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Boundaries of District Court District of Timaru and Oamaru altered.

(L.S.) JAMES PRENDERGAST,
 Administrator of the Government.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The District Courts Act, 1858," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor from time to time, as he shall think fit, by Proclamation in the *New Zealand Gazette*, to constitute throughout the colony, or in any part thereof, districts within which District Courts shall be respectively held, and such districts to abolish, and the boundaries thereof to define or alter:

And whereas by a Proclamation bearing date the twenty-third day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, a district was defined within which a District Court should be held under the said Act, and it was thereby declared that the said Court should be designated by the name of "The District Court of Timaru and Oamaru:"

And whereas by Proclamations bearing date the eighteenth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, and the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, the boundaries of the said district so defined were altered:

And whereas it is expedient to further alter the boundaries of the said district so defined and altered as aforesaid:

Now, therefore, I, James Prendergast, the Administrator of the Government of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the said Act, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the first day of September next, the boundaries of the district within which the District Court of Timaru and Oamaru shall be held shall be altered, and that thenceforth the boundaries thereof shall be the boundaries hereinafter described.

TIMARU AND OAMARU DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT.

All that area in the Provincial Districts of Canterbury and Otago, bounded towards the North-east by a line along the summit of Two Thumb Range from the Southern Alps, near Mount Tyndall, to the source of Forest Creek; thence by the middle of that creek

to the Rangitata River; and thence by the middle of that river to the sea; towards the East and South-east by the sea to the Waikouaiti River; towards the South by the said river and its north branch to a point due east of Trig. E, on the Silver Peak Hills; thence by a right line to the said trig.; again towards the South-east by the summit of the said hills to Silver Peak; towards the South-west by a right line to the Hummock; thence by a right line to the Taieri River at the south-eastern corner of Run No. 205; again towards the South by the southern boundary of the said Run No. 205 to Run No. 248; thence by a right line to Rock and Pillar Mountain; thence by a right line to Soutra Hill; thence along the summit of the leading ridge to Lammerlaw Mountain; thence along the summit of the Lammerlaw Range and Rough Ridge to South Rough Ridge Hill; thence by a right line to North Rough Ridge Hill; thence along that ridge to the southern boundary of Run No. 225; thence by that boundary to the Idaburn; thence along the centre of the Idaburn and the Manuherikia Rivers to Lauder Creek; thence along the centre of that creek to its source; thence by a right line to the nearest peak of the Dunstan Mountains, and along the summit of the said mountains by the western boundary of Run No. 226 to a peak near the Dunstan Pass; thence by a right line to Mount St. Bathans; thence following the summit of the range through Lindis Pass to Longslip Hill, and by that summit to its intersection by a right line drawn between Mount Aspiring and the outflow of the Ohau River from Ohau Lake; again towards the South by the said line to Mount Aspiring; and towards the North-west by the summit of the Southern Alps: as the same is delineated on the plans in the District Survey Office, Dunedin.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir James Prendergast, Knight, Chief Justice, the Administrator of the Government of Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-eighth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

THOMAS DICK,

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Boundaries of District Court District of Otago Gold Fields altered.

(L.S.) JAMES PRENDERGAST,
Administrator of the Government.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The District Courts Act, 1858," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor from time to time, as he shall think fit, by Proclamation in the *New Zealand Gazette*, to constitute throughout the colony, or in any part thereof, districts within which District Courts shall be respectively held, and such districts to abolish, and the boundaries thereof to define or alter:

And whereas by a Proclamation bearing date the eighth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, a district was defined within which a District Court should be held under the said Act, and it was thereby declared that the said Court should be designated by the name of "The District Court of Otago Gold Fields:"

And whereas by Proclamations bearing date the tenth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, and the twenty-third day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, and the eighteenth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, and the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, the boundaries of the said district so defined were altered:

And whereas it is expedient to further alter the boundaries of the said district so defined and altered as aforesaid:

Now, therefore, I, James Prendergast, the Administrator of the Government of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the said Act, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the first day of September next, the boundaries of the district within which the District Court of Otago Gold Fields shall be held shall be altered, and that thenceforth the boundaries thereof shall be the boundaries hereinafter described.

OTAGO GOLD FIELDS DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT.

All that area in the Provincial District of Otago, bounded towards the North by a right line from the mouth of Awarua River, in Awarua Bay, to Mount Aspiring; thence again towards the North and towards the North-east by the Timaru and Oamaru District Court District, as described in a Proclamation of even date herewith, to Silver Peak; thence towards the South-east by a right line to the source of the Silver Stream, and along the said stream to the West Taieri Road; thence by the said road to the boundary of the Hundreds, and by the said boundary of the Hundreds to the east branch of the Tokomairiro River; thence by the said river to the Main South Road, by the Main South Road to Lovell's Creek; thence generally towards the South-west by Lovell's Creek to the south-west boundary of Run No. 54; thence by the said boundary of the said run to the Crookburn, and by the Crookburn to its junction with the Clutha River; thence by a right line to a point 20 chains due west of the Clutha River; thence towards the West by a line parallel to the said river to a point due east of Spylaw Hill; thence by a right line to the summit of Spylaw Hill; thence by a right line to the source of the Spylaw Burn; thence by the Spylaw Burn to its junction with the Pomahaka River; thence by the Pomahaka River to the confluence of the Parasol Creek; thence by the said creek to its source, and by a right line; thence to the summit of Black Umbrella Mountain; thence by right lines from peak to peak along the range between the western branch of the Waikaka

River and the Otama Creek to the southern boundary of Run No. 193, and by that boundary to the Mataura River; thence towards the West by the Mataura River to its source, and by a right line to Eyre Peak; and thence by right lines from peak to peak along the western watershed of Lake Wakatipu to a point due east of Mount Christina; thence by a right line to the summit of Mount Christina, and by a right line thence to the nearest source of the Cleddau River, and by that river and the southern shore of Milford Sound to the sea; and thence again towards the West by the sea to the mouth of Awarua River, the starting point: as the same is delineated on the plans in the District Survey Office, Dunedin.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir James Prendergast, Knight, Chief Justice, the Administrator of the Government of Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-eighth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

THOMAS DICK.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land set apart on Deferred Payments in Taranaki.

(L.S.) JAMES PRENDERGAST,
Administrator of the Government.

A PROCLAMATION.

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

And whereas the Land Board of Taranaki did, on the twentieth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, pass a resolution recommending that the land described in the Schedule hereto annexed should be set apart for sale on deferred payments:

And whereas it is expedient to give effect to the aforesaid recommendation, and to set apart the said land accordingly:

Now, therefore, I, James Prendergast, Chief Justice of the Colony of New Zealand, and Administrator of the Government thereof, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the above-named Act, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is set apart for sale on deferred payments; and that Wednesday, the eighteenth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, shall be the day on which the said land shall be open for application, in allotments as surveyed and marked on the selection map in the principal land office of the district.

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

And, further, in pursuance of the fifth section of "The Land Act 1877 Amendment Act, 1879," I do

hereby fix the price at which the land so described shall be sold to be the price set opposite each allotment in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
MOA DISTRICT.			
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
	238	81 0 0	2 0 0
HUIROA DISTRICT.			
IX.	7	106 0 0	2 0 0

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir James Prendergast, Knight, Chief Justice, the Administrator of the Government of Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-ninth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land reserved for Primary Education.

(L.S.) JAMES PRENDERGAST,
Administrator of the Government.
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Education Reserves Act, 1877," it is, among other things, enacted that, in order to provide an endowment for primary education in the North Island, at least five per centum of the waste lands in each district therein open for sale on the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, and a like per centum out of all land over which the Native title may thereafter be extinguished in each such district, and which should from time to time be acquired or purchased by or on behalf of the Crown, should be reserved and set apart as an endowment for the maintenance of primary education within the education district in which the land is situated:

Now, therefore, I, James Prendergast, the Administrator of the Government of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the said recited Act, and of every other power and authority me thereunto enabling, do hereby reserve and set apart the several blocks or parcels of land described in the Schedule hereto as endowments for the maintenance of primary education within the education districts in which such blocks or parcels of land are respectively situated.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Taranaki, containing by admeasurement 94 acres, being Section No. 68 on the map of Block V., Huiroa Survey District. Bounded towards the North-west by a road, 1571 links; towards the North-east by Section No. 69, 3220 links; towards the South-east by Sections Nos. 80, 79, and 78, 3737 links; and towards the South-west by the Railway Reserve, 4780 links.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Taranaki, containing by admeasurement 46 acres and 27 perches, being Section No. 6 on the map of Block XII., Hawera Survey District. Bounded towards the North-east by a road, 3565 links; towards the East by Section No. 5, 2650 links;

