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Land taken for a Portion of the Foxton to New Plymouth Railway—Carlyle Branch.

(L.S.) ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by a Proclamation issued under the authority of sections one hundred and twenty-two, one hundred and twenty-three, and one hundred and twenty-four of "The Public Works Act, 1876," the middle line of a portion of the line of railway from Foxton to New Plymouth (Carlyle Branch), being one of the railways specified in "The Public Works Act, 1879," was defined: And whereas pursuant to the one hundred and twenty-fifth section of "The Public Works Act, 1876," the Minister for Public Works has caused to be made and, on the twenty-first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, to be deposited in the office of the Registrar of the Supreme Court at New Plymouth, in the Provincial District of Taranaki, such maps and plans as were necessary to explain the said portion of the aforesaid line of railway and the land through which the same passes, and such maps and plans were referred to in such Proclamation as aforesaid: And whereas "The Public Works Act, 1879," enacts that such of the railways mentioned therein as are unfinished may be completed under the provisions of "The Public Works Act, 1876," "The Public Works Act 1876 Amendment Act, 1878," and "The Public Works Act, 1879:" And whereas the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken for the said portion of the said line of railway:

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 5 acres, more or less, situate in Patea Township Extension, being Sections Nos. 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, and 115 respectively, commencing at Peg numbered LXXXIII. Bounded—South-easterly by Portland Quay, 2107, 122, and 130 links respectively; generally North-westerly by the Patea River to commencing point.

All that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 2 roods, more or less, being portion of Ferry Reserve, situate in Section No. 96, Whenuakura Block, commencing at Peg marked LXXIX. Bounded—Northerly by public road, 200 and 70 links respectively; Easterly, Southerly, and Westerly by creek and the Patea River to commencing point.

All that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 3 roods 28 perches, more or less, being portion of Ferry Reserve, situate in Section No. 96, Whenuakura Block, commencing at Peg marked LXXVII. Bounded—Easterly by public road, 777 links; Southerly by public road, 140 links; South-westerly by the Patea River, 250 links; North-westerly by Ferry Road to commencing point, 500 links.

All that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 2 roods 25 perches, more or less, being a portion of Ferry Road, commencing at Peg marked LXXIV. Bounded—North-westerly by Section No. 131, 729 links; North-easterly by public road, 262 links; South-easterly by Ferry Reserve, 500 links; South-westerly by the Patea River to commencing point.

All that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 5 acres 3 roods 19 perches, more or less, being portion of Section No. 131, Whenuakura District, commencing at Peg numbered LXXIV., on the Patea River. Bounded—South-easterly by Ferry Road, 500 links; generally Easterly and North-easterly by portion of said Section No. 131, 515, 928, 536, and 133 links respectively; North-easterly by

Section No. 51, Carlyle Suburban, 1549 links; generally South-westerly by part of Section No. 131 aforesaid 609 and 70 links, by the Patea River 1230 links, and by other portion of Section No. 131 aforesaid 103, 600, 482, 321, and 81 links respectively, and by the Patea River to commencing point 570 links.

All that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 12 acres 3 roods 32 perches, more or less, being portion of Section No. 51, Whenuakura District, commencing at Peg numbered LXV., on boundary of Section No. 51. Bounded—North-easterly by part of said Section No. 51, 3156 links; North-westerly by Section No. 131 aforesaid, 977 links; South-westerly by a line to commencing point, 2751 links.

All that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 1 acre 2 roods 20 perches, more or less, being portion of Section No. 131, Whenuakura District, commencing at Peg numbered LVIII., on boundary of Section No. 51 aforesaid 977 links north-east of south-west angle of said section. Bounded—North-easterly by a line, 407 links, to the Patea River; North-westerly by the Patea River, 203 links; South-westerly by part of said Section No. 131, 185 links; Westerly by part of said Section No. 131, 762 links, to the north-western boundary of Section No. 51 aforesaid; South-easterly by said Section No. 51 to commencing point, 739 links.

All that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 1 rood 34 perches, more or less, being part of Section No. 75, Carlyle Suburban, commencing at Peg numbered LV., on the north-west side of the Patea River. Bounded—North-easterly by part of said Section No. 75, 304 links; North-westerly by Section No. 7, Carlyle Suburban, 100 links; South-westerly by part of Section No. 75 aforesaid, 304 and 22 links respectively, to the Patea River; South-easterly by the Patea River to commencing point, 203 links.

All that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 3 acres 3 roods 16 perches, more or less, being part of Section No. 7, Carlyle Suburban, commencing at Peg numbered LIII., on the boundary between Sections Nos. 75 and 7 aforesaid. Bounded—Generally North-easterly and easterly by lines, 118, 312, 312, 2580, and 333 links respectively; Northerly by a road, 103 links; generally Westerly and South-westerly by lines, 483, 2380, 346, 346, and 118 links respectively; South-easterly by Section No. 75 to commencing point, 100 links.

All that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 1 acre 3 roods 33 perches, more or less, being part of Section No. 2, Carlyle Suburban, commencing at Peg numbered XLI., on the south-east boundary of said Section No. 2, 155 links east of the south-west corner of said section. Bounded—North-easterly by lines, 1784, 126, and 84 links respectively, to a creek; North-westerly by said creek, 210 links; generally South-westerly by lines, 126 and 1738 links respectively; South-easterly by a road to commencing point, 109 links.

All that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 5 acres, more or less, being portion of Section No. 76, Carlyle Suburban, commencing at a point on a creek near its junction with the Patea River, said creek being boundary between Sections No. 76 and 2. Bounded—Generally Easterly and North-easterly by lines, 244, 335, 331, 935, 623, 100, 1057, 559, and 190 links respectively; South-westerly and westerly by lines, 190, 570, 2361, 553, 430, and 294 links respectively; South-easterly by the aforesaid creek to commencing point, 210 links.

All that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 11 acres 2 roods, more or less, being part of Section No. 61, Carlyle Suburban, commencing at a point on the west side of a district

road 477 links from its junction with a cross road, and marked by Peg numbered XXI. Bounded—Generally Easterly, Northerly, and North-easterly by lines, 406, 944, 888, 276, 557, 75, and 1541 links respectively, and by Section No. 547, 692 links; North-westerly by Rural Allotment No. 502, Patea District, 25 links; generally South-westerly, Southerly, and Westerly by other part of said Section No. 61, 497, 175, 1700, 125, 557, 393, 705, 432, 343, 343, and 196 links respectively, to commencing point.

All that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 1 rood 28 perches, more or less, being part of Section No. 1, Carlyle Suburban, commencing at Peg numbered XXIX., on the north-western side of a district road. Bounded—South-easterly by said road, 1359 links; Northerly by a cross road, 61 links; North-westerly to commencing point by Section No. 1, 601 and 747 links respectively.

All that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 4 acres and 10 perches, more or less, being part of Section No. 547, in the Patea District, commencing at Peg numbered II., 261 links south-east of north-west corner of Section No. 61, Carlyle Suburban. Bounded—Generally North-easterly and Easterly by lines, 569, 580, 657, and 2021 links respectively; North-westerly by Section No. 504, Patea District, 309 links; Westerly and South-westerly by Section No. 547 aforesaid, 267, 1821, and 1225 links respectively; South-westerly to commencing point by Section No. 502, Patea District, and Section No. 61, Carlyle Suburban, 105 and 261 links respectively.

All that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 1 acre 2 roods 39 perches, more or less, being part of Section No. 504, Patea District, commencing at Peg numbered XIII., 544 links from the north-eastern corner of said section, on the common boundary between it and Section No. 547. Bounded—North-easterly by a line 998 links, and a public road 375 links; South-westerly by lines, 702, 563, and 300 links respectively; South-easterly to commencing point by Section No. 547, 331 links.

All that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 2 acres and 33 perches, more or less, being part of Section No. 488, Patea District, commencing on the north-east side of a public road at Peg numbered XVII. Bounded—North-easterly by part of Section No. 488 771 links, and by Section No. 566 532 links; South-westerly by other portion of Section No. 488 559 links, and public road aforesaid to commencing point 700 links.

All that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 1 rood 22 perches, more or less, being part of Section No. 566, Patea District, commencing at Peg numbered XX., 305 links from south-west corner of the said section. Bounded—North-easterly by said section, 423 links; North-westerly by Section No. 565, Patea District, 258 links; South-westerly by Section No. 488, Patea District, to commencing point, 305 links.

All that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 2 acres 3 roods 13 perches, more or less, being a part of Section No. 565, Patea District, commencing at a point 258 links from the south-west corner of Section No. 566, on the common boundary between it and Section No. 565, at Peg numbered XXIV. Bounded—Generally North-easterly by lines, 757, 348, 244, 767, and 278 links respectively; North-westerly by Section No. 475, Patea District, 106 links; generally South-westerly by lines, 235, 619, 277, 289, 289, and 704 links respectively; South-westerly to commencing point by Section No. 566, 139 links.

All that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 2 acres and 12 perches, more or less, situate in the Provincial District of Taranaki, being portion of Section No. 475, Patea District, com-

mencing at Peg numbered XXXV., at a point 1374 links from a district road, on the common boundary between said Section No. 475 and Section No. 565. Bounded—Generally North-easterly by lines, 252, 476, and 582 links respectively; North-westerly by the Kakaramea Township, 196 links; generally South-westerly by lines, 458, 487, and 344 links respectively; South-easterly to commencing point by Section No. 565, 161 links.

All that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 9 perches, more or less, being part of Section No. 58, in the Township of Kakaramea, commencing at Peg numbered XLI., at the south-east corner of Section No. 57, in the said township. Bounded—North-easterly by said Section No. 57, 147 links; South-westerly by other portion of Section No. 58, 168 links; South-easterly by Rural Section No. 475 to commencing point, 83 links.

All that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 1 rood, more or less, being Section No. 57, in the Kakaramea Township, commencing at Peg numbered XL., at the south-east corner of Jonas Street, where it is intersected by the north-western boundary of Rural Allotment No. 475. Bounded—North-easterly by said street, 224 links; North-westerly by Percy Street, 113 links; South-westerly by Town Section No. 58, 224 links; South-easterly to commencing point by Rural Allotment No. 475, 113 links.

All that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 7 perches, more or less, being part of Section No. 56, in the Township of Kakaramea, commencing at the south-west corner of the intersection of Jonas and Percy Streets, at Peg numbered XLVI. Bounded—North-easterly by Jonas Street, 108 links; South-westerly by other part of Section No. 56, 138 links; South-easterly to commencing point by Percy Street, 86 links.

All that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 1 rood, more or less, being Section No. 27, in the Kakaramea Township, commencing at Peg numbered XLIX., at the north-west corner of the intersection of Jonas and Percy Streets. Bounded—South-easterly by Percy Street, 200 links; North-easterly by Rural Allotment No. 475, 125 links; North-westerly by Town Section No. 26, 200 links; South-westerly to commencing point by Jonas Street, 125 links.

All that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 21 perches, more or less, being part of Section No. 26, Kakaramea Township, commencing at Peg numbered LIII., 40 links from Jonas Street, on the boundary between Sections Nos. 26 and 27. Bounded—South-easterly by Section No. 27, 159 links; North-easterly by Rural Allotment No. 475, 125 links; North-westerly by Town Section No. 25, 60 links; South-westerly to commencing point by other portion of Section No. 26, 160 links.

All that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 3 perches, more or less, being part of Section No. 25, Kakaramea Township, commencing at the north-west corner of Town Section No. 26. Bounded—North-easterly by Rural Allotment No. 475, 74 links; South-westerly by other portion of Section No. 25, 95 links; South-easterly to commencing point by Section No. 26, 60 links.

All that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 2 acres 2 roods 10 perches, more or less, being part of Rural Allotment No. 475 (education reserve), commencing at Peg numbered L., at the north-east corner of Section No. 27, Kakaramea Township. Bounded—North-easterly by lines, 765, and 1920 links respectively, to the Kakaramea Road; North-westerly by said road, 101 links; South-westerly by lines 1872 and 411 links respectively to the north-west corner of Town Section No. 25,

and by Town Sections Nos. 25, 26, and 27, 375 links, to commencing point.

All the above measurements being either more or less; the several parcels of land described being situate within the Provincial District of Taranaki, Colony of New Zealand, and are more particularly delineated upon the plan marked P.W.D. 8314, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington.

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

JOHN HALL,
Minister acting for the Minister for
Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land taken for Road in the Portobello Road District, Otago.

