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Land taken for Road Purposes in the Parish of Pirongia.

(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 part of Lot two hundred and sixteen, Parish of Pirongia, in the Provincial District of Auckland:

And whereas the Pirongia District 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 day of the date hereof, 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 piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 3 roods, more or less, and being part of Lot 216, Parish of Pirongia, Alexander Survey District, Provincial District of Auckland. Commencing at a point distant from the most north-western angle of Lot 216 aforesaid, 348 links. Bounded towards the North-west by a road, 115 links;

towards the East by a line, 870 links; towards the South-west by a road, 188 links; and towards the West by a line to the point of commencement, 643 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

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

WALTER W. JOHNSTON,
 Minister acting for Minister for Public Works.

Approved in Executive Council.
 FORSTER GORING,
 Clerk of the Executive Council.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Avon and Riccarton Road Districts, County of Selwyn, abolished and reconstituted with amended Boundaries.

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

IN exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Canterbury Roads Ordinance, 1872," "The Abolition of Provinces Act, 1875," "The Canterbury Roads Ordinance Amendment Act, 1877," and "The Canterbury Roads Ordinance Amendment Act Extension Act, 1880," I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the First Schedule hereto shall be severed from the Avon

Road District and annexed to the Riccarton Road District; and, further, that from and after the date hereof, the said Avon Road District and Riccarton Road District shall be deemed to be new districts, with the boundaries described in the Second Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Provincial District of Canterbury, situate in the Christchurch Survey District, bounded towards the North-west by the Waimakariri River, from the western corner of Section No. 5620 to Treleaven's Road; towards the North-east by said road to the North Road; towards the South-east, East, and again towards the South-east by the North Road; towards the South-west by the Harewood Road by Papanui to Section No. 112; again towards the North-west by said section, a road-line, and Section No. 189A to the north-west corner of Section No. 25; thence towards the East by a right line to the south-west corner of Section No. 292 and by a road-line west of that section and Sections Nos. 291, 290, 280, 279, and 243; and again towards the North-west, West, and towards the South by Sections Nos. 5080, 1633, 1632, 835, and 806, a road-line, and by Section No. 1747, and by a road-line to the western corner of Section No. 5620, the starting point: as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the District Survey Office, Christchurch.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

AVON ROAD DISTRICT.

ALL that area in the Provincial District of Canterbury, situate in the Christchurch Survey District, bounded towards the West, North-east, and East by the Waimakariri River, from a point at which the western side of Treleaven's Road produced intersects its right bank to the ocean, by the ocean to the mouth of the River Avon; towards the South-east and South by that river and the City of Christchurch to a road south-west of Section No. 6; again towards the West by that road and a road forming the north-western boundary of Section No. 7, by the River Avon, by Section No. 242, a road-line, Sections Nos. 453 and 2332, a road-line, Sections Nos. 1101, 2200, and 323 to the Harewood Road by Papanui, by that road, and by the western side of the North Road, and Treleaven's Road to the commencing point: as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the District Survey Office, Christchurch.

RICCARTON ROAD DISTRICT.

All that area in the Provincial District of Canterbury, situate in the Christchurch Survey District, bounded towards the North-west by the River Waimakariri, from the north-west corner of Section No. 7449 to the Avon District hereinbefore described; towards the East by that district, by the River Avon, and the City of Christchurch to the Lincoln Road; towards the South-east by that road to Archer's Bridge; towards the South-west by the Lincoln and Riccarton Junction Road, the Great South Road, and the Harewood Road by Riccarton; and again towards the North-west and towards the West by the Prebbleton and Kaiapoi Junction Road to starting point: as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the District Survey Office, Christchurch.

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

THOMAS DICK.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Setting apart Land in Otago for Sale on Deferred Payments.

(L.S.) ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

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

And whereas the lands described in the Schedule hereto are Crown lands subject to be dealt with, under the said Act, for alienation by occupation licenses on deferred payments as aforesaid:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby select and set apart, for the purpose of alienation by occupation licenses on deferred payments, the lands described in the Schedule hereto; and do fix Wednesday, the twenty-second day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, as the day on which the said allotments shall be open for application in allotments, as surveyed and marked on the survey map in the office of the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Dunedin.

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 at the rate of thirty shillings per acre.

SCHEDULE.

WAITAHUNA WEST DISTRICT.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Block.	Section.	Area.
V.	17	A. R. P. 318 3 7	X.	23	A. R. P. 297 0 3
"	18	207 3 3	XI.	6	290 2 36
"	19	117 0 10	"	8	210 2 28
"	20	318 3 29	"	9	229 3 4
IX.	8	252 0 0	"	10	234 1 29
"	9	252 2 14	"	11	316 2 5
"	10	207 3 13	"	12	217 1 11
"	11	314 2 35	"	13	231 3 12
"	12	316 2 2	"	14	267 1 9
"	13	317 1 16	"	15	290 1 21
"	14	297 1 1	"	16	319 2 5
"	15	66 3 39	"	17	317 3 36
X.	21	203 0 35	"	18	69 0 16
"	22	189 2 6			

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Incorporation of the Southland Agricultural and Pastoral Association.

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fourteenth day of February, 1882.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Authorizing Frederick Freeman to construct a Slip in Nelson Harbour.

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fourteenth day of February, 1882.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the sixteenth section of "The Harbours Act, 1878," it is enacted that in any harbour where no Harbour Board is in existence the Governor in Council may authorize any person to construct harbour works (other than the reclamation of land from the sea, or any harbour, or the construction of any graving dock, dock, or breakwater in any harbour or in the sea), and to use and occupy such part of the foreshore, or of any tidal land or tidal waters, as may be necessary for the construction or use of such harbour works in any harbour where no Harbour Board is in existence: And whereas by the seventeenth section of the said Act it is also enacted that, in and by any such Order in Council, it may be prescribed what dues and rates shall be taken by the body or person by whom such harbour works shall be constructed for the use thereof, and that every such Order in Council shall be made upon such terms and conditions as the Governor in Council thinks fit, and the rights thereby conferred shall only be granted for a limited period not exceeding in any case fourteen years, and may at any time be altered, modified, or revoked:

And whereas Frederick Freeman, of Nelson, shipwright, desires to construct a slip, for the use, benefit, and convenience of the public, in Nelson Harbour, a place where no Harbour Board is in existence; and the said Frederick Freeman has applied to the Governor in Council for the issue of this order:

And whereas the said Frederick Freeman has deposited a plan of the said slip (marked M.D. 599) at the office of the Marine Department at Wellington, in the manner prescribed by the one hundred and fifty-sixth section of the said Act, and, it having been made to appear to the Governor in Council that the proposed work will not be or tend to the injury of navigation, the Governor in Council hath this day approved of the said deposited plan without any modification or addition, and subject to the conditions set forth in this Order in Council:

Now, therefore, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and

authority vested in him by the said Act, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby authorize the said Frederick Freeman to construct in Nelson Harbour, for the use, benefit, and convenience of the public, a slip, in accordance with, and in the position shown on, the said plan marked M.D. 599, and to use and occupy such portion of the foreshore or of any tidal land or tidal water as may be necessary for the construction and use of such slip, subject to the conditions contained in the First Schedule hereto, and doth fix the rates and dues set forth in the Second Schedule hereto, as and to be rates and dues to be paid by any person, company, or association for the use of the said slip.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

1. That the rights, powers, and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall continue in force for fourteen years, computed from the date of this Order in Council, unless in the meantime such rights, powers, and privileges shall be altered, modified, or revoked by competent authority.

2. That the said rights, powers, and privileges may be at any time resumed by the Governor without payment of any compensation whatever, on giving to the said Frederick Freeman six calendar months' previous notice in writing. Any such notice shall be sufficient if given by the Minister, and delivered at the last known address of the said Frederick Freeman, in Nelson.

3. The said Frederick Freeman shall not sell, mortgage, lease, or otherwise part with, charge, or encumber the said slip or any right or privilege hereby conferred upon him without the consent in writing of the Minister.

4. When the said slip shall have been completed in accordance with the said plan, any person, company, or association shall have the right to use such slip at all reasonable times on payment of the rates and dues prescribed by this Order in Council, and upon such terms and conditions not inconsistent herewith as shall be agreed upon between the said Frederick Freeman and any such person, company, or association as aforesaid; provided that the said Frederick Freeman shall not be bound to take up any vessel which he considers is either too large or otherwise inconvenient in size or shape for the said slip, or which the machinery thereof is not calculated to take up.

5. Nothing contained in this Order in Council shall be deemed to prevent its revocation at any time and without any notice in case the said Frederick Freeman shall—

(1.) Commit or suffer a breach of the conditions hereinbefore set forth, or any of them; or

(2.) Cease to use or occupy the said slip.

And publication in the *New Zealand Gazette* of an Order in Council containing such revocation shall be sufficient notice to the said Frederick Freeman, and to all persons concerned or interested in the said slip, that this Order in Council and the rights and privileges thereby conferred have been revoked and determined.

6. In these conditions the term "Minister" means the Minister having charge of the Marine Department, as defined by "The Shipping and Seamen's Act, 1877," and includes any officer, person, or authority acting by or under the direction of such Minister.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

VESSELS over 200 tons register, unless under special contract, one shilling per ton on the gross tonnage of the vessel for the first day or part of a day, and sixpence per ton for every subsequent day or part of

a day the vessel may remain on the slip. The term "day" means any time between sunset and sunrise.

Special tariff for sailing coasters under 100 tons register:—

Under 50 tons register ...	£5	One charge only to be made for vessels of this class requiring repairs, unless the slip is required for other vessels, when daily rates will be charged, or cost of blocking off.
Under 60 tons register ...	6	
Under 80 tons register ...	8	
Under 100 tons register ...	10	

The above rates will cover the cost of all labour connected with the hauling up and launching, the crew of the vessel to give their assistance as may be required. The cost of blocking a vessel or shifting the blocks after hauling up to be paid by the vessel.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Extending Time for Preparation of Valuation Roll, Borough of Hawera.

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fourteenth day of February, 1882.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it has been made to appear that certain things required to be done by "The Rating Act, 1876," in connection with the preparation and revision of the valuation roll of the Borough of Hawera cannot be done by or within the times mentioned in the said Act:

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

SCHEDULE.

1. For transmitting to the Borough Council the valuation list: On or before the 3rd March, 1882.
2. Valuation list to be open for inspection and objections thereto to be received: Until the 3rd April, 1882.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Powers delegated to the Courtenay Domain Board under "The Public Domains Act, 1881."

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fourteenth day of February, 1882.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council bearing date the eighteenth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, made and issued under the authority of "The Public Domains Act, 1860," "The Public Domains Act, 1865," and "The Public Reserves Act, 1877," certain powers were, in respect of certain lands referred to in a further Order in Council of the same date, made and issued under "The Public Reserves Act, 1877," aforesaid, delegated to Thomas Hamilton Anson, George Bedford, Archibald McNae, Nehemiah Stevens Kingdom, and Orfeur George Parker:

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, 1881," 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, 1881," except the powers under or conferred by sections five and twelve, to the under-mentioned persons, who shall be known as the Courtenay Domain Board:—

THOMAS HAMILTON ANSON,
GEORGE BEDFORD,
ARCHIBALD MCNAE,
ORFEUR GEORGE PARKER, and
JOHN TURNER

(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 second Tuesday in each month, at half-past seven o'clock p.m., at the Public Library, Courtenay, 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 Tuesday, the seventh day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

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 Monday in January in every succeeding year thereafter, elect one of themselves to be Chairman, who may join in the discussion, and shall have an original as well as a casting vote. The Chairman shall hold office until the election of his successor.

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

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

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

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Notification of the Payment of Money on and Entry into Negotiations for the Purchase of Native Lands in the North Island.

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

IN pursuance of the provisions of "The Government Native Land Purchases Act, 1877," it is hereby notified that money has been paid by or on behalf of Her Majesty the Queen for the purchase or acquisition of the block of Native land in the North Island which is more particularly described and mentioned in the Schedule hereto; and, further, that negotiations in respect of such purchase or acquisition as aforesaid have been entered into by or on behalf of Her said Majesty.

SCHEDULE.

MOEHAU No. 4.

ALL that parcel of land in the Coromandel and Harataunga Survey Districts, Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Moehau No. 4, containing by admeasurement 8,900 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by the Torehina and Whareroa Blocks 16693 links, by the Wharetana and Umangawha Streams and by the Huruhuru Block 13808 links; towards the East by the Harataunga Block 26973 links, by the Whakaroa Stream and by lines and land granted to Ring, Keven, and Dacre 11272 links; towards the South by the Waimai and Kutia Blocks 6139 links, by a stream, by Te Raehina Block 8533 links, by the sea, by Te Niho Block and land granted to W. Houston 14417 links, by a stream, by the sea, and by lines 5286 links; and towards the West by the sea: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

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

WM. ROLLESTON,
(for the Native Minister.)

Hares may be killed in the Rakaia Road District, County of Ashburton.

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

IN exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and "The Animals Protection Act Amendment Act, 1881," I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby declare that, from and after the date hereof, hares shall cease to be within the operation of the said Acts within the Rakaia Road District.

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

THOMAS DICK.

Member of Board of Commissioners of Timaru Hospital appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 14th February, 1882.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

The CHAIRMAN for the time being of the GERALDINE COUNTY COUNCIL

to be a Member of the Board of Commissioners charged with the management of the Timaru Hospital.

THOMAS DICK.

Arrangements for First Elections, &c., Mosgiel Town District.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 16th February, 1882.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM MCLEOD

to be the Returning Officer to conduct the first election of six Commissioners of the Mosgiel Town District, as constituted under "The Town Districts Act, 1881," and also to appoint Saturday, the 25th March, 1882, as the time, and the Drillshed, Mosgiel, as the place, at which such first elections shall be held. Also to appoint Monday, the 10th April, 1882, at noon, at the said Drillshed, Mosgiel, as the time and place for the first meeting of the Commissioners.

THOMAS DICK.

Crown Solicitor appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 10th February, 1882.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM PERKINS, Esq.,

of Greymouth, to be Crown Solicitor for the District of Westland, *vice* S. M. South, Esq., deceased.

THOMAS DICK.

Returning Officer under Licensing Act appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 15th February, 1882.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES STEPHENSON CLENDON, Esq., R.M.,

to be the Returning Officer, under "The Licensing Act, 1881," for the Districts of Ararimu and Wade, from the 21st ultimo.

THOMAS DICK.

Licensing Committees appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 15th February, 1882.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

James Bell, Esq., J.P.,
John McDonald,
Charles William Stephens,
James Sangster Wilson, and
William Hampton Thorpe

to be the Licensing Committee of the District of Wairoa (Manukau County); and

William Pile Gordon,
Francis William Evans,
Richard Jeremiah Middleton,
John Burnett Young, and
Solomon Casey

to be the Licensing Committee of the District of Hunua (Manukau County).

THOMAS DICK.

Resident Medical Officer appointed for the Thermal-Springs Districts.

Native Office,
Wellington, 14th February, 1882.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

THOMAS HOPE LEWIS, Esq.,

of Ohinemutu, Mem. R. Coll. Surg. Eng., Lic. Soc. Apoth. Lond., to be Resident Medical Officer, under "The Thermal-Springs Districts Act, 1881, for the Thermal-Springs Districts.

WM. ROLLESTON.

D. A. Tole, Esq., appointed to execute Leases and receive Rents under "The Thermal-Springs Districts Act, 1881."

Native Office,
Wellington, 14th February, 1882.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

DANIEL AUSTIN TOLE, Esq.,

Commissioner of Crown Lands, Auckland, to execute leases and receive rents, under "The Thermal-Springs Districts Act, 1881."

WM. ROLLESTON.

Assistant-Surveyor appointed.

General Survey Office,
Wellington, 8th February, 1882.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ALBERT EDWARD ASHCROFT, Esq.,

to be an Assistant-Surveyor in the Survey Department of New Zealand. The appointment dates from the 4th February, 1882.

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Lands.

Cadet appointed.

General Survey Office,
Wellington, 9th February, 1882.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM MCCURDIE

to be a Cadet in the Survey Department of New Zealand. The appointment to date from the 26th January, 1882.

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Lands.

Despatches: Assenting to Acts, 1881.—Relative to Bills of Health issued at Foreign Ports, &c.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 14th February, 1882.

THE following despatches, received from Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies, is published for general information.

THOMAS DICK.

(No. 59.)

Downing Street, 16th December, 1881.