towards the South-west by Sections Nos. 317 and 316, 4000 links.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Taranaki, containing by admeasurement 166 acres, being Section No. 16 on the map of Block XII., Hawera Survey District. Bounded towards the North-west by the Otoki River; towards the North-east by Section No. 17, 6230 links; on the South-east by the Taumaha Reserve and road, 2829 links; and on the South-west by Section No. 15, 6120 links.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Taranaki, containing by admeasurement 129 acres, being Section No. 6 on the map of Block X., Huiroa Survey District. Bounded towards the North by Section No. 5, 5983 links; towards the East by a road, 2337 4 links; towards the South by Section No. 7, 5842 links; and towards the West by Section No. 19, 2226 links.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Taranaki, containing by admeasurement 234 acres, being Section No. 4 on the map of Block XIV., Huiroa Survey District. Bounded towards the North by Section No. 45, 2939 links; towards the North-east and East by a road and by Section No. 5, 7344 6 links; towards the South-west by Sections Nos. 16, 15, and 14, 4410 links; and towards the West by Sections Nos. 3, 2, and 1, 5270 links.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Taranaki, containing by admeasurement 38 acres, being Section No. 1 on the map of Block II., Ngaire Survey District. Bounded towards the North by the Kahouri River; towards the East by Section No. 2, 2450 links; towards the South-east by Flint Road, 1300 links; and on the West by Block I., Sections Nos. 4 and 7, 3642 links.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Taranaki, containing by admeasurement 57 acres 2 roods 34 perches, being Sections Nos. 12 and 11 on the map of Block II., Ngaire Survey District. Bounded towards the North by Flint Road, 1194 links; towards the East by Sections Nos. 103 and 134, 4709 links; towards the South by Pembroke Road, 1245 links; and towards the West by Sections Nos. 9 and 10, 5140 links.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Taranaki, containing by admeasurement 62 acres 1 rood 28 perches, being Section No. 39 on the map of Block II., Ngaire Survey District. Bounded towards the North-west and North-east by Warwick Road, 2260 5 links; towards the East by Section No. 115, 3094 links; towards the South by Section No. 51, 1792 8 links; and towards the West by Section No. 38, 3912 links.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Taranaki, containing by admeasurement 123 acres, being Section No. 10 on the map of Block III., Ngaire Survey District. Bounded towards the North and West by Patea River; towards the South-east by Bird Road, 4165 7 links; and towards the East by Section No. 11, 3460 links.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Taranaki, containing by admeasurement 80 acres, being Section No. 5 on the map of Block VII., Ngaire Survey District. Bounded towards the North-west by Bird Road, 1709 8 links; towards the West by Section No. 4, 4823 7 links; towards the South by Section No. 11, 1529 links; and towards the East by Section No. 10, 5585 5 links.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Taranaki, containing by admeasurement 10 acres, being Section No. 288 on the map of Block IX., Huiroa Survey District. Bounded towards the North-east by Section No. 276, 3410 links; towards the South-east by Section No. 286, 512 links; and towards the South-west and North-west by the Mountain Road, 3712 6 links.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Taranaki, containing by admeasurement 75 acres, being Section No. 57 on the map of Block I., Ngaire Survey District. Bounded towards the North by Section No. 56, 2251 links; towards the East by Section No. 58, 2656 links; towards the South-east by Celia Road, 1641 links; and towards the South-west and North-west by Cardiff Road, 4228 links.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Taranaki, containing by admeasurement 53 acres 1 rood, being Sections Nos. 71 and 40 on the plan of Block VI., Ngaire Survey District. Bounded towards the North by Cheal Road, 3296 8 links; towards the East by Section No. 43, 1722 links; towards the South by Section No. 41, 2863 links; and towards the West by Mountain Road, 1791.1 links.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Taranaki, containing by admeasurement 99 acres, being Section No. 64A on the map of Block I., Ngaire Survey District. Bounded towards the North-east by the Patea River; towards the East by Section No. 65A, 4160 links; towards the South-east by Celia Road, 2150 links; and towards the West by Section No. 63A, 5280 links.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Taranaki, containing by admeasurement 166 acres, being Section No. 629 on the map of Block Otoia-Opaku, Opaku Survey District. Bounded towards the North and East by a road, 10315.3 links; towards the South-west by Section No. 627, 3097 links; and towards the West by a road, 8097.7 links.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Taranaki, containing by admeasurement 151 acres, being Section No. 24 on the map of Block IV., Kaupokonui Survey District. Bounded towards the North-east by Patea River; towards the East by a road, 540 links; towards the South by Sections Nos. 25 and 19, 6663 links; and towards the West by Section No. 18, 3843 links.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Taranaki, containing by admeasurement 68 acres, being Section No. 19 on the map of Block III., Ngaire Survey District. Bounded towards the North and North-east by Ahuroa Road, 4935 links; towards the East by Section No. 21, 1025 links; towards the South by Section No. 20, 3135 links; and towards the South-west by Standish Road, 1912 links.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Taranaki, containing by admeasurement 106 acres, being Section No. 17 on the map of Block III., Ngaire Survey District. Bounded towards the North by Section No. 16, 3823.5 links; towards the North-east by Standish Road, 2754 links; towards the South by Section No. 18, 5148 links; and towards the West by Section No. 15, 2388 links.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Taranaki, containing by admeasurement 80 acres, being Section No. 42 on the map of Block III., Ngaire Survey District. Bounded towards the North-west by Standish Road, 4461.4 links; towards the East by Section No. 43, 4183 links; towards the South-east by Native land, 653 links; and towards the South-west by Toko Road, 4965.7 links.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Taranaki, containing by admeasurement 166 acres, being Section No. 14 on the map of Block XIII., Ngaire Survey District. Bounded on the North-east by Dalziel Road, 4951.6 links; towards the South by Section No. 54, 4257 links; and towards the South-west, West, and North-west by the Railway Reserve, 6496.5 links.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial

District of Taranaki, containing by admeasurement 46 acres, being Section No. 30 on the map of Block XIII., Ngaire Survey District. Bounded towards the North-east by Section No. 28, 1220 links; towards the South-east by Boylan Road, 3297.7 links; towards the South-west by Skeet Road, 2873 links; and towards the North-west by Section No. 29, 2237 links.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Taranaki, containing by admeasurement 78 acres, being Section No. 56 on the map of Block VI., Huiroa Survey District. Bounded towards the North by Section No. 55, 3927 links; towards the East by waste land, 2383 links; towards the South by Section No. 57, 2758 links; and towards the South-west by a road, 2699 links.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Taranaki, containing by admeasurement 92 acres, being Section No. 30 on the map of Block X., Huiroa Survey District. Bounded on the North by Section No. 29, 2733 links; on the East by a road, 4446 links; towards the South by a road, 2639.7 links; and towards the West by Section No. 22, 2712 links.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir James Prendergast, Knight; Chief Justice, the Administrator of the Government of Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-ninth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

WM. ROLLESTON,

Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Vesting a Reserve in the Gore Athenæum (Incorporated).

JAMES PRENDERGAST,
Administrator of the Government.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-eighth day of August, 1882.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE
GOVERNMENT IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto were reserved as a site for an athenæum: And whereas, in the opinion of the Administrator of the Government, it is expedient to vest the said land in the Gore Athenæum (Incorporated):

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Administrator of the Government of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, and in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the fourth section of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," doth hereby declare that, from and after the day of the date hereof, the said reserves shall become vested in the Gore Athenæum (Incorporated).

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land in the Township of Gore, in the Southland Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 roods 4 perches, more or less, and being Section No. 7, Block I., in the Town of Gore. Bounded as follows: On the North by Section No. 8 of said block, 300 links; on the East by Section No. 6 of said block, 175 links; on the South by Mersey Street, 300 links; and on the West by Ordsal Street, 175 links.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Native Licensing District abolished.

JAMES PRENDERGAST,
Administrator of the Government.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this
twenty-eighth day of August, 1882.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE
GOVERNMENT IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the seventeenth section of "The Licensing Act, 1881," it is enacted that the Governor, by Order in Council, may from time to time alter the limits of any Native licensing district or abolish the same: And whereas it is expedient to abolish the Native Licensing District of Turanga as described in an Order in Council dated the eighteenth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Administrator of the Government of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of all powers enabling him in this behalf, and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby abolish the said Native Licensing District of Turanga.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Trustees appointed for the Maintenance of the Inglewood Public Cemetery.

JAMES PRENDERGAST,
Administrator of the Government.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the second section of "The Cemeteries Management Act, 1877," I, James Prendergast, the Administrator of the Government of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the several persons whose names are specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto to be Trustees to provide for the maintenance and care of the public cemetery specified in the second column of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Names of Trustees.	Name of Public Cemetery, and Description of Land.
Joseph Clarke Peach. William Henry Franklyn. Thomas Lee. George Sutton Kennedy. Thomas Smith. Robert Stevens. Joseph George.	INGLEWOOD. All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Taranaki, containing by admeasurement 16 acres, more or less, being Section No. 180 on the map of Block IV., Egmont Survey District, and bounded as follows: Towards the North by Section No. 179 on aforesaid map, 757 links; towards the East by the Kurapete River; towards the South by the Junction Road, 320 links; and towards the West by the Wortley Road, 2548 links.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Administrator of the Government, this
twenty-ninth day of August, one thousand
eight hundred and eighty-two.

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Lands.

Trustee appointed for the Templeton Cemetery.

JAMES PRENDERGAST,
Administrator of the Government.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the fourth section of "The Cemeteries Management Act, 1877," I, James

Prendergast, Chief Justice of the Colony of New Zealand, and Administrator of the Government thereof, do hereby appoint

GEORGE FREDERICK CARPENTER

to be a Trustee, in place of James Sinclair, resigned, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Templeton Public Cemetery, in conjunction with the other persons appointed by warrant under the hand of His Excellency the Governor on the twenty-fourth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Administrator of the Government, this
twenty-ninth day of August, one thousand
eight hundred and eighty-two.

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Lands.

Changing Purpose of a Reserve in Otago.

JAMES PRENDERGAST,
Administrator of the Government.

IN pursuance of the sixth section of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," it is hereby notified that, in the opinion of His Excellency the Administrator of the Government, it is expedient to change the purpose of the land described in the second column of the Schedule hereto, from the purposes named in the first column, to the purpose named in the third column of the said Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Description and Purpose of Reserve.	Area of which the Purpose is intended to be Changed.	Intended Purpose.
Parts of Sections Nos. 10 and 11, Block VI., Town District, conveyed to Her Majesty by John Mitchell. For railway purposes.	All that area of land in the Provincial District of Otago, containing by admeasurement 7 acres and 27 1/2 perches, being part of Sections Nos. 10 and 11, Block VI., Town District; commencing at a point on the north-west corner of said Section No. 11; and bounded thence on the North-east by part of said Sections Nos. 11 and 10, 1464 links; thence again on the North-east by part of Section No. 9, Block VI., Town District, 100 links; thence on the South-east by part of said Sections Nos. 10 and 11, 668 links; thence on the North-east by other part of said Section No. 11, 495 links; and finally on the South-west by part of Sections Nos. 12 and 18, 1375 links, to the commencing point: all the aforesaid area and linkages being a little more or less.	For a recreation-ground.

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

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Lands.

Changing Purpose of a Reserve in Canterbury.

JAMES PRENDERGAST,
Administrator of the Government.

