that parcel of land at Matata, in the District of Bay of Plenty, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known as Allotment No. 32, Parish of Matata, containing by admeasurement 50 acres, more or less. Bounded on the South-east by the Ruaparapara Stream; on the East and North-east by Section A, No. 31; on the North and North-west by the Tamurenui Lake and Allotment No. 35; and on the West and South-west by Allotment No. 33.

ALLOTMENT No 34, PARISH OF MATATA.

All that parcel of land at Matata, in the District of Bay of Plenty, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known as Allotment No. 34, Parish of Matata, containing by admeasurement 50 acres, more or less. Bounded on the South-east by the Ruaparapara Stream; on the East and North-east by Allotment No. 33; on the North and North-west by Allotment No. 35; and on the West and South-west by Allotment No. 36.

ALLOTMENT NO. 37, PARISH OF MATATA.

All that parcel of land at Matata, in the District of Bay of Plenty, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known as Allotment No. 37, Parish of Matata, containing by admeasurement 50 acres, more or less. Bounded on the South and South-east by the Rotorua Lake and the Ruaparapara Stream; on the East and North-east by Allotment No. 36; on the North and North-west by Section A, No. 31; and on the West and South-west by Allotment No. 38.

PUKEROA NO. 2.

All that parcel of land at Waihi, in the District of Bay of Plenty, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Pukeroa No. 2, containing by admeasurement 20,438 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North-east and East by the Pongakawa Creek, 93000 links; towards the South by the Kaikokopu Block, 47750 links; and towards the West and North-west by the Kaikokopu Creek and the Waihi Lagoon, 81000 links: excepting out of the hereinbefore-described area a reserve for the Native owners, containing 50 acres or thereabouts.

ARAWHAWHATI.

All that parcel of land at Waiapu, in the District of Waiapu, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Arawhawhati, containing by admeasurement 3,895 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North-east by lines and the Aorangiwai Block, 26783 links; towards the South-east by the Waingakia River, a stream, and the Korakonui Block, 16572 links; towards the South-west by Te Angaanga Block, the Whakaironui Block, and the said Waingakia River, 26590 links; and towards the West by the Makupapa Stream and Te Papatipu-ote-Ngaere Block, 25751 links.

Korakonui.

All that parcel of land at Waiapu, in the District of Waiapu, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Korakonui, containing by admeasurement 725 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North-west and North by the Waingakia River, 15700 links; towards the East by Te Roto Block, 7400 links; towards the South by Te Angaanga Block, 9994 links; and towards the Southwest by the Arawhawhati Block and a stream, 5372 links.

ТЕ Кото.

All that parcel of land at Waiapu, in the District of Waiapu, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Te Roto, containing by admeasurement 1,190 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by the Waingakia River, 6100 links; towards the East by the Horehore Block, 17617 links; towards the South-east by the Mata River, 6900 links; and towards the West by Te Roto Stream, Te Anganga Block, and the Korakonui Block, 24637 links.

WAIHORA No. 2.

All that parcel of land in the District of Poverty Bay, in the Provincial of Auckland, known by the name of Waihora No. 2, containing by admeasurement 8,905 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by the Motumuka Stream and the Arakihi Block, 2194 links; towards the East by the Waimata North Block 5969 links, 17217 links, and 4854 links, and by the Waimata West Block 9509 links and 3473 links; towards the South-west by a line bearing 307° 18' magnetic to the Waihora No. 2B Block ; towards the West by the Waihora No. 2B Block to the Waihora River; thence by the Waihora River to its junction with the Motumate Stream; thence by the Motumate Stream to its junction with the Motumuka and Matai Streams, the point of commencement.

WAIMATA NORTH.

All that parcel of land in the District of Poverty Bay, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Waimata North, containing by admeasurement 10,000 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by the Arakihi Block, 1934 links, 1046 links, 1460 links, and 860 links, and the Mangarara Stream; towards the East by the western boundary of the Waimata North No. 1 Block; towards the Sonth by the Waimata River; towards the West by the Mangahouku Stream, the Waimata West Block, 4868 links, 2367 links, 4427 links, 7967 links, 6819 links, 11217 links, 5969 links, to the point of commencement.

WAIMATA EAST NO. 1.

All that parcel of land in the District of Poverty Bay, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Waimata East No. 1, containing by admeasurement 5,000 acres, more or less. Bounded on the North by the Waimata River from the Umu-o-Rakaimuri Stream to the mouth of Te Kowhai Stream; thence by Te Kowhai Stream to the Waimata North No. 1 Block, 885 links, 472 links, 1915 links, 540 links, 1748 links, 2238 links, 4037 links, 1466 links, 770 links, 772 links, 1922 links, 1593 links, 1712 links, 739 links, 485 links, 605 links, 759 links, and 7377 links, to the north-western boundary of the Umu-o-Waitu Block; towards the South-east by the said boundary to the Mangaorangi Stream; towards the West by the Mangaorangi Stream and Waimata River to the point of commencement.