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

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken under "The Public Works Act, 1876," and "The Public Works Act 1876 Amendment Act, 1878," for a certain work, to wit, the construction of a road through Sections twenty-three, twenty-four, twenty-five, twenty-six, twenty-seven (z), twenty-seven, twenty-eight, seventy-eight, and two of nineteen, Block two, Peninsula District, Provincial District of Otago:

And whereas the Portobello Road Board has laid before the Governor the memorial and map mentioned in and signed and certified as required by the said Acts:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities in me vested by sections twenty-one, twenty-two, twenty-three, twenty-four, and twenty-five of "The Public Works Act, 1876," and by section twenty-eight of "The Public Works Act 1876 Amendment Act, 1878," and of any other power and authority enabling me in that behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a road; and that, from and after the eighth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, the land so described shall become absolutely vested in fee-simple in Her Majesty, discharged from all mortgages, charges, claims, estates, and interests of what kind soever, for use as a road.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area of land in the Provincial District of Otago, and Colony of New Zealand, containing by admeasurement 2 acres 2 roods 35 8 perches, being a road-line through Sections 23, 24, 25, 26, 27z, 27, 28, 78, and 2 of 19, Block II., Otago Peninsula District. Commencing at a point on the north-eastern bound-

dary of said Section 27 distant from the south-eastern corner of the same 71 links; and bounded thence generally on the North-east and East by part of said Sections 27, 27z, 26, 78, and said Sections 25, 24, and 23, 4521 links; thence on the North-east by a road-line, 94 links; thence generally on the West and South-west by said Sections 2 of 19, and other parts of said Sections 78, 26, 27z, 27, and 28, 4558 links; and finally on the East by a road-line, 89 links, to the commencing point: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less, and the same being more particularly delineated on the map attached to the memorial above referred to.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Honorable Arthur Hamilton Gordon, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Her Majesty's High Commissioner for the Western Pacific, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

JOHN HALL,
Minister acting for the Minister for
Public Works.

Approved in Council.

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

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Lincoln Road District, County of Selwyn, divided
into Five Subdivisions.*

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

WHEREAS by section nine of "The Canterbury Roads Ordinance, 1872," it is enacted that, at any time after the first ordinary annual election or general election, as the case may be, of the Board for any district, the Superintendent, if he shall have received a petition to that effect from the Board of the said district, or from one-fourth or more of the number of persons liable to be rated under the said ordinance in respect of rateable property in the said district, may, by Proclamation, within three months after the receipt of the same, divide the district into two or more separate subdivisions, by such names as shall by such Proclamation be assigned to the same, and in and by such Proclamation the boundaries of the subdivisions shall be set forth: Provided that no such division shall be made within three months before the day appointed for holding the annual election of members of the Board in or for such district: And whereas by virtue of "The Abolition of Provinces Act, 1875," the powers, duties, and functions by the said ordinance vested in the Superintendent are now vested in the Governor: And whereas on the seventeenth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, a petition from the Board of the Lincoln Road District was received by His Excellency the Governor praying that such district should be divided into five separate subdivisions described in the First Schedule hereto: And whereas all things have been done, performed, and happened to authorize the issue of this Proclamation:

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 in part recited Ordinance and Act,

do hereby divide the Lincoln Road District into five subdivisions, with the names and boundaries described in the First Schedule hereto.

And I do further proclaim and declare that the number of members to be elected for each of such subdivisions shall be one member for each subdivision, and do severally assign the members of the Road Board of the said district now in office to the said subdivisions in the manner set forth in the Second Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

WARD NO. 1.

BOUNDED towards the North-west by the Great South Road; towards the North-east by the Waterholes and Harwood and Hampton Roads; towards the South-east by Shand's Road; and towards the South-west by the Lincoln and Coal Tramway Road, and the Weedon and Springs Road.

WARD NO. 2.

Bounded towards the North-west by the Great South Road; towards the North-east by the old river-bed; towards the South-east by the Springs Road; and towards the South-west by the Harwood and Hampton Road, and by No. 1 Ward, before described.

WARD NO. 3.

Bounded towards the North-west by No. 1 Ward, before described; towards the North-east by No. 2 Ward before described, by Harwood and Hampton Road, and the Prebbleton and Lincoln Road, and Halswell Road by Ladbroke's; towards the South-east by the Ellesmere Road by Dawson's; and towards the South-west by the Ellesmere Junction Road, the Lincoln and Prebbleton Road, and the Lincoln and Coal Tramway Road.

WARD NO. 4.

Bounded towards the North-west by No. 2 Ward, before described; towards the North-east by the old river-bed and the River Halswell; towards the South and South-east by Leadley's Road and Bell's Road, and by Halswell Road by Ladbroke's to No. 3 Ward, before described; and towards the West by that ward.

WARD NO. 5.

Bounded towards the North by No. 4 Ward, before described, and by the River Halswell; towards the East by the said river; towards the South by the said river and the Ellesmere Junction Road; and towards the North-west by Nos. 3 and 4 Wards, before described.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

- No. 1 Ward, William Thompson.
- No. 2 Ward, John William Overton.
- No. 3 Ward, Patrick Henley.
- No. 4 Ward, James Maskrey.
- No. 5 Ward, Henry William Peryman.

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

THOMAS DICK.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land set apart on Deferred Payments in the West Coast (North Island) Land District.

(L.S.) ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

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

Now, therefore, I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the above-named Act, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is set apart for sale on deferred payments; and that Monday, the tenth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, shall be the day on which the said land shall be open for application at the Land Offices at Patea and Hawera, in allotments as surveyed and marked on the selection maps in those offices.

In pursuance of section four of "The Land Act 1877 Amendment Act, 1879," I do hereby declare that subsection four of the sixty-third section of "The Land Act, 1877," shall not apply to any of the lands described in the Schedule hereto.

And, further, in pursuance of the fifth section of "The Land Act 1877 Amendment Act, 1879," I do hereby fix the price at which the land so described shall be sold to be the price set opposite each allotment in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

District and Block.	Section.	Area.			Upset Price per Acre.	
		A.	R.	P.	£	s. d.
Kaupokonui, Block XII.	2	150	0	0	1	15 0
	6	200	0	0	1	10 0
	9	137	0	0	1	10 0
	13	100	0	0	2	0 0
	15	151	0	0	2	0 0
	17	100	0	0	2	0 0
	20	100	0	0	2	0 0
	21	99	0	8	2	0 0
	24	100	0	0	2	0 0
	27	100	0	0	2	0 0
	33	175	0	0	1	15 0
	36	100	0	0	1	10 0
	40	250	0	0	1	10 0
	43	150	0	0	1	10 0
	45	125	0	0	1	10 0
Ngaere, Block IX. ...	3	163	0	0	1	10 0
	6	150	0	0	1	15 0
	8	320	0	0	1	10 0
	12	153	0	0	2	0 0
	15	128	0	0	2	0 0
	18	100	0	0	2	0 0
	21	100	0	0	2	0 0
	26	140	0	0	1	10 0
	28	120	0	0	1	15 0
	34	112	0	0	1	10 0
	36	177	0	0	1	15 0
39	174	0	0	2	0 0	
41	200	0	0	1	10 0	

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

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

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

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of September, 1881.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council bearing date the fourth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, made and issued under the authority of "The Public Domains Act, 1860," "The Public Domains Act, 1865," and "The Public Reserves Act, 1877," certain powers were, in respect of certain lands referred to in a further Order in Council of the same date, made and issued under "The Public Reserves Act, 1877," aforesaid, delegated to George Harper, William Row Bridgman, Alfred Beetham, George Burgoyne Owen, his Worship the Mayor of Auckland, *ex officio*, the Chairman of the Mount Eden District Board, *ex officio*, and the Chairman of the Epsom District Board, *ex officio*:

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

GEORGE HARPER,
WILLIAM ROW BRIDGMAN,
GEORGE BURGOYNE OWEN,
THOMAS THOMPSON,
HIS WORSHIP the MAYOR of AUCKLAND, *ex officio*,
The CHAIRMAN of the MOUNT EDEN DISTRICT BOARD, *ex officio*, and
The CHAIRMAN of the EPSOM DISTRICT BOARD, *ex officio*

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

1. The Board shall meet for the transaction of business on the first Wednesday in each month, at eleven o'clock a.m., at the office of the Chairman, or at such other time or place as may from time to time be fixed by the Board. The first meeting shall be held on Wednesday, the fifth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

2. Special meetings may be convened by the Chairman, or by any two members of the Board, provided

that two days' notice of such meeting be given to each member, specifying the business to be transacted at such special meeting, and no other business than that so specified shall be transacted at such meeting.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of September, 1881.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land being Lots 285 and 286 of the Parish of Waimana, in Block II. of the Whakatane Survey District, Provincial District of Auckland, containing 40 acres 2 roods 18 perches. Bounded on the North by a road, 1430 links; on the East by a road, the western and southern boundary of Lot 263 of the said Parish of Waimana, the termination of a road 100 links wide, by a line, and again by a road, 3346 links; on the South by a road, 2617 links; and on the West by the eastern boundary of Lot 287 of the said Parish of Waimana, 2225 links.

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

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

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of September, 1881.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

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

GEORGE SIMPKINS, Sen.,
CONWAY MURPHY,
JOSEPH MERNIT,
ROBERT WILKIN,
JOHN MCALISTER, and
GEORGE SIMPKINS, Jun.

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

1. The Board shall meet for the transaction of business on the first Thursday in each month, at half-past seven o'clock p.m., at the office of the Whakatane Highway Board, or at such other time or place as may from time to time be fixed by the Board. The first meeting shall be held on Thursday, the sixth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Ormond Recreation-grounds brought under "The Public Domains Act, 1860."

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of September, 1881.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 20 acres 2 roods 26 perches, more or less, being Suburban Sections Nos. 11 and 12 of the Township of Ormond.

Also all that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 4 acres and 2 perches, more or less, being Town Section No. 68 of the Township of Ormond.

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

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

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of September, 1881.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony of New Zealand, doth, by this present order, delegate all the powers conferred by the Act first above mentioned, except the powers under or conferred by subsections five and ten of section five, and section eleven, to the under-mentioned

persons, who shall be known as the Ormond Domain Board:—

PETER BARRIE,
GEORGE SCOTT,
MICHAEL BOLAND,
ARTHUR KEMPTHORNE, and
ALEXANDER MCKENZIE

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

1. The Board shall meet for the transaction of business on the first Thursday in each month, at two o'clock p.m., at Ormond House, Ormond North, or at such other time or place as may from time to time be fixed by the Board. The first meeting shall be held on Thursday, the fifteenth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Waikouaiti Rabbit District, County of Waikouaiti, constituted.

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of September, 1881.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN exercise of the powers vested in him by "The Rabbit Nuisance Act, 1880," 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 constitute the district comprised within the County of Waikouaiti, as defined by "The Counties Act, 1876," a rabbit district under the said Rabbit Nuisance Act; and doth declare that the name of the said district shall be the Waikouaiti Rabbit District: And, in further exercise of the said powers, doth hereby appoint

ALFRED DILLON BELL

to be Returning Officer to conduct the first election of Trustees for the said district; and doth also appoint the office of the Waihemo Road Board to be the place, and Saturday, the first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, at noon, to be the time, for holding such first elections.

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

Appointing Trustees under Maori Real Estate Management Acts, 1867 and 1877.

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of September, 1881.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), it is enacted that, if any title to or interest in any hereditaments shall accrue to any Maoris, who or any of whom shall be infants, lunatics, or under legal disability, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, if he think fit, to order that such hereditaments, or any part thereof or interest therein, as shall to the Governor in Council be shown to belong to such infant, or lunatic, or other person under legal disability, shall be vested in trustees as the Governor in Council shall think fit:

And whereas by "The Maori Real Estate Management Act Amendment Act, 1877," it is provided that in all cases in which no trustee of such estate of any infant Maori prior to the passing of the said last-recited Act has been appointed, the Governor may appoint such trustee only on the recommendation of a Judge of the Native Land Court:

And whereas in pursuance of orders bearing dates as contained in the first column of the Schedule hereto, made by the Judges named in the second column thereof, the persons named, in the third column were recommended to the Governor as trustees under the said Acts on behalf of the persons named and under the disability described in the fourth column, in respect of the lands described or referred to in the fifth column:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the colony, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by the said Acts, doth hereby order that the interests and shares of the persons under disability named in the Schedule hereto in the several blocks of land referred to therein shall be and remain vested in the several persons named in the third column thereof as trustees within the meaning and for the purposes of the said Acts for the said persons respectively during the term or terms of their minority or other disability; the said parcels of land having the areas and boundaries set forth in the Crown grants, certificates of title, and memorials of ownership affecting the same, and in the record maps in the office of the Surveyor-General.

SCHEDULE.