IN pursuance of the sixth section of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," it is hereby notified that, in the opinion of His Excellency the Administrator

of the Government, it is expedient to change the purpose of the land described in the second column of the Schedule hereto, from the purpose named in the first column, to the purpose named in the third column of the said Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Description and Purpose of Reserve.	Area of which the Purpose is intended to be Changed.	Intended Purpose.
Reserve No. 634, in red, containing 24 acres and 12 perches at St. Andrew. Reserved for railway purposes.	All that parcel of land situated near St. Andrew Railway-station, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, containing by ad-measurement 24 acres and 12 perches, be the same, more or less, and bounded as follows: On the West by a line fronting on a public road, commencing at the north-western corner of Rural Section No. 6230, bearing 2° 54', and running a distance of 2511 links and 4-10ths of a link; thence on the North and West by lines abutting on land in the occupation of the County Council of Waimate as a site for a public pound respectively, bearing 100° 5' for a distance of 300 links, and 10° 5' for a distance of 330 links; thence on the North by a line bearing 100° 5' for a distance of 736 links and 4-10ths of a link; thence on the East by a line abutting on the Railway Reserve bearing 190° 5' for a distance of 2730 links; and thence on the South by a line abutting on Rural Section No. 6230 bearing 272° 54' for a distance of 729 links to the commencing point.	For a recreation-ground.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Administrator of the Government, this seventeenth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Lands.

Members, &c., for Matakana East Highway District, County of Rodney, appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 23rd August, 1882.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to appoint

JAMES MATTHEWS,
WILLIAM PHILLIPS,
WILLIAM BLAIR,
FREDERICK LARKINS, and
CHARLES GREENWOOD

to be Members of the District Board of the Matakana East Highway District for the ensuing year; and also to appoint

JOHN G. DERECOURT and
THOMAS JAMES MELLON

to be Auditors of the said Board for the ensuing year.

THOMAS DICK.

Members, &c., of Te Arai Highway District, Cook County, appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 23rd August, 1882.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to appoint

JAMES WOODBINE JOHNSON,
DUNCAN GEORGE MACKAY,
THOMAS UREN,
EDWARD DEVEBY, and
CHARLES EVANS

to be Members of the District Board of the Te Arai Highway District for the ensuing year; also to appoint

WILLIAM RATCLIFFE and
FRANCIS JAMES PIESSE

to be Auditors of the said Board for the ensuing year.

THOMAS DICK.

Member of Licensing Committee appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 30th August, 1882.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM L. C. WILLIAMS

to be a Member of the Licensing Committee for the District of Cambridge, *vice* C. D. McIntosh, resigned.

THOMAS DICK.

Clerks of Licensing Committees appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 29th August, 1882.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to appoint

EDWARD YATES and
WILLIAM GILLOT

to be Clerks of the Licensing Committees for the Districts of Kaitaia and Mongonui respectively, *vice* G. Kelly, transferred.

THOMAS DICK.

Auditor of Waimea Plains Railway Company (Limited) appointed.

Public Works Office,
Wellington, 24th August, 1882.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to appoint

HENRY LIVINGSTON, Esq.,

to be Auditor for the purpose of auditing the accounts of the Waimea Plains Railway Company (Limited), in terms of section 72 of "The District Railways Act, 1877."

WALTER W. JOHNSTON,
Minister for Public Works.

Auditor of Duntroon and Hakateramea Railway Company (Limited) appointed.

Public Works Office,
Wellington, 24th August, 1882.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to appoint

HENRY LIVINGSTON, Esq.,

to be Auditor for the purpose of auditing the accounts of the Duntroon and Hakateramea Railway Company (Limited), in terms of section 72 of "The District Railways Act, 1877."

WALTER W. JOHNSTON,
Minister for Public Works.

Cadet in Survey Department appointed.

General Survey Office,
Wellington, 23rd August, 1882.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to appoint

FREDERICK FRANCIS MONAGHAN

to be a Cadet in the Survey Department of New Zealand; the appointment dating from the 15th August, 1882.

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Lands.

School Commissioner appointed.

Education Department,
Wellington, 28th August, 1882.

PURSUANT to the provisions of "The Education Reserves Act, 1877," the Education Board of the District of South Canterbury have appointed

EDWARD PARKEE, Esq.,

to be a School Commissioner for the Provincial District of Canterbury, *vice* W. B. Howell, Esq., resigned.

THOMAS DICK.

Crown Lands Rangers appointed.

General Crown Lands Office,
Wellington, 30th August, 1882.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM DE BLAQUIRE COMPTON and

JOHN CRACKENTHORPE WENTWORTH COOKSON, jun.,

to be Rangers of Crown Lands for the Land District of Canterbury. The appointments date from the 29th August, 1882.

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Lands.

Postmasters appointed.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 30th August, 1882.

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

WALTER W. JOHNSTON,
Postmaster-General.

Name.	To be Postmaster at	In what Postal District.	From
W. C. Payne	Albury	Timaru	7 June, 1882
Chas. McQuarrie	Alfredton	Wellington	12 June, "
H. J. Francis	Amberley	Christchurch	22 Aug., "
Jas. H. Phillips	Aotea	Auckland	1 May, "
C. F. Schmedes	Awamoko	Oamaru	1 July, "
C. B. Denny	Awanui	Auckland	1 April, "
J. Long	Aylesbury	Christchurch	1 July, "
Peter Foster	Balcairn	Christchurch	6 May, "
John L. Weir	Blueskin	Dunedin	9 Feb., "
J. Wasserbrenner	Brighton	Dunedin	1 Feb., "
W. McClure	Broadfield	Christchurch	1 April, "
J. Perry	Brunswick	Wanganui	1 July, "
E. Dobbie	Burke's	Dunedin	15 Feb., "
W. H. Lewis	Caversham	Dunedin	11 Feb., "
A. Henry	Cheviot	Christchurch	1 June, "
G. Greenfield	Claremont	Timaru	1 Aug., "
F. A. Feist	Clareville	Wellington	1 June, "
J. Molloy	Clonmore	Greymouth	1 April, "
J. A. Fish	Colac Bay	Invercargill	15 May, "
C. Bernard	Cross' Creek	Wellington	5 June, "
A. McKellar	Duntroon	Oamaru	1 Feb., "
T. Pattle	Ealing	Christchurch	18 May, "
John McLennan	Eketahuna	Wellington	15 Feb., "
W. King	Elgin	Christchurch	1 July, "
R. Brownridge	Fairfax	Invercargill	1 July, "

Name.	To be Postmaster at	In what Postal District.	From
J. London	Fairfield	Dunedin	1 Feb., 1882
W. D. Andrews	Gillespie's Beach	Hokitika	11 Aug., "
H. T. Thompson	Greendale	Christchurch	1 April, "
G. Loader	Greenpark	Christchurch	1 July, "
G. Adams	Groper's Bush	Invercargill	1 April, "
R. A. Harcourt	Harcourt's Ferry	Hokitika	1 Mar., "
M. Allison	Hawa Flat	Dunedin	1 June, "
J. Gray	Hedgehope	Invercargill	1 July, "
C. Galbraith	Hikurangi	Auckland	1 June, "
S. Arblaster	Hobsonville	Auckland	1 Aug., "
R. R. Cameron	Horseshoe Bend	Dunedin	1 April, "
E. Turner	Hotea North	Auckland	1 April, "
J. H. Wheeler	Hurunui	Christchurch	1 July, "
H. N. Leach	Inglewood	New Plymouth	17 March, "
B. Gibbon	Isla Bank	Invercargill	1 July, "
J. E. Cunliffe	Johnsville	Wellington	1 Aug., "
T. S. Caulter	Kaurihohore	Auckland	1 Feb., "
H. Silvius	Kekerangu	Blenheim	1 Sept., "
T. T. Herbert	Kourow	Oamaru	25 Jan., "
J. Evans	Kowai Bush	Christchurch	1 April, "
A. Maedonald	Kuripapanga	Napier	8 May, "
R. M. Cotton	Lake Coleridge	Christchurch	1 July, "
D. McMillan	Lake Tekapo	Timaru	15 May, "
A. Menzies	Leaheyton	Thames	1 July, "
H. E. C. Seager	Leeston	Christchurch	1 June, "
W. Wallace	Lee Stream	Dunedin	1 July, "
A. S. Harril	Leithfield	Christchurch	1 March, "
A. H. McIntosh	Little Akaloa	Christchurch	1 June, "
W. Brook	Loburn	Christchurch	20 June, "
R. McGillivray	Lochiel	Invercargill	1 June, "
J. McPherson	Longridge	Invercargill	1 June, "
A. C. Webber	Makatoka	Napier	1 July, "
J. Tonge	Makikihi	Timaru	1 June, "
J. Inston	Mangawhero	Wanganui	1 April, "
D. Aitken	Maori Point	Invercargill	1 May, "
E. J. Carter	Matata	Auckland	1 July, "
W. G. Harp	Maungakaramea	Auckland	1 May, "
J. P. Vause	Mercer	Auckland	1 June, "
J. W. Jordan	Moeraki	Oamaru	1 April, "
C. S. Mogridge	Mongonui	Auckland	1 June, "
D. Moroney	Motoutaria	Napier	1 April, "
F. B. Peart	Motupiko	Nelson	1 July, "
F. Clark	Myross Bush	Invercargill	1 Aug., "
J. Hinton	Ngaroto	Auckland	12 May, "
W. Johnston	Nightcaps	Invercargill	1 July, "
C. H. Beresford	Okuiawa	Wanganui	1 March, "
H. McFetrick	Okarito	Hokitika	11 Aug., "
J. Youngson	One-Tree Point	Invercargill	1 Aug., "
W. C. Drake	Opunake	New Plymouth	1 June, "
J. Brown	Otaki	Wellington	16 Feb., "
C. Broad	Otautau	Invercargill	15 Feb., "
A. M. Barnett	Otiake	Oamaru	1 July, "
J. Oxnam	Owen River	Nelson	20 June, "
H. Baxter	Oxford	Christchurch	1 July, "
H. G. Greatbatch	Paeroa	Thames	1 June, "
A. Eyes	Papakura	Auckland	15 Aug., "
J. Cameron	Parawanui	Wanganui	1 July, "
G. C. Manning	Pleasant Valley	Timaru	15 April, "
M. Cropp	Porangahau	Napier	1 April, "
Geo. Ryan	Pukearuhe	New Plymouth	1 March, "
J. Stephenson	Rahotu	New Plymouth	25 June, "
Joseph Smith	Rangitata	Timaru	25 June, "
I. Turner	St. Andrew's	Auckland	1 April, "
S. G. Smith	Seacliff	Dunedin	22 May, "
E. Dickenson	Seafield	Dunedin	1 July, "
H. Sandle	Stafford	Hokitika	1 April, "
C. R. Smith	Stony Creek	Dunedin	1 April, "
C. Parker	Taubou	Auckland	1 April, "
J. W. Schofield	Taupiri	Auckland	12 June, "
S. J. Taylor	Tawa Flat	Wellington	15 Feb., "
R. Boyne	Te Aroha	Thames	1 July, "
Joseph Vivian	Terrace End	Wellington	1 Feb., "
E. Schröder	Tiki	Auckland	18 Aug., "
Alfred Lawrence	Tinwald	Christchurch	19 Feb., "
John Harris	Tuamarina	Blenheim	15 Mar., "
T. J. Duffy	Turakina	Wanganui	20 Mar., "
A. Smith	Upper Mill	Auckland	15 April, "
John Murdoch	Upper Woodstock	Hokitika	20 April, "