WAIMATA SOUTH NO. 1.

All that parcel of land in the District of Poverty Bay, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Waimata South No. 1, containing by admeasurement 4,465 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by the Waimata River and Mangaorangi Stream; towards the East by the western boundary of the Pukeakura Block; towards the South and West by the Waimata River and the Mangahouku Stream, the point of commencement.

WAIMATA WEST.

All that parcel of land in the District of Poverty Bay, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Waimata West, containing by admeasurement 8,520 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by the Hukanui Stream; thence by lines, 1820 links, 4613 links, 10167 links, 2643 links; thence by the Waihora No. 2 Block, 4602 links, 9274 links, and 6819 links; towards the East by the Waimata North Block, 7967 links, 4427 links, 2367 links, 4868 links; thence by the Mangahouku Stream to the Waimata River, thence by the Waimata River; towards the South by the South stream and Waimata West No. 2 Native Reserve, 9060 links, to Omarutipi; towards the West by the Ngakaroa Block, 5795 links, 4560 links, 3610 links, and 3965 links, to the Mangataikehu Stream; thence along the said stream to its junction with the Tapuitao Stream; towards the North-west by lines, 7635 links and 6170 links, to the point of commencement on the Hukanui Stream.

WAIKOHU MATAWAI.

All that parcel of land in the District of Poverty Bay, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Waikohu Matawai, containing by admeasurement 41,479 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by the Rangiriri Stream to its junction with the Waikohu River; thence by the Waikohu River to the Waikohu Matawai No. 1 Block; towards the East by the Waikohu Matawai No. 1 Block, 14459 links, and a line, 14419 links; thence by the Waikohu Block, 12789 links; thence by the Hihiroroa Block, 9442 links; towards the South by the Wharekopae Block, 32375 links, 14448 links, and 37440 links, to Mangatapere; towards the South-west by a line, 11180 links, to the Koronga Stream; thence by the Koronga Stream to the east-ern boundary of the Motu Block; towards the North-west by the Motu Block, 49525 links, to the point of commencement: excepting out of the hereinbefore-described area the following reserves: 1,300 acres to be granted to Atareta Ruru; 1,300 acres to be granted to Wiremu Kingi; 3,400 acres to be granted to Arapera Pere and Rangikohera; and 900 acres to be granted to Patoromu Noti and Rawiri Noti.

Motu.

All that parcel of land in the District of Poverty Bay, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Motu, containing by admeasurement 63,392 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by the Motu River from the point where the Gisborne-Opotiki Road strikes the Motu River, near the mouth of the Waiwhero Stream, to the mouth of the Kaitaura Stream; thence towards the East by the said stream and by a line, 49525 links, to the Rangiriri Stream; thence towards the South by the Rangiriri Stream; thence towards the South by the Rangiriri Stream; to the Waikohu Matawai Block; thence by the Waikohu Matawai Block, 105830 links, to the Koronga Stream; towards the South-west by the Koronga Stream; thence towards the West by a line 80170 links, and a line 5300 links; thence by the Motu No. 2 Block, 25718 links, to the Motu River; thence by the Motu River to the Motu No. 3 Block; thence by the boundaries of the Motu No. 3 Block to the point of commencement.

HANGAROA MATAWAI NO. 1.

All that parcel of land in the District of Poverty Bay, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Hangaroa Matawai No. 1, contain-ing by admeasurement 3,269 acres, more or less. Ing by admeasurement 3,269 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by the Okahuatiu No. 2 Block, 55316 links; towards the East by a Native reserve (Hangaroa Matawai No. 2), 18000 links; towards the South by the Hangaroa River to the Papokeka Stream; towards the West by the Papo-keka Stream and Hangaroa Matawai Block, 3800 links to the point of commencement links, to the point of commencement.

Whakaongaonga.

All that parcel of land in the District of Poverty Bay, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Whakaongaonga, containing by ad-measurement 12,418 acres, more or less. Bounded measurement 12,418 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by Crown lands 41675 links, and the Waimata Native Reserve Block 15184 links; towards the East by the Tarewauru Block, 30228 links; towards the South by the Whakaongaonga No. 1 Block, 13645 links, and the boundaries of Whakaongaonga No. 3 Block ; towards the South-west by the Waihau Block, 6246 links, 9309 links, and 700 links, to the Kaikoura Stream; thence by the Kaikoura Stream to the Hangaroa River; towards the West by the Hangaroa River and eastern boundary of the Whakaongaonga No. 4 Block to Pahiatua, the point of commencement.

TAUWHABETOI.

