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*Town District of Normanby, County of Hawera,
constituted.*

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

WHEREAS by "The Town Districts Act, 1881" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), it is, among other things, enacted that the inhabitants of any locality not constituted a borough under "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1876," wherein there are not less than fifty householders, may apply by petition to the Governor praying that such locality may be constituted a town district under the said Act; and that no such locality shall exceed two square miles in area, and no one point in such area shall be distant more than four miles from any other point therein, except in the case of military townships; and that in every such locality not less than two-thirds of the number of the resident householders shall concur in any such petition, and each signature to such petition shall be verified by the attestation of some respectable witness; and that such petition shall set forth accurately the boundaries of the locality to which such petition may refer; and also that, on the receipt of any such petition, the Governor may, by Proclamation, declare that the provisions of the said Act shall come into force within such locality, and that the same shall be a town district under the said Act; and, further, that such Proclamation shall accurately define the boundaries of the district in accordance with the description contained in the petition, and shall declare the name by which such district shall thereafter be known:

And whereas a petition has been presented to the Governor, by the inhabitants of the locality mentioned and described therein, praying that such locality may be constituted a town district under the said Act:

And whereas not less than two-thirds of the number of resident householders in the said locality have

concurred in the said petition, and it is expedient that a Proclamation should be issued under the said Act for the purposes hereinafter set forth:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the hereinbefore in part recited Act, do hereby proclaim and declare that the provisions of the said Act shall come into force within the locality or district mentioned and described in the Schedule hereto (the same being the locality mentioned and set forth in the said petition, so presented as aforesaid), and that the same shall be a town district under the said Act; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, I do hereby declare that the said district shall hereafter be known by the name of "The Normanby Town District," and I do appoint that the Board of Commissioners of the said district shall consist of five in number.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Provincial District of Taranaki, situated in the Hawera Survey District, containing by admeasurement 640 acres, more or less, and bounded towards the North-west by Section No. 9, the Mawhitiwhiti Road, and Section No. 25; towards the South-west by the Obangai Road to the most southerly corner of Section No. 560; towards the South-east by the Ngarongo Road; and towards the North by Section No. 564, a road-line, and Section No. 10: as the same is delineated on the plan in the Survey Office, New Plymouth.

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,

ERRATUM.—In *New Zealand Gazette* No. 24, of the 9th March, 1882, page 378, in appointment of School Commissioner, for "Robert Buchanan," read "John Buchanan."

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 Christchurch, this ninth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

THOMAS DICK.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Districts constituted under "The Marriage Act, 1880."

(L.S.) ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in the Governor by "The Marriage Act, 1880," I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby abolish the existing marriage district known as the Ashburton District, and do proclaim and declare that the territory heretofore comprised within the said district is hereby divided anew into two marriage districts, the names and boundaries whereof shall be as follow:—

RAKAIA DISTRICT.

All that area in the Provincial District of Canterbury, bounded towards the North-east by the left bank of the Rakaia River; towards the South-east by the ocean; towards the South-west by a road-line north-east of Sections Nos. 27247, 27248, 26910, 26909, 26495, 26667, 26494, 26635, 25840, 25910, 25770, 25646, 25769, 26534, and 24981, said sections being in the South Rakaia, Rakaia, and the Ashburton Survey Districts, to the railway-line, across said railway-line to and by a road-line which forms the north-eastern boundary of Sections Nos. 26522, 25396, 30076, and 25981; again towards the South-east by a road-line which forms the north-western boundary-line of Sections Nos. 25981, 30075, 25986, 25987, 26614, 26615, 27277, 27337, 27311, 27155, 27034, and 6501; again towards the South-west by a road-line forming the north-eastern boundary of Sections Nos. 27031, 27389, 27390, 27493, 27393, and 27394; towards the North-west by Section No. 27392; again towards the South-west by Sections Nos. 27392, 27969, 27970, 27985, 28020, 31252, 30505, 30504, 30506, 30509, 34170, and 30966; again towards the South-east by a road-line forming the north-western boundary of Section No. 34169; again towards the South-west by a road-line which forms the north-eastern boundaries of Sections Nos. 28886, 33766, 24466, 24465, 24464, 24463, 24462, 27274, 19118, and the north-eastern boundary-line of Sections Nos. 15297 and 23724, and a right line from the north-east corner of said section to the most southerly corner of Section No. 33767, and by said section to the road-line which forms its north-western boundary; and again towards the South-east by said road-line which forms the north-eastern boundary of last-mentioned section, of Sections Nos. 26124, 20590, 28125, 31447, 31448, 28164, 26143, 25271, 28091, 31779, and 26121, all of the Ashburton and Spaxton Survey Districts, to the north branch of the River Ashburton; again towards the South-west by said branch, and by the south-western boundaries of Runs Nos. 502, 466, and 352; and towards the North-west by the north-western boundary of last-mentioned run, and thence across the Rakaia River to its left bank, the starting point: including all islands situated in the Rakaia River between the two extremities of the above-described district.

ASHBURTON DISTRICT.

All that area in the Provincial District of Canter-

bury, bounded towards the North and North-east by the left bank of the Rakaia River, and the Rakaia Registration District, before described; towards the South-east by the ocean; towards the South-west by the Rangitata River to its source in the Southern Alps; and towards the North-west by said Alps to the source of the Rakaia River: together with all islands situated in the Rakaia River between its source and the northern boundary of the Rakaia Registration District, before described.

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

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 Christchurch, this ninth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

THOMAS DICK.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

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

(L.S.) ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in the Governor by "The Registration of Births and Deaths Act, 1875," I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby abolish the existing registration district known as the Ashburton District; and do proclaim and declare that the territory heretofore comprised within the said district is hereby divided anew into two registration districts, the names whereof shall be the Rakaia and Ashburton Districts, and the boundaries whereof shall be coterminous with the boundaries of the marriage districts bearing the same names as are set forth in a Proclamation of even date herewith, made under the provisions of "The Marriage Act, 1880."

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

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 Christchurch, this ninth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

THOMAS DICK.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

District constituted under "The Marriage Act, 1880."

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

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

EAST TAIERI DISTRICT.

Bounded towards the North from the confluence of the Allen Creek with the Taieri River, by said creek to its source near Trig. F; thence by a right line due east to the Silver Peak Range; towards the East and North-east by the summit of said range to the Silver Peak; thence by a right line to Trig. S, Swampy Hill; towards the South by the Dunedin and East Taieri Survey District to the road which forms the eastern boundary of Section No. 13 of Block V. of said district; again towards the East and South-east by said road forming the eastern and south-eastern boundaries of Sections Nos. 13, 16, 17, 22, 23, 24, 62, and 2 of 25, all of Block V. of said district, to and across a road-line which forms the eastern boundary of Section No. 10 of Block IV.; thence by that road-line, being the eastern boundary of Sections Nos. 9 and 8 of said block, and of Section No. 65 of Block VI., and by a road-line passing through Sections Nos. 13 and 50, and forming the south-eastern boundaries of Sections Nos. 12, 11, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6; thence by a road-line forming the western boundaries of Sections Nos. 16, 18, 19, 1 of 20, 30, all of said Block VI., to Abbott's Creek; thence by said creek and the Kaikorai River to the ocean; again towards the South-east by the ocean to the mouth of the Taieri River; and towards the West by the said river to the mouth of the Allen Creek: as the same is delineated on the plans deposited in the Survey Office, Dunedin.

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

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 Christchurch, this ninth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

THOMAS DICK.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

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

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

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in the Governor by "The Registration of Births and Deaths Act, 1875," I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of

New Zealand, do hereby abolish the existing registration districts known as the North Taieri and East Taieri Districts; and do proclaim and declare that the territory heretofore comprised within the said districts is hereby included in one registration district, the name whereof shall be the East Taieri District, and the boundaries whereof shall be coterminous with the boundaries of the marriage district bearing the same name as is set forth in a Proclamation of even date herewith, made under the provisions of "The Marriage Act, 1880."

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

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 Christchurch, this ninth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

THOMAS DICK.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Vaccination Districts constituted.

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in the Governor by "The Public Health Act, 1876," I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby abolish the existing vaccination district known as the Ashburton District; and do declare that the territory heretofore comprised within the said district is hereby divided anew into two vaccination districts, the names whereof shall be the Rakaia and Ashburton Districts, and the boundaries whereof shall be coterminous with the boundaries of the marriage districts bearing the same names as are set forth in a Proclamation of even date herewith, made under the provisions of "The Marriage Act, 1880."

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

THOMAS DICK.

Vaccination District constituted.

ARTHUR GORDON, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in the Governor by "The Public Health Act, 1876," I, Arthur Hamilton Gordon, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby abolish the existing vaccination districts known as the North Taieri and East Taieri Districts; and do declare that the territory heretofore comprised within the said districts is hereby included in one vaccination district, the name whereof shall be the East Taieri District, and the boundaries whereof shall be coterminous with the boundaries of the marriage district bearing the same name as is set forth in a Proclamation of even date herewith, made under the provisions of "The Marriage Act, 1880."

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

THOMAS DICK.

Summons to Legislative Council.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 7th March, 1882.

HIS Excellency the Governor has, in Her Majesty's name, summoned

EDWARD CEPHAS JOHN STEVENS, Esq.,
of Christchurch, and

HENRY WILLIAMS, Esq.,
of Pakaraka, Bay of Islands, to the Legislative Council, by writs of summons under the Seal of the Colony.

THOMAS DICK.

Registrar of Marriages, &c. appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 7th March, 1882.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

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

THOMAS DICK.

Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 9th March, 1882.

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

Name.	District.
JOSEPH WARD	Ashburton.
EDWIN CLARK	Rakaia.
JOHN TORRY DOUGLAS	East Taieri.

These appointments take effect on and from the 1st April proximo.

THOMAS DICK.

Public Vaccinator appointed, Ross District.

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

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

FRANCIS ALEXANDER MONCKTON, Esq.,
to be a Public Vaccinator, under "The Public Health Act, 1876," for the Ross District.

THOMAS DICK.

Trustees of Naseby Borough Sinking Fund appointed.

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

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

MACKAY JOHN SCOBIE MACKENZIE, Esq., and
ROBERT STRONG, Esq.,
to be Trustees of the Naseby Borough Sinking Fund, vice H. W. Robinson, Esq., and J. S. McIntosh, Esq., resigned.

THOMAS DICK.

Arrangements for First Elections, &c., Town District of Normanby, County of Hawera.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 9th March, 1882.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

EDWARD CHARLES MEREDITH, Esq.,
to be the Returning Officer to conduct the first election of five Commissioners for the Town District

of Normanby, as constituted under "The Town Districts Act, 1881;" also to appoint Wednesday, the 12th April, 1882, as the time, and the Town Hall, Normanby, as the place, at which such first elections shall be held; also to appoint Saturday, the 15th April, 1882, at noon, at the said Town Hall, Normanby, to be the time and place for the first meeting of the Commissioners.

THOMAS DICK.

Keeper of Police Gaol, Waipawa, appointed.

Prisons Department,
Wellington, 11th March, 1882.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Sergeant JAMES O'MALLEY
to be Keeper of the Police Gaol, Waipawa, vice Sergeant Kidd.

THOMAS DICK,
Minister of Justice.

Deputy-Sheriff appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 13th March, 1882.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM LUPTON DEAN, Esq.,
to be Deputy-Sheriff for the District of Patea

THOMAS DICK.

Coroner appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 13th March, 1882.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ISAAC NEWTON WATT, Esq., R.M.,
of Dunedin, to be a Coroner within the colony.