Name.	To be Post-master at	In what Postal District.	From
R. A. Bayliffe ...	Waiau ...	Christchurch	1 July, 1882
B. G. Hotham ...	Waiheke ...	Auckland ...	1 Feb., "
R. Ramage ...	Waiholo ...	Dunedin ...	8 Mar., "
H. R. W. Hamilton	Waikari ...	Christchurch	1 July, "
T. E. Tomlinson	Waikuku ...	Christchurch	20 June, "
T. G. Hammond	Waima ...	Auckland ...	1 April, "
John Foster ...	Waimauku ...	Auckland ...	1 Feb., "
T. Dyke ...	Waimatuku ...	Invercargill...	15 Aug., "
R. Speck ...	Waipuka ...	New Ply-mouth	1 Mar., "
F. J. Hagger ...	Waipuna ...	Auckland ...	1 May, "
Anne Ockley ...	Wairau Valley	Blenheim ...	1 April, "
J. B. Baird ...	Wairio ...	Invercargill...	1 Aug., "
J. C. McIntyre ...	Waitahuna ...	Dunedin ...	16 June, "
C. P. Hill ...	Waitapu ...	Auckland ...	15 April, "
D. Cunningham ...	Waitohi Flat	Timaru ...	15 Aug., "
Joseph Thomas ...	Wakanui ...	Christchurch	1 April, "
Amelia M. Allan	Wangaloa ...	Dunedin ...	16 May, "
J. Munro ...	Wangarei Heads	Auckland ...	1 July, "
C. L. White ...	Wangaroa	Auckland ...	1 April, "
Walter Bowles ...	Washdyke ...	Timaru ...	21 Jan., "
P. Foley ...	Westbrook ...	Greymouth	1 April, "
J. Cavanagh ...	Whakatane ...	Auckland ...	18 Aug., "
E. B. Aimer ...	Whirinaki ...	Auckland ...	1 Aug., "
L. Gibson ...	White Cliffs ...	Christchurch	5 Aug., "
G. White ...	White's Point	Westport ...	1 Aug., "
C. B. Davis ...	Whitford ...	Auckland ...	1 Aug., "
T. Corcoran ...	Winchester	Timaru ...	17 Feb., "
R. Taylor ...	Windsor ...	Oamaru ...	16 Feb., "
S. Baker ...	Windwhistle House	Christchurch	1 July, "
J. C. Campbell ...	Winton ...	Invercargill...	5 Feb., "
A. Kirkwood ...	Woodlands ...	Invercargill...	29 May, "

Volunteer Officers promoted and appointed.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 30th August, 1882.

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

Royal (Rangitikei) Rifle Volunteers.

Sydney Skerman to be Captain.

Joseph Sutcliffe to be Lieutenant.

Date of commissions, 13th May, 1882.

Robert Johnstone to be Sub-Lieutenant. Date of commission, 12th June, 1882.

Makara Rifle Volunteers.

Sub-Lieutenant Charles Thomas Harold Brown to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 12th August, 1882.

Stoke Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant John Paynter to be Captain. Date of commission, 4th August, 1882.

Masterton Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant Donald Donald to be Captain.

Arthur Edward Stanley Carr to be Lieutenant.

Richard James Fitton to be Sub-Lieutenant.

Date of commissions, 30th June, 1882.

Carterton Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant Thomas Bennett to be Captain.

Robert Crawford to be Sub-Lieutenant.

Date of commissions, 6th February, 1882.

Wanganui Naval Volunteers.

William Henry Clapham to be Sub-Lieutenant. Date of commission, 15th February, 1882.

JOHN BRYCE.

Volunteer Officers resigned.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 30th August, 1882.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to accept the resigna-

tion of the commissions held by the under-mentioned officers:—

Canterbury Yeomanry Cavalry.

Sub-Lieutenant Edward Waugh Millett. Date of resignation, 18th July, 1882.

Kaiwara Rifle Volunteers.

Captain Alfred de Bathe Brandon. Date of resignation, 10th August, 1882.

Opunake Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant John James Ross. Date of resignation, 7th August, 1882.

JOHN BRYCE.

Justice of the Peace resigned.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 29th August, 1882.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to accept the resignation by

DAVID DONALD, Esq.,

of Totara Flat, Grey Valley, of his appointment as a Justice of the Peace.

THOMAS DICK.

By-law made by Borough of Christchurch under "The Tramways Act, 1872," disallowed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 23rd August, 1882.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased, in exercise of the powers vested in him by "The Tramways Act, 1872," to disallow the Tramway By-law No. 4, made by the Corporation of the City of Christchurch under the said "Tramways Act, 1872."

THOMAS DICK.

Notice of proposed Loan, Borough of Patea.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 28th August, 1882.

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

THOMAS DICK.

Borough Council Office,
Patea, 24th August, 1882.

A POLL having been taken of the ratepayers of the Borough of Patea, on Wednesday, the 23rd August, 1882, on the proposal of the Council of the Borough of Patea to raise a special loan of ten thousand pounds upon the security of the revenue of the borough, and a special rate not exceeding sixpence in the pound, for the purpose of executing the following works: Streets and pathways formation, gravelling, and drainage, and Council offices; and the number of votes recorded—

For the proposal having been ... 153

And the number against the proposal... 11

—I hereby declare the resolution to be carried.

G. F. SHERWOOD,
Mayor.

Bonuses on Colonial Industries.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 18th July, 1882.

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

LINSEED OIL.

A bonus of five hundred pounds (£500) will be given for the production, by machinery permanently

established in New Zealand, of the first 10,000 gallons of oil, of good marketable quality, from linseed grown in the colony.

OIL-CAKE.

A bonus of one hundred pounds (£100) will be given for the production of the first 50 tons of oil-cake, of good marketable quality, from linseed grown in the colony.

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.

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.

OSTRICHES.

A bonus of five pounds (£5) per head will be given for healthy ostrich chicks landed in New Zealand for the purpose of being reared and maintained in the colony; the number of any importation to be not less than ten nor more than fifty.

BUTTER OR CHEESE.

A bonus of five hundred pounds (£500) will be given for the first 25 tons of butter or the first 50 tons of cheese (produced in a factory worked on the American principle, and to which factory any farmer, subject to certain conditions, may send his milk) which shall be exported from New Zealand, and sold at such prices in a foreign market as shall show that the articles are of fair quality.

Conditions.

1. Notice of intention to claim any of the above bonuses must be given in writing to the Colonial Secretary not later than the 31st December, 1882.
2. The claim must be made before the 30th June, 1883.
3. 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.
4. Further information and particulars may be obtained by application to 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 *bonâ 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.

British Measurement for Tonnage adopted by Vessels of Sweden, Hayti, and Russia.

Customs Department,
Wellington, 28th August, 1882.

THE following despatches, with their enclosures, from Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies, are published for general information.

H. A. ATKINSON,
Commissioner of Customs.

(Circular.)

Downing Street, 8th June, 1882.

SIR,—I have the honor to transmit to you, for information and publication in the colony under your Government, copies of two orders of the Queen in Council of the 3rd of May, exempting from re-measurement in this country ships of the Kingdom of Sweden and of Hayti, the measurement whereof has, after the 1st of April, 1882, and the 26th of January, 1882, been ascertained and denoted in the registers and other national papers of such ships.

I have, &c.,

KIMBERLEY.

The Officer Administering the
Government of New Zealand.

At the Court at Windsor, the 3rd day of May, 1882.

Present:

THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY IN
COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Merchant Shipping Act Amendment Act, 1862," it is enacted that, whenever it is made to appear to Her Majesty that the rules concerning the measurement of tonnage of merchant ships for the time being in force under the principal Act have been adopted by the Government of any foreign country, and are in force in that country, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, by Order in Council, to direct that the ships of such foreign country shall be deemed to be of the tonnage denoted in their certificates of registry or other national papers, and thereupon it shall no longer be necessary for such ships to be remeasured in any port or place in Her Majesty's dominions, but such ships shall be deemed to be of the tonnage denoted in their certificates of registry or other papers, in the same manner, to the same extent, and for the same purposes in, to, and for which the tonnage denoted in the certificates of registry of British ships is to be deemed the tonnage of such ships:

And whereas it has been made to appear to Her Majesty that the rules concerning the measurement of tonnage of merchant ships now in force under "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1854," have been adopted in Hayti by the Haitian Government:

Her Majesty is hereby pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to direct that the ships of Hayti, the certificates of Haitian nationality and

registry, or the certificates of measurement, of which are dated on or after the twenty-sixth day of January, 1882, shall be deemed to be of the tonnage denoted in the said certificates of Haitain nationality and registry or certificates of measurement.

C. L. PEEL.

At the Court at Windsor, the 3rd day of May, 1882.

