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*"Bridges and Ferries Act, 1868," brought into Operation in the County of Wairoa.*

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

WHEREAS by "The Bridges and Ferries Act, 1868," it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, by Proclamation in the *New Zealand Gazette*, declare the said Act to be in operation in any county, district, or other division of the colony to be defined in such Proclamation, and on a day to be fixed in any such Proclamation the said Act shall come into operation within the county, district, or other division named or defined therein, as the case may be, and not before:

And whereas the County Council of the County of Wairoa is desirous that the said Act should be brought into operation in the said county:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the power and authority vested in me by the said Act, do hereby proclaim and declare that on the first day of September, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, the said "Bridges and Ferries Act, 1868," shall be in operation in the County of Wairoa.

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-second day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one

THOMAS DICK.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*District constituted under "The Marriage Act, 1880."*

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

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in the Governor by "The Marriage Act, 1880," I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby abolish the existing marriage districts known as the Gabriel's and Blue Spur Districts, and do proclaim and declare that the territory heretofore comprised within the said districts is hereby included in one marriage district, the name and boundaries whereof shall be as follow:—

GABRIEL'S DISTRICT.

All that area bounded towards the West by a line parallel to and 20 chains distant from the Clutha River, from a point opposite the Crookburn to a point opposite Beaumont Burn; towards the North and North-west by a right line to the junction of the said Beaumont Burn with the Clutha, and by the Beaumont to its source; thence by a leading ridge to Lammerlaw; towards the North-east and East by the watershed between the Tuapeka and Waipori and Waitahuna Rivers to the source of the Crookburn; and towards the South-east by the Crookburn to its junction with the Clutha, and by a right line across said Clutha River to starting point: as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the Survey Office, Dunedin.

And I hereby declare that this Proclamation shall come into operation on the first day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

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**E**RRATUM.—In *New Zealand Gazette* No. 65, of the 11th August, 1881, page 1050, Wanganui Bridge tolls, in attestation to seal of Harbour Board, for "Chas. L. Levy," read "Chris. S. Cross."

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

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*District constituted under "The Registration of Births and Deaths Act, 1875."*

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A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in the Governor by "The Registration of Births and Deaths Act, 1875," I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby abolish the existing registration districts known as the Gabriel's and Blue Spur Districts; and do proclaim and declare that the territory heretofore comprised within the said districts is hereby included in one registration district, the name whereof shall be the Gabriel's District, and the boundaries whereof shall be coterminous with the boundaries of the marriage district bearing the same name as is set forth in a Proclamation of even date herewith, made under the provisions of "The Marriage Act, 1880:"

And I hereby declare that this Proclamation shall come into operation on the first day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

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Now, therefore, I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, being satisfied that the lands described in the Schedule hereto are free from Native claims and all difficulties in connection therewith, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the seventeenth section of "The Waste Lands Administration Act, 1876," and the twenty-eighth section of "The Land Act 1877 Amendment Act, 1879," and all other authorities enabling me in that behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare the said lands to be

waste lands of the Crown, subject, except as in the first-mentioned Act provided, to be sold and dealt with according to the provisions of the laws regulating the sale and disposal of waste lands of the Crown in force in the Land District of Auckland.

SCHEDULE.

ORUANUI MIDDLE.

ALL that parcel of land in the District of Taupo, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Oruanui Middle, containing by admeasurement 10,000 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North-east by other portion of Oruanui Block, 28410 links; towards the South-east by Wairakei Block and lines, 34255 links; towards the South-west by Oruanui South Block, 31606 links; and towards the North-west by lines, 32845 links: excepting out of the hereinbefore described area a reserve of 50 acres to be Crown-granted to Perenara te Papanui.

ORUANUI No. 3.

All that parcel of land in the District of Taupo, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Oruanui No. 3, containing by admeasurement 146 acres 2 roods, more or less. Bounded towards the North-east and East by other portion of Oruanui Block, 9631 links; towards the South-east by other portion of Oruanui Block aforesaid, 3542 links; and towards the South-west by lines, 6192 links.

ORUANUI No. 4.

All that parcel of land in the District of Taupo, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Oruanui No. 4, containing by admeasurement 51 acres 3 roods 5 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the North-east by other portion of Oruanui Block, 3131 links; towards the South-east by a road-line and other portion of Oruanui Block aforesaid, 2281 links; towards the South by other portion of Oruanui Block aforesaid, 2661 links; and towards the West by other portion of Oruanui Block aforesaid, 2187 links.

TAUHARA MIDDLE No. 3.

All that parcel of land in the District of Taupo, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Tauhara Middle No. 3, containing by admeasurement 13,250 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North-east by the Kaingaroa No. 2 Block, 35100 links; towards the East by the Rangitaikei River; towards the South-east by the Wharetoto Block, 4093 links; towards the South-west by the Taupo and Napier Road; and towards the North-west by the Tauhara Middle Block, 1600 links and 12999 links.

HANGIHANGI.

All that parcel of land in the District of Taupo, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Hangihangi, containing by admeasurement 141 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North-east by lines, 5626 links; towards the East by a line, 1400 links; towards the South by the Oruanui Block, 5682 links; and towards the West by lines, 3625 links.

POKURU NORTH.

All that parcel of land in the District of Taupo, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Pokuru North, containing by admeasurement 252 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by Te Hukui Block and lines, 5769 links; towards the East by a line, 4681 links; towards the South by Pokuru South Block, 4949 links; and towards the West by lines, 4877 links.

AORANGI WAI No. 1.

All that parcel of land in the District of Poverty Bay, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by

the name of Aorangi Wai No. 1, containing by admeasurement 1,756 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by surveyed lines 7352 links and 5304 links, the Kurutuawhiti Stream, again by surveyed lines 900 links, 1562 links, and 5149 links, the Haowhenua Stream, and the Motupataka Stream, to the Aorangi Wai River; towards the East by the Aorangi Wai River; towards the South by the Aorangi Wai No. 1A Block, the Aorangi Wai River, and surveyed lines, 1859 links, 615 links, and 673 links; towards the West by surveyed lines, 430 links, 1516 links, 1054 links, and 383 links, to the point of commencement.

TE NGAERE.

All that parcel of land in the District of Poverty Bay, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Te Ngaere, containing by admeasurement 1,425 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by surveyed lines, 865 links, 435 links, 127 links, 190 links, 230 links, 155 links, 185 links, 97 links, 197 links, 226 links, 660 links, 330 links, 274 links, 567 links, 723 links, 128 links, 75 links, 210 links, 208 links, 882 links, 441 links, 268 links, 259 links, 241 links, 206 links, 235 links, 1009 links, 160 links, 258 links, 131 links, 135 links, 264 links, 173 links, 308 links, 261 links, 203 links, 365 links, 261 links, 192 links, 288 links, 160 links, 177 links, 140 links, 163 links, 221 links, 564 links, 212 links, 190 links, 829 links, 465 links, 609 links, 609 links, 160 links, 154 links, 201 links, 291 links, 778 links, 208 links, 196 links, 301 links, 470 links, 101 links, 319 links, 241 links, 533 links, 152 links, 272 links, 110 links, 112 links, 321 links, 344 links, 338 links, 86 links, 134 links, 204 links, 206 links, 141 links, 290 links, 387 links, 209 links, 263 links, 182 links, and 358 links, to the Waitahaia River; towards the East by the Waitahaia River and Te Ngaere No. 1 Block; towards the South and West by the Waingata River to the point of commencement.

PAPATIPU.

All that parcel of land in the District of Poverty Bay, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Papatipu, containing by admeasurement 19,363 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by the Mangatutara Stream and surveyed lines 1566 links, 1460 links, 981 links, 574 links, 304 links, 396 links, 371 links, 206 links, 465 links, 203 links, 570 links, 345 links, 374 links, 786 links, 2436 links, 2228 links, 923 links, 474 links, 254 links, 333 links, 297 links, 335 links, 311 links, 202 links, 271 links, 214 links, 292 links, 328 links, 754 links, 355 links, 429 links, and 222 links, the Maungamauku River, and the Tapueroa River; towards the East by the Mangarata Stream and surveyed lines 168 links, 302 links, 297 links, 639 links, 696 links, 532 links, 802 links, 282 links, 209 links, 108 links, 415 links, 205 links, 213 links, 135 links, 288 links, 227 links, 480 links, 381 links, 176 links, 325 links, 299 links, 243 links, 597 links, 413 links, 379 links, 60 links, 197 links, 182 links, 99 links, 149 links, 769 links, 150 links, 145 links, 455 links, 197 links, 228 links, 146 links, 516 links, 187 links, 440 links, 474 links, 242 links, 435 links, 582 links, 700 links, 196 links, 1400 links, 993 links, 1370 links, 3140 links, 306 links, 7951 links, the Makupapa Stream, and Papatipu No. 1 Block; towards the South by surveyed lines 267 links, 198 links, 372 links, 241 links, 279 links, 477 links, 277 links, 588 links, 563 links, 460 links, 723 links, 638 links, 799 links, 924 links, 490 links, 2010 links, 316 links, 3440 links, 434 links, 235 links, 441 links, 391 links, 362 links, 600 links, 4846 links, 753 links, 296 links, 473 links, 414 links, 375 links, 372 links, 364 links, and 806 links, to the Mokokomuka Stream to its junction with the Waingata River; towards the West by surveyed lines 698

links, 1275 links, 771 links, 558 links, 853 links 1286 links, 417 links, 831 links, 397 links, 563 links, 1142 links, 1078 links, 438 links, 546 links, 404 links, 1654 links, 1062 links, 914 links, 1287 links, 1409 links, 863 links, 468 links, 279 links, 350 links, 1689 links, 637 links, 194 links, 584 links, 1158 links, 2031 links, 536 links, 800 links, 236 links, 1008 links, 6336 links, 287 links, 703 links, 486 links, 1284 links, and 12240 links, the Mangaokura Stream, again by surveyed lines 1138 links, 760 links, 412 links, 664 links, 916 links, 1065 links, 1303 links, 839 links, 1037 links, 726 links, 687 links, 427 links, 1746 links, 1205 links, 693 links, 282 links, 412 links, 588 links, 498 links, 637 links, 343 links, and 1096 links, to the point of commencement.

