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Land withdrawn from the Deferred-payment System in Otago.

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

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

And whereas the land specified in the Schedule hereto was, with other lands, on the tenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, set apart for sale on deferred payments:

And whereas the Land Board of Otago did, on the twenty-ninth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, pass a resolution recommending that the land described in the Schedule hereto annexed should be withdrawn from the deferred-payment system:

And whereas it is expedient to give effect to the aforesaid recommendation:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the above-named Acts, do hereby revoke the Proclamation above referred to, so far as it relates to the section therein mentioned and included in the Schedule hereto, and do proclaim and declare that the said section is hereby withdrawn from the operation of the deferred-payment system.

SCHEDULE.

GLENKENICH District: Section 15, Block X.

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

WM. ROLLESTON,
 Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Defining the Middle Line of further Portion of the Foxton-New Plymouth Railway (29 miles 30 chains to 29 miles 44 chains).

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

WHEREAS the line of railway from Foxton to New Plymouth is one of the railways specified in the First Schedule to "The Public Works Act, 1879," and which Act is therein declared to be a special Act authorizing the construction of such railway; and the same is unfinished, and it has been determined to construct and maintain a further portion of such railway:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and in pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred on me by sections one hundred and twenty-two, one hundred and twenty-three, one hundred and twenty-four, and one hundred and twenty-five of "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 from a point situate in Section number three hundred and thirty-six to a point on the western boundary of the said section, all within

the Wairoa Highway District, Provincial District of Wellington, Colony of New Zealand, as 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. 8146, and authenticated for the purposes of this Proclamation by the signature of the Honorable Richard Oliver, Minister for Public Works, and which said map and plan is deposited in the office of the Registrar of the Supreme Court at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

COMMENCING at a point in Section No. 336, said point being the termination of a portion of the line of railway from New Plymouth to Waitara, at Sentry Hill, as described in a Proclamation dated the 23rd October, 1879, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 111, of the 30th October, 1879; and proceeding thence in a generally westerly direction for a distance of 14 chains or thereabouts, and terminating at a point on the western boundary of the aforesaid section; all within the Wairoa Highway District, Provincial District of Wellington, and Colony of New Zealand; including all adjoining and intervening places, lands, reserves, streams, rivers, and watercourses; in the manner delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 8146, which plan is signed by the Honorable John Hall, Minister acting for the Minister for Public Works, and deposited in the office of the Registrar of the Supreme Court at Wellington, in the said provincial district; the total length of the middle line as above described being about 14 chains.

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,
(Minister acting for the Minister for
Public Works.)

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Part of Patea County excluded from Operation of
"The Dog Registration Act, 1880," until 1st
August, 1881.*

(L.S.) ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by the third section of "The Dog Registration Act, 1880," I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the area comprised within the district described in the Schedule hereto shall be excluded from the operation of the said Act until the first day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Taranaki, bounded towards the North-east and East by a right line from the summit of Mount Egmont

to the source of the Waingongoro River, and by that river to the sea; thence towards the South by the sea to the mouth of the Oeo River; and thence towards the West by that river to its source, and by a right line to the summit of Mount Egmont.

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 fifth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

JOHN HALL.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Altering Boundaries of Resident Magistrates' Districts of Tauranga, Hauraki, and Waikato.

(L.S.) ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Resident Magistrates Act, 1867," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor from time to time, by Proclamation in the *New Zealand Gazette*, to constitute throughout the colony, or in any part thereof, districts to be called Resident Magistrates' districts, and such districts from time to time to abolish, and the boundaries to define and alter, and in any such Proclamation to fix a time on and from which any such district shall be constituted or abolished, as the case may be:

And whereas by Proclamations bearing date the twenty-ninth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven, the thirty-first day of August, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, and the thirteenth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, His Excellency the Governor, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities so vested in him, did define the boundaries of the Resident Magistrates' Districts of Tauranga, Hauraki, and Waikato, as described in the said Proclamations respectively:

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

Now, therefore, I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities so vested in me as aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, the boundaries of the said Districts of Hauraki, Waikato, and Tauranga shall be altered, and that thenceforth, within the meaning and for the purposes of the said Act, the said districts respectively shall be constituted with the boundaries as defined and described in the Schedule hereto, with the names set over them.

SCHEDULE.

HAUAKI DISTRICT.

COMMENCING at Oreri Point, on the western shore of the Frith of the Thames. Bounded towards the North-west by the Frith of the Thames and the sea from the place above named to Cape Colville; towards the North-east and East by the sea from Cape Colville aforesaid to Nga Kuri-a-whare; towards the South by a right line, in the direction of the summit of Te Aroha Mountain, until its intersection by

another right line, being the production in a northerly direction of the western boundary of Section No. 15, Block IV., Katikati Survey District; thence again towards the East by the last-mentioned line to the south-western corner of Section No. 15 aforesaid; thence by a line to the north-western corner of Section No. 16, Block IV.; thence by Section No. 16 aforesaid; thence by Sections Nos. 65 and 53A of Block VIII., Katikati Survey District aforesaid, by a line to the north-western corner of Section No. 63, Block VIII.; thence by Sections Nos. 63, 62, and 70 of the last-named block to its south-westernmost angle; thence towards the South by a right line due west to the Waihou River at the southern boundary of the Aroha Survey District; thence towards the South-west by the Waihou River aforesaid to its intersection by a right line drawn between the summit of Te Aroha Mountain aforesaid and the north-eastern angle of the Waikato Military Settlements Block; and thence towards the South-east by said right line to the place last named; and towards the West by a right line to Hapuakohe Pass; thence by another right line to the most northerly source of the Whangamarino River, and by the Papakura Resident Magistrate's District, as defined in the *New Zealand Gazette*, 1876, page 698, to Oreri Point, first mentioned, the place of commencement.

WAIKATO DISTRICT.

Bounded towards the North by the Papakura Resident Magistrate's District, as defined in *New Zealand Gazette*, 1876, page 698; towards the East and North by the Hauraki Resident Magistrate's District, hereinbefore defined, to the Waihou River; thence again towards the East by the Waihou River aforesaid to its intersection by the southern boundary of Block XII., Aroha Survey District; thence again towards the North by part of the southern boundary of Block XII. aforesaid, and by said boundary produced in an easterly direction to the summit of Te Aroha Range; thence again towards the East by the summit of that range to Weraiti; towards the South by a right line from the place last named to the summit of Maungakawa Mountain; thence by a right line to the summit of Kopuahau; thence by the south-eastern boundary of the Military Settlements Block to the Puniu River, and by that river to its confluence with the Waipa River; and thence by a right line to the summit of Pirongia Mountains; and towards the West by part of the western boundary of the Military Settlements Block to the north-western angle of that block; thence by a line to the south-eastern angle of the Waikato Resident Magistrate's District, as defined in *New Zealand Gazette*, 1876, page 492; and by that district to the starting point.

TAURANGA DISTRICT.

Bounded towards the North-east by the sea from Nga Kuri-a-whare to the mouth of the Wairaki Stream; towards the South-east by a right line from the mouth of the Wairaki Stream aforesaid to the summit of Otanewainuku Mountain; towards the South-west by a right line from the place last named to the summit of Te Aroha Range, and by the summit of that range to the southern boundary of the Aroha Survey District; and thence towards the West and North by the Hauraki Resident Magistrate's District, hereinbefore defined, to Nga Kuri-a-whare, the place of commencement.

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 seventh day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

W. M. ROLLESTON.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land set apart for Village Settlement of Dacre, Southland Land District.

(L.S.) ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the twentieth section of "The Land Act 1877 Amendment Act, 1879," I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby set apart the lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto for sale as a village settlement, upon such terms and conditions as are set forth in an Order in Council of even date herewith, and made under the twenty-first section of the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Block.	Section.	Area.
V.	1	A. R. P. 0 1 35	VIII.	13	A. R. P. 0 1 36
	2	0 1 12		14	0 1 32
	3	0 0 37		15	0 1 32
	4	0 0 36		16	0 1 32
	5	0 0 31		17	0 1 32
	6	0 0 38		18	0 1 36
	7	0 1 8		19	0 1 37
VI.	1	0 1 13	20	0 1 37	
	2	0 1 7	21	0 1 37	
	3	0 1 32	22	0 1 37	
	4	0 1 19	23	0 1 37	
	5	0 1 38	24	0 1 37	
	6	0 1 13	25	0 1 37	
	7	0 1 19	26	0 1 37	
	8	0 1 35	IX.	1	0 1 32
9	0 1 35	2		0 1 32	
10	0 1 35	3		0 1 32	
11	0 1 35	4		0 1 32	
12	0 2 0	5		0 1 37	
13	0 2 0	6		0 1 37	
14	0 2 0	7		0 1 37	
15	0 2 0	8		0 1 37	
VII.	16	0 1 35	9	0 1 37	
	1	0 1 35	10	0 1 37	
	2	0 2 4	11	0 1 37	
	3	0 2 4	12	0 1 37	
	4	0 2 4	13	0 1 36	
	5	0 2 4	14	0 1 32	
	6	0 1 35	15	0 1 32	
	7	0 1 35	16	0 1 32	
VIII.	8	0 1 35	17	0 1 32	
	9	0 1 35	18	0 1 36	
	10	0 2 4	19	0 1 37	
	11	0 2 4	20	0 1 37	
	12	0 2 4	21	0 1 37	
	13	0 2 4	22	0 1 37	
	14	0 1 35	23	0 1 37	
	15	0 1 35	24	0 1 37	
IX.	16	0 1 35	25	0 1 37	
	1	0 1 32	26	0 1 37	
	2	0 1 32	X.	1	0 1 32
	3	0 1 32		2	0 1 32
	4	0 1 32		3	0 1 32
	5	0 1 37		4	0 1 32
	6	0 1 37		5	0 1 37
	7	0 1 37		6	0 1 37
8	0 1 37	7		0 1 37	
9	0 1 37	8		0 1 37	
X.	10	0 1 37	9	0 1 37	
	11	0 1 37	10	0 1 37	
	12	0 1 37	11	0 1 37	

SCHEDULE—continued.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Block.	Section.	Area.
X.	12	A. R. P. 0 1 37	XV.	14	A. R. P. 0 1 32
	13	0 1 36		15	0 1 32
	14	0 1 32		16	0 1 38
	15	0 1 32		17	0 1 38
	16	0 1 32		18	0 1 38
	17	0 1 32		19	0 1 38
	18	0 1 36		20	0 1 38
	19	0 1 37		21	0 1 38
	20	0 1 37		22	0 1 38
	21	0 1 37		XVI.	1	0 1 32
22	0 1 37	2	0 1 32		
23	0 1 37	3	0 1 32		
24	0 1 37	4	0 1 32		
25	0 1 37	5	0 1 38		
26	0 1 37	6	0 1 38		
XI.	1	0 1 37	7		0 1 38
	2	0 1 11	8		0 1 38
	3	0 1 5	9		0 1 38
	4	0 1 17	10		0 1 38
	5	0 1 30	11	0 1 38	
	6	0 2 2	12	0 1 32	
	7	0 2 15	13	0 1 32	
	8	0 2 15	14	0 1 32	
	9	0 2 1	15	0 1 32	
	10	0 1 32	16	0 1 38	
11	0 1 0	17	0 1 38		
12	0 1 32	18	0 1 38		
13	0 1 32	19	0 1 38		
14	0 1 32	20	0 1 38		
15	0 1 38	21	0 1 38		
16	0 1 38	22	0 1 38		
17	0 1 38	XVII.	1	7 0 17	
18	0 1 38		3	5 0 0	
19	0 1 38		5	5 3 6	
20	0 1 38	XVIII.	1	10 0 10	
21	0 1 38		5	13 0 18	
22	0 1 32	XIX.	1	16 0 2	
XII.	2		0 1 38	3	15 3 19
	3	0 1 38	5	15 0 4	
	4	0 1 38	XX.	1	19 1 24
	5	0 1 38		3	19 1 24
	6	0 1 38	XXI.	7	19 1 33
	7	0 1 38		9	19 1 33
	8	0 1 38	XXII.	1	18 3 26
	9	0 1 32		3	18 3 26
	10	0 1 34	XXIII.	5	19 1 19
	11	0 1 8		7	18 3 26
12	0 1 3	XXIV.	9	18 3 26	
13	0 1 16		1	14 0 13	
14	0 1 28	XXV.	3	16 0 4	
15	0 2 0		5	16 0 4	
16	0 2 12	XXVI.	2	5 0 0	
17	0 2 12		4	5 0 0	
18	0 2 0	XXVII.	6	6 0 24	
19	0 1 31		2	19 1 5	
20	0 0 39	XXVIII.	4	18 0 23	
21	0 1 32		6	17 3 4	
22	0 1 32	XXIX.	2	16 2 24	
XV.	1		0 1 32	4	15 0 4
	2	0 1 32	XXX.	2	19 1 24
	3	0 1 32		4	19 1 24
	4	0 1 32	XXI.	6	19 1 33
	5	0 1 38		8	19 1 33
	6	0 1 38	XXII.	10	19 3 27
	7	0 1 38		2	18 3 26
	8	0 1 38	XXIII.	4	18 3 26
	9	0 1 38		6	18 3 26
	10	0 1 38	XXIV.	10	19 1 19
11	0 1 38	2		16 0 4	
12	0 1 32	XXV.	4	16 0 4	
13	0 1 32				

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 fifth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Terms and Conditions of Sale of the Village Settlement of Dacre, Southland Land District.

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 by the twenty-first section of "The Land Act 1877 Amendment Act, 1879," it is enacted that the Governor in Council may fix the terms and conditions upon which the lands comprised in any village settlement shall be disposed of, and the mode of payment for the same: And whereas His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand has, by Proclamation in the *New Zealand Gazette*, bearing date this fifth day of February, set apart the lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto for sale as a village settlement:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the hereinbefore in part recited Act, and by and with the advice of the Executive Council of the Colony of New Zealand, doth hereby fix the following terms and conditions upon which the said village settlement shall be disposed of, and the mode of payment for the same, that is to say,—

1. The lands enumerated in the Schedules hereto shall be disposed of as village and small-farm allotments.

2. The day upon which the lands shall be open for application shall be Thursday, the twenty-fourth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, at the Land Office, Invercargill.