Present:

THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY IN
COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Merchant Shipping Act Amendment Act, 1862," it is enacted that, whenever it is made to appear to Her Majesty that the rules concerning the measurement of tonnage of merchant ships for the time being in force under the principal Act have been adopted by the Government of any foreign country, and are in force in that country, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, by Order in Council, to direct that the ships of such foreign country shall be deemed to be of the tonnage denoted in their certificates of registry or other national papers, and thereupon it shall no longer be necessary for such ships to be remeasured in any port or place in Her Majesty's dominions, but such ships shall be deemed to be of the tonnage denoted in their certificates of registry or other papers, in the same manner, to the same extent, and for the same purposes in, to, and for which the tonnage denoted in the certificates of registry of British ships is to be deemed the tonnage of such ships:

And whereas it was made to appear to Her Majesty that the rules concerning the measurement of tonnage of merchant ships now in force under "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1854," had been adopted in Sweden by the Government of His Majesty the King of Sweden and Norway, and came into force in Sweden on the first day of April, 1875:

And whereas by Order in Council dated the seventeenth day of March, 1875, Her Majesty was accordingly pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to direct that the ships of Sweden, the certificates of Swedish nationality and registry, or the certificates of measurement, of which are dated on or after the first day of April, 1875, should be deemed to be of the tonnage denoted in the said certificates of Swedish nationality and registry, or certificates of measurement:

And whereas a slight difference in the mode of estimating the allowance for engine-room in Swedish ships has been introduced into the said rules, and the same came into operation on the first day of April, 1882:

And whereas it has been made to appear to Her Majesty that the rules concerning the measurement of tonnage of merchant ships now in force under "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1854," adopted by the Government of His Majesty the King of Sweden and Norway, are, with the exception of the said slight difference in the mode of estimating the allowance for engine-room, still in force in that country:

Her Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to direct as follows:—

1. As regards sailing ships: That merchant sailing ships of Sweden, the measurement whereof, after the said first day of April, 1882, has been ascertained and denoted in the registers and other national papers of such sailing ships, testified by the date thereof, shall be deemed to be of the tonnage denoted in such registers and other national papers, in the same manner, and to the same extent, and for the same purpose in, to, and for which the tonnage denoted in the certificate of registry of British sailing ships is deemed to be the tonnage of such ships.

2. As regards steamships: That merchant ships

belonging to Sweden, which are propelled by steam, or any other power requiring engine-room, the measurement whereof shall, after the said first day of April, 1882, have been ascertained and denoted in the registers and other national papers of such steamships, testified by the dates thereof, shall be deemed to be of the tonnage denoted in such registers or other national papers, in the same manner, and to the same extent, and for the same purpose in, to, and for which the tonnage denoted in the certificate of registry of British ships is deemed to be the tonnage of such ships: Provided nevertheless that, if the owner or master of any such Swedish steamship desires the deduction for engine-room in his ships to be estimated under the rules for engine-room measurement and deduction applicable to British ships, instead of under the Swedish rule, the engine-room shall be measured and the deduction calculated according to the British rules; and that, in the event of the net registered tonnage of such steamships, estimated under the British rule, being denoted in the said certificate of nationality and registry or measurement of Swedish steamships, the same shall be deemed to be of the tonnage so denoted therein.

C. L. PEEL.

(Circular.)

Downing Street, 1st July, 1882.

SIR,—I have the honor to transmit to you, for publication in the colony under your Government, a copy of a declaration signed on the 9th of June between the British and Russian Governments on the subject of tonnage measurement.

I have, &c.,

KIMBERLEY.

The Officer Administering the
Government of New Zealand.

DECLARATION BETWEEN THE BRITISH AND RUSSIAN
GOVERNMENTS ON THE SUBJECT OF TONNAGE
MEASUREMENT.

Signed at London, 9th June, 1882.

The English system of tonnage measurement (Moorsoom's system) being henceforward in force as well in the Empire of Russia and the Grand Duchy of Finland as in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and in the British Colonies, the Government of Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and the Government of His Majesty the Emperor of All the Russias, have agreed to the following declaration:—

1. Russian and Finland vessels measured according to the above-mentioned system shall be admitted into the ports of the United Kingdom and its colonies; and British vessels measured according to the same system shall be admitted into the ports of Russia or Finland, without being subjected, for the purpose of payment of navigation dues, to any fresh operation of measurement.

The navigation dues above mentioned shall be calculated on the net tonnage.

2. The Finland and English regulations respecting tonnage measurement being substantially the same, English certificates of tonnage measurement shall, in the Grand Duchy of Finland, and Finland certificates of tonnage measurement, taken out after the 31st May, 1877, shall, in the United Kingdom and its colonies, be recognized, without any operation of measurement or other formality whatsoever; and the net tonnage of all British or Finland ships inscribed on the ship's papers shall be considered in the respective ports of each country as equivalent to the net register tonnage of national vessels.

3. English certificates of tonnage measurement

shall, in Russia, and Russian certificates of tonnage measurement, taken out after the 20th December, 1879 [1st January, 1880], shall, in the United Kingdom and its colonies, be likewise reciprocally recognized in the ports of each country without any operation of measurement.

As, however, the provisions of the Russian regulations do not entirely correspond to the English regulations relative to the mode to be followed in the determination of crew spaces in ships, and machine and coal spaces in steamers, the deductions in respect of these shall, for English vessels in Russian ports, be calculated according to the figures shown in the certificates of tonnage measurement, in conformity with the regulation sanctioned the 20th December, 1879 [1st January, 1880], without remeasurement of the vessel.

This measure shall be applicable in British ports to Russian vessels touching there, if the captains of the said vessels shall express a desire to that effect; and in such case the provisions of the Merchant Shipping Act of the 10th August, 1854, shall be complied with.

4. The above-mentioned arrangements shall apply also to vessels propelled by any other artificial power than steam.

The present declaration shall come into operation on the 1st [13th] July, 1882, and shall remain in force so long as one of the contracting parties shall not have notified to the other, six months in advance, its intention of terminating it.

In witness whereof the undersigned, duly authorized for this purpose, have signed the present declaration, and have affixed thereto the seal of their arms.

Done, in duplicate, at London, the 28th day of May [9th day of June], 1882.

(L.S.) GRANVILLE.
(L.S.) LOBANOW.

Post Offices opened.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 30th August, 1882.

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

WALTER W. JOHNSTON,
Postmaster-General.

Name of Office.	In what Postal District.	Circulating Office.
Burke's	Dunedin	Dunedin.
Clonmore	Greymouth	Greymouth.
Colac Bay	Invercargill	Invercargill.
Cross' Creek	Wellington	Wellington.
Fairfax	Invercargill	Invercargill.
Hikurangi	Auckland	Auckland.
Hedgehope	Invercargill	Invercargill.
Kuripapanga	Napier	Napier.
Leahytown	Thames	Thames.
Longridge	Invercargill	Invercargill.
Nightcaps	Invercargill	Invercargill.
Owen River	Nelson	Nelson.
Okaiawa	Wanganui	Wanganui.
Otiake	Oamaru	Oamaru.
Rahotu (reopened)	New Plymouth	New Plymouth.
Upper Mill	Auckland	Auckland.
Upper Woodstock	Hokitika	Hokitika.
Waimatuku	Invercargill	Invercargill.
Waipuku	New Plymouth	New Plymouth.
Whitford	Auckland	Auckland.
Wairio	Invercargill	Invercargill.
Waitapu	Auckland	Auckland.
Waipuna	Auckland	Auckland.
Whirinaki (reopened)	Auckland	Auckland.
White's Point (reopened)	Westport	Westport.

Post Offices closed.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 30th August, 1882.

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

WALTER W. JOHNSTON,
Postmaster-General.

Name of Office.	In what Postal District.	Circulating Office.
Big Paddock	Hokitika	Hokitika.
Flint's Bush	Invercargill	Invercargill.
Goodfellows	Hokitika	Hokitika.
Mapourika	Hokitika	Hokitika.
Newmarket	Auckland	Auckland.
Okoroiri	Auckland	Auckland.
Opawa	Christchurch	Christchurch.
Round Hill	Invercargill	Invercargill.
The Bridge	Blenheim	Blenheim.

Authorizing Survey through Tahoraiti and Oringi Waiaruhe Blocks.

Public Works Office,
Wellington, 28th August, 1882.

BY virtue of the powers conferred on the Minister for Public Works under section 78 of "The Public Works Act, 1876," I hereby authorize

JOHN THOMAS CARR, Esq.,

of Kopua, Civil Engineer, to enter upon the Native lands described in the Schedule hereto, for the purpose of making a survey for a railway.

SCHEDULE.

Name of Block	No. of Block.	Area.
Tahoraiti	I.	3,475 A.
"	II.	5,924
Oringi Waiaruhe	...	12,008

WALTER W. JOHNSTON,
Minister for Public Works.

Tenders.

Public Works Office,
Wellington, 29th August, 1882.

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

WALTER W. JOHNSTON,
Minister for Public Works.

WHAKARUATAPU AND MANGATERA BRIDGES CONTRACT.—WELLINGTON-NAPIER RAILWAY.

	Accepted.	£	s.	d.
McKenzie and Co., Dunedin	...	9,350	10	3
<i>Declined.</i>				
J. O'Brien, Auckland	...	9,400	0	0
W. J. Bassett, Wanganui	...	9,832	0	0
J. B. Ross, Auckland	...	10,191	16	6
Alexander and McFarlane, Wanganui	...	10,364	9	0
Mace and Bassett, Patea	...	10,407	10	0
T. H. Parsons, New Plymouth	...	10,498	10	2
J. Saunders, Wellington	...	10,623	17	6
T. H. Downes, Dunedin	...	10,931	11	0
J. and C. Bull, Feilding	...	11,175	1	5
Sutherland and McKinion, Auckland	...	11,230	0	0
Charles Bray, Feilding	...	11,434	11	6
Glendinning and Griffin, Napier	...	13,197	0	0

*Warden elected, Masterton Highway District,
County of Wairarapa West.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 23rd August, 1882.