Dates of Orders.	Judges by Whom Made.	Trustees hereby appointed.	Names, Sex, and Age of Persons under Disability.	Lands in respect of which Trustees are appointed.
1881. 3rd June ...	Theophilus Heale ...	Hare Parahako ...	Ruihau Mauwhata, 18 yrs. Harata Matekino, f.	Tawhiti, Tologa Bay, Poverty Bay, 4960 acres.
25th May ...	Theophilus Heale ...	Pita Rangihua ...	Mere Rangihua, f., 14 yrs. Nopera Rangihua, m., 9 yrs.	Tawhiti, Tologa Bay, Poverty Bay, 4,960 acres.
2nd July ...	Theophilus Heale ...	Wi Paraone ...	Makahaki, 13 yrs. ...	Rangatira, Poverty Bay, 5,385 acres.
2nd July ...	Theophilus Heale ...	Wi Mahuika ...	Wiremu Kihitu, m., 10 yrs.	Rangatira No. 1, Poverty Bay, 402 acres.
2nd July ...	Theophilus Heale ...	Te Otene te Waka ...	Tami Kihurangi, m., 12 yrs.	Hauomatuku No. 1, Poverty Bay, 335 acres.
2nd July ...	Theophilus Heale ...	Wi Mahuika ...	Kihitu Mahuika, 10 yrs....	Hauomatuku No. 1, Poverty Bay, 335 acres.
2nd July ...	Theophilus Heale ...	Wi Mahuika ...	Kihitu Mahuika, 10 yrs....	Hauomatuku No. 2, or Whata-teao, Poverty Bay, 200 acres.
2nd July ...	Theophilus Heale ...	Wi Mahuika ...	Kihitu Mahuika, 10 yrs....	Hauomatuku No. 4, or Taniwha, Poverty Bay, 127 acres.
2nd July ...	Theophilus Heale ...	Wi Mahuika ...	Kihitu Mahuika, 10 yrs....	Mangaoe, Poverty Bay, 4,800 acres.
2nd February	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Kate Gannon, h. c. ...	Gavin Ralston Wyllie, m., 19 yrs. Alexander Ralston Wyllie, m., 17 yrs. Nigal Ralston Wyllie, m., 12 yrs. James Wyllie, the younger, m., 14 yrs.	Tutoko, Poverty Bay, 64 acres.
26th January...	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Paki te Amaru ...	Tame Pahura, m., 16 yrs.	Waimata East, Poverty Bay, 10,320 acres.
26th January...	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Edward Harris, h. c., and Mihi Pahura	Hatawira Pahura, m., 13 yrs. Ripeka Pahura, f., 6 yrs. Katarina Pahura, f., 4 yrs. Ihimaera Pahura, 2 yrs. Hokimate Pahura, m., 7 mos.	Waimata East, Poverty Bay, 10,320 acres.
27th April ...	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Panapa Waihope and Riria Pakete	Wiremu Kaimoni, m., 10 yrs.	Puhatikotiko No. 7, Waikohu, Poverty Bay, 3,800 acres.
3rd May ...	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Karaitiana Ruru and Hana Kato	Pinirapa Pikihoru, 11 yrs. Ritini Pukewhinau Henare Ruru, m.	Puhatikotiko No. 7, Waikohu, Poverty Bay, 3,800 acres.
27th April ...	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Wi Mahuika ...	Kihitu Mahuika, 10 yrs....	Puhatikotiko No. 7, Waikohu, Poverty Bay, 3,800 acres.
27th April ...	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Wi Mahuika ...	Kihitu Mahuika, 10 yrs....	Puhatikotiko No. 5, Waikohu, Poverty Bay, 1,652 acres.
27th April ...	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Wi Mahuika ...	Kihitu Mahuika, 10 yrs....	Puhatikotiko No. 4, Waikohu, Poverty Bay, 326 acres.

SCHEDULE—continued.

Dates of Orders.	Judges by Whom Made.	Trustees hereby appointed.	Names, Sex, and Age of Persons under Disability.	Lands in respect of which Trustees are appointed.
1881.				
27th April ...	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Wi Mahuika ...	Kihitu Mahuika, 10 yrs....	Puhatikotiko No. 3, Waikohu, Poverty Bay, 942 acres.
27th April ...	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Wi Mahuika ...	Wiremu Kihitu, m. ...	Puhatikotiko No. 1, Waikohu, Poverty Bay, 657 acres 2 roods.
27th April ...	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Panapa Waihope and Riria Pakete	Wiremu Kaimoni, m., 10 yrs.	Puhatikotiko No. 1, Waikohu, Poverty Bay, 657 acres 2 roods.
27th April ...	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Panapa Waihope and Riria Pakete	Wiremu Kaimoni, m., 10 yrs.	Puhatikotiko No. 3, Waikohu, Poverty Bay, 942 acres.
27th April ...	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Panapa Waihope and Riria Pakete	Wiremu Kaimoni, m., 10 yrs.	Puhatikotiko No. 5, Waikohu, Poverty Bay, 1,652 acres.
23rd February	Laughlin O'Brien ...	Mereana Paraone ...	Omiria Ropiha, 14 mos. ...	Puhatikotiko No. 3, Waikohu, Poverty Bay, 942 acres.
23rd February	Laughlin O'Brien ...	Mereana Paraone ...	Heni Horowaitai Ruru, f., 8 mos.	Puhatikotiko No. 1, Waikohu, Poverty Bay, 657 acres 2 roods.
25th January...	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Mihi te Rina te Ua ...	Emere Karauria, f., 16 yrs. Hami Karauria, m., 14 yrs. Mutu Karauria, m., 12 yrs. Harawira Karauria, m., 6 yrs. Miriamia Karauria, f., 5 yrs. Harieta Karauria, f., 3 yrs.	Puhatikotiko No. 1, Waikohu, Poverty Bay, 657 acres 2 roods.
27th April ...	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Perehi Tutekahi ...	Hirini Tutaha, a deaf mute.	Whatatutu, Poverty Bay, 1,106 acres.
27th April ...	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Perehi Tutekahi ...	Hirini Tutaha, a deaf mute	Whatatutu No. 2, Poverty Bay, 241 acres.
27th April ...	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Perehi Tutekahi ...	Hirini Tutaha, a deaf mute	Ahirau, Poverty Bay, 1,972 acres.
27th April ...	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Riria Pakete ...	Wiremu Waihope, m., 10 yrs.	Mirimiri, Poverty Bay, 84 acres.
25th February	Laughlin O'Brien ...	Heperini ...	Te Hira Rangitawhiao, 1 yr.	Whareongaonga, Poverty Bay, 3,100 acres.
25th February	Laughlin O'Brien ...	Wi Pere and Paora Kingi	Winiata te Ata, 10 yrs. ...	Hangaroa Matawai, Poverty Bay, 8,750 acres.
26th January...	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Rawiri te Eke and Hirini Rakaihau	Harata Tuari, f., 15 yrs....	Hangaroa Matawai, Poverty Bay, 8,750 acres.
29th January...	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Hariata Waea and Hemi Tutapu	Ripeka Matehira, f., 16 yrs. Karenia Tutapu, 13 yrs. Mere Tutapu, f., 11 yrs. Hariata Kaiora, f., 9 yrs. Henare Tutapu, m., 7 yrs. Hera Tutapu, f., 5 yrs. Karauria Tahataha, m., 4 yrs. Ahenata te Ao, 2 yrs. Nikorima Rongomairatau, m., 16 mos.	Waiohiorore No. 2, Waikanae, Poverty Bay, 10 acres.
29th January...	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Paki te Amaru ...	Tame Pahura, m., 16 yrs.	Manukawhikitiki, Poverty Bay, 1,136 acres.
29th January...	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Edward Harris, h. c., and Mihi Pahura	Hatawira Pahura, m., 13 yrs. Ripeka Pahura, f., 6 yrs. Katarina Pahura, f., 4 yrs. Ihimaera Pahura, 2 yrs. Hokimate Pahura, m., 7 mos.	Manukawhikitiki, Poverty Bay, 1,136 acres.
29th January...	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Hariata Waea and Hemi Tutapu	Ripeka Matchire, f., 16 yrs. Karenia Tutapu, 13 yrs. Mere Tutapu, f., 11 yrs. Hariata Kaiora, f., 9 yrs. Henare Tutapu, m., 7 yrs. Hera Tutapu, f., 5 yrs. Karauria Tahataha, m., 4 yrs. Ahenata te Ao, 2 yrs. Nikorima Rongomairatau, m., 16 mos.	Aohuna, Te Arai, Poverty Bay, 56 acres 2 roods 19 perches.
29th January...	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Hariata Waea and Hemi Tutapu	Ripeka Matchire, f., 16 yrs. Karenia Tutapu, 13 yrs. Mere Tutapu, f., 11 yrs. Hariata Kaiora, f., 9 yrs. Henare Tutapu, m., 7 yrs. Hera Tutapu, f., 5 yrs. Karauria Tahataha, m., 4 yrs. Ahenata te Ao, 2 yrs. Nikorima Rongomairatau, m., 16 mos.	Whakaongaonga No. 1, or Powhirikahawai No. 2, Poverty Bay, 909 acres.
25th January...	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Wi Pere ...	Ada Cuff, h. c., f., 6 yrs....	Manutuke, Poverty Bay, 19 acres and 22 perches.
25th January...	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Riperata Kahutia ...	Mikaere Parekeiha, m., 11 yrs.	Kaiti, Poverty Bay, 4,350 acres.
25th January...	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Wi Pere ...	Ada Cuff, h. c., f., 6 yrs....	Kaiti, Poverty Bay, 4,350 acres.
25th January...	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Riperata Kahutia ...	Parekeiha, 10 yrs. ... Turanga, 4 yrs.	Kaiti, Poverty Bay, 4,350 acres.

SCHEDULE—continued.

Dates of Orders.	Judges by Whom Made.	Trustees hereby appointed.	Names, Sex, and Age of Persons under Disability.	Lands in respect of which Trustees are appointed.
1881. 25th January...	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Edward Harris, h. c., and Mihi Pahura	Hatawira Pahura, m., 13 yrs. Ripeka Pahura, f., 6 yrs. Kataraina Pahura, f., 4 yrs. Ihimaera Pahura, 2 yrs. Hokimate Pahura, m., 7 mos.	Kaiti, Poverty Bay, 4,350 acres.
25th January...	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Paki te Amaru ...	Tame Pahura, m., 16 yrs.	Kaiti, Poverty Bay, 4,350 acres.
25th January...	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Edward Harris, h. c., and Rūtene te Eke	Harata te Eke, f., 16 yrs.	Kaiti, Poverty Bay, 4,350 acres.
29th January...	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Wi Pere and Peka Kerekere	Paku Hokopu, 13 yrs. ...	Okahuatū No. 2, or Aroha, Poverty Bay, 36,616 acres.
25th February	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Paora Kingi and Henare Waingaruru	Winiata Kingi, m., 10 yrs.	Tangihanga, Poverty Bay, 11,610 acres.
27th April ...	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Perehi Tutekahi ...	Hirini Tutaha, a deaf mute	Waimata West No. 2, Poverty Bay, 480 acres.
26th January...	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Paki te Amaru ...	Tame Pahura, m., 16 yrs.	Waimata West No. 1, Poverty Bay, 1,569 acres.
26th January...	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Edward Harris, h. c., and Mihi Pahura	Hatawira Pahura, m., 13 yrs. Ripeka Pahura, f., 6 yrs. Kataraina Pahura, f., 4 yrs. Ihimaera Pahura, 2 yrs. Hokimate Pahura, m., 7 mos.	Waimata West No. 1, Poverty Bay, 1,569 acres.
31st January...	Theophilus Heale and Laughlin O'Brien	Hirini te Kani and Pera te Awahaku	Tamai Ihikitiaterangi, 8 yrs.	Oweta, Poverty Bay, 153 acres and 2 perches.

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

Vesting a Reserve in Manawatu County Council.

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of September, 1881.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto was reserved for ferry purposes: And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to vest the said land in the Chairman, Councillors, and inhabitants of the County of Manawatu:

Now, therefore, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, and in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the sixth section of "The Public Reserves Act Amendment Act, 1878," doth hereby declare that, from and after the day of the date hereof, the said reserve shall become vested in the said Chairman, Councillors, and inhabitants of the County of Manawatu, in trust for ferry purposes.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Wellington, containing by admeasurement 44 acres, being Section No. 269 on the plan of the Township of Foxton. Bounded towards the North by unsurveyed land; towards the South-east by a road-line; and towards the South-west and North-west by unsurveyed land: as the same is delineated on the map deposited in the office of the Chief Surveyor, Wellington.

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

Land temporarily reserved in the Land Districts of Auckland, Nelson, and 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 Districts of Auckland, Nelson, and Canterbury, described in the Schedule hereunder written, for the purposes in the said Schedule specified.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND.

ALL that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 15 acres 2 roods, more or less, and being called or known as the north-west portion of Lot No. 92 of Block VII., Patutahi Survey District. Bounded towards the North-east by Lot No. 92, 1250 links; towards the South-east by the aforesaid Lot No. 92, 1250 links; towards the South-west by a road, 1250 links; and towards the North-west by a road, 1250 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. For a school-site.

NELSON.

All that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 5 acres, be the same more or less, situated in the Land District of Nelson, being part of Section No. 43, Block VIII., Kawatiri Survey District, and bounded as follows: On the North-

ward by Section No. 26, Block IV., Kawatiri District, 1577.6 links; on the Eastward by other part of Section No. 43, Block VIII., 611.6 links; and on the South-westward by a public road, 895.2 and 795.3 links. For a school-site.

All that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 8 acres 2 roods 14 perches, be the same more or less, situated in the Land District of Nelson, being Section No. 19, Block II., Kawatiri Survey District, and bounded as follows: On the North-westward by a public road, 580 links; on the North-eastward by a public road, 1145 links; on the South-eastward by Crown land, 1137 links; and on the South-westward by a public road, 1000 links. For a school-site.

All that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 10 acres, be the same more or less, situated in the Land District of Nelson, being Sections Nos. 17 and 18, Block II., Kawatiri Survey District, and bounded as follows: On the North-westward by a public road, 1000 links; on the North-eastward by a public road, 1000 links; on the South-eastward by Crown land, 1000 links; and on the South-westward by Section No. 16, Block II., Kawatiri District, 1000 links. For a cemetery.

CANTERBURY.

All that parcel of land at Sumner, Provincial District of Canterbury, containing 2 roods, more or less, known as the Cave Rock; and numbered 2507 (in red) on the official map in the Survey Office, Christchurch. As a site for a signal-station.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this thirty-first 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.

Exchange of Land in the Provincial District of Canterbury.