3. The lands enumerated in the First Schedule hereto shall be sold for cash immediately on purchase, and the lands enumerated in the Second Schedule hereto shall be sold on deferred payments.

4. The lands which are disposed of by sale upon deferred payments shall be subject to the provisions relating to suburban lands of Part III. of "The Land Act, 1877," and to the provisions of section nine of "The Land Act 1877 Amendment Act, 1879."

5. No person shall be allowed to acquire more than one section upon either immediate or deferred payments.

6. The prices stated in the Schedules hereto shall be the prices at which the lands shall be open for application.

7. If there should be more than one application for any allotment in Schedule I. offered for cash, the right to purchase the same shall be determined by auction amongst the applicants only, and if there should be more than one application for any allotment in Schedule II. offered for deferred payments, the right to occupy the same shall be determined by lot amongst the applicants.

8. Each applicant for a deferred-payment section in Schedule II. will be required to make the declaration prescribed by section sixty-two of "The Land Act, 1877," and shall at the time of application deposit with the Receiver of Land Revenue for the Southland Land District one-tenth of the price if the area of the allotment is twenty acres or under, and one-twentieth of the price if the area is greater than

SCHEDULE—continued.

twenty acres. Such payment shall be deemed to be a discharge of the license-fee for the six months ending the thirtieth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

9. The purchaser of any lands described in Schedule I., upon the full payment of the purchase-money, and the purchaser of any lands described in Schedule II., upon the like payment, and also the fulfilment of the terms and conditions prescribed by "The Land Act, 1877" and "The Land Act 1877 Amendment Act, 1879," relating to land on deferred payments, will be entitled to his Crown grant, to be issued in the usual way upon payment of the fees prescribed by law.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

VILLAGE SETTLEMENT OF DACRE.

Village Allotments to be sold for Cash immediately on Purchase.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Block.	Section.	Area.			
V.	1	A. R. P. 0 1 35	VIII.	24	A. R. P. 0 1 37			
	2	0 1 12		25	0 0 1 37			
	3	0 0 37		26	0 0 1 32			
	4	0 0 36		IX.	1	0 0 1 32		
	5	0 0 31			2	0 1 32		
	6	0 0 38			3	0 1 32		
	7	0 1 13			4	0 0 1 37		
	8	0 1 13			5	0 0 1 37		
	9	0 1 32			6	0 0 1 37		
	10	0 1 19			7	0 0 1 37		
	11	0 1 35			8	0 0 1 37		
	12	0 2 0			9	0 0 1 37		
	13	0 2 0			10	0 0 1 37		
	14	0 2 0			11	0 0 1 37		
	15	0 2 0			12	0 0 1 37		
	16	0 1 35			13	0 0 1 36		
	VII.	1			0 1 35	21	0 1 37	
		2			0 2 4	22	0 1 37	
		3			0 2 4	23	0 1 37	
		4			0 2 4	24	0 1 37	
		5			0 1 35	25	0 0 1 37	
		6			0 1 35	X.	1	0 0 1 32
		7			0 1 35		2	0 1 32
		8			0 1 35		3	0 0 1 32
		9			0 2 4		4	0 0 1 37
		10			0 2 4		5	0 0 1 37
		11			0 2 4		6	0 0 1 37
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25		0 1 37	20	0 0 1 37				
26		0 1 37	21	0 0 1 37				
27		0 1 37	22	0 0 1 37				
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	17	0 1 32		17	0 0 1 32			
	18	0 1 32		18	0 0 1 32			
	19	0 1 32		19	0 0 1 32			

Block.	Section.	Area.	Block.	Section.	Area.	
XI.	8	A. R. P. 0 2 15	XV.	5	A. R. P. 0 1 38	
	9	0 2 1		6	0 1 38	
	10	0 1 32		7	0 1 38	
	11	0 1 32		8	0 1 38	
	12	0 1 32		9	0 1 38	
	13	0 1 32		10	0 1 38	
	14	0 1 32		11	0 1 38	
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	23	0 1 38		20	0 1 38	
	24	0 1 38		21	0 1 38	
	25	0 1 38		22	0 1 38	
	26	0 1 38		XVI.	1	0 1 32
	27	0 1 38			2	0 1 32
	28	0 1 38			3	0 1 32
	29	0 1 38			4	0 1 38
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36	0 1 38	11	0 1 38			
37	0 1 38	12	0 1 38			
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43	0 1 38	18	0 1 38			
44	0 1 38	19	0 1 38			
45	0 1 38	20	0 1 38			
46	0 1 38	21	0 1 38			
47	0 1 38	22	0 1 38			
48	0 1 38	23	0 1 38			
49	0 1 38	24	0 1 38			
50	0 1 38	25	0 1 38			
51	0 1 38	26	0 1 38			
52	0 1 38	27	0 1 38			

All the above allotments shall be sold for cash at £5 per allotment.

Small-Farm Allotments to be sold for Cash immediately on Purchase.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Block.	Section.	Area.
XVII.	1	A. R. P. 7 0 17	XX.	7	A. R. P. 19 1 33
	3	5 0 0		9	19 1 33
	5	5 3 6		18	3 26
XVIII.	1	10 0 10	XXI.	1	18 3 26
	5	13 0 18		3	18 3 26
	1	16 0 2		5	19 1 19
XIX.	1	15 3 19	XXII.	7	18 3 26
	3	15 0 4		9	18 3 26
	5	19 1 24		1	14 0 13
XX.	1	19 1 24	"	3	14 0 13
	3	19 1 24		5	16 0 4
	5	19 1 24		5	16 0 4

All the above allotments shall be sold for cash at an upset price of £2 per acre.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

Village Settlement of DACRE. Small-Farm Allotments to be sold upon Deferred Payments.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Block.	Section.	Area.
XVII.	2	A. R. P. 5 0 0	XX.	6	A. R. P. 19 1 38
	4	5 0 0		8	19 1 38
XVIII.	6	6 0 24	XXI.	10	19 3 27
	2	19 1 5		18	3 26
XIX.	4	18 0 23	XXII.	4	18 3 26
	6	17 3 4		6	18 3 26
XX.	2	16 2 24	XXIII.	10	19 1 19
	4	15 0 4		2	16 0 4
"	2	19 1 24	"	2	16 0 4
	4	19 1 24		4	16 0 4

All the above allotments shall be sold on deferred payments at the rate of £3 per acre.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Appointing Days on which Property-Tax shall be payable.

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 by "The Property-Tax Act, 1879," it is provided that the duties therein mentioned shall be due or payable in two equal instalments on such days as the Governor in Council may appoint: Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor in Council, in exercise and in pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling him in that behalf, doth hereby appoint that the days on which the two equal instalments of the said duties shall be payable shall be the eighth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, and the twenty-second day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Regulations under "The Property Assessment Act, 1879."

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 by "The Property Assessment Act, 1879," it is provided that the Governor in Council may from time to time make, alter, and revoke regulations, not inconsistent with that Act, for, amongst other things, prescribing the forms of notices and other instruments mentioned in the said Act or necessary to give effect thereto:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Colony, do hereby make the following regulations for the purpose of the said Act, that is to say,—

The form of demand for payment of the tax payable under the said Act shall be the Form No. 1, given hereafter.

The form of public notice directed to be given by section 76 of the said Act shall be the Form No. 2, given hereafter.

The form of demand, as required by section 77 of the said Act, shall be the Form No. 3, given hereafter.

No. 1.

"THE PROPERTY-TAX ACT, 1879."
Property-Tax Office,

To
I BEG to inform you that the sum of £ , being property-tax on £ , at the rate of one penny in the pound, for the year commencing on the day of , 188 , will be payable by you at my office, in two equal instalments, on the following days:—

£ : : on , the day of , 188 .
£ : : on , the day of , 188 .

Deputy Commissioner and Receiver of Property-Tax,

If you are assessed for property in different parts of the colony, I hereby appoint the above-mentioned place as the one place in which the total amount of tax payable by you in respect of your property shall be paid.

Commissioner.

No. 2.

NOTICE is hereby given that the instalment of property-tax for the year commencing on the day of 188 , will be payable on the day of 188 , and the places where the said tax shall be paid shall, in each district, be the place mentioned below opposite the name of the said district.

Commissioner.

Name of District.	Place where Tax Payable.
Auckland	Office of the Deputy Property-Tax Commissioner, Auckland.
Hawke's Bay	Office of the Deputy Property-Tax Commissioner, Napier.
Wellington	Office of the Deputy Property-Tax Commissioner, Government Buildings, Wellington.
Nelson	Office of the Deputy Property-Tax Commissioner, Nelson.
Canterbury	Office of the Deputy Property-Tax Commissioner, Christchurch.
Waitaki...	Office of the Deputy Property-Tax Commissioner, Timaru.
Otago	Office of the Deputy Property-Tax Commissioner, Dunedin.
Southland	Office of the Deputy Property-Tax Commissioner, Invercargill.

Commissioner.

No. 3.

, 188 .

To
In accordance with the provisions of section 77 of "The Property Assessment Act, 1879," I beg to demand from you the payment of the instalment of property-tax payable by you on the day of , 188 , and amounting to £ ; and I hereby give you notice that, as prescribed by the said Act, if you do not pay the said amount within fourteen days after this notice shall have been forwarded to you by post, 10 per centum on the said amount will be added thereto, and legal proceedings will be immediately taken against you for the recovery of the same.

Deputy Commissioner.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Terms and Conditions of Sale of Immediate and Deferred-payment Land in the Village Settlement of Warea, West Coast Land District.

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 by the twenty-first section of "The Land Act 1877 Amendment Act, 1879," it is enacted that the Governor in Council may fix the terms and conditions upon which the lands comprised in any village settlement shall be disposed of, and the mode of payment for the same: And whereas the Governor has, by Proclamation in the *New Zealand Gazette*, bearing date the nineteenth day of January, set apart the lands enumerated in the Schedules hereto for sale as village settlements:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the hereinbefore in part recited Act, and by and with the advice of the Executive Council of the Colony of New Zealand, doth hereby fix the following terms and conditions upon which the said village settlements shall be disposed of, and the mode of payment for the same, that is to say,—

1. The lands enumerated in Schedule I. hereto shall be open for application for cash at the Land Offices at Carlyle, Hawera, and New Plymouth, on Monday, the fourteenth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, at the prices stated therein.

2. The lands enumerated in Schedule II. hereto shall be open for application on deferred payments at the prices stated therein, at the Land Offices at Carlyle, Hawera, and New Plymouth, on Monday, the fourteenth day of February aforesaid, subject to the provisions of Part III. of "The Land Act, 1877," relating to rural land, in cases where the allotments exceed an area of twenty acres, and to the provisions of the said Part III. relating to suburban land, in cases where the area is twenty acres or under.

3. No person shall be allowed to acquire more than one section upon either immediate or deferred payments.

4. If there should be more than one application for any allotment in Schedule I. offered for cash, the right to purchase the same shall be determined by auction amongst the applicants only, and if there should be more than one application for any allotment in Schedule II. offered for deferred payments, the right to occupy the same shall be determined by lot amongst the applicants.

5. Each applicant for a deferred-payment section in Schedule II. will be required to make the declaration prescribed by section sixty-two of "The Land Act, 1877," and shall at the time of application deposit with the Receiver of Land Revenue for the West Coast Land District one-tenth of the price, if the area of the allotment is twenty acres or under, and one-twentieth of the price if the area is greater than twenty acres. Such payment shall be deemed to be a discharge of the license-fee for the six months ending the thirtieth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

6. The purchaser of any lands described in Schedule I. upon the full payment of the purchase-money, and the purchaser of any lands described in Schedule II. upon the like payment, and also the fulfilment of the terms and conditions prescribed by "The Land Act, 1877," and "The Land Act 1877 Amendment Act, 1879," relating to land on deferred payments, will be entitled to his Crown grant, to be issued in the usual way upon payment of the fees prescribed by law.

SCHEDULE I.

CAPE SURVEY DISTRICT.

Warea Village Settlement.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
VIII.	21	1 0 0	15 0 0
"	22	1 0 0	15 0 0
"	23	1 0 0	15 0 0
"	25	1 0 0	15 0 0
"	26	1 0 0	15 0 0
"	27	1 0 0	20 0 0
"	28	1 0 0	15 0 0
"	29	1 0 0	15 0 0
"	30	1 0 0	20 0 0
"	31	0 3 0	15 0 0
"	32	0 3 0	15 0 0
"	33	0 3 0	15 0 0
"	34	0 3 0	15 0 0
"	35	0 2 0	10 0 0
"	36	0 2 0	15 0 0
"	37	0 2 0	20 0 0
"	38	0 3 0	15 0 0
"	39	0 3 0	15 0 0
"	40	0 3 0	15 0 0
"	41	0 3 0	15 0 0
"	44	0 2 0	15 0 0
"	45	1 0 0	15 0 0

SCHEDULE—continued.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
VIII.	46	1 0 0	15 0 0
"	47	1 0 0	20 0 0
"	48	1 0 0	15 0 0
"	49	1 0 0	15 0 0
"	50	1 0 0	20 0 0
"	51	1 0 0	15 0 0
"	52	1 0 0	15 0 0
"	53	1 0 0	15 0 0

All the above allotments will be open for application for cash at the upset prices stated against each:—

SCHEDULE II.

CAPE SURVEY DISTRICT.—SMALL-FARM ALLOTMENTS.

Warea Village Settlement.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
IV.	12	50 0 0	175 0 0
"	13	50 0 0	175 0 0
"	14	50 0 0	175 0 0
VIII.	5	50 0 0	175 0 0
"	6	50 0 0	175 0 0
"	7	34 0 0	119 0 0
"	9	5 0 0	25 0 0
"	10	5 0 0	25 0 0
"	11	5 0 0	25 0 0
"	12	5 0 0	25 0 0
"	14	5 2 0	27 10 0
"	15	5 0 0	25 0 0
"	16	5 0 0	25 0 0
"	17	2 2 0	12 10 0
"	18	2 2 0	12 10 0
"	19	3 2 25	18 0 0
"	54	4 0 0	20 0 0
"	55	3 1 15	18 0 0
"	56	2 3 24	15 0 0
"	57	4 1 0	21 5 0
"	58	3 2 20	18 0 0
"	59	4 0 0	20 0 0
"	60	3 2 20	18 0 0
"	65	50 0 0	175 0 0
"	72	50 0 0	175 0 0
"	73	50 0 0	175 0 0
"	74	50 0 0	175 0 0

All the above allotments will be open for application on deferred payments at the upset prices stated against each.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Waiuku Recreation-ground brought under "The Public Domains Act, 1860."