SIR,—I have the honor to inform you that Her Majesty will not be advised to exercise her power of disallowance with respect to the following Acts of the Legislature of New Zealand, transcripts of which accompanied Sir James Prendergast's Despatch No. 59, of the 1st of October, viz. :—

- No. 1. "An Act to apply a Sum of Money out of the Public Account to the Service of the Year ending the Thirty-first day of March, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-two;"
- No. 2. "An Act to apply a Sum of Money out of the Public Account to the Service of the Year ending the Thirty-first day of March, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-two;"
- No. 3. "An Act to apply a Sum of Money out of the Public Account to the Service of the Year ending the Thirty-first day of March, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-two;"
- No. 4. "An Act to consolidate and amend the Law for preventing the Introduction or Spread of Infectious Diseases among Cattle and other Animals, and for restricting the Importation of Cattle and other Animals in certain cases;"
- No. 5. "An Act to amend 'The Hawke's Bay and Marlborough Rivers Act, 1868;'"
- No. 6. "An Act better to provide for the Abatement of the Rabbit Nuisance;"
- No. 7. "An Act to consolidate the Law regulating the Postal Service;"
- No. 8. "An Act to consolidate the Law relating to the Protection and Recovery of Crown Property and the Enforcement of Claims against the Crown;"
- No. 9. "An Act to legalize the Adoption of Children;"
- No. 10. "An Act for the Suppression of Gaming and Betting Houses, and for the more effectual Abolition of Lotteries;"
- No. 11. "An Act to amend 'The Prisons Act, 1873;'"
- No. 12. "An Act to make Provision for the Regulation and Conduct of Elections of Members of the House of Representatives;"

- No. 13. "An Act for the Prevention of Corrupt Practices at Elections of Members of the House of Representatives;"
- No. 14. "An Act to make further Provision for the Representation of the People of New Zealand in Parliament;"
- No. 15. "An Act to consolidate the Law regulating the Vesting and the Administration of the Public Reserves in the Colony;"
- No. 16. "An Act to extend the Jurisdiction of the Native Land Court in the Estate of Deceased Natives;"
- No. 17. "An Act to prevent Improvident Dealings and Frauds upon the Alienation of Land by Natives;"
- No. 18. "An Act to supply certain Omissions in Acts relating to Native Land;"
- No. 19. "An Act in Supplement of 'The West Coast Settlement (North Island) Act, 1880,' to provide for the Administration of Reserves made for Natives within the Confiscated Territory;"
- No. 20. "An Act to provide for the Settlement of the Thermal-Springs Districts of the Colony;"
- No. 21. "An Act to consolidate and amend the Laws regulating the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors;"
- No. 22. "An Act to amend 'The Patents Act, 1870;'"
- No. 23. "An Act to consolidate the Law relating to the Employment of Females and Others in Work-rooms and Factories;"
- No. 24. "An Act consolidating the Law for the Regulation of the Volunteer Force;"
- No. 25. "An Act to amend 'The Dentists Act, 1880;'"
- No. 26. "An Act to consolidate the Law relating to the Management of the Public Domains;"
- No. 27. "An Act relating to the Drainage of Lands by Private Owners;"
- No. 28. "An Act to regulate the Erection and Maintenance of Dividing Fences;"
- No. 29. "An Act to amend the Law relating to the Practice and Procedure of the Supreme Court of New Zealand;"
- No. 30. "An Act to amend 'The Public Health Act, 1876;'"
- No. 31. "An Act to amend 'The Neglected and Criminal Children Act, 1867,' and the Acts amending the same;"
- No. 32. "An Act to amend 'The Dog Registration Act, 1880;'"
- No. 33. "An Act to amend 'The Sheep Act, 1878;'"
- No. 34. "An Act to amend 'The Animals Protection Act, 1880;'"
- No. 35. "An Act to establish Local Boards of Administration;"
- No. 36. "An Act to authorize the Construction of certain Railways;"
- No. 37. "An Act to provide for the Construction of Railways by Joint-Stock Companies, and to authorize Grants of Crown Lands to be made to such Companies;"
- No. 38. "An Act to amend 'The Property Assessment Act, 1879;'"
- No. 39. "An Act to impose a Property-Tax;"
- No. 40. "An Act to alter the Duties of Customs and Excise;"
- No. 41. "An Act to enforce and collect the Duties on the Estates of Deceased Persons;"
- No. 42. "An Act to amend 'The Stamp Act, 1875;'"
- No. 43. "An Act to amend 'The Public Revenues Act, 1878;'"
- No. 44. "An Act to amend 'The New Zealand Consolidated Stock Act, 1877;'"
- No. 45. "An Act to appropriate certain Sums of Money for the Purpose of Immigration and Public Works;"
- No. 46. "An Act to apply a Sum of Money out of the Consolidated Fund and other Moneys to the Service of the Year ending the Thirty-first day of March, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, and to appropriate the Supplies granted in this present Session."

LOCAL ACTS.

- No. 1. "An Act to amend 'The Taranaki County Council Loan Act, 1878;'"
- No. 2. "An Act to authorize the Sale of the Queen's Wharf and Bonded Store at the City of Wellington to the Harbour Board;"
- No. 3. "An Act to authorize the Conveyance of a certain Parcel of Land described in the Schedule hereto in trust for the Port Chalmers Volunteers, and to make Provision for the Control and Management of the said Land;"
- No. 4. "An Act to appropriate a certain Portion of the Town Belt of Port Chalmers to and for the Purposes of a Public Cemetery;"
- No. 5. "An Act to amend 'The Timaru Mechanics' Institute Act, 1877;'"
- No. 6. "An Act to change the Trusts of certain Lands within the City of Auckland, and vest certain other Land in the Corporation of the City of Auckland;"

- No. 7. "An Act to enable the Waitara Harbour Board to borrow the sum of Ten Thousand Pounds for the Purpose of carrying out Improvements in the Harbour and River of Waitara;"
- No. 8. "An Act to amend 'The Masterton and Greytown Lands Management Act, 1871;'"
- No. 9. "An Act to extend the Operations of certain Sections of 'The Canterbury Rivers Act 1870 Amendment Act, 1880;'"
- No. 10. "An Act to enable the Waimakariri Harbour Board to borrow the Sum of One Thousand Pounds for the purpose of carrying out Improvements in the Harbour and River of Waimakariri;"
- No. 11. "An Act to authorize the Transfer of a Reserve made for a Water-race in the Timaru District to the Borough of Timaru, for the Purposes of the Construction of Waterworks;"
- No. 12. "An Act relating to certain Reserves vested in the Timaru Harbour Board;"
- No. 13. "An Act to grant Borrowing Powers to the Timaru Harbour Board;"
- No. 14. "An Act to bring under the Provisions of 'The Westland and Nelson Coal Fields Administration Act, 1877,' a certain Branch Coal Field Railway, constructed by the Wellington Coal Company, and also to amend the said Act;"
- No. 15. "An Act to provide for the Establishment and Management of the Rangiora High School;"
- No. 16. "An Act to provide for the Establishment and Management of the Akaroa High School;"
- No. 17. "An Act to provide for a Reserve for Educational Purposes within the Borough of Waimate, and the Erection of School-buildings at Waimate and Temuka;"
- No. 18. "An Act to constitute a Board of Trustees, and to vest in it a certain Public Reserve near to the Town of Waimate, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, for the purpose of a Racecourse;"
- No. 19. "An Act to constitute a Board of Trustees, and to vest in it a certain Public Reserve in the County of Geraldine, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, for the Purpose of a Racecourse;"
- No. 20. "An Act to amend 'The Oamaru Harbour Board Ordinance Amendment Act, 1876;'"
- No. 21. "An Act to provide for the Management and Sale of certain Reserves belonging to the University of Otago;"
- No. 22. "An Act to constitute a Dock Trust for the Management and Maintenance of a Dock at Port Chalmers, and for vesting certain Lands in such Dock Trust;"
- No. 23. "An Act to constitute a Board of Trustees, and to vest in it certain Public Reserves near Roxburgh, in the Provincial District of Otago, for the Purposes of a Racecourse;"
- No. 24. "An Act to vest in the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Invercargill a certain Parcel of Land in the Borough of Invercargill, in Trust for the Purposes of a Site for Gasworks for the said Borough;"
- No. 25. "An Act to enable the Trustees of the Southland Agricultural and Pastoral Association to dispose of certain Lands vested in them to the Southland Caledonian Society, and to acquire other Lands in lieu thereof;"
- No. 26. "An Act to provide for the Administration of Local Affairs within the Chatham Islands;"
- No. 27. "An Act to grant certain Special Powers to the Governor to issue Crown Grants, and to enable him to carry out certain Contracts and Promises."

PRIVATE ACTS (DEEMED TO BE PUBLIC ACTS).

- No. 1. "An Act to incorporate the Trustees of Saint Paul's Presbyterian Church, in the City of Christchurch, and for other Purposes;"
- No. 2. "An Act to confer certain Powers upon the Council of the County of Selwyn, in respect of a certain Water-race, to be known as the Hororata Water-race."

I have, &c.,
KIMBERLEY.

Governor the Hon. Sir A. H. Gordon,
G.C.M.G., &c.

(Circular.)

Downing Street, 2nd November, 1881.

SIR,—I have the honor to transmit to you, for your information, a copy of a circular despatch addressed by the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs to Her Majesty's Consuls, with regard to the issue of bills of health to the captains of British

vessels on leaving a foreign port at which a British Consular Officer is stationed.

I have, &c.,
KIMBERLEY.

The Officer Administering
the Government of New Zealand.

Foreign Office, 1st November, 1881.

SIR,—I am directed by Earl Granville to acquaint you that Her Majesty's Government have recently had under their consideration a question which has been raised by the sanitary Board of one of the British colonies. It is desired that, as regards the recognition by them of bills of health issued by the local authorities of foreign ports, the bill should bear the indorsement of the British Consul at the port of departure, as a guarantee that it has been issued by the proper sanitary authority of such port, and that the statements contained therein as to the health of the district are worthy of credit.

Under these circumstances, Her Majesty's Government deem it advisable that, in cases where a British vessel may require a bill of health on leaving a foreign port at which a British Consular Officer is stationed, the bill should be issued by the British Consular Officer himself if the regulations of the port admit of his doing so.

In the event of shipmasters or other persons interested preferring to provide themselves with bills of health issued by the local authorities, they should be made clearly to understand that such bills will not necessarily entitle them to pratique unless indorsed by a British Consular Officer; and a notice to the above effect should be posted up in the consular offices under your control.

When the regulations of the port require that the bill of health should be obtained from the local authorities, the bill must likewise be indorsed by the Consul. In either case of indorsement the Consul will be careful to state whether the facts mentioned in the bill of health give, to the best of his knowledge, a true account of the health of the port and district, and are worthy of credit.

A similar course should be followed in regard to bills of health required by foreign vessels about to proceed to British ports.

I am accordingly to instruct you, for the future, to act in the manner above indicated as regards bills of health, and to give directions in the same sense to the Vice-Consuls within your consular district.

I am, &c.,
(Unsigned.)

Letters of Naturalisation issued.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 11th February, 1882.

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

Name.	Occupation.	Residence.
Francis Charles Berthold	Teacher of music	Westport.
THOMAS DICK.		

Alteration in Office at which Picton Electoral Roll can be inspected.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 8th February, 1882.

I N accordance with the provisions of "The Registration of Electors Act, 1879," I hereby appoint

The office of the Registrar of Births, &c., at the Courthouse, Picton,
to be an office at which the Picton electoral roll can be inspected, in lieu of the office of the Registrar of Births, &c., Wairau Street, Picton.

THOMAS DICK.

Revoking Notice declaring Clean and Infected Sheep Districts and declaring New Clean and Infected Sheep Districts within the Colony.—Notice No. 117.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 8th February, 1882.

IT is hereby notified that, under the provisions of section 9 of "The Sheep Act, 1878," His Excellency the Governor, this day, has revoked the notice bearing date the 24th September, 1879, constituting Clean Sheep Districts and Infected Sheep Districts.

IT IS FURTHER NOTIFIED that, under the above-named authority, His Excellency the Governor, this day, has declared the Sheep Districts of Napier, Canterbury, Otago, and Waiau, as defined in the Proclamations of the 24th December, 1878, the 23rd of September, 1879, the 26th January, 1880, and the 2nd November, 1880, to be Clean Sheep Districts; and the Sheep Districts of Auckland, New Plymouth, Wellington, Nelson, and Marlborough, as defined in the same Proclamations, to be Infected Sheep Districts.

THOMAS DICK.

Notifying Changes in the Stock Department.—Notice No. 118.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 16th February, 1882.

THE following changes in the Stock Department are published for general information:—

In the Wellington Sheep and Cattle Districts.

Inspector T. G. Richardson, in charge of the Wellington Subdivision, has been appointed to take charge of the Wanganui Subdivision during the suspension from duty of Inspectors Gerse and Mackenzie.

Mr. Willis Ashton Scaife has been appointed an Inspector of Sheep, from the 6th April, 1881.

Inspector W. A. Scaife has been appointed, from the 1st February, 1882, to be a Sheep Inspector and a Deputy Cattle Inspector for the Wanganui Subdivision.

THOMAS DICK.

Licensing Committee elected.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 9th February, 1882.

NOTICE has been received at this office, under the hand of H. S. Wardell, Esq., Returning Officer, that

JAMES BAILLIE,
WALTER BOCK,
WILLIAM HENRY WELCH HAINES,
DAVID PELL SOASLEY, and
JOHN TULLY, Sen.,

have been duly elected to be the Licensing Committee for the District of the Borough of Greytown.

R. G. FOUNTAIN,
Under-Secretary.

Justice of the Peace resigned.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 15th February, 1882.

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

ADAM ROLLAND, Esq.,

of Black's, of his appointment as a Justice of the Peace for the colony.

THOMAS DICK.

Offer of Free Pardon to Accomplice.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 11th February, 1882.

WHEREAS on the 16th day of January, 1882, the premises of Nicholas Welsh, situated at Rakaia, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, were set on fire:

This is to notify that His Excellency the Governor will grant a free pardon to any person implicated in the said act, not being the principal offender, who shall give such information as will lead to the apprehension and conviction of any one or more of the other offenders.

THOMAS DICK.

Notice to Mariners.—No. 3 of 1882.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 13th February, 1882.

THE following Notice to Mariners, received from the Minister for Foreign Affairs for the Hawaiian Islands through the Consul for those islands at Dunedin, is published for general information.

H. A. ATKINSON.

HAWAIIAN ISLANDS.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on and after the 1st January, 1882, there will be exhibited on the extreme south-west point of the Island of Molokai (known as Lae o ka Laau) a fixed white Fresnel light of the fourth order, showing from all points of the compass.

The light is 50 feet above sea-level, and is visible from a vessel's deck in clear weather a distance of eleven miles. The tower is painted white, the lantern red.

Lat. 21° 6' N., long. 157° 18' W. (from Greenwich).

The following are the magnetic bearings (variation 9° 20' E.), extreme points of land being taken: South point of Oahu, N. 81° W.; east point of Oahu, N. 66° W.; Mokapu, north-east Oahu, N. 56° W.; north-west point of Molokai, N. 8° E.; Lahaina light, S. 78° E.; north-east point Lanai, S. 72° E.; south-west point Lanai, S. 49° E.

Mariners are especially cautioned against confounding this with the north-west point of Molokai, bearing as above, distant nine miles.

3rd December, 1881.

Amended Order altering Boundaries of District for the Collection of Duty under "The Beer Duty Act, 1880."

CUSTOMS.—In exercise of the power in me for this purpose vested by "The Beer Duty Act, 1880," I, the Commissioner of Customs, do hereby alter the boundaries of the District of Wanganui, as the same are specified in Commissioner's Order No. 133, of the seventh day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, and do hereby order that, in addition to the boroughs and counties in such order specified, the Boroughs of Hawera and Patea respectively, as the same are severally defined in *Gazette* No. 1, of the fifth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, and No. 80, of the thirteenth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, and the County of Hawera, as the same is defined in *Gazette* No. 61, of the twenty-eighth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, shall be included in the said District of Wanganui.

This regulation shall take effect from the ninth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

Given under my hand at Wellington, this sixth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

H. A. ATKINSON,

Minister acting for the Commissioner of Customs.

Commissioner's Order No. 158.]

Authority to frank.

Post Office and Telegraph Department,
Wellington, 10th February, 1882.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to authorize

The CLERK and ACCOUNTANT, PRISONS DEPARTMENT,
WELLINGTON,

to frank, free from prepayment, telegrams, letters, and parcels posted on the public service.

WALTER W. JOHNSTON,
Postmaster-General.

Post Offices opened.

Post Office and Telegraph Department,
Wellington, 8th February, 1882.

THE following list of additional Post Offices which have been opened in the colony is published for general information.

WALTER W. JOHNSTON,
Postmaster-General.