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 Reserves Intended to be Exchanged.	Description of Land to be Obtained in Exchange therefor.
Section No. 1745 (in red), 106 acres in the Upper Christchurch District, Provincial District of Canterbury, for Provincial Government purposes, of which it is proposed to exchange two parcels or portions containing together 88 acres and 33 perches, more or less, viz. :— 60 acres 22 perches, more or less. Bounded—North-eastward by the Coal Tramway Reserve; South-westward by Section No. 25011, 4782.2 links; North-westward by the Racecourse Hill and Bleak House Road; and South-eastward by a line at right angles to the south-western boundary: excepting thereout Reserve No. 1539 (in red). And 28 acres and 11 perches, more or less. Bounded—North-eastward by the Coal Tramway Reserve; South-westward by Section No. 26234, 2304.8 links; Eastward by Section No. 21944; and North-westward by a line at right angles to the south-western boundary. Also Section No. 1751 (in red), 315 acres, in the district aforesaid, for Provincial Government purposes, of which it is proposed to exchange 94 acres 2 roods 16 perches, more or less. Bounded—South-westward by the Rolleston and Sheffield Railway Reserve; North-eastward by Section No. 26674; North-westward by Section No. 18815; and South-eastward by the Homebush Road.	All those three several parcels of land in the Hawkin's Survey District, Provincial District of Canterbury, containing together 182 acres 3 roods 9 perches, more or less. Bounded respectively as follows :— 123 acres 2 roods 9 perches, more or less, being portions of Sections Nos. 26110 and 26674. Bounded—Eastward by the road forming the eastern boundary of those sections; Westward by a line parallel to and 1041 links distant therefrom, and by Reserve No. 1538 (in red); Southward by the southern boundary of Section No. 26674; and Northward by the northern boundary of Section No. 26610, and by Reserve No. 1538 (in red). 33 acres and 15 perches, more or less, being part of Section No. 26234. Bounded—North-eastward and South-westward by the north-eastern and southern boundaries of that section; South-eastward by a line at right-angles to the north-eastern boundary drawn from a point thereon distant 2304.8 links from the western boundary-line of Section No. 21944; and North-westward by a line parallel to the south-eastern boundary, and 1050 links distant therefrom. 26 acres and 25 perches, more or less, being part of Section No. 30632. Bounded—South-westward by the south-western boundary-line of that section; South-eastward by Reserve No. 1746 (in red); North-westward by Reserve No. 1748 (in red); and North-eastward by a line connecting the northern boundary of Reserve No. 1746 (in red) with the northern boundary of Reserve No. 1748 (in red).

As witness the hand of His Excellency the

Governor, this thirty-first day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Lands.

Fixing Sittings at Patea of the District Court of Wanganui.

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

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

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

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

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

THOMAS DICK.

Amended Regulations respecting Mineral Leases under "The Mines Act, 1877."

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

WHEREAS by the fifty-first section of "The Mines Act, 1877" (herein referred to as "the said Act"), 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 thereinafter enumerated: And whereas by the fifty-third section of the said Act it is enacted that the rules and regulations contained in the Appendices to the said Act shall be deemed to be the first rules and regulations made under the fifty-first and fifty-second sections of the said Act: And whereas it is expedient that Regulation number twenty-seven respecting the area of mineral leases, and Regulation number twenty-eight respecting the consideration under which such leases are granted, under Appendix A to the said Act, should be amended, in order that these regulations may be reconciled to the provisions of sections forty-one and fifty-one of the said Act:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby order that the regulations referred to above shall be amended as hereinafter mentioned—that is to say, Regulations twenty-seven and twenty-eight respecting mineral leases under Appendix A of the said Act are hereby revoked, and the following substituted in lieu thereof:—

27. The extent of the areas of leases shall be (except in special cases hereinafter provided for)—

For coal leases, an area not less than ten acres nor more than three hundred and twenty acres.

For all other leases under these regulations, an area not less than one acre nor more than two hundred acres.

28. The rents reserved shall be as follow:—

For coal leases, an acreage annual rent, payable in advance, of not less than sixpence nor more than five shillings, or a royalty on every ton raised not exceeding one shilling.

For mineral leases other than coal, an acreage annual rent, payable in advance, of one shilling, or, by way of royalty, a sum not less than one-hundredth and not more than one-fiftieth of the mineral raised, to be payable as in the leases shall be expressed, and to be estimated on the value of the mineral or metal at the mouth of the mine.

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

WM. ROLLESTON.

Registrar of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 31st August, 1881.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM ALFRED BARTON, Esq.,

to be the Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths, and also Vaccination Inspector, for the District of Grey.

THOMAS DICK.

Registrar of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 2nd September, 1881.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES McENNIS, Esq.,

to be the Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths, and also Vaccination Inspector, for the District of Kumara.

THOMAS DICK.

Health Officer, Bluff, appointed.

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

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

GEORGE THOMSON, Esq.,

Harbourmaster, to be a Health Officer for the Port of Bluff, under section 105 of "The Public Health Act, 1876."

THOMAS DICK.

Registrar of Electors, Grey Valley, appointed.

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

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM ALFRED BARTON, Esq.,

to be Registrar of Electors, under "The Registration of Electors Act, 1879," for the Electoral District of Grey Valley, *vice* E. F. D. Elmer, Esq., resigned. Appointment to date from the 1st September, 1881.

THOMAS DICK.

District Judge appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 2nd September, 1881.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

CHARLES EDWARD RAWSON, Esq.,

to be District Judge for the District of Taranaki, *vice* E. Hardcastle, Esq., resigned.

THOMAS DICK.

Crown Prosecutor appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 2nd September, 1881.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN BARLEYMAN, Esq.,

to be Crown Prosecutor at Patea of the District Court of Wanganni.

THOMAS DICK.

Clerk of District Court appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 2nd September, 1881.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM LUPTON DEAN, Esq.,

to be Clerk at Patea of the District Court of Wanganni.

THOMAS DICK.

Member of Licensing Court appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 3rd September, 1881.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM CALVERLEY RILEY, Esq.,

to be a Member of the Licensing Courts for the Districts of Aorere and Town of Collingwood, *vice* J. D. Brace, Esq.

THOMAS DICK.

Members of Kakanui Harbour Board appointed.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 6th September, 1881.

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

ROBERT BLAIR,
FRANCIS BROMLEY,
LEWIS GEORGE FENWICK,
MATHEW MORTON,
ROBERT MORTON,
ALEXANDER THOMSON, and
WILLIAM HENRY TESCHEMAKER

to be Members of the Kakanui Harbour Board.

H. A. ATKINSON.

Appointment of Volunteer Officers.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 6th September, 1881.

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

Wellington City Rifle Volunteers.

George William Cole to be Honorary Assistant-Surgeon. Date of commission, 29th August, 1881.

Dunedin Naval Volunteers.

Michael Dominick Murphy to be Honorary Surgeon. Date of commission, 15th August, 1881.

WM. ROLLESTON.

Volunteer Corps disbanded.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 6th September, 1881.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to disband

The Renwickton (Marlborough) Rifle Volunteers, at their own request.

The under-mentioned gentlemen therefore cease to be officers in the Volunteer Force, their commissions having lapsed under "The Volunteer Act, 1865:"—

Hugh Gee, late Lieutenant.

Roderick McIvor, late Sub-Lieutenant.

WM. ROLLESTON.

Letters of Naturalisation issued.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 3rd September, 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.
Benjamin Silberman ...	Settler ...	Sherwood, Makaretu.
Peter Olaus Petersen ...	Farmer ...	Mahurangi.
William Hinsch ...	Labourer ...	Wellington.
Theodore Simon ...	Storekeeper ...	Ross.
Peter Petersen Bundesen ...	Miner ...	Ross.

THOMAS DICK.

Commissioners of Foxton Local Board, County of Manawatu, elected.

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

NOTICE has been received at this office, under the hand of the Returning Officer, that, on the 2nd instant,

ERNEST STEPHEN THYNNE,
JAMES COLEY,
JAMES FUTTER,
JOHN PURCELL, and
ALEXANDER GRAY

were duly elected Commissioners of the Foxton Local Board.

G. S. COOPER,
Under-Secretary.

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.

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.

Notifying that Application has been made to the Native Land Court to determine the Interests of Her Majesty in certain Native Lands.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of the provisions of "The Native Land Act Amendment Act, 1877," I have caused application to be made to the Native Land Court to ascertain and determine what interest has been acquired by or on behalf of Her Majesty in the several blocks of land specified in the Schedule hereto, and that such applications will be heard at the several times appointed or to be appointed by the Native Land Court for the investigation of the same, as set forth in the said Schedule: And, further, that all land which, on any investigation, is declared by any order of the said

Court to be the property of Her Majesty, will, from the date of such order, be deemed to be absolutely vested in Her Majesty, her heirs and successors, for such estate or interest (if any) as in the said order is declared; and any land in respect of which any such application as aforesaid is heard and determined, and which is not declared by any such order to be the property of or to have been acquired by or on behalf of Her Majesty, will, from the date of such order, cease to be affected by any notification published under the provisions of "The Government Native Land Purchases Act, 1877," which notification in respect of such land will cease and be void, and the said land will be open for sale to the public, as far as authorized by Acts of the General Assembly relating to Native lands.

SCHEDULE.

Name of Block.	Area.	Place at which Court will sit.	Time of Hearing.
Moe hau No 3G ...	562	Coromandel ...	At next sitting of Court.
Kuaotunu No. 1A ...	1,361	" "	
Waiharakeke East ...	8,470	Ohinemuri ...	
Waihou West No. 2 ...	279	" "	
" " 4 ...	275	" "	
Te Tautiti No. 2 ...	450	" "	
Ngatitairuru ...	20,900	" "	
Ohinemuri No. 1	3,600	" "	
" 2	3,705	" "	
" 3	3,705	" "	
" 4	7,550	" "	
" 5	2,000	" "	
" 6	200	" "	
" 7	1,123	" "	
" 8	8,855	" "	
" 9	500	" "	
" 10	408	" "	
" 11	240	" "	
" 12	200	" "	
" 13	200	" "	
" 14	50	" "	
" 15	10	" "	
" 16	812	" "	
" 17	35,123	" "	
" 18	2,700	" "	
" 19	125	" "	
Owharoa No. 2	2,031	" "	
" 3	294	" "	
Te Ahuroa ...	400	" "	
Te Ipu o Moe hau ...	1,850	Thames	
Rapaatikiato No. 1 ...	37	" "	
Te Ruahine No. 2 ...	44	" "	
Ranguiru ...	12,255	Maketu	
Lot 28, Parish of Matata	1,160	" "	
Lot 30, Parish of Matata	3,834	" "	
Heruiwi ...	25,000	Opotiki	
Tahunaroa ...	21,736	" "	
Waitahanui ...	26,616	" "	
Kaikokopu ...	16,676	" "	
Waitaha No. 1 ...	4,947	" "	
Pukahunui ...	43,050	" "	
Hihioroa ...	3,637	Gisborne	
Mangatu ...	167,000	" "	
Poututu ...	12,771	" "	
Tatarahake ...	21	" "	
Pua te Roku ...	1,942	" "	
Puketua ho ...	365	" "	
Tatarakirau ...	1,130	" "	
Matatuotonga ...	1,385	" "	
Ngatawakawaka ...	1,657	" "	
Puremungahua ...	2,800	" "	
Waingaromia No. 3 ...	5,762	" "	
Pirauau ...	3,833	" "	
Maungawaru ...	15,000	" "	
Umuhaku ...	3,000	" "	
Puketauhini ...	30,000	Waiomatatini	
Ahomatariki ...	3,000	" "	
Mangaokura ...	2,800	" "	
Taitai ...	2,150	" "	
Pukeamaru ...	9,483	" "	
Tututohoro ...	5,000	" "	
Mangaotawhito No. 1	988	" "	
" 2	148	" "	
" 3	58	" "	

SCHEDULE—continued.

Name of Block.	Area.	Place at which Court will sit.	Time of Hearing.
Tarumouku ...	214	Wanganui ...	At next sitting of Court.
Ohakune ...	750	" "	
Atuahae ...	4,650	" "	
Otaupari ...	540	" "	
Pouatawenga ...	3,500	" "	
Aratawa ...	4,207	" "	
Puketotara ...	22,524	" "	
Opatu ...	6,357	" "	
Te Parapara ...	915	" "	
Otaranoho ...	1,361	" "	
Ngahuinga ...	11,640	" "	
Rangataua ...	24,565	" "	
Maungakaretu ...	63,000	" "	
Mangapukatea ...	3,495	" "	
Mangaere ...	6,250	Patea	
Mangamingi ...	8,000	" "	
Whitinui ...	2,080	" "	
Wairarapa Lakes, North and South	...	Greytown	
Ngatapu No. 1 Reserve	525	Otaki	
Manawatu Kukutauaki No. 7A	730	" "	
Muhonoa No. 3	2,381	" "	
Ngakaroro No. 2A	1,933	" "	
" 2D	1,984	" "	
" 2E	1,933	" "	
Waihoanga No. 2A	874	" "	
" 3B	735	" "	
" 3C	1,454	" "	
" 3D	1,527	" "	
Wairarapa Reserve	1,050	" "	
Ngarara	45,250	" "	
Otairi No. 1	58,905	" "	
" 2		" "	
" 3		" "	
" 4		" "	

WM. ROLLESTON,
Native Minister.