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

BY virtue of the powers and authorities vested in me by the eleventh section of "The Public Reserves Act, 1877," I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, do hereby order and declare that the reserve made for public recreation in the Land District of Auckland, and known as the Waiuku

Recreation-ground, and described in the Schedule hereto, shall be and the same is hereby brought under the operation of and declared to be subject to the provisions of "The Public Domains Act, 1860," and its amending Acts; and such domain shall hereafter be managed, administered, and dealt with in manner directed by the said Acts.

SCHEDULE.

ALLOTMENT No. 73, in the Village of Waiuku and Maoro Survey District, containing 10 acres. Bounded towards the North by lines, 1306 links; towards the East by a road, 979 links; towards the South by a road, 1070 links; and towards the West by a line, 813 links.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Powers delegated to the Waiuku Domain Board under "The Public Domains Act, 1860."

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the eleventh section of "The Public Domains Act, 1860," it is enacted that the Governor, by Order in Council, may from time to time delegate all or any of the powers by the said Act conferred upon any person for any period, and subject to such stipulations as may be specified in such order, and that every such delegation may from time to time in like manner be altered or revoked: And whereas it is enacted by "The Public Domains Act, 1865," that the word "person" in the hereinbefore recited section of "The Public Domains Act, 1860," shall be deemed to include more persons than one: And whereas pursuant to "The Public Reserves Act, 1877," by an Order in Council of even date herewith, the land described in the Schedule thereto is declared to be brought under and to be subject to the said "Public Domains Act, 1860:"

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony of New Zealand, doth, by this present order, delegate all the powers conferred by the Act first above mentioned, except the powers under or conferred by subsections five and ten of section five, and section eleven, to the under-mentioned persons, who shall be known as the Waiuku Domain Board:—

JAMES ARTHUR ADAM,
WILLIAM JOSEPH KING,
WILLIAM WATTS,
JOHN CHANDLER,
ALFRED MARTIN BARRIBALL,
CALEB HOSKING, and
CHARLES THOMAS BARRIBALL

(herein referred to as "the Board"), subject to the stipulations hereinafter contained, that is to say,—

1. The Board shall meet for the transaction of business on the last Saturday in each month, at half-past five o'clock p.m., at the Temperance and Public Hall, Waiuku, or at such other time or place as may from time to time be fixed by the Board. The first meeting shall be held on Saturday, the twenty-sixth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

2. Special meetings may be convened by the Chairman, or by any two members of the Board, provided that two days' notice of such meeting be given to each member, specifying the business to be transacted at such special meeting, and no other business than that so specified shall be transacted at such meeting.

3. Any three of the said Board shall form a quorum. Any meeting may be adjourned from time to time.

4. The members of the Board shall, at their first meeting, and thereafter at an annual meeting to be held on the first Monday in January in every succeeding year thereafter, elect one of themselves to be Chairman, who may join in the discussion, and shall have an original as well as a casting vote. The Chairman shall hold office until the election of his successor.

5. If at any meeting the Chairman is not present at the time appointed for holding the same, the members present shall choose some one of their number to be Chairman of such meeting.

6. If, by resignation, death, or incapacity, or otherwise, the office of Chairman shall be or become vacant, the members may at any monthly or special meeting appoint a Chairman.

7. All questions shall be determined by the majority of votes of the members of the Board present at a meeting.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Buffalo (Coromandel) Recreation-ground brought under "The Public Domains Act, 1860."

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

BY virtue of the powers and authorities vested in me by the eleventh section of "The Public Reserves Act, 1877," I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, do hereby order and declare that the reserve made for public recreation in the Land District of Auckland, and known as the Buffalo (Coromandel) Recreation-ground, and described in the Schedule hereto, shall be and the same is hereby brought under the operation of and declared to be subject to the provisions of "The Public Domains Act, 1860," and its amending Acts; and such domain shall hereafter be managed, administered, and dealt with in manner directed by the said Acts.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land containing by admeasurement 17 acres 3 roods 14 perches, more or less, being Lot No. 32 of the Village of Buffalo, Coromandel Survey District, Provincial District of Auckland. Bounded towards the North-east by a line, 1202 links; towards the South-east by a line, 1505 links; towards the South-west by Allotments Nos. 31 and 34, the termination of a road, and again by Allotments Nos. 22, 14, 13, and 12, 1701 links; and towards the North-west by a road, 1855 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Powers delegated to the Buffalo (Coromandel) Domain Board under "The Public Domains Act, 1860."

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the eleventh section of "The Public Domains Act, 1860," it is enacted that the Governor, by Order in Council, may from time to time delegate all or any of the powers by the said Act conferred upon any person for any period, and subject to such stipulations as may be specified in such order, and that every such delegation may from time to time in like manner be altered or revoked: And whereas it is enacted by "The Public Domains Act, 1865," that the word "person" in the hereinbefore recited section of "The Public Domains Act, 1860," shall be deemed to include more persons than one: And whereas pursuant to "The Public Reserves Act, 1877," by an Order in Council of even date herewith, the land described in the Schedule thereto is declared to be brought under and to be subject to the said "Public Domains Act, 1860:"

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony of New Zealand, doth, by this present order, delegate all the powers conferred by the Act first above mentioned, except the powers under or conferred by subsections five and ten of section five, and section eleven, to the under-mentioned persons, who shall be known as the Buffalo (Coromandel) Domain Board:—

FREDERICK WOOLLAMS,
CHARLES GEORGE GENTIL,
JOHN C. FRASER,
ALFRED JEROME CADMAN,
WILLIAM HORNE,
HUGH MACDONALD, and
CHARLES MILLS

(herein referred to as "the Board"), subject to the stipulations hereinafter contained, that is to say,—

1. The Board shall meet for the transaction of business on the first Monday in each month, at ten o'clock a.m., at the office of the Coromandel County Council, or at such other time or place as may from time to time be fixed by the Board. The first meeting shall be held on Monday, the twenty-eighth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

2. Special meetings may be convened by the Chairman, or by any two members of the Board, provided that two days' notice of such meeting be given to each member, specifying the business to be transacted at such special meeting, and no other business than that so specified shall be transacted at such meeting.

3. Any three of the said Board shall form a quorum. Any meeting may be adjourned from time to time.

4. The members of the Board shall, at their first meeting, and thereafter at an annual meeting to be held on the first Monday in January in every succeeding year thereafter, elect one of themselves to be Chairman, who may join in the discussion, and shall have an original as well as a casting vote. The Chairman shall hold office until the election of his successor.

5. If at any meeting the Chairman is not present at the time appointed for holding the same, the members present shall choose some one of their number to be Chairman of such meeting.

6. If, by resignation, death, or incapacity, or otherwise, the office of Chairman shall be or become vacant, the members may at any monthly or special meeting appoint a Chairman.

7. All questions shall be determined by the majority of votes of the members of the Board present at a meeting.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Powers delegated to the Rangiora Domain Board under "The Public Domains Act, 1860."

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 by an Order in Council bearing date the third day of November, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, made and issued under the authority of "The Public Domains Act, 1860," "The Public Domains Act, 1865," and "The Public Reserves Act, 1877," certain powers were, in respect of certain lands referred to in a further Order in Council of the same date, made and issued under "The Public Reserves Act, 1877," aforesaid, delegated to Henry Blackett, John Lilly, John Luxton, Albert Parsons, Malcolm Duncan, and Edward Mulcock:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by virtue and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by "The Public Domains Act, 1860," aforesaid, and by and with the advice of the Executive Council of the said colony, do hereby revoke the Order in Council delegating the Governor's powers to the above-named persons; and do hereby further delegate, in respect of the lands referred to in the aforesaid Orders in Council, all the powers conferred by "The Public Domains Act, 1860," except the powers under or conferred by subsections five and ten of section five, and section eleven, to the under-mentioned persons, who shall be known as the Rangiora Domain Board:—

JOHN LILLY,
JOHN LUXTON,
ALBERT PARSONS,
MALCOLM DUNCAN,
EDWARD MULCOCK, and
AQUILA IVORY

(herein referred to as "the Board"), subject to the stipulations hereinafter contained, that is to say,—

1. The Board shall meet for the transaction of business on the first Monday in each month, at four o'clock p.m., at the Road Board Office, Rangiora, or at such other time or place as may from time to time be fixed by the Board. The first meeting shall be held on Monday, the twenty-first day of February, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

2. Special meetings may be convened by the Chairman, or by any two members of the Board, provided that two days' notice of such meeting be given to each member, specifying the business to be transacted at such special meeting, and no other business than that so specified shall be transacted at such meeting.

3. Any three of the said Board shall form a quorum. Any meeting may be adjourned from time to time.

4. The members of the Board shall, at their first meeting, and thereafter at an annual meeting to be held on the first Monday in February in every succeeding year thereafter, elect one of themselves to

be Chairman, who may join in the discussion, and shall have an original as well as a casting vote. The Chairman shall hold office until the election of his successor.

5. If at any meeting the Chairman is not present at the time appointed for holding the same, the members present shall choose some one of their number to be Chairman of such meeting.

6. If, by resignation, death, or incapacity, or otherwise, the office of Chairman shall be or become vacant, the members may at any monthly or special meeting appoint a Chairman.

7. All questions shall be determined by the majority of votes of the members of the Board present at a meeting.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Carterton Public Cemetery brought under "The Cemeteries Management Act, 1877."

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 by section thirty-nine of "The Cemeteries Management Act, 1877," it is, amongst other things, enacted that, where the Trustees of any public cemetery, or the Trustees, Managers, or other persons having the care and control of any other cemetery, burial-ground, or place of burial heretofore established, shall be desirous of adopting the provisions of this Act, or any of them, in the place of any Act or Ordinance, or any provisions of such Act or Ordinance, heretofore regulating the management of any such last-mentioned cemetery, burial-ground, or place of burial, the said Trustees, Managers, or other persons may apply to the Governor in Council in that behalf, who may thereupon cause inquiry to be made in such manner as he shall think fit as to the desirability of granting such petition, and the Governor may, by Order in Council, direct that the provisions of this Act, or any of them, shall come into force in respect of any such cemetery, burial-ground, or place of burial, or he may reject any such application:

And whereas the Trustees of the Carterton Public Cemetery have applied to the Governor to bring the said cemetery under the provisions of the said Act, and due inquiry has been made in pursuance of the said thirty-ninth section as to the desirability of granting such petition:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby order and direct that all provisions of "The Cemeteries Management Act, 1877," shall come into force in respect of the public cemetery at Carterton, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and known as the Carterton Cemetery, as the same is described in the Schedule hereto; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me, I do, with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, order and direct that this order shall come into force on the fifth day of February next.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land containing 39 acres 3 roods 20 perches, more or less, being Section No. 348 on the plan of the Taratahi Plain Block, in the

Wairarapa District, Provincial District of Wellington. Bounded towards the North by Sections Nos. 190 and 202, 1996 links; towards the East by Section No. 202, 1997 links; towards the South by Section No. 128, 1996 links; and towards the West by Section No. 309, 1997 links: as the same is delineated on the official maps in the Survey Office, Wellington.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Vesting a Reserve in the Corporation of Hamilton.

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto was reserved for the protection of the banks of the Waikato River: And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to vest the said land in the Corporation of Hamilton:

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 day of the date hereof, the said reserve shall become vested in the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the said Borough of Hamilton, in trust, for the protection of the banks of the Waikato River.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 4 acres, more or less, and being Lot No. 417, situate in the Survey District of Hamilton, Provincial District of Auckland, Parish of Kirikiriroa, commencing at a point distant from the south-westernmost corner of Lot 411, 110 links. Bounded—Generally South-westerly by the Waikato River and a stream, 2430 links; towards the North-east by lines, 380, 1200, and 620 links respectively; and towards the South-east by a line to commencing point, 130 links.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Making Rules for Surveys, and Fees to be paid by Applicants for Land, under the "Homestead System"—Auckland District.

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the one hundred and sixty-ninth section of "The Land Act, 1877," it is, among other things, enacted that the Governor shall have power from time to time to make rules, regulations, and orders providing for the mode by which any land or allotment shall be surveyed and boundaries adjusted, and for imposing any reasonable charge for surveys:

And whereas it is expedient that the charges to be made for the survey of rural lands to be occupied within the Land District of Auckland under the provisions set forth in clauses two and three, Appendix A, of the said Act, should be amended:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in me by the said Act, do hereby make the rules, regulations, and orders set forth in the Schedule hereto, providing the mode in which surveys may be made, and for imposing the fees to be paid by persons making application for land to be occupied under the provisions set forth in clauses two and three of the Appendix A to the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Under 30 acres ...	6 0 0	
From 30 to 50 acres	0 3 6 per acre, but not less than	6 0 0
" 50 to 100 "	0 3 0 " "	8 15 0
" 100 to 200 "	0 2 6 " "	15 0 0
" 200 to 300 "	0 2 0 " "	25 0 0

1. When the surveys of two or more sections adjoin, a deduction will be made at the rate of five pounds per mile for forest and two pounds per mile for open, on the length of their common boundaries, a proportionate part of which will be returned to the adjoining selectors.

2. When more than half the length of the boundary-lines run through vegetation less than 4 feet high, one-third of the rates will be deducted.

3. Travelling expenses will be allowed at the rate of four shillings per mile (to be measured in a straight line from the nearest survey office or residence of Surveyor, at the discretion of the Surveyor-General). When more than one section is surveyed at the same time, such allowance is to be divided amongst them, in proportion to the number of the sections.

4. Surveys shall be made by Surveyors authorized by the Surveyor-General, and in accordance with instructions to Settlement Surveyors issued or which may be issued by him; and these rates further imply that all boundary-lines are to be cut and marked on the ground.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Rehearing of Native Land Claim.