THOMAS DICK.

Members of Licensing Courts appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 13th March, 1882.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned persons to be the Licensing Committees for the districts set opposite their names respectively:—

Committee.	District.
William Carter	Moa.
John King	
Henry William Marsh	
Joseph Clarke Peach	
George Sutton Kennedy	
Robert McBeth	Kiwitea.
George Kidd	
W. K. Stewart	
James Barrow	
George Currin	
Archibald Hilson Ross	Linden.
James Wilkie	
Alexander Hill Jack	
Alexander Campbell Begg	
Robert Chisholm	
John Gideon Fraser	Mornington First.
George Scott	
John Smith	
George Elliott Elliott	
Thomas Baird	
Henry Harraway	Kaikorai.
John Stoddart	
William Thomson	
Thomas Howarth	
William Martin	

THOMAS DICK.

Election of Licensing Committees.

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

NOTICE has been received at this office, under the hands of the several Returning Officers, that the following persons have been duly elected to be the Licensing Committees for the districts set opposite their names respectively:—

Committee.	District.	Committee.	District.
George Totterdal Hartnell	Albert.	Donald McLean	Upper Ashburton.
Alfred Neal		Matthew Stitt	
Evan Richards		Thomas Bullock	
Edward Browne	Awhitu.	Charles John Harper	Moeraki.
James Sharpley Mawer		Francis Raine	
George Joseph Garland		James Findlay	
Charles John Brook		James Falcner	
John Brook		Hector Morrison	
Edward Garland		Anthony Paterson	
Hugh Evans		Andrew McKerrow	
James Hamilton		A. H. Chapman	
William Lee		H. Ferguson	
Donald Henderson McPherson		C. F. Roberts		Otekaike.
Benjamin Nicholl	Thomas Smith		
Charles Wright	Joseph Scott	Portobello.	
Andrew Hart	Thomas Porterfield		
George William Bull	William Alexander Wilson		
Samuel James Neill	Mercury Bay.	James Muir	Matukituki.
Joseph Walton		John Geary, sen.	
William Deeble		William Geary, sen.	
John Goonan		Robert Clarke	
Charles Featherstone Mitchell		John McPherson	
Peter Austin		George Barker	
Francis Lipsey		John Elliott	
Patrick Nolan		Thomas Harvey	
Thomas Veale		Stewart Richard Angelo	
John Hudson		Alfred Henry Morrisby	
Alexander Hume	Kauaeranga.	John Elliott	Arrow.
James Robert Stone		Robert Gilmour	
John Ernest Hansen		Edsall Grüber	
Andrew Reeves		James Douglas	
Henry Williams		Charles Crofton Boyes	
Michael Joseph Gannon		George Mico Ross	
Enock Kirk		William Mason	
Stewart Robertson Stewart		Robert Davidson	
John Bennett Hollis		Joseph George Brown	
Arthur Couper Knight		Colin Robertson	
John Lawrence McIlroy	Alexander Christie	Waikaia.	
William Orr	George Robert Hanson		
Frederick Sutton	William Fyfe	Thames North.	
Francis Bethell	Thomas Glen Cornes		
John Chambers	William Fraser		
Thomas Gilpin	Walter Fricker		
Allan McLean	William Laing Thorburn		
Ernest Denton Tanner	John Wilson		
Hugh Belliss	William Calder		
John Groves, jun.	James Milne Mennie		
Charles Peach	Edward Thomas Wildman		
Edward Carew Smythe	William Wilkinson		
Frederick Taylor	John Wilson	Thames Central.	
David Allan	William Calder		
John Goodridge Lash	William Carpenter	Thames South.	
William Scrimgeour	John Ernest Hansen		
Henry Philip Washbourne	Thomas Veale	Borough of Ashburton.	
William Willicombe	Edward Thomas Wildman		
John Cann	Henry Thomas Winter		
George Canning Gilbert	Robert Alcorn		
Joseph Packard	Thomas Bullock		
Alexander Robertson	Alfred Saunders		
George James Sparrow	John Grigg		
Alexander Broadfoot	Benjamin Ellis		
Frank Courage	Aquila Ivory		
Charles Ensor	Thomas Keir		
Walpole Cheshire Fendall	John Johnston	Rangiora Borough.	
Charles Solly Haughton	George Wallace		
Wilson Fisher	William Gilbert Rees	Alexandra.	
John Richard Gorton	James Simmonds		
Robert Luke Higgins	John Mackersey		
William Arthur Nalder	George Nichol McDonald	Cromwell.	
Fiederick Leurs	Thomas Sinclair		
Henry Thomas Winter	Benjamin Drake		
William Hall Zouch	Stephen Noble Brown		
John Grigg	Karl Pretsch		
Joseph Ivess	Robert Wishart		
Donald McLean	James Scott		
	Neils Peter Hjorring		
	William Henry Ash		
	James Mitchell		Naseby.
	Robert Strong		
	James Alexander	Queenstown South.	
	William Mason		
	Hermann Henry William Carstens		
	William Warren		
	Robert Davidson		
	George Mico Ross		

Committee.	District.
George Calder James Farquharson Isaac Green Thomas Short Edmund John Schlotel Albert Lawson John Everest James Campbell Scott William Brown Samuel Woolley	North-East Valley East. Palmerston Borough.

C. J. A. HASELDEN,
(for the Under-Secretary.)

Cadets in the Survey Department appointed.

General Survey Office,
Wellington, 6th March, 1882.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments of Cadets in the Survey Department of New Zealand:—

- ALFRED CHARLES ATKINSON. Date of appointment, 1st October, 1880.
- HENRY LOWE. Date of appointment, 2nd February, 1881.
- HENRY DOUGLAS MORGAN HAZARD. Date of appointment, 2nd December, 1880.
- GEORGE STABLES. Date of appointment, 1st January, 1881.

JOHN HALL,
(for the Minister of Lands.)

Promotion and Appointment of Volunteer Officers.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 15th March, 1882.

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

Wakari Rifle Volunteers.

- Lieutenant Andrew Gardner to be Captain.
- Sub-Lieutenant Sydney Haigh to be Lieutenant.
- John Wilson to be Sub-Lieutenant.
- Date of commissions, 4th November, 1881.

Wellington Naval Brigade.

- Edwin Davey to be Sub-Lieutenant. Date of commission, 2nd February, 1882.

Wanganui Naval Brigade.

- Joseph Abbot to be Captain.
- Christopher Smith Cross to be Lieutenant.
- Date of commissions, 1st November, 1881.

H. A. ATKINSON.

Resignation of Volunteer Officer.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 15th March, 1882.

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

G Battery of Artillery.

- Second-Lieutenant Christopher Bastian. Date of resignation, 24th January, 1882.

H. A. ATKINSON.

Letters of Naturalisation issued.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 14th March, 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.
Peter Hende	Ferryman	Hende's Ferry, Ross.

THOMAS DICK.

Application for Registration of Trade Mark.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 13th March, 1882.

NOTICE is hereby given that Messrs. SIEVWRIGHT and STOUT, of Wellington, in the Colony of New Zealand, Solicitors, have applied, on behalf of WILLIAM WILLS, of the City of Dunedin, in the said colony, Soap and Candle Manufacturer, to register, under "The Trade Marks Act, 1866," the trade mark of which the following is a description, viz. :—

Description of Trade Mark.

The words "Southern Cross."

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

All descriptions of soap and candles manufactured by the said William Wills.

THOMAS DICK,
Colonial Secretary and Registrar of Trade Marks.

Application for Registration of Trade Mark.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 13th March, 1882.

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM JOHN GANDY, of Wellington, in the Colony of New Zealand, Merchant, has applied, on behalf of Messieurs ROBERT K. MURRAY AND SONS, of Dunedin, in the said colony, to register, under "The Trade Marks Act, 1866," the trade mark of which the following is a description, viz. :—

Description of Trade Mark.

A basket of fruit suspended by a chain in the centre of a label and surrounded by a circle coloured red with black on the outer and inner edges, the circle is set in a square, the four sides of which are about the eighth of an inch distant from the outer edge of the circle, in the four corners of the square are semi-concentric rings in black and white; the small spaces left between the rings and the sides of the square being filled in with scroll-work. Outside the square, on the right hand, are the words "Red Cross Jam Works, Dunedin," printed at right angles to the rest of the design, with a Maltese cross, coloured red, on the right and left of the words; the words and crosses are enclosed in a long parallelogram formed by a wavy line with dots in the curves. On the left of the square are the words "R. K. Murray and Sons' Trade Mark," and a Maltese cross on the right and left similarly printed and enclosed: outside all is a black line enclosing the whole in a parallelogram. A broad red-curved band having yellow edges crosses the circle which surrounds the basket, near the top on which is printed the names of various jams, as "Raspberry Jam," &c.

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

Jams and jellies.

THOMAS DICK,
Colonial Secretary and Registrar of Trade Marks.

Digest of Imperial Act entitled "Presumption of Life Limitation Act, 1881."

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 13th March, 1882.

THE following brief digest of an Imperial Act, cited as "The Presumption of Life Limitation Act, 1881," is published for general information:—

The preamble sets forth that great hardships having arisen from the want of any limitation to the presumption of life as regards persons who have been absent from Scotland, or have disappeared for long periods of years, it is desirable that a limitation should be provided.

Section 1. Provides that, in the case of a person who has been absent from Scotland, or who has disappeared, and who has not been heard of for seven years, the Court may, on petition from the person entitled to succeed to the estate of the absentee, and after due inquiry, grant the petitioner authority to enjoy the income of such estate.

Section 2. Provides that, after a further period of seven years, during which the absent person has not been heard of, the petitioner may obtain from the Court the fee of the movable estate, as if the absentee were dead.

Section 3. Provides that, thirteen years after the income of the estate has been granted, the Court may, if nothing has been heard of the missing person, grant the petitioner the fee of the heritable estate, as if the absentee were dead.

Section 4. Provides for the disposal of movable estate after fourteen years' absence where there has been no previous deliverance relative to income under section 1.

Section 5. Makes provision for the disposal of heritable estate after twenty years' absence where there has been no previous deliverance relative to income under section 1.

Section 6. Gives power to dispense with the consent of the absent person to the sale of property held *pro indiviso*.

Section 7. Provides that the claim of the absent person, or of person with better title than petitioner, is barred after thirteen years from date of deliverance of income.

Section 8. Enacts that the absent person, where there is nothing to prove the contrary, shall be presumed to have died seven years after his disappearance and last being heard of.

Section 11. Exempts policies of insurance from the provisions of the Act.

THOMAS DICK.

Bonuses on Colonial Industries.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 1st February, 1882.

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

SUGAR.

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

STARCH.

A bonus of three hundred pounds (£300) will be given on the first 50 tons of starch, manufactured in the colony, which shall be shipped to an English market, and for which a satisfactory certificate shall be given by dealers or brokers in England that the starch is of good marketable quality.

SILK.

A bonus of fifty per cent. on the value realized for the first thousand pounds' (£1,000) worth of

cocoons of the silkworm, or silkworms' eggs, produced in the colony, to be paid on quantities of not less value than fifty pounds (£50) nor more than one hundred pounds (£100) produced by any one person.

SUGAR-REFINING.

A bonus of five hundred pounds (£500) will be given for three years in succession for the refining each year, by machinery established in New Zealand, of not less than 100 tons of cane sugar. The establishment by which such refining is effected must be what is ordinarily known as a sugar-refinery. The firm refining the first 100 tons of sugar, and receiving the bonus, shall be also entitled to the bonus of the two following years upon fulfilling the conditions above named.