All that parcel of land in the District of Poverty Bay, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Tauwharetoi, containing by ad-measurement 50,389 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by the Hangaroa River; towards the East by the Hangaroa River and the northern and western boundaries of the Tauwharetoi No. 1 Block; thence by the aforesaid river to the northern boundary of the Tauwharetoi No. 3 Block; towards the South by the northern boundary of the Tauwharetoi No. 3 Block; towards the West by the Ruakituri River to Trig. Station 219; thence by the Tuahu Block, 37586 links, 9448 links, and 2750 links; thence by the Kawaimango Stream to the point of com-mencement on the Hangaroa River.

TUAHU.

All that parcel of land in the District of Poverty Bay, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Tuahu, containing by admeasurement 9,250 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by the Makomuka Stream; thence by lines, 918 links, 403 links, 1280 links, 300 links, 1050 links, 918 links, 403 links, 1280 links, 300 links, 1050 links, 642 links, 340 links, 720 links, 636 links, 234 links, 640 links, 448 links, 280 links, 1600 links, 850 links, 250 links; thence by the Mangatahae Stream and lines, 1290 links and 1951 links; towards the East by the Tauwharetoi Block, 9448 links and 26261 links, to the boundary of the Tuahu No. 3 Block 5023 links, the Tuahu No. 2 Block 3300 links, and the Tuahu No. 1 Block 5910 links and 8260 links to the Tuahu No. 1 Block 5910 links and 8260 links, to the Ruakituri River; thence on the West by the Ruaki-turi River to the Makikomuka Stream, the point of commencement.

WAIHAU.

All that parcel of land at Waihau, in the District of Poverty Bay, in the Provincial District of Auck-land, known by the name of Waihau, containing by admeasurement 13,800 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by the Hangaroa River; towards | the Township of Waiau.

the East by the Kaikoura Stream and the Whakaongaonga Block, 16256 links and 4417 links; towards the South by a line, 3397 links, and by the Manga-otara Stream to its junction with the Hangaroa River aforesaid; and on the West by the said Hangaroa River: excepting out of the hereinbefore described area a reserve of 1,000 acres, to be granted to Petera Honotapu and Pera Tamahikawai.

> Given under the hand of His Excellency the Honorable Arthur Hamilton Gordon, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Her Majesty's High Commissioner for the Western Pacific, 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 Napier, this twenty-ninth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

WM. ROLLESTON.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN !

Crossing-places under "The Sheep Act, 1878."-Notice No. 86. Amending

AETHUE GORDON, Governor. (L.S.)

A PROCLAMATION.

B^Y virtue and in pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by the forty-fourth section of "The Sheep Act, 1878," and of all other powers and authorities enabling me in that behalf, I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and order that the Proclamation dated the twenty-fifth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, and all other Proclamations issued under the before-mentioned section, are hereby rescinded.

And I do further proclaim and declare that the places mentioned in the Schedule hereto shall be places at which all sheep to be introduced by land into the several sheep districts in the Schedule hereto respectively mentioned shall be crossed over the boundaries of such districts.

SCHEDULE.

NAPIEE, AUCKLAND, AND WELLINGTON SHEEP DISTRICTS.

On the boundary between the Wellington and Napier Sheep Districts where the coast-line crosses the Waimata Stream.

In the Township of Woodville, Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, at the junction of the main road from Masterton with the main road from the Manawatu Gorge to Napier.

At Te Reinga, on the boundary between the Napier and the Auckland Sheep Districts. Where the main road from Napier to Taupo

crosses the boundary of the Napier and the Auckland Sheep Districts.

WAIAU SHEEP DISTRICT.

The ferry on the Waiau-ua River, known as

Arthur's or Upper Waiau Ferry. The ford or bridge on the Waiau-ua Biver, oppo-site the homestead of Leslie Hill's Run.

CANTERBURY SHEEP DISTRICT.

The ford on the Waiau-ua River, about opposite

The ford or bridge on the Hurunui River, on the Great North Road.

> Given under the hand of His Excellency the Honorable Arthur Hamilton Gordon, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Her Majesty's High Commissioner for the Western Pacific, 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 February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one. JOHN HALL.

> > GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Extension of Time for Preparation of Valuation Roll, County of Inangahua.

ARTHUE GORDON, Governor. ORDER IN COUNCIL. At the Government House, at Wellington, this fourth day of February, 1881.

 $\mathbf{Present}:$

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL. WHEREAS it has been made to appear that cer-**VV** tain things required to be done by "The Rating Act, 1876," in connection with the prepara-tion and revision of the valuation roll of the County of Inangahua cannot be done by or within the times mentioned in the said Act:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers vested in him by the said "Rating Act, 1876," and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby extend the times for doing the said things in connection with the valuation roll of the said county, and doth declare that the times for the doing of such several things shall be those specified in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

1. For transmitting to the county the valuation list: On or before the seventh day of February, 1881.
2. Valuation list to be open for inspection, and objections thereto to be received : Until the seventh day of March, 1881.