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the fifty-eighth section of "The Native Land Act, 1873" (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is enacted that, upon the application of any persons interested in any Native land who may feel themselves aggrieved by the decision of the Native Land Court in respect thereof, the Governor in Council may order a rehearing of any matter heard and decided under the provisions of the said Act, within such a period of time from the publication of the decision and certificate in manner in the said Act required as may be limited in such order; and, upon such order being made, all proceedings theretofore taken by the Court in such matter shall be annulled, and the case shall commence *de novo*, and shall proceed in manner provided by the said Act: Provided that no application for a rehearing shall be entertained if it be made after six months shall have elapsed from the time of such publication:

And whereas at a sitting of the Native Land Court of New Zealand at Kaibu, in the Kaipara District, in the Provincial District of Auckland, on the seventeenth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, the claim of Tirarau Kukupa and another, aboriginal natives of New Zealand, to

a piece of land called Waitomotomo, situate at Waitomotomo, in the said district, was heard and decided, and a certain order was thereupon made by the Court:

And whereas on or about the twenty-seventh day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, an application was made, by and on behalf of certain aboriginal natives claiming to have an interest in the said land, for a rehearing of the said claim, and it is expedient that the said claim should be reheard before the said Court:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, in exercise and pursuance of the above-recited power, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of New Zealand, doth hereby order and direct that the said claim of Tirarau Kukupa and another to the piece of land aforesaid shall be reheard as and in the manner provided by "The Native Land Act, 1873," and doth also order that such rehearing shall take place within two years from the said seventeenth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Sparrows and Linnets may be killed throughout the Colony.

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

IN exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby declare that, from and after the date hereof, the imported birds known as sparrows (*Passer domesticus*) and linnets (*Fringilla cannabina*) may be taken or killed in all or any of the provincial districts of the said colony.

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

JOHN HALL.

Appointing Reviewer under "The Property Assessment Act, 1879," and assigning District.

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities in anywise enabling me in that behalf by "The Property Assessment Act, 1879," and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling me in that behalf, I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint

ADAM LANDELS

to be a Member of a Board of Reviewers for the Otago District, in conjunction with Henry Clark and James Adam, in lieu of Thomas Murray, resigned.

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

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

Appointment of Receivers of Property-Tax.

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me in that behalf by "The Property Assessment Act, 1879," and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling me in that behalf, I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the several persons, whose names are mentioned in

the Schedule hereto, to be Receivers for the purposes of "The Property Assessment Act, 1879."

SCHEDULE.

- BENJAMIN MACLEAN, Auckland.
- SAMUEL YEOMAN COLLINS, Napier.
- CHARLES MELVILLE CROMBIE, Wellington.
- THOMAS MACKAY, Nelson.
- EDWARD CIRCUIT LATTEB, Christchurch.
- THOMAS HOWLEY, Timaru.
- RICHARD BOWDEN MARTIN, Dunedin.
- WILLIAM STUART, Invercargill.

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

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

Trustees appointed for Maintenance of Waikiekie (Auckland) Public Cemetery.

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the second section of "The Cemeteries Management Act, 1877," I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, 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.
Robert Neville. Thomas Cox. Harry Hilford. George Taylor. Robert Pidgeon. Alexander Stephen. Thomas Lowe. Robert Hilford.	<p style="text-align: center;">WAIKIEKIE.</p> All that parcel of land in the Parish of Waikiekie, Provincial District of Auckland, being the south-western portion of Allotment No. 49, containing 4 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North-east by other portion of Allotment No. 49, 1190 links; towards the South-east by a road 100 links wide, 384 links; towards the South-west by a road of the width aforesaid, 140 links, 311 links, 329 links, and 210 links; and towards the North-west by Allotment No. 50, 410 links: as the same is delineated on the official map in the Survey Office, Auckland.

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

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Lands.

Trustees appointed for Maintenance of Carterton Public Cemetery.

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the second section of "The Cemeteries Management Act, 1877," I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, 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.
Edward Anderson. William Booth. Thomas Moore. James Fitzgerald. William Parker. John Smith. Richard Fairbrother. Humphrey Callister. Isaac Bairstow. George Bowles.	<p style="text-align: center;">CARTERTON.</p> All that piece or parcel of land containing 39 acres 3 roods 20 perches, more or less, being Section No. 348 on the plan of the Taratahi Plain Block, in the Wairarapa District, Provincial District of Wellington. Bounded towards the North by Sections Nos. 190 and 202, 1996 links; towards the East by Section No. 202, 1997 links; towards the South by Section No. 128, 1996 links; and towards the West by Section No. 300, 1997 links: as the same is delineated on the official map in the Survey Office, Wellington.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fifth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Lands.

Land temporarily reserved in the Land Districts of Auckland, Hawke's Bay, West Coast, Wellington, Canterbury, Otago, and Southland.

ARTHUR GORDON, 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, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, 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 Land Districts of Auckland, Hawke's Bay, West Coast, Wellington, Canterbury, Otago, and Southland, described in the Schedule hereunder written, for the purposes in the said Schedule specified.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND.

All that parcel of land in the Parish of Waikiekie, Land District of Auckland, being the north-eastern portion of Allotment No. 49, containing 70 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North-east by Allotment No. 48, 2470 links; towards the East and South by a road-line, 4789 links; towards the South-west by other portion of Allotment No. 49, 1190 links; and towards the North-west by Allotment No. 50, 2830: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the official maps in the Survey Office, Auckland. For a recreation-ground.

HAWKE'S BAY.

All that parcel of land in the Land District of Hawke's Bay, containing by admeasurement 28 perches, more or less, being Town Section No. 417, in the Township of Clyde. Bounded towards the North by Marine Parade, 70 links; towards the East by Section No. 418, 250 links; towards the South by Section No. 347, 70 links; and towards the West by Section No. 416, 250 links. As a site for a mechanics' institute.

WEST COAST (NORTH ISLAND).

Town of Opunake.

All those several parcels in the West Coast North Land District, viz.:

Block IX., Section 3, Block XIII., Section 7, Block XIV., Section 6, Block XVIII., Section 8, Block XIX., Section 1, Block XX., Sections 7 and 8, Block XXII., Section 9, Block XXIII., Section 12, Block XXIV., Section 8, Block XXV., Section 7, Block XXVI., Section 12, Block XXVII., Section 9, Block XXIX., Section 9, Block XXXIII., Section 3; Block XXXIV., Section 12, Block XXXV., Sections 1 and 2; Block XXXVIII., Section 9, Block XL., Sections 7, 8, 9, 10, 11,* and 12, Block XLI., Section 8, Block XLII., Section 3, Block XLIII., Section 6, Block XLIV., Section 1, Block XLV., Section 10; containing $\frac{1}{4}$ acre each. For municipal endowments.

Block XLVI.: Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, containing $\frac{1}{4}$ acre each; Section 9, containing 34 perches; Section 10, containing 1 rood 2 perches; Suburban Section 19, containing 13 acres 3 roods. For education endowments.

Block XXVI., Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, containing $\frac{1}{4}$ acre each. For a school site.

Block X., Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, containing $\frac{1}{4}$ acre each. Block XV.: Sections 1, 2, 3, containing $\frac{1}{4}$ acre each; Section 4, containing 34 perches; Sections 5, 6, 7, containing 31 perches each. For harbour purposes.

Also part of Section 34, containing 5 acres 3 roods; bounded on the West and North by Bowen Crescent; on the East by other part of Section No. 34 and a road; and on the South by the sea. For harbour purposes.

WELLINGTON.

All that parcel of land in the County of Wairarapa West, in the Land District of Wellington, estimated to contain about 8 acres, being an island in the bed of the Tauherenikau River, immediately below the bridge on the main road between Featherston and Greytown, and marked on the official plans in the Survey Office, Wellington. For a racecourse reserve.

All that parcel of land in the Land District of Wellington, containing by admeasurement 22 acres, more or less, being the Section numbered 338 on the plan of the Township of Featherston. Bounded towards the North by Section No. 487 and main line of road from Wellington, 2400 links; towards the East by Sections Nos. 1 and 2, Town of Featherston, 720 links; and towards the South by the Otairira River, 4400 links: as the same is delineated on the official maps in the Survey Office, Wellington. For a recreation-ground.

CANTERBURY.

All those two several parcels of land in the Borough of Timaru, in the Land District of Canterbury, viz.:

46 acres 2 roods 4 perches, more or less, being a portion of Reserve No. 344 (in red). Bounded Northward by the Hospital grounds 660 links, by Queen Street, and by Reserve 278 (in red); Eastward by the Hospital grounds 695 links, and by High Street; Southward by the Boulevard, 2 chains wide; and Westward by King Street and by Reserve 278 (in red). For a public park.

5 acres 3 roods 37 perches, more or less, being a portion of Reserve No. 262 (in red). Bounded Northward by Browne Street; Eastward by Rose Street, 1136 links; Southward by the Gaol grounds; and Westward by the Boulevard, 2 chains wide. For a public garden.

All that parcel of land containing 20 acres, more

* 25 perches.

or less, in the Orari* Survey District, Land District of Canterbury. Bounded—North-eastward by Reserve 2163 (in red); South-westward by a line parallel to the last-mentioned boundary and 719 links distant therefrom; and North-westward and South-eastward by road-lines: and numbered 2167 (in red) on the official map in the Survey Office, Christchurch.

All that parcel of land in the Geraldine Survey District, Provincial District of Canterbury, containing 22 acres 2 roods, more or less. Bounded—Northward by the River Orari; Southward by a road-line; Eastward by Section 4233; and Westward by a line in continuation of the western boundary-line of Lot No. 1 of Reserve 389 (in red): and numbered 2488 (in red) on the official map in the Survey Office, Christchurch. For the improvement and protection of the Orari River-banks.

OTAGO.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Land District of Otago, containing by admeasurement 10 acres, more or less, situate in the Oamaru District, and being Section No. 62 of Block IV. of said district. Bounded towards the North by Sections Nos. 52 and 54 of same block, 1000 links; towards the East by said Section No. 54 and a road-line, 1000 links; towards the South by said Sections Nos. 52 and 54, 1000 links; and towards the West by said Section No. 52, 1000 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the official maps in the Survey Office, Dunedin. For a lighthouse.

SOUTHLAND.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Southland Land District, containing 1 acre, more or less, being part of Section 33, Block I., Town of Seaward Bush. Bounded towards the West by a road-line, 268.5 links; towards the South by a road-line, 372.2 links; towards the East by Section 32 of aforesaid Block I., 268.5 links; and towards the North by main portion of Section 33, 372.2 links: as the same is delineated on the official maps in the Survey Office, Invercargill. As a site for a town hall.

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

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Lands.

* This reserve was temporarily reserved in warrant of the 13th October, 1880 (*Gazette* No. 96, 14th October, 1880), as in the "Opuha" Survey District, in error.

Delegation of Powers under "The Mines Act, 1877."

(L.S.) ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

WHEREAS by the one hundredth section of "The Mines Act, 1877," the Governor is empowered to delegate to the Chairman of the County Council of any county in any mining district all the powers vested in the Governor by subsections four and five of section fifty-one of that Act:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby, in exercise of the powers vested in me by the said Act, delegate unto the Chairman for the time being of the County Council of Bruce all the powers vested in the Governor by section fifty-one of "The Mines Act, 1877," of making, altering, and amending and revoking rules and regulations for the purposes contained in subsections four and five of the said section fifty-one; and I do hereby declare that the powers hereby delegated shall be exercised and performed only within the said County of Bruce, and by and

with the consent of the County Council of the said County of Bruce.

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 ninth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

JOHN HALL.

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

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of all powers and authorities vested in me by "The Rating Act, 1876," I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the persons named in the Schedule hereto to be Judges of the Assessment Courts for the districts placed opposite their respective names.

SCHEDULE.

Districts.	Judges of Assessment Court.	
County of Bay of Islands ...	James Hamlyn Greenway, Esq.	
Russell Highway District ...		
County of Whangarei ...		
Hikurangi Highway District ...		
Kaurihohore Highway District ...		
Manaia Highway District ...		
Mangapai Highway District ...		
Maungakaramea Highway District ...		
Maunu Highway District ...		
Parua Highway District ...		
Ruarangi Highway District ...	James Stephenson Clendon, Esq.	
Ruatangata Highway District ...		
Waikiekie Highway District ...		
Waipu Middle Highway District ...		
Waipu North Highway District ...		
Waipu South Highway District ...		
Whangarei Highway District ...		
Whareora Highway District ...		
Whangarei Township Highway District ...		
County of Cook ...		Matthew Price, Esq.
Arai Highway District ...		
Poverty Bay Highway District ...		
Ormond Highway District ...		
Waikohu Highway District ...		
Patutahi Highway District ...		
Turanganui Highway District ...		
County of Wairoa ...		
County of Manawatu ...	Robert Ward, Esq.	
Manawatu Highway District ...		
Foxton Highway District ...		
Sandon and Carnarvon Highway District ...		
County of Waipawa ...		
Wanstead Highway District ...		
Wallingford Highway District ...		
County of Hawke's Bay ...		
Pakowhai and Waitangi Road District ...		
County of Hutt ...		Edward Shaw, Esq.
Johnsonville Local District ...		
Kaiwara Local District ...		
Karori-Makara Highway District ...		
Kilbirnie Highway District ...		
Lower Hutt Local District ...		
Wellington Highway District ...		
Borough of Wellington ...		
County of Collingwood ...		
Collingwood Road District ...		
Takaka Road District ...		
County of Grey ...	Frank Guinness, Esq.	
Borough of Greymouth ...		
Borough of City of Christchurch ...		
Borough of Sydenham ...		
Avon Road District ...		
Halswell Road District ...		
Heathcote Road District ...		
Lincoln Road District ...		
Riccarton Road District ...		
Spreydon Road District ...		
Springs Road District ...		
Templeton Road District ...		
Christchurch Drainage District ...	Henry Aldborough Stratford, Esq.	
County of Ashburton ...		
Borough of Ashburton ...		
Ashburton Road District ...		
Ashburton Upper Road District ...		
Mount Peel Road District ...		
Mount Somers Road District ...		
South Rakaia Road District ...		
Mount Cook Road District ...		
Temuka Road District ...		
Wakanui Road District ...		
Longbeach Road District ...		
Mount Hutt Road District ...		
Lake County ...	John Nugent Wood, Esq.	
Borough of Arrowtown ...		
Borough of Queenstown ...		
County of Waikouaiti ...		
County of Wallace ...		
Aparima Road District ...		
Riverton Road District ...		
County of Ashburton ...		Jackson Keddell, Esq.
Borough of Arrowtown ...		
Borough of Queenstown ...		
County of Waikouaiti ...		
County of Wallace ...		
Aparima Road District ...		
Riverton Road District ...		
County of Ashburton ...	Isaac Newton Watt, Esq.	
Borough of Arrowtown ...		
Borough of Queenstown ...		
County of Waikouaiti ...		
County of Wallace ...		
Aparima Road District ...		
Riverton Road District ...		
County of Ashburton ...		Henry McCulloch, Esq.
Borough of Arrowtown ...		
Borough of Queenstown ...		
County of Waikouaiti ...		
County of Wallace ...		
Aparima Road District ...		
Riverton Road District ...		