Conditions.

Notice of intention to claim any of the above bonuses must be given in writing to the Colonial Secretary not later than the 30th June, 1882.

The claim must be made before the 31st December, 1882.

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

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

IRON.

A bonus of one thousand pounds (£1,000) will be given for the production, in New Zealand, of 300 tons of pig-iron, of marketable quality, from ore produced in New Zealand.

Conditions.

1. The bonus not to be given for any quantity less than 100 tons.

2. Notice of the intention to erect ironworks and claim the bonus must be given to the Colonial Secretary before the 31st December, 1882.

3. The bonus must be claimed before the 31st December, 1883.

4. In the event of more than one claimant giving such notice, not more than seven-tenths of the bonus may be claimed by the first producer, and not more than three-tenths by the second producer; but if only one claimant becomes a producer on the above conditions, he may claim the whole of the bonus.

5. The iron in respect of which any bonus is claimed, and the ore from which it is manufactured, will be examined by an officer to be appointed by the Government, who may require the production of *bond fide* account sales of quantities not less than 100 tons weight, showing that such iron has been sold at a fair market price as pig-iron.

THOMAS DICK.

Notice to Mariners.—No. 7 of 1882.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 9th March, 1882.

THE following Notice to Mariners, received from the Superintendent, Marine Survey of India, Calcutta, is published for general information.

JOHN HALL,
(in absence of the Minister having charge
of the Marine Department.)

MALACCA STRAIT.—PENANG, OR PRINCE OF WALES' ISLAND.

*Fixed Red Light exhibited from Fort Point,
Georgetown.*

THE Harbourmaster, Penang, has notified that, on and after the 1st January, 1882, a light would be

exhibited from a lighthouse on Fort Point, Georgetown.

The light is a fixed red light, elevated 60 feet above the sea, and should be visible in clear weather through an arc of 202 degrees, or between the bearings of S.S.E. through W. to N., from a distance of ten miles; consequently the light is not visible in the South Channel below Jerajah Island.

The lighthouse is situated on the north-east bastion of Fort Cornwallis. It is an iron structure, painted white, and has an overhanging gallery round the light-room.

The illuminating apparatus is dioptric, or by lenses of the fourth order.

Position: Lat. 5° 24' 30" N., long. 100° 20' 10" E. (Admiralty chart).

Bearings are magnetic, and from seaward. Variation, 2° 35' easterly in 1882.

By direction of the Government of India.

A. DUNDAS TAYLOR,
Comdr. (late I.N.),

Superintendent, Marine Survey of India.

Marine Survey Department,
Calcutta, 3rd January, 1882.

Notice to Mariners.—No. 8 of 1882.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 9th March, 1882.

THE following Notices to Mariners, received from the President, Marine Board, Port Adelaide, South Australia, are published for general information.

JOHN HALL,
(in absence of the Minister having charge
of the Marine Department.)

TIPABA BAY, SPENCER GULF.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on and after the night of the 16th January, 1882, a bright white light will be exhibited from the end of the Moonta Bay Jetty, and will be visible in clear weather from a vessel's deck at a distance of four miles.

R. H. FERGUSON,
President, Marine Board.

Marine Board Offices,
Port Adelaide, 11th January, 1882.

ALTERATION OF LIGHT, CAPE NORTHUMBERLAND.

REFERRING to Notice to Mariners, No. 1 of 1881, dated the 11th January, 1881, mariners are now hereby informed that, on and after the night of the 1st May, 1882, a revolving light of the first order, showing a bright flash every sixty seconds, will be exhibited from a new light-tower, erected on a knoll, distant 19 chains to the eastward of the old light-house.

The focal plane is 154 feet above low-water mark, and the light should be observed from a vessel's deck in clear weather at a distance of twenty miles, and will be visible all round the sea-horizon.

The tower and cottages are painted white, and are conspicuous objects from seaward.

R. H. FERGUSON,
President, Marine Board.

Marine Board Offices,
Port Adelaide, 13th January, 1882.

SPENCER GULF, EASTERN SHOAL LIGHTSHIP.

THE Marine Board hereby give notice that, on or about the 1st December, 1882, the lightship at present stationed to the westward of the Eastern Shoal, Spencer Gulf, will be removed.

Further particulars will be furnished in due course.

R. H. FERGUSON,
President, Marine Board.

Marine Board Offices,
Port Adelaide, 13th January, 1882.

SOUTH-EAST COAST, CAPE BANKS, CARPENTER ROCKS.

THE Marine Board hereby give notice that, on or about the 1st January, 1883, a revolving light of the second order will be exhibited from a lighthouse to be erected on the mainland, adjacent to the Carpenter Rocks, near Cape Banks, south-east coast of this province.

Further particulars will be published in due course.

R. H. FERGUSON,
President, Marine Board.

Marine Board Offices,
Port Adelaide, 13th January, 1882.

SPENCER GULF, LOWLY POINT.

THE Marine Board hereby give notice that, on or about the 1st December, 1882, a revolving light of the third order will be exhibited from a tower to be erected on Lowly Point, Spencer Gulf.

Full particulars will be issued in due course.

R. H. FERGUSON,
President, Marine Board.

Marine Board Offices,
Port Adelaide, 13th January, 1882.

CLARENCE STRAITS, POINT CHARLES, NORTHERN TERRITORY.

NOTICE is hereby given that a wooden pyramidal beacon has been erected on Point Charles for the guidance of mariners.

It is 41 feet high, 20 feet at the base, and 8 feet 6 inches at the apex, having 20 feet from apex downwards covered with galvanized iron, and painted white.

R. H. FERGUSON,
President, Marine Board.

Marine Board Offices,
Port Adelaide, 16th January, 1882.

Notice to Mariners.—No. 9 of 1882.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 11th March, 1882.

THE following Notice with reference to the establishment of a telegraph and signal station at Vinga, at the entrance to Gottenburg, received through the Acting-Consul for Sweden and Norway at Christchurch, is published for general information.

H. A. ATKINSON.

TELEGRAPH AND SIGNAL STATION OF VINGA.

ON the 15th September an electric telegraph office, combined with a special establishment for exchanging signals with vessels passing at sea, will be opened at Vinga, at the entrance to Gottenburg.

This office is situated 140 metres westward from the Vinga beacon.

Telegrams will there be received and despatched daily from sunrise to sunset.

The signalling to ships at sea will be carried on exclusively by means of flags and distance-signals, according to the rules laid down in the International Commercial Code of Signals.

With regard to telegrams sent to vessels, the following rules are to be observed:—

1. The address must give, not only the ordinary indications, but also the name of the vessel, its official

number (*i.e.*, signal letters in the code list), as well as the port to which the ship belongs.

2. The telegram shall either be written in the Swedish language or be composed of combinations of letters. In the latter case only the following eighteen consonants of the alphabet, viz., B, C, D, F, G, H, J, K, L, M, N, P, Q, R, S, T, V, and W, may be used. Each combination shall not contain more than four letters. A telegram of this description will be considered as if it were ciphered.

Telegrams coming from ships will, at the request of the sender, be forwarded to their destination in the above-mentioned kind of cipher. In case no such request should be made, the despatch will be forwarded in Swedish translation.

The charge for messages by signal letters will, in the rule, be calculated at the following rate: (a) for signalling, 1 krona 50 öre for any number of words; (b) the forwarding of the message through the telegraph will be charged according to the established tariff of rates for inland and foreign telegraphic correspondence. The whole amount of both these posts is to be paid: for telegrams sent to vessels by the sender, and for despatches coming from vessels by the receiver.

Passing vessels will be able, by simply hoisting the ensign with their distinguishing signal (*i.e.*, their official number in the code list), to have their passage reported; by telegraph to any person within Sweden who, by letter or telegram, shall have previously applied to the office for such purpose, at the same time giving his address. In such cases no charge will at present be made for the signalling, and the person to whom a message is addressed will only have to pay the ordinary charge for the transmission by telegraphic wire and such expenses as the forwarding of the message to its address from the nearest telegraph office may involve.

After the establishment of the electric telegraph office, the optical telegraph at Vinga will no longer be used.

The Royal Board of Telegraphs,
Stockholm, 30th August, 1881.

Notice to Mariners.—No. 10 of 1882.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 15th March, 1882.

IT is hereby notified that the Timaru Harbour Board has given notice that, from and after the 1st May next, the Timaru Harbour light will show a fixed green light between west and south-west (magnetic), as viewed from the sea; and that the remaining sea-arc will show a fixed white light as at present.

H. A. ATKINSON.

Notice to Trustees in Bankruptcy and others.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 27th February, 1882.

THE attention of Trustees in Bankruptcy and others is directed to the fact that the cost of prosecuting fraudulent bankrupts is, by "The Fraudulent Debtors Act, 1876," and "The Debtors and Creditors Act, 1876," made a first charge on the estates.

THOMAS DICK.

Money Order and Savings Bank Office opened.

Post Office and Telegraph Department,
Wellington, 9th March, 1882.

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

WAIPAHI (Chief Office, Invercargill),
from and after the 1st April proximo.

W. GRAY,
Secretary.

Branch of Friendly Society registered.

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

THE Try Again Division, No. 15, situated at Woodend, is registered as a branch of the Grand Division, No. 10, of the Sons and Daughters of Temperance, this 14th day of March, 1882.

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

Branch of Friendly Society registered.

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

COURT Eureka, No. 6171, situated at Auckland, is registered as a branch of the Auckland District of the Ancient Order of Foresters, this 14th day of March, 1882.

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

Officiating Ministers for 1882.—Notice No. 5.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 11th March, 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 intitled "The Marriage Act, 1880," the following names of Officiating Ministers within the meaning of the said Act are published for general information:—

Presbyterian Church of New Zealand.

The Reverend James M. Smith.
The Reverend James G. Kellen.

Lutheran Church.

The Reverend George Enoch Sass.

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

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.

Amended Traffic Returns.

NEW ZEALAND RAILWAYS.—Traffic Returns
for the Four Weeks ending the 4th February,
1882:—

(Republished in consequence of clerical error.)

WHANGAREI SECTION.

	1882.			Corresponding Four Weeks 1881.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class ...	187	140	277	...	...	...
2nd Class ...	296	412	708	...	...	...
Total	483	552	985	...	...	...

GOODS,—	1882.			1881.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
Wool
Timber
Grain
Merchandise	7	...	...	...
Minerals	902	...	...	1,136
Firewood
Total...	909	...	...	1,136

LIVE STOCK,—	1882.			1881.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
Parcels, Dogs, &c.
Horses and Cattle
Sheep, Pigs, &c.
Total...