Name of Office.	In what Postal District.	Circulating Office.
Aongatete	Auckland	Auckland.
Dalmore	Invercargill	Invercargill.
Ellerslie	Auckland	Auckland.
Eastown	Wanganui	Wanganui.
Egmont Village	New Plymouth	New Plymouth.
Epsom	Auckland	Auckland.
Flemington	Christchurch	Christchurch.
Grove (reopened)	Blenheim	Blenheim.
Heddon Bush	Invercargill	Invercargill.
Ida Valley	Dunedin	Dunedin.
Kiwitea	Wellington	Wellington.
Kauangaroa	Wanganui	Wanganui.
Kenepuru	Blenheim	Blenheim.
Lake Tekapo (reopened)	Timaru	Timaru.
Limehills	Invercargill	Invercargill.
Lower Hawea	Dunedin	Dunedin.
Mallaghan's	Invercargill	Invercargill.
Mapourika	Hokitika	Hokitika.
Martinborough	Wellington	Wellington.
Matawai	Auckland	Auckland.
Moonlight	Dunedin	Dunedin.
Ngairi	Wanganui	Wanganui.
Ohonga	Wellington	Wellington.
Okoroiri	Auckland	Auckland.
Oropi	Auckland	Auckland.
Otakeho	Wanganui	Wanganui.
Otonga	Auckland	Auckland.
Parihaka	New Plymouth	New Plymouth.
Pungarehu	New Plymouth	New Plymouth.
Rahotu	New Plymouth	New Plymouth.
St. Omer	Blenheim	Blenheim.
Tadmor	Nelson	Nelson.
Taupaki	Auckland	Auckland.
Te Kao	Auckland	Auckland.
Trentham (reopened)	Wellington	Wellington.
Upper Waianiwa	Invercargill	Invercargill.
Wangaparapara	Auckland	Auckland.
Waikomiti	Auckland	Auckland.
Waitetuna	Auckland	Auckland.

Post Offices closed.

Post Office and Telegraph Department,
Wellington, 8th February, 1882.

THE following list of Post Offices within the colony which have been closed is published for general information.

WALTER W. JOHNSTON,
Postmaster-General.

Name of Office.	In what Postal District.	Circulating Office.
Ashbourne	Christchurch	Christchurch.
Arthur's Point	Invercargill	Invercargill.
Big Bay	Hokitika	Hokitika.
Gap	Invercargill	Invercargill.
Homewood	Blenheim	Blenheim.
Lowther	Invercargill	Invercargill.
Malvern	Christchurch	Christchurch.
Pinehill	Dunedin	Dunedin.
Rahotu	New Plymouth	New Plymouth.
St. Johns	Wanganui	Wanganui.
Spreydon	Christchurch	Christchurch.
Waihenga	Wellington	Wellington.

Appointment of Postmasters.

Post Office and Telegraph Department,
Wellington, 8th February, 1882.

IN virtue of the powers delegated to the Postmaster-General by His Excellency the Governor, the following appointments have been made in the Postal Service of the colony.

WALTER W. JOHNSTON,
Postmaster-General.

Name.	To be Postmaster at	In what Postal District.	From
C. Nicolls	Akuaku	Gisborne	1 July, 1881
H. D. Willcox	Alexandra South	Dunedin	7 Jan., 1882
G. Hunter	Aongatete	Auckland	1 Aug., 1881
M. Loubere	Antonio's Flat	Greymouth	1 Oct., "
R. Vinsen	Ashburton Forks	Christchurch	1 Jan., 1882
J. Wood	Awamoko	Oamaru	1 June, 1881
P. F. Thiel	Awhitu	Auckland	1 Sept., "
W. A. Comerford	Balclutha	Dunedin	1 June, "
T. Shadrack	Balcairn	Christchurch	8 Dec., "
J. Linton	Batley	Auckland	1 July, "
H. Wilton	Bideford	Wellington	1 Nov., "
S. Macalister	Blenheim	Blenheim	1 June, "
J. McKechnie	Blueskin	Dunedin	1 May, "
R. L. Hasseltine	Brightwater	Nelson	15 Aug., "
E. G. Wilson	Burnham	Christchurch	23 Jan., 1882
A. Boyes	Caversham	Dunedin	25 Nov., 1881
R. Stewart	Cheltenham	Wellington	1 Aug., "
J. Gray	Chertsey	Christchurch	26 Jan., 1882
M. O. Dodd	Dairy Flat	Auckland	1 July, 1881
A. McPherson	Dalmore	Invercargill	15 Aug., "
O. H. Osborne	Dreyerton	Wellington	1 June, "
R. Todd	Dunback	Dunedin	1 Sept., "
James Grant	Dunsandel	Christchurch	14 Dec., "
H. N. Leach	Ealing	Christchurch	20 Jan., 1882
A. Hogg	Eastown	Wanganui	1 Oct., 1881
A. Barnett	East Takaka	Nelson	1 Nov., "
T. E. Donne	Edendale	Invercargill	9 May, "
W. J. Grayling	Egmont Village	New Plymouth	1 June, "
C. H. Regnell	Ellerslie	Auckland	1 Sept., "
F. M. Dando	Epsom	Auckland	23 Jan., 1882
A. Potts	Erewhon	Napier	1 Oct., 1881
J. Smith	Fernside	Christchurch	1 Dec., "
H. C. Williamson	Flemington	Christchurch	1 Sept., "
E. Fildesley	Gladstone	Wellington	1 July, "
A. G. Oldfield	Governor's Bay	Christchurch	24 Jan., 1882
E. McKenna	Greatford	Wanganui	1 Sept., 1881
W. Whitton	Greenstone	Greymouth	1 Oct., "
A. Borland	Groper's Bush	Invercargill	1 Oct., "
C. Brown	Grove	Blenheim	1 Oct., "
J. H. Young	Heddon Bush	Invercargill	1 Sept., "
J. T. Parsons	Helensville	Auckland	1 Aug., "
S. J. Jago	Hokitika	Hokitika	1 June, "

Name.	To be Post-master at	In what Postal District.	From
F. McRae	Hokonui	Invercargill...	1 Oct., 1881
J. Girvan	Horseshoe Bend	Dunedin	1 Dec., "
W. S. Gordon	Inglewood	New Plymouth	1 July, "
R. Lowe	Ida Valley	Dunedin	1 Sept., "
J. K. Newton	Kaikora	Napier	1 July, "
W. B. Ramsbottom	Kamo	Auckland	1 June, "
E. A. Young	Kauangaroa	Wanganui	1 Aug., "
F. A. Green	Karitane	Dunedin	1 July, "
T. Butchart	Kelso	Dunedin	1 Sept., "
S. J. Gallery	Kerepuru	Blenheim	1 Sept., "
C. C. Empson	Kihikihi	Auckland	1 July, "
G. Currin	Kiwitea	Wellington	1 Aug., "
P. M. Wilson	Kuri Bush	Dunedin	1 April, "
J. Richmond	Lake Tekapo	Timaru	1 Sept., "
M. Rogers	Limehills	Invercargill...	1 July, "
G. J. H. Bennett	Lochiel	Invercargill...	1 May, "
G. Wilmot	Loburn	Christchurch	1 June, "
J. Fox	Lower Hawea	Dunedin	2 Jan., 1882
T. Trevathan	Luggate	Dunedin	1 Oct., 1881
D. C. Stock	Malaghan's	Invercargill...	1 Dec., "
C. M. Carter	Mangare	Auckland	16 Aug., "
G. Tisch	Mangawhero	Wanganui	1 Aug., "
E. Goodwin	Maori Point	Invercargill...	1 July, "
J. S. Benyon	Mapourika	Hokitika	1 Nov., "
W. R. Spain	Martinborough	Wellington	19 Jan., 1882
W. Thorley	Matawai	Auckland	1 June, 1881
G. Gundersen	Mauriceville	Wellington	1 Dec., "
J. Dellow	Mayfield	Christchurch	1 July, "
M. H. S. Peacock	Meanee	Napier	1 Jan., 1882
L. Gilliard	Methven	Christchurch	9 Dec., 1881
A. Graham	Moeraki	Oamaru	23 July, "
J. Simpson	Moonlight	Dunedin	1 June, "
T. Daulton	Motuotaria	Napier	1 Oct., "
W. H. Puddicombe	Mount Somers	Christchurch	1 July, "
E. J. B. Collins	Newland	Christchurch	1 Sept., "
C. Turnbull	Newmarket	Auckland	1 July, "
J. Cheyne	Ngaire	Wanganui	1 Dec., "
W. Hale	North Loburn	Christchurch	1 Oct., "
V. Roberts	Ohaupo	Auckland	1 June, "
J. McAlister	Ohiwa	Auckland	1 Nov., "
J. W. Baker	Ohonga	Wellington	16 Jan., 1882
A. R. Knyvett	Okehu	Wanganui	1 July, 1881
B. Montague	Okoroiri	Auckland	1 Oct., "
G. Gazzard	One-Tree Point	Invercargill...	1 July, "
A. Levy	Ormondville	Napier	1 Oct., "
H. Davidson	Oropi	Auckland	1 Feb., 1882
C. A. Denby	Otaio	Timaru	1 June, 1881
F. M. Alexander	Otakeho	Wanganui	19 Dec., "
T. Walker	Otakou	Dunedin	1 Aug., "
T. Finlayson	Otonga	Auckland	1 Nov., "
James McKechnie	Otautau	Invercargill...	26 Dec., "
G. Dabinett	Owake	Dunedin	8 Oct., "
J. H. Walsh	Owharoa	Thames	28 Nov., "
J. Phillips, sen.	Paeroa	Thames	1 Dec., "
F. Bills	Paikakariki	Wellington	1 June, "
A. Oglivie	Panmure	Auckland	1 Oct., "
C. F. Estall	Parihaka	New Plymouth	18 Dec., "
J. Ashton	Patangata	Napier	1 April, "
E. Butler	Porter's Pass	Christchurch	1 May, "
J. Kelly	Port Levy	Christchurch	1 Jan., 1882
J. Luff	Pukearuhe	New Plymouth	1 Aug., 1881
G. Watson	Pukeuri	Oamaru	19 Oct., "
W. Brookes	Pungarehu	New Plymouth	1 Dec., "
W. Bohning	Rae's Junction	Dunedin	16 July, "
W. Barclay	Ravensbourne	Dunedin	1 Nov., "
Jessie Cameron	Redcliff	Timaru	1 Jan., 1882
T. Haynes	Riccarton	Christchurch	1 June, 1881
R. Hill	Richmond	Auckland	1 Oct., "
J. R. Boswell	Rolleston	Christchurch	1 June, "
Robert McBride	Rotherham	Christchurch	1 Feb., 1882
John McIntyre	Saltwater Creek	Christchurch	1 Jan., "
William Millar	Seacliff	Dunedin	1 Jan., "
W. A. Williams	Selwyn	Christchurch	9 Dec., 1881
J. J. Mumford	Silverstream	Timaru	1 June, "
J. Frame	Southbridge	Christchurch	10 May, "
J. Dodd	Springbank	Christchurch	19 Oct., "
L. Henry	Stirling	Dunedin	22 July, "
A. M. Kavanagh	Stoke	Nelson	1 Jan., 1882
E. Lester	St. Andrew's	Auckland	1 Oct., 1881
A. P. Houghton	St. Omer	Blenheim	1 Sept., "
R. Shepherd	Swannanoa	Christchurch	22 May, "
T. Hodgkinson	Tadmor	Nelson	1 June, "

Name.	To be Post-master at	In what Postal District.	From
T. W. Lecocq	Takapau	Napier	1 Feb., 1882
D. Russell	Taupaki	Auckland	1 Oct., 1881
J. Levery	Te Aroha	Thames	1 Oct., "
J. Adamson	Te Kao	Auckland	15 Nov., "
G. E. Schmidt	Te Wharau	Auckland	1 Aug., "
F. T. Roskruge	Thornbury	Invercargill...	1 July, "
E. Cook	Timaru	Timaru	1 June, "
W. W. Brown	Tologa Bay	Gisborne	25 Oct., "
W. G. Haybittle	Trentham	Wellington	5 Nov., "
W. H. Ross	Upper Ferry	Timaru	1 Oct., "
J. Unsworth	Upper Hutt	Wellington	1 Sept., "
J. Stevenson	Upper Waianiwa	Invercargill...	1 Oct., "
E. Morton	Wade	Auckland	1 July, "
J. T. Prain	Waihola	Dunedin	10 Dec., "
Hugo Lippert	Waibemo	Dunedin	1 Jan., 1882
J. Duncan	Wai-iti	Nelson	15 Aug., 1881
T. A. Stephens	Waikivi	Invercargill...	1 Oct., "
R. Hill	Waikomiti	Auckland	1 Nov., "
H. Bussell	Wainui	Christchurch	1 July, "
F. W. Knight	Waipori	Dunedin	1 Jan., 1882
T. J. Duffy	Waitahuna	Dunedin	21 May, 1881
C. Sutton	Waitetuna	Auckland	1 June, "
S. Mears	Waitekauri	Thames	16 Nov., "
Archibald Mahan	Waitohi Flat	Timaru	1 Jan., 1882
H. Palmer	Wangaparapara	Auckland	1 Dec., 1881
W. W. Beswick	Westport	Westport	1 June, "
J. McBean	Whatipu	Auckland	1 Dec., "
J. Leach	Whau	Auckland	1 Sept., "
G. Frost	Wakapuaka	Nelson	1 July, "
James Simpson	Whakataki	Wellington	1 Jan., 1882
J. Fisher	Windwhistle House	Christchurch	1 July, 1881
J. Whyte	Woodlands	Invercargill...	1 Feb., 1882
J. Motley	Woodville	Wellington	14 June, 1881

Tenders.

Public Works Office,
Wellington, 14th February, 1882.

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

H. A. ATKINSON,
Minister acting for the Minister for
Public Works.

RIVERTON-OREPUKI RAILWAY.—PAHIA CONTRACT. (FORMATION ONLY).]

	Accepted.	£	s.	d.
Davidson and Conyers, Dunedin	...	9,754	7	0
<i>Declined.</i>				
Readell and Isbester, Invercargill	...	11,505	18	0
J. Concher, Riverton	...	11,640	6	10
H. Shepherd, Rakaia	...	13,078	14	10
A. Springfield and Co., Invercargill	...	13,200	13	2
M. H. L. Bennett, Invercargill	...	13,388	10	0
M. Hislop, Dunedin	...	14,014	18	0
H. Whitaker, Dunedin	...	14,352	4	4
P. Dey, Mosgiel	...	14,871	11	1
E. J. T. Price, Kumara	...	15,146	0	0
A. McKenzie and Co., Dunedin (withdrawn)	...	7,924	13	0

Officiating Ministers for 1882.—Notice No. 2.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 14th February, 1882.

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:—

Congregational Independents.

The Reverend Richard Laishley.
The Reverend Abraham Riding.
The Reverend Joseph Robertson.

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

Application for Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 9th February, 1882.

PATENT for a Specific for Relieving Toothache, to be called "Odontia."

JOHN KENNEDY, of Blenheim, New Zealand, Druggist, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Friday, the 28th day of April 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 24th day of April 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.

Application for Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 9th February, 1882.

PATENT for an Invention for Harvesting Peas.

JOHN VORBACH, of Renwicktown, Marlborough, Engineer, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Friday, the 12th day of May 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 8th day of May 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.

Application for Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 14th February, 1882.

PATENT for an Invention for Cleansing Seeds and Grain.

HENRY JAGGERS, of Invercargill, New Zealand, Plumber, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Friday, the 28th day of April 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 24th day of April 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.

Application for Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 15th February, 1882.

PATENT for an Invention for Curing Toothache, for preventing Teeth from Aching, becoming Loose or Decaying; and for Cleansing, Purifying, Whitening, and Hardening the Teeth and Gums; to be called "Guilford's Patent Toothache Lotion."

JAMES GUILFORD, Senior, of the City of Wellington, New Zealand, Tanner, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Friday, the 12th day of May 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 8th day of May 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.

Te Makarini Scholarships.

THREE scholarships, to be held at the Native College, Te Aute, Hawke's Bay, are offered by the Trustees of the fund instituted in memory of the late Sir Donald McLean for promoting the higher education of Maori youths.

Two of these scholarships are open to any Maori or half-caste whose age on the 31st March, 1882, shall not exceed fifteen years, and who shall have attended a Native college or school for the preceding twelve months. The remaining scholarship is open to any Maori or half-caste whose age on the 31st March, 1882, shall not exceed thirteen years, and who shall have attended a Native village school for the preceding twelve months.

The scholarships are of the annual value of £35, and are tenable for a year and a half from the 1st July, 1882.

The examination will be held at convenient centres on the 27th and 28th April, 1882. Candidates must, either directly or through their teachers, send notice to the Inspector of Native Schools, Education Department, Wellington, of their intention to present themselves for examination. Such notice must be posted not later than the 20th March.

Copies of the regulations and forms of notice will shortly be distributed among the teachers of Native schools and boarding institutions. Copies may also be obtained from the Secretaries to Education Boards or from the Secretary to the Education Department.

JAMES H. POPE,
Inspector of Native Schools.

The University of London and the Gilchrist Scholarship.

Education Department,
Wellington, 31st December, 1881.

A SCHOLARSHIP of the value of £100 per annum, and tenable for three years, is biennially awarded to the highest among those candidates at the London University June Matriculation Examination held in New Zealand, who pass either in the Honours or in the First Division, are not less than sixteen nor more than twenty-two years of age, and are desirous of prosecuting their studies either at the University of Edinburgh, or at the University College, London, with a view to graduation in one of the Faculties of the University of London.