SCHEDULE—continued.

Districts.	Judges of Assessment Court.	
County of Hutt ...	Edward Shaw, Esq.	
Johnsonville Local District ...		
Kaiwara Local District ...		
Karori-Makara Highway District ...		
Kilbirnie Highway District ...		
Lower Hutt Local District ...		
Wellington Highway District ...		
Borough of Wellington ...		
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County of Ashburton ...		Henry McCulloch, Esq.
Borough of Arrowtown ...		
Borough of Queenstown ...		
County of Waikouaiti ...		
County of Wallace ...		
Aparima Road District ...		
Riverton Road District ...		

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fifth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

JOHN HALL.

Fixing Sittings at Wanganui and Palmerston North of the District Court of Wanganui.

A. GORDON, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority in this behalf enabling me, I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby fix and appoint that sittings of the District Court of Wanganui shall, on and after the first day of March next, be held as follows, in lieu of those previously fixed and appointed:—

In the Courthouse at Wanganui, for the despatch of civil business, on the fourth Monday in the months of January, February, May, July, August, and November; and for the despatch of civil and criminal business on the fourth Monday in the months of March, June, and September, and on the second Monday in the month of December, in each year.

In the Courthouse at Palmerston North, for the despatch of civil and criminal business, on the Tuesday before the fourth Monday in the months of March, June, and September, and before the second Monday in the month of December, in each year.

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

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this seventh day of February, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

WM. ROLLESTON.

Fixing Sittings at New Plymouth and Carlyle of the District Court of Taranaki.

A. GORDON, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority in this behalf enabling me, I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby fix and appoint that sittings of the District Court of Taranaki, for civil and criminal business, shall be held as follows, in lieu of those previously fixed and appointed:—

In the Courthouse at New Plymouth, on the second Thursday in the months of January, April, July, and October in each year.

In the Courthouse at Carlyle, on the Monday before the second Thursday in the months of January, April, July, and October in each year.

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

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this seventh day of February, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

WM. ROLLESTON.

Changing Purpose of Reserve No. 210, Suburbs of Gisborne.

General Crown Lands Office,
Wellington, 25th January, 1881.

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor intends, under the provisions of section 148 of "The Land Act, 1877," to change the specific purpose of the land described in the second column of the Schedule hereto for which the land was heretofore set apart as a reserve, as specified in the first column of the said Schedule, to the specific purposes specified in the third column of the said Schedule.

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Lands.

SCHEDULE.

Description and Purpose of Reserve.	Area of which the Purpose is intended to be Changed.	Intended Purpose.
Section No. 210, Suburbs of Gisborne, Provincial District of Auckland. Reserved as a burial-ground. (See <i>New Zealand Gazette</i> No. 1, of the 6th January, 1872, page 8.)	All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, being Lot 210, Suburbs of Gisborne, containing 8 acres and 16 perches. Bounded towards the North by Childer's Road, 600 links; towards the East by Allotment No. 211, 1221 links; towards the South by a line, 625 links; and towards the West by Allotments Nos. 209 and 212, 1433 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the official maps in the Survey Office, Auckland.	For a sheep and cattle quarantine-ground.

Public Vaccinator appointed, Auckland.

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

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

GEORGE WILLIAM SCOTT, Esq., M.R.C.S. Lond., to be an additional Public Vaccinator for the District of Auckland, to perform gratuitous vaccination in accordance with the provisions of the said Act and any regulations made or to be made thereunder.

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

Resident Medical Superintendents and Keepers, Auckland and Sunnyside Asylums, appointed.

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

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ALEXANDER YOUNG, Esq., M.D., to be Resident Medical Superintendent and Keeper of the Auckland Lunatic Asylum. Appointment to date from the 26th June, 1879; and also to appoint

WALTER EDWARD HACON, Esq., L.R.C.P. Lond., to be Resident Medical Superintendent and Keeper of the Sunnyside Lunatic Asylum, Christchurch. Appointment to date from the 1st August, 1880.

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

Resident Magistrate appointed for West Oreti and Aparima Rabbit Districts, County of Southland.

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

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HENRY McCULLOCH, Esq., R.M., to be the Resident Magistrate for the Rabbit Districts of West Oreti and Aparima, County of Southland, to perform the duties and exercise the functions prescribed by regulations made by a Proclamation under the Rabbit Nuisance Acts, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 29th April, 1878, *vice* J. N. Wood, Esq., R.M.

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

Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 5th February, 1881.

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

Name.	District.
JAMES WYLIE	Hamilton.
WILLIAM HENEY	Dunstan.

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

Deputy Registrar of Marriages, &c., appointed.

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

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN McMAYN

to be the Deputy of the Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the District of Reefton.

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

Registrars of Electors appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 5th February, 1881.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

FREDERICK HERMAN CLINTON STUART BADDELEY,
Esq.,

to be Registrar of Electors for the Electoral Districts of Town of New Plymouth, Grey and Bell, and Egmont; also to appoint

ARTHUR DAVID HARVEY, Esq.,

to be Registrar of Electors for the Electoral District of Mount Ida; and also to appoint

FREDERICK THOMAS DUKE JEFFERY

to be Registrar of Electors for the Electoral District of Dunstan.

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

Warden for Manawatu Highway District appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 5th February, 1881.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ALEXANDER JOHN PERRY

to be Warden for No. 6 Ward of the Manawatu Highway District, the voters of the said ward having failed to elect a Warden.

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

Clerks to Assessment Courts appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 5th February, 1881.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

EDWIN WOON, Esq.,

to be Clerk of the Assessment Courts for the County of Cook, Arai Highway District, Poverty Bay Highway District, Ormond Highway District, Waikohu Highway District, and Patutahi Highway District; and also to appoint

GEORGE ALFRED BUCK, Esq.,

to be Clerk to the Assessment Courts for the Borough of the City of Christchurch, Borough of Sydenham, Avon Road District, Halswell Road District, Heathcote Road District, Lincoln Road District, Riccarton Road District, Spreydon Road District, Springs Road District, Templeton Road District, and Christchurch Drainage Districts.

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

Justice of the Peace appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 4th February, 1881.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

FREDERICK ALLAN LEARMONTH, Esq.,

Mayor of Hokitika, to be a Justice of the Peace under "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1876."

WM. ROLLESTON.

Native Land Court Assessor appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 4th February, 1881.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HEMI WIREMU NERO TE AWAITAI, of Raglan, to be an Assessor under "The Native Land Court Act, 1880."

WM. ROLLESTON.

Clerks of Courts appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 4th February, 1881.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

SAMUEL MEADE DALGLEISH, Esq.,

to be Clerk of the Resident Magistrate's Court and Principal Clerk of the Warden's Court at Cromwell, and Clerk of the Licensing Courts for the Districts of Cromwell and Town of Cromwell, from the 25th ultimo;

ARTHUR DAVID HARVEY, Esq.,

to be Clerk of the Resident Magistrates' Courts and Principal Clerk of the Wardens' Courts at Naseby, St. Bathans, Hamilton's, Hyde, Macrae's, and Serpentine, and Clerk of the Licensing Courts for the Districts of Naseby, Hyde, Hindon, St. Bathans, and Macrae's, from the 25th ultimo, *vice* S. M. Dalgleish, Esq., transferred; and

FREDERICK THOMAS DUKE JEFFERY, Esq.,

to be Clerk of the Resident Magistrates' Courts and Principal Clerk of the Wardens' Courts at Clyde, Black's, and Alexandra, and Clerk of the Licensing Courts for the Districts of Alexandra and Clyde, from the 1st instant, *vice* A. D. Harvey, Esq., transferred.

WM. ROLLESTON

Clerks of Courts appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 8th February, 1881.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

FREDERICK HERMAN CLINTON STUART BADDELEY,
Esq.,

to be Clerk at New Plymouth of the District Court of Taranaki, Clerk of the Resident Magistrate's Court at New Plymouth, and Clerk of the Licensing Courts for the Districts of Egmont, Waiongona, Town of New Plymouth, and Waitara, *vice* C. E. Rawson, Esq., promoted; and

WILLIAM LUPTON DEAN, Esq.,

to be Clerk at Carlyle of the District Court of Taranaki, Clerk of the Resident Magistrate's Court at Carlyle, and Clerk of the Licensing Courts for the Districts of Patea and Waitotara, *vice* F. H. C. S. Baddeley, Esq., transferred. These appointments date from the 1st instant.

WM. ROLLESTON.

Members of Licensing Courts appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 8th February, 1881.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WATSON SHENNAN, Esq.,

to be a Member of the Licensing Court for the District of Wendon, *vice* Daniel McKellar, Esq., resigned; and

JOHN GRIFFITH THOMAS, Esq.,

to be a Member of the Licensing Court for the District of Cobden, *vice* John Greenwood, Esq., resigned.

WM. ROLLESTON.

Licensed Interpreters appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 8th February, 1881.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to license

HENRY WILLIAM BAKER, of Dargaville,
JOHN HENRY EDWARDS, of Alexandra,
GEORGE GARDINER, of Tauranga,
EBENEZER HAMLIN, of Waiuku,
HENRY DUNBAR JOHNSON, of Wellington, and
HAYES HENRY TIZARD, of Thames,

to act as Interpreters under "The Native Land Court Act, 1880."

WM. ROLLESTON.

Acting Receiver of Gold Revenue for Hauraki Gold-Mining District appointed.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 8th February, 1881.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to authorize

ALBERT JAMES ALLOM, Esq.,

to act as Receiver of Gold Revenue and Mining Registrar at Grahamstown during the absence of Mr. F. J. Burgess at Ohinemuri and Aroha.

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Mines.

Auditor appointed.

Education Department,
Wellington, 8th February, 1881.

PURSUANT to section 44 of "The Education Act, 1877," section 13 of "The Education Reserves Act, 1877," and section 9 of "The New Plymouth High School Act, 1878," His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

CLARENCE RENNELL, Esq.,

to audit the accounts of the Taranaki Education Board, the Taranaki School Commissioners, and the New Plymouth High School.

WM. ROLLESTON.

School Commissioners appointed.

Education Department,
Wellington, 8th February, 1881.

PURSUANT to section 11 of "The Education Reserves Act, 1877," His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN THOMAS TYLEE, Esq.,

to be a School Commissioner for the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, *vice* H. Baker, Esq., resigned; and

CHARLES EDWARD RAWSON, Esq., R.M.,
to be a School Commissioner for the Provincial District of Taranaki, *vice* E. Shaw, Esq., resigned.

WM. ROLLESTON.

Notice of proposed Addition to the Borough of Tapanui.

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

AN application having been made to the Governor to incorporate into the Borough of Tapanui the

lands hereunder described, His Excellency directs it to be notified that, unless within two months from the day of the publication hereof a petition or petitions, as required by "The Municipal Corporations Acts Amendment Act, 1880," is or are presented to His Excellency, he will proceed to incorporate the said lands into the said borough, and add the same to the West, Middle, and East Wards thereof.

The boundaries of the land proposed to be added are as follow:—

All that area in the Provincial District of Otago, containing by admeasurement 103 acres 3 roods 5 perches, more or less, situate in Block XIII., Glenkenich Survey District; and bounded towards the North, from the north-east corner of Section No. 13, by Sections Nos. 62 and 65 and a road-line; towards the East by Section No. 3 of Block IV. of said district; towards the South by Sussex Street of the Town of Tapanui; again towards the East by Kent Street; again towards the South by a road-line south of Sections Nos. 14 and 15 of Block XIII. aforementioned; and towards the West by Section No. 13 of said block to starting point.

Also all that other area in the Provincial District of Otago, containing by admeasurement 12 acres 3 roods 33 perches, more or less, situate in Block XIII., Glenkenich Survey District; and bounded towards the North-east by Forest Street of the Town of Tapanui, and by Section No. 6 of Block XI. to Fluming Street; thence by a right line at right angles to said street across Fluming Street; towards the South-east and East by the eastern side of said street to a point due north of the eastern boundary-line of Section No. 5 of Block XXIII. of said town; thence by a right line due south to Boundary Street; towards the South by that street; and towards the West by Surrey Street to Forest Street, the starting point.

JOHN HALL,

(in absence of the Colonial Secretary.)

Notice of proposed Addition to the Borough of Arrowtown.

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

AN application having been made to the Governor to incorporate into the Borough of Arrowtown the land hereunder described, His Excellency directs it to be notified that, unless within two months from the day of publication hereof a petition or petitions, as required by "The Municipal Corporations Acts Amendment Act, 1880," is or are presented to His Excellency, he will proceed to incorporate the said land into the Borough of Arrowtown, and add the same to the Camp Ward thereof.

The boundaries of the land proposed to be added are as follow:—

All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Otago, being Sections Nos. 38, 37, 36, and 67, Block VII., Shotover Survey District. Bounded towards the North by the Borough of Arrowtown, as described in the *Otago Gazette*, 1874, page 11; towards the North-east by the Borough of Arrowtown extended, as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 76, 1878; and towards the South-west by Sections Nos. 66, 65, 64, 63, 62, and 61, Block VII. aforesaid.

JOHN HALL,

(in absence of the Colonial Secretary.)

Notice of proposed Addition to the Borough of Invercargill.

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

AN application having been made to the Governor to incorporate into the Borough of Invercargill the land hereunder described, His Excellency directs it to be notified that, unless within two months from the day of the publication hereof a petition or petitions, as required by "The Municipal Corporations Acts Amendment Act, 1880," is or are presented to His Excellency, he will proceed to incorporate the said land into the said borough, and add the same to the North Ward thereof.