NOTICE has been received at this office, under the hand of the Returning Officer, R. Wilson, that, on the 22nd instant,

WILLIAM HENRY BEETHAM

was duly elected Warden for No. 4 Ward of the Masterton Highway District, *vice* J. C. Vallance, resigned.

G. S. COOPER,
Under-Secretary.

Officiating Ministers for 1882.—Notice No. 19.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 24th August, 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 name of an Officiating Minister within the meaning of the said Act is published for general information:—

Presbyterian Church of Otago and Southland.

The Reverend William Campbell.

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

Tenders for Inland Mail Services for 1883 and 1884.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 9th August, 1882.

SEALED tenders will be received at the several Chief Post Offices in the colony until Saturday, the 9th September proximo, for the conveyance of mails between the under-mentioned places, for a period of two years from the 1st January, 1883, to 31st December, 1884.

POSTAL DISTRICT OF AUCKLAND.

1. Kingsland Railway Station and Post Office, daily.
- *2. Mount Albert Railway Station and Post Office, daily.
- *3. Henderson's Mill Railway Station and Post Office, daily.
4. Whau, Titirangi, and Muddy Creek, weekly.
5. Auckland, Hobsonville, and Waitemata Mills, daily.
6. Kumeo Junction and Waitemata Mills, daily.
7. Kumeo Junction and Hobsonville, thrice weekly.
8. Waitemata Mills and Waikoukou, weekly.
9. Waimauku and Waikoukou, weekly.
- *10. Helensville and Kaukapakapa, thrice weekly.
- *11. Kaukapakapa and Makarau, weekly.
12. Eilersley Railway Station and Howick, daily.
13. Panmure and St. John's College, daily.
14. Howick and Whitford, weekly.
- *15. Remuera Railway Station and Epsom, daily.
16. Otahuhu Railway Station and Post Office, daily.
17. Otahuhu and Mangare, twice weekly.
18. Onehunga and Mangare, twice weekly.
- *19. Papakura Railway Station and Post Office, daily.
20. Papakura and Wairoa, thrice weekly.
21. Papakura and Hunua, weekly.
22. Drury and Bombay, thrice weekly.
23. Ramarama and Opaheke, weekly.
24. Pukekohe and Pukekohe East, twice weekly.
25. Pukekohe, Mauku, and Waiuku thrice weekly.
26. Waiuku and Port Waikato, weekly.
27. Waiuku, Kohekohe, and Pollock Settlement, twice weekly.
28. Pokeno and Razorback, thrice weekly.
29. Pokeno and Maungatawhiri, thrice weekly.
30. Mercer and Port Waikato, weekly.
- *31. Rangiriri Railway Station and Post Office, daily.
32. Rangiriri and Churchhill, twice weekly.
33. Ngaruawahia and Whatawhata, thrice weekly.
34. Hamilton, Whatawhata, and Raglan, twice weekly.
35. Hamilton, Whatawhata, and Raglan, thrice weekly.
36. Hamilton and Tuhikaramea, weekly.
37. Whatawhata and Tuhikaramea, weekly.
38. Raglan and Aotea, weekly.
- *39. Hamilton and Te Aroha, thrice weekly.
- *40. Hamilton Junction Railway Station and Cambridge, daily.
41. Hamilton Railway Station and Post Office, daily.

42. Cambridge and Rotorua, weekly.
43. Ohauupo and Pukerimu, thrice weekly.
44. Ngaroto Railway Station, Paterangi, and Alexandra, daily.
45. Ngaroto and Paterangi, daily.
46. Alexandra and Harapipi, twice weekly.
47. Te Awamutu Railway Station and Kihikihiki, daily.
48. Te Awamutu and Alexandra, daily.
49. Auckland and Devonport, twice daily.
50. Auckland and Northcote, daily.
51. Devonport and Takapuna, thrice weekly.
52. Devonport, Takapuna, Lucas Creek, Dairy Flat, Wade, Orewa, and Waiwera, thrice weekly.
53. Devonport, Takapuna, Wade, Orewa, and Waiwera, thrice weekly.
54. Okura Road and Lucas Creek, thrice weekly.
55. Wade and Dairy Flat, thrice weekly.
56. Wade and Wangaparaoa, weekly.
57. Wade and Parakakau, twice weekly.
58. Orewa and Upper Waiwera, weekly.
59. Waiwera and Puhoi, twice weekly.
60. Auckland, Waiwera, and Warkworth twice weekly.
61. Auckland, Waiwera, Matakana, Omaha, and Kawau, weekly.
62. Devonport and Warkworth, thrice weekly.
63. Te Kapa and Lower Matakana, weekly.
64. Warkworth and Pakiri, weekly.
65. Warkworth and Komokoriki, weekly.
66. Warkworth and Kaipara Flats, weekly.
67. Warkworth, Tauhoa, and Wharehine, weekly.
68. Warkworth and Wellsford, weekly.
69. Well-ford and Port Albert, weekly.
70. Well-ford and Te Arai, weekly.
71. Wellsford and Kaiwaka, weekly.
- *72. Kaiwaka and Mangawai, twice weekly.
73. Kaiwaka and Maungatoroto, weekly.
74. Helensville, Kaukapakapa, Makarau, and Port Albert, weekly.
75. Helensville and Port Albert, weekly.
76. Helensville, Batley, Point Curtis, Pahi, and Matakohe, weekly.
77. Point Curtis, Wairau Creek, and Maungatoroto, weekly.
78. Pahi and Paparoa, weekly.
79. Paparoa and Maungatoroto, weekly.
80. Helensville and Dargaville *via* intermediate offices, twice weekly.
81. Dargaville, Tangihua, and Mangakahia, weekly.
82. Wangarei Heads and Waipu, twice weekly.
83. Waipu and Maungatoroto, weekly.
84. Wangarei and Maungakarama, weekly.
85. Maungakarama and Tangihua, weekly.
86. Wangarei and Mangapai, weekly.
87. Wangarei and Ngunguru, weekly.
88. Wangarei Heads and Parua, weekly.
89. Kamo Railway Station and Post Office, daily.
90. Kamo, Kaurihohore, Hikurangi, and Otonga, weekly.
91. Kamo and Ruatangata, weekly.
92. Wangarei and Poroti, weekly.
93. Russell and Wangaruru, fortnightly.
- *94. Russell, Pahiia, and Kawakawa, thrice weekly.
95. Pahiia and Ohaeawai, weekly.
96. Kawakawa and Ohaeawai, weekly.
97. Ohaeawai, Waimate, Okaihau, and Kohukohu, weekly.
98. Ohaeawai and Herd's Point, Hokianga, weekly.
99. Hokianga and Omapere, weekly.
100. Omapere and Waitapu, weekly.
101. Wangaroa and Kaero, weekly.
102. Wangaroa and Waipuna, weekly.
103. Mongonui, Awanui, Kaitaia, and Ahipara, weekly.
104. Mongonui, Oruru, Victoria Valley, Kaitaia, and Ahipara, weekly.
105. Kaitaia and Awanui, weekly.
106. Mongonui, Oruru, and Victoria Valley, weekly.
107. Ahipara and Parenga, fortnightly.
108. Auckland and Waiheke, weekly.
109. Coromandel and Tokatea, thrice weekly.
110. Coromandel and Wangapoua, weekly.
111. Coromandel and Dunbar's, weekly.
112. Coromandel and Matawai, weekly.
113. Tauranga and Waterford, thrice weekly.
114. Tauranga and Te Puke, thrice weekly.
115. Tauranga and Opotiki *via* Te Puke, weekly.
116. Tauranga and Opotiki *via* Maketu, weekly.
117. Tauranga and Ohinemutu, thrice weekly.
118. Te Puke and Maketu, weekly.
119. Chief Post Office and Wharves, as required.
- *120. Chief Post Office and Railway Station, as required.
121. Landing and shipping mails at Auckland, as required.
122. Landing and shipping mails at Awhitu, as required.
123. Landing and shipping mails at Te Kapa, as required.
124. Landing and shipping mails at Warkworth, as required.
125. Landing and shipping mails at Matakana, as required.
- *126. Landing and shipping mails at Wangarei Heads, as required.

127. Landing and shipping mails at Wangarei, as required.
128. Landing and shipping mails at Mangapai, as required.
129. Landing and shipping mails at Russell, as required.
130. Landing and shipping mails at Wangaroa, as required.
131. Landing and shipping mails at Mongonui, as required.
132. Landing and shipping mails at Tauranga, as required.

POSTAL DISTRICT OF THAMES.

1. Thames and Tararu, daily.
2. Tararu and Hastings, weekly.
3. Tararu and Hastings, twice weekly.
- †4. Thames and Paeroa, thrice weekly.
- †5. Thames and Paeroa, daily.
6. Thames and Tauranga *via* Paeroa, Waihi, and Waterford, twice weekly.
7. Thames and Tauranga *via* Paeroa, Waihi, and Waterford, thrice weekly.
8. Paeroa and Tauranga *via* Waihi and Waterford, twice weekly.
9. Paeroa and Tauranga *via* Waihi and Waterford, thrice weekly.
10. Puriri and Neversville, twice weekly.
11. Neversville and Tairua, weekly.
12. Owharoa and Waitekauri, thrice weekly.
- †13. Paeroa and Te Aroha, twice weekly.
- †14. Paeroa and Te Aroha, thrice weekly.
- †15. Paeroa and Te Aroha, daily.
16. Thames and Miranda, weekly.
17. Thames and Miranda, fortnightly.
18. Waitekauri and Leaheytown, thrice weekly.
19. Te Aroha and Shaftesbury, weekly.
20. Te Aroha and Shaftesbury, twice weekly.

POSTAL DISTRICT OF GISBORNE.

1. Gisborne and Ormond, twice weekly.
2. Gisborne and Ormond, thrice weekly.
3. Gisborne and Tologa Bay, weekly.
4. Tologa Bay and Port Awanui, fortnightly.

POSTAL DISTRICT OF NAPIER.