If any candidates offer themselves, the June examination for New Zealand will be held some time in the month of June, 1882, or as soon after as the examination papers arrive in the colony, and at such place or places as may be hereafter fixed, having regard to the candidates' places of abode.

Candidates will not be approved by the Examiners unless they have shown a competent knowledge in each of the following subjects, according to the details specified under the several heads:—

1. Latin.
2. Any two of the following languages: (a) Greek, (b) French, and (c) German.
3. The English language, English history, and modern geography.
4. Mathematics.
5. Natural philosophy.
6. Chemistry.

Particulars of the foregoing subjects of examination will be found in the Calendar of the University of London, under the head of "Regulations—Matriculation." The special Latin and Greek subjects for

June, 1882, are *Livy*, Book II.; and *Homer*, Iliad, Book XVIII.

The scholarship will be considered as commencing from the 1st July, 1883, but the first quarterly instalment will be paid to the successful candidate in the first week of October, 1883, at which time he will be expected to present himself to the Secretary of the Gilchrist Trust in London. Subsequent payments will depend on attendance at three courses of lectures in every session, and on good conduct; and the scholar must present himself for the first examination in one of the Faculties of the University of London before the end of the second year of the currency of his scholarship.

Every candidate will be required to give satisfactory evidence that he is between the ages of sixteen and twenty-two years, and either that he is a native of New Zealand, or that he has resided in New Zealand for the last five years.

Notice of entry, with satisfactory testimonials as to personal character, and the London matriculation fee of £2, must be sent to the Secretary for Education, Wellington, so as to reach his office not later than the 1st June, 1882.

By order.

JOHN HISLOP,
Secretary for Education.

Balance-Sheet, Auckland Savings Bank, for 1881.

STATEMENT of the Receipts and Payments of the Auckland Savings Bank for the Year ending the 31st December, 1881.

RECEIPTS.		£	s.	d.
Cash in hand, 1st January, 1881	...	11,884	14	5
Amount lodged by depositors	£188,259 0 9			
Interest added during the year	625 3 3			
Interest added, Dec. 31, 1881	7,507 5 0			
		196,391	9	0
Interest on mortgages and debentures	...	10,573	3	8
Interest on deposit with Bank of Australasia	...	2,237	7	3
Mortgages repaid	...	33,851	0	0
South British and New Zealand Insurance Companies, for damage by fire	...	150	0	0
Rent	...	7	0	0
		£255,094	14	4

PAYMENTS.		£	s.	d.
Repaid depositors	...	143,100	6	6
Interest credited depositors	...	8,132	8	3
Charges	...	1,618	7	7
Invested on mortgages	...	48,015	0	0
Invested on deposit with Bank of Australasia	...	22,000	0	0
New building	...	86	0	4
Cash in hand	...	32,142	11	8
		£255,094	14	4

R. CAMERON, Manager.

S. G. ROUNTREE, Accountant.

We hereby certify that we have examined the above statement of the receipts and payments of the Auckland Savings Bank, and that, to the best of our belief, it contains a true and correct account of all transactions of the bank during the year, and that the balance of cash in hand amounts to thirty-two thousand one hundred and forty-two pounds eleven shillings and eightpence.

THOMAS MORRIN,
W. S. LAURIE,
J. M. SHERA,
W. F. COCHRANE, } Trustees.

Auckland, 31st December, 1881.

STATEMENT of the Assets and Liabilities of the Auckland Savings Bank on the 31st December, 1881.

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
To Amount invested on mortgage	...	138,172	0	0
Amount invested on deposit with Bank of Australasia	...	55,000	0	0
Amount invested in debentures	...	5,900	0	0

		£	s.	d.
To Amount of interest due 31st December, 1881	...	2,989	15	3
Bank premises	...	3,429	0	4
Cash in Bank of Australasia (working account)	...	32,142	11	8
		£237,633	7	3

To Balance £21,418 19 5

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
By Amount due 6,330 depositors	...	211,214	7	10
Investment, Fluctuation Account	...	5,000	0	0
Balance	...	21,418	19	5
		£237,633	7	3

R. CAMERON, Manager.

S. G. ROUNTREE, Accountant.

We hereby certify that, to the best of our belief, the above is a true and correct statement of the assets and liabilities of the Auckland Savings Bank on the 31st December, 1881.

THOMAS MORRIN,
W. S. LAURIE,
J. M. SHERA,
W. F. COCHRANE, } Trustees.

Auckland, 31st December, 1881.

Bank of Australasia,
Auckland, 24th January, 1882.

I hereby certify that the amount at credit of the Trustees of the Auckland Savings Bank, in account with the Bank of Australasia, on the 31st December, 1881, was twenty-four thousand eight hundred and thirty-three pounds sixteen shillings and sevenpence.

		£	s.	d.
Balance as above	...	24,833	16	7
Cash paid in, 3rd January, 1882	...	7,308	15	1
		£32,142	11	8

For the Bank of Australasia,
L. LAWFORDE,
Manager, Auckland Branch.

Crown Lands Notices.

Otago Runs.—Leases which Expire March, 1883.

THE following Licenses of Runs, for terms of years commencing the 1st March, 1883, will be offered by auction in Watson's Long-room, High Street, Dunedin, on Monday, the 27th February, 1882, at 11 o'clock a.m.

LITHOGRAPH SHEET No. 1.

MANIOTOTO COUNTY.

Subdivision of No. 226, Lauder Station, Base of the Dunstan Range.

Run No. 226, about 32,430 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £300 per annum.

Run No. 226A, about 13,440 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £336 per annum.

Run No. 226B, about 16,660 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £416 per annum.

Run No. 226c, about 8,830 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £221 per annum.

Run No. 226d, about 5,630 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £141 per annum.

Subdivision of Run No. 228, between the Manuherikia River and Dunstan Creek, at the Base of Mount St. Bathans.

Run No. 228, about 32,740 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £400 per annum.

Run No. 228A, about 19,730 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £200 per annum.

Subdivision of Run No. 224, known as Blackstone Hill Run, Ida Valley.

Run No. 224, about 5,730 acres. License for four years. Upset rental, £167 per annum.

Run No. 224A, about 5,850 acres. License for four years. Upset rental, £171 per annum.

Run No. 224B, about 5,610 acres. License for four years. Upset rental, £164 per annum.

Run No. 224c, about 4,230 acres. License for four years. Upset rental, £123 per annum.

Run No. 224D, about 5,020 acres. License for four years. Upset rental, £146 per annum.

Subdivision of Run No. 227, from the Main Road, Hill's Creek, back to the Hawkdun Mountains.

Run No. 227, about 39,680 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £440 per annum.

Run No. 227A, about 16,000 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £220 per annum.

Subdivision of Run No. 225, Highfields, in Ida Valley and White Sow Valley.

Run No. 225, about 4,550 acres. License for five years. Upset rental, £133 per annum.

Run No. 225A, about 4,350 acres. License for five years. Upset rental, £127 per annum.

Run No. 225B, about 7,190 acres. License for six years. Upset rental, £210 per annum.

Run No. 225c, about 9,980 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £291 per annum.

Run No. 225D, about 5,550 acres. License for six years. Upset rental, £162 per annum.

Run No. 225E, about 6,370 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £186 per annum.

Subdivision of Run No. 222, on the Wetherburn, and Taieri River.

Run No. 222, about 10,950 acres. License for three years. Upset rental, £280 per annum.

Run No. 222A, about 6,090 acres. License for three years. Upset rental, £180 per annum.

Run No. 222B, about 9,830 acres. License for three years. Upset rental, £280 per annum.

(Re-let) Run No. 306, Mount Ida Pastoral Company.

Run No. 306, about 23,930 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £300 per annum.

Subdivision of Run No. 219, Eweburn Station, Taieri River.

Run No. 219, about 4,600 acres. License for five years. Upset rental, £100 per annum.

Run No. 219A, about 5,270 acres. License for five years. Upset rental, £100 per annum.

Run No. 219B, about 4,520 acres. License for five years. Upset rental, £100 per annum.

Run No. 219c, about 9,030 acres. License for five years. Upset rental, £100 per annum.

Subdivision of Run No. 248 (late Dr. Buchanan's), between Taieri River and Sowburn.

Run No. 248, about 23,600 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £500 per annum.

Run No. 248A, about 26,800 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £250 per annum. This run is shown on lithograph sheet No. 2.

Subdivision of Run No. 211, Mount Ida and Kyeburn Slopes.

Run No. 211, about 25,930 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £175 per annum.

Run No. 211A, about 16,940 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £135 per annum.

Subdivision of Run No. 206A, Kyeburn.

Run No. 206A, about 4,040 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £101 per annum.

Run No. 206c, about 7,370 acres. License for four years. Upset rental, £170 per annum.

Run No. 206E, about 6,650 acres. License for four years. Upset rental, £90 per annum.

Run No. 206G, about 3,200 acres. License for five years. Upset rental, £80 per annum.

Subdivision of Run No. 206B, Head of Kyeburn, on Western Slopes of the Kakanui.

Run No. 206B, about 11,770 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £140 per annum.

Run No. 206D, about 4,090 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £20 per annum.

Run No. 206E, about 5,220 acres. License for four years. Upset rental, £45 per annum.

Subdivision of Run No. 203, Swinburn and Kyeburn.

Run No. 203A, about 8,600 acres. License for five years. Upset rental, £230 per annum.

Run No. 203B, about 6,060 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £230 per annum.

Run No. 203c, about 6,750 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £150 per annum.

Subdivision of Run No. 204 (Hamilton and Rowley), fronts Taieri River and extends to Rock and Pillar Ranges.

Run No. 204, about 14,360 acres. License for five years. Upset rental, £260 per annum.

Run No. 204A, about 18,960 acres. License for five years. Upset rental, £300 per annum.

Subdivision of Run No. 247, known as Puketoi, along Eastern Face of Rough Ridge.

Run No. 247, about 6,240 acres. License for three years. Upset rental, £208 per annum.

Run No. 247A, about 9,390 acres. License for five years. Upset rental, £313 per annum.

Run No. 247B, about 12,540 acres. License for five years. Upset rental, £418 per annum.

Run No. 247c, about 10,700 acres. License for five years. Upset rental, £357 per annum.

Run No. 247D, about 11,000 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £367 per annum.

(Re-let) Run No. 308A, part of Puketoi.

Run No. 308A, about 8,750 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £250 per annum.

Subdivision of Run No. 308B (partly in Sheet No. 2), crossed by Dunstan and Rock and Pillar Roads.

Run No. 308B, about 28,200 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £350 per annum.

Run No. 308c, about 15,890 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £400 per annum.

WAITAKI COUNTY.

(Re-let) Run No. 201, bounded by Ahuriri, Longslip, and Oamarama Rivers.

Run No. 201, about 70,190 acres. License for one year. Upset rental, £555 per annum.

(Re-let) Run No. 233, West of Ahuriri and Longslip Rivers.

Run No. 233, about 21,190 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £75 per annum.

(Re-let) Run No. 362A, near Clarke's Diggings.

Run No. 362A, about 43,640 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £300 per annum.

(Re-let) Run No. 362B, North of 362A.

Run No. 362B, about 26,030 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £300 per annum.

(Re-let) Run No. 300, South of the North Branch of Maerewhenua River.

Run No. 300, about 17,320 acres. License for nine years. Upset rental, £300 per annum.

(*Re-let*) Run No. 301, South of Run No. 300.

Run No. 301, about 27,870 acres. License for nine years. Upset rental, £300 per annum.

Subdivision of Runs Nos. 217A and 217B, North-east of Kakanui Mountains.

Run No. 217, about 18,630 acres. License for eight years. Upset rental, £200 per annum.

Run No. 217A, about 12,590 acres. License for eight years. Upset rental, £200 per annum.

Run No. 217B, about 17,530 acres. License for six years. Upset rental, £225 per annum.

(*Re-let*) Runs Nos. 209, 464, and 11, Kakanui Mountains and Horse Range.

Run No. 209, about 4,910 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £75 per annum.

Run No. 464, about 7,930 acres. License for eight years. Upset rental, £100 per annum.

Run No. 11, about 7,930 acres. License for nine years. Upset rental, £90 per annum.

(*Re-let*) Run No. 17, Waitaki Slopes, between North Branch Maerewhenua and Otekaike Rivers.

Run No. 17, about 12,500 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £250 per annum.

(*Re-let*) Run No. 445, East of Hawkdun Mountains.

Run No. 445, about 15,230 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £75 per annum.

WAIKOUAITI COUNTY.

Subdivision of Run No. 210, Deepdell Station, Moonlight Flat, Highlay, and Taieri River.

Run No. 210, about 3,370 acres. License for three years. Upset rental, £84 per annum.

Run No. 210A, about 7,010 acres. License for five years. Upset rental, £138 per annum.

Run No. 210B, about 8,540 acres. License for three years. Upset rental, £200 per annum.

Run No. 210C, about 4,810 acres. License for five years. Upset rental, £118 per annum.

Run No. 210D, about 6,140 acres. License for five years. Upset rental, £160 per annum.

Run No. 210E, about 8,450 acres. License for three years. Upset rental, £211 per annum.

Run No. 210F, about 6,830 acres. License for three years. Upset rental, £171 per annum.

Run No. 210G, about 9,210 acres. License for three years. Upset rental, £230 per annum.

VINCENT COUNTY.

Subdivision of Run No. 261, lying along the Rough Ridge and Ida Valley.

Run No. 261, about 11,800 acres. License for five years. Upset rental, £197 per annum.

Run No. 261A, about 8,830 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £147 per annum.

Run No. 261B, about 12,510 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £209 per annum.

Run No. 261C, about 17,150 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £286 per annum.

Run No. 261D, about 23,830 acres. License for eight years. Upset rental, £397 per annum.

Run No. 261E, about 19,730 acres. License for eight years. Upset rental, £329 per annum.

LITHOGRAPH SHEET No. 2.

TAIERI COUNTY.

Subdivision of Run No. 213B, Gladbrook, on Taieri River, Rock and Pillar District.

Run No. 213B, about 14,610 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £244 per annum.

Run No. 213C, about 26,440 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £441 per annum.

Subdivision of Run No. 254, Rocklands.

Run No. 254, about 47,740 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £597 per annum.

Run No. 254A, about 30,050 acres. License for eight years. Upset rental, £501 per annum.

Subdivision of Run No. 260, North of Lee Stream.

Run No. 260, about 27,450 acres. License for nine years. Upset rental, £300 per annum.

Run No. 260A, about 3,350 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £60 per annum.

Subdivision of Run No. 185, between Lee Hundred and Hindon.

Run No. 185, about 4,600 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £70 per annum.

Run No. 185A, about 4,150 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £80 per annum.

Subdivision of Run No. 218, Mount Stoker Run.

Run No. 218, about 12,560 acres. License for five years. Upset rental, £210 per annum.

Run No. 218A, about 9,520 acres. License for six years. Upset rental, £225 per annum.

TUAPEKA COUNTY.

(*Re-let*) Run No. 259, South-east of Lammerlaw.

Run No. 259, about 31,150 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £90 per annum.

(*Re-let*) Run No. 186, including Run No. 48, East of Lammerlaw.

Run No. 186, about 27,260 acres. License for nine years. Upset rental, £300 per annum.

LITHOGRAPH SHEET No. 3.

VINCENT COUNTY.

Subdivision of Run No. 235, Morven Hills Station, Head of Lindis River.

Run No. 235, containing about 23,400 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £293 per annum.

Run No. 235A, about 30,330 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £380 per annum.

Subdivision of Run No. 236, Morven Hills.

Run No. 236, about 26,210 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £328 per annum.

Run No. 236A, about 14,080 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £206 per annum.

Run No. 236B, about 5,070 acres. License for five years. Upset rental, £120 per annum.

Run No. 236C, about 5,600 acres. License for five years. Upset rental, £120 per annum.

Run No. 236D, about 6,960 acres. License for five years. Upset rental, £170 per annum.

Run No. 236E, about 3,760 acres. License for eight years. Upset rental, £60 per annum.

Run No. 236F, about 3,450 acres. License for eight years. Upset rental, £50 per annum.

Run No. 236G, about 12,160 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £152 per annum.

Run No. 236H, about 18,310 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £229 per annum.

Subdivision of Run No. 237, Maniototo and Vincent Counties, Dunstan Creek, part of Morven Hills.

Run No. 237, about 9,850 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £144 per annum.

Run No. 237A, about 14,330 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £209 per annum.

Run No. 237B, about 17,020 acres. License for nine years. Upset rental, £248 per annum.

Run No. 237C, about 16,790 acres. License for nine years. Upset rental, £245 per annum.

Run No. 237D, about 10,030 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £146 per annum.

Run No. 237E, about 9,210 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £134 per annum.

Subdivision of Run No. 238, part of Morven Hills, called Ardour.

Run No. 238, about 13,670 acres. License for eight years. Upset rental, £171 per annum.

Run No. 238A, about 16,380 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £205 per annum.

Run No. 238B, about 14,720 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £184 per annum.