Telegraph Offices to be closed on Sundays.

Post Office and Telegraph Department,
Wellington, 6th September, 1881.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the under-mentioned Telegraph Offices will, on and after Sunday, the 11th instant, and until further notice, be closed to the public on Sundays:—

Abbotsford, Taieri.	Ealing, Ashburton.
Ahaura, Grey.	Edendale, Southland.
Akaroa, Akaroa.	Elbow, Southland.
Albury, Geraldine.	Farnon, Hawke's Bay.
Alexandra South, Vincent.	Featherston, Wairarapa West.
Alexandra, Waipa.	Feilding, Manawatu.
Amberley, Ashley.	Geraldine, Geraldine.
Arrow, Lake.	Gore, Southland. [Hutt.
Ashburton, Ashburton.	Govt. Buildings (Wellington)
Balclutha, Clutha.	Greytown North, Wairarapa West.
Belgrove, Waimea.	Greytown South, Taieri.
Bull's, Rangitikei.	Halcombe, Manawatu.
Burnham, Selwyn.	Hamilton, Waikato.
Cambridge, Waikato.	Hampden, Waitaki.
Carterton, Wairarapa West.	Hastings, Hawke's Bay.
Castlepoint, Wairarapa East.	Havelock, Marlborough.
Caversham, Taieri.	Helensville, Waitemata.
Charleston, Buller.	Henley, Bruce.
Chertsey, Ashburton.	Herbert, Waitaki.
Christchurch Railway.	Hokianga, Hokianga.
Clyde, Vincent.	Hornby, Selwyn.
Coalgate, Selwyn.	Huntly, Waikato.
Collingwood, Collingwood.	Hurunui, Ashley.
Coromandel, Coromandel.	Hutt, Hutt.
Cromwell, Vincent.	Inglewood, Taranaki.
Cust, Ashley.	Kaipoi, Ashley.
Dargfield Junction, Selwyn.	Kaitangata, Bruce.
Dargaville, Hobson.	Kakanui, Waitaki.
Drury, Manukau.	Kamo, Whangarei.
Dunedin North, Taieri.	Kawakawa, Bay of Islands.
Dunedin Railway.	Kihikihi, Waipa.
Dunsandel, Selwyn.	Kingston, Lake.
Duntroon, Waitaki.	Kirwee, Selwyn.
Duvauchelle Bay, Akaroa.	

Kopua, Waipawa.
 Kopuru, Hobeon.
 Kumara, Westland.
 Lawrence, Tuapeka.
 Leeston, Selwyn
 Lyell, Buller.
 Maheno, Waitaki.
 Maketu, Tauranga.
 Makikihi, Geraldine.
 Manutahi, Patea.
 Marton, Rangitikei.
 Masterton, Wairarapa West.
 Mohaka, Wairoa.
 Mongonui, Mongonui.
 Mosgiel, Taieri.
 Motueka, Waimea.
 Naseby, Maniototo.
 Newmarket, Eden.
 Newton, Eden.
 Ngaruawahia, Waikato.
 Normanby, Taranaki.
 Nuggets, Clutha.
 Ohaeawai, Bay of Islands.
 Ohaupo, Waipa.
 Ohinemutu, Tauranga.
 Ophir, Vincent.
 Opotiki, Whakatane.
 Orari, Geraldine.
 Oreti, Southland.
 Otago Heads, Peninsula.
 Otahuhu, Manukau.
 Otautau, Wallace.
 Outram, Taieri.
 Owake, Clutha.
 Oxford, Ashley.
 Pahi, Rodney.
 Palmerston N., Manawatu.
 Papatoitoti, Manukau.
 Patea, Patea.
 Penrose, Eden.
 Pieton, Marlborough.
 Pokeno, Manukau.
 Port Albert, Rodney.
 Portobello, Waikouaiti.
 Pukekohe, Manukau.
 Pukeuri Junction, Waitaki.
 Queenstown, Lake.
 Rakai, Ashburton.
 Rangiora, Ashley.
 Rangitata, Ashburton.
 Richmond, Waimea.
 Riverton, Wallace.
 Rolleston, Selwyn.
 Rolleston Railway, Selwyn.

Ross, Westland.
 Roxburgh, Tuapeka.
 St. Andrews, Waimate.
 St. Bathans, Maniototo.
 Sanson, Manawatu.
 Sefton, Ashley.
 Sheffield, Selwyn.
 Southbridge, Selwyn.
 Springfield, Selwyn.
 Springston, Selwyn.
 Stirling, Bruce.
 Stratford, Taranaki.
 Studholme Junc., Waimate.
 Sydenham, Selwyn.
 Takaka, Collingwood.
 Takapau, Waipawa.
 Tapanui, Tuapeka.
 Te Awamutu, Waipa.
 Temuka, Geraldine.
 Thornbury, Southland.
 Tokatea, Coromandel.
 Tokomairiro, Bruce.
 Turakina, Rangitikei.
 Upper Hutt, Hutt.
 Waiau, Amuri.
 Waiholo, Bruce.
 Waikaka, Southland.
 Waikari, Ashley.
 Waikouaiti, Waikouaiti.
 Waimate, Waimate.
 Waipahi, Southland.
 Waipawa, Waipawa.
 Waipu, Wangarei.
 Wairoa, Wairoa.
 Waitahuna, Tuapeka.
 Waitaki, Waitaki.
 Waitati, Waikouaiti.
 Waitotara, Patea.
 Waiuku, Manukau.
 Waiwera, Rodney.
 Wakefield, Waimea.
 Warkworth, Rodney.
 Washdyke, Geraldine.
 Waterford, Tauranga.
 Waverley, Patea.
 Whangarei, Whangarei.
 Whangarua, Mongonui.
 Winchester, Geraldine.
 Winslow, Ashburton.
 Winton, Southland.
 Woodlands, Southland.
 Woodville, Waipawa.
 Worsers Bay, Hutt.
 Wyndham, Southland.

W. GRAY,
 Secretary.

Officiating Ministers for 1881.—Notice No. 23.

Registrar-General's Office,
 Wellington, 5th September, 1881.

PURSUANT to the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, passed in the forty-fourth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, and intituled "The Marriage Act, 1880," the following names of Officiating Ministers within the meaning of the said Act are published for general information:—

Presbyterian Church of New Zealand.

The Reverend Thomas Mackenzie Fraser.

Baptists.

The Reverend Decimus Dolamore.

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

Branches of Friendly Society registered.

Registrar-General's Office,
 Wellington, 5th September, 1881.

THE under-mentioned Tents are registered as branches of the New Zealand Central District Independent Order of Rechabites' Friendly Society,

under "The Friendly Societies Act, 1877," this 5th day of September, 1881:—

Scandia's Hope Tent No. 28, Norsewood.
 Hope of Woodville Tent No. 32, Woodville.

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

Friendly Society registered.

Registrar-General's Office,
 Wellington, 5th September, 1881.

THE Grey Valley Accident Relief Fund Society, at Brunnerton, is registered as a friendly society, under "The Friendly Societies Act, 1877," this 5th day of September, 1881.

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

Branch of Friendly Society registered.

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

THE Hope of Wellington Tent No. 1, at Wellington, is registered as a branch of the New Zealand Central District Independent Order of Rechabites' Friendly Society, under "The Friendly Societies Act, 1877," this 7th day of September, 1881.

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

Gold Fields Notices.

Gold-Mining Leases to be granted.

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

Objections to the granting of such leases, stating the grounds of objection, must be made in writing, and lodged with the Warden at Reefton on or before the 30th day of September, 1881.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPLICANT: The Golden Fleece Extended Quartz-Mining Company (Limited). Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "The Golden Fleece Extended Quartz-Mining Company (Limited)." 16 acres 2 roods, north-west of and adjoining the Golden Fleece Extended Quartz-Mining Company's claim, Murray Creek, Inangahua, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

Applicant: The Golden Fleece Extended Quartz-Mining Company (Limited). Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "The Golden Fleece Extended Quartz-Mining Company (Limited)." 16 acres 2 roods, north-east of and adjoining the Golden Fleece Extended Quartz-Mining Company's claim, Murray Creek, Inangahua, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

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

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

Gold-Mining Lease to be granted.

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

Objections to the granting of such lease, stating the grounds of objection, must be made in writing, and lodged with the Warden at Lyell on or before the 26th day of September, 1881.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPLICANTS: Isaac Isaacson, Thomas Burkitt, and party. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "Lyell Quartz-Mining Company." 16 acres 2 roods, on the Alpine Range, Lyell, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

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

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

Crown Lands Notices.

Sale of Land near the Waimate Plains.

Principal Land Office,
Carlyle, 6th September, 1881.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned rural, forest, and suburban lands, situate in Blocks XII. and XV., Kaupokonui Survey District, and Block IX., Ngaere Survey District, and described in the Schedule hereunder, will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Land Office, Hawera, on Thursday, the 13th October, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

SCHEDULE.

District and Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
Kaupokonui, Block XII.	1	150 0 0	1 15 0
	3	164 0 35	1 15 0
	4	147 1 28	1 10 0
	5	171 0 0	1 15 0
	7	190 0 0	1 15 0
	8	137 0 0	1 10 0
	10	136 3 14	1 15 0
	11	104 1 23	2 0 0
	12	100 0 0	2 0 0
	14	106 0 0	2 0 0
	16	165 0 0	2 0 0
	18	100 0 0	2 0 0
	19	100 0 0	2 0 0
	22	100 0 0	2 0 0
	23	100 0 0	2 0 0
	25	100 0 0	2 0 0
	26	100 0 0	2 0 0
	28	100 0 0	2 0 0
	31	100 0 0	2 0 0
	32	100 0 0	1 15 0
	34	153 0 0	1 15 0
	35	100 0 0	1 15 0
	37	100 0 0	1 10 0
	38	111 0 0	1 10 0
39	320 0 0	1 15 0	
41	199 0 0	1 10 0	
42	150 0 0	1 15 0	
44	150 3 6	1 10 0	

District and Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
Kaupokonui, Block XV.	19	100 0 0	1 15 0
	24	125 0 0	2 0 0
Ngaere, Block IX. ...	25	125 0 0	2 0 0
	1	147 2 36	1 10 0
	2	165 0 0	1 10 0
	4	232 0 0	1 10 0
	5	197 0 0	1 15 0
	7	165 0 0	1 15 0
	10	100 0 0	2 0 0
	11	121 0 0	2 0 0
	13	97 0 0	2 0 0
	14	100 0 0	2 0 0
	16	159 0 0	2 0 0
	17	100 0 0	2 0 0
	19	100 0 0	2 0 0
	20	115 0 0	2 0 0
	22	100 0 0	2 0 0
	23	95 0 0	2 0 0
	24	140 0 0	1 15 0
	25	140 0 0	1 10 0
	27	140 0 0	1 10 0
	29	120 0 0	1 10 0
	30	116 3 2	1 10 0
	31	100 0 0	1 10 0
	32	112 0 0	1 15 0
	33	112 0 0	1 10 0
35	112 3 0	1 10 0	
37	200 0 0	1 10 0	
38	200 0 0	1 10 0	
40	150 0 0	1 15 0	
42	150 0 0	2 0 0	
43	150 0 0	2 0 0	
SUBURBAN.			
Waimate, Block V. ...	44	3 0 0	8 0 0
	45	3 0 0	8 0 0
	46	3 0 0	8 0 0
	47	5 0 0	8 0 0
	48	2 1 4	8 0 0
	49	2 1 4	8 0 0
	50	2 1 4	8 0 0
	77	3 0 0	8 0 0
	78	3 0 0	8 0 0
	79	3 0 0	8 0 0
	80	5 0 0	8 0 0
	81	2 3 24	8 0 0
	82	3 0 32	8 0 0
	83	4 1 5	8 0 0
	84	3 0 0	8 0 0
	85	3 0 0	8 0 0
	86	2 0 26	8 0 0
	87	2 0 26	8 0 0
	88	3 0 0	8 0 0
	89	3 0 15	8 0 0
90	3 2 8	8 0 0	

Description of the Land.—These sections are inland of the Waimate Plains, west of the Waingongoro Stream and Eltham Railway Station.

From Eltham and other points roads have been opened up to this land, which is on the railway-line from Waitara and New Plymouth to Hawera.

With the exception of a few rata, the bush consists mainly of soft woods and other light timber, and can easily be cleared. The country is well watered, and is admirably adapted for conversion into grass lands.

Sections, scattered over the blocks, are offered for application on the deferred-payment system, and one-third of the proceeds will, under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1877," Part III., be spent on roads within or to open up the block for the benefit of the selectors.

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 Hawera 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.

Lithograph plans of the land may be seen on application at any land office in the colony.

C. A. WRAY,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Traffic Returns.

NEW ZEALAND RAILWAYS.—Traffic Returns for the Four Weeks ending the 23rd July, 1881:—

KAWAKAWA SECTION.

REVENUE,—	1881.			Corresponding Four Weeks 1880.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers, Parcels, &c. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Goods, Live Stock, Rents, &c. ...	310	11	2*	...	...	...

* Half-year's rent from the Bay of Islands Coal Company, for the half-year ending 31st March, 1881.

WHANGAREI-KAMO SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class ...	65	102	167	...	...	...
2nd Class ...	188	218	406	...	...	...
Total	253	320	573	...	...	...