FORSTER GOBING, Clerk of the Executive Council.

Extension of Time for Preparation of Valuation Roll, Borough of Ashburton.

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor. ORDER IN COUNCIL. At the Government House, at Wellington, this fourth day of February, 1881.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL. WHEREAS it has been made to appear that cer-tain things required to be done by "The Rating Act, 1876," in connection with the prepara-tion and revision of the valuation roll of the Borough of Ashburton cannot be done by or within the times

vested in him by the said "Rating Act, 1876," and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby extend the times for doing the said things in connection with the valuation roll of the said borough, and doth declare that the times for the doing of such several things shall be those specified in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

1. For transmitting to the borough the valuation list: On or before the seventh day of February, 1881. 2. Valuation list to be open for inspection, and objections thereto to be received: Until the seventh day of March, 1881.

> FORSTER GOBING, Clerk of the Executive Council.

Powers under "Lunatics Act, 1868," delegated to E. Shaw, Esq.

ABTHUR GORDON, GOVERNOR. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fourth day of February, 1881.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOE IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council bearing date W the twenty-eighth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, the powers granted to the Colonial Secretary under the seventyfourth and seventy-fifth sections of "The Lunatics Act, 1868," were delegated to Thomas Anstey Mans-ford, since deceased: And whereas it is expedient to delegate the said powers in manner hereinafter expressed :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth, by this present Order, delegate to Edward Shaw the powers granted to the Colonial Secretary under the seventy-fourth and seventy-fifth sections of the said Act, and doth hereby order that the said powers shall be exercised by the said Edward Shaw within the said Wellington District.

FORSTER GORING, Clerk of the Executive Council.

Governors of New Zealand Institute appointed.

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

WHEREAS by "The New Zealand Institute Act, W 1867," provision is made for the appointment of members of a Board of Governors of the New Zealand Institute, and it is enacted that, on the first day of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, and on the first day of November in each succeeding year, three members of the said Board of Governors shall retire from office, but shall be eligible for reappointment: And whereas the Honorable George Randall Johnson, James Hector, Esquire, and William Thomas Locke Travers, Esquire, three of the members of the said Board of Governors, have retired from office, and are eligible for reappointment under the provisions of the said Act: And whereas by the said Act it is also provided that, on the annual retirement of the said three members, the successors of such retiring members shall be appointed by the Governor:

mentioned in the said Act: Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers suance and exercise of the power and authority in

JAMES HECTOR, ESquire, M.D., C.M.G., F.R.S., and

WILLIAM THOMAS LOCKE TRAVERS, Esquire, F.L.S.

to be Governors of the institution called the New Zealand Institute.

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

JOHN HALL.

Conditions for Trout Fishing in Wellington.

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

TN pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by "The Salmon and Trout Act, 1867, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand doth hereby make the following regulations for the Provincial District of Wellington :---

REGULATIONS.

1. These regulations shall come into force on the twenty-ninth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

2. Any holder of a license, as hereinafter men-tioned, may fish with rod and line, but with artificial flies only as bait, for trout in the River Hutt and its tributaries, except the Pakuratahi, and in the River Wainuiomata, in the Provincial District of Wellington, from the twenty-ninth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one; until the thirty-first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

3. Licenses to fish with rod and line as aforesaid in the said rivers and streams will be issued under the hand of the Secretary of the Acclimatisation Society at Wellington; and for every license a fee of twenty shillings will be charged.

4. No license shall authorize any person other than the person named therein to fish, and that only with rod and line, and such bait as aforesaid.

5. Any person fishing without a license or otherwise than as above, or any person who shall on demand of any person holding and showing a license, or on the demand of any police officer or constable, fail to produce and show to such person, police officer, or constable his license, shall be liable to a penalty not

exceeding twenty pounds. 6. All trout not exceeding eight inches in length taken by any person fishing as aforesaid shall be immediately returned alive to the river or stream, and any person convicted of infringing this regulation shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds sterling, and his license shall thereupon become void.

7. No person shall use any live bait, ground-bait, net, or other engine, instrument, or device for taking fish in any river or stream within the Provincial District of Wellington, and all persons offending against this regulation shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds.

8. Any person who puts, throws, or places, or allows to be put, thrown, or placed, into any river or stream in the said Provincial District of Wellington, any dynamite or other explosive substance, or any matter or liquid deleterious to fish, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds.

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

J. HALL.

that behalf vested in me by the said Act, do hereby reappoint The Hon. GEORGE RANDALL JOHNSON, M.L.C., Warrant appointing Agents to sue in Resident Ma-gistrates' Courts for Rates and Fees under "The Sheep Act, 1878."—Notice No. 85.