REVENUE,—	1882.			1881.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers, Parcels, &c....	28	11	3	...	...	...
Goods, Live Stock, Rents, &c.	92	3	6	127	16	0
Total...	£120	14	9	£127	16	0

AUCKLAND SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class ...	4,785	4,068	8,853	3,666	1,630	5,296
2nd Class ...	13,489	9,756	23,245	11,949	7,152	19,101
Total	18,274	13,824	32,098	15,615	8,782	24,397

GOODS,—	1882.			1881.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
Wool	21	...	...	8
Timber	823	...	...	965
Grain	201	...	...	169
Merchandise	1,636	...	...	2,076
Minerals	1,901	...	...	2,043
Firewood	70	...	...	...
Total...	4,652	...	...	5,261

LIVE STOCK,—	1882.			1881.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
Parcels, Dogs, &c.	2,028	...	...	2,078
Horses and Cattle	540	...	...	784
Sheep, Pigs, &c.	5,883	...	...	4,128
Total...	8,451	...	...	6,990

REVENUE,—	1882.			1881.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers, Parcels, &c....	3,298	15	5	2,537	3	10
Goods, Live Stock, Rents, &c.	2,722	19	6	2,813	3	3
Total ...	£6,021	14	11	£5,350	7	1

NAPIER SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class ...	1,955	1,214	3,169	1,834	1,004	2,838
2nd Class ...	5,116	3,998	9,114	4,080	2,292	6,372
Total	7,071	5,212	12,283	5,914	3,296	9,210

NAPIER SECTION—continued.

GOODS,—	1882.			1881.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
Wool	365	...	...	449
Timber	1,414	...	...	660
Grain	69	...	...	41
Merchandise	539	...	...	472
Minerals	123	...	...	123
Firewood	775	...	...	805
Total...	3,285	...	...	2,550

LIVE STOCK,—	1882.			1881.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
Parcels, Dogs, &c.	1,232	...	...	1,020
Horses and Cattle	73	...	...	69
Sheep, Pigs, &c.	2,382	...	...	1,369
Total...	3,687	...	...	2,458

REVENUE,—	1882.			1881.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers, Parcels, &c. ...	1,465	10	1	1,186	1	9
Goods, Live Stock, Rents, &c.	1,510	0	4	1,259	9	3
Total...	£2,975	10	5	£2,445	11	0

WELLINGTON SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class ...	3,795	2,154	5,949	2,414	8,388	10,802
2nd Class ...	12,388	8,772	21,160	4,858	8,000	12,858
Total	16,183	10,926	27,109	7,272	16,388	23,660

GOODS,—	1882.			1881.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
Wool	214	...	...	204
Timber	1,224	...	...	837
Grain	90	...	...	161
Merchandise	491	...	...	560
Minerals	217	...	...	489
Firewood	550	...	...	395
Total...	2,795	...	...	2,646

LIVE STOCK,—	1882.			1881.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
Parcels, Dogs, &c.	1,206	...	...	993
Horses and Cattle	62	...	...	108
Sheep, Pigs, &c.	3,157	...	...	915
Total...	4,425	...	...	2,016

REVENUE,—	1882.			1881.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers, Parcels, &c....	2,094	3	4	2,047	0	1
Goods, Live Stock, Rents, &c.	1,704	16	9	1,426	6	10
Total...	£3,799	0	1	£3,473	6	11

WANGANUI SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class ...	1,759	738	2,497	1,464	713	2,182
2nd Class ...	5,979	2,832	8,811	4,523	3,120	7,643
Total	7,738	3,570	11,308	5,987	3,833	9,825

GOODS,—	1882.			1881.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
Wool	194	...	...	103
Timber	1,839	...	...	1,649
Grain	219	...	...	131
Merchandise	530	...	...	337
Minerals	51	...	...	178
Firewood	580	...	...	870
Total...	3,413	...	...	3,268

LIVE STOCK,—	1882.			1881.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
Parcels, Dogs, &c.	1,352	...	...	1,108
Horses and Cattle	52	...	...	92
Sheep, Pigs, &c.	1,141	...	...	264
Total...	2,645	...	...	1,404

REVENUE,—	1882.			1881.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers, Parcels, &c. ...	1,548	9	2	1,320	16	10
Goods, Live Stock, Rents, &c.	1,844	10	10	1,535	0	6
Total...	£3,393	0	0	£2,855	17	4

NEW PLYMOUTH SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1882.			1881.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class ...	585	406	991	276	154	430
2nd Class ...	4,639	1,558	6,197	4,010	1,158	5,168
Total	5,224	1,964	7,188	4,286	1,312	5,598
GOODS,—	Tons.			Tons.		
Wool ...	...	...	4	...	...	8
Timber ...	...	...	664	...	...	171
Grain ...	...	...	44	...	...	105
Merchandise ...	...	...	220	...	...	339
Minerals ...	...	...	33	...	...	28
Firewood ...	...	...	225	...	...	115
Total...	...	...	1,190	...	...	766
LIVE STOCK,—	No.			No.		
Parcels, Dogs, &c. ...	...	...	465	...	...	315
Horses and Cattle ...	...	...	10	...	...	4
Sheep, Pigs, &c. ...	...	...	791	...	...	262
Total...	...	...	1,266	...	...	581
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.			£ s. d.		
Passengers, Parcels, &c. ...	672	14	6	380	0	1
Goods, Live Stock, Rents, &c. ...	427	10	7	288	0	11
Total...	£1,100	5	1	£668	1	0

HURUNUI-BLUFF SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1882.			1881.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class ...	22,259	15,334	37,593	23,173	14,222	37,395
2nd Class ...	70,082	38,828	108,910	76,774	38,484	115,258
Total	92,341	54,162	146,503	99,947	52,706	152,653
GOODS,—	Tons.			Tons.		
Wool ...	...	...	8,854	...	...	8,446
Timber ...	...	...	10,377	...	...	6,935
Grain ...	...	...	11,312	...	...	8,293
Merchandise ...	...	...	25,100	...	...	20,284
Minerals ...	...	...	21,826	...	...	23,632
Firewood ...	...	...	2,210	...	...	2,730
Total...	...	...	79,679	...	...	70,320
LIVE STOCK,—	No.			No.		
Parcels, Dogs, &c. ...	...	...	17,700	...	...	17,057
Horses and Cattle ...	...	...	1,497	...	...	1,050
Sheep, Pigs, &c. ...	...	...	20,562	...	...	17,263
Total...	...	...	39,759	...	...	35,370
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.			£ s. d.		
Passengers, Parcels, &c. ...	20,866	0	2	21,174	0	9
Goods, Live Stock, Rents, &c. ...	30,794	3	1	28,122	14	10
Total...	£51,660	3	3	£49,296	15	7

GREYMOUTH SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1882.			1881.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class ...	229	154	383	190	72	262
2nd Class ...	1,067	1,112	2,179	1,215	790	2,005
Total	1,296	1,266	2,562	1,405	862	2,267
GOODS,—	Tons.			Tons.		
Wool ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Timber ...	...	...	114	...	...	97
Grain ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Merchandise ...	...	...	133	...	...	148
Minerals ...	...	...	4,910	...	...	2,368
Firewood ...	...	...	5	...	...	15
Total...	...	...	5,162	...	...	2,628
LIVE STOCK,—	No.			No.		
Parcels, Dogs, &c. ...	...	...	9	...	...	6
Horses and Cattle ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sheep, Pigs, &c. ...	...	...	2	...	...	...
Total...	...	...	11	...	...	6
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.			£ s. d.		
Passengers, Parcels, &c. ...	140	4	0	170	18	11
Goods, Live Stock, Rents, &c. ...	762	1	3	457	11	1
Total...	£902	5	3	£628	10	0

Wellington, 15th March, 1882.

WESTPORT SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1882.			1881.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class ...	6	18	24	23	40	63
2nd Class ...	960	600	1,560	630	320	950
Total...	966	618	1,584	653	360	1,013
GOODS,—	Tons.			Tons.		
Wool ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Timber ...	...	...	95	...	...	96
Grain ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Merchandise ...	...	...	43	...	...	36
Minerals ...	...	...	3,266	...	...	2,015
Firewood ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total...	...	...	3,404	...	...	2,147
LIVE STOCK,—	No.			No.		
Parcels, Dogs, &c. ...	...	...	201	...	...	133
Horses and Cattle ...	...	...	4	...	...	2
Sheep, Pigs, &c. ...	...	...	10	...	...	...
Total...	...	...	215	...	...	135
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.			£ s. d.		
Passengers, Parcels, &c. ...	89	14	0	58	14	7
Goods, Live Stock, Rents, &c. ...	510	9	4	79	9	9
Total...	£600	3	4	£138	4	4

NELSON SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1882.			1881.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class ...	424	316	740	692	314	1,006
2nd Class ...	2,536	2,174	4,710	3,151	2,226	5,377
Total ...	2,960	2,490	5,450	3,843	2,540	6,383
GOODS,—	Tons.			Tons.		
Wool ...	...	...	19	...	...	25
Timber ...	...	...	93	...	...	227
Grain ...	...	...	13	...	...	7
Merchandise ...	...	...	169	...	...	161
Minerals ...	...	...	69	...	...	26
Firewood ...	...	...	255	...	...	260
Total...	...	...	618	...	...	706
LIVE STOCK,—	No.			No.		
Parcels, Dogs, &c. ...	...	...	239	...	...	237
Horses and Cattle ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sheep, Pigs, &c. ...	...	...	27	...	...	...
Total...	...	...	266	...	...	237
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.			£ s. d.		
Passengers, Parcels, &c. ...	411	12	3	493	18	9
Goods, Live Stock, Rents, &c. ...	261	2	9	378	3	6
Total...	£672	15	0	£872	2	3

PICTON SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1882.			1881.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class ...	444	202	646	467	150	617
2nd Class ...	907	1,022	1,929	756	1,144	1,900
Total	1,351	1,224	2,575	1,223	1,294	2,517
GOODS,—	Tons.			Tons.		
Wool ...	...	...	84	...	...	35
Timber ...	...	...	275	...	...	389
Grain ...	...	...	190	...	...	28
Merchandise ...	...	...	307	...	...	151
Minerals ...	...	...	85	...	...	30
Firewood ...	...	...	215	...	...	430
Total...	...	...	1,156	...	...	1,063
LIVE STOCK,—	No.			No.		
Parcels, Dogs, &c. ...	...	...	113	...	...	139
Horses and Cattle ...	...	...	11	...	...	3
Sheep, Pigs, &c. ...	...	...	119	...	...	187
Total...	...	...	243	...	...	329
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.			£ s. d.		
Passengers, Parcels, &c. ...	234	15	6	217	8	1
Goods, Live Stock, Rents, &c. ...	507	10	2	265	15	2
Total ...	£742	5	8	£483	3	3

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

N.Z.R.—FINANCIAL YEAR 1881-82.

RAILWAYS WORKING ACCOUNT, showing the Revenue and Expenditure to the Termination of the Four-weekly Period ending 4th February, 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 ...	...	...	...	621	2 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Whangarei ...	5	120	14 9	1,171	16 10	140	2 8	1,485	17 10	126.80	276	19 7	351	4 2
Auckland ...	139	6,021	14 11	60,982	8 11	3,632	10 7	41,317	8 5	67.75	523	17 4	358	6 4
Napier ...	70	2,975	10 5	27,649	15 6	1,574	1 11	15,907	16 4	57.53	466	16 2	268	11 4
Wellington ...	69	3,799	0 1	34,684	2 3	2,092	16 1	25,146	0 7	72.50	596	8 4	432	8 2
Wanganui ...	115	3,393	0 0	36,736	17 11	2,297	1 7	22,833	15 10	62.15	377	10 7	234	13 2
New Plymouth ...	51	1,100	5 1	10,712	12 7	869	13 9	7,946	17 7	74.18	266	17 9	198	0 2
Total ...	449	17,410	5 3	172,558	16 4	10,606	6 7	114,637	16 7	66.43				
MIDDLE ISLAND,—														
Hurunui-Bluff ...	797	51,660	3 3	540,598	15 1	28,932	17 4	302,013	11 0	55.87	803	16 4	449	1 4
Greymouth ...	8	902	5 3	8,924	7 4	406	19 6	4,352	6 2	48.77	1,318	7 4	642	19 0
Westport ...	10	600	3 4	4,789	1 5	286	9 7	3,116	6 7	65.07	565	19 7	368	5 9
Nelson ...	23	672	15 0	7,024	18 2	456	1 0	5,316	15 7	75.68	378	18 9	286	16 0
Picton ...	19	742	5 8	6,554	17 2	553	1 4	4,184	0 6	63.83	407	14 4	260	5 0
Total ...	857	54,577	12 6	567,891	19 2	30,635	8 9	318,982	19 10	56.17				
Grand Total ...	1,306	71,987	17 9	740,450	15 6	41,241	15 4	433,620	16 5	58.56				

CORRESPONDING PERIOD LAST YEAR.