The boundaries of the land proposed to be added are as follow:—

All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Otago, containing 200 acres, more or less, being Section No. 22 of Block L, Invercargill Hundred; and bounded on the North by Section No. 24 of said block, 914 links, and Section No. 23 of aforesaid block, 8079 links; on the East by a public road, 5008 links; on the South by a public road, 8998 links; and on the West by a public road, 5008 links.

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

Powers under Imbecile Passengers Acts delegated to E. Shaw, Esq., R.M.

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

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to delegate to

EDWARD SHAW, Esq., R.M.,

the powers vested in him by "The Imbecile Passengers Act, 1873," "The Imbecile Passengers Act Amendment Act, 1875," and "The Imbecile Passengers Act Extension Act, 1879."

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

Control of Pounds in Little River Road District, County of Akaroa, handed over to Road Board.

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

HIS Excellency the Governor has, by a notification under his hand dated the 29th January, 1881, and made under "The Canterbury Trespass of Cattle Ordinance, 1872," handed over to the Little River Road Board the control and management of all pounds within the Little River Road District, as from the 1st February, 1881.

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

Chairman of Licensing Court resigned.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 8th February, 1881.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation by

JAMES NELSON WILLIAMS, Esq., J.P.,
of his appointment as Chairman of the Licensing Court for the District of Ngaruroro.

WM. ROLLESTON.

Justice of the Peace resigned.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 8th February, 1881.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation by

JAMES HUNTER CAMPBELL, Esq.,

of his appointment as a Justice of the Peace for the colony.

WM. ROLLESTON.

Promotion and Appointments of Volunteer Officers.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 9th February, 1881.

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

Invercargill Rifle Volunteers.

Henry Vincent Haddock to be Sub-Lieutenant. Date of commission, 11th October, 1880.

Nelson City Rifle Volunteers.

Samuel Crossman to be Sub-Lieutenant. Date of commission, 25th January, 1881.

Patea Rifle Volunteers.

Frederick Martin Chapman to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 11th January, 1881.

Andrew Gui King to be Sub-Lieutenant. Date of commission, 11th January, 1881.

Wanganui City Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant John Wilson to be Captain. Date of commission, 24th November, 1880.

James Purnell to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 24th November, 1880.

George Flyger to be Sub-Lieutenant. Date of commission, 24th November, 1880.

WM. ROLLESTON.

Resignation of Volunteer Officers.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 9th February, 1881.

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

Picton Rifle Volunteers.

Captain Courtenay William Aylmer Thomas Kenny. Date of resignation, 4th January, 1881.

Lieutenant Samuel Harris. Date of resignation, 4th January, 1881.

Greytown Rifle Volunteers.

Captain John Macara. Date of resignation, 11th January, 1881.

WM. ROLLESTON.

Resignation of Armed Constabulary Officer.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 7th February, 1881.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation of the commission held by

Sub-Inspector JOHN TAYLOR MARSHALL,

Armed Constabulary Force, from the 31st January, 1881.

WM. ROLLESTON.

Resignation of Reviewers under "The Property Assessment Act, 1879."

Property-Tax Department,
Wellington, 4th February, 1881.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation of

FRANCIS FULTON and
THOMAS MURRAY
as Reviewers under "The Property Assessment Act,
1879."

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

Resignation of Cemetery Trustee accepted.

General Crown Lands Office,
Wellington, 9th February, 1881.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to
accept the resignation of

D. H. MACARTHUR, Esq.,
as a Trustee for the Feilding Cemetery.
WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Lands.

Receipt of "Conscience Money" acknowledged.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 5th February, 1881.

THE Receiver-General acknowledges the receipt,
on the 4th instant, of an envelope addressed
Major Atkinson, Treasury, Wellington, containing
three £1 bank-notes, with a slip attached, dated
Hokitika, 29th January, 1881, and bearing the words
"Please receive £3, Government money, from a
Roman Catholic."

JAMES C. GAVIN,
Receiver-General.

Designation of Post Office changed.

Post Office and Telegraph Department,
Wellington, 7th February, 1881.

IT is hereby notified for general information that
the designation of the Post Office in the Grey-

mouth Postal District, known as Fosbery, will,
from and after the 1st proximo, be changed to

BARRYTOWN.

By order of the Postmaster-General.
W. GRAY,
Secretary.

Officiating Ministers for 1881.—Notice No. 4.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 7th February, 1881.

PURSUANT to the provisions of an Act of the
General Assembly of New Zealand, passed in
the forty-fourth year of the reign of Her Majesty
Queen Victoria, and intituled "The Marriage Act,
1880," 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 THEOPHILUS PETER NORRIS HEWLETT.
WM. R. E. BROWN,
Registrar-General.

Friendly Society registered.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 9th February, 1881.

THE Ivanhoe Lodge, No. 113, of the United
Ancient Order of Druids, Friendly Society,
situated at Dunedin, is registered as a Friendly
Society, under "The Friendly Societies Act, 1877,"
this 9th day of February, 1881.

WM. R. E. BROWN,
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

Balance-sheet, Hokitika Savings Bank, for Year 1880.

HOKITIKA Savings Bank Account.—Analysis for the Year 1880.

	Balances, Dec. 31, 1879.		Transactions, 1880.		Balances, Dec. 31, 1880.		
	Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.	
Bank account	£ 627	s. d. 2 6	£ 3,649	s. d. 5 0	£ 2,612	s. d. 1 3	
Mortgages	5,962	15 8	1,176	4 5	1,060	7 8	
Office furniture	46	10 0	...	...	46	10 0
Bank building	263	6 8	...	...	200	0 0
Depositors	...	5,531	16 9	2,324	18 9	3,170	1 7
Interest	300	4 0
Interest Account	...	...	257	11 10	...	...
Depositors	...	...	300	4 0	...	...
Mortgages	499	4 2
from Bank on deposits	58	11 8
Mortgages, to reserved interest account	...	60	6 7	30	2 3	...	64 9 4
Profit and loss	...	1,307	11 6	130	8 4	...	1,247 15 9
Manager's salary	...	...	150	0 0	...	...
Office expenses	...	...	36	19 3	...	...
Totals	6,899	14 10	6,899	14 10	8,055	13 10	8,055 13 10
					7,989	8 8	7,989 8 8

WM. DUNCAN, Manager.

We hereby certify that, to the best of our belief, the above is a true and correct statement of the receipts and payments on account of the Hokitika Savings Bank, and balances, for the year ending the 31st December, 1880.

JAS. A. BONAR, Vice-President.
J. GILES,
GEORGE BENNING,
H. L. ROBINSON,
JAMES CHESNEY, } Trustees.

Audited and compared with the books of the Hokitika Savings Bank and found correct.
25th January, 1881.

W. A. SPENCE, Auditor.

Dunedin Savings Bank Accounts, Year 1880.

DUNEDIN Savings Bank.—Analysis for the year 1880.

	BALANCES, 31ST DECEMBER, 1880.		TRANSACTIONS, 1880.		BALANCES, 31ST DECEMBER, 1879.	
	Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.
Deposit account	£ 50,586 6 5	£ 5,299 14 11	£ 27,815 1 11	£ 42,817 7 0	£ 40,870 4 9	£ 49,291 14 1
Interest	£ 3 10 0		£ 0 16 0	£ 2 10 0	£ 1,115 7 3	
Suspense			£ 585 14 5		£ 5 2 0	
Fines			£ 585 14 5		£ 0 18 4	
Charges			£ 11,570 4 9		£ 4,069 14 4	
Loans on mortgage			£ 3,604 8 1		£ 6,471 17 1	
Interest (investments)			£ 2 0 0		£ 3,230 7 5	
Insurance premiums			£ 136 5 0			
Rent			£ 6,000 0 0			
Land and building			£ 4,918 11 3			
Fixed deposit			£ 4,946 17 6			
Profit and loss			£ 51,423 8 10			
Benevolent Institution			£ 109,038 3 0			
Bank			£ 109,038 3 0			
Totals	£ 55,889 11 4	£ 55,889 11 4	£ 109,038 3 0	£ 49,291 14 1	£ 49,291 14 1	£ 49,291 14 1

E. and O. E.

E. SMITH, Manager.

A. HILL JACK, } Trustees.
R. B. MARTIN, }

Examined and found correct.

WILLIAM BROWN, } Auditors.
THOS. MOODIE, }

Dunedin, 31st December, 1880.

STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and PAYMENTS of the DUNEDIN SAVINGS BANK for the Year ending 31st December, 1880.

	RECEIPTS.	£	s.	d.
Balance from last year	...	3,230	7	5
Lodged by depositors	...	33,446	4	6
" Suspense account	...	1	0	0
Interest on loans	£3,215 13 11			
" Bank account	310 16 10			
		3,526	10	9
Rents	...	124	13	4
Insurance premiums repaid	...	7	2	0
Fines	...	0	16	0

Loans repaid	£ 11,570 4 9
Benevolent Institution, loans repaid and interest	2,746 17 6
Total	£54,653 16 3

To Balance ... £5,694 2 5

PAYMENTS.

Withdrawn by depositors	£ 27,815 1 11
Charges account	585 14 5
Insurance premium repaid	2 0 0
Bank fixed deposit	5,000 0 0
Deposited, Equitable Investment Company	1,000 0 0
Loans granted	9,610 0 0
Benevolent Institution	4,946 17 6
Balance	5,694 2 5
Total	£54,653 16 3

A. HILL JACK, } Trustees.
R. B. MARTIN, }

We hereby certify that we have examined the above statement of receipts and payments of the Dunedin Savings Bank, have compared the same with the books of the Bank, and that, to the best of our knowledge and belief, it contains a true and correct account of all the transactions of the Bank.

WILLIAM BROWN, } Auditors.
THOS. MOODIE, }

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT.

Dr.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1880.	Dec. 31. To Charges	585	14	5			
	Interest credited to depositors	2,137	16	10			
	Balance				2,723	11	3
					1,017	17	10
					£3,741	9	1

Cr.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1880.	Dec. 31. By Interest on investments	3,604	8	1			
	Rents	136	5	0			
	Fines	0	16	0			
					£3,741	9	1
1880.	Dec. 31. By Balance				£1,017	17	10

BALANCE ACCOUNT.

Dr.		£	s.	d.
1880.	May. To Grant, Benevolent Institution	2,190	0	0
	Balance	5,299	14	11
		£7,489	14	11

Cr.		£	s.	d.
1879.	Dec. 31. By Balance	6,471	17	1
	Profit and loss	1,017	17	10
		£7,489	14	11
1880.	Dec. 31. By Balance			
		£5,299	14	11

E. and O. E.

E. SMITH, Manager.

Dunedin, 31st December, 1880.

New Plymouth Savings Bank Accounts, Year 1880.

STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and PAYMENTS of the New Plymouth Savings Bank for the Year 1880.

RECEIPTS.		£	s.	d.
Cash in hand, 1st January	...	...	...	...
Cash at Bank of New Zealand	...	304	3	6
Deposits, including interest	...	2,004	4	1
Securities	...	1,354	10	0
Interest on securities	...	286	15	9
Rents	...	4	0	0
		<u>£3,953</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>4</u>

PAYMENTS.		£	s.	d.
Deposits	...	896	19	9
Interest on deposits	...	147	0	2
Securities	...	2,104	10	0
Interest on securities	...	0	17	4
Salaries	...	60	0	0
Charges	...	39	6	10
Rents	...	4	0	0
Stock, furniture, &c.	...	2	8	0
Cash in hand	...	...	...	...
Cash at Bank of New Zealand	...	698	11	3
		<u>£3,953</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>4</u>

STATEMENT of ASSETS and LIABILITIES of the New Plymouth Savings Bank, 31st December, 1880.

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Cash in hand	...	...	...	...
Cash at Bank of New Zealand	...	698	11	3
Mortgages	...	3,636	8	6
Stock, furniture, &c.	...	4	8	0
Public Trustee, on account of estate of W. Street, deceased	...	35	15	10
		<u>£4,375</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>7</u>

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Due to depositors	...	3,273	18	4
Interest added this year	...	147	0	2
Profit and loss	...	954	5	1
		<u>£4,375</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>7</u>

T. KING, Vice-President.
T. WHITE, Accountant.

We have, to the best of our belief, ascertained the correctness of the above balance-sheet. We also find that £113 9s. 4d. was the amount of interest accrued to the 31st December, 1880, but not then payable, and that £76 4s. 2d., being arrears of interest, was unpaid on the same date.

ROBERT THOMPSON, } Trustees.
OCTA. CARRINGTON, }

STATEMENT of the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of New Zealand, within the Colony, during the Quarter ended 27th December, 1880.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in Circulation	...	492,088	0	1
Bills in Circulation	...	34,387	5	7
Balances due to other Banks	...	17,391	1	4
Government Deposits	...	756,098	4	5
Other Deposits—				
Not bearing Interest	...	1,734,575	6	0
Bearing Interest	...	1,950,250	10	11
Total average Liabilities	...	<u>£4,984,725</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>4</u>

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metal	...	706,992	2	6
Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars	...	121,935	2	0
Notes and Bills of other Banks	...	19,521	19	4
Balances due from other Banks	...	5,434	2	3
Landed Property	...	70,240	15	5
Amount of all other Securities—				
1. Notes and Bills Discounted	...	2,007,714	10	11
2. Colonial Government Securities	...	24,615	8	0
3. Other Funded Securities	...	...	...	...

4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad)	...	3,767,262	1	0
5. Securities not included under the above heads	...	136,736	17	9
Total average Assets	...	<u>£6,860,452</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>2</u>

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ended 27th December, 1880, £1,000,000.
Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders, equal to 15 per cent. per annum.
Amount of the last Dividend declared, £75,000.
Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend, £653,337 6s. 9d.
Dated at Auckland, this 25th day of January, 1881.