Goods,—	Tons.	Tons.
Wool ...	...	...
Timber ...	...	...
Grain ...	4	...
Merchandise ...	1	...
Minerals ...	1,205	...
Firewood ...	...	...
Total...	1,210	...

LIVE STOCK,—	No.	No.
Parcels, Dogs, &c.
Horses and Cattle
Sheep, Pigs, &c.
Total...

REVENUE,—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers, Parcels, &c. ...	19	1	0	...	...	...
Goods, Live Stock, Rents, &c. ...	152	0	0	...	...	...
Total...	£171	1	0	...	...	...

AUCKLAND SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class ...	2,591	1,170	3,761	2,741	1,747	4,488
2nd Class ...	9,430	6,016	15,446	8,979	5,700	14,679
Total	12,021	7,186	19,207	11,720	7,447	19,167

Goods,—	Tons.	Tons.
Wool ...	...	4
Timber ...	978	923
Grain ...	594	261
Merchandise ...	2,100	1,621
Minerals ...	2,868	4,051
Firewood ...	80	80
Total...	6,115	6,940

LIVE STOCK,—	No.	No.
Parcels, Dogs, &c. ...	2,366	1,981
Horses and Cattle ...	726	812
Sheep, Pigs, &c. ...	2,406	1,168
Total...	5,498	3,961

REVENUE,—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers, Parcels, &c. ...	1,949	7	4	1,978	16	9
Goods, Live Stock, Rents, &c. ...	3,406	2	6	2,454	17	0
Total...	£5,445	9	10	£4,433	13	9

NAPIER SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class ...	1,382	856	2,138	1,117	718	1,835
2nd Class ...	3,377	2,200	5,577	2,985	1,518	4,503
Total	4,669	3,056	7,715	4,102	2,236	6,338

NAPIER SECTION—continued.

Goods,—	1881.	1880.
	Tons.	Tons.
Wool ...	25	47
Timber ...	998	425
Grain ...	387	123
Merchandise ...	435	382
Minerals ...	201	476
Firewood ...	805	430
Total...	2,851	1,883

LIVE STOCK,—	No.	No.
Parcels, Dogs, &c. ...	974	792
Horses and Cattle ...	67	29
Sheep, Pigs, &c. ...	70	404
Total...	1,111	1,225

REVENUE,—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers, Parcels, &c. ...	977	11	3	828	13	4
Goods, Live Stock, Rents, &c. ...	1,149	11	9	683	7	6
Total...	£2,127	3	0	£1,512	0	10

WELLINGTON SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class ...	1,511	1,106	2,617	1,287	762	2,069
2nd Class ...	6,139	3,834	9,973	5,215	3,488	8,703
Total	7,650	4,940	12,590	6,502	4,270	10,772

Goods,—	Tons.	Tons.
Wool ...	17	4
Timber ...	960	587
Grain ...	112	171
Merchandise ...	412	410
Minerals ...	179	1,323
Firewood ...	495	655
Total...	2,175	3,150

LIVE STOCK,—	No.	No.
Parcels, Dogs, &c. ...	1,133	673
Horses and Cattle ...	57	37
Sheep, Pigs, &c. ...	2,465	2,277
Total...	3,655	2,987

REVENUE,—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers, Parcels, &c. ...	1,328	11	7	1,096	5	4
Goods, Live Stock, Rents, &c. ...	1,136	10	2	1,001	1	5
Total...	£2,465	1	9	£2,097	6	9

WANGANUI SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class ...	1,310	468	1,778	1,481	686	2,167
2nd Class ...	4,455	2,740	7,195	4,283	3,122	7,405
Total	5,765	3,208	8,973	5,764	3,808	9,572

Goods,—	Tons.	Tons.
Wool ...	8	6
Timber ...	1,860	1,394
Grain ...	242	214
Merchandise ...	444	408
Minerals ...	164	575
Firewood ...	775	775
Total...	3,493	3,372

LIVE STOCK,—	No.	No.
Parcels, Dogs, &c. ...	1,363	1,055
Horses and Cattle ...	40	19
Sheep, Pigs, &c. ...	85	225
Total...	1,488	1,299

REVENUE,—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers, Parcels, &c. ...	1,276	1	7	1,141	15	7
Goods, Live Stock, Rents, &c. ...	1,770	17	8	1,344	0	3
Total...	£3,046	18	3	£2,485	15	10

NEW PLYMOUTH SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1881.			1880.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class ...	280	104	384	145	130	275
2nd Class ...	3,554	826	4,380	2,702	1,608	4,310
Total	3,834	930	4,764	2,847	1,738	4,585

GOODS,—	Tons.	
	1881.	1880.
Wool ...	...	...
Timber ...	356	190
Grain ...	59	158
Merchandise ...	170	198
Minerals ...	81	135
Firewood ...	300	210
Total...	966	890

LIVE STOCK,—	No.	
	1881.	1880.
Parcels, Dogs, &c. ...	458	258
Horses and Cattle ...	...	2
Sheep, Pigs, &c. ...	224	518
Total	682	773

REVENUE,—	£ s. d.			£ s. d.		
	1881.	1880.	Total.	1881.	1880.	Total.
Passengers, Parcels, &c. ...	467	13	7	353	16	10
Goods, Live Stock, Rents, &c. ...	272	9	4	155	5	11
Total...	£740	2	11	£509	2	9

HURUNUI-BLUFF SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	S.			R.			Total.		
	1881.	1880.	Total.	1881.	1880.	Total.	1881.	1880.	Total.
1st Class ...	16,475	11,406	27,881	16,572	10,648	27,220			
2nd Class ...	63,523	34,598	98,121	65,489	32,774	98,263			
Total	79,998	46,004	126,002	82,061	43,422	125,483			

GOODS,—	Tons.	
	1881.	1880.
Wool ...	341	494
Timber ...	7,121	6,518
Grain ...	27,749	33,301
Merchandise ...	16,069	13,730
Minerals ...	22,645	20,755
Firewood ...	2,925	2,435
Total...	76,850	77,233

LIVE STOCK,—	No.	
	1881.	1880.
Parcels, Dogs, &c. ...	16,143	14,630
Horses and Cattle ...	1,540	1,168
Sheep, Pigs, &c. ...	15,331	13,230
Total...	33,014	29,028

REVENUE,—	£ s. d.			£ s. d.		
	1881.	1880.	Total.	1881.	1880.	Total.
Passengers, Parcels, &c. ...	17,330	13	7	16,606	11	5
Goods, Live Stock, Rents, &c. ...	28,131	6	9	22,183	9	10
Total...	£45,462	0	4	£38,790	1	3

GREYMOOUTH SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	S.			R.			Total.		
	1881.	1880.	Total.	1881.	1880.	Total.	1881.	1880.	Total.
1st Class ...	124	42	166	234	94	328			
2nd Class ...	754	556	1,310	1,105	728	1,833			
Total	878	598	1,476	1,339	822	2,161			

GOODS,—	Tons.	
	1881.	1880.
Wool ...	...	...
Timber ...	66	123
Grain ...	...	...
Merchandise ...	126	170
Minerals ...	3,490	3,131
Firewood ...	15	...
Total...	3,697	3,424

LIVE STOCK,—	No.	
	1881.	1880.
Parcels, Dogs, &c. ...	7	2
Horses and Cattle ...	...	...
Sheep, Pigs, &c. ...	...	...
Total...	7	2

REVENUE,—	£ s. d.			£ s. d.		
	1881.	1880.	Total.	1881.	1880.	Total.
Passengers, Parcels, &c. ...	106	15	3	137	10	9
Goods, Live Stock, Rents, &c. ...	703	19	6	615	14	9
Total...	£810	14	9	£753	5	6

Wellington, 5th September, 1881.

WESTPORT SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1881.			1880.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class ...	17	...	17	...	...	...
2nd Class ...	655	356	1,011	695	468	1,163
Total...	672	356	1,028	695	468	1,163

GOODS,—	Tons.	
	1881.	1880.
Wool ...	...	...
Timber ...	99	45
Grain ...	...	...
Merchandise ...	39	38
Minerals ...	1,631	98
Firewood ...	...	...
Total...	1,769	181

LIVE STOCK,—	No.	
	1881.	1880.
Parcels, Dogs, &c. ...	161	152
Horses and Cattle ...	3	...
Sheep, Pigs, &c. ...	...	...
Total...	164	152

REVENUE,—	£ s. d.			£ s. d.		
	1881.	1880.	Total.	1881.	1880.	Total.
Passengers, Parcels, &c. ...	68	14	8	56	4	9
Goods, Live Stock, Rents, &c. ...	352	14	0	119	16	5
Total...	£421	8	8	£176	1	2

NELSON SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	S.			R.			Total.		
	1881.	1880.	Total.	1881.	1880.	Total.	1881.	1880.	Total.
1st Class ...	186	100	286	256	160	416			
2nd Class ...	2,287	1,748	4,035	2,116	1,982	4,098			
Total	2,423	1,848	4,271	2,372	2,142	4,514			

GOODS,—	Tons.	
	1881.	1880.
Wool ...	...	...
Timber ...	103	139
Grain ...	113	44
Merchandise ...	143	164
Minerals ...	30	39
Firewood ...	70	215
Total...	464	601

LIVE STOCK,—	No.	
	1881.	1880.
Parcels, Dogs, &c. ...	262	223
Horses and Cattle ...	3	...
Sheep, Pigs, &c. ...	...	20
Total...	265	243

REVENUE,—	£ s. d.			£ s. d.		
	1881.	1880.	Total.	1881.	1880.	Total.
Passengers, Parcels, &c. ...	281	12	7	290	15	3
Goods, Live Stock, Rents, &c. ...	316	17	0	320	19	7
Total...	£598	9	7	£611	14	10

PICTON SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	S.			R.			Total.		
	1881.	1880.	Total.	1881.	1880.	Total.	1881.	1880.	Total.
1st Class ...	346	144	490	354	194	548			
2nd Class ...	770	1,050	1,820	780	958	1,738			
Total	1,116	1,194	2,310	1,134	1,152	2,286			

GOODS,—	Tons.	
	1881.	1880.
Wool ...	5	...
Timber ...	425	754
Grain ...	581	70
Merchandise ...	97	81
Minerals ...	19	366
Firewood ...	385	465
Total...	1,512	1,736

LIVE STOCK,—	No.	
	1881.	1880.
Parcels, Dogs, &c. ...	93	126
Horses and Cattle ...	2	1
Sheep, Pigs, &c. ...	...	163
Total...	95	290

REVENUE,—	£ s. d.			£ s. d.		
	1881.	1880.	Total.	1881.	1880.	Total.
Passengers, Parcels, &c. ...	197	16	8	190	4	7
Goods, Live Stock, Rents, &c. ...	417	6	11	327	14	7
Total...	£615	3	7	£517	19	3

J. P. MAXWELL,
General Manager, New Zealand Railways.

N.Z.R.—FINANCIAL YEAR 1881-82.

RAILWAYS WORKING ACCOUNT, showing the Revenue and Expenditure to the Termination of the Four-weekly Period ending 23rd July, 1881.

Section.	Length Open for Traffic.	REVENUE.		EXPENDITURE.		Per Cent. of Revenue to Date.	FOR A TWELVE-MONTHLY PERIOD, AVERAGE TO DATE.	
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.		Revenue per Mile of Railway.	Expenditure per Mile of Railway.
NORTH ISLAND,—	Miles.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Kawakawa ...	...	310 11 2	310 11 2	...	...	...	...	...
Whangarei ...	5	171 1 0	452 1 8	124 13 2	434 0 8	96.01	293 17 0	282 2 4
Auckland ...	139	5,445 9 10	21,740 4 4	3,523 11 2	13,930 8 11	64.08	537 6 2	344 5 9
Napier ...	70	2,127 3 0	9,056 3 8	1,483 7 6	5,423 8 7	59.89	420 9 4	251 16 0
Wellington ...	69	2,465 1 9	11,751 17 3	2,197 14 0	8,983 8 4	76.44	553 10 7	423 2 7
Wanganui ...	115	3,046 19 3	12,800 4 6	2,137 10 4	7,905 9 0	61.76	361 15 0	223 8 2
New Plymouth ...	49	740 2 11	3,378 11 9	767 19 3	2,715 17 2	80.38	256 9 7	206 3 4
Total ...	447	14,306 8 11	59,439 14 4	10,234 15 5	39,392 12 8	66.22		
MIDDLE ISLAND,—								
Hurunui-Bluff ...	791	45,462 0 4	213,862 8 10	27,492 17 1	113,212 2 6	52.94	878 14 0	465 3 2
Greymouth ...	8	810 14 9	3,232 12 4	327 6 0	1,569 9 5	47.81	1,333 11 2	637 12 0
Westport ...	10	421 8 8	1,907 0 5	291 2 3	1,070 13 7	57.53	619 15 7	356 10 9
Nelson ...	20	598 9 7	2,676 0 11	491 0 1	1,899 11 6	70.98	434 17 4	308 13 7
Picton ...	19	615 3 7	2,229 7 3	342 17 4	1,396 11 4	62.64	381 6 9	238 17 9
Total ...	848	47,907 16 11	223,957 9 9	28,945 2 9	119,148 8 4	53.20		
Grand Total ...	1,295	62,214 5 10	283,447 4 1	39,179 18 2	158,541 1 0	55.93		

CORRESPONDING PERIOD LAST YEAR.