Run No. 238C, about 7,900 acres. License for six years. Upset rental, £100 per annum.

Run No. 238D, about 7,000 acres. License for six years. Upset rental, £100 per annum.

Run No. 238E, about 8,570 acres. License for six years. Upset rental, £107 per annum.

Run No. 238F, about 14,330 acres. License for six years. Upset rental, £179 per annum.

Run No. 238G, about 16,890 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £211 per annum.

Subdivision of Run No. 239, known as the Fork Run, North of Newcastle Township and West of Hawea River.

Run No. 239, about 11,200 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £175 per annum.

Run No. 239A, about 5,200 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £75 per annum.

Subdivision of Run No. 240A, Country lying in the vicinity of Wanaka Lake and Pembroke Township, and adjacent to the Lower Cardrona Valley.

Run No. 240, about 5,000 acres. License for one year. Upset rental, £70 per annum.

Run No. 240A, about 5,320 acres. License for four years. Upset rental, £145 per annum.

Run No. 240C, about 5,710 acres. License for five years. Upset rental, £165 per annum.

Run No. 240B, about 6,040 acres. License for six years. Upset rental, £137 per annum.

(Re-let) Run No. 240B, Country running back to Mount Pisa Range, East of Nos. 240, 240A, 240C, and 240D.

Run No. 240B, about 14,300 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £120 per annum.

Subdivision of Run No. 245, Country lying from the Luggateburn down West Side of Clutha River to Lowburn.

Run No. 245, about 12,180 acres. License for five years. Upset rental, £280 per annum.

Run No. 245A, about 11,800 acres. License for five years. Upset rental, £260 per annum.

Run No. 245B, about 23,680 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £300 per annum.

Run No. 245C, about 13,660 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £280 per annum.

Run No. 245D, about 12,540 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £260 per annum.

Subdivision of Run No. 249, known as Earnsclough, near Clyde.

Run No. 249, about 10,700 acres. License for five years. Upset rental, £223 per annum.

Run No. 249A, about 16,640 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £347 per annum.

Run No. 249B, about 14,590 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £304 per annum.

Subdivision of Run No. 220, on the Manuherikia River, near Township of Alexandra.

Run No. 220, about 9,400 acres. License for five years. Upset rental, £235 per annum.

Run No. 220A, about 11,670 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £292 per annum.

Run No. 220B, about 8,320 acres. License for five years. Upset rental, £208 per annum.

Run No. 220C, about 7,290 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £182 per annum.

Subdivision of Run No. 221, Moutere Station.

Run No. 221, about 8,520 acres. License for eight years. Upset rental, £213 per annum.

Run No. 221A, about 6,650 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £139 per annum.

Run No. 221B, about 5,350 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £111 per annum.

Run No. 221C, about 6,357 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £132 per annum.

Run No. 221E, about 11,570 acres. License for eight years. Upset rental, £289 per annum.

Subdivision of Run No. 223, Matatanui Station (Glassford's), Manuherikia.

Run No. 223, about 14,440 acres. License for five years. Upset rental, £361 per annum.

Run No. 223A, about 14,030 acres. License for five years. Upset rental, £351 per annum.

Run No. 223B, about 7,900 acres. License for nine years. Upset rental, £198 per annum.

Run No. 223C, about 7,700 acres. License for nine years. Upset rental, £193 per annum.

Run No. 223D, about 7,240 acres. License for nine years. Upset rental, £181 per annum.

Run No. 223E, about 6,910 acres. License for five years. Upset rental, £173 per annum.

Subdivision of Run No. 256, North of the Knobby Range, near Alexandra.

Run No. 256, about 16,580 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £311 per annum.

Run No. 256A, about 8,210 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £154 per annum.

Subdivision of Run No. 262, between the Branches of the Manorburn and the Gorge of the Clutha River.

Run No. 262, about 14,280 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £268 per annum.

Run No. 262A, about 15,300 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £287 per annum.

Run No. 262B, about 13,610 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £255 per annum.

Run No. 262C, about 28,590 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £536 per annum. (Shown on lithograph sheet No. 4.)

Run No. 262D, about 28,050 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £350 per annum. (Shown on lithograph sheet No. 4.)

LAKE COUNTY.

(Re-let) Run No. 444, West of Motutapu River.

Run No. 444, about 5,500 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £10 per annum.

LITHOGRAPH SHEET No. 4.

LAKE COUNTY.

Subdivision of Run No. 214, between the Mautura and Nokomai Rivers.

Run No. 214, about 8,650 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £70 per annum.

Run No. 214A, about 7,910 acres. License for nine years. Upset rental, £80 per annum.

TUAPEKA COUNTY.

(Re-let) Run No. 215, includes 212B, Pomahaka River to Bengier Commonage.

Run No. 215, about 26,770 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £100 per annum.

Subdivision of Run No. 199, Teviot Station.

Run No. 199, about 17,630 acres. License for eight years. Upset rental, £350 per annum.

Run No. 199A, about 28,900 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £265 per annum.

Run No. 199B, about 20,580 acres. License for nine years. Upset rental, £200 per annum.

Subdivision of Run No. 200, Miller's Flat.

Run No. 200, about 14,510 acres. License for eight years. Upset rental, £360 per annum.

Run No. 200A, about 13,020 acres. License for eight years. Upset rental, £325 per annum.

Subdivision of Run No. 170, Beaumont Run, and Part of Run No. 353B.

Run No. 170, about 16,480 acres. License for nine years. Upset rental, £280 per annum.

Run No. 170A, about 13,100 acres. License for eight years. Upset rental, £160 per annum.

Run No. 170B, about 6,010 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £120 per annum.

Subdivision of Run No. 212A, Dusky Hill, on Pomahaka River.

Run No. 212A, about 3,140 acres. License for six years. Upset rental, £52 per annum.

Run No. 212c, about 4,500 acres. License for seven years. Upset rental, £80 per annum.

Run No. 212D, about 3,350 acres. License for six years. Upset rental, £56 per annum.

(Re-let) Run No. 179, Blue Mountains.

Run No. 179, about 13,690 acres. License for eight years. Upset rental, £180 per annum.

SOUTHLAND COUNTY.

(Relet) Run No. 251, Venlaw Station, on Mimiha.

Run No. 251, about 21,270 acres. License for eight years. Upset rental, £200 per annum.

Run No. 359, head of Nokomai, about 15,000 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £120.

Run No. 432, adjacent to Run No. 359, about 9,500 acres. License for ten years. Upset rental, £30. (Shown on lithograph sheet No. 3.)

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The leases of the above runs will be sold subject to the general provisions as to runs specified in the Land Acts, 1877 and 1879.

The first year's rent, with license fee (£10), to be paid on fall of hammer, either by *cheque marked by banker* or in cash, and thereafter by half-yearly payments *in advance* on the 1st March and 1st September in each year. Possession will be given on the 1st March, 1883. Valuations for improvements, if any, which shall in no case exceed three times the amount of the average annual rent paid under the existing leases, are to be paid to the Receiver of Land Revenue, Dunedin, one month before getting possession, in pursuance of sections 115 to 117 of Land Act, 1877.

NOTE.—Plans and further particulars can be obtained on application at any Crown Lands Office in the colony, where slips of the sale may also be had.

J. P. MAITLAND,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Crown Lands Office,
Dunedin, 20th January, 1882.

Further Sale of Land near the Waimate Plains.

Crown Lands Office,
Patea, 19th January, 1882.

FURTHER sale of 6,125 acres of rural bush land, for cash, by public auction; and on deferred payments, on application.

Rural bush land in Block XIII., Kaupokonui, and Block V., Ngaire Survey Districts. Residence not compulsory.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
FOR CASH.		
<i>Kaupokonui Survey District.—Block XIII.</i>		
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
3	320 0 0	1 15 0
5	100 0 0	2 0 0
6	99 2 0	2 0 0
7	80 3 21	2 0 0
8	117 2 13	1 10 0
10	135 0 38	1 10 0
12	144 1 22	1 15 0
13	146 2 14	1 15 0
14	83 0 0	2 0 0
16	100 0 0	1 15 0
17	100 0 0	1 15 0
18	100 0 0	1 10 0
19	100 0 0	1 10 0
21	150 0 0	1 15 0
22	150 0 0	1 15 0
25	100 0 0	2 0 0
26	100 0 0	2 0 0
<i>Ngaire Survey District.—Block V.</i>		
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
73.	99 0 0	1 5 0
75	147 0 0	1 5 0
77	150 0 0	1 5 0
78	158 0 0	1 5 0
79	158 0 0	1 10 0
81	100 0 0	1 5 0
82	98 0 0	1 5 0
83	102 0 0	1 5 0
85	167 0 0	1 10 0
86	99 0 0	1 10 0
87	99 0 0	1 10 0
90	222 0 0	1 10 0
91	148 0 0	1 10 0
92	100 0 0	1 5 0
ON DEFERRED PAYMENTS.		
<i>Kaupokonui Survey District.—Block XIII.</i>		
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
4	250 0 0	2 0 0
9	151 3 25	1 15 0
11	137 1 19	2 0 0
15	84 0 0	2 5 0
20	150 0 0	1 15 0
23	150 0 0	2 0 0
24	100 0 0	2 0 0
<i>Ngaire Survey District.—Block V.</i>		
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
74	148 0 0	1 10 0
76	153 0 0	1 10 0
80	157 0 0	1 15 0
84	98 0 0	1 10 0
88	136 0 0	1 15 0
89	276 1 22	1 10 0

The cash sections will be offered for sale by public auction, at Hawera, on Wednesday, the 22nd February.

Deferred-payment sections will be open for application at Patea and Hawera, on Monday, the 20th February next.

Contested applications for any of the deferred-payment sections will be decided on the 22nd February, at Hawera, immediately before the auction sale of the cash land.

The sections in Block XIII., Kaupokonui, abut on the continuous Native reserve, between the Aurora Road and the Oeo River.

The sections in Block V., Ngaire, lie to the westward of the Waingongoro River, and are connected with the railway-line by cleared road-lines.

The bush is mainly light timber, soft woods, and a few rata, and the land is well watered.

Terms of Sale: For the cash lands, 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.

Lithographed plans of the land may be seen on application at any Land Office in the colony.

Applicants for any of the deferred-payment lands may send their applications and deposits, with statutory declaration, as required by "The Land Act, 1877," through post to Land Office, Patea, to arrive on or before Monday, the 20th February. Envelopes should be marked, "Application for deferred-payment land, Kaipokonui Survey District," or "Ngairi Survey District."

C. A. WRAY,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Sale of Crown Lands, Invercargill.

Crown Lands Office,
Invercargill, 27th January, 1882.

THE following Crown lands will be sold by auction at the Land Office, Invercargill, at noon on Tuesday, the 28th day of February proximo:—

Section.	Block.	Locality.	Area.			Upset Price.		
			A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
9	II.	Eastern Bush	3	0	0	9	0	0
9	X.	Waimatuku	9	1	29	47	5	0
3*	I.	Rakiura	0	1	0	7	10	0
4*	"	"	0	1	0	7	10	0
44	"	Long Bush	5	0	0	15	0	0
45	"	"	5	0	0	15	0	0
46	"	"	5	0	0	15	0	0
47	"	"	4	1	38	13	10	0
54	"	"	6	0	0	18	0	0
55	"	"	6	0	0	18	0	0
56	"	"	6	0	0	18	0	0
65	"	"	8	2	30	26	0	0
42	II.	Mabel Hundred	14	1	19	} £2 per acre.		
43	"	"	14	2	39			
44	"	"	14	2	39			
45	"	"	14	2	39			
46	"	"	14	2	39			
47	"	"	14	2	38			
48	"	"	14	2	38			
49	"	"	18	1	28			
50	"	"	18	1	28			
51	"	"	18	1	28			
52	"	"	18	1	28			

* Subject to valuation for improvements, to be declared at auction.

Also, on deferred payment, Sections 28 and 33, Block VII., Matura, 17 acres 2 roods 32 perches; upset price, £135.

W. H. PEARSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Sale of Crown Lands, Napier District.

Crown Lands Office,
Napier, 13th January, 1882.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned lands will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Council Chamber, Napier, on Wednesday, the 22nd day of March next, at 11 o'clock a.m.

Terms and conditions of sale may be seen on application at this office.

J. T. TYLEE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

SCHEDULE.
FOR SALE FOR CASH.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.		
WOODVILLE SURVEY DISTRICT.					
		A. R. P.	£	s.	d.
VI.	2	271 2 0	271	10	0
"	4	110 0 0	110	0	0
"	6	300 2 0	300	10	0
IX.	13	203 0 0	203	0	0
"	16	149 0 0	149	0	0
"	19	90 0 0	135	0	0
"	21	86 2 0	129	15	0
"	23	170 2 0	298	7	6
"	25	137 3 8	172	5	0
"	29	177 2 32	177	14	0
"	33	135 2 0	169	7	6
"	35	208 0 0	208	0	0
"	36	135 2 32	203	11	0
"	39	72 3 8	72	16	0
TAHORAITE SURVEY DISTRICT.					
IX.	19	123 2 32	185	11	0
"	21	200 0 0	200	0	0

Description.—The above sections are mostly covered with bush; some are undulating agricultural land, with good soil, and well watered; some are broken, and more suited for pastoral purposes. The bush consists chiefly of tawa, interspersed with rimu, matai, and white pine.

The land is situated from one to three miles from the proposed railway-line and main road, Napier to Wellington. Access is given by cleared roads; a good dray-road from Woodville has been formed through the centre of the block, connecting with the road leading through Kumeroa to the Upper Manawatu Ferry, on the road to Masterton.

FOR SALE ON DEFERRED PAYMENTS.

NORSEWOOD SURVEY DISTRICT.					
III.	28	50 0 0	95	0	0*

* £20, which must be paid in cash at sale, added for improvements.

SMALL-FARM ALLOTMENTS, KUMEROA.					
III.	11	9 3 26	72	5	8*
VIII.	16	5 2 16	14	0	0

* £47 10s., which must be paid in cash at sale, added for improvements.

SMALL-FARM ALLOTMENT, TAHORAITE SURVEY DISTRICT.					
IX.	10	25 0 15	50	3	9
VICTORIA SPECIAL SETTLEMENT.					
...	39	100 0 0	100	0	0
BUSH MILLS SPECIAL SETTLEMENT.					
...	12	150 0 0	150	0	0
...	17	150 0 0	150	0	0
...	18	150 0 0	150	0	0

Description.—Section 39, Victoria Settlement, is bush land, partially improved. The Bush Mills Settlement is in the Woodville District, about two and a half miles from the Township of Woodville, and about one and a half miles from the Napier-Wellington coach road and proposed railway-line. Section 12 is partly flat and partly hilly. Sections 17 and 18 are hilly.

Public Notification.

SALE OF TOWN, SUBURBAN, AND RURAL LEASE-HOLDINGS.—LAND DISTRICT OF AUCKLAND, TOWNSHIP OF ROTORUA, HOT LAKES DISTRICT.

Crown Lands Office,
Auckland, 8th February, 1882.