1. Napier and Taradale, *via* Meance, daily.
2. Taradale and Puketapu, thrice weekly.
3. Puketapu and Rissington, weekly.
4. Taradale and Erewhon, weekly.
5. Farndon and Clive, twice daily.
6. Hastings and Havelock, twice daily.
7. Hastings and Maraekakaho, twice weekly.
8. Maraekakaho and Kereru, twice weekly.
9. Te Aute Post Office and Railway Station, twice daily.
10. Kaikora and Pourerere *via* Patangata and Tamumu, twice weekly.
11. Havelock and Mangakuri, weekly.
12. Patangata and Waimarama *via* Te Apite, twice weekly.
13. Waipawa Post Office and Railway Station, twice daily.
14. Waipawa and Hampden, twice weekly.
15. Waipawa and Ongaonga, twice weekly.
16. Ongaonga and Blackburn, twice weekly.
17. Takapau and Makeritu, twice weekly.
18. Waipukurau and Wainui, twice weekly.
19. Waipukurau Post Office and Railway Station, twice daily.
20. Napier Post Office and Railway Station, twice daily.
21. Napier and Port Ahuriri, twice daily; and seaborne mails, as required.
22. Port Ahuriri and vessels in harbour, as required.
23. Napier and Wairoa, weekly.
24. Wairoa and Mahia, fortnightly.
25. Napier and Petane, thrice weekly.
26. Napier and Taupo, weekly.
27. Taupo and Ohinemutu, weekly.
28. Wainui and Castlepoint, weekly.
- *29. Makatoka and Palmerston North, thrice weekly.
- *30. Makatoka and Palmerston North, daily.
31. Masterton and Woodville, thrice weekly.
32. Taradale and Erewhon *via* Okawa, once weekly.
33. Taradale and Erewhon *via* Okawa, twice weekly.

POSTAL DISTRICT OF NEW PLYMOUTH.

1. Chief Post Office, Landing-place, and steamers, as required.
2. Chief Post Office and Railway Station, as required.
3. New Plymouth and Opunake, daily.

POSTAL DISTRICT OF WANGANUI.

- *1. Manutahi Post Office and Railway Station and Hawera, daily.
2. Hawera and Opunake, daily.
3. Bull's and Greatford, daily.
4. Wanganui and Makirikiri, thrice weekly.
5. Marton and Tutaenui, twice weekly.
6. Marton and Crofton, thrice weekly.
- *7. Wanganui Post Office and Wharf, as required.
8. Wanganui Post Office and Railway Station, as required.

9. Marton Post Office and Railway Station, as required.
10. Brunswick Post Office and Railway Station, thrice weekly.
11. Normanby and Okaiawa, thrice weekly.

POSTAL DISTRICT OF WELLINGTON.

1. Wellington Post Office, Railway Station, and Wharf, as required.
2. Wellington Post Office, Te Aro Post Office, and City Receiving Boxes, as required.
- *3. Wellington and Foxton, daily.
4. Wellington and Karori, daily.
5. Wellington and Ohariu, twice weekly.
- *6. Palmerston North and Makatoka, daily.
- *7. Palmerston North and Makatoka, thrice weekly.
8. Masterton and Woodville, twice weekly.
9. Masterton and Castlepoint, twice weekly.
10. Castlepoint and Wainui, weekly.
11. Masterton and Bideford, weekly.
12. Masterton and Brancepeth, weekly.
13. Eketahuna and Alfredton, weekly.
14. Carterton and Gladstone, thrice weekly.
15. Featherston and Wangaimoana, twice weekly.
- 15a. Greytown, Wangaimoana *via* Martinborough, twice weekly.
16. Featherston and Tauherinikau, thrice weekly.
17. Martinborough and East Coast, weekly.
18. Te Nui and Glenburn, weekly.
19. Bull's and Sanson, thrice weekly.
20. Bull's and Sanson *via* Scott's Ferry and Parawanui, thrice weekly.
21. Feilding and Kiwitea, twice weekly.
22. Feilding and Awahuri, twice weekly.
23. Sanson and Campbelltown, weekly.
24. Karori and Makara, twice weekly.
25. Hutt Railway Station and Taita, once daily.
26. Hutt Railway Station and Taita, twice daily.
27. Masterton and Kuripuni, daily.
28. Masterton Post Office and Railway Station, as required.
29. Foxton Post Office and Railway Station, as required.
30. Hutt and Wainuiomata, twice weekly.

POSTAL DISTRICT OF BLENHEIM.

1. Blenheim, Kaituna, and Havelock, twice weekly.
2. Havelock and Deep Creek, weekly.
- †3. Blenheim and Kaikoura, weekly.
- †4. Kaikoura and Waiiau, weekly.
5. Blenheim, Renwicktown, and Wairau Valley, weekly.
6. Blenheim and Renwicktown, weekly.
7. Picton, Grove, and Torea, weekly.
8. Havelock, St. Omer, and Kenepuru, weekly.
- *9. Blenheim, Awatere, and Molesworth, weekly.
10. Kaikoura Post Office and Wharf, as required.
11. Blenheim Wharf, vessels in Opawa and Wairau Rivers, and Post Office, also Blenheim Post Office and Railway Station, as required.
12. Post Office, Picton, and Wharf, and Railway Station, as required, and delivering letters, &c., in township, once daily.

POSTAL DISTRICT OF NELSON.

1. Richmond and Riwaka, thrice weekly.
2. Motupiko and Sherry River *via* Upper Motueka, weekly.
3. Motupiko and Sherry River *via* Upper Motueka, twice weekly.
4. Spring Grove and Waimea West, thrice weekly.
5. Nelson and Wakapuaka, twice weekly.
6. Lower Moutere and Ngatimote, twice weekly.
7. Lower Moutere and Ngatimote, thrice weekly.
8. Upper Moutere and Thorpe, twice weekly.
9. Thorpe and Stanley Brook, weekly.
10. Post Office, Nelson, and the Port, as required.
11. Foxhill Station and Foxhill, daily.
12. Spring Grove Station and Post Office, daily.
13. Hope Station and Post Office, daily.
14. Stoke Station and Post Office, daily.
15. Motueka Wharf and Post Office, as required.
16. Waitapu Wharf and Post Office, Takaka, as required.
17. Post Office, Motupipi, and Wharves, Waitapu and Motupipi, as required.
18. East Takaka and Takaka, weekly.
19. Belgrove and Lyell, weekly.
20. Belgrove and Lyell, twice weekly.
21. Belgrove and Lyell, thrice weekly.
22. Belgrove, Lyell, and Reefton, weekly.
23. Belgrove, Lyell, and Reefton, twice weekly.
24. Belgrove, Lyell, and Reefton, thrice weekly.
25. Belgrove and Lyell, twice weekly; also Westport, Reefton, and Greymouth, thrice weekly.
26. Belgrove and Lyell, also Westport, Reefton, and Greymouth, thrice weekly.

POSTAL DISTRICT OF WESTPORT.

1. Westport and Reefton *via* Inangahua Junction, thrice weekly.
2. Westport, Reefton, and Greymouth, thrice weekly.

3. Westport and Reefton, thrice weekly; Belgrove, Lyell, and Inangahua Junction, twice weekly.
4. Westport and Reefton, and Belgrove, Lyell, and Inangahua Junction, thrice weekly.
5. Westport, Reefton, and Greymouth, thrice weekly; Belgrove, Lyell, and Inangahua Junction, twice weekly.
6. Westport, Reefton, and Greymouth, and Belgrove, Lyell, and Inangahua Junction, thrice weekly.
7. Inangahua Junction and Lyell, thrice weekly.
8. Westport and Charleston *vid* Addison's Flat, twice weekly.
9. Westport and Charleston *vid* Addison's Flat, thrice weekly.
10. Gibbs's Accommodation House and Hampden *vid* Longford and Upper Matakaitaki, fortnightly.
11. Gibbs's Accommodation House and Hampden *vid* Longford, weekly.
12. Westport and Giles Terrace, weekly.
13. Brighton and Charleston, weekly.
14. Reefton and Boatman's, thrice weekly.
15. Westport Post Office and vessels in Buller River and Lagoon, and the Railway Station, as required.

POSTAL DISTRICT OF GREYMOUTH.

1. Greymouth and Cobden, daily.
2. Greymouth and Marsden, daily.
3. Marsden and Dunganville (Clifton), twice weekly.
4. Marsden and Dunganville (Clifton), thrice weekly.
5. Greymouth and Kumara, twice daily.
6. Greymouth Chief Post Office and Wharf, Tram, and Railway Stations, as required.
7. Greymouth and Reefton, delivering mails at Arnold, Twelve-Mile, No Town, Camptown, Ahaura, Totara Flat, Granville, Little Grey Junction, and Blackwater, thrice weekly; also Red Jack's and Orwell Creek and Antonio's Flat, weekly.
8. Greymouth and Reefton, thrice weekly.
9. Greymouth, Reefton, and Westport, thrice weekly.
10. Greymouth, Reefton, Lyell, and Belgrove, twice weekly.
11. Greymouth, Reefton, Lyell, and Belgrove, thrice weekly.
12. Greymouth, Reefton, and Westport, thrice weekly; and Belgrove, Lyell, and Inangahua Junction, twice weekly.
13. Greymouth, Reefton, and Westport, and Belgrove, Lyell, and Inangahua Junction, thrice weekly.

POSTAL DISTRICT OF HOKITIKA.

1. Hokitika and Springfield *vid* Kumara (delivering mails at Kumara Tram Station), Waimea, and Stafford, twice weekly.
2. Hokitika and Springfield *vid* Kumara (delivering mails at Kumara Tram Station), Waimea, and Stafford, thrice weekly.
3. Hokitika and Kumara, delivering Greymouth mails at Kumara Tram Station, twice daily.
4. Kumara and Greenstone, twice weekly.
5. Kumara and Dillman's Town, daily.
6. Hokitika and Ross *vid* Kanieri and Woodstock, daily.
7. Ross and Gillespie's Beach *vid* Okarito, fortnightly.
8. Gillespie's Beach and Paringa, fortnightly.
9. Waimea and Fox's, twice weekly.
10. Kumara Post Office and Tramway Station, as required.
11. Hokitika and Harcourt's Ferry, weekly.
12. Hokitika and Harcourt's Ferry, twice weekly.