O TE RANGIWHAIAO.

All that parcel of land in the District of Poverty Bay, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of O te Rangiwhaiao, containing by admeasurement 535 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by the Mata River; towards the East by the Tarakihi Stream and surveyed lines, 2900 links, 902 links, and 138 links, to the Whareone Stream; towards the South by the Whareone Stream; towards the West by the O te Rangiwhaiao No. 1 Block to the Mata River, the point of commencement.

PAPAROA.

All that parcel of land in the District of Poverty Bay, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Paparoa, containing by admeasurement 2,257 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by the Mata River and Paparoa No. 1 Block; towards the East by the Te Pora Stream; towards the South by surveyed lines, 1258 links, 599 links, 267 links, 406 links, 660 links, 883 links, 960 links, 423 links, 362 links, 251 links, 610 links, 692 links, 1082 links, 778 links, 378 links, 1502 links, 875 links, 176 links, 371 links, 217 links, 593 links, 523 links, 791 links, 149 links, 487 links, 517 links, 399 links, and 205 links; towards the West by surveyed lines, 7572 links, 2900 links, and the Tarakihi Stream, to the point of commencement.

WHAREHAPUA No. 1.

All that parcel of land in the District of Poverty Bay, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Wharehapua No. 1, containing by admeasurement 336 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by the Wharehapua No. 1A Block; towards the East by the Wharehapua No. 2 Block; towards the South by the Wharehapua No. 3 Block; and towards the West by the Mata River to the point of commencement

WHAREHAPUA No. 2.

All that parcel of land in the District of Poverty Bay, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Wharehapua No. 2, containing by admeasurement 418 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by the Whareone Stream; towards the East by the Paparoa Block; towards the Southeast by Wharehapua No. 2A Block; towards the South by Wharehapua No. 3 Block; towards the West by Wharehapua No. 1 Block, Wharehapua No. 1A Block, and the Tauanui Stream, to the point of commencement.

WHAREHAPUA No. 3.

All that parcel of land in the District of Poverty Bay, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Wharehapua No. 3, containing by admeasurement 754 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by Wharehapua No. 1 and Wharehapua No. 2 Blocks; towards the East by a

surveyed line, 5421 links, from Te Whakaumu to the Ruakaka Stream; towards the South by the Ruakaka Stream; and towards the West by the Mata River to the point of commencement.

#### TUAKAU-PIRAUAU No. 1.

All that parcel of land in the District of Poverty Bay, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Tuakau-Pirauau No. 1, containing by admeasurement 5,865 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by the Tamata-o-te Huinga Block; towards the East by the Onetohunga Stream; towards the South by surveyed lines, 27702 links; towards the West by the surveyed line of Government road to Waiapu, to the point of commencement.

#### TUAKAU BLOCK.

All that parcel of land at Tokomaru, in the District of Poverty Bay, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Tuakau, containing by admeasurement 8,815 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by the Mangatarata Stream, the Mangaroau Stream, the Uriwiri Stream, and the Tuakau-Pirauau No. 1 Block, 71079 links; towards the East by the Tokomaru Block, 19031 links; towards the South by the Tauwhareparae Block, the Waiau River, the Mangaehu Stream, the said Tauwhareparae Block, the Ngawakapatiki Stream, and by the last-mentioned block, 64585 links; and towards the West by the said Tauwhareparae Block and the Mata River, 12820 links.

#### HUIARUA No. 1.

All that parcel of land in the District of Poverty Bay, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Huiarua No. 1, containing by admeasurement 7,750 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by the Huiarua Block; towards the East by the Mata River and by surveyed lines, 20198 links; towards the South by surveyed lines, 9527 links, 2016 links, 11594 links, 1281 links, 755 links, and 1068 links; towards the West by surveyed lines, 10795 links, 746 links, the Mata River, again by surveyed lines, 540 links and 7783 links, to the point of commencement.

#### TAUWHAREPARAE.

All that parcel of land in the Poverty Bay District, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Tauwhareparae, containing by admeasurement 44,150 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by the Mata River, Tauwhareparae No. 2 Block, and surveyed lines 6385 links, 405 links, 973 links, 897 links, 2019 links, and 150 links, the Mangaehu Stream, the Waiau River, and surveyed lines 3388 links, 2789 links, and 525 links; towards the East by surveyed lines 6050 links, 5727 links, 5820 links and the Mangaroa Stream and the Tauwhareparae No. 3 Block; towards the South by surveyed lines 7049 links, 9781 links, 1320 links, 228 links, 7061 links, 5731 links, 1730 links, 734 links, 235 links, 296 links, 344 links, 245 links, 145 links, 201 links, 410 links, 357 links, 698 links, 571 links, 4998 links, 1098 links, 14778 links, the Mangapanga Stream, the Kongapunarua Stream, again by surveyed lines 2360 links, 900 links, 22670 links, 4736 links, 55 links, 3397 links, 3245 links, 2569 links, 2422 links, 1335 links, 655 links, and 418 links; towards the West by surveyed lines, 3598 links, 6412 links, 2523 links, 276 links, 287 links, 307 links, 1442 links, 621 links, 2368 links, 688 links, 617 links, 322 links, 3052 links, 6948 links, 663 links, 1248 links, 575 links, 417 links, 410 links, 357 links, 128 links, 134 links, 438 links, 351 links, 254 links, 593 links, 177 links, 467 links, 386 links, 212 links, 607 links, 935 links, 250 links, 512 links, 1937 links, and 20918 links, to the point of commencement on the Mata River.

#### MANGATOKERAU.

All that parcel of land in the District of Poverty Bay, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Mangatokerau, containing by admeasurement 5,456 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by surveyed lines, 5731 links, 7061 links, 228 links, 1320 links, 9781 links, 7049 links, 13281 links, 784 links, 1368 links, 707 links, 963 links, and 681 links; towards the East by the Mangatokerau No. 1 and No. 2 Blocks; towards the South by surveyed lines, 800 links, 906 links, 2182 links, 2309 links, 836 links, 382 links, 1101 links, 1249 links, 879 links, 1550 links, 2970 links, 646 links, 1596 links; towards the West by surveyed lines, 17640 links, 853 links, 4928 links, and 3499 links, to the point of commencement.

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Now, therefore, I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, being satisfied that the lands described in the Schedule hereto are free from Native claims and all difficulties in connection therewith, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the seventeenth section of "The Waste Lands Administration Act, 1876," and the twenty-eighth section of "The Land Act 1877 Amendment Act, 1879," and all other authorities enabling me in that behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare the said lands to be waste lands of the Crown, subject, except as in the first-mentioned Act provided, to be sold and dealt with according to the provisions of the laws regulating the sale and disposal of waste lands of the Crown in force in the Land Districts of Auckland and Wellington.

#### SCHEDULE.

##### TAHARUA SOUTH.

ALL that parcel of land in the District of Taupo, and partly in the Provincial District of Auckland, and partly in the Provincial District of Wellington, known by the name of Taharua South, containing by admeasurement 14,000 acres, more or less, namely, 4,200 acres in the Provincial District of Auckland, and 9,800 acres in the Provincial District of Wellington. Bounded towards the North by Taharua

North Block, 25150 links; towards the East by Wharetoto Block, 66235 links; towards the South-west by Mohaka River; and towards the West by lines, 59940 links.

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SCHEDULE.

UMUPAPAMARO.

ALL that parcel of land in the District of Taupo, in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, known by the name of Umupapamaro, containing by admeasurement 705 acres 3 roods 20 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the North by Runanga No. 2 Block, 2640 links; towards the South-east by Waikare Mohaka Block, 38129 links; towards the South-west by Wharetoto Block, 2227 links; and towards the North-west by Wharetoto Block aforesaid, 35417 links.

MAHARAHARA.

All that parcel of land in the Seventy-Mile Bush, in the Waipawa and Manawatu Counties, and partly in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, and partly in the Provincial District of Wellington, known by the name of Maharahara, containing by admeasurement 26,383 acres, more or less, namely, 20,953 acres in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, and 5,430 acres in the Provincial District of Wellington. Bounded towards the North-east by the Tamaki

Block, from its western corner to Trig. Station No. 85, 17500 links or thereabouts, the Oruakeretaki Stream, the Tamaki Block, 10799 links, and the Mangapukakakahu Stream; towards the South-east by the Tahoraite No. 1 Block 12500 links, 7730 links, 875 links, 2733 links, and 2640 links, and by the Oringi Waiaruhe Block 10800 links and 7160 links; towards the South-west by the Ahuaturanga Block (by a line passing through Trig. Station No. 60 to its northern corner), 57400 links or thereabouts; and towards the North-west by a line, 54800 links or thereabouts.

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SCHEDULE.

MANGAHAO No. 2 RESERVE.

ALL that parcel of land in the District of Wairarapa, in the Provincial District of Wellington, excepted from the original sale to the Crown of the Mangahao No. 2 Block, as a reserve for Huru te Hiaro, containing by estimation 350 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the West and North by other portions of the said Mangahao No. 2 Block; and towards the East and South by the Mangahao River.

WAIHOANGA No. 1B.

All that parcel of land at Otaki, in the District of Otaki, in the Provincial District of Wellington, known by the name of Waihoanga No. 1B, containing by admeasurement 480 acres and 2 perches.

Bounded towards the North-east by the Waihoanga No. 1A Block, 37236 links; towards the East by the Waihoanga No. 1c Block, 1725 links; towards the South-west by the Waihoanga No. 4 Block, 38410 links; and towards the North-west by a line, 1100 links.