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby, in the name 1.9 Colony of New Zealand, do hereby, in the name and on behalf of Her Majesty the Queen, appoint the persons named in the Schedule hereto to be Agents respectively within the districts and sub-divisions of districts for which they are Chief Inspec-tors and Inspectors of Sheep under "The Sheep Act, 1878," to appear and act for Her Majesty in all suits in the Resident Magistrates' Courts brought within their acid districts and audivisions for the recovery their said districts and subdivisions, for the recovery of the rates or sums of money payable to Her Ma-jesty under the twenty-second section of "The Sheep Act, 1878," or under any other section of the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

Chief Inspectors of Sheep.

Bayly, Benjamin Pedlie. Boulton, Philip Baker. Canning, Charles.

Johnson, Robert Hilton. Lewis, Francis Charles. Pasley, Robert Charles.

Inspectors of Sheep.

Blower, Benjamin. Blundell, Arthur Kennedy. MacShane, Henry Alexander. Clapcott, Bunter. Drummond, John. Foster, Reginald. Gallagher, John. Gerse, John Ivo. Hately, William. Hickson, Frederick Ellison. Holderness, Robert Fitzroy. Howard, Alfred George. Hunt, Thomas. Kirkpatrick. Knyvett, William Henry. Sutton, William Aretas Macdonald, Angus Alphonse.

Macdonald, James. McKenzie, William.

Mawer, Matthew. Monro, Alexander. Murison, James. Orbell, Edward. Passau, Arthur Henry. Richardson, Thomas George. Roskruge, Charles Kempthorne. Sharp, Alfred. Simpson, Robert Parry Telford, Thomas. Thomson, Campbell. Thomson, John.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fourth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and eightyone.

JOHN HALL.

Writ for the Election of a Member of the House of Representatives.

Native Office,

Wellington, 4th February, 1881.

HE following writ for the election of a Member of the House of Representatives of New Zealand for the Southern Maori Electoral District, constituted under "The Maori Representation Act, 1867," "The Maori Representation Act Amendment and Continuance Act, 1872," and "The Maori Repre-sentation Acts Continuance Act, 1876," is published in the New Zealand Gazette, in accordance with re-gulations issued by Proclamation bearing date the 22nd day of August, 1879, and published in the New Zealand Gazette of the same date.

By command.

T. W. LEWIS, Under-Secretary.

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Victoria, by the grace of God, of the United King-dom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the Islands of New Zealand, Queen:

To Alexander Mackay, Esquire, Returning Officer for the Southern Maori Electoral District, greeting:

WHEREAS it is necessary that an election of a Member of the House of Representatives of New Zealand shall take place: Now, therefore, we do hereby require and command you to cause to be elected by the voters duly qualified for that purpose, freely and indifferently, and in manner and form by law and regulations in this behalf prescribed, a legally quali-fied person to serve as Member of the said House of Representatives for the Southern Maori Electoral District: And we do hereby further require and command that you cause the nomination of the said member to be at Kaiapoi on the first day of March, and the polling, in case it shall be required, to be at the several polling-places on the tenth day of March, and that this our writ, with the name of the person so elected indorsed thereon by you, shall be returned to us here on or before the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

In witness whereof Our Trusty and Wellbeloved Arthur Hamilton Gordon, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Our High Commissioner for the Western Pacific, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Our Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same, has caused the Public Seal of the Colony of New Zealand to be hereunto affixed, at Wellington, the fourth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

A. GORDON, Governor.

Appointing Polling-Places.

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

IN pursuance of the powers in me vested, I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the following places to be polling-places for the Southern Maori Electoral District, constituted under "The Maori Representa-tion Act, 1867;" "The Maori Representation Act Amendment and Continuance Act, 1872," and "The Maori Representation Acts Continuance Act, 1876." Maori Representation Acts Continuance Act, 1876:

Wakapuaka-Schoolhouse. Wairau-Schoolhouse. Havelock-Courthouse. Waikawa-Schoolhouse. Motueka-Courthouse. Westport-Courthouse. Arahura-Schoolhouse. Kaikoura-Courthouse. Kaiapoi-Schoolhouse. Rapaki-Schoolhouse. Little River—Schoolhouse. Waimate—Courthouse. Moeraki—Rawiri Mamaru's House. Otago Heads-Schoolhouse. Waikouaiti-Schoolhouse. Temuka-Courthouse. Campbelltown-Courthouse. Riverton-Schoolhouse.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Honorable Arthur Hamilton Gordon, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Dis-tinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Her Majesty's High

Commissioner for the Western Pacific, 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 fourth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

WM. ROLLESTON.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Resignation of Offices of Minister for Native Affairs, and Executive Councillor.

Private Secretary's Office,

Wellington, 4th February, 1881.

IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to Н accept the resignation by

JOHN BRYCE, Esq.,

of his office as Minister of Native Affairs, and as Member of the Executive Council of the colony. Such resignations to take effect as from the 21st January, 1881.

F. P. MURRAY, Private Secretary.

The Hon. W. Rolleston appointed Minister for Native Affairs.

Private Secretary's Office, Wellington, 4th February, 1881.

IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

The Honorable WILLIAM ROLLESTON

to be Minister for Native Affairs, vice John Bryce, Esq., resigned.

F. P. MURBAY, Private Secretary.

Registrar under "The Sale of Poisons Act, 1871," appointed, Wellington.

Colonial Secretary's Office,

IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Wellington, 29th January, 1881. appoint

WILLIAM PATTISON JAMES, Esq.,

to be the Registrar under "The Sale of Poisons Act, 1871,' ' for the Provincial District of Wellington, vice T. A. Mansford, Esq., deceased.

JOHN HALL, (in absence of the Colonial Secretary.)

Census Enumerator appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Wellington, 29th January, 1881.

IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the under montioned appoint the under-mentioned gentleman to be the Census Enumerator and Superintendent Collector of Agricultural Statistics, under "The Census Act, 1877," for the Census and collection of the present year, in the district set opposite his name, vice Edward Hardcastle, Esq., resigned. Name.

District.

GARLAND WILLIAM WOON ... Counties of Wanganui and Patea, with in-

terior borough.

JOHN HALL, (in absence of the Colonial Secretary.) Member of Pokeno Highway Board, County of Manukau, appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Wellington, 29th January, 1881. IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ARTHUR ROBERT SHACKELL

to be a Member of the District Board of the Pokeno Highway District, vice J. McNeish, resigned.

JOHN HALL, (in absence of the Colonial Secretary).

Members of Whaingaroa Highway Board, County of Raglan, appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Wellington, 29th January, 1881. IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint John Bell, Alexander Gilmoub, ABRAHAM KESCEL, WILLIAM ROBERTSON, and SAMUEL WILSON to be the District Board of the Whaingaroa Highway

District for the ensuing year. JOHN HALL, (in absence of the Colonial Secretary.)

Member of Board of Conservators of Mandeville and Rangiora Drainage District, County of Ashley, appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office, H IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint appoint

JOHN COWELL BOYS, Esq.,

under section 12 of "The Canterbury Rivers Act, 1870," to be a Member of the Board of Conservators of the Mandeville and Rangiora Drainage District, vice H. Blackett, Esq., resigned.

> JOHN HALL, (in absence of the Colonial Secretary.)

Receiver of Land Revenue appointed.

General Crown Lands Office, HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Wellington, 5th February, 1881. appoint

GEORGE NOVES BAGGETT, Esq.,

to be Receiver of Land Revenue, to act within the West Coast (North Island) Land District. WM. ROLLESTON

Minister of Lands.

Receiver of Land Revenue appointed.

General Crown Lands Office, Wellington, 5th February, 1881. IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

DAVID PORTER, Esq., to be a Receiver of Land Revenue, to act within the Wellington Land District.

WM. ROLLESTON,

Minister of Lands.

Native Assessor resigned.

Native Office, Wellington, 4th February, 1881. IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation by

HORI KEBEI TAIABOA,

of Dunedin, of his appointment as Native Assessor, from the 11th January, 1881.

WM. ROLLESTON.

Certain Newspapers appointed Provincial Gazettes.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Wellington, 29th January, 1881.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased, under section 12 of "The Abolition of Pro-vinces Act, 1875," to appoint the under-mentioned newspapers to be newspapers for the purposes of the said Act within the provincial district placed opposite to the name of each respectively :-

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| New Zealand Heral | ld | ••• | Auckland. |
| Taranaki News | ••• | ••• | Taranaki. |
| Daily Telegraph | ••• | ••• | Hawke's Bay. |
| Evening Mail | ••• | ••• | Nelson. |
| West Coast Times | ••• | | Westland. |
| Marlborough Times | ••• | · | Marlborough. |
| Press | ••• | ••• | Canterbury. |
| Otago Daily Time | s and | Otago | |
| Witness | ••• | ••• | Otago. |
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| (in absence | ce of t | he Color | ial Secretary.) |

Letters of Naturalisation issued.

Colonial Secretary's Office,

Wellington, 2nd February, 1881. IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to issue Letters of Naturalisation, under "The Aliens Act, 1880," in favour of the undermentioned persons, viz. :---

| Name. | | Occupation. | | - Residence. | |
|--|------|--|-----|---|--|
| Charles Johnson Christian Olson Jens Christoffersen John Eric Olson Hermann Bottcher Andrew Nelson Corepb | •••• | Bootmaker Labourer Farmer Farmer Farmer Miner | ••• | Hokitika. Otepopo. Little Akaloa. Arahura. Campbelltown. Picton. | |

JOHN HALL, (in absence of the Colonial Secretary.)