	Miles.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
NORTH ISLAND,—														
Whangarei ...	5	127	16 0	502	4 0	81	8 8	272	3 6	54.20	373	1 2	202	3 9
Auckland ...	123	5,350	7 1	54,244	15 4	3,360	5 4	38,120	5 11	70.27	521	4 0	366	5 4
Napier ...	70	2,445	11 0	23,704	16 0	1,126	8 2	14,927	7 7	62.97	413	12 9	260	9 4
Wellington ...	69	3,473	6 11	29,557	8 9	2,379	3 0	24,683	5 6	83.51	608	19 0	508	10 7
Wanganui ...	108	2,855	17 4	30,204	4 7	1,967	13 5	20,618	16 5	68.26	341	14 9	233	5 7
New Plymouth ...	38	668	1 0	7,458	11 9	625	5 8	6,364	13 0	85.33	250	14 2	213	18
Total ...	413	14,920	19 4	145,672	0 5	9,540	4 3	104,986	11 11	72.07				
MIDDLE ISLAND,—														
Hurunui-Bluff ...	788	49,296	15 7	521,038	1 10	27,013	13 5	319,446	15 5	61.31	802	11 0	492	0 9
Greymouth ...	8	628	10 0	8,862	14 10	312	2 6	4,122	3 4	46.51	1,309	5 4	608	19 2
Westport ...	10	138	4 4	3,017	5 8	316	14 6	3,202	15 9	106.15	356	11 9	378	10 2
Nelson ...	20	872	2 3	6,992	14 7	487	3 10	5,302	17 1	75.83	413	4 2	313	7 0
Picton ...	19	483	3 3	4,966	17 5	342	1 5	3,960	16 8	79.75	308	18 9	246	7 4
Total ...	845	51,418	15 5	544,877	14 4	28,471	15 8	336,035	8 3	61.67				
Grand Total ...	1,258	66,339	14 9	690,549	14 9	38,011	19 11	441,022	0 2	63.86				

Railway Department, 15th March, 1882.

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

HURUNUI-BLUFF SECTION.—MAIN SECTIONS AND BRANCHES.—Four-weekly Period ending 4th February, 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	17,195 0 3	190,467 11 7	7,778 12 6	89,596 10 8	47.04
Oxford and Eyreton Branch ...	43	526 12 0	5,803 8 5	559 13 2	5,871 11 10	101.17
Southbridge Branch ...	25	653 17 5	10,069 16 11	541 11 7	7,016 16 3	69.68
Springfield Branch ...	43	1,037 14 0	11,557 7 6	778 3 2	7,832 14 8	67.77
Total ...	256	19,413 3 8	217,898 4 5	9,658 0 5	110,317 13 5	50.63
Oamaru Section ...	104	6,342 5 10	66,550 1 6	4,430 14 9	41,209 16 8	61.92
Albury Branch ...	26	630 18 1	6,045 11 1	317 18 6	3,262 10 10	53.96
Waimate Branch ...	4	110 11 5	1,501 15 1	104 5 0	1,333 7 4	88.79
Duntroon Branch ...	21	417 6 4	4,276 3 11	378 11 4	3,625 17 9	84.79
Ngapara Branch ...	15	199 0 0	2,673 12 0	257 13 11	2,481 18 5	92.83
Total ...	170	7,700 1 8	81,047 3 7	5,489 3 6	51,913 11 0	64.05
Dunedin Section ...	115	16,052 15 11	157,508 0 4	8,004 4 5	81,361 0 5	51.66
Walton Park Branch ...	3	50 11 0	695 6 8	69 3 1	783 16 4	112.73
Outram Branch ...	9	235 16 4	2,413 7 6	231 13 5	2,466 9 11	102.20
Lawrence Branch ...	22	669 3 1	6,388 9 5	496 7 4	5,872 3 6	91.92
Total ...	149	17,008 6 4	167,005 3 11	8,801 8 3	90,483 10 2	54.18
Invercargill Section ...	172	6,510 10 10	64,786 8 10	4,001 8 11	41,706 14 1	64.38
Tapanui Branch ...	15	164 6 9	1,680 1 2	239 14 10	1,951 2 10	116.14
Riverton Branch ...	35	863 14 0	8,181 13 2	743 1 5	5,640 19 6	68.95
Total ...	222	7,538 11 7	74,648 3 2	4,984 5 2	49,298 16 5	66.04
Grand Total ...	797	51,660 3 3	540,598 15 1	28,932 17 4	302,013 11 0	55.87

CORRESPONDING PERIOD LAST YEAR.

		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Christchurch Section ...	145	15,701 4 7	198,622 19 11	7,474 5 5	98,563 10 10	49.62
Oxford and Eyreton Branch ...	43	524 9 9	6,505 16 3	543 15 5	6,520 10 11	100.23
Southbridge Branch ...	25	613 1 1	9,005 14 9	582 10 11	7,263 5 10	80.65
Springfield Branch ...	42	1,095 12 11	10,745 11 11	673 18 3	8,423 17 1	78.39
Total ...	255	17,934 8 4	224,880 2 10	9,274 10 0	120,771 4 8	53.70
Oamaru Section ...	104	5,986 17 6	69,520 16 5	4,307 16 11	48,494 13 1	69.76
Albury Branch ...	26	676 12 10	7,311 3 2	422 8 2	3,700 6 2	50.61
Waimate Branch ...	4	116 7 11	1,585 2 7	173 6 11	1,771 3 5	111.74
Duntroon Branch ...	21	503 4 6	4,587 15 6	275 0 10	3,115 12 6	67.91
Ngapara Branch ...	15	244 8 1	3,619 18 1	202 4 5	2,682 19 5	74.12
Total ...	170	7,527 10 10	86,624 15 9	5,380 17 3	59,764 14 7	68.99
Dunedin Section ...	115	16,106 7 1	137,964 10 9	7,637 5 8	86,792 18 1	62.91
Walton Park Branch ...	3	73 9 10	793 3 1	90 6 4	827 0 10	104.28
Outram Branch ...	9	284 0 4	2,378 14 2	234 8 3	2,863 17 11	120.39
Lawrence Branch ...	22	726 8 2	6,280 13 7	572 1 6	6,736 5 6	107.25
Total ...	149	17,190 5 5	147,417 1 7	8,534 1 9	97,220 2 4	65.95
Invercargill Section ...	170	5,902 2 3	55,560 19 6	3,315 0 11	35,264 19 10	63.47
Tapanui Branch ...	15	114 19 8	300 19 6	83 6 4	201 2 1	66.81
Riverton Branch ...	29	627 9 1	6,254 2 8	425 17 2	6,224 11 11	99.53
Total ...	214	6,644 11 0	62,116 1 8	3,824 4 5	41,690 13 10	67.12
Grand Total ...	788	49,296 15 7	521,038 1 10	27,013 13 5	319,446 15 5	61.31

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

Railway Department, 15th March, 1882.

Crown Lands Notices.

Sale of Pastoral Leases of Crown Lands in the Land District of Nelson.—Preliminary Notice.

General Crown Lands Office,
Wellington, 8th March, 1882.

ONE hundred and seventy thousand three hundred acres of pastoral Crown land in the Amuri District of Nelson, divided into twenty runs, in areas of from 3,000 to 17,000 acres, will be offered for lease by public auction, at the Lands Office, Nelson, early in the month of May next.

Maps of the country to be leased will be published in the beginning of April, and further particulars respecting the runs will appear in future advertisements.

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of 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.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
III.	28	50 0 0	95 0 0*

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

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
SMALL-FARM ALLOTMENTS, KUMEROA.			
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
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.

Sale of Suburban and Rural Lands, Land District of Auckland.

Crown Lands Office,
18th February, 1882.

I HEREBY notify that the suburban and rural lands mentioned in the Schedule hereunder will be offered for sale by public auction, at this office, on Tuesday, the 21st day of March next, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

D. A. TOLE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

COUNTY OF WAIKATO.—SUBURBS NORTH OF NEWCASTLE.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
193	5 0 0	15 0 0
194	5 0 0	15 0 0
195	5 0 0	15 0 0
196	5 0 0	15 0 0
197	5 0 0	15 0 0
198	5 0 0	15 0 0
199	5 0 0	15 0 0
200	5 0 0	15 0 0

COUNTY OF MANUKAU.—SUBURBS OF TUAKAU.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
28	4 0 10	12 4 0
29	3 0 11	15 7 0
30	5 2 15	28 0 0
31	3 0 11	15 7 0
32	5 0 5	25 4 0
33	4 0 26	20 17 0
34	5 1 10	26 12 0
35	3 0 20	15 13 0
36	4 0 25	20 16 0
37	2 1 28	12 3 0
38	4 3 14	24 4 0
39	3 1 0	16 5 0
40	3 1 0	16 5 0
41	3 3 0	18 15 0
43	2 0 28	10 18 0
44	2 2 19	13 2 0
48	3 2 12	10 14 0
49	3 2 13	10 15 0
50	4 2 38	14 5 0
51	4 3 0	14 6 0
52	5 3 20	17 13 0
53	2 2 26	8 0 0
56	18 2 0	55 10 0

COUNTY OF MANUKAU.—SUBURBS OF TUAKAU—*continued.*

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.	
		£	s. d.
	A. R. P.		
57	3 2 29	18	9 0
58	2 0 11	10	7 0
59	2 0 23	10	15 0
60	3 2 11	17	17 0
61	1 3 38	9	19 0
62	1 1 28	7	3 0
63	4 3 22	24	9 0
64	2 3 8	14	0 0
65	2 0 22	10	14 0
66	2 3 5	13	19 0
67	2 2 34	13	12 0
68	3 2 0	17	10 0
69	2 2 0	12	10 0
70	3 0 0	15	0 0
71	1 2 0	7	10 0
72	2 1 0	11	5 0
73	2 1 39	12	10 0
74	3 3 22	19	9 0
75	1 2 2	7	12 0
76	2 0 2	10	2 0
77	2 0 0	10	0 0
78	3 1 0	16	5 0
79	3 2 10	17	17 0

COUNTY OF WAITEMATA.—KAIPATIKI BLOCK (NEAR HELENSVILLE), KAIPARA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.	
			£	s. d.
		A. R. P.		
XIII.	4	141 2 37	141	15 0
	5	136 3 5	136	15 0
	6	193 2 36	145	6 3
	7	221 1 14	110	15 0
	8	208 1 10	104	5 0
	10	153 3 0	269	1 3
XIV.	11	173 0 5	216	5 0
	12	179 3 4	269	12 6
	1	84 1 21	109	12 6
	2	79 0 0	79	0 0
	3	35 0 34	35	5 0
	4	55 1 17	41	12 6
	5	66 1 13	133	0 0
	6	36 0 0	54	0 0
	7	90 0 6	180	0 0
8	123 3 0	309	7 6	
9	74 2 9	149	0 0	

Description of Land in Block XIII.—4, nearly all swamp; 5, two-thirds swamp, remainder tea-tree, &c.; 6, two-thirds swamp, remainder undulating low fern hills; 7, one-half swamp, remainder undulating low fern hills; 8, nearly all swamp, a few acres fern hills; 10, about 15 acres fern flat, remainder swamp; 11, about 15 acres fern flat, remainder swamp (about 25 acres kahikatea and tea-tree); 12, about one-fifth swamp, remainder tea-tree, &c.