**WAIHOANGA No. 1c.**

All that parcel of land at Otaki, in the District of Otaki, in the Provincial District of Wellington, known by the name of Waihoanga No. 1c, containing by admeasurement 1,391 acres 2 roods 4 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the North-east by the Waihoanga No. 2B Block, 40193 links; towards the South-east by the Tararua Block, 4138 links; towards the South-west by the Waihoanga No. 4 Block, 38082 links; and towards the West by the Waihoanga No. 1B Block and the Waihoanga No. 1A Block, 3451 links.

**TAKAPU No. 2.**

All that parcel of land at Manawatu, in the District of Otaki, in the Provincial District of Wellington, known by the name of Takapu No. 2, containing by admeasurement 262 acres 2 roods, more or less. Bounded towards the North-east by the Aratangata, the Ohinekakeao No. 2, and the Ohinekakeao No. 1 Blocks, 16848 links; towards the East by the Manawatu Kukutauaki No. 3 Block 5616 links, and by the Koputaroa Stream; and towards the South-west by the Takapu No. 1 Block, 20102 links.

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

WM. ROLLESTON.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Special Mining District under Section 66 of "The Mines Act, 1877."*

(L.S.) ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

**A PROCLAMATION.**

**WHEREAS** by section sixty-six of "The Mines Act, 1877," power is given to the Governor to proclaim special mining districts for the pre-emption of homesteads, and for the purposes contemplated in the said section:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by virtue of the powers and authorities vested in me by the said section sixty-six of "The Mines Act, 1877," and of all other powers and authorities thereunto enabling me, do hereby proclaim and declare the piece of land described in the Schedule hereto to be a special mining district for the purposes of the sixty-sixth section of "The Mines Act, 1877."

**SCHEDULE.**

ALL that area in the Provincial District of Otago, bounded by a line proceeding from Lammerlaw along the eastern boundary of Clyde Land District to Mount St. Bathans; thence easterly to Hawkdun Mountains; thence southerly along the Hawkdun Mountains to a point due west of Domet Mountain;

thence easterly to Domet Mountain; thence north-westerly to Kurow Mountain; thence north-easterly to and along Little Awahemo Creek to the Waitaki River; thence south-easterly along the Waitaki River to the Maruwhenua Hundred; thence southerly along the western boundary of the said hundred to the south-western corner thereof; thence westerly to the south branch of the Maruwhenua River; thence southerly to the northern branch of the Kakanui River; thence south-westerly to the Kakanui Mountains; thence south-easterly along the Kakanui Mountains to the Moeraki Hundred; thence in a south-westerly direction along the boundary of the said hundred and the boundary of Hawkesbury Hundred to the south-western corner of Section No. 11, Block I., Dunback Survey District; thence along the southern boundaries of the said Section No. 11 and Section No. 6 of the said block to Moeraki Survey District; thence along the said survey district to Section No. 3, Block I., Dunback Survey District aforesaid; thence along the northern boundaries of Sections Nos. 3, 4, and 5, and the north-western boundaries of Sections Nos. 5 and 8 of the same block and district, to the northern branch of the Waikouaiti River; thence north-westerly along the boundaries of Runs Nos. 80 and 109 respectively to the ranges; thence south-easterly to the Silver Peak Hills, and along Silver Peak Hills to the north-eastern corner of Hindon Land District; thence westerly along the northern boundary of the said Hindon Land District to Lammerlaw, the starting point.

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

WM. ROLLESTON.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Appointing Day for Election of Members of Board, Hampden Road District, County of Waitaki.*

(L.S.) ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

**A PROCLAMATION.**

**WHEREAS** the persons entitled to vote at the election of two members for the Chalgrove Subdivision of the Hampden Road District failed to hold an election on the day appointed by "The Otago Roads Ordinance, 1871," and it is expedient to appoint a day for holding the said election, as is provided by the tenth section of "The Otago Roads Ordinance 1871 Amendment Ordinance, 1874:—"

Now, therefore, I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers vested in me by the said Ordinances, and by "The Abolition of Provinces Act, 1875," do hereby proclaim and appoint that an election of two members for the Chalgrove Subdivision of the said road district shall be held at noon, on Saturday, the seventeenth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

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

THOMAS DICK.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Fixing Additional Scale of Fees in District Courts.*

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of August, 1881.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council dated the twenty-fourth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, certain fees were fixed and authorized to be taken in District Courts as therein mentioned: And whereas it is expedient that an additional scale of fees should be fixed and authorized for the purposes hereinafter set forth:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, in pursuance and exercise of all powers and authorities vested in him in this behalf, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony of New Zealand, doth hereby fix the fees mentioned in the Schedule hereto to be the fees payable in respect of appeals to District Courts from the decision of any Warden's Court under "The Mines Act, 1877."

SCHEDULE.

APPEALS UNDER "THE MINES ACT, 1877."

	£	s.	d.
Notice stating ground of appeal ... ..	0	5	0
Summons to show cause, including seal... ..	1	0	0
Summons to witness, ditto ... ..	0	5	0
Swearing or filing affidavit ... ..	0	2	0
Hearing ... ..	1	0	0
Order on appeal ... ..	2	0	0

Fees to be charged on highest scale in Schedule D to the said Order in Council of the 24th March, 1876, if case reheard before District Court.

F. P. MURRAY,

Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Regulations respecting Alluvial Claims under "The Gold-Mining Districts Act, 1873," for Hauraki and Aroha Gold-Mining Districts.*

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of August, 1881.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Gold-Mining Districts Act, 1873," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, subject to the provisions of the said Act, from time to time to make, alter, amend, and revoke rules and regulations for all or any of the purposes therein set forth, and that no such rule or regulation shall become or have the effect of law until the same shall have been approved by the Governor in Council:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, and in exercise and pursuance of all power in that behalf enabling him, doth hereby make the regulations set forth in the Schedule hereto for the Hauraki and Aroha Gold-Mining Districts, in the Provincial District of Auckland.

SCHEDULE.

REGULATIONS prescribing the size of claims under section 20 of "The Gold-Mining Districts Act, 1873:"—

*Ordinary Claims (Classes 1 and 3).*

1. An alluvial claim shall not exceed an area of 10,000 square feet (equal to 100 feet by 100 feet) for each holder of a miner's right, but more than 100,000 square feet shall be held together as one claim.

100 FEET x 100 FEET.

For 1 man, 100 feet x 100 feet	=	10,000 feet.
" 2 men, 100 " x 200 "	=	20,000 "
" 3 " 122 " x 244 "	about	30,000 "
" 4 " 141 " x 282 "	"	40,000 "
" 5 " 158 " x 316 "	"	50,000 "
" 6 " 173 " x 346 "	"	60,000 "
" 7 " 187 " x 374 "	"	70,000 "
" 8 " 200 " x 400 "	=	80,000 "
" 9 " 212 " x 424 "	about	90,000 "
" 10 " 223 " x 446 "	"	100,000 "

*Double Ground (Class 3).*

2. The Warden may in his discretion grant claims in alluvial ground not exceeding twice the ordinary size, on being satisfied that, either from the quality of the ground or any difficulty in working it, such extension of area is necessary; but no such grant shall be made until after application and the posting of notices in manner provided by regulations. And no such claim shall exceed 200,000 square feet.

*Extended Claims (Classes 1 and 3).*

3. When any extraordinary expenditure of capital or labour is requisite, or if the Warden is satisfied that any ground cannot be profitably worked in claims of ordinary or double size, it shall be lawful for him to grant claims in alluvial ground, to be called "Extended Claims;" such claims not to exceed one acre for each holder of a miner's right, and no such claim shall comprise more than six acres.

*Frontage Claims (Classes 1 and 3).*

4. A frontage claim shall be an area having 100 feet frontage to the terrace, river-bank, lake-bank, or hill-side for each holder of a miner's right, by a depth not exceeding 1,000 yards, but not more than 1,000 feet frontage shall be held as one claim; and the holders of any such claim shall be required within a reasonable time after the discovery of gold within the parallels to mark off an ordinary claim, the boundaries of which shall correspond with the parallels of the frontage claim, and shall thereupon cease to have any right to the remainder of such frontage claim.

*River or Creek Claims (Class 3).*

5. A river or creek claim shall not exceed 100 feet in length for each holder of a miner's right, to be measured in the direction of the course of any stream, by a width of not less than 30 feet, but when the stream exceeds 30 feet in width the width of the claim shall be taken from bank to bank, the banks to be defined when necessary by the Warden; but not more than 1,000 feet in length along the course of any stream shall be held as one claim.

*Dredging Claims (Class 3).*

6. In dredging claims each holder of a miner's right shall be entitled to an area of 200 feet along the course of the river or stream, by a width bounded by the ordinary high-water mark; but not more than

2,000 feet along the course of any river or stream shall be held as one claim.

*Prospecting Claims.*

7. The Warden may grant a prospecting claim of double area in alluvial ground, but not more than six such double areas shall be held together as one claim.

*Prospecting Areas.*

8. A prospecting area may be granted by the Warden in alluvial ground of 600 yards by 400 yards.

F. P. MURRAY,  
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Delegation of Governor's Powers under "The Bridges and Ferries Act, 1868," to Wairoa County Council.*

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of August, 1881.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Bridges and Ferries Act, 1868," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council from time to time to delegate to such person or body corporate as to the Governor in Council shall seem fit all or any of the powers by the said Act vested in the Governor, except the powers conferred by the second section of the said Act, and except also the power of delegation, and such delegations from time to time to alter and revoke:

And whereas by a Proclamation of even date herewith the Governor has declared that the said "Bridges and Ferries Act, 1868," shall come into operation in the County of Wairoa on the first day of September, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, in exercise and pursuance of the powers vested in him by the said Act, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the colony, doth hereby delegate to the County Council of the County of Wairoa all the powers by "The Bridges and Ferries Act, 1868," vested in the Governor, and exercisable by him within the said County of Wairoa, except the powers conferred by the second and tenth sections of the said Act.