Land Transfer Act Notices.

NOTICE is hereby given that ANN GIBBS, of Temuka, Widow of WILLIAM GIBBS, late of Temuka, Farmer, claiming as his Devisee, has applied to be registered as Proprietress of 87 acres of land, being Rural Sections 21943 and 21954, Timaru District; and also of Sections 152 and 153, in the Town of Wallingford; and that she 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 3rd day of February, 1881, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

| | R. W. D'OYLY, |
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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. 4249. GEORG

4249. GEORGE GOULD.—1 rood 36 perches, part of Rural Section 311, Christchurch District. Occupied by Applicant.

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4419. CHARLES JEFFREYS .- 3 acres, part of Rural Section 188, Christchurch District. Unoccupied.

4420. ROBERT HEATON RHODES.-1 rood 15 perches, part of Rural Section 7555, Timaru Dis-trict. Occupied by James King. 4422. JOSEPH MILSOM.-1 rood 22 perches,

4422. JOSEPH MILSOM -- 1 rood 22 percnes, part of Rural Section 105, Christchurch District.

Occupied by Applicant. 4423. JOHN ROBERTSON.—1 rood, part of Rural Sections 884 and 2724, Lincoln District. Unoccupied.

4424. ALFRED CANDLER CARTER. roods, part of Rural Section 69, Christchurch Dis-Occupied by Applicant. JOSEPH JAMES WEEBER.—1 rood, trict.

4425.part of Rural Section 1947, Oxford District. Unoccupied.

WILLIAM JAMES .- 32 perches, part of $\bar{4}426.$ Rural Section 238, Christchurch District. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 3rd day of February, 1881, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

R. W. D'OYLY, District Land Registrar.

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

Part of Section 46, Block XXXIV., Dunedin.— EDWARD JOLLIE (by his Attorney, FRANCIS CROSSLEY FULTON), Applicant. No. 3089. Section 1, Block XL., Town of Lawrence.— JAMES TAYLOR MACKERRAS and THOMAS

AUSTIN, Applicants. No. 3090. Sections 34, 35, part of 31, Block V., Otepopo District.—ANGUS ROSS, Applicant. No. 3091.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 31st day of January, 1881, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

H. TURTON,

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District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same in each case on or before the 11th day of March next.

THOMAS MACFFARLANE.—Allotment 7 of the Parish of Waiau, County of Eden, containing 330 acres. In occupation of James Finlay. 1514. WILLIAM HUNTER PIGG.—Allotment 76 of

the Town of Hamilton East, containing 1 acre. In occupation of William Cumming. Also Allotments 57 and 57A of the Parish of Kirikiriroa, Banks County, containing 50 acres. Unoccupied. 1599.

WILLIAM HALL.—Part of Allotment 17 of Section 12 of the Suburbs of Auckland, containing 63 acres 2 roods. In occupation of Applicant. 1646. JAMES FINNERTY.—Allotment 9 of the Parish of Pukekura, County of Waikato, containing 50 acres.

In occupation of Applicant. 1648. CHRISTOPHER ATTWELL HARRIS.—Lots 108, 109, and 110 of the subdivision into lots of Allotment 5 of Section 7 of the Suburbs of Auck-

1655.land.

BENJAMIN WILLS BETTS .- Lot 2 of the subdivision into lots of Allotment 17 of Section 18

of the Suburbs of Auckland. Unoccupied. 1660. THOMAS COLE.—Lot 3 of the subdivision into lots of Allotment 4 of Section 37 of the City of Auckland. In occupation of Applicant. 1661.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office. Dated this 2nd day of February, 1881, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

Theo. Kissling,

District Land Registrar.

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

THOMAS KILKELLY.-86 acres 1 rood 2 perches, being Section 2, Block II., Mabel Hundred. Occupied by Applicant. No. 1610. Occupied by Applicant. No. 1610. JAMES REYNOLDS STUCK.-

-91 acres 2 roods 31 perches, being Sections 35 and 36, Block VI., Jacob's River Hundred. Occupied by John Fleck and Halland Fallow. No. 1614.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 1st day of February, 1881, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

F. G. MORGAN, District Land Registrar.

Mining Notices.

the undersigned, hereby make application to register the Orepuki Coal and Shale Company l, (Limited), as a Limited Company, under the pro-visions of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872."

1. The name of the Company is to be the Orepuki Coal and

Shale Company (Limited). 2. The place of operations is at Orepuki, in the Country of Wallace.