Description of Land in Block XIV.—1, mostly covered with tea-tree and flax, soil shallow and wet, all level, considerable portion marsh, overflowed at high-spring tides; the same description applies to 2 and 3; 4, about one-half marsh, remainder tea-tree scrub; 5, all level, one-fifth swamp, remainder tea-tree and flax, some kahikatea; 6, about one-fifth marsh, remainder tea-tree and flax; 7, about one-third rich swamp, a few acres marsh, remainder tea-tree and flax, tidal creek runs up to this lot, navigable at high water for boats; 8, three-quarters rich swamp, remainder tea-tree, &c.; 9, about half first-class, remainder indifferent quality, tea-tree, &c.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.	
		£	s. d.
	A. R. P.		
106	110 0 0	68	15 0
107	49 3 0	31	2 0
108	88 0 0	44	0 0
109	83 1 21	62	12 6
110	44 0 0	16	10 0

COUNTY OF WAITEMATA.—PARISH OF PAREMOREMO—*contd.*

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.	
		£	s. d.
	A. R. P.		
111	59 2 0	22	6 3
112	64 1 13	32	5 0
113	72 0 0	36	0 0
114	72 2 0	36	5 0
115	75 3 0	37	17 6
116	42 3 0	21	7 6
117	32 0 0	12	0 0
118	34 1 0	12	17 0
119	42 1 0	15	17 0
120	41 0 0	15	7 6
121	46 3 0	17	12 0
122	43 2 0	16	6 3
123	61 0 0	22	17 6
124	38 3 0	14	12 0
125	28 3 0	10	17 0
126	23 2 20	9	0 0

Description of Land.—106, undulating fern and tea-tree; 107, undulating fern and tea-tree, $\frac{1}{4}$ acre fenced and used as garden; 108, undulating fern and tea-tree; 109, undulating, open, intersected by three or four narrow swamps; 110, broken, open, some high tea-tree; 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, half broken and undulating, covered with fern and tea-tree; 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, broken, some bush and high tea-tree; 123, 124, 125, broken, greater part open, some bush in gullies; 126, broken, greater part open light bush and high tea-tree.

MANUKAU COUNTY.

Parish of Koheroa.

96	35 2 0	53	5 0
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Parish of Maungatawhiri.

200	38 3 0	19	7 6
201	47 1 0	23	12 6

Description of Land.—In each lot about 8 acres fern land, remainder swamp.

Parish of Wāipipi.

382	789 0 0	197	5 0
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Description of Land.—All open land, chiefly sand hills.

105, 106, 383	37 2 0	28	2 6
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Description of Land.—23 acres firm land, 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ acres swamp, 1 acre bush.

COUNTY OF WAIPA.

Parish of Horotiu.

92	148 2 23	74	7 6
170	20 0 0	10	0 0

Description of Land.—92, about three-quarters swamp, remainder fern and manuka—the swamp can be very easily drained; 170, open land.

Parish of Pukete.

70	26 2 27	13	7 6
71	50 1 38	25	5 0
72	47 0 18	23	12 6

Description of Land.—Swamp.

RAGLAN COUNTY.

Parish of Karamu.

7A	50 0 17	50	5 0
145	38 2 0	28	17 6
146	44 2 0	22	5 0
148	48 0 13	24	2 6

Description of Land.—7A, level, soil good; 145, fern land, good soil; 146, fern and manuka, part swamp, soil good; 148, fern spurs, and part swamp, good soil.

Parish of Pirongia.

261	52 3 0	13	3 9
310	232 3 34	58	5 0
311	269 0 23	134	10 0

Description of Land.—261, fern spurs and gullies; 310, half swamp, one-sixth useful mixed timber; 311, one-third good alluvial soil, remainder bush, with limestone.

THAMES COUNTY.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
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Wharau Block, Thames Survey District.

I.	I	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
		32 2 20	16 7 6

Description of Land.—Half the area in light mixed bush, other half open fern and manuka scrub; about 1 acre raupo swamp at foot of hills, being the only level piece of land in the section; the rest is broken, three spurs and three small streams intersecting; pastoral country. The soil in the open country is very poor; the bush is better.

Waikawan Block, Hastings Survey District.

V.	I	Area.	Upset Price.
		450 0 0	137 10 0

Description of Land.—About 170 acres of forest, mixed bush; 280 acres open land. About 150 acres of the open land is very poor, almost worthless, being very broken. 200 acres of broken land, mostly bush; the remaining 100 acres composed of alluvial flats and undulating ground in patches along the banks of the Waikawan Stream. Soil fair on flats; alluvial sandy deposits. Accessible by main road from Thames to Coromandel along the coast.

Waikawan Block, Hastings Survey District.

X.	22	23	25	26	27	Area.	Upset Price.
						44 0 0	11 0 0
						43 3 0	10 15 0
						124 0 0	31 0 0
						176 0 0	44 0 0
						128 0 0	32 0 0

Description of Land.—22, very broken, 2 or 3 acres of forest, very poor soil, accessible by street from Hastings Township and a portion of main coast-road, a small triangular piece of flat land under the hills adjoining the township on this section; 23, very broken pastoral land, the Onepoto Stream runs through centre of section, about 10 acres light mixed bush, soil very poor; 25, adjoins Section 23, broken land, watered by small streams, about 70 acres mixed bush, some small kauri trees, a few good kauri trees not easily got out; 26, broken land, about 100 acres of good mixed bush, some fine kauri and black birch trees easily got at, watered by Waipukapuka Stream, an old tramway runs from coast alongside of stream; 27, broken land, indifferent soil, 60 acres mixed bush, kauri and birch, accessible by main coast-road.

WHANGAREI COUNTY.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
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Puketutu Block, Block X., Purua Survey District.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
6	96 3 24	48 10 0
7	60 0 0	37 10 0
8	70 0 0	43 15 0
9	70 0 0	52 10 0
10	50 0 0	50 0 0
11	60 0 0	45 0 0
12	60 0 0	45 0 0
13	90 0 0	56 5 0
14	85 0 28	42 12 6

Description of Land.—6, undulating, about 2 acres bush, remainder fern, soil moderately good, stream on north-east corner; 7 and 8, level, about 7 acres bush, fronting on stream, remainder fern, &c., soil light but fairly good, stream forms fence on eastern boundary; 9, level, about 5 acres bush, fronting on stream, remainder same as 7 and 8; 10, level, about 15 acres bush, fronting on stream, remainder fern, &c., soil good, stream forms fence on north and east; 11, nearly all level, fern and scrub, a portion volcanic, small stream on south-east corner; 12, nearly all level, about 5 acres bush fronting on stream, remainder fern, &c., soil fairly good, stream forms fence on north boundary; 13, level, about 5 acres bush fronting on stream, about 7 acres swamp, remainder fern, &c.,

soil fair, stream forms fence on north boundary; 14, nearly all level, about half swamp, 20 acres bush, fronting stream, remainder fern, &c., soil fair, stream forms fence on north boundary. These sections will be connected by a good line of road with the Township of Whangarei, distant about eleven miles.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
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Parish of Mangapai.

S. pn. 41	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
	31 0 16	9 6 0

Description of Land.—Broken, poor land.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
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Parish of Waipu.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
236	20 0 0	10 0 0
237	20 3 0	10 7 6

COUNTY OF RODNEY.

Parish of Mahurangi.

	Area.	Upset Price.
189	54 3 0	20 11 0

Description of Land.—Broken, covered with tea-tree, well watered.

Parish of Puhoi.

	Area.	Upset Price.
128	98 0 0	49 0 0

Description of Land.—Undulating, mixed forest, some kauri and totara, well watered.

Parish of Makarau.

	Area.	Upset Price.
61	39 3 0	29 16 3
62	56 0 0	42 0 0
64	136 0 0	102 0 0

Description of Land.—61, 15 acres forest, a few kauri, remainder tea-tree, undulating clay land, formed road through section; 62, nearly all forest, broken, some valuable kauri on southern end; 64, one-third forest with some good kauri, one-third of area along river agricultural, remainder broken, formed road through section.

MONGONUI COUNTY.

Parish of Mangonui.

	Area.	Upset Price.
108	20 0 14	10 2 6
109	20 0 28	13 12 6

Description of Land.—108, undulating land, covered with short tea-tree and wiwi, very poor clay soil; 109, watered, and fronting Mongonui-Oruru Road.

Parish of Mangonui East.

	Area.	Upset Price.
73	151 1 12	151 10 0
75	21 0 11	15 18 9
76	41 2 12	31 6 3
77	23 2 14	17 16 3
78	24 3 36	18 15 0

Description of Land.—73, open pastoral land, partly under grass, well adapted for a sheep run, ground undulating, soil good, and well watered; 75, 76, open and undulating land, medium quality, well watered, and accessible by road; 77, 10 acres flat good land; 78, 15 acres flat good land, remainder medium quality, undulating land, well watered, and accessible by road.

Parish of Whakapaku.

	Area.	Upset Price.
10	26 1 8	19 17 6

Description of Land.—Open level land, suitable for agriculture, bounded by Mangataraira Stream.

Takahue Survey District, Blocks I. and V.

E. pn. 11	Area.	Upset Price.
11	57 0 37	14 6 3
15	141 0 0	141 0 0
16	109 2 27	109 15 0

Description of Land.—Eastern portion 11, undulating pastoral land, sandy, barren soil, covered with short fern, watered and accessible by road; 15, undulating agricultural land, about 30 acres swamp, easily drained, 30 acres mixed bush with puriri enough in it to fence the section, the rest open fern land, soil good, well watered and accessible by road;

16, undulating agricultural land, about 20 acres swamp, easily drained, 10 acres bush, mostly puriri, well watered and accessible by road, a large quantity of limestone near road.

COUNTY OF HOKIANGA.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
<i>Waimahutahuta Block, Omapere Survey District.</i>			
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
X.	1	171 0 0	85 10 0
<i>Description of Land.</i> —Two-thirds bush, remainder open land of fair quality.			
<i>Rakawahi Block, Omapere Survey District.</i>			
XIV.	1	1,351 0 0	337 15 0
<i>Description of Land.</i> —Third-class land.			

GREAT BARRIER ISLAND.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
<i>Parish of Harataonga.</i>		
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
10	52 1 0	13 1 3
11	100 0 0	75 0 0
12	100 0 0	25 0 0

Description of Land.—Lot 10, very broken covered with manuka and mixed bush; 11, undulating, covered with manuka and mixed bush, good soil; 12, very broken, all bush, soil fair.