F. P. MURRAY,  
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Incorporation of Marlborough Agricultural and Pastoral Association.*

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of August, 1881.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by "The Agricultural and Pastoral Societies Act, 1877," His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby incorporate the members of the Marlborough Agricultural and Pastoral Association into a corporate body under the said Act, under the style and title of "The Marlborough Agricultural and Pastoral Association."

F. P. MURRAY,  
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Extension of Time for Preparation of Valuation Rolls, Te Aroha District, County of Piako.*

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of August, 1881.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it has been made to appear that certain things required to be done by "The Rating Act, 1876," in connection with the making and revision of the valuation roll of the outlying District of Te Aroha, in the County of Piako, cannot be done by or within the times required by the said Act:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby extend the time for the doing of the said things in connection with the valuation roll of the said outlying district of Te Aroha, and doth declare that the time for the doing of such several things shall be those which are specified in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

1. For transmitting to the county the valuation list: On or before the 19th September, 1881.
2. Valuation list to be open for inspection and objections thereto to be received: Until the 30th September, 1881.

F. P. MURRAY,  
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Trustee appointed for Lumsden Cemetery.*

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the fourth section of "The Cemeteries Management Act, 1877," I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint

SAMUEL STANFORD, Esq.,

to be a Trustee, in place of Andrew Wilson, resigned, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Lumsden Public Cemetery, in conjunction with the other persons appointed by warrant under the hand of His Excellency the Governor on the twentieth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and eighty.

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

WM. ROLLESTON,  
Minister of Lands.

*Vaccination District constituted.*

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in the Governor by "The Public Health Act, 1876," I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby abolish the existing vaccination districts known as the Gabriel's and Blue Spur Districts; and do declare that the territory heretofore comprised within the said districts is hereby included in one vaccination district, the name whereof shall be the Gabriel's District, and the boundaries whereof shall be coterminous with the boundaries of the marriage district bearing the



same name as is set forth in a Proclamation of even date herewith, made under the provisions of "The Marriage Act, 1880."

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

THOMAS DICK.

*Authorizing the taking and laying down of Roads over Native Land in the Auckland Provincial District.*

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

IN exercise and pursuance of all powers and authorities enabling me in this behalf by "The Native Lands Act, 1873," "The Native Land Act Amendment Act, 1878 (No. 2)," and "The Public Works Act, 1880," I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby authorize

EDWIN FAIRBURN,

Government Surveyor, of Auckland, to take and lay down roads over the lands specified in the Schedule hereto, and for that purpose to exercise all such powers as by the said Acts may be exercised by a person legally authorized in that behalf under the said Acts.

SCHEDULE.

No.	Block.	Area.	Date of Grant.
2,358	Pukehuia ...	6,800	24th Dec., 1879.
991	Te Opu ...	794	18th " 1869.
4,302	Okahurewa ...	9,562	24th " 1879.
2,299	Tumutumorui ...	125	17th " 1873.
1,859	Pakaraka ...	137	17th " 1873.

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

WM. ROLLESTON.

*Authorizing the taking and laying down of Roads over Native Land in the Hawke's Bay Provincial District.*

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

IN exercise and pursuance of all powers and authorities enabling me in this behalf by "The Native Lands Act, 1873," "The Native Land Act Amendment Act, 1878 (No. 2)," and "The Public Works Act, 1880," I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby authorize

WALTER HALLETT, Esq.,

Assistant-Surveyor, of Napier, to take and lay down roads over the lands specified in the Schedule hereto, and for that purpose to exercise all such powers as by the said Acts may be exercised by a person legally authorized in that behalf under the said Acts.

SCHEDULE.

Block.	Acres.	Survey District.
Waipapa ...	1,200	Waihua.
Waihua No. 1 ...	6,820	Waihua.
Waihua No. 2 ...	2,400	Waihua.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the

Governor, this twenty-third day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

WM. ROLLESTON.

*Land temporarily reserved in the Land District of Canterbury.*

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 District of Canterbury described in the Schedule hereunder written, for the purposes in the said Schedule specified.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Rangiora Survey District, Provincial District of Canterbury, containing 10 acres, more or less. Bounded—Eastward by the North Road, 800 links; Southward by the road north of Section No. 10832; and Westward and Northward by lines parallel to the eastern and southern boundaries respectively: and numbered 2506 (in red) on the official map in the Survey Office Christchurch. For a gravel-pit.

All the under-mentioned sections situate in the Town of Ashburton containing 1 rood each, viz., 843, 844, 853, 854, 863, 874, 893, 894, 903, 904, 950, 964, 991, 1000, 1005, 1015, 1040, 1048, 1053, 1063, 1076, 1077, 1078, 1079, 1080, 1081, 1082, 1083, 1084, 1085, 1066, 1067, 1068, 1069, 1070, 1071, 1072, 1073, 1074, 1075, 1108, 1109, 1116, 1117, 1125, 1140, 1146, 1159, 1162, 1172, 1175, 1187, 1190, 1191, 1200, 1201, 1214, 1249, 1223, 1246, 1232, 1233, 1241, and 1242. For municipal purposes.

As witness the hand of his Excellency the Governor, this seventeenth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

WM. ROLLESTON,  
Minister of Lands.

*Exchange of Land in Provincial District of Otago.*

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

WHEREAS by the one hundred and forty-eighth section of "The Land Act, 1877," power is given to the Governor to exchange any land set apart as a reserve for other land of equal value as he may think fit, and to make a Crown grant thereof accordingly:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the said Act, do hereby declare that the land mentioned in the first column of the Schedule hereto shall be exchanged for the land mentioned in the second column of the said Schedule.

## SCHEDULE.

Description and Purpose of Reserve Intended to be Exchanged.	Description of Land to be Obtained in Exchange therefor.
Section 1, Block I., Ophir. Reserved by warrant under the hand of the Superintendent of Otago, dated 8th November, 1873, and published in the Otago Provincial Gazette No. 880, of the 12th November, 1873, folio 411. As a site for an athenæum.	All that area in the Town of Ophir, being Section No. 3, Block III. Bounded towards the North-west by Swindon Street; towards the North-east by Section No. 4 of same block; towards the South-east by Crown lands and a tail-race reserve; and towards the South-west by a tail-race reserve to Swindon Street, the starting point.

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

WM. ROLLESTON,  
Minister of Lands.

*Inspector of Weights and Measures appointed, Marlborough, &c.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 17th August, 1881.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable NICHOLAS KIELY

to be an Inspector of Weights and Measures for the Counties of Sounds and Marlborough, and the Boroughs of Picton and Blenheim, *vice* Sergeant R. Saunderson, deceased.

THOMAS DICK.

*Members and Auditors for Matakana East Highway District, County of Rodney, appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 22nd August, 1881.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM BLAIR,  
LOVELOCK COZENS,  
CHARLES GREENWOOD,  
JAMES MATTHEWS, and  
WILLIAM PHILLIPS

to be the District Board for the Matakana East Highway District; and also to appoint

THOMAS JAMES MELLON and  
MANUEL CHRISTIAN

to be Auditors for the said district for the ensuing year.

THOMAS DICK.

*Members and Auditors for Waiuku Highway District, County of Manukau, appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 22nd August, 1881.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM JOSEPH KING,  
SAMUEL HODGE,  
WILLIAM HENRY BARRIBALL,  
WALTER NORTON, and  
CHARLES THOMAS BARRIBALL

to be the District Board for the Waiuku Highway District; and also to appoint

CALEB HOSKING and  
GEORGE HOLMES SELBY

to be Auditors for the said district for the ensuing year.

THOMAS DICK.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 22nd August, 1881.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HENRY JOHN ABEL, Esq.,

to be the Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths, and also Vaccination Inspector, for the District of Gabriel's, as the same is defined in Proclamation of even date herewith.

THOMAS DICK.

*Registrar of Electors for Napier and Clive appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 22nd August, 1881.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN THOMAS TYLEE, Esq.,

to be the Registrar of Electors under "The Registration of Electors Act, 1879," for the Electoral Districts of Napier and Clive, *vice* S. Y. Collins, Esq., resigned. Appointment to date from the 1st September, 1881.

THOMAS DICK.

*Public Vaccinator appointed, Kaiapoi.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 22nd August, 1881.

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

WILLIAM HENRY OVENDEN, Esq., L.R.C.S. Irel.,

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

THOMAS DICK.

*Members for Amuri Highway District, County of Amuri, elected.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 22nd August, 1881.

IN conformity with "The Nelson Highways Act, 1872," it is hereby notified that, on the 4th July last,

JAMES MACFARLANE,  
WILLIAM OLIVER RUTHERFORD, and  
DUNCAN RUTHERFORD

were duly elected to be Members of the Amuri Highway Board.

THOMAS DICK.

*Member of Licensing Courts appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 20th August, 1881.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

RICHARD ROBERT JONES, Esq., J.P.,

to be a Member of the Licensing Courts for the Districts of Waiholo, Glenledi, Town of Milton, Crichton, Tokomairi, Mount Stuart, and Balmoral, *vice* T. Murray, Esq., resigned.

THOMAS DICK.

*Certificated Accountant in Bankruptcy appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 22nd August, 1881.

HIS Honor Sir James Prendergast, Chief Justice, has appointed

Mr. WEBBER SAMUEL SEAVEY,

of Dunedin, to be a Certificated Accountant in Bankruptcy.

THOMAS DICK.

*Licensed Interpreter appointed.*

Native Office,  
Wellington, 24th August, 1881.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to license

Mr. ALFRED A. YATES,

of Tauranga, to act as an Interpreter under "The Native Land Court Act, 1880," from the 22nd August, 1881.

WM. ROLLESTON.

*Members of Otago Harbour Board appointed.*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 20th August, 1881.

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

ALEXANDER BURT,  
ROBERT PATERSON, and  
ROBERT WILSON

to be Members of the Otago Harbour Board.