IT is hereby notified that the town, suburban, and rural lands described in the Schedule here-under will, in pursuance of "The Thermal-Springs Districts Act, 1881," be offered for lease by public auction, for the term of ninety-nine years, at this

office, on Tuesday, the 7th day of March, 1882, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

D. A. TOLE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

SCHEDULE.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Rent per Annum.
TOWN OF ROTORUA.			
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
IX.	1 and 2, 3 and 4, 5 and 6, 7 and 8	0 2 0	10 0 0
X.	1, 2, 3, 4, 5	0 1 0	7 10 0
	6, 7, 8, 9, 10	0 1 0	6 0 0
	11	0 0 32	10 0 0
	12, 13, 14	0 0 32	7 10 0
XI.	1, 2, 3, 4	0 0 32	7 10 0
	5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10	0 1 0	5 0 0
XV.	1 and 2, 3 and 4, 5 and 6, 7 and 8	0 2 0	10 0 0
XVI.	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10	0 1 0	6 0 0
	11, 12, 13, 14	0 0 32	7 10 0
XVII.	1, 2, 3	0 0 32	7 10 0
	4	0 0 32	10 0 0
	5, 6, 7	0 1 0	5 0 0
	8, 9, 10	0 1 0	7 10 0
XXI.	1, 2, 3, 4	0 2 20	10 0 0
XXII.	1 and 2, 3 and 4, 5 and 6, 7 and 8, 9 and 10, 11 and 12, 13 and 14, 15 and 16	0 2 0	10 0 0
XXVIII.	1, 2, 3, 4	0 2 20	10 0 0
XXIX.	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16	0 1 0	5 0 0
XXX.	1, 2, 3, 4, 5	0 1 0	7 10 0
	6, 7, 8, 9, 10	0 1 0	6 0 0
	11	0 0 32	10 0 0
	12, 13, 14	0 0 32	7 10 0
XXXI.	1	0 0 32	10 0 0
	2, 3, 4	0 0 32	7 10 0
	5, 6, 7	0 1 0	7 10 0
	8, 9, 10	0 1 0	5 0 0
XXXIV.	1, 2, 3, 4	0 2 20	7 10 0
XXXV.	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16	0 1 0	5 0 0
XXXVI.	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10	0 1 0	6 0 0
	11, 12, 13, 14	0 0 32	7 10 0
XXXVII.	1, 2, 3, 4	0 0 32	7 10 0
	5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10	0 1 0	5 0 0
VIII.	1, 2, 3, 4	0 2 20	7 10 0
XXXIX.	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16	0 1 0	5 0 0
XL.	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10	0 1 0	5 0 0
	11, 12, 13, 14	0 0 32	7 10 0
XLI.	1, 2, 3, 4	0 0 32	7 10 0
	5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10	0 1 0	5 0 0
XLII.	3, 4, 10, 11	0 1 0	6 0 0

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Rent per Annum.
SUBURBS OF ROTORUA.			
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
I	...	2 3 6	2 0 0
2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7	...	5 0 0	3 0 0
		each	each
12, 13, 14, 15, 16	...	10 0 0	5 0 0
		each	each
38, 39, 40	...	10 0 0	6 0 0
		each	each
41	...	9 2 0	6 0 0
42, 66	...	10 0 0	6 0 0
		each	each
67, 68	...	10 0 0	5 0 0
		each	each
69	...	11 1 14	6 0 0
70	...	11 1 13	6 0 0
72	...	9 0 7	5 0 0
73, 74, 75	...	10 0 0	5 0 0
		each	each
76	...	10 0 0	6 0 0
77, 78, 79	...	10 0 0	5 0 0
		each	each
RURAL LANDS.			
25, 29, 30, 31, 33	...	40 0 0	6 0 0
		each	each
34	...	39 1 27	6 0 0
35	...	40 1 18	6 0 0
36	...	40 1 13	6 0 0
37	...	40 0 17	6 0 0
43	...	40 0 0	7 10 0
44	...	40 0 0	6 10 0
45	...	23 0 0	3 9 0
46	...	39 3 0	5 0 0
47	...	45 2 0	4 10 0
48	...	33 2 0	4 0 0
49	...	36 0 0	5 0 0
50	...	53 0 0	8 0 0
51	...	35 2 0	4 0 0
52	...	34 0 0	5 0 0
61	...	52 2 0	6 10 0
62	...	53 1 0	6 10 0
63	...	59 2 0	7 0 0

TERMS OF SALE.

Rents payable half-yearly, in advance. The first half-year to be paid on the day of sale.

All mineral waters, hot springs, and streams are and remain vested in the Crown.

Proposed reserves for schools, post office, telegraph office, railway, hospital, and other public objects are shown on the official map of the township, subject to such modifications or alterations as may be found advisable. Recreation-grounds are reserved for the public, and will be under the management of a local body.

A resident medical officer has been appointed by the Government.

The government of the town will be by a local body constituted under the Act.

Building sites, peculiarly suitable for residences, will be let subject to restrictions as to use for trades or shops.

All hotels and lodging-houses will be governed by regulations suitable to the exceptional character and requirements of the town.

Rents to be paid half-yearly, in Auckland, or in the Town, as may be found convenient.

Possession of the lands will be given immediately after the auction. The lots may be identified on the ground by marked pegs.

The use of the waters, and all similar arrangements will be under the control of the doctor and a local body.

Copies of the plans and full printed particulars can be seen at any Post or Telegraph Office, Railway Station, and Athenæum, or they can be obtained from any Commissioner of Crown Lands at any Land Office in the colony.

Sale of Deferred-payment Lands in Southland.

Crown Lands Office,
Invercargill, 16th January, 1882.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned sections of land will be open for application, on deferred payments, at the Crown Lands Office at Invercargill, on Thursday, the 23rd February next:—

NEW RIVER HUNDRED.

Section.	Block.	Area.			Upset Price per Acre.			
		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	
23	VI.	127	0	31	}	1	5	0
24	"	125	2	22				
25	"	72	0	21				
26	"	99	3	35				
28	"	112	0	11				
1	XVII.	99	0	0	}	1	0	0
2	"	92	1	20				
3	"	105	0	0				

Applicants for any of the above lands must send in their applications and deposits, with statutory declaration, as required by "The Land Act, 1877," and, in the event of more than one application being received for any one section, the right to occupy the same will be decided by public auction on a day to be hereafter advertised.

W. H. PEARSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Gold Fields Notices.

Gold-Mining Lease cancelled.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 13th February, 1882.

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

John Fairless; 4 acres 3 roods, District of Charleston, Nelson South-West Gold Fields. No. 550.

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Mines.

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 Lyell on or before the 23rd day of February, 1882.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPLICANTS: Michael Moloney and party. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "Advance Quartz-Mining Company." 16 acres 2 roods, immediately west of and adjoining United Italy lease, north side of Eight-Mile Creek, Lyell, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

Applicants: Patrick Jangney, Patrick O'Leary, and Cornelius Londergan. Style under which it is

intended to conduct the business: "No. 2 North Victory Quartz-Mining Company." 16 acres 2 roods, north of and adjoining Republic lease, New Creek, Lyell, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

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

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 applicant 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 28th day of February, 1882.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPLICANT: Domenico Beratto. Style under which it is proposed to conduct the business: "Garibaldi." 16½ acres, south-west of and adjoining the United Italy and Break of Day Companies, at Lyell, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

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

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 applicant 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 Reefton on or before the 23rd day of February, 1882.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPLICANT: Patrick Brennan. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "Golden Horn." 16½ acres, north of and adjoining the Golden Arch, Italian Gully, Inangahua, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

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

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

Gold-Mining Leases to be granted.

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

Objections to the granting of such leases, stating the grounds of objection, must be made in writing, and lodged with the Warden at Reefton on or before the 15th day of March, 1882.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPLICANT: Edwin Ashton. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "The Prophet." 16 acres 2 roods, west of the Golden Treasure claim, including ground formerly held by the Ajax Company, Inangahua, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

Applicant: Alfred Smith. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "Catherine Gold-Mining Company." 16 acres 2 roods, in a gully known as Healy's Gully, 1½ miles east of Murray Creek, Inangahua, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

Applicant: William Hindmarsh. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "Stone-wall Jackson Gold-Mining Company (Limited)." 16 acres 2 roods, west of the Colorado application, Boatman's Creek, Inangahua, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

Applicant: Gerald Perotti. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "Fortune Gold-Mining Company." 11 acres, east of and adjoining Dauntless special claim, Murray Creek, Inangahua, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

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

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

Gold-Mining Leases to be granted.

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

Objections to the granting of such leases, stating the grounds of objection, must be made in writing, and lodged with the Warden at Westport on or before the 7th day of March, 1882.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPLICANTS: William H. Hassan and party. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "The Great Northern Gold-Mining Company." 16 acres 2 roods, adjoining Try Again and Golden Sign leases, north side Waimangaroa River, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

Applicants: Neville Bull and party. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "The

Golden Ledge." 16 acres 2 roods, adjoining the Southern Cross lease, Waimangaroa, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

Applicant: John Campbell. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "South Pacific Quartz-Mining Company." 16 acres 2 roods, south of lease applied for by the Empire 213 Mining Company, on south side of Mokihinui River, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

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

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 Ahaura on or before the 2nd day of March, 1882.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPLICANTS: Alfred Wearn and party. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "Alfred Wearn's lease." 10 acres, north side of Sinnott's special claim, Nelson Creek, Grey, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

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

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 Collingwood on or before the 28th day of February, 1882.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPLICANTS: William Simmons and party. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "Bonanza Gold-Mining Company." 16 acres, on the eastern side of Peter Smith's prospecting area, in the Collingwood Mining District.

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

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

Traffic Returns.

NEW ZEALAND RAILWAYS.—Traffic Returns for the Four Weeks ending the 7th January, 1882:—

KAWAKAWA SECTION.

REVENUE,—	1882.			Corresponding Four Weeks 1881.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers, Parcels, &c....	...	...	...	...	...	...
Goods, Live Stock, Rents, &c.	310	11	2	...	...	...
Total...	£310	11	2	...	...	...

WHANGAREI SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class ...	148	204	352	...	...	...
2nd Class ...	355	658	1,013	...	...	...
Total	503	862	1,365	...	...	...

GOODS,—	Tons.		Tons.	
Wool
Timber
Grain	1	...	...
Merchandise	2	...	...
Minerals	368	1,348	...
Firewood
Total...	...	371	1,348	...

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

REVENUE,—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers, Parcels, &c....	38	19	10	...	...	...
Goods, Live Stock, Rents, &c.	44	0	1	151	13	0
Total...	£82	19	11	£151	13	0

AUCKLAND SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class ...	7,848	2,312	10,160	6,013	16,206	22,219
2nd Class ...	20,550	26,220	46,770	14,352	6,682	21,034
Total	28,398	28,532	56,930	20,365	22,888	43,253

GOODS,—	Tons.		Tons.	
Wool	56	...	48
Timber	890	...	656
Grain	102	...	65
Merchandise	1,769	...	1,556
Minerals	2,147	...	2,148
Firewood	175	...	20
Total...	...	5,139	...	4,493

LIVE STOCK,—	No.		No.	
Parcels, Dogs, &c.	...	1,991	...	1,864
Horses and Cattle	...	631	...	509
Sheep, Pigs, &c.	...	1,092	...	1,602
Total...	...	3,714	...	3,975

REVENUE,—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers, Parcels, &c....	3,648	5	6	2,940	7	10
Goods, Live Stock, Rents, &c.	2,561	12	3	2,234	13	9
Total ...	£6,209	17	9	£5,175	1	7

NAPIER SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class ...	2,632	658	3,290	2,303	666	2,969
2nd Class ...	9,528	1,730	11,258	6,176	1,574	7,750
Total	12,160	2,388	14,548	8,479	2,240	10,719

NAPIER SECTION—continued.

GOODS,—	1882.		1881.	
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Wool	836	...	801
Timber	890	...	678
Grain	78	...	17
Merchandise	466	...	393
Minerals	166	...	111
Firewood	525	...	490
Total...	...	2,961	...	2,490

LIVE STOCK,—	No.		No.	
Parcels, Dogs, &c.	...	1,145	...	1,071
Horses and Cattle	...	81	...	25
Sheep, Pigs, &c.	...	1,247	...	986
Total...	...	2,473	...	2,082

REVENUE,—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers, Parcels, &c. ...	1,590	8	9	1,423	19	9
Goods, Live Stock, Rents, &c.	1,532	17	11	1,538	12	3
Total...	£3,123	6	8	£2,962	12	0

WELLINGTON SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class ...	4,694	856	5,550	3,024	846	3,870
2nd Class ...	13,710	3,540	17,250	9,226	4,110	13,336
Total	18,404	4,396	22,800	12,250	4,956	17,206

GOODS,—	Tons.		Tons.	
Wool	412	...	369
Timber	1,162	...	966
Grain	79	...	72
Merchandise	414	...	917
Minerals	140	...	576
Firewood	410	...	360
Total...	...	2,617	...	3,260

LIVE STOCK,—	No.		No.	
Parcels, Dogs, &c.	...	1,267	...	956
Horses and Cattle	...	83	...	17
Sheep, Pigs, &c.	...	3,149	...	1,878
Total...	...	4,499	...	2,851

REVENUE,—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers, Parcels, &c....	2,212	8	10	1,968	19	4
Goods, Live Stock, Rents, &c.	1,781	18	2	1,703	8	11
Total...	£3,994	7	0	£3,672	8	3

WANGANUI SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class ...	3,223	586	3,809	2,448	726	3,174
2nd Class ...	14,086	2,664	16,750	8,002	3,742	11,744
Total	17,309	3,250	20,559	10,450	4,468	14,918

GOODS,—	Tons.		Tons.	
Wool	349	...	263
Timber	1,431	...	1,194
Grain	147	...	95
Merchandise	420	...	351
Minerals	517	...	692
Firewood	510	...	570
Total...	...	3,374	...	3,165

LIVE STOCK,—	No.		No.	
Parcels, Dogs, &c.	...	1,455	...	1,362
Horses and Cattle	...	112	...	83
Sheep, Pigs, &c.	...	92	...	133
Total...	...	1,659	...	1,578

REVENUE,—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers, Parcels, &c. ...	2,199	11	5	1,716	8	2
Goods, Live Stock, Rents, &c.	1,602	11	10	1,376	16	10
Total...	£3,802	3	3	£3,093	5	0

NEW PLYMOUTH SECTION.

	1882.			1881.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class ...	1,145	128	1,273	314	1,604	1,918
2nd Class ...	7,069	1,128	8,197	3,523	1,106	4,629
Total	8,214	1,256	9,470	3,837	2,710	6,547
GOODS,—			Tons.			Tons.
Wool ...			6			4
Timber ...			493			235
Grain ...			43			82
Merchandise ...			226			277
Minerals ...			91			168
Firewood ...			375			60
Total...			1,234			826
LIVE STOCK,—			No.			No.
Parcels, Dogs, &c.			523			349
Horses and Cattle			55			12
Sheep, Pigs, &c.			1,160			623
Total...			1,738			984
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers, Parcels, &c....	897	19	4	502	18	1
Goods, Live Stock, Rents, &c.	416	12	8	291	14	2
Total...	£1,314	12	0	£794	12	3

HURUNUI-BLUFF SECTION.

	1882.			1881.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class ...	34,409	11,822	46,231	32,714	9,098	41,812
2nd Class ...	115,661	28,256	143,917	115,911	27,284	143,195
Total	150,070	40,078	190,148	148,625	36,382	185,007
GOODS,—			Tons.			Tons.
Wool ...			9,710			7,813
Timber ...			9,293			8,350
Grain ...			11,485			8,294
Merchandise ...			20,924			17,316
Minerals ...			18,888			15,740
Firewood ...			2,015			2,170
Total...			71,815			59,683
LIVE STOCK,—			No.			No.
Parcels, Dogs, &c.			17,381			16,017
Horses and Cattle			1,837			1,072
Sheep, Pigs, &c.			14,837			13,012
Total...			33,555			30,101
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers, Parcels, &c. ...	27,815	9	4	25,402	18	1
Goods, Live Stock, Rents, &c.	27,700	15	8	24,852	9	9
Total...	£55,516	5	0	£50,255	7	10

GREYMOOUTH SECTION.

	1882.			1881.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class ...	2,530	146	2,676	3,013	170	3,183
2nd Class ...	1,521	4,320	5,841	1,748	1,626	3,374
Total	4,051	4,466	8,517	4,761	1,796	6,557
GOODS,—			Tons.			Tons.
Wool ...			...			...
Timber ...			66			73
Grain ...			...			...
Merchandise ...			102			145
Minerals ...			3,558			3,757
Firewood ...			...			...
Total...			3,726			3,975
LIVE STOCK,—			No.			No.
Parcels, Dogs, &c.			12			8
Horses and Cattle			...			...
Sheep, Pigs, &c.			...			...
Total...			12			8
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers, Parcels, &c. ...	324	14	6	343	18	4
Goods, Live Stock, Rents, &c.	615	12	6	692	9	3
Total...	£940	7	0	£1,036	7	7

Wellington, 8th February, 1882.

WESTPORT SECTION.

	1882.			1881.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class ...	28	2	30	31	18	49
2nd Class ...	2,124	514	2,638	922	410	1,332
Total...	2,152	516	2,668	953	428	1,381
GOODS,—			Tons.			Tons.
Wool ...			...			...
Timber ...			67			53
Grain ...			...			...
Merchandise ...			45			40
Minerals ...			2,063			1,058
Firewood ...			...			...
Total...			2,175			1,151
LIVE STOCK,—			No.			No.
Parcels, Dogs, &c.			172			108
Horses and Cattle			...			1
Sheep, Pigs, &c.			4			...
Total...			176			109
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers, Parcels, &c. ...	53	3	2	76	11	9
Goods, Live Stock, Rents, &c.	52	19	9	370	11	10
Total...	£106	2	11	£447	3	7

NELSON SECTION.

	1882.			1881.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class ...	747	386	1,133	907	276	1,183
2nd Class ...	3,123	2,232	5,355	3,018	2,070	5,088
Total ...	3,870	2,618	6,488	3,925	2,346	6,271
GOODS,—			Tons.			Tons.
Wool ...			42			29
Timber ...			128			117
Grain ...			3			39
Merchandise ...			141			135
Minerals ...			15			19
Firewood ...			260			250
Total...			589			589
LIVE STOCK,—			No.			No.
Parcels, Dogs, &c.			277			199
Horses and Cattle			4			3
Sheep, Pigs, &c.			...			...
Total...			281			202
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers, Parcels, &c. ...	445	5	10	428	15	2
Goods, Live Stock, Rents, &c.	369	18	2	254	12	3
Total...	£815	4	0	£683	7	5

PICTON SECTION.