3. The registered office of the Company will be situated at Invercargill.

The nominal capital of the Company is fifteen thousand pounds, in thirty thousand shares at ten shillings each.
 The number of shares subscribed for is twenty thousand,

being not less than two-thirds of the entire number of shares

in the Company. 6. The number of paid-up shares is nil. 7. The amount already paid up is declared to be five thousand pounds.

 The name of the Manager is William Todd.
 The names, addresses, and occupations of the share-holders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follow :-No. of

| | 1 | Shares. |
|--|----------|---------|
| Daniel Walker, of Orepuki, Miner | | 5,000 |
| Robert Riddell, of Orepuki, Miner | | 5,000 |
| Thomas Armstrong, of Orepuki, Miner | | 2.500 |
| Frederick Reichel, of Orepuki, Miner | | 2,500 |
| William Todd, of Invercargill, Auctioneer | | 1,250 |
| John Charles Wild, of Invercargill, Publican | | 1,250 |
| Thomas White Gemmil, of Orepuki, Miner | | |
| | *** | 625 |
| John Leiper Currie, of Orepuki, Miner | ••• | 625 |
| Thomas Escott, of Orepuki, Miner | ••• | 1,250 |
| Will | JAM TODD | |

Manager.

Dated this 23rd day of December, 1880.

Witness to signature-John James Wesney, Clerk to James Harvey, Solicitor, Invercargill.

I, William Todd, of Invercargill, in the Colony of New Zealand, Auctioneer, do solemnly and sincerely declare that-

1. I am the Manager of the said intended Com-

pany. 2. The above statement is, to the best of my belief and knowledge, true in every particular; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1866."

WILLIAM TODD.

Private Advertisements.

RE DR. DAVID PERSTON, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the Act 22 and 23 Victoria, cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees," notice is hereby given that MARY MCKELVIE (Wife of Alexander McKelvie), daughter of Mrs. Robina McLachlan, formerly Perston, deceased, who was a Sister of David Perston, of Brompton, Middlesex, England, M.D., deceased, and all other persons claiming to be entitled to share (according to the statutes) in the distribution of the estate of the said David Perston, deceased, who died intestate as to his residuary estate on the 14th day of July, 1866, or the legal personal representatives of such of the said persons as are now dead, are hereby required to send in and prove their claims to us the undersigned, Solicitors to the Executors of the will of the said David Perston, deceased, within eight months from the date of this advertisement ; and in default thereof the said Executors will proceed to distribute the residuary estate of the said David Perston, deceased, among the parties who shall have given them notice and satisfactory proof of their claims; and the Executors will not (after such date) be liable for such residuary estate or any part thereof so distributed as aforesaid to any person or persons of whose claim they shall not have received notice and satisfactory proof.

Dated the 9th day of December, 1880.

KEEN AND ROGERS,

| 24, Knight Rider Street, J | | mons, |
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| London, Eng | gland. | { |
| Witness-G. Jas. Cox. | - | 110 |

THE PATEA TOWN HALL COMPANY (LIMITED).

A T a General Meeting of Shareholders of the Patea Town Hall Company (Limited), held on the 6th day of January, 1881, the following special resolution was duly passed: "That the Patea Town Hall Company be wound up voluntarily."

pany be wound up voluntarily." Mr. HENEY FLOCKHART CHRISTIE, of Patea, Banker, was appointed Liquidator.

A Special General Meeting of Shareholders will be held on the 7th day of February, 1881, to confirm the said winding-up resolution.

| JOHN | MILROY, |
|----------|---------------|
| Chairman | of Directors. |

DISSOLUTION OF CENTRAL OXFORD TOWN HALL COMPANY.

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I, FREDERICK DE CARTERET MALET, Registrar of the Supreme Court for the District of Canterbury, do hereby notify that an affidavit, a copy of which is hereunder given, by William Rose McKenzie and Harry Marsh, two of the Board of Directors of the Central Oxford Town Hall Company (Limited), has been lodged in the Resident Magistrate's Court at Oxford, and forwarded to me; and that, unless notice of objection be lodged with me within sixty days of this date, I shall proceed to declare the said Company to be dissolved in manner provided by "The Limited Liability Joint-Stock Companies Dissolution Act, 1872."

Signed this 1st day of February, 1881.

F. DE C. MALET,

Registrar.

WE, William Rose McKenzie and Harry Marsh, two of the Board of Directors of the Central Oxford Town Hall Company (Limited), incorporated under "The Joint-Stock Companies Act, 1860," do hereby make oath and say,—

That the nominal capital of the said Company is one hundred and forty pounds (£140), in twenty (20) twenty shares of seven pounds (£7) each.

That the shares have been fully paid up.

That the Company has no assets, and has ceased to carry on its operations; and we do hereby apply for declaration of dissolution of such Company. W. R. MCKENZIE.

H. MARSH.

Sworn before me this 19th day of January, 1881-Caleb Whitefoord, R.M. 111

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