H. A. ATKINSON.

*Cemetery Manager appointed.*

General Crown Lands Office,  
Wellington, 24th August, 1881.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

CHARLES SYDNEY ALINGTON, Esq.,

to be a Manager of the Mount Hutt (Canterbury) Cemetery, *vice* Thomas Allen, deceased.

WM. ROLLESTON,  
Minister of Lands.

*Promotion and Appointment of Volunteer Officers.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 23rd August, 1881.

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

*Southland Regiment of Hussars.*

Andrew Burns to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 1st April, 1881.

*E Battery of Artillery.*

Rowland Parker-Hill to be Second Lieutenant. Date of commission, 10th August, 1881.

*Spring Creek Rifle Volunteers.*

Sub-Lieutenant Charles Peake to be Captain. Date of commission, 24th July, 1881.

*Lyttelton Naval Brigade.*

Frank Dransfield to be Second Lieutenant. Date of commission, 11th July, 1881.

WM. ROLLESTON.

*Resignation of Volunteer Officers.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 23rd August, 1881.

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

*Hauraki Engineer Volunteers.*

Second Lieutenant John Leydon. Date of resignation, 25th July, 1881.

*Invercargill Rifle Volunteers.*

Captain William Edward Heywood. Date of resignation, 9th August, 1881.

*Thames Scottish Battalion.*

Lieutenant Edward Brownlow. Date of resignation, 20th July, 1881.

*Napier Rifle Volunteers.*

Captain James Meecham Batham. Date of resignation, 4th August, 1881.

Lieutenant Russell James Duncan. Date of resignation, 8th July, 1881.

Sub-Lieutenant Roope Brooking. Date of resignation, 4th August, 1881.

*Spring Creek Rifles.*

Captain Wheaton Soper. Date of resignation, 2nd May, 1881.

WM. ROLLESTON.

*Amalgamation, &c., of Volunteer Corps.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 23rd August, 1881.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to form the Kumara Contingent of the First Westland Rifle Volunteers into a separate corps, to be designated

The Kumara Rifle Volunteers;

and to amalgamate the Thames Scottish Rifle Cadet Volunteers and the St. George's Naval Cadet Volunteers into one corps, under the designation of

The Thames Naval Cadet Volunteers.

WM. ROLLESTON.

*Notice of proposed Loan, Borough of Tapanui.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 22nd August, 1881.

THE following notice, received from his Worship the Mayor of Tapanui, is published in accordance with section 145 of "The Municipal Corporation Act, 1876."

THOMAS DICK.

TAPANUI BOROUGH COUNCIL.—PROPOSED LOAN OF £2,500.

At the poll taken this day, under "The Municipal Corporations Acts Amendment Act, 1880," the voting was as follows:—

For the loan	...	...	...	83
Against the loan	...	...	...	11

W. QUIN, Returning Officer.  
J. A. MOONEX, Mayor.

*Members for Pangatotara and Upper Motueka Highway Districts, County of Waimea, elected.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 19th August, 1881.

IN conformity with "The Nelson Highways Act, 1872," it is hereby notified that, on the 4th July last,

DAVID HOBATIO JENNINGS,  
THOMAS GROOBY,  
ALEXANDER WHITE,  
WILLIAM BRERETON,  
JAMES HAYCOCK, and  
JOHN HEATH

were duly elected Members of the Pangatotara Highway Board; and that that the under-mentioned persons were elected Members of the Upper Motueka Highway Board for the sub-districts placed opposite their names:—

WILLIAM GIBBS, Motupiko Sub-district.  
WILLIAM HENRY PHILLIPS, Jun., Tadmor Sub-district.  
WILLIAM JOHN BURROWS, Stanley Brook Sub-district.

G. S. COOPER,  
Under Secretary.

*Application for Registration of a Trade Mark.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 22nd August, 1881.

NOTICE is hereby given that EDWARD WATERS, Patent Agent, of Melbourne, in the Colony of Victoria, has applied, on behalf of the firm of MOUSON AND COMPANY, of Frankfort-on-the-Maine, in the Empire of Germany, Soap Manufacturers and Perfumers, to register, under "The Trade Marks Act, 1866," the trade mark of which the following is a description, viz. :—

*Description of Trade Mark.*

The representation of a kangaroo, and the words, name, or title "The Colonial," the same being enclosed within an oval border line.

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

Soap and perfumery.

THOMAS DICK,  
Colonial Secretary and Registrar of  
Trade Marks.

*Letters of Naturalisation issued.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 23rd August, 1881.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to issue Letters of Naturalisation, under "The Aliens Act, 1880," in favour of the under-mentioned persons, viz. :—

Name.	Occupation.	Residence.
Peter Christensen ...	Sawmill-hand	Waipukurau.
Ole Olsen ...	Settler ...	Makaretu.
Carl Christian Hansen ...	Farmer ...	Makaretu.
Mads Steffensen ...	Platelayer ...	Waipukurau.

THOMAS DICK.

*Bonuses on Colonial Industries.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 18th May, 1881.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following bonuses will be paid on articles produced in the Colony of New Zealand, as under:—

**SUGAR.**

A bonus of one thousand pounds (£1,000) will be given for the production of the first 125 tons of sugar, manufactured in New Zealand, from beet or any other root or plant grown in the colony.

**LINSEED OIL.**

A bonus of five hundred pounds (£500) will be

given for the production, by machinery permanently established in New Zealand, of the first ten thousand (10,000) gallons of oil, of good marketable quality, from linseed grown in the colony.

**OIL CAKE.**

A bonus of one hundred pounds (£100) will be given for the production of the first fifty tons of oil cake, of good marketable quality, from linseed grown in the colony.

**STARCH.**

A bonus of three hundred pounds (£300) will be given on the first fifty tons of starch, manufactured in the colony, which shall be shipped to an English market, and for which a satisfactory certificate shall be given by dealers or brokers in England that the starch is of good marketable quality.

**SILK.**

A bonus of fifty per cent. on the value realized for the first thousand pounds' (£1,000) worth of cocoons of the silkworm, or silkworms' eggs, produced in the colony, to be paid on quantities of not less value than fifty pounds (£50) nor more than one hundred pounds (£100) produced by any one person.

**SULPHURIC ACID.**

A bonus of five hundred pounds (£500) per annum will be given for three years in succession for the production each year, by machinery established in New Zealand, of not less than fifty tons of sulphuric acid, of good marketable quality. The producer to the satisfaction of the Colonial Secretary of the first fifty tons shall be also entitled to the payments of the two following years if he fulfils the conditions.

**EARTHENWARE.**

A bonus of two hundred and fifty pounds (£250) will be given on the first £1,000 worth of household earthenware manufactured in the colony, on proof that it has been sold at such prices as to show that it is of good marketable quality.

**SUGAR-REFINING.**

A bonus of five hundred pounds (£500) will be given for three years in succession for the refining each year, by machinery established in New Zealand, of not less than one hundred tons of cane sugar. The establishment by which such refining is effected must be what is ordinarily known as a sugar-refinery. The firm refining the first one hundred tons of sugar, and receiving the bonus, shall be also entitled to the bonus of the two following years upon fulfilling the conditions above named.

**GUNPOWDER.**

The Government are prepared to receive proposals from any person willing to establish a factory for the manufacture of blasting and sporting powder. The proposer to state what amount of bonus he would require to induce him to undertake the manufacture.

The place where the factory is to be erected to be subject to the approval of the Government, the plans and specifications of the building to be also approved by Government.

All the internal fittings and the arrangements for carrying on the manufacture of the gunpowder to be subject to the inspection of an officer appointed by the Government.

**BUTTER OR CHEESE.**

A bonus of five hundred pounds (£500) will be given for the first 25 tons of butter or the first 50 tons of cheese (produced in a factory worked on the American principle, and to which factory any farmer, subject to certain conditions, may send his milk), which shall be exported from New Zealand, and sold

at such prices in a foreign market as shall show that the articles are of fair quality.

MEAT.

A bonus of five hundred pounds (£500) will be given on the first 100 tons of fresh meat exported from New Zealand in vessels fitted with refrigerating machinery. Such meat must have been collected in a refrigerating chamber in this colony, and must have been landed in Europe in sound marketable condition.

CONDITIONS.

NOTICE of intention to claim any of the above bonuses must be given in writing to the Colonial Secretary not later than the 31st December, 1881.

The claim must be made before the 30th June, 1882.

The other conditions as to quantity, quality, and value to be fulfilled to the satisfaction of an officer appointed for the purpose by the Government.

Further information and particulars may be obtained by application at the Colonial Secretary's Office.

THOMAS DICK.

*Report on Collision between "Tainui" and "Christina" confirmed.*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 24th August, 1881.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased, in pursuance of the provisions of section 244 of "The Shipping and Seamen's Act, 1877," to confirm the decision of the Court of Inquiry into the collision between the steamer "Tainui" and the schooner "Christina," by which the New Zealand Certificate of Service, No. 2292, of Neil Smith, is suspended from one month from the 10th instant.

H. A. ATKINSON.

THAT the collision in question was solely caused by the wrongful act of the p.s. "Tainui" in deviating from her proper course, and also in attempting to cross the "Christina's" bow. The steamer was bound by the regulations in force to have gone slow, or to stop, or to reverse, as the occasion required; and took none of these precautions when the collision was imminent, but was preventible by due use of such measures. Having regard to Captain Neil Smith's long services and hitherto unblemished conduct, I am unwilling—although on this occasion he had charge of a number of female passengers—to visit him with too severe a punishment; but, looking to the number of coasting craft frequenting this harbour, and the increasing amount of steam traffic to the North Shore, feel bound to pass a sentence which should have the effect of rendering masters of ferry and other steamers cautious. The sentence is that the Certificate No. 2,292, held by Neil Smith, be suspended for one month from this date, and that he pay the costs of this inquiry, £22 1s.

Given under my hand, at Auckland, this tenth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

ROBERT CLAPHAM BARSTOW,  
Resident Magistrate.