	1882.			1881.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class ...	705	422	1,127	588	146	734
2nd Class ...	1,404	1,594	2,998	1,604	1,426	3,030
Total	2,109	2,016	4,125	2,192	1,572	3,764
GOODS,—			Tons.			Tons.
Wool ...			204			37
Timber ...			181			371
Grain ...			31			10
Merchandise ...			218			201
Minerals ...			71			18
Firewood ...			285			245
Total...			990			882
LIVE STOCK,—			No.			No.
Parcels, Dogs, &c.			112			123
Horses and Cattle			2			1
Sheep, Pigs, &c.			136			...
Total...			250			124
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers, Parcels, &c. ...	460	6	10	403	11	10
Goods, Live Stock, Rents, &c.	340	11	7	267	8	1
Total ...	£800	18	5	£670	19	11

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 7th January, 1882.

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.
	Miles.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
NORTH ISLAND,—								
Kawakawa ...	...	310 11 2	621 2 4	...	...	...	...	...
Whangarei ...	5	82 19 11	1,051 2 1	130 0 5	1,345 15 2	128·03	273 5 9	349 18 0
Auckland ...	139	6,209 17 9	54,960 14 0	3,886 9 7	37,684 17 10	68·57	525 7 2	360 4 4
Napier ...	70	3,123 6 8	24,674 5 1	1,385 15 7	14,333 14 5	58·09	458 4 9	266 4 0
Wellington ...	69	3,994 7 0	30,885 2 2	2,329 11 0	23,053 4 6	74·64	581 17 9	434 6 9
Wanganui ...	115	3,802 3 3	33,343 17 11	1,959 8 0	20,536 14 3	61·59	376 18 7	232 3 0
New Plymouth ...	51	1,314 12 0	9,612 7 6	956 9 4	7,077 3 10	73·63	265 9 0	195 8 9
Total ...	449	18,837 17 9	155,148 11 1	10,647 13 11	104,031 10 0	67·05		
MIDDLE ISLAND,—								
Hurunui-Bluff ...	797	55,516 5 0	488,938 11 10	26,397 1 10	273,080 13 8	55·85	799 18 4	446 15 4
Greymouth ...	8	940 7 0	8,022 2 1	401 16 5	3,945 6 8	49·18	1,303 11 9	641 2 4
Westport ...	10	106 2 11	4,188 18 1	282 5 4	2,829 17 0	67·56	544 11 2	367 17 7
Nelson ...	23	815 4 0	6,352 3 2	555 12 6	4,860 14 7	76·53	378 16 0	289 17 2
Picton ...	19	800 18 5	5,812 11 6	382 15 5	3,630 19 2	62·47	397 14 0	248 8 7
Total ...	857	58,178 17 4	513,314 6 8	28,019 11 6	288,347 11 1	56·17		
Grand Total ...	1,306	77,016 15 1	668,462 17 9	38,667 5 5	392,379 1 1	58·69		

CORRESPONDING PERIOD LAST YEAR.

	Miles.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
NORTH ISLAND,—								
Whangarei ...	5	151 13 0	374 8 0	81 8 9	190 14 10	50·94	389 7 5	198 7 5
Auckland ...	123	5,175 1 7	48,894 8 3	3,285 3 7	34,760 0 7	70·89	516 15 4	367 7 7
Napier ...	70	2,962 12 0	21,259 5 0	1,164 10 2	13,800 19 5	64·92	409 8 9	265 16 0
Wellington ...	69	3,672 8 3	26,084 1 10	2,308 16 2	22,304 2 6	85·51	603 7 4	515 18 7
Wanganui ...	108	3,093 5 0	27,348 7 3	1,790 12 7	18,651 3 0	68·20	341 10 7	232 18 4
New Plymouth ...	38	794 12 3	6,790 10 9	412 10 11	5,739 7 4	84·52	253 2 4	213 18 9
Total ...	413	15,849 12 1	130,751 1 1	9,043 2 2	95,446 7 8	73·00		
MIDDLE ISLAND,—								
Hurunui-Bluff ...	788	50,255 7 10	471,741 6 3	24,709 15 1	292,433 2 0	61·99	801 8 9	496 16 4
Greymouth ...	8	1,036 7 7	8,234 4 10	399 3 11	3,810 0 10	46·27	1,338 1 2	619 2 7
Westport ...	10	447 3 7	2,879 1 4	271 19 0	2,886 1 3	100·24	374 5 7	375 3 9
Nelson ...	20	683 7 5	6,120 12 4	480 14 5	4,815 13 3	78·68	397 16 9	313 0 4
Picton ...	19	670 19 11	4,483 14 2	410 6 3	3,618 15 3	80·71	306 15 7	247 12 0
Total ...	845	53,093 6 4	493,458 18 11	26,271 18 8	307,563 12 7	62·33		
Grand Total ...	1,258	68,942 18 5	624,210 0 0	35,315 0 10	403,010 0 3	64·56		

Railway Department, 8th February, 1882.

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

HURUNUI-BLUFF SECTION.—MAIN SECTIONS AND BRANCHES.—Four-weekly Period ending 7th January, 1882.

Name.	Miles Open for Traffic.	REVENUE.		EXPENDITURE.		Per Cent. of Revenue to Date.
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Christchurch Section ...	145	17,322 2 8	173,272 11 4	7,241 2 7	81,817 18 2	47.22
Oxford and Eyreton Branch ...	43	592 3 3	5,276 16 5	486 5 10	5,311 18 8	100.67
Southbridge Branch ...	25	960 12 5	9,415 19 6	530 9 0	6,475 4 8	68.77
Springfield Branch ...	43	990 12 3	10,519 13 6	582 8 5	7,054 11 6	67.06
Total ...	256	19,865 10 7	198,485 0 9	8,840 5 10	100,659 13 0	50.71
Oamaru Section ...	104	7,428 5 5	60,207 15 8	3,765 19 11	36,779 1 11	61.09
Albury Branch ...	26	674 11 10	5,414 13 0	284 10 0	2,944 12 4	54.38
Waimate Branch ...	4	157 17 1	1,391 3 8	109 1 6	1,229 2 4	88.35
Duntroon Branch ...	21	561 19 11	3,858 17 7	383 9 9	3,247 6 5	84.15
Ngapara Branch ...	15	207 8 11	2,474 12 0	193 9 4	2,224 4 6	89.88
Total ...	170	9,030 3 2	73,347 1 11	4,736 10 6	46,424 7 6	63.29
Dunedin Section ...	115	16,769 17 7	141,455 4 5	7,052 14 1	73,356 16 0	51.86
Walton Park Branch ...	3	46 18 6	644 15 8	69 9 4	714 13 3	110.84
Outram Branch ...	9	286 8 10	2,177 11 2	232 11 2	2,234 16 6	102.63
Lawrence Branch ...	22	680 14 7	5,719 6 4	579 16 5	5,375 16 2	93.99
Total ...	149	17,783 19 6	149,996 17 7	7,934 1 0	81,682 1 11	54.46
Invercargill Section ...	172	7,553 7 6	58,275 18 0	4,009 18 6	37,705 5 2	64.70
Tapanui Branch ...	15	201 4 7	1,515 14 5	215 7 0	1,711 8 0	112.91
Riverton Branch ...	35	1,081 19 8	7,317 19 2	660 19 0	4,897 18 1	66.93
Total ...	222	8,836 11 9	67,109 11 7	4,886 4 6	44,314 11 3	66.03
Grand Total ...	797	55,516 5 0	488,938 11 10	26,397 1 10	273,080 13 8	55.85

CORRESPONDING PERIOD LAST YEAR.

		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Christchurch Section ...	145	16,571 6 10	182,921 15 4	7,377 3 3	91,089 5 5	49.79
Oxford and Eyreton Branch ...	43	579 7 4	5,981 6 6	471 0 4	5,976 15 6	99.92
Southbridge Branch ...	25	714 12 6	8,392 13 8	534 6 3	6,680 14 11	79.60
Springfield Branch ...	42	949 8 8	9,649 19 0	708 2 4	7,749 18 10	80.31
Total ...	255	18,814 15 4	206,945 14 6	9,090 12 2	111,496 14 8	53.88
Oamaru Section ...	104	6,730 16 7	63,533 18 11	3,982 14 6	44,186 16 2	69.55
Albury Branch ...	26	675 0 10	6,634 10 4	337 10 11	3,277 18 0	49.41
Waimate Branch ...	4	139 0 1	1,468 14 8	128 7 5	1,597 16 6	108.79
Duntroon Branch ...	21	577 11 10	4,084 11 0	286 15 10	2,840 11 8	69.54
Ngapara Branch ...	15	403 5 1	3,375 10 0	237 10 8	2,480 15 0	73.49
Total ...	170	8,525 14 5	79,097 4 11	4,972 19 4	54,383 17 4	68.76
Dunedin Section ...	115	14,236 3 9	121,858 3 8	6,667 9 9	79,155 12 5	64.95
Walton Park Branch ...	3	66 12 4	719 13 3	77 1 1	736 14 6	102.37
Outram Branch ...	9	269 10 7	2,094 13 10	199 14 7	2,629 9 8	125.53
Lawrence Branch ...	22	727 19 8	5,554 5 5	465 1 5	6,164 4 0	110.98
Total ...	149	15,300 6 4	130,226 16 2	7,409 6 10	88,686 0 7	68.10
Invercargill Section ...	170	6,712 9 0	49,658 17 3	2,742 9 2	31,949 18 11	64.34
Tapanui Branch ...	15	130 7 8	185 19 10	81 19 7	117 15 9	74.03
Riverton Branch ...	29	771 15 1	5,626 13 7	412 8 0	5,798 14 9	103.05
Total ...	214	7,614 11 9	55,471 10 8	3,236 16 9	37,866 9 5	68.26
Grand Total ...	788	50,255 7 10	471,741 6 3	24,709 15 1	292,433 2 0	61.99

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

Railway Department, 8th February, 1882.

REGISTRAR-GENERAL'S Report on the Vital Statistics of the Principal Towns of New Zealand during the Month of January, 1882.

RETURN of the Number of Births, with the actual Mortality of Males and Females, and the Proportion of Deaths to Population, in the under-mentioned Boroughs, during the Month of January, 1882.

BOROUGHS.	POPULATION.	TOTAL BIRTHS.	DEATHS REGISTERED IN JANUARY, 1882.							Total Deaths.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, Jan., 1882.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population in the Year 1881.
			Males.			Females.						
			Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.				
Auckland ...	16,909	48	6	1	6	8	1	3	25	1.47	14.88	
Wellington	21,047	63	8	...	6	2	1	4	21	1.00	13.95	
Christchurch	15,476	56	7	...	4	2	2	2	17	1.10	15.25	
Dunedin ...	24,782	83	4	...	12	4	1	10	31	1.25	14.19	
Thames ...	4,947	23	1	1	...	1	...	2	5	1.01	15.83	
Napier ...	5,908	17	3	1	4	1	...	...	9	1.52	10.94
Wanganui ...	4,752	12	3	...	1	3	...	2	9	1.89	12.27	
Nelson ...	6,868	19	...	...	3	3	...	6	12	1.75	12.71
Sydenham ...	8,689	29	5	...	...	1	...	3	9	1.04	17.02
Lyttelton ...	4,234	11	1	...	2	2	...	1	6	1.42	14.54	
Timaru ...	4,010	23	2	...	1	2	...	...	5	1.25	18.12
Oamaru ...	5,938	23	2	1	3	3	1	2	12	2.02	14.16	
Hokitika ...	2,643	10	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	0.38	19.62
Caversham	4,041	17	1	...	2	1	...	2	6	1.48	12.28	
Invercargill	4,711	20	...	1	3	1	...	...	5	1.06	13.60
Totals	...	454	43	5	48	34	6	37	173	...	...

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

The total births in the above boroughs amounted to 454, against 401 in December, being an increase of 53. The deaths amounted to 173 in January, an increase of 22 on the number for December.

Of the above deaths, males contributed 96; females, 77. 88 of the deaths were of children under five years of age, being 50.87 per cent. of the whole number; 77 of these were of children under one year of age.

THE following Table shows the Causes of the Deaths of Persons of both Sexes under 5 years of age and 5 years and upwards, and the Proportions per Cent. of Deaths from each cause in the Boroughs of Auckland, Wellington, Christchurch, and Dunedin that were registered during the Month of January, 1882.

CLASS.	CAUSES OF DEATH.	AUCKLAND.		WELLINGTON.		CHRISTCHURCH.		DUNEDIN.		TOTAL.	PROPORTIONS PER CENT.
		Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.		
I.	Zymotic Diseases ...	10	3	3	1	4	1	3	1	26	27.66
II.	Constitutional Diseases ...	...	...	4	4	1	1	...	7	17	18.09
III.	Local Diseases ...	1	6	2	3	...	4	4	12	32	34.04
IV.	Developmental Diseases ...	5	...	2	1	5	...	1	...	14	14.89
V.	Violent Deaths ...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	2	5	5.32
VI.	Unspecified ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Totals ...	16	9	11	10	11	6	9	22	94	100.00

		AUCKLAND.	WELLINGTON.	CHRISTCHURCH.	DUNEDIN.	TOTAL.
CLASS I.—ZYMOTIC DISEASES.						
ORDER 1:—						
<i>Miasmatic Diseases,—</i>						
	Scarlatina ...	...	...	2	...	2
	Whooping Cough ...	...	...	1	...	1
	Typhoid Fever ...	...	...	1	...	2
	Continued Fever ...	...	...	...	1	1
	Erysipelas ...	...	...	...	1	1
	Dysentery ...	...	...	1	...	2
	Diarrhoea ...	...	...	6	1	10
ORDER 2:—						
<i>Enthetic Diseases,—</i>						
	Syphilis ...	...	...	...	1	3
ORDER 3:—						
<i>Dietic Diseases,—</i>						
	Inanition ...	...	...	2	1	3
ORDER 4:—						
<i>Parasitic Diseases,—</i>						
	Worms ...	...	...	...	1	1

	AUCKLAND.	WELLING- TON.	CHRIST- CHURCH.	DUNEDIN.	TOTAL.
CLASS II.—CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES.					
ORDER 1:—					
<i>Diathetic Diseases,—</i>					
Dropsy ... ..	...	...	...	2	2
Cancer ... ..	...	3	1	1	5
ORDER 2:—					
<i>Tubercular Diseases,—</i>					
Phthisis ... ..	...	2	...	4	6
Hydrocephalus ... ..	...	3	1	...	4
CLASS III.—LOCAL DISEASES.					
ORDER 1:—					
<i>Diseases of Nervous System,—</i>					
Meningitis ... ..	...	...	...	1	1
Apoplexy ... ..	...	...	...	2	2
Paralysis ... ..	...	...	...	1	1
Convulsions ... ..	...	1	...	...	1
Brain Disease	1	...	1	...	2
Spinal Disease ... ..	...	...	...	1	1
ORDER 2:—					
<i>Diseases of Organs of Circulation,—</i>					
Heart Disease ... ..	...	2	...	2	4
ORDER 3:—					
<i>Diseases of Respiratory Organs,—</i>					
Laryngitis ... ..	...	...	1	...	1
Bronchitis ... ..	...	...	1	3	4
Pleurisy ... ..	...	...	...	1	1
Pneumonia	2	...	...	2	4
Congestion of Lungs ... ..	...	1	...	...	1
ORDER 4:—					
<i>Diseases of Digestive Organs,—</i>					
Gastritis	2	...	...	...	2
Peritonitis ... ..	...	...	1	...	1
Jaundice ... ..	...	...	...	1	1
Liver Disease	1	...	...	...	1
ORDER 5:—					
<i>Diseases of the Urinary Organs,—</i>					
Nephria ... ..	...	...	...	1	1
ORDER 6:—					
<i>Diseases of Organs of Generation,—</i>					
Uterine Disease ... ..	...	1	...	...	1
ORDER 7:—					
<i>Diseases of Organs of Locomotion,—</i>					
Joint Disease	1	...	...	...	1
ORDER 8:—					
<i>Diseases of Integumentary System,—</i>					
Leprosy ... ..	...	...	...	1	1
CLASS IV.—DEVELOPMENTAL DISEASES.					
ORDER 1:—					
<i>Developmental Diseases of Children,—</i>					
Premature Birth	1	1	1	...	3
Teething ... ..	...	...	1	...	1
ORDER 3:—					
<i>Developmental Diseases of Old People,—</i>					
Old Age ... ..	...	1	...	...	1
ORDER 4:—					
<i>Diseases of Nutrition,—</i>					
Debility	4	1	3	1	9
CLASS V.—VIOLENT DEATHS.					
ORDER 1:—					
<i>Accident or Negligence,—</i>					
Burns ... ..	...	...	1	...	1
ORDER 2:—					
<i>Battle,—</i>					
From wounds received ... ..	...	1	...	...	1
ORDER 3:—					
<i>Homicide,—</i>					
Manslaughter by overlying ... ..	...	...	...	1	1
ORDER 4:—					
<i>Suicide,—</i>					
Throat-cutting ... ..	...	...	...	1	1
Shooting ... ..	...	...	...	1	1
Totals	25	21	17	31	94

The following remarks apply only to the above four principal boroughs :—

The births were 250 in January, against 238 in December, an increase of 12.