<i>Parish of Aotea.</i>		
S.E. pn. 13	79 3 8	20 0 0
M. pn. 112	43 1 0	10 16 3
S.E. pn. 125	78 1 21	19 12 6
S.E. pn. 126	70 3 17	17 15 0
E. pn. 168 } 36 }	92 0 0	23 1 0
169	20 0 0	10 0 0

Description of Land.—Part 13, very broken, about 65 acres forest, remainder fern; part 112, broken, covered with manuka, poor soil; part 125, very broken, about 60 acres bush, poor soil; part 126, very broken, about 20 acres bush, remainder open fern and light manuka, poor soil; 168 and part 36, very broken, mixed bush, soil fair; 169, undulating, about 10 acres swampy, good soil.

NOTE.—Plans of the above lands may be seen, and further particulars of the land obtained, on application at this office.

Terms of sale: One-fourth of purchase-money to be paid at time of sale, and the balance within one month thereafter, otherwise the part of the purchase-money paid by way of deposit shall be forfeited, and the contract for the sale of the land shall henceforth be null and void.

Crown-grant fee to be paid on completion of purchase.

Lease of Whananaki Block, Auckland Land District.

Crown Lands Office,
Auckland, 18th February, 1882.

THE following parcel of land will be offered for lease by public auction, at this office, on Tuesday, the 21st March next, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

D. A. TOLE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

WHANGAREI COUNTY.

Whananaki Block, part of north of Tutukaka Harbour, 495 acres, for a period of three years. Upset price per annum, £10. Rent to be paid in advance.

The lessee, on termination of lease, will be allowed to remove buildings erected by him.

Lease of Hospital Endowments, Auckland Land District.

Crown Lands Office,
Auckland, 18th February, 1882.

HEREBY notify that the lands described in the Schedule hereunder will be offered for lease by public auction, at this office, on Tuesday, the 21st March next, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

D. A. TOLE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

SCHEDULE.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price per Annum.
TOWN OF ALEXANDRA EAST.		
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
64	0 2 35	2 0 0
TOWN OF CAMBRIDGE EAST.		
15	0 2 33	5 0 0
24	1 0 0	10 0 0
40	1 0 0	7 10 0
216	1 0 0	5 0 0

Term: Fourteen years. Rent to be paid yearly in advance.

Lease of Muriwhenua Block, South Part, Auckland Land District.

Crown Lands Office,
Auckland, 18th February, 1882.

THE following parcel of land will be offered for lease (for depasturing purposes only) by public auction, at this office, on Tuesday, the 21st March next, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

D. A. TOLE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

MONGONUI COUNTY.—MURIWHENUA BLOCK, SOUTH PART.

20,000 acres. Term: Twenty-one years, to commence from the 26th October, 1882. Upset price per annum, £20.

N.B. Rent to be paid yearly in advance. The whole or any portion of these lands may at any time during the currency of the lease be resumed by the Land Board for the purposes of occupation or selection.

Tenders for Lease of Hot-Springs Reserve, Te Aroha.

Crown Lands Office,
Auckland, 18th February, 1882.

HEREBY notify that tenders will be received at this office until noon on Tuesday, the 21st March next, for the lease, for a term of fourteen years, of Section 16, Block IX., Te Aroha Survey District, containing 20 acres, known as the Hot-Springs Reserve at Te Aroha.

Plans of the reserve, and conditions of lease and tender, may be seen at this office, and at the following places, viz.: The Warden's Office, Thames; Mr. O'Halloran's Hotel, Te Aroha; and at Mr. Missen's Hotel, Waihou.

D. A. TOLE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

N.B.—Cheques for first year's rental to be indorsed with tender.

Tenders to be addressed, "The Commissioner of Crown Lands, Auckland. Tender for lease of the Hot-Springs Reserve at Te Aroha."

Gold Fields Notices.*Gold-Mining Lease to be granted.*

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

Objections to the granting of such lease, stating the grounds of objection, must be made in writing, and lodged with the Warden at Lyell on or before the 31st day of March, 1882.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPLICANTS: James Frederick Clark and party. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "Confidence Quartz-Mining Company." 16½ acres, north of the Good Hope lease, Alpine Range, Lyell, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

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

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

Land Transfer Act Notices.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 24th day of April, 1882.

1286. JOE DRANSFIELD and OTHERS, Trustees of Estate of E. W. MILLS.—Lots 2, 5, 6, and 7 of subdivision of Section 12, Masterton Township. Unoccupied.

1287. ROBERT GEORGE FOUNTAIN.—Section 570, Wellington City, Tinakori Road. Unoccupied.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 15th day of March, 1882, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

238 GEO. B. DAVY,
District Land Registrar.

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

4751. MATTHEW MORRIS.—1 acre 35 perches, part of Rural Section 3166, Ashley District. Occupied by Applicant.

4785. THOMAS HARDCASTLE.—20 acres, Rural Section 8772, Timaru District. Occupied by Applicant.

4786. EDWARD RAVENHILL.—1 rood, Section 1156, Christchurch City. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 9th day of March, 1882, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

232 J. M. BATHAM,
District Land Registrar.

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

423. HENRY YOUNG and WILLIAM BRIDGMAN.—8 perches, Section 238, Town of Hokitika. Occupied by A. E. Tennant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 7th day of March, 1882, at the Lands Registry Office, Hokitika.

237 ALFD. H. KING
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same in each case on or before the 18th day of April next.

JOSEPH GREEN.—Lots 8, 9, and 10, and part of Lot 7 of the subdivision into lots of Allotment 17 of Section 40, City of Auckland. In Applicant's occupation. 1856.

CHARLES HARDING.—Allotment 244, Town of Cambridge East, containing 1 acre. Unoccupied. 1857.

FRANCIS JAMES JONES.—Allotment 3 of Section 9, Suburbs of Auckland, containing 19 acres 3 roods. 1859.

BENJAMIN MENARY.—Allotments 20, 23, 24, and 25 of Section 1, Parish of Takapuna, containing 143 acres 1 rood 18 perches. In Applicant's occupation. 1860.

JAMES SAVAGE.—Lot 15 of Section 1 of the subdivision into lots of Allotment 9 of Section 7, Suburbs of Auckland. 1861.

JAMES BODELL and SAMUEL JACKSON.—Allotment 67, Parish of Apata, Cook's County, containing 50 acres. Unoccupied. 1864.

MARY VICKERS and LOUISA VICKERS.—Part of Allotment 3 of Section 38, City of Auckland. In occupation of Applicants. 1871.

JANE FAIRBURN and SUSAN JANE BENNETT.—Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, and 21 of a subdivision of Allotment 3 of Section 7 of the Suburbs of Auckland. Unoccupied. 1873.

PATRICK DARBY.—Part of Allotment 5 of Section 15, City of Auckland. In occupation of P. Sullivan. 1874.

EDWARD CASTAING.—Allotment 233 of Section 1, Town of Tauranga. In occupation of Thomas Ower. 1872.

MARTIN DANAHER.—Lot 7 of the subdivision into lots of Allotments 1, 2, 7, 8, 9, 10, 23, 24, 25, 26, and 27 of Section 40, City of Auckland. In Applicant's occupation. 1866.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 7th day of March, 1882, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

233 THEO. KISSLING,
District Land Registrar.

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

WILLIAM STEVENS and RICHARD DANIEL.—1 rood 20 perches, more or less, being Section 9, and the eastern half of Section 10, Block V., Town of Riverton. Occupied by James Frederick Pankhurst and William Pankhurst. Nos. 1877 and 1878.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.
Dated this 7th day of March, 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.

JANE RANDALL.—32 acres and 30 perches, more or less, being part of Sections 20 and 21, Block VI., Jacob's River Hundred. Occupied by Applicant. Nos. 1867 and 1868.

JOHN MCKISSACK and GEORGE MCKISSACK.—5 1/4 perches, being part of Section 1, Block LII., Town of Invercargill. No. 1870.

THOMAS TRUMBLE.—205 acres 1 rood 15 perches, being part of Sections 6 and 7, Block I., Invercargill Hundred.—Nos. 1853 and 1854.

NATHAN WOOD.—1 rood 28 perches, being part of Section 1, Block III., Invercargill Hundred. No. 1762.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.
Dated this 6th day of March, 1882, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

F. G. MORGAN,
District Land Registrar.

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Mining Notices.

WESTPORT COAL COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that a special Resolution has been duly carried and confirmed, in terms of "The Joint-Stock Companies Act, 1860," and the amendments thereof, for the voluntary winding up of the above Company, and the appointment of Mr. W. HAY DICKSON as Liquidator under such winding up.

W. HAY DICKSON,
General Manager.

Dunedin, 9th March, 1882. 239

IMPERIAL QUARTZ-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that the Office of the Imperial Quartz-Mining Company (Limited) is situated in Broadway, Reefton, County of Inangahua; and that GEORGE WISE is the Manager of the said Company.

THOMAS BRUCE,
ALEXANDER NOTMAN, } Directors.

Reefton, 1st February, 1882. 228

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

1. The name of the Company is to be the Kohinoor Gold-Mining Company (Limited).
2. The place of intended operations is at the Devil's Creek, in the County of Inangahua, Colony of New Zealand.
3. The registered office of the Company will be in Broadway, Reefton, in the county and colony aforesaid.
4. The nominal capital of the Company is twenty-four thousand pounds, in twenty-four thousand shares of one pound each.
5. The number of shares subscribed for is twenty-four thousand, being the entire number of shares in the Company.
6. The number of paid-up shares is nil.
7. The amount of capital considered to be paid up is twelve thousand pounds.
8. The name of the Manager is Patrick Brennan.

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.
W. J. Shaw, Reefton, Bootmaker	1,000
Henry Masters, Reefton, Ironmonger	1,250
James Harris, Black's Point, Miner	500
Richard Lecher, Black's Point, Miner	500
Arthur Elliston, Black's Point, Clerk	500
Robert Roulston, Reefton, Accountant	500
John McGaffin, Lyell, Hotelkeeper	500
Wynand Boers, Reefton, Telegraph Lineman	1,000
Thomas Crumpton, Reefton, Blacksmith	500
John McSherry, Reefton, Accountant	500
Frank Oxley, Reefton, Storeman	250
Arthur Breen, Reefton, Hotelkeeper	1,000
Charles Macquarie, Black's Point, Engine-driver	250
Thomas Penrose, Black's Point, Miner	500
Thomas Bruce, Reefton, Miner	1,000
Joseph Kilgour, Greymouth, Hotelkeeper	500
H. S. Thorpe, Reefton, Surgeon	500
Patrick Brennan, Reefton, Mining Agent	500
O. R. Lecky, Greymouth, Mining Speculator	1,000
J. C. Craig, Black's Point, Hotelkeeper	250
Thomas Hunter, Dunedin, Sharebroker	6,000
J. B. Beeche, Reefton, Miner	1,500
W. G. Collings, Reefton, Bootmaker	1,000
Jaketh Eddie Weame, Reefton, Miner	1,000
Joseph R. Gilbert, Black's Point, Miner	1,000
Louis J. Weidner, Dunedin, Mining Speculator	500
Joseph Harris, Black's Point, Miner	250
Thomas Wilson, Black's Point, Miner	250
	24,000

Dated this 25th day of February, 1882.

PATRICK BRENNAN,
Manager.

Witness to signature—Robert Roulston.

I, Patrick Brennan, 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."

PATRICK BRENNAN.