We concur in the above report.

W. FRAZER, } Nautical  
THOMAS PENNAL, } Assessors.

Tenders.

Public Works Office,  
Wellington, 20th August, 1881.

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

JOHN HALL,  
Acting Minister for Public Works.

HURUNUI-WAITAKI RAILWAY.—WEKA PASS SECTION.—PERMANENT-WAY CONTRACT No. 1.

	Accepted.	£	s.	d.
J. Coates, Palmerston South	...	2,625	16	0
	Declined.			
J. and A. Anderson, Christchurch	...	2,870	9	0
R. Johnstone, Waikari	...	3,354	7	9

*Agricultural Lease cancelled.*

Mines Department,  
Wellington, 17th August, 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:—

John March; Section 9, Block IV., Wakefield District. No. 1655c.

WM. ROLLESTON,  
Minister of Mines.

*Money Order and Savings Bank Office opened.*

Post Office and Telegraph Department,  
Wellington, 24th August, 1881.

IT is hereby notified for general information that a Money Order and Savings Bank Office will be opened at

MAKETU (Chief Office, Auckland),  
from and after the 1st proximo.

By order.  
W. GRAY,  
Secretary.

*Money Order and Savings Bank Office opened.*

Post Office and Telegraph Department,  
Wellington, 18th August, 1881.

IT is hereby notified for general information that a Money Order and Savings Bank Office will be opened at

KAMO (Chief Office, Auckland),  
from and after the 1st September proximo.

W. GRAY,  
Secretary.

*Government Insurance Offices opened.*

Government Insurance Department,  
Wellington, 23rd August, 1881.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned places have been opened as Government Life Insurance Offices:—

LEESTON, Canterbury.  
COALGATE, Canterbury.  
PAHI, Auckland.  
D. M. LUCKIE,  
Commissioner.

*Tenders.*

THE Postmaster-General and Commissioner of Telegraphs is prepared to receive tenders, up to 12 o'clock on the 1st September, 1881, at the General Post Office, Wellington, addressed to the Secretary, Post and Telegraph Department, for the supply and delivery of 10,000,000 telegraph forms. Specifications and samples can be seen at any Telegraph Office in the colony.

By order.

C. LEMON,  
Superintendent, Posts and Telegraphs.

Head Office, Wellington, 20th July, 1881.

*Branch of Friendly Society registered.*

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 22nd August, 1881.

THE Loyal Star of Auckland Lodge, No. 26, of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, at Auckland, is registered as a branch of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of New Zealand Friendly Society, under "The Friendly Societies Act, 1877," this 22nd day of August, 1881.

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

*Commissioner of Supreme Court appointed.*

NOTICE.—CHARLES COHEN, of Sandhurst, in the Colony of Victoria, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of the said colony, has been appointed, this day, by his Honor the Chief Justice, a Commissioner of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, in the said colony, under the fourth section of "The Commissioners of the Supreme Court Act, 1875," for the purpose of taking acknowledgments of married women under any Act or law in force in the colony of New Zealand requiring such acknowledgments to be made or taken.

Dated this 16th day of August, 1881.

COLIN MCK. GORDON,  
Registrar of the Supreme Court, Dunedin.

*Commissioner of Supreme Court appointed.*

NOTICE.—JOHN THOMAS GANNON, of Goulburn, in the Colony of New South Wales, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of the said colony, has been appointed, this day, by his Honor the Chief Justice, a Commissioner of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, in the said colony, under the second section of "The Commissioners of the Supreme Court Act, 1875," for the purpose of administering and taking all such oaths, affidavits, and affirmations as in the said section mentioned.

Dated this 16th day of August, 1881.

COLIN MCK. GORDON,  
Registrar of the Supreme Court, Dunedin.

**Crown Lands Notices.**

*Changing Purpose of a Portion of Reserve No. 1784 (in red), Canterbury.*

General Crown Lands Office,  
Wellington, 5th August, 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.

SCHEDULE.

Description and Purpose of Reserve.	Area of which the Purpose is intended to be Changed.	Intended Purpose.
Section No. 1784 (in red), 42 acres, in the Ashburton District, Provincial District of Canterbury. For Provincial Government purposes.	All that parcel of land in the Hinds Survey District, Provincial District of Canterbury, containing 1 acre, more or less. Bounded—North-westward by the Southern Railway Reserve, 500 links; North-eastward by Section No. 19393, 200 links; and South-eastward and South-westward by lines parallel to the north-western and north-eastern boundaries respectively: and numbered 2505 (in red) on the official map in the Survey Office, Christchurch.	For an extension of railway-station premises.

WM. ROLLESTON,  
Minister of Lands.

*Changing Purpose of a Reserve in Marlborough.*

General Crown Lands Office,  
Wellington, 17th August, 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.

SCHEDULE.

Description and Purpose of Reserve.	Area of which the Purpose is intended to be Changed.	Intended Purpose.
Section No. 31, 270 acres, being part 2 of Section No. 33, Omaka District, Provincial District of Marlborough. Granted to the Superintendent of Marlborough as a resting-place for stock.	All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Marlborough, containing by admeasurement 270 acres, more or less, situate in the District of Omaka, and being Section No. 31, and part 2 of Section No. 33, on the plan of the said district. Bounded towards the North, 3750 links, by Sections numbered respectively 32 and 30 on the said plan, and 1900 links by a public road 75 links wide; towards the East by the River Taylor; towards the South, 700 links and 3750 links, by a public road 75 links wide; and towards the West, 5500 links, by part 1 of Section No. 33 on the said plan.	For purposes of recreation.

WM. ROLLESTON,  
Minister of Lands.

*Sale of Land at New Plymouth.*

Principal Land Office,  
Patea, 3rd August, 1881.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned rural lands, situate in Block XII., Cape Survey District, and Blocks I. and V., Opunake Survey District, and described in the Schedule hereunder, will be

offered for sale by public auction, at the Land Office, New Plymouth, on Thursday, the 8th September next, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

C. A. WRAY,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

SCHEDULE.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
<b>CAPE, BLOCK XII.</b>					
2	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	26	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
3	12 2 0	3 10 0	27	111 0 0	2 0 0
4	12 0 0	3 10 0	29	112 0 0	2 0 0
5	13 0 0	3 0 0	30	155 0 0	2 5 0
6	10 0 0	3 10 0	33	122 0 0	2 10 0
7	5 0 0	3 10 0	37	108 0 0	2 10 0
8	5 0 0	3 10 0	38	160 0 0	2 0 0
9	5 0 0	3 10 0	40	95 0 0	2 5 0
10	5 0 0	3 10 0	41	128 0 0	2 10 0
12	17 2 0	3 0 0	43	184 0 0	2 10 0
13	25 0 0	3 0 0	44	115 0 0	2 10 0
14	15 0 0	3 0 0	46	114 0 0	2 10 0
15	23 0 0	3 0 0	47	310 0 0	2 0 0
16	20 0 0	3 0 0	49	207 0 0	2 5 0
18	20 0 0	3 0 0	50	150 0 0	2 10 0
20	20 0 0	3 0 0	52	155 0 0	2 10 0
22	24 3 30	3 0 0		79 0 0	3 0 0
<b>OPUNAKE, BLOCK I.</b>					
42	50 0 0	3 10 0	86	84 3 18	2 15 0
43	50 0 0	3 10 0	89	244 0 0	2 0 0
74	290 0 0	2 0 0	91	95 0 0	2 5 0
76	150 0 0	2 10 0	92	168 0 0	2 5 0
80	142 0 0	3 0 0	93	99 0 0	2 10 0
82	150 0 0	2 5 0	94	100 0 0	2 10 0
<b>OPUNAKE, BLOCK V.</b>					
2	128 0 0	1 10 0	7	148 0 0	2 5 0
3	99 3 1	2 0 0	8	138 0 0	2 10 0
4	164 2 16	2 0 0			

*Description of the Land.*—This land is situate on the sea-coast, south of Cape Egmont, twenty-five to thirty miles south of New Plymouth, and six to ten miles north of Opunake. A good metalled road, being part of the main coast-line from Hawera to New Plymouth, forms the eastern boundary of the block. There is regular coach communication along this line. The land is level and open, well watered, and fertile.

*Terms of Sale:* One-fourth of the purchase-money to be paid at the sale, and the balance to a Receiver of Land Revenue at Patea or New Plymouth, within one calendar month from date of sale, otherwise the deposit will be forfeited, and the contract for the sale of the land thenceforth be null and void. Crown-grant fee to be paid on completion of the purchase.

Land Transfer Act Notices.

**TRANSMISSION, No. 107.**—RICHARD FITCH, of Melbourne, Jeweller, claiming as Heir-at-law of ALLAN FITCH, late of the City of London, Draper, deceased, intestate, has applied to be registered as Proprietor of Section 32, Block XXIII., Town of Clyde, Register, Vol. xxviii., folio 240. Applicant will be registered accordingly, unless caveat be lodged in this office within one calendar month after the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 19th day of August, 1881, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

641 H. TURTON,  
District Land Registrar.

**TRANSMISSION, No. 104.**—ELIZABETH MACASSEY, of Dunedin, Widow, claiming as Trustee under the will of JAMES MACASSEY, late of Dunedin, Barrister-at-law, deceased, has applied to

be registered as Proprietress of part of Section 31, Block XXX., Dunedin, Register-book, Vol. xix., folio 239; also Section 54, Wakari District, Register, Vol. xli., folio 47; and also part of Section 11, Block I., Upper Kaikorai District, Register, Vol. xiii., folio 278. Applicant will be registered accordingly, unless caveat be lodged in this office within one calendar month after the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 17th day of August, 1881, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

640 H. TURTON,  
District Land Registrar.

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

4530. JOHN TUCKER FORD and CHARLES NEWTON.—73 acres, part of Rural Section 85, Christchurch District. Occupied by Applicants.