D. L. MURDOCH, General Manager.
GEO. WHITELAW, Inspector's Accountant.

STATEMENT of the amount of the average Liabilities and Assets of the Union Bank of Australia (Limited), in the Colony of New Zealand, during the Quarter ended 31st December, 1880.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in Circulation	...	106,777	0	2
Bills in Circulation	...	19,396	7	4
Balances due to other Banks	...	372	4	2
Government Deposits	...	...	...	...
Other Deposits—				
Not bearing Interest	...	512,800	19	5
Bearing Interest	...	1,215,572	0	9
Total average Liabilities	...	<u>£1,854,918</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>10</u>

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metal	...	356,474	0	4
Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars	...	11,335	8	6
Notes and Bills of other Banks	...	2,067	17	2
Balances due from other Banks	...	1,777	8	6
Landed Property	...	92,000	0	0
Amount of all other Securities—				
1. Notes and Bills Discounted	...	459,454	3	0
2. Colonial Government Securities	...	...	...	...
3. Other Funded Securities	...	...	...	...
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad)	...	688,977	15	4
5. Securities not included under the above heads	...	21,333	10	7
Total average Assets	...	<u>£1,633,420</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>5</u>

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ended 31st December, 1880, £1,500,000.
Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders, 16 per cent. per annum.
Amount of the last Dividend declared, £120,000.
Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend, £941,691 7s. 4d.
Dated at Wellington, this 17th day of January, 1881.

A. JACKSON, Manager.
WM. JAMIESON, Accountant.

STATEMENT of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of New South Wales, in New Zealand, during the Quarter ended 31st December, 1880.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in Circulation	...	80,217	12	3
Bills in Circulation	...	733	2	6
Balances due to other Banks	...	5,806	17	10
Government Deposits	...	...	...	...
Other Deposits—				
Not bearing Interest	...	277,502	4	2
Bearing Interest	...	517,064	2	9
Total average Liabilities	...	<u>£881,323</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>6</u>

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metal	...	267,624	0	5
Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars	...	30,503	16	4
Notes and Bills of other Banks	...	1,349	10	7
Balances due from other Banks	...	7,003	5	8
Landed Property	...	37,030	10	0
Amount of all other Securities—				
1. Notes and Bills Discounted	...	247,808	13	4
2. Colonial Government Securities	...			
3. Other Funded Securities	...			
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad)	...	504,722	19	4
5. Securities not included under the above heads	...	71,462	12	1
Total average Assets	...	£1,167,505	7	9

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ended 31st December, 1880, £1,000,000.

Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders, 15 per cent. per annum, and bonus 2½ per cent. per annum.

Amount of last Dividend declared, £75,000; bonus, £12,500; total, £87,500.

Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend, £585,023 11s. 6d.

Dated at Wellington, this 18th day of January, 1881.

W. ROBERTON PERSTON, Manager.
WM. H. FRY, Accountant.

GENERAL ABSTRACT showing the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of Australasia, within the Colony of New Zealand, taken from the several Weekly Statements during the Quarter from the 1st October to the 31st December, 1880.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in Circulation	...	54,572	12	3
Bills in Circulation	...	7,934	9	5
Balances due to other Banks	...	29	14	8
Government Deposits	...			
Other Deposits—				
Not bearing Interest	...	192,553	14	4
Bearing Interest	...	268,927	15	2
Total average Liabilities	...	£514,018	5	10

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined Gold and Silver, and other Coined Metal	...	113,040	14	4
Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars	...			
Notes and Bills of other Banks	...	1,671	5	5
Balances due from other Banks	...	97	8	3
Landed Property	...	48,551	18	1
Amount of all other Securities—				
1. Notes and Bills Discounted	...	422,190	13	8
2. Colonial Government Securities	...			
3. Other Funded Securities	...			
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad)	...	352,357	4	1
5. Securities not included under the above heads	...	75,705	12	6
Total average Assets	...	£1,008,514	16	4

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at this date, £1,200,000.
Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders, £12 10s. per cent. per annum.

Amount of the last Dividend declared, £75,000.

Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend, £441,334 19s. 1d.

Dated at Wellington, this 24th day of January, 1881.

E. W. MORRAH, Inspector.
J. W. PICKERGILL, pro Accountant.

STATEMENT of the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the National Bank of New Zealand (Limited), in the Colony, during the Quarter ended 31st December, 1880.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in Circulation	...	101,717	15	5
Bills in Circulation	...	12,086	10	9
Balances due to other Banks	...	3,790	11	4
Government Deposits	...			
Other Deposits—				
Not bearing Interest	...	326,723	14	5
Bearing Interest	...	592,893	12	9
Total average Liabilities	...	£1,037,162	4	8

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metal	...	299,001	1	1
Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars	...	10,146	19	0
Notes and Bills of other Banks	...	3,437	7	6
Balances due from other Banks	...	3,447	11	3
Landed Property	...	70,018	16	11
Amount of all other Securities—				
1. Notes and Bills Discounted	...	681,475	12	10
2. Colonial Government Securities	...			
3. Other Funded Securities	...			
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad)	...	782,950	17	3
5. Securities not included under the above heads	...	15,020	8	2
Total average Assets	...	£1,805,493	9	0

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ended 31st December, 1880, £350,000.

Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders, 6 per cent. per annum.

Amount of the last Dividend declared, £10,500.

Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend, £22,028 16s. 6d.

Dated at Wellington, this 10th day of January, 1881.

THOS. BUCHANAN, Inspector.
ALEX. FORREST, Inspector's Accountant.

GENERAL Abstract showing the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the Colonial Bank of New Zealand, within the Colony of New Zealand, taken from the several Weekly Statements during the Quarter from the 28th September to the 27th December, 1880.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in Circulation	...	38,078	15	6
Bills in Circulation	...	2,978	11	10
Balances due to other Banks	...	7,352	18	9
Government Deposits	...			
Other Deposits—				
Not bearing Interest	...	309,594	5	3
Bearing Interest	...	367,359	0	3
Total average Liabilities	...	£770,358	11	7

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined Gold and Silver, and other Coined Metal	...	221,192	13	5
Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars	...	8,628	11	4
Notes and Bills of other Banks	...	1,365	2	3
Balances due from other Banks	...	8,535	9	6
Landed Property	...	35,266	19	0
Amount of all other Securities—				
1. Notes and Bills Discounted	...	404,413	4	3
2. Colonial Government Securities	...			
3. Other Funded Securities	...			
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad)	...	588,714	0	4
5. Securities not included under the above heads	...	57,692	3	5
Total average Assets	...	£1,325,808	3	6

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at this date, £400,000.

Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders, 8 per cent. per annum.

Amount of last Dividend declared, £16,000.

Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend, £27,000.

Dated at Dunedin, this 19th day of January, 1881.

GEO. COWIE, General Manager.
A. MACKINTOSH, Assistant Accountant.

STATEMENT of the LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the under-mentioned BANKS in the Colony of NEW ZEALAND, for the QUARTER ended 31st Dec., 1880.

BANKS.	LIABILITIES.										Total Liabilities.			
	Notes in Circulation.		Bills in Circulation.		Balances due to other Banks.		Deposits.			Bearing Interest.				
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	Government.	Not bearing Interest.	£			s. d.		
Bank of New Zealand	492,088	0 1	34,387	5 7	17,391	1 4	756,088	4 5	1,734,575	6 0	1,950,250	10 11	4,984,725	8 4
Union Bank of Australia (Limited)	106,777	0 2	19,396	7 4	372	4 2	...	...	512,800	19 5	1,215,572	0 9	1,854,918	11 10
Bank of New South Wales	80,217	12 3	753	2 6	5,806	17 10	...	...	277,562	4 2	517,064	2 9	881,323	19 6
Bank of Australasia	54,572	12 3	7,934	9 5	29	14 8	...	...	182,553	14 4	268,927	15 2	514,018	5 10
National Bank of New Zealand (Limited)	101,717	15 5	12,086	10 9	3,790	11 4	...	...	326,783	14 5	522,893	12 9	1,037,162	4 8
Colonial Bank of New Zealand	83,073	15 6	2,978	11 10	7,352	18 9	...	...	309,594	5 3	367,359	0 3	770,358	11 7
Totals	918,441	15 8	77,466	7 5	34,743	8 1	756,088	4 5	3,343,750	3 7	4,912,067	2 7	10,042,507	1 9

BANKS.	ASSETS.										Total Assets.									
	Coined Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars.		Notes and Bills of other Banks.		Balances due from other Banks.		Landed Property.		Notes and Bills Discounted.			Government Securities.		Other Funded Securities.		Debts due to the Bank, exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad.		Securities not included under other heads.		
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	
Bank of New Zealand	706,992	2 6	121,935	2 0	19,521	19 4	5,494	2 3	70,240	15 5	2,007,714	10 11	24,615	8 0	3,767,262	1 0	186,736	17 9	6,860,452	19 2
Union Bank of Australia (Lim.)	356,474	0 4	11,335	8 6	2,067	17 2	1,777	8 6	92,000	0 0	459,454	3 0	...	...	688,977	15 4	21,333	10 7	1,633,420	3 5
Bank of New South Wales	267,624	0 5	30,503	16 4	1,349	10 7	7,003	5 8	37,030	10 0	247,808	13 4	...	...	504,722	19 4	71,462	12 1	1,167,505	7 9
Bank of Australasia	113,040	14 4	...	...	1,671	5 5	97	8 3	43,551	18 1	422,190	13 8	...	...	352,257	4 1	75,705	12 6	1,008,514	16 4
National Bank of New Zealand (Limited)	299,001	1 1	10,146	19 0	3,437	7 6	3,447	11 3	70,018	16 11	681,475	12 10	...	...	782,950	17 3	15,020	3 2	1,865,498	9 0
Colonial Bank of New Zealand	221,192	13 5	8,628	11 4	1,365	2 3	8,535	9 6	35,266	19 0	404,413	4 3	...	...	588,714	0 4	57,692	3 5	1,325,808	3 6
Totals	1,964,324	12 1	182,549	17 2	29,413	2 3	26,295	5 5	348,108	19 5	4,223,056	18 0	24,615	8 0	6,684,884	17 4	377,950	19 6	13,861,199	19 2

BANKS.	CAPITAL AND PROFITS.									
	Capital paid up.		Rate per annum of last Dividend.		Amount of last Dividend declared.		Amount of Reserve Fund at the time of declaring such Dividend.			
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.		
Bank of New Zealand	1,000,000	0 0	...	...	75,000	0 0	653,837	6 9
Union Bank of Australia (Limited)	1,500,000	0 0	...	...	120,000	0 0	941,691	7 4
Bank of New South Wales	1,000,000	0 0	...	...	87,500	0 0	585,023	11 6
Bank of Australasia	1,200,000	0 0	...	...	75,000	0 0	441,834	19 1
National Bank of New Zealand (Limited)	350,000	0 0	...	...	10,500	0 0	22,028	16 6
Colonial Bank of New Zealand	400,000	0 0	...	...	16,000	0 0	27,000	0 0
Totals	5,450,000	0 0	...	...	384,000	0 0	2,670,416	1 2

Treasury,
Wellington, 9th February, 1881.

JAMES C. GAVIN,
Secretary to the Treasury.

PARTICULARS of the Estates of Deceased Persons which have been placed under the charge of the PUBLIC TRUSTEE for management during the Month of January, 1881.

No.	Name of Deceased.	Colonial Residence.	Supposed British or Foreign Residence.	Date of Rule or Order.	Estimated Value of Personal Estate.	Time of Deceased's Death.	Remarks.
1	Blair, John	Lawrence	.. .. .	.. .. .	Under \$5	Nov. 12, 1880	
2	Beckham, William	Reefton	.. .. .	Jan. 11, 1881	Under \$120	Dec. 13, 1880	
3	Chandler, William	Auckland	.. .. .	Jan. 18, 1881	Under \$500	Mar. 24, 1861	
4	Dillon, James	Westport	.. .. .	Jan. 27, 1881	Under \$1,500	Dec. 18, 1880	
5	French, John	Gisborne	.. .. .	.. .. .	Under \$50	Dec. 22, 1880	
6	Gilchrist, James	Wellington	.. .. .	July 6, 1880	Under \$200	May 24, 1880	Omitted from July return.
7	Hamilton, Alexander	Invercargill	.. .. .	.. .. .	Under \$10	Oct. 1, 1880	
8	Hansford, John	Invercargill	.. .. .	.. .. .	Under \$50	Nov. 4, 1880	
9	Howard, Charles	Waikanae	.. .. .	.. .. .	Under \$20	Dec. 4, 1880	
10	Irwin, William	Palmerston N.	.. .. .	.. .. .	Under \$50	Oct. 4, 1880	
11	Parisi, Santo	Dunedin	.. .. .	.. .. .	Under \$20	Dec. 25, 1880	
12	Redman, Charles Fred.	Napier	.. .. .	Jan. 11, 1881	Under \$100	Oct. 19, 1880	
13	Richardson, Henry	Invercargill	.. .. .	.. .. .	Under \$1	Aug. 11, 1880	
14	Shaw, George	Greytown	.. .. .	Jan. 11, 1881	Under \$250	Nov. 1, 1880	
15	Storer, Henry	Waikanae	.. .. .	.. .. .	Under \$15	Feb. 18, 1880	

CHARLES D. DE CASTRO,
pro Public Trustee.

Dated the 7th day of February, 1881.

Gold Fields Notices.

Gold-Mining Lease cancelled.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 5th February, 1881.

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

Michael McGrath; 2 acres 1 rood 15 perches, District of Brighton, Nelson South-West Gold Fields. No. 878.

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Mines.

Agricultural Lease cancelled.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 5th February, 1881.

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to pronounce the under-mentioned agricultural lease cancelled, and that the ground is now open for application as if no lease of the said ground had ever been applied for:—

Adam Stevenson; 204 acres and 25 perches, Sections 49, 50, and 51, Block I., and Sections 13 and 14, Block XV., Crookston District, Otago Gold Fields. No. 1717c.

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Mines.

Gold-Mining Leases cancelled.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 8th February, 1881.

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

Ferdinand Falck and another; 6 acres 3 roods 24 perches, Section 13, Block XIX., District of Tuapeka East. No. 45c.

William Miller; 10 acres, Section 39, Block I., St. Bathans District, Otago Gold Fields. No. 708c.

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Mines.

Gold-Mining Lease Certificate cancelled.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned certificate of occupation in respect of an application for a gold-mining lease has been declared cancelled, and that the land is now open for occupation as if no lease of the same had been applied for:—

709c. Edward Wood and others; Section 37, Block I., St. Bathans, 10 acres.

Given under my hand, at Dunedin, this second day of February, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

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

Gold-Mining Leases to be granted.