The deaths in January were 94, against 104 in December, a decrease of 10.

There were 8 deaths of persons of 65 years and upwards: a male of 78 died at Auckland; a male of 66 at Christchurch; a male of 71 and a female of 76 at Wellington; and 3 males of 78, 70, and 69, and a female of 77, at Dunedin.

Zymotic Diseases.—The deaths from these diseases were 26 in January, against 24 in December. In January of 1881 they were 31. Scarletina caused 2 deaths in January, against 6 in December; the 2 deaths occurred in Auckland. Typhoid fever caused 2 deaths in January, 1 at Auckland and 1 at Dunedin.

Constitutional Diseases.—These diseases caused 17 deaths in January, against 14 in December. Cancer caused 5 deaths in January, against 4 in December. The number of deaths from phthisis was the same (6) in each month.

Local Diseases.—There were 32 deaths from these causes in January, against 36 in December. While the deaths from diseases of the nervous system decreased from 14 to 8, those from diseases of the respiratory organs increased from 5 to 11. The deaths from heart disease were 4 in each month.

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

TOWNS.	SIX PRINCIPAL ZYMOTIC DISEASES.												PRINCIPAL LUNG DISEASES.							
	Measles.		Scarlet Fever.		Typhus and other Fever.		Diphtheria.		Whooping Cough.		Dysentery and Diarrhoea.		Bronchitis.		Pleurisy.		Pneumonia.		Congestion of Lungs.	
	Jan.	Dec.	Jan.	Dec.	Jan.	Dec.	Jan.	Dec.	Jan.	Dec.	Jan.	Dec.	Jan.	Dec.	Jan.	Dec.	Jan.	Dec.	Jan.	Dec.
Auckland	2	2	1	...	...	...	1	4	7	2	...	2	...	...	2	...	...	...
Wellington	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...
Christchurch	2	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dunedin	4	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	3	1	1	...	2	1	...	...
Totals	2	6	3	...	...	...	1	4	12	9	4	3	1	...	4	2	1	...

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 15th February, 1882.

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

PROVISIONAL METEOROLOGICAL RETURN FOR JANUARY, 1882.

	AUCKLAND.	WELLINGTON.	DUNEDIN.
Mean Temperature in shade ...	65.7	61.5	57.4
Average same month previous years ...	67.8	62.9	57.5
Maximum Temperature in shade, and date	77.6 on 7th	78.3 on 31st	80.0 on 31st
Minimum Temperature in shade, and date	53.2 on 27th	48.5 on 13th	42.0 on 19th
Maximum Temperature in sun, and date	132.1 on 1st	140.0 on 16th and 25th	149.0 on 6th
Minimum Temperature on grass, and date	48.5 on 27th	45.0 on 13th	34.0 on 26th
Mean Humidity (Saturation=100) ...	75	79	72
Average same month previous years ...	72	70	73
Total Rainfall in inches ...	5.520	3.995	3.414
Average same month previous years ...	2.861	3.208	3.852
Number of Days on which Rain fell ...	11	11	14
Average same month previous years ...	10	10	14

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

15th February, 1882.

J. HECTOR.

Land Transfer Act Notices.

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

4621. EDMUND WILLIAM HALL.—3 roods 19 perches, part of Rural Section 7709, Waitangi District. Unoccupied.

4717. HARRY MARSH.—11 perches, part of Lot 23, Christchurch Town Reserves. Occupied by Applicant.

4739. MICHAEL SPILLANE.—7 acres and 14½ perches, parts of Rural Section 4226, Timaru District. Occupied by Applicant.

4740. JOHN HARVEY.—1 rood 16 perches, Lot 79, deposited Plan 63, part of Rural Section 72, Christchurch District. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 10th day of February, 1882, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

J. M. BATHAM,
District Land Registrar.

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NOTICE is hereby given that CHARLES HUTCHINS, as Administrator of the Estate of JOHN HUTCHINS, late of Woodville, Basketmaker, deceased, has applied to be registered as Proprietor of an estate in fee-simple in one undivided moiety of and in 40 acres of land, Rural Section 170, Woodville, comprised in Register-book, Vol. ix., folio 164; and that he will be so registered, unless caveat forbidding the same be lodged within one calendar month after the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 13th day of February, 1882, at the Lands Registry Office, Napier.

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

No. 335. NEWTON'S EXECUTORS, Applicants.—2 roods 32 perches, being Allotments 118 and 119, subdivision of Section 163, Omaka.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 14th day of February, 1882, at the Lands Registry Office, Blenheim.

JAMES J. TURNBULL,
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.

HENRY ELIAS OSBORNE.—1 rood 32·7 perches, more or less, being Section 3, and parts of Sections 20 and 21, Block I., Town of Invercargill. Occupied by Applicant. Nos. 1818 to 1820.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 3rd day of February, 1882, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

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

CHARLES FREEMAN.—1 rood, being Section 15, Block LXVII., Town of Invercargill. Occupied by Thomas Westcott. No. 1813.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 7th day of February, 1882, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

F. G. MORGAN,
District Land Registrar.
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Mining Notices.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CONSTRUCT A WATER-RACE.

To the Mining Registrar at Black's of the Otago Gold Fields Mining District, and all other persons whom it may concern.

TAKE notice that it is intended to construct a Water-race and divert water, pursuant to the provisions of section 31 of "The Mines Act, 1877," commencing at a point at the Upper Gorge of the Manuherika River, and terminating at the Lower Gorge on Black's Flat, with an ana branch running

through my claim, certificate No. 22108, on Brandy Hill, Black's.

The length of such race is three miles or thereabouts, and its intended course is east and west. The mean depth of such principal race is 2 feet, and the mean breadth is 6 feet; and of the branch race, depth 2 feet, breadth 1 foot 6 inches; and it is proposed to divert thirty Government-heads of water in the principal race, and four Government-heads of water in the ana branch. The time required for the construction and completion of such race is twelve months.

Dated at Black's, this 28th day of January, 1882.

WILLIAM McENDOW,
(By his agent, F. J. WILSON.)
Date and number of miners' rights: 10th November, 1881, Nos. 28050 and 28051. 104

HUMPHREYS GULLY WATER-RACE AND GOLD-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

THIS is to certify that the Name of the Manager of the above-named Company is JOSHUA GIBSON, and that the Registered Office of the Company is in Revell Street South, Hokitika.

J. PEARSON,
W. G. JOHNSTON, } Directors.
JAS. A. BONAR,
Hokitika, 8th February, 1882. 133

I, the undersigned, hereby make application to register the Golden Link Quartz-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 Golden Link Quartz-Mining Company (Limited).
2. The place of operations is at the Serpentine.
3. The registered office of the Company will be situated at Dunedin.
4. The nominal capital of the Company is thirty-nine thousand pounds, in thirteen thousand shares of three pounds each.
5. The number of shares subscribed for is thirteen thousand.
6. The number of paid-up shares is nil.
7. The amount already paid up is twenty-six thousand pounds.
8. The name of the Manager is James Winter, Stafford Street, Dunedin.
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.
Frederick William Hoffmann, Albany Street, Dunedin, Miner	5,000
James Winter, Stafford Street, Dunedin, Agent	2,800
William Oram Ball, Princes Street, Dunedin, Accountant	2,000
Henry Heideman, Serpentine, Miner	1,000
Edward Downey, Anderson's Bay, Journalist	500
Joseph Edmond, Serpentine, Storekeeper	500
Robert Boon Mason, Castle Street, Dunedin, Shipwright	200
In trust for the Company	1,000
	13,000

Dated this 7th day of February, 1882.

JAMES WINTER,
Manager.

Witness to signature—Keith Ramsay, J.P.

I, James Winter, 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."

JAMES WINTER.
Taken before me—Keith Ramsay, J.P. 131

I, the undersigned, hereby make application to register the South British Quartz-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 South British Quartz-Mining Company (Limited).
2. The place of intended operations is at Alpine Range, in the Lyell Survey District, in the Land District of Nelson, and close to Lyell, in the County of Buller, in the Colony of New Zealand.
3. The registered office of the Company will be situated at Lyell aforesaid.
4. The nominal capital of the Company is twenty thousand pounds, in twenty thousand shares of one pound each.
5. The number of shares subscribed for is the whole, being twenty thousand.
6. The number of paid-up shares is nil.
7. The amount already paid up is ten thousand pounds.
8. The name of the Manager is James Frederick Clark.
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.
Thomas Bruce, Reefton, Miner	2,000
W. J. Shaw, Reefton, Boot Importer	1,000
James Nagle, Reefton, Bootmaker	1,000
James Fitzgerald, Boatman's, Miner	1,000
John C. Craig, Black's Point, Hotelkeeper	1,000
Patrick Brennan, Reefton, Mining Agent	1,000
Thomas Hunter, Dunedin, Mining Speculator	1,000
James F. Clark, Lyell, Mining Agent	1,250
John White, Dunedin, Solicitor	1,000
William Campbell, Lyell, Miner	1,000
William Green, Lyell, Miner	1,000
William Brown, Lyell, Bootmaker	1,000
Timothy McLaughlin, Reefton, Mining Speculator	750
Mathew Byrne, Reefton, Mining Speculator	500
Edward Paine, Reefton, Butcher	500
Charles Cohen, Reefton, Stationer	500
Thomas Lee, Reefton, Sharebroker	500
G. C. Bowman, Reefton, Sharebroker	500
Robert A. Roulston, Reefton, Accountant	500
Charles C. Cullen, Lyell, Draper	500
James Guthrie, Lyell, Miner	500
Peter Mangos, Lyell, Storekeeper	500
John Anderson, Lyell, Miner	500
Alois D. Lubecki, Dunedin, Telegraphist	250
Henry George Hankin, Reefton, Sharebroker	250
Joseph Steele, Reefton, Draper	250
J. F. Watson, Dunedin, Broker	250

Dated this 25th day of January, 1882.

JAMES FREDERICK CLARK,
Manager.

Witness to signature—S. J. Reeves, Clerk, Lyell.

I, James Frederick Clark, 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."

JAMES FREDERICK CLARK.

Taken before me, at Lyell, in the County of Buller, in the Colony of New Zealand, this 25th day of January, 1882—Rich. Reeves, J.P. 138

STATEMENT of the Affairs of the Maryborough Gold-Mining and Quartz-Crushing Company (Limited), for the half-year ending the 22nd October, 1881, in accordance with section 135 of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872."

Name of Company: The Maryborough Gold-Mining and Quartz-Crushing Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: 30th December, 1880; 28th January, 1881.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Dunedin; Montagu Pym.

Nominal capital: £19,200.

Number of shares in which capital is divided: 19,200.

Number of shares taken: 19,200.

Amount of calls made: Nil.

Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: 10s. a share, £9,600.

Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company: 26.

Amount of cash in hand: Nil.

Whether in operation or not: In operation.

Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.

Number of shares unallotted: Nil.

MONTAGU PYM,
Manager.

Dunedin, 31st December, 1881.

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Private Advertisements.

I, COLIN MCKENZIE GORDON, Sheriff of the District of Otago, hereby give notice that, under a writ of *feri facias*, duly issued out of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, Otago and Southland District, at Dunedin, in an action, Number 5160, wherein JAMES SMITH, of Greenfield Station, near Lawrence, in the Provincial District of Otago, Farmer, is Plaintiff, and ANDREW McLAREN, of Tokomairiro, in the said Provincial District of Otago, is Defendant, I have taken in execution, at suit of the said James Smith, the Execution Creditor, the estate in fee-simple of the said Andrew McLaren in all those two several parcels of land forming part of Government Section number one hundred and thirty-two (132), Block sixteen (XVI.), on the record map of the Tokomairiro District, in the Provincial District of Otago, and being Sections numbered respectively ninety-seven (97) and ninety-eight (98), Block ten (X.), on the plan of subdivision by Peter McGill of the Township of Milton, deposited with the Registrar of Deeds for the said Provincial District of Otago, which said two several parcels of land have a frontage to the Main South Road of one hundred links with a depth to Manor Street of five hundred links; and are bounded on the South-east by the said Main South Road; on the North-east by Alfred Street; on the North-west by Manor Street; and on the South-west by Section numbered ninety-six on the said plan of subdivision.

And I further give notice that I intend to cause the said estate in fee-simple of the said Andrew McLaren to be sold by public auction, by Mr. Montagu Pym, at his rooms, High Street, Dunedin, on Monday, the twentieth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, at two o'clock in the afternoon, unless the debt, interest, and costs payable by virtue of the said judgment be sooner paid.

The Solicitors for the Execution Creditor are Messieurs George and John Alfred Cook, of the Colonial Bank Buildings, Water Street, Dunedin.

Dated this 10th day of February, 1882.

COLIN MCK. GORDON,
Sheriff.

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I, COLIN MCKENZIE GORDON, Sheriff of the District of Otago, hereby give notice that, under a writ of *feri facias*, duly issued out of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, Otago and Southland District, at Dunedin, in an action, No. 69, wherein HENRY WISE and JAMES CAFFIN, of Dunedin, Booksellers, trading together as "Wise, Caffin, and Co." are Plaintiffs, and JOHN GRAHAM, of Dunedin aforesaid, late a Bookseller and Newsvendor, is Defendant, I have taken in execution, at the suit of the said Henry Wise and James Caffin, the Execution Creditors, the estate in fee-simple of the said John Grabam in all that piece of land containing by admeasurement sixty-nine (69) acres three (3) roods and twenty-eight (28) perches, more or less, situated in the Maungatua District, in the Provincial District of Otago, being Sections numbered respectively thirty-one (31), forty-nine (49), fifty (50), fifty-one (51), fifty-two (52),

fifty-three (53), fifty-four (54), and fifty-five (55), Block one (I.), on the record map of the said Maungatua District, and being the whole of the land referred to in a receipt of the Receiver of Land Revenue at Dunedin, number 6841, registered at Dunedin, in Provisional Register-book, Volume vi., folio 35, subject to a memorandum of lease thereof, number 719, from the said John Graham to Alexander Archibald Marques Graham, for the term of seven years and six months, from the 1st day of January, 1881, at the yearly rent of twenty pounds.

And subject also to two memoranda of mortgage from the said John Graham, numbered respectively 6476 and 6577, to Christina Whiteford and Robert Cramond respectively, to secure the repayment to the said Christina Whiteford and Robert Cramond respectively of the two sums of one hundred pounds each, with interest thereon, as in the said memoranda of mortgage is respectively expressed.

And I further give notice that I intend to cause the said estate in fee-simple of the said John Graham, subject to the said memorandum of lease and the said memoranda of mortgage, to be sold by public auction by Mr. Montagu Pym, at his rooms in High Street, Dunedin, on Monday, the 6th day of March, 1882, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, unless the debt, interest, and costs payable by virtue of the said judgment be sooner paid.

The Solicitors for the Execution Creditors are Messieurs George and J. A. Cook, of the Colonial Bank Buildings, Water Street, Dunedin.

Dated this 26th day of January, 1882.

COLIN MCK. GORDON,
Sheriff.

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COUNTY OF WALLACE.—ORDER.

THE Wallace County Council hereby declares the roads described in the Schedule hereto to be County Roads.

SCHEDULE.

1. The road commencing at Wallacetown Road and extending south-west of Sections 29, 28, 27, 26, 25, 23, and 10, Block XII.; thence west of Sections 10 and 1, Block XII.; thence north of Sections 33 and 52, Block VII.: all of Jacob's River Hundred.

2. The road commencing at north-east corner of Section 59, Block X., Jacob's River Hundred, and extending in an easterly direction north of Sections 1, 29, and 30, Block XI., of said hundred, to Waimatuku Stream.

3. The road commencing at county road at Thornbury, and extending in a north-westerly direction through Sections 42 and 43, Block VII., and through Blocks IX. and VIII. to county road at north corner of Section 30, Block VIII., all of Jacob's River Hundred.

4. The road commencing at north-east corner of Section 19, Block III., Jacob's River Hundred, and extending north of Sections 19 and 5, west of Section 4, north of Sections 27 and 54, and through Sections 46, 45, and 44, all of Block III., Jacob's River Hundred, to Pourakino Bridge.

By order.

JAS. FULLARTON,
County Clerk and Treasurer.

Wallace County Chambers,
Riverton, 24th January, 1882.

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned WILLIAM RATCLIFFE and FRANCIS JAMES PIESSE, as Land and General Commission Agents, at Gisborne, Poverty Bay, in the Provincial District of Auckland, in the Colony of New Zealand, under the style or firm of "Ratcliffe and Piesse," has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All moneys and debts due to the late firm must be paid to William Ratcliffe, by whom all liabilities of the said firm will be discharged.

Dated this 20th day of January, 1882.

WM. RATCLIFFE.
F. J. PIESSE.

Witness to the signatures of William Ratcliffe and Francis James Piesse—Thomas Morgan, Headmaster, Gisborne School, Gisborne. 80

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