4570. ROBERT ALLAN.—50 acres, Rural Section 5267, Christchurch District; and 29 acres, part of Rural Sections 91, 256, and 2600, Christchurch District. Occupied by John Chapman.

4575. ROBERT HEATON RHODES.—2 acres, part of Rural Section 4274, Waitangi District. Occupied by James Poff.

4579. ROBERT MARSHALL CRESSWELL.—6 perches, part of Section 147, Christchurch City. Occupied by — Clark.

4580. WILLIAM MORRISON.—2 roods, part of Rural Section 6951, Oxford District. Occupied by George Morrison.

4581. THEOPHILUS SAMUEL MANNERING.—25 acres, part of Rural Section 10347, Wai-para District. Occupied by Edward Parkerson and William Parkerson.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 19th day of August, 1881, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

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

**TRANSMISSION, No. 454.**—Notice is hereby given that JANE KEDGE, wife of WALTER KEDGE, of Akaroa, claiming as Executrix of ELIZA BURBERRY, late Wife of JAMES CHARLES BURBERRY, of Christchurch, General Dealer, has applied to be registered as Proprietress of 10 acres of land, being part of Rural Section No. 1303, situated in the District of Banks Peninsula; and that she will be so registered, unless caveat forbidding the same be lodged within one month after the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 19th day of August, 1881, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

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

**TRANSMISSION, No. 453.**—Notice is hereby given that JOHN WRIGHT, of Akaroa, Labourer, claiming as Executor of ELIZA BURBERRY, late Wife of JAMES CHARLES BURBERRY, of Christchurch, General Dealer, has applied to have the said Eliza Burberry registered as Proprietress of 10 acres of land, being part of Rural Section No. 1303, situated in the District of Banks Peninsula; and that she will be so registered, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one month after the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 19th day of August, 1881, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same in each case on or before the 27th day of September next.

MARGARET GALLAGHER.—Allotments 3 and 4 of small lots near the Village of Otahuhu, containing 10 acres 2 roods 10 perches. In the occupation of G. Frost. 1732.

PATRICK AULD.—Lot 21 of Section 1, Parish of Takapuna, County of Eden, containing 27 acres 2 roods 38 perches. In Applicant's occupation. 1753.

HERBERT WILLIAM BRABANT.—Part of Allotment 112, in the Parish of Te Papa, Cook's County, containing 5 acres 2 roods 14 perches. In Applicant's occupation. 1758.

THOMAS WRIGLEY.—Allotment 86 of Section 1, Town of Tauranga, containing 16 perches. Unoccupied. 1759.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 20th day of August, 1881, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

THEO. KISSLING,  
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 within one calendar month from the date of the Gazette containing this notice.

THOMAS GORE SOLE, Applicant.—1 rood 1 perch, more or less, being Section No. 1508, Town of New Plymouth. Occupied by W. Doughty and E. Richards, as weekly tenants.

HECTOR ARCHIBALD McLEAN, Applicant.—2 roods 2 perches, more or less, comprising Sections 2038 and 2056, Town of New Plymouth. Also 1 rood 1 perch, more or less, being Section 1588 in the said town. Occupied by Applicant.

THOMAS JOHN DRAKE, Applicant.—152 acres 3 roods, more or less, comprising Rural Allotments 89, 90, and 91, Oakura District. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 23rd day of August, 1881, at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth.

EDWIN BAMFORD,  
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 within one month from the date of the gazetting of this notice.

JOHN REID MACKENZIE.—1 rood, being Section 15, Block LXIII., Town of Invercargill. Occupied by Mrs. McLaren. No. 996.

THE NEW ZEALAND AND AUSTRALIAN LAND COMPANY (LIMITED).—2,049 acres 3 roods 24 perches, more or less, being Block XLI, Mabel District. Occupied by John R. Blythe and the Applicants. No. 1688.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 12th day of August, 1881, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

F. G. MORGAN,  
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 on or before the 1st day of October, 1881.

940. HENRY BRANDT.—15 perches, part of Section 25, Hutt District. In occupation of Bank of New Zealand.

1169. THE BANK OF NEW ZEALAND.—Nine-tenths of a perch, more or less, part of Section 25, Hutt District. In occupation of said Bank.

1243. BENJAMIN WALKER.—Section 111, Town of Wanganui. In occupation of Mrs. M. F. Jones and H. L. Nicholas.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 25th day of August, 1881, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

GEO. B. DAVY,  
District Land Registrar.

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### Mining Notices.

WEST-COAST GOLD-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

#### NOTICE.—IN LIQUIDATION.

IN accordance with clause 109, subsection 10, of "The Joint-Stock Companies Act, 1860," I hereby give notice that a General Meeting of Shareholders of the West Coast Gold-Mining Company (Limited) will be held at the Liquidator's Office, Grahamstown, on Monday, the 12th September, 1881, at half-past 7 o'clock p.m.

Business: To confirm the minutes of extraordinary meeting of Shareholders, held on the 9th August, 1881; to receive Auditor's report; and to pass a resolution that the affairs of the Company have been fairly wound up.

R. McDONALD SCOTT,  
Liquidator.

Grahamstown, 10th August, 1881.

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BLACKMORE GOLD-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

To the Registrar of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, Northern District.

SIR,—In accordance with the provisions of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872," notice is hereby given, under the common seal of the Blackmore Gold-Mining Company (Limited), and signed by two of the Directors of the said Company, that the situation of the Registered Office of the said Company is at the office of Dennis Gilmore MacDonnell, in the New Zealand Insurance Company's Buildings, at Queen Street, in the City of Auckland, in the Provincial District of Auckland; and that DENNIS GILMORE MACDONNELL, of Auckland, is the Manager of the said Company.

Dated this 13th day of August, 1881.

R. C. GREENWOOD, }  
THOMAS MORRIN, } Directors.

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HOME RULE GOLD-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

To the Registrar of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, Northern District.

SIR,—According to the provisions of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872," notice is hereby given, under the common seal of the Home Rule Gold-Mining Company (Limited), and signed by two of the Directors of the said Company, that the situation of the Registered Office of the said Company is at the office of Dennis Gilmore MacDonnell, in the New Zealand Insurance Company's Buildings, at Queen Street, in the City of Auckland, in the Provincial District of Auckland; and that DENNIS GILMORE MACDONNELL, of Auckland, is the Manager of the said Company.

Dated this 13th day of August, 1881.

R. C. GREENWOOD, }  
THOS. FOLEY, } Directors.

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I, the undersigned, hereby make application to register the Eureka Gold-Mining Company as a Limited Company under the provisions of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872."

1. The name of the Company is to be the Eureka Gold-Mining Company (Limited).
2. The place of operations is at the Tiki, Coromandel, in the Provincial District of Auckland, in the Colony of New Zealand.
3. The registered office of the Company will be situated at the New Zealand Insurance Company's Buildings, Auckland, in the Provincial District of Auckland, and Colony of New Zealand.
4. The nominal capital of the Company is twelve thousand pounds sterling, in twelve thousand shares of one pound sterling each.
5. The number of shares subscribed for is eight thousand three hundred and fifty, being more than two-thirds of the entire number of shares in the Company.
6. The number of shares paid up is nil.
7. The amount already paid up is nil.
8. The name of the Manager is Dennis Gilmore McDonnell.
9. The names, addresses, and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follow:—

	No. of Shares.
Joseph D. Johnston, Auckland, Farmer ... ..	1,500
James Johnston, Auckland, Farmer ... ..	500
Thomas John Moore, Auckland, Settler ... ..	600
Dennis Gilmore MacDonnell, Auckland, Legal Manager	500
George Stanton, Auckland, Storeman ... ..	250
John Long, Tiki, Miner ... ..	1,000
William Gibbons, Tiki, Miner ... ..	1,250
Timothy Doyle, Tiki, Miner ... ..	1,125
Edward Thomas, Tiki, Mine Manager ... ..	500
Thomas Sincock, Tiki, Miner ... ..	500
John McMahan, Coromandel, Settler ... ..	500
John Heenan, Coromandel, Miner ... ..	125
Dennis Gilmore MacDonnell, in trust for the Company, Auckland, Legal Manager ... ..	3,650
	12,000

Dated this 12th day of August, 1881.

D. G. MACDONNELL,  
Manager.

Witness to signature—P. Comiskey.

I, Dennis Gilmore MacDonnell, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

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

D. G. MACDONNELL.

Taken before me, this 12th day of August, 1881—  
P. Comiskey, J.P. 635

I, the undersigned, hereby make application to register the Emerald Isle Gold-Mining Company (Limited) as a Limited Company under the provisions of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872."

1. The name of the Company is to be the Emerald Isle Gold-Mining Company (Limited).
2. The place of operations is at the Tiki, Coromandel Gold Field.
3. The registered office of the Company will be situated at Auckland.
4. The nominal capital of the Company is twelve thousand six hundred pounds, in twelve thousand six hundred shares of one pound each.
5. The number of shares subscribed for is twelve thousand six hundred, being the entire number of shares in the Company.
6. The number of paid-up shares is four hundred and fifty, allotted to Mrs. Macintosh, as agreed.
7. The amount already paid up is four hundred and fifty pounds.
8. The name of the Manager is Francis Angus White.
9. The names, addresses, and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follow:—

	No. of Shares.
James Nash, Coromandel, Miner ... ..	3,150
Donald Henderson Macpherson, Mercury Bay, Butcher	1,800
Michael Dervan, Auckland, Hotelkeeper ... ..	900
John Kirby, Coromandel, Miner ... ..	450
Michael Collins, Coromandel, Miner ... ..	900
Albert Edward Glover, Auckland, Agent ... ..	1,350
Joshua Jackson, Auckland, Agent ... ..	1,350
John Plunket Stodart, Auckland, Mining Agent ... ..	450
Robert Jukes Glover, Coromandel, Hotelkeeper ... ..	900
Thomas John Moore, Auckland ... ..	450
Charles Gibbs, Coromandel ... ..	450
Edward Leydon, Auckland, Bricklayer ... ..	112
Thomas Holder, Auckland, Corn Merchant, &c. ... ..	112
Edward Wood, Auckland, Agent ... ..	226
	12,600

Dated this 10th day of August, 1881.