NORTH ISLAND,—	Miles.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Auckland ...	123	4,433 13 9	19,797 1 11	3,543 2 0	14,999 4 6	75.76	523 1 9	390 6 4
Napier ...	65	1,512 0 10	7,347 19 1	1,297 2 5	6,184 16 10	84.17	367 8 0	309 4 9
Wellington ...	53	2,097 6 9	9,113 18 4	2,478 11 10	8,567 17 6	94.01	580 15 9	545 19 9
Wanganui ...	108	2,485 15 10	10,723 13 10	1,741 13 8	7,562 11 9	70.52	354 14 7	250 3 2
New Plymouth ...	33	509 2 9	2,807 9 10	554 5 7	2,363 13 8	84.19	276 10 0	232 15 9
Total ...	382	11,037 19 11	49,790 3 0	9,614 15 6	39,678 4 3	79.69		
MIDDLE ISLAND,—								
Hurunui-Bluff ...	755	38,790 1 3	207,071 4 8	27,524 2 10	126,167 4 8	60.93	891 7 4	543 2 0
Greymouth ...	8	753 5 6	3,034 18 7	362 7 10	1,569 4 4	51.71	1,232 13 9	637 9 9
Westport ...	10	176 1 2	820 0 1	220 11 5	1,121 18 4	136.77	266 10 0	364 12 4
Nelson ...	20	611 14 10	2,614 12 10	506 7 2	2,000 0 4	76.49	424 17 7	325 0 0
Picton ...	19	517 19 2	1,751 5 4	319 4 7	1,541 11 1	88.08	299 11 2	263 13 9
Total ...	812	40,849 1 11	215,292 1 6	28,932 13 10	132,399 18 9	61.50		
Grand Total ...	1,194	51,887 1 10	265,082 4 6	38,547 9 4	172,078 3 0	64.91		

HURUNUI-BLUFF SECTION—MAIN SECTIONS AND BRANCHES.—Four-weekly Period ending 23rd July, 1881.

Name.	Miles Open for Traffic.	REVENUE.		EXPENDITURE.		Per Cent. of Revenue to date.
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	
Christchurch Section ...	138	£ 9,087 16 6	£ 49,774 15 4	£ 4,744 13 10	£ 21,638 1 10	43.47
Lytelton-Christchurch Branch ...	7	6,458 3 10	29,853 18 8	3,191 13 2	14,227 16 1	47.65
Oxford Branch ...	22	320 12 2	1,400 16 3	273 1 4	1,128 11 5	80.56
Eyreton Branch ...	21	204 7 10	784 19 1	210 1 5	994 4 5	126.66
Southbridge Branch ...	25	669 12 7	4,794 19 2	681 14 6	2,938 1 9	61.27
Springfield-White Cliffs Branch ...	43	969 2 3	4,948 6 0	772 11 5	3,123 7 8	63.22
Total ...	256	17,709 15 2	91,557 14 6	9,873 15 8	44,055 3 2	48.12

HURUNUI-BLUFF SECTION.—MAIN SECTIONS AND BRANCHES—*continued.*

Name.	Miles Open for Traffic.	REVENUE.		EXPENDITURE.		Per Cent. of Revenue to date.
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	
Oamaru Section	104	£ s. d. 5,589 17 11	£ s. d. 27,043 3 10	£ s. d. 3,971 8 10	£ s. d. 14,720 7 2	54.43
Albury Branch	26	388 17 1	2,792 1 11	271 19 11	1,231 6 0	44.09
Waimate Branch	4	155 0 3	634 18 5	122 17 7	495 14 1	78.07
Duntroon Branch	21	321 12 1	1,544 18 1	358 5 3	1,132 7 10	73.30
Ngapara Branch	15	202 11 10	1,240 2 3	223 10 7	957 14 7	77.23
Total	170	6,652 19 2	33,255 4 6	4,948 2 2	18,537 9 8	55.73
Dunedin Section	107	10,836 3 3	46,285 1 0	5,485 2 0	22,686 14 1	49.02
Dunedin-Port Chalmers Branch	8	2,607 8 11	11,591 7 1	1,837 14 10	7,029 15 2	60.64
Walton Park Branch	3	64 15 11	262 4 11	65 1 5	296 3 8	112.94
Outram Branch	9	179 15 5	915 14 4	184 11 1	811 9 4	88.62
Lawrence Branch	22	594 1 11	2,376 9 2	572 9 7	2,396 16 6	100.86
Total	149	14,282 5 5	61,430 16 6	8,144 18 11	38,220 18 9	57.18
Invercargill Section	155	4,890 11 9	20,541 3 9	3,006 5 0	12,200 3 9	59.39
Invercargill-Bluff Branch	17	1,104 11 7	3,771 13 10	831 13 5	2,672 3 5	70.85
Tapanui Branch	15	148 19 11	645 0 2	208 9 8	620 10 8	96.21
Riverton-Otautau Branch	29	672 17 4	2,660 15 7	479 12 3	1,905 13 1	71.62
Total	216	6,817 0 7	27,618 13 4	4,526 0 4	17,398 10 11	63.0
Grand Total	791	45,462 0 4	213,862 8 10	27,492 17 1	113,212 2 6	52.94

CORRESPONDING PERIOD LAST YEAR.

Christchurch Section	121	£ s. d. 8,829 11 9	£ s. d. 74,485 10 1	£ s. d. 5,297 8 0	£ s. d. 33,365 14 3	44.79
Lyttelton-Christchurch Branch	7	5,008 2 10	11,531 11 11	3,227 14 1	7,721 14 9	66.96
Oxford Branch	22	316 5 8	1,731 7 5	345 8 1	1,532 14 6	88.53
Eyreton Branch	21	156 3 9	909 12 8	278 10 5	1,060 12 5	116.60
Southbridge Branch	25	707 19 4	4,351 19 4	681 0 0	2,375 1 0	66.06
Springfield-White Cliffs Branch	42	806 1 9	4,443 6 9	678 14 8	3,605 7 11	81.14
Total	238	15,824 5 1	97,453 8 2	10,508 15 3	50,161 4 10	51.47
Oamaru Section	103	5,406 8 11	28,955 6 8	4,281 18 10	18,259 1 10	63.51
Albury Branch	26	682 10 7	3,206 9 9	328 9 11	1,494 2 1	46.60
Waimate Branch	4	125 10 10	697 15 4	149 11 2	818 2 11	117.25
Duntroon Branch	21	247 13 0	1,274 17 9	291 4 11	1,273 3 2	99.86
Ngapara Branch	15	290 16 1	1,807 2 1	280 6 3	1,078 19 1	59.71
Total	169	6,752 19 5	35,941 11 7	5,331 11 1	22,923 9 1	63.78
Dunedin Section	107	7,759 3 3	43,510 0 11	5,632 5 10	30,070 16 6	69.11
Dunedin-Port Chalmers Branch	8	3,327 10 5	5,381 13 5	1,606 2 8	3,431 19 4	63.77
Walton Park Branch	3	81 14 5	294 9 1	63 4 2	323 15 0	109.95
Outram Branch	9	153 12 1	816 6 3	196 12 7	965 13 9	118.33
Lawrence Branch	22	448 13 11	2,193 12 4	567 8 4	2,574 17 3	117.38
Total	149	11,770 14 1	52,196 2 0	8,065 13 7	37,367 6 10	71.59
Invercargill Section	153	3,424 2 4	18,060 14 2	2,602 14 11	12,260 19 2	67.89
Invercargill-Bluff Branch	17	565 19 2	1,217 13 9	424 5 2	882 7 4	72.46
Riverton-Otautau Branch	29	452 1 2	2,201 15 0	591 2 10	2,571 17 5	116.81
Total	199	4,442 2 8	21,480 2 11	3,618 2 11	15,715 3 11	73.16
Grand Total	755	38,790 1 3	207,071 4 8	27,524 2 10	126,167 4 8	60.93

J. P. MAXWELL,
General Manager, New Zealand Railways.

Railway Department, 5th September, 1881.

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

No.	Name of Deceased.	Colonial Residence.	Supposed British or Foreign Residence.	Date of Rule or Order.	Estimated Value of Personal Estate.	Time of Deceased's Death.	Remarks.
1	Anderson, J. Johnstone	Wanganui ...	...	Aug. 24, 1881	Under £1,500	July 13, 1881	
2	Boyle, Daniel	Thames ...	Granard, County Longford	...	Under £5 ...	July 17, 1881	
3	Brothwell, John Nixon	Thames ...	...	Aug. 17, 1881	Under £100 ...	June 13, 1881	
4	Buttle, John	Auckland ...	...	...	Under £50 ...	Aug. 12, 1881	
5	Cormack, Donald	Wellington ...	...	Aug. 2, 1881	Under £700 ...	Sept. 12, 1878	
6	Jollow, William	Bangiriri ...	...	Aug. 31, 1881	Under £200 ...	April 8, 1881	
7	Maule, Frederick W.	Christchurch ...	...	...	Under £50 ...	July 16, 1881	
8	Miller, C. Mayne	Wellington ...	...	Aug. 8, 1881	Under £150 ...	Nov. 19, 1879	
9	McLean, Hugh	New Plymouth ...	...	...	Under £20 ...	Aug. 27, 1881	
10	McIntyre, John	Christchurch ...	...	...	Under £50 ...	July 13, 1881	
11	Pollock, Robert	Greytown ...	...	...	Under £10 ...	June —, 1881	
12	Robinson, George	Auckland ...	...	...	Under £1 ...	July 25, 1881	
13	Smedsland or Smith, August; <i>alias</i> Smith, John or Christie	Dunedin ...	...	Aug. 2, 1881	Under £100 ...	June 11, 1881	
14	Turrell, W. Henry	Auckland ...	...	...	Under £5 ...	June 9, 1881	
15	Warrington, Elizabeth	Opotiki ...	...	Aug. 11, 1881	Under £200 ...	July 3, 1881	
16	Whitley, Arthur	Oamaru ...	...	Aug. 2, 1881	Under £100 ...	Jan. 12, 1881	
17	Williams, John Jury	Onehunga ...	...	Aug. 31, 1881	Under £500 ...	June 24, 1857	With will annexed.

Dated the 6th day of September, 1881.

R. C. HAMERTON,
Public Trustee.

Land Transfer Act Notices.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 15th day of October, 1881.

1242. THOMAS JONES, claiming as Heir-at-law of THOMAS JONES, of Wellington, Carpenter, deceased.—Part of Section 108, City of Wellington (Taranki Street). In occupation of Mathieson Crosswell and the Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 7th day of September, 1881, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

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GEO. B. DAVY,
District Land Registrar.

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

THE NEW ZEALAND AND AUSTRALIAN LAND COMPANY (LIMITED).—3,168 acres and 33 perches, being Sections 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, Block I., Aparima Hundred. Occupied by Applicants. Nos. 1690 to 1697.

FINLAY McDONALD.—40 acres, being Section 19, Forest Hill Hundred. Occupied by Applicant. No. 1710.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

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

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F. G. MORGAN,
District Land Registrar.

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

THE NEW ZEALAND AND AUSTRALIAN LAND COMPANY (LIMITED).—968 acres 3 roods 7 perches, being Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 11, 12, Block II., and Section 1, Block V., Aparima Hundred. Occupied by Applicants. Nos. 1698 to 1700.

THE NEW ZEALAND AND AUSTRALIAN LAND COMPANY (LIMITED).—524 acres and 27 perches, being Sections 11, 12, 13, 26, 27, Block IV., Aparima Hundred. Occupied by J. W. Kennedy. Nos. 1701 and 1702.

THE NEW ZEALAND AND AUSTRALIAN LAND COMPANY (LIMITED).—2,206 acres 3 roods 20 perches, being Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 19, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 26, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, Block III., Aparima Hundred. Occupied by Applicants. Nos. 1703 to 1706.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 27th day of August, 1881, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

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F. G. MORGAN,
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.

4539. WILLIAM DEARSLEY.—29 perches, part of Lot 23, Christchurch Town Reserves. Occupied by Applicant.

4582. GEORGE HUMPHREYS.—8 perches, part of Sections 911 and 913, Christchurch City. Unoccupied.

4583. WILLIAM WILSON.—3 perches, part of Sections 905 and 907, Christchurch City. Unoccupied.

4584. FRANCIS JAMES GARRICK, WILLIAM PATTEN COWLISHAW, and RICHARD WALTON.—4 perches, part of Section 906, Christchurch City. Occupied by George Roberts.

4596. JOHN GERKEN.—1 rood, Section 386, Christchurch City, German Protestant Church site.

4597. JAMES HUTCHINSON SUTTER.—3

acres, part of Sections 6296 and 6859, Timaru District. Occupied by Timaru Borough Council.

4598. CHARLES BOWKER.—3 roods 7 perches, part of Rural Section 2334, Timaru District. Unoccupied.

4601. JACOB BARNETT.—3 acres 1 rood 29 perches, part of Rural Section 4870, Lincoln District. Occupied by Applicant.

4604. MAURICE JOHN HART.—30 perches, part of Rural Section 2334, Timaru District. Unoccupied.

4606. THOMAS STEPHENSON.—1 acre, part of Rural Section 8274, Timaru District. Unoccupied.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 1st day of September, 1881, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

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

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NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same in each case on or before the 12th day of October next.