IN conformity with the thirty-seventh section of "The Mines Act, 1877," and with the regulations made under that Act for the granting of leases for gold-mining purposes, it is hereby notified that it is intended to grant leases of Crown lands for gold-mining purposes to the applicants specified in the annexed Schedule, unless there shall be valid objections against such leases.

Objections to the granting of such leases, stating the grounds of objection, must be made in writing, and lodged with the Warden at Queenstown on or before the 19th day of February, 1881.

Copy of the applications made and plans annexed may be seen at the Warden's Office at Queenstown.

SCHEDULE:

APPLICANT: Robert Johnson. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "Alpine Sluicing Company." 10 acres, Pleasant Creek, in the Wakatipu Mining District.

Applicant: Samuel Gower. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "Shotover Alluvial Mining Company." 10 acres, Section 26, Block XI., Skipper's, in the Wakatipu Mining District.

Given under my hand, at Dunedin, this thirty-first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

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

Gold-Mining Leases to be granted.

IN conformity with the thirty-seventh section of "The Mines Act, 1877," and with the regulations made under that Act for the granting of leases for gold-mining purposes, it is hereby notified that it is intended to grant leases of Crown lands for gold-mining purposes to the applicants specified in the annexed Schedule, unless there shall be valid objections against such leases.

Objections to the granting of such leases, stating the grounds of objection, must be made in writing, and lodged with the Warden at Lawrence on or before the 17th day of February, 1881.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPLICANTS: Robert Grieve and others. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "North of Ireland Company." 3 acres 2 roods 27 perches, Section 13, Block XVIII., Tuapeka East, in the Tuapeka Mining District.

Applicants: Robert Grieve and others. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "North of Ireland Company." 3 acres 2 roods 8 perches, part Section 12, Block XVIII., Tuapeka East, in the Tuapeka Mining District.

Applicants: William Evans and others. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "Perseverance Company." 4 acres 3 roods 27 perches, Section 11, Block XVIII., Tuapeka East, in the Tuapeka Mining District.

Applicants: Samuel Johnston and others. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "Morrison and Company." 1 acre, Section 15, Block XVIII., Tuapeka East, in the Tuapeka Mining District.

Applicants: Samuel Johnston and others. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "Morrison and Company." 1 rood, Section 19, Block XVIII., Tuapeka East, in the Tuapeka Mining District.

Applicants: The Great Extended Sluicing Company (Registered). Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "The Great Extended Sluicing Company (Registered)." 7 acres, Section 8, Block XVIII., Tuapeka East, in the Tuapeka Mining District.

Given under my hand, at Dunedin, this twentieth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

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

Gold-Mining Lease to be granted.

IN conformity with the thirty-seventh section of "The Mines Act, 1877," and with the regulations made under that Act for the granting of leases for gold-mining purposes, it is hereby notified that it is intended to grant a lease of Crown lands for gold-mining purposes to the applicants specified in the annexed Schedule, unless there shall be valid objections against such lease.

Objections to the granting of such lease, stating the grounds of objection, must be made in writing, and lodged with the Warden at Collingwood on or before the 24th day of February, 1881.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPLICANTS: James Hunter and party: Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "All

Nations Gold-Mining Company." 16 acres, north of Panama Lease, south of Erncot Creek, taking in a part of Gridiron Creek, Mount Arthur, in the Golden Bay Gold-Mining District.

Given under my hand, at Nelson, this seventh day of February, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

ALFRED GREENFIELD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands,
(Holding delegated powers.)

Crown Lands Notices.

Sale of 15,500 Acres of Rural Land in the Manawatu District, Kairanga and Fitzherbert Blocks, Wellington Land District.

LAND OF SPECIAL VALUE.

General Crown Lands Office,
Wellington, 15th January, 1881.

IT is hereby notified that twenty-nine sections of land, as per Schedule at foot, will be offered for sale on deferred payments, by application at the Land Office, Wellington, on Monday, the 21st February, 1881, between the hours of 9.30 a.m. and 4.30 p.m. One-twentieth of the purchase-money to be paid with the application, and the balance by half-yearly instalments. If two or more applicants apply to purchase the same section, an auction will be held between them, at the Town Hall, Palmerston, on Thursday, the 24th February next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

For the convenience of deferred-payment selectors resident in the country, a Government officer will be in attendance at the Town Hall, Palmerston, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m., on Monday, the 21st February, to receive applications.

SCHEDULE.

DEFERRED PAYMENTS.

No. of Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
KAIRANGA SURVEY DISTRICT (PALMERSTON).		
BLOCK V.		
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
1538	103 1 8	361 11 0
1539	103 1 24	361 18 0
1541	110 3 4	387 14 0
1546	140 3 27	493 4 0
BLOCK VI.		
1559	101 3 0	305 5 0
BLOCK IX.		
1552	82 3 2	248 6 0
1556	125 1 11	313 6 0
1575	189 3 6	474 9 0
1577	196 0 33	490 10 0
1582	96 3 35	193 19 0
1587	129 0 1	258 0 0
1589	122 1 32	244 18 0
1598	92 0 16	138 3 0
1599	98 3 14	148 5 0
1603	125 0 26	187 15 0
1606	99 0 24	247 17 6
1609	76 1 0	228 15 0
1612	99 0 27	297 10 0
1613	70 0 0	210 0 0
BLOCK X.		
1563	156 3 9	470 8 0
1564	163 0 9	489 3 0
1568	144 3 31	289 13 0
BLOCK XV. (FITZHERBERT).		
257	59 3 24	119 16 0
285	133 3 0	200 12 6
BLOCK XVI.		
269	272 2 30	409 2 6

DEFERRED PAYMENTS—continued.

No. of Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
BLOCK III., ARAWARU SURVEY DISTRICT.		
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
259	237 2 36	297 3 0
279	64 1 8	80 7 6
280	158 2 0	237 15 0
283	91 0 0	113 15 0

AUCTION SALE.

Also, on Thursday, the 24th February next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, forty-seven sections in the Kairanga Block, and thirty-three sections in the Fitzherbert Block, as per Schedule at foot, will be offered for sale, by public auction, at the Town Hall, Palmerston. One-fourth of the purchase-money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the balance within one month.

CASH PAYMENTS.

No. of Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
KAIRANGA SURVEY DISTRICT (FITZHERBERT).		
BLOCK XV.		
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
255	51 3 16	77 15 6
256	207 2 0	285 6 0
258	268 0 0	281 8 0
260	207 0 0	217 7 0
266	221 3 8	304 19 6
267	249 3 13	343 10 0
287	127 3 0	159 14 0
288	94 0 32	141 6 0
BLOCK XVI.		
268	265 0 0	278 5 0
270	272 0 0	285 12 0
290	217 0 22	325 14 0
291	213 0 0	223 13 0
292	247 1 0	259 12 0
293	257 1 0	270 2 0
298	238 2 0	250 8 6
299	235 1 0	247 0 0
300	216 0 18	226 18 6
301	269 1 10	403 19 6
ARAWARU SURVEY DISTRICT.		
BLOCK III.		
261	189 2 14	199 1 6
262	226 3 8	238 3 0
263	94 2 8	99 5 6
263A	125 2 8	131 16 6
264	163 3 16	172 1 0
265	89 2 32	94 3 6
275	232 1 16	243 19 6
276	292 2 9	397 3 6
277	244 0 0	256 4 0
281	100 1 8	105 6 0
281A	65 0 24	68 8 0
282	60 0 16	63 2 0
284	158 1 32	166 7 6
BLOCK IV.		
271	243 0 0	257 5 0
272	217 0 0	227 17 0
KAIRANGA SURVEY DISTRICT (PALMERSTON).		
BLOCK V.		
1540	99 1 1	297 15 6
1542	125 2 36	377 3 6
1543	99 0 22	297 8 0
1544	99 0 27	297 10 0
1545	124 1 37	373 9 0
1548	120 3 36	302 18 6
BLOCK VI.		
1560	102 3 0	256 17 6
BLOCK IX.		
1547	124 0 23	372 8 6
1551	104 1 24	261 0 0
1553	82 3 13	248 10 0
1554	82 3 20	165 15 0
1555	125 1 16	250 14 0
1558	100 0 33	250 10 0
1561	100 0 24	250 7 6
1576	116 2 30	233 7 6
1581	99 2 19	199 5 0
1583	145 1 23	290 16 0
1584	137 0 27	205 15 0

CASH PAYMENTS—continued.

No. of Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
BLOCK IX.—continued.		
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
1585	96 3 28	145 8 0
1586	96 3 20	145 6 0
1588	151 1 11	226 19 6
1590	102 0 17	153 3 0
1591	116 1 0	174 7 6
1592	123 3 0	185 12 6
1600	118 2 28	148 7 0
1601	97 1 4	121 12 0
1602	94 3 20	118 12 0
1604	99 0 9	198 2 0
1605	99 0 17	198 4 0
1607	97 0 4	242 11 0
1610	99 0 34	248 0 0
1611	67 1 18	168 8 0
1614	85 3 36	214 19 0
1615	99 0 19	223 0 0
1616	119 1 22	268 12 6
BLOCK X.		
1565	153 0 12	306 3 0
1566	151 3 34	379 18 0
1567	151 3 2	379 8 0
1569	151 3 9	303 12 0
1570	189 3 1	379 10 0
1572	137 0 10	274 2 6
1573	160 0 26	320 6 6
1574	147 3 8	294 9 6
BLOCK XIII.		
1593	93 3 0	117 4 0
1594	83 0 20	103 18 0
1595	170 1 0	212 16 0
1596	196 0 8	245 1 0

The greater portion of the land included in the above Schedules is of superior quality, soil rich and deep, covered with valuable timber, including more or less totara.

In the Kairanga Block (which is level) eleven miles of road are cleared or formed, and deep drains cut through those portions previously more or less covered by surface-water during the wet season. Distance from Palmerston Railway Station to centre of block, five and a half miles.

Maps, schedules of contents, and upset prices, and application forms, can be obtained at the Land Office, Wellington, and can be seen at all the Crown Land Offices throughout the colony, and at the local newspaper offices.

During the week previous to each sale a surveyor will be in the neighbourhood to point out the sections to intending purchasers.

JOS. G. HOLDSWORTH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Discharge of Reserves.

Crown Lands Office,
Invercargill, 29th December, 1880.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of the 153rd clause of "The Land Act, 1877," that the reserve on the following lands is discharged, and the same will be open for sale at the Land Office, Invercargill, on Monday, the 4th April next—

Titipua Bush Reserve, Mabel Hundred, 681 acres 1 rood 16 perches.

Pasturage Reserve, Block IV., Campbelltown Hundred, 1,450 acres.

Gravel Reserve, Section 43, Block IX., Oteramika Hundred, 40 acres and 17 perches.

WALTER H. PEARSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land Transfer Act Notices.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 14th day of March, 1881.

1160. **MATHEW VERE HODGE**.—1 rood, Section 183, Wanganui. Occupied by Robert McIvor.

1163. **JOHN PLAMPIN**.—103 acres 2 roods, Section 42, left bank of Wanganui River. Occupied by Applicant.

1184. **MICHAEL HUGHES**.—9 acres 2 roods, Suburban Section 300, Township of Palmerston North. Unoccupied.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 9th day of February, 1881, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

GEO. B. DAVY,
District Land Registrar.

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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 in each case within one calendar month from date of publication of this notice.

Allotments 46 and 47, Township of St. Leonards-on-the-Hill.—**HENRY NORTH**, Applicant. No. 3092.

Part of Sections 39 and 40, Block XII., Dunedin.—**ARCHIBALD BELL** and **JESSIE BELL**, his Wife, Applicants. No. 3093.

Sections 8, 19, part of 9, 20, Block IV., Town of Dunedin.—**JAMES MILLS**, **JOHN CARGILL**, **ARTHUR WILLIAM MORRIS**, and **WILLIAM ISAAC**, Applicants. No. 3094.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 7th day of February, 1881, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

H. TURTON,
District Land Registrar.

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NOTICE is hereby given that **DUNCAN McARTHUR**, of Invercargill, Gentleman, Husband of **ISABELLA McARTHUR**, deceased, has applied to be registered as Proprietor of an Estate as Tenant by the curtesy in Sections 9, 10, and 11, Block XIV., Town of Invercargill, being the land described in three certificates of title registered respectively in Vol. ii., folio 67, and in Vol. iii., folios 134 and 204; and that he will be so registered, unless caveat forbidding the same be lodged at this office within one month after the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

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

F. G. MORGAN,
District Land Registrar.

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Mining Notices.**NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CONSTRUCT A WATER-RACE.**

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

TAKE notice that it is intended to construct a Water-race for industrial pursuits under section 31, "Mines Act, 1877," and divert water from the stream known as the Little Kyeburn, near its junction with the Kyeburn River, and at the southern point of the Peninsula, continuing in a southerly direction

for two miles or thereabouts, and terminating at the wool-wash of Messrs. Stewart and Mackenzie.

Said race to have a mean breadth and depth of 2 feet by 1½, and to be capable of holding four heads of water.

Dated at Naseby, this 31st day of January, 1881.

117 **MACKAY JOHN SCOBIE MACKENZIE.**

APPLICATION FOR LEASE.

Mount Ida, 4th January, 1880.

To the Warden at Naseby.

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

FREDERICK HOFFMAN (for Self and Party),
Applicant.

Names and addresses in full of applicants: Frederick Hoffman, Dunedin; Thomas Logan, Dunedin; David Proudfoot, Dunedin; George McGavin, Dunedin; Thomas W. Wilkinson, Dunedin; Harry Heideman, Serpentine.

Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: Quartz Mining, Crushing, and Tunnelling Company.

Extent of land applied for: 16 acres, or within our pegs, as surveyed since occupation.

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

Amount of capital proposed to be invested: £5,000.

Proposed mode of working the land: Sinking and tunnelling.

Precise locality: On main spur between Bone's and Riddle's Creeks, Serpentine.

Term for which lease is required: Fifteen years.

Time of commencing operations: As soon as granted.

General remarks: This ground has been worked by the said party since the 20th October last, under miners' rights as well as under application for lease, and having had ground surveyed.

The above application will be heard at the Warden's Office at Naseby on the 25th February, 1881.

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

H. W. ROBINSON,
Warden.

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Private Advertisements.**DISSOLUTION OF CENTRAL OXFORD TOWN HALL COMPANY.**

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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