Taken before me, at Reefton, this 25th day of February, 1882—G. C. Bowman, J.P. 230

I, the undersigned, hereby make application to register the Great Eastern 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 Great Eastern Quartz-Mining Company (Limited).
2. The place of intended operations is at Boatman's, in the County of Inangahua, Colony of New Zealand.
3. The registered office of the Company will be situated at Bridge Street, Reefton, in the county and colony aforesaid.
4. The nominal capital of the Company is twelve thousand pounds, in twenty-four thousand shares of ten shillings each.
5. The number of shares subscribed for is twenty-four thousand, being the entire number of shares in the Company.
6. The amount of paid-up capital is nil.
7. The name of the Manager is Thomas Lee.
8. 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 James Wilson, Crushington, Miner	250
Robert A. Roulston, Reefton, Accountant	250
John Dick, Reefton, Baker	1,250
Arthur J. Elliston, Black's Point, Accountant	1,000
John C. Craig, Black's Point, Hotelkeeper	750
Jane Cochrane, Black's Point, Storekeeper	1,500
James Cochrane, Black's Point, Miner	2,000
Alfred Brown, Black's Point, Miner	250
Mary Oxley, Reefton, Storekeeper	750
Frank Oxley, Reefton, Storekeeper	250
W. J. Shaw, Reefton, Boot Importer	750

	No. of Shares.
Richard Henry Baylis, Reefton, News Agent	1,000
Archibald C. Brown, Black's Point, Carrier	250
Alexander Notman, Boatman's, Miner	1,250
Morris Levy, Reefton, Mining Speculator	750
David Young, Reefton, Miner	250
Josiah Harris, Crushington, Miner	250
James Connolly, Black's Point, Carrier	500
James Allsworth, Murray Creek, Miner	250
Joseph Gilbert, Black's Point, Miner	250
Thomas Hyndman, Dunedin, Commercial Traveller	500
Herbert E. Thruston, Reefton, Farmer	250
Charles B. Nelson, Lanky Gully, Miner	250
Francis Decimus Walker, Boatman's, Hotelkeeper	1,750
Thomas Collins, Greymouth, Speculator	1,250
Albert Hansen, Boatman's, Miner	1,000
Henry Kessler, Boatman's, Bootmaker	250
Thomas Lee, Reefton, Sharebroker	2,250
Allan Holmes, Dunedin, Solicitor	500
Hugh D. Densham, Dunedin, Gentleman	500
Joseph F. Watson, Dunedin, Sharebroker	200
Conrad J. Shoppe, Dunedin, Clerk	50
Robert Haworth, Dunedin, Gentleman	1,000
Henry North, Dunedin, Gentleman	250
Thomas Lee, in trust for absent shareholders	250
	24,000

Dated this 28th day of February, 1882.

THOMAS LEE,
Manager.

Witness to signature—Robert A. Roulston, Accountant, Reefton.

I, Thomas Lee, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

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

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

THOMAS LEE.

Taken before me, at Reefton, this 28th day of February, 1882—G. C. Bowman, J.P. 229

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

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

2. The place of intended operations is at Boatman's, County of Inangahua, New Zealand.

3. The registered office of the Company will be situated at Broadway, Reefton, County of Inangahua, New Zealand.

4. The nominal capital of the Company is twenty-four thousand pounds, in twenty-four thousand shares of one pound each, ten shillings of which is considered as paid-up capital.

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

6. The amount already paid up is twelve thousand pounds.

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

8. The name of the Manager is George Charles Bowman.

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.
Matthew Feehan, Reefton, Miner	2,375
Patrick Brennan, Reefton, Mining Agent	1,000
Robert A. Roulston, Reefton, Accountant	1,550
Dominick Devine, Boatman's, Miner	1,050
Joseph G. Walsh, Reefton, Miner	500
William Harold, Reefton, Schoolboy	750
Mathew Byrne, Reefton, Mining Speculator	1,500
James Grieve, Reefton, Mining Speculator	1,500
John Blakely, Reefton, Contractor	1,500
James Molloy, Reefton, Contractor	650
James Dunn, Boatman's, Miner	750
John McQuillan, Reefton, Hotelkeeper	2,875
John McSherry, Reefton, Clerk	1,500
Mortimer Collins, Boatman's, Miner	700
William Mahon, Boatman's, Miner	800

	No. of Shares.
Robert Duffy, Boatman's, Butcher	1,500
Dominick Davine, Boatman's, Miner	1,000
Patrick Murphy, Reefton, Speculator	1,000
George C. Bowman, Reefton, Auctioneer	1,500
	24,000

Dated this 26th day of January, 1882.

G. C. BOWMAN,
Manager.

Witness to signature—Robert A. Roulston, Accountant.

I, George Charles Bowman, 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."

G. C. BOWMAN.

Taken before me, at Reefton, this 25th day of February, 1882—Patrick Brennan, J.P. 225

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

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

2. The place of intended operations is at Merrigigs, in the County of Inangahua.

3. The registered office of the Company will be situated at Broadway, Reefton, County of Inangahua, New Zealand.

4. The nominal capital of the Company is twenty-four thousand pounds, in twenty-four thousand shares of one pound each, ten shillings of which is considered as paid-up capital.

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

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

7. The amount considered to be paid up is twelve thousand pounds.

8. The name of the Manager is George Charles Bowman.

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

	No. of Shares.
James Thorburn, Reefton, Miner	1,500
Robert A. Roulston, Reefton, Accountant	750
Alfred Brown, Reefton, Miner	750
John McMaster, Crushington, Mining Manager	375
Timothy McLoughlin, Reefton, Mining Speculator	3,750
G. C. Bowman, Reefton, Mining Agent	1,500
Mathew Byrne, Reefton, Mining Speculator	1,500
Charles Fraser, Reefton, Mining Speculator	2,250
James Connolly, Black's Point, Carrier	375
James Stevenson, Black's Point, Auctioneer	1,500
Daniel McGee, Merrigigs, Miner	7,125
Alexander Donaldson, Reefton, Miner	375
O. R. Lecky, Greymouth, Miner	750
Walter Irving, Crushington, Miner	750
John C. Craig, Black's Point, Hotelkeeper	750
	24,000

Dated this 7th day of January, 1882.

G. C. BOWMAN,
Manager.

Witness to signature—Robert A. Roulston, Accountant.

I, George Charles Bowman, 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."

G. C. BOWMAN.

Taken before me, at Reefton, this 25th day of January, 1882—Patrick Brennan, J.P. 224

Private Advertisements.

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

(No. 2629.)

In the matter of "The Execution against Real Estate Act, 1880," and in the matter of WILLIAM GEORGE CRAWFORD, Plaintiff, and THOMAS WILLIAM FISHER, Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that Garland William Woon, Esquire, the Sheriff of the Wanganui and Rangitikei District, has taken in execution under writ of *feri facias*, and will cause to be sold by public auction, at the Courthouse, Wanganui, at noon, on Monday, the 27th day of March, 1882, unless the debt and costs be sooner paid, the interest of the above-named defendant, Thomas William Fisher, as tenant in common with one William Beaumont Fisher, in all that piece or parcel of land containing 430 acres more or less, situate and being in the District of Wanganui, on the left bank of the Wanganui River, and being parts of the Sections numbered 292 and 293 on the plan of the said district. Bounded on the South-east and South-west, beginning at the most eastern point of Section 293, where the Mataongaonga Creek enters the said section, and running along the boundary of the said Sections 292 and 293 to a point where the boundary of the said Section 292 turns nearly at a right angle from a north-westerly to a south-westerly direction towards the Section numbered 88 on the same plan, and from the last-mentioned point by a curved line running north-westerly, 1665 links; thence by lines, 2225 links and 1050 links respectively; thence by a line running north-westerly to a point in the Mataongaonga Creek distant 250 links or thereabouts from the eastern boundary of the Section numbered 120 on the same plan, 1040 links; and thence by the Mataongaonga Creek to the commencing point.

The name and address of the Solicitors for the Execution Creditor are Messieurs Sievwright and Stout, of Wellington. 192

ROAD DECLARED A COUNTY ROAD.

I HEREBY proclaim, in accordance with section 88 of "The Public Works Act, 1876," the road known as Pinfold's Road, Woodville, to be a County Road.

SYDNEY JOHNSTON,

Chairman, Waipawa County Council.

Waipawa County Council Office,

Waipawa, 6th March, 1882. 231

PUBLIC NOTIFICATION.

THE Waikato County Council having resolved, under provision contained in section 21 of "The Public Works Act, 1876," to take land hereinunder described for a new road, a plan and accurate description may be inspected at the Waikato County Office for forty days from the date hereof, during which time objections in writing may be addressed to the Chairman, Waikato County Council, Kirikiriroa.

SCHEDULE.

1. All that parcel of land being a portion of Lot 26, the property of Mr. William Aitken, situated in

the Parish of Taupiri, outlying district of Rangiriri, containing 4 acres 2 roods 34 perches, more or less.

2. That piece of land, portion of Lot 25, the property of Mr. William Diggles, situated in the Parish of Taupiri, outlying district of Rangiriri, containing 1 acre 3 roods 6 perches, more or less.

JAS. MCPHERSON,

Clerk, Waikato County Council.

Kirikiriroa, 7th March, 1882. 226

PUBLIC NOTIFICATION.

THE Kirikiriroa Highway District Board having resolved, in accordance with provisions contained in section 21 of "The Public Works Act, 1876," to take the land hereinafter described for public roads, plans and accurate descriptions may be inspected at the residence of the undersigned for forty days from the date hereof, during which time objections may be made to the Kirikiriroa Highway Board, addressed to the Chairman.

SCHEDULE.

1. That parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, Colony of New Zealand, containing by admeasurement 9 acres 2 roods 1 perch, more or less, situated in the Parishes of Komokorau and Kirikiriroa, being portion of Lot 220, the property of Ripeka Nga Hiwi, of the former parish, and of land the property of the Waikato Land Association, in the latter parish.

2. That parcel of land in the Parish of Taupiri, being a portion of Lot 96, the property of Mr. James Henry Smith, containing 3 roods 16 perches; that parcel of land in the Parish of Taupiri, a portion of Lot 97, the property of the Waikato Land Association, containing 2 acres 1 rood 15 perches; and that parcel of land in the Parish of Komokorau, the property of Mr. E. C. Gray, containing 5 acres 1 rood 2 perches, more or less.

JAS. MCPHERSON,

Secretary, Kirikiriroa Highway Board.

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LYTTELTON PERMANENT LAND, BUILDING, AND INVESTMENT SOCIETY.

AT a meeting of the Committee of the above Society, held on Monday, the 19th December, 1881, it was decided that it was desirable to alter and amend certain of the Society's rules as under, and a Special Meeting of Members will be held for that purpose at the Society's Office, Canterbury Street, Lyttelton, on Tuesday, the 4th April, at 7.30 p.m.

The following are the alterations proposed:—

Rule 5, Clause 3. To strike out all words after "with interest," and insert "at such rates as the Committee may from time to time determine."

Rule 5, Clause 5. To strike out all the words down to and including "per centum per annum," and to insert "so soon as the subscription of five shillings per share upon each share, together with interest and bonus, if any."

Rule 10, Clause 2. In addition to the table of redemption payments on advances, to add tables showing the rate of redemption payments at 1 and 2 per cent. respectively lower than the present table.

Rule 34. To strike out the words "the rate of 6 per centum per annum," and insert "such rate per centum per annum as the Committee may from time to time determine," and to insert a new rule as follows:—

"The Committee shall have the power, at any ordinary or special meeting, after receiving notice of motion from a member of the Committee, given at

least one week previously, to alter the rates of interest upon all permanent and terminating shares, or either of them, and also to reduce or increase the rate of interest to be charged upon advances according to Tables 1, 2, 3, as they may in the interests of the Society from time to time deem fit."

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J. R. WILLCOX,
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