THEODORE WILLIAM HICKSON.—Allotments 82 and 83 of the Subdivision of Allotment 22 of Section 8, Suburbs of Auckland, containing 25 perches. Unoccupied. 1740.

JAMES ELLETT.—Section D, and Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, and 9 of Section C, of the subdivision into sections and lots of Allotment 83, Parish of Manurewa, County of Manukau, containing 60 acres and 34 perches. In the occupation of John Fletcher. 1743.

ANN SIMS.—Allotments 148A and 163, Section 2, Town of Tauranga, containing 2 roods. In Applicant's occupation. 1757.

EDMUND THOMAS DUFAUR.—Allotment 221, Parish of Taupiri, Banks County, containing 55 acres. Unoccupied. 1766.

THOMAS RAYMOND.—Allotment 400 of Section 2, Town of Tauranga, containing 1 rood. In the occupation of David Skinner. 1767.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 31st day of August, 1881, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

THEO. KISSLING,
District Land Registrar.

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TRANSMISSION, No. 457.—Notice is hereby given that WILLIAM HEATHERY, of Leithfield, Miller, claiming as Executor of ROBERT HAYLETT, late of Saltwater Creek, Pilot, has applied to be registered as Proprietor of 3 roods of land, being Lots 12, 13, 37, and 38, on deposited plan No. 85, situated in the District of Ashley, and, having lodged with me a statutory declaration as to the loss of the certificate of title to the said land, that he will be so registered, and a provisional certificate issued to him, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one month after the date of the Gazette containing this notice.

Dated this 1st day of September, 1881, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

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

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

Allotments 41, 42, 43, and 44, Township of Puerua.—JAMES McNEIL, Applicant. No. 3162.

Part Section 8, Block V., Lower Kaikorai District, and Section 123, Wakari District.—ALEXANDER BARTLEMAN, JOHN RENSHAW, WOODVILLE McLAREN, and FRANCIS RENSHAW, Applicants. No. 3163.

Section 15, Block X., Clarendon District.—JAMES SUTHERLAND, Applicant.—No. 3166.

Section 52, Block VIII., North Harbour and Blueskin District.—GEORGE WILLIAM ELIOTT, Applicant. No. 3167.

Part of Section 69, Block VII., Town District.—HENRY HITCHCOCK and WILLIAM HITCHCOCK, Applicants. No. 3168.

Sections 10 and 11, Block V., Lower Kaikorai District.—WILLIAM HENNING MANSFORD and EDGEWORTH RICHARD USSHER, Applicants. No. 3169.

Section 15, Block IV., Town of Queenstown.—ROBERT STENHOUSE, Applicant. No. 3170.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 6th day of September, 1881, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

H. TURTON,
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.

DUNCAN GILLANDER.—103 acres 3 roods, being Pre-emptive Rights on Run 194, in the south-eastern District of Otago. Occupied by Applicant. Nos. 1707 and 1708.

THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE FOR THE COLONY OF NEW ZEALAND.—53 acres 3 roods 7 perches, being Section 33, Block VI., Jacob's River Hundred. Unoccupied. No. 1712.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 31st day of August, 1881, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

F. G. MORGAN,
District Land Registrar.

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Mining Notices.

THE ALBION GOLD-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Directors of this Company have this day made a call of Threepence per Share, and the same will be due and payable at the offices of the Company, Panama Street, Wellington, on Wednesday, the 14th September, 1881, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m.

CHARLES WHITE,
Manager.

Wellington, 6th September, 1881.

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CONSTRUCT A WATER-RACE.

District of Otago Gold Fields,
23rd August, 1881.

To the Warden at Lawrence.

WE hereby give notice that we intend to construct a Water-race to divert and use water for mining purposes, commencing at a point on the Tuapeka River seven miles or thereabouts from Lawrence, and terminating at our claim, on the bank of the said river, thirteen miles from Lawrence.

The length of such race is six miles or thereabouts, and its intended course is along the south side of the Tuapeka River downwards. The mean depth of

such race is 2 feet 6 inches, and the mean breadth is 3 feet; and it is proposed to divert twelve Government-heads of water.

We hereby also give notice that we intend to construct a Dam-bank and form a Reservoir for the storage of water across the Tuapeka River, about seven miles down the river from Lawrence; and that the following are the particulars respecting such dam and reservoir:—

1. Locality, seven miles down the river from Lawrence.
2. Length of dam, 50 feet.
3. Greatest height, 3 feet.
4. Greatest breadth of base, 6 feet.
5. Area of reservoir, 1 acre or thereabouts.
6. Time estimated for construction, thirty days.

AH MUNG,
AH KEAT,
AH FOOK,
AH TAY,

(By their Solicitor, DONALD R. HUNTER.)

Number and date of miners' rights: 15838, 23rd October, 1880; 15839, 23rd October, 1880; 21763, 22nd December, 1880; 21762, 22nd December, 1880.

Any person objecting to the granting of the above application must lodge his objection in writing at the Warden's Office at Lawrence, within fourteen clear days from the date hereof.

Hearing at Lawrence, at 11 o'clock, on Friday, the 23rd September, 1881.

H. J. ABEL,
Mining Registrar.

Mining Registrar's Office,
Lawrence, 24th August, 1881. 671

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CONSTRUCT A WATER-RACE.

Switzer's, 26th July, 1881.

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

TAKE notice that it is intended to construct a Water-race and divert water from the east side of the Argyle Creek, one mile above its junction with the Winding Creek, and terminating at the Switzer's Freehold Gold-Mining Company's claim.

The length of such race is about three miles or thereabouts; the depth of such race is 2 feet 6 inches, and the breadth is 4 feet; and it is intended to divert twenty heads of water.

Date and number of miner's right: 12th July, 1881; 505.

R. H. LEARY,
Legal Manager.

Any person objecting to the granting of this application must lodge his objection in writing at the Warden's Office, Switzer's, within fourteen clear days from the date hereof.

Hearing at Waikaia, at 11 o'clock, on the 16th September, 1881.

W. W. MENZIES,
pro Warden.

Warden's Office, 29th July, 1881. 657

I, the undersigned, hereby make application to register the Earnest 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 Earnest Gold-Mining Company (Limited).
2. The place of intended operations is at Mount Arthur, in the Land District of Nelson, in New Zealand.

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

4. The nominal capital of the Company is twenty-four thousand pounds, in twenty-four thousand shares of one pound each.

5. The number of shares subscribed for is twenty-four thousand, being the entire number of shares in the Company.

6. The number of paid-up shares is nil.

7. The amount already considered as paid up is twelve thousand pounds.

8. The name of the Manager is Thomas Hunter.

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.
William Watson, Dunedin, Merchant	2,000
Thomas Hunter, Dunedin, Broker	2,000
Henry North, Anderson's Bay, Dunedin, Gentleman	1,000
John Boyd, Dunedin, Brewer	1,000
John Mitchell, Dunedin, Stationer	1,000
Alfred Boot, Dunedin, Dentist	1,000
Peter Rutherford, Caversham, Dunedin, Merchant	1,000
William Scoular, Dunedin, Merchant	1,000
Henderson Law, Dunedin, Merchant	1,000
J. T. Roberts, Dunedin, Land Agent	500
W. H. Quick, Dunedin, Broker	500
W. G. Jackson, Wellington, Wine Merchant	2,000
Benjamin Osborne, Nelson, Hotelkeeper	2,000
Richard Reeves, Stoke, Nelson, Commission Agent	1,000
Alfred Harley, Stoke, Nelson, Hopgrower	1,000
R. C. Parker, Nelson, Maltster	4,000
E. G. Allen, Port Chalmers, Gentleman	500
Angus Cameron, Dunedin, Master Mariner	500
William Hunter, Ravensbourne, Dunedin, Commercial Traveller	500
Andrew Hamilton, Dunedin, Broker	500
	24,000

Dated this 30th day of August, 1881.

THOMAS HUNTER,
Manager.

Witness to signature—Henry Poingdestre.

I, Thomas Hunter, 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."

THOMAS HUNTER.

Taken before me, at Dunedin, this 30th day of August, 1881—Wm. Parker Street, J.P. 673

Private Advertisements.

PELORUS SAW-MILL COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that, at an extraordinary general meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company, held at James's Terminus Hotel, Picton, on the 18th July, 1881, at 7 p.m., all Shareholders being present either in person or by proxy, the following resolution was passed: "That the Pelorus Saw-mill Company (Limited) be wound up voluntarily, in accordance with the provisions of 'The Joint-Stock Companies Act, 1860,' and the amendments thereof."

And notice is hereby given that, at an extraordinary general meeting, held at James's Terminus Hotel, Picton, on the 23rd August, 1881, at 10 a.m., all the Shareholders being present either in person or by proxy, it was unanimously resolved that the resolution passed at the extraordinary general meeting of the Shareholders of the Pelorus Saw-mill Company (Limited), convened and held at James's Terminus Hotel, Picton, on the 18th July, 1881, "That the

Pelorus Saw-mill Company (Limited) be wound up voluntarily, in accordance with the provisions of 'The Joint-Stock Companies Act, 1860,' and the amendments thereof," be confirmed.

And notice is further given that, at the said last-named general meeting, ROBERT GREENFIELD, of Wellington, was duly appointed Liquidator of the said Company.

ROBERT GREENFIELD,
Liquidator.

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APPLICATION FOR PATENT.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 18th July, 1881.

PATENT for an Improved Method of Manufacturing Portland Cement, to be called "Atkinson's Patent Portland Cement."

DECIMUS ATKINSON, of New Plymouth, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention, and I have appointed Friday, the 25th day of November next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at this office, to hear the said application and all objections thereto; and I require all persons having an interest in opposing the grant of such Letters Patent to leave, on or before the 21st day of November next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

W. S. REID,
Patent Officer.

Buller and Gully, Lambton Quay, Wellington,
Solicitors for Applicant. 683

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

WE, the undersigned, hereby dissolve the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us as Farmers and Graziers, as from the 1st day of July, 1881. All accounts owing by the late firm will be paid by, and all accounts owing to the firm will be paid to, Mr. J. G. MURRAY, Greenpark. All persons having claims against the firm are requested to send in the same on or before the 7th day of September, 1881.

JOHN GEORGE MURRAY.
R. WRIGHT.

Witness—H. Cotterill, Solicitor, Christchurch. 684

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto carried on by WILLIAM JONES and CHARLES DUGGAN, under the name of William Jones and Co., Plumbers, Painters, &c., Cashel Street, Christchurch, has been dissolved, by effluxion of time, from the 30th day of June, 1881; and that the said Charles Duggan will pay and receive all accounts due to the late firm.

WM. JONES.
CHARLES DUGGAN.

Signed in the presence of—E. W. Roper, Cashel Street, Christchurch.
29th August, 1881. 676

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership which subsisted between us, the undersigned, HENRY WILLIAM NOTT and CHARLES BAKER, in the business of Boot and Shoe Manufacturers and Importers, under the style of "Loft and Co.," was dissolved by mutual consent on the 23rd day of July last.

All debts due to the said partnership and all its liabilities will be respectively received and borne by the said Henry William Nott, who will continue to carry on the said business on his own account, under the style of Loft and Co. aforesaid.

Dated this 25th day of August, 1881.

HENRY WILLIAM NOTT.
CHARLES BAKER.

Witness—B. C. Haggitt, Solicitor, Dunedin. 672

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between CHARLES HOLME STUART and THOMAS CHARLES KIERNAN, as Sheepfarmers, at Tutira, in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, under the style of "Stuart and Kiernan," has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All liabilities of the said firm will be discharged by the said C. H. Stuart, to whom all debts must be paid.

Dated this 31st day of August, 1881.

T. C. KIERNAN,
CHARLES HOLME STUART,

(By his Attorney, THOMAS J. STUART.)

Witness to signatures of Thomas Charles Kiernan and Charles Holme Stuart (by his Attorney, Thomas John Stuart)—A. J. Cotterill, Solicitor, Napier. 680

WALLACE COUNTY COUNCIL.—ORDER.

THE Wallace County Council hereby declares the road described in Schedule hereto to be a County Road.

SCHEDULE.

THE road in Wairio Survey District, commencing at bridge over Opio Stream, west of Section 46 of said district, and extending in a westerly direction through Section 125, thence north and west of Section 131, thence north and west of Section 21, all of Wairio Survey District, to the Wairio Township.

By order.

JAS. FULLARTON,

Clerk to Wallace County Council.

Riverton, 19th August, 1881. 658

CARTERTON LOCAL BOARD.—ELECTION OF COMMISSIONERS.

IT is hereby notified that, at the nomination of candidates for the offices of Commissioners of the Carterton Local Board, vacant by effluxion of time, the following persons have been duly nominated:—

ARMSTRONG, ADAM,
CALLISTER, HUMPHREY,
FAIRBROTHER, RICHARD,
PARKER, WILLIAM, and
VICKERSTAFF, WILLIAM;

and, as the number of candidates so nominated does not exceed the number of offices to be filled, I have declared the persons above stated to be duly elected to hold office until the 30th day of August, 1883.

H. H. WOLTERS,
Returning Officer.

Carterton Local Board Office,
Carterton, 30th August, 1881. 670

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