F. A. WHITE,  
Manager.

Witness to signature—Joseph Newman, J.P.

I, Francis Angus White, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

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

F. A. WHITE.

Taken before me, this 10th day of August, 1881—  
Joseph Newman, J.P. 649

I, the undersigned, hereby make application to register the Thrush Gold-Mining Company as a Limited Company under the provisions of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872."

1. The name of the Company is to be the Thrush Gold-Mining Company (Limited).
2. The place of operations is at the Tokatea Range, Coromandel.
3. The registered office of the Company will be situated at Coromandel.
4. The nominal capital of the Company is twelve thousand pounds, in twelve thousand shares of one pound each.
5. The number of shares subscribed for is twelve thousand, being the entire number of shares in the Company.
6. The number of paid-up shares is nil.
7. The amount already paid up is nil.
8. The name of the Manager is Peter Joseph Tierney.
9. The names, addresses, and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follow:—

	No. of Shares.
Edward Lister Green, of Coromandel, Mining Agent ...	1,500
Henry Thode, of Coromandel, Miner ... ..	1,000
Alfred Silk, of Coromandel, Stationer ... ..	1,000
John Barrett, of Coromandel, Hotelkeeper ... ..	1,000
Charles Mills, of Coromandel, Butcher ... ..	1,000
Charles McFarlane, of Coromandel, Miner ... ..	750
Peter Joseph Tierney, of Coromandel, Mining Agent ...	750
John McMahan, of Coromandel, Settler ... ..	750
Alexander Lindsay Wilson, of Coromandel, Miner ...	500
Patrick Barry, of Coromandel, Miner ... ..	500
William Horne, of Coromandel, Mining Agent ... ..	500
George Stevens, of Coromandel, Miner ... ..	500
James Thomas, of Coromandel, Mining Agent ... ..	500
Frederick Woollams, of Coromandel, Storekeeper ...	500
Edward Edwards, of Coromandel, Miner ... ..	250
Anne Doyle, of Coromandel, Hotelkeeper ... ..	250
Daniel Kavanagh, of Coromandel, Miner ... ..	250
Robert Jukes Glover, of Coromandel, Hotelkeeper ...	250
Charles Dunster, of Coromandel, Butcher ... ..	250

Dated this 8th day of August, 1881. 12,000

P. J. TIERNEY,  
Manager.

Witness to signature—Geo. Rayner, J.P.

I, Peter Joseph Tierney, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

1. I am the Manager of the said intended Company.

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

P. J. TIERNEY.

Taken before me, at Coromandel, this 10th day of August, 1881—Geo. Rayner, J.P. 637

I, the undersigned, hereby make application to register the Little Nell as a Limited Company under the provisions of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872."

1. The name of the Company is to be the Little Nell Gold-Mining Company (Limited).

2. The place of operations is at the Tiki, Coromandel.

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

4. The nominal capital of the Company is eight thousand five hundred pounds, in seventeen thousand shares of ten shillings each.

5. The number of shares subscribed for is fifteen thousand, being not less than two-thirds of the entire number of shares in the Company.

6. The number of paid-up shares is three hundred and fifty-five.

7. The amount already paid up is five hundred pounds.

8. The name of the Manager is Edward Lister Green.

9. The names, addresses, and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follow:—

	No. of Shares.
Henry Hughes, Coromandel, Miner	3,000
Samuel Lowrie, Coromandel, Miner	3,000
Robert Lowrie, Coromandel, Miner	3,000
John Goonan, Coromandel, Miner	3,000
George Graham, Coromandel, Miner	3,000
William J. Robertson, Coromandel, Baker	500
Eliza Macintosh, Auckland	500
Reserved	1,000
	17,000

Dated this 13th day of August, 1881.

EDWARD L. GREEN,  
Manager.

Witness to signature—P. J. Tierney, J.P.

I, Edward Lister Green, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

1. I am the Manager of the said intended Company.

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

EDWARD L. GREEN.

Taken before me, at Coromandel, this 13th day of August, 1881—P. J. Tierney, J.P. 636

### Private Advertisements.

#### DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership lately existing between the undersigned, at Gebbie's Valley, as Farmers, was, on the 17th day of June last, dissolved by mutual consent.

Dated this 19th day of August, 1881.

A. P. O'CALLAGHAN.

FRANCIS JOHN ASHLY.

Witness to the signature of Arthur Pyne O'Callaghan—R. McDowall, Clerk to Messrs. Harper and Co., Solicitors, Christchurch.

Witness to the signature of Francis John Ashly—Walter de Gez Reeves, Otaio, Farmer. 647

#### DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned MARTIN CONNOR and HENRY JOHN KIRTON, at Belmont, Hutt, as Poultry-farmers, under the style of "Connor and Kirton," is hereby dissolved by mutual consent, as from the day of the date hereof. All liabilities in connection with the said partnership will be discharged by the said Martin Connor, who will also receive all debts due to the said partnership, and will in future carry on the said business upon his own account.

Dated at Wellington, this 19th day of August, 1881.

HENRY JOHN KIRTON.  
MARTIN CONNOR.

Witness—J. J. Devine, Articled Clerk, Wellington. 648

#### THE WAKATIPU STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (LIMITED).

A MEETING of Shareholders in above Company will be held in the Town Hall, Queenstown, on Friday, the 9th day of September, 1881, at 2.30 p.m., to pass a resolution confirming the following resolution passed at a meeting of Shareholders of the said Company, held this day, at the Town Hall, viz.: "That the Wakatipu Steam Navigation Company (Limited) be wound up voluntarily, in compliance with 'The Joint-Stock Companies Act, 1860.'"

Dated at Queenstown, this 11th day of August, 1881.

T. S. DIXON,  
Manager.

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#### MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS REGISTRATION.

I, FRANCIS ELLIOT CORBET-SINGLETON, L.R.C.P. and S. Edin. (1874), hereby give notice that I have this day deposited my diplomas with the Registrar of the Christchurch District; and that I intend to apply to be registered under the New Zealand Medical Act in one month from date hereof.

F. E. CORBET-SINGLETON.

Christchurch, 16th August, 1881. 638

#### MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS REGISTRATION.

I, JOHN MORGAN LLOYD DAVIES, Member of the Royal College of Surgeons, and Licentiate of the Society of Apothecaries, London, Licentiate of the Royal College of Physicians and Licentiate of Midwifery, Edinburgh, residing in Port Chalmers, hereby give notice that I intend to apply, within thirty days from date hereof, to have my name registered as a Medical Practitioner under "The Medical Practitioners' Registration Act, 1869;" and that I have deposited a certificate of my diplomas, with a copy of this notice, in the office of the Registrar for the District of Dunedin, for public inspection, in terms of section 14 of said Act.

Dated at Dunedin, this 18th day of August, 1881.

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JOHN M. L. DAVIES.

#### IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND, WELLINGTON DISTRICT.

COLLINS v. SUTHERLAND.

I, PAUL ADOLPHUS FREDERICK BIRCH, Sheriff of the Hawke's Bay District, do hereby give notice that, under a writ of *feri facias*, duly issued out of the Supreme Court of New Zealand at Napier, at the suit of SAMUEL YEOMAN COLLINS, of Napier, Deputy-Commissioner of Land-tax, I have taken in

execution the fee-simple of JOHN SUTHERLAND, of Mohaka, in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, Sheepfarmer, in all those parcels of land being Town Sections numbered 381, 382, and 384 on the plan of the Township of Clyde, in the said Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, being the lands comprised in Crown grant, dated the twenty-seventh day of September, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, registered number 2783, with the appurtenances thereunto belonging. And I hereby also give notice that I intend to cause the said land to be sold at the auction-rooms of Mr. Edward Lyndon, Browning Street, Napier, on Tuesday, the 27th September, 1881, at two o'clock in the afternoon, unless the debt be sooner paid.

The Solicitor for the Execution Creditor is Mr. James Wren Carlile, of Emerson Street, Napier.

Dated this 12th day of August, 1881.

626 PAUL A. F. BIRCH,  
Sheriff of the Hawke's Bay District.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND.—  
WELLINGTON DISTRICT.

I, PAUL ADOLPHUS FREDERICK BIRCH, Sheriff of the District of Hawke's Bay, hereby give notice that, under a writ of *feri facias*, issued to me out of the Supreme Court of New Zealand at Napier, at the suit of HENRY CHARLES ROBJOHN, JAMES IRVINE, and ALEXANDER DAVIDSON, trading together as Merchants, under the style or firm of "Robjohns, Irvine, and Company," of Napier, Assignees in the estate of WILLIAM TEAT, of Gisborne, I have this day taken in execution the fee-simple of EZRA SMITH, of Gisborne, Settler, in all those parcels of land, being Town Sections numbered 298 and 299 on the plan of the Township of Gisborne, comprised respectively in certificates of title, Vol. iv., folios 9 and 16; and also in Lots numbered 7 and 8, subdivisions of Allotment numbered 80A on the plan of the Township of Gisborne, containing thirty perches and two-eighths of a perch, and comprised in certificate of title, Vol. vii., folio 32, with the appurtenances to the said parcel of land belonging. And I hereby also give notice that I intend to cause the said parcels of land to be sold at the auction-rooms of Messieurs Pitt and Bennett, in the Township of Gisborne, on Friday, the 23rd day of September, 1881, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, unless the debt be sooner paid.

The Solicitor for the Execution Creditors is Mr. Willoughby Brassey, of Gladstone Road, in the said Township of Gisborne.

Dated this 9th day of August, 1881.

625 PAUL A. F. BIRCH,  
Sheriff for the District of Hawke's Bay.

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