POSTAL DISTRICT OF CHRISTCHURCH.

1. Christchurch and Halswell, daily.
2. Christchurch and Halswell, thrice weekly.
3. Taitapu and Lincoln, daily.
- *4. Christchurch and Sumner, twice daily.
5. Christchurch and New Brighton, thrice weekly.
- *6. Lyttelton and Pigeon Bay, thrice weekly.
- *7. Pigeon Bay and Akaroa, thrice weekly.
- *8. Birdling's Flat and Akaroa, thrice weekly.
9. Lyttelton and Port Levy, weekly.
10. Lyttelton and Gebbie's Flat, weekly.
11. Lyttelton and Gebbie's Flat, twice weekly.
12. Lyttelton and Ohinetahi, twice weekly.
13. Rabbit Island, Railway Station, Gebbie's Flat, and Governor's Bay, twice weekly.
14. Lyttelton Post Office and Railway Station, and vessels in harbour, as required.
15. Duvauchelle, O'Kain's Bay, and Little Akaloa, twice weekly.
16. German Bay and Le Bon's Bay, twice weekly.
17. German Bay and Le Bon's Bay, thrice weekly.
18. Akaroa and Wainui, weekly.
19. Barry's Bay and Wainui, thrice weekly.
20. Kaiapoi and Saltwater Creek, daily.
21. Kaiapoi, Clarkville, and Eyreton, thrice weekly.
22. Kaiapoi and Coutts Island, twice weekly.
23. East Oxford Post Office and Railway Station, daily.
24. Oxford and View Hill, weekly.
25. Oxford and View Hill, twice weekly.
26. Flaxton Post Office and Railway Station, daily.

27. Ashley and North Loburn, thrice weekly.
28. Balcairn and Leithfield, daily.
- *29. Waikari and Hurunui, daily.
- *30. Hurunui and Waiiau, thrice weekly.
- *31. Hurunui and Waiiau, twice weekly.
32. Hurunui and Hanmer Plain, weekly.
33. Waikari and Lake Station, weekly.
34. Waiiau and Hawkeswood, weekly.
35. Waipara and Cheviot, weekly.
36. Prebbleton and Broadfield, thrice weekly.
37. Irwell Post Office and Railway Station, daily.
38. Irwell and Brookside, thrice weekly.
39. Leeston and Lakeside, thrice weekly.
40. Leeston and Lakeside, twice weekly.
41. Annat and Russell's Flat, twice weekly.
42. Springfield and Kowai Bush, weekly.
43. South Malvern Post Office and Railway Station, daily.
44. Darfield and Kimberley, twice weekly.
45. Darfield and Greendale, twice weekly.
46. Darfield and Greendale, thrice weekly.
47. Coalgate and Hororata, daily.
48. Glentunnel and Lake Coleridge, weekly.
49. Glentunnel and Windwhistle House, weekly.
50. Glentunnel and Acheron, twice weekly.
51. Dunsandel and Killinchy, thrice weekly.
52. Ealing and Cracroft, twice weekly.
53. Rakaia and Barrhill, daily.
54. Lauriston and Barrhill, daily.
55. Methven and Alford Forest, thrice weekly.
56. Alford Forest and Springburn, thrice weekly.
57. Ashburton and Kyle, thrice weekly.
58. Ashburton and Newland, thrice weekly.
59. Ashburton and Kyle *vid* Seafield, Elgin, Wakanui, and Newland, thrice weekly.
60. Ashburton and Longbeach, daily.
61. Flemington and Longbeach Road, thrice weekly.
62. Upper Riccarton and Middleton, daily.
63. Springfield and Hokitika *vid* Kumara, twice weekly.
64. Springfield and Hokitika *vid* Kumara, thrice weekly.
65. Christchurch Post Office, Railway Station, and town receivers, providing mail-cart, driver, horses, &c., as required.

POSTAL DISTRICT OF TIMARU.

1. Waitohi Railway Station and Post Office, Kerry Town, twice weekly.
2. Waitohi Railway Station and Post Office, Kerry Town, thrice weekly.
3. Peel Forest and Rangitata, thrice weekly.
4. Orari and Woodbury *vid* Geraldine, daily.
5. Geraldine and Hilton *vid* Pleasant Valley and Gapes Valley, twice weekly.
6. Temuka and Waitohi Flat, twice weekly.
- *7. Albury and Burke's Pass, thrice weekly.
8. Burke's Pass and Lake Tekapo, weekly.
9. Burke's Pass and Dr. Fisher's Station, once weekly.
10. Pleasant Point and Raincliff Station, twice weekly.
11. Pleasant Point and Raincliff Station, weekly.
12. Timaru and Pareora *vid* Wai-iti and Claremont, twice weekly.
13. Timaru and Pareora *vid* Wai-iti and Claremont, thrice weekly.
14. Pareora and Timaru *vid* Claremont and Wai-iti, twice weekly.
15. Pareora and Timaru *vid* Claremont and Wai-iti, thrice weekly.
16. St. Andrew and Blue Cliffs, twice weekly.
17. St. Andrew and Blue Cliffs, thrice weekly.
18. Rangitata and Bulmer *vid* Rangitata Island and Canavan's, twice weekly.
19. Orari and Rangitata Island *vid* Bulmer and Canavan's, twice weekly.
- *20. Waimate and Redcliffe *vid* Waihoa Forks, twice weekly.
- *21. Waimate and Kourou *vid* Redcliffe and Waihoa Forks, twice weekly.

POSTAL DISTRICT OF OAMARU.

1. Maheno and Kakanui, daily.
2. Aitchison's Siding and Awamoko, twice weekly.
3. Aitchison's Siding and Awamoko, thrice weekly.
- *4. Duntroon and Livingstone, twice weekly.
5. Kourou and Hakateramea, weekly.
6. Kourou and Omarama, twice weekly.
7. Omarama and Ben-Ohau, weekly.

POSTAL DISTRICT OF DUNEDIN.

1. Dunedin and Sandymount, thrice weekly.
2. Dunedin and Whare Flat, twice weekly.
3. Dunedin and Portobello, thrice weekly.
- 3a. Dunedin and Portobello, daily.
4. Portobello and Otakou, thrice weekly.
5. Pūrakau Railway Station and Post Office, twice weekly.
6. Outram and Hindon, weekly.
7. Outram and Waipori, weekly.
8. Outram and Maungatua, twice weekly.

9. Henley and Berwick, twice weekly.
10. Outram and Berwick, twice weekly.
11. Outram and Middlemarsh *via* Lee Stream and Clark's by coach, weekly.
- 11a. Clark's and Deepstream, by horse, weekly.
12. Fairfield and Green Island Railway Station, daily.
13. Waihola and Taieri Beach, weekly.
14. Milton and Adams Flat, twice weekly.
15. Kaitangata and Wangaloa, thrice weekly.
16. Balclutha and Owake, twice weekly.
17. Balclutha and Railway Station, twice daily.
18. Balclutha and Hillend *via* Bishop's, twice weekly.
19. Balclutha and Bishop's, twice weekly.
20. Kuri Bush and Otakaia, twice weekly.
21. Puarua and Port Molyneux, twice weekly.
22. Lawrence, Weatherstone, and Bluespur, daily.
23. Lawrence and Tuapeka Mouth *via* Tuapeka West, twice weekly.
24. Lawrence and Waipori, weekly.
25. Merton and Evansdale Railway Station, thrice weekly.
26. Karitane and Puketeraki Railway Station, twice weekly.
27. Waihemo and Macrae's Flat, weekly.
28. Kyeburn, Hyde, and Hamilton's, weekly.
29. Hamilton's and Linburn, weekly.
30. Linburn and Serpentine, weekly.
31. Naseby and Kyeburn Diggings *via* Middle Kyeburn, weekly.
32. Ophir and Tinker's, weekly.
33. Cromwell and Quartzville, twice weekly.
34. Quartzville and Nevis, fortnightly.
35. Arrow River and Macetown, twice weekly.
36. Tapanui Post Office and Railway Station, daily.
37. Tapanui, Crookston, Dunrobin, and Swift Creek, twice weekly.
38. Albert Town, Makarora, and Hawea Bush, weekly.
39. Pembroke and Makarora, weekly.
40. Supply of two saddle-horses and equipments, mail-cart, driver, and horse, for use at Chief Post Office, Dunedin, as required.

POSTAL DISTRICT OF INVERCARGILL.

1. Invercargill and Wallacetown, daily.
2. One-Tree Point Railway Station and Oteramika, weekly.
3. Mill Road and Mabel Bush, weekly.
4. Mill Road and Hedgehope *via* Mabel, weekly.
5. Hedgehope and Mabel Bush, weekly.
6. Mill Road and Hokonui *via* Mabel and Hedgehope, weekly.
- *7. Edendale and Wyndham, daily.
- *8. Wyndham and Fortrose, thrice weekly.
9. Fairfax Railway Station and Isla Bank, twice weekly.
10. Parrova and Nokomai, weekly.
11. Nightcaps and Annandale, twice weekly.
12. Annandale and Dunrobin, weekly.
- *13. Otautau and Wairaki, twice weekly.
14. Wairaki and Blackmount, weekly.
15. Otautau and Gladfield, twice weekly.
16. Otautau, Gladfield, and Heddon Bush, twice weekly.
17. Winton and Heddon Bush, weekly.
18. Winton, Heddon Bush, and Gladfield, twice weekly.
19. Winton and Hokonui, weekly.
- *20. Colac Bay and Orepuki, weekly.
- *21. Colac Bay and Orepuki, twice weekly.
22. Riverton and Groper's Bush, twice weekly.
- *23. Elbow and Mararoa, weekly.
24. Kingston and Queenstown, thrice weekly.
25. Kingston and Queenstown, daily.
26. Queenstown and Skipper's, weekly.
27. Queenstown and Moke Creek, weekly.
28. Queenstown and Malaghan's, weekly.
29. Queenstown and Malaghan's, twice weekly.
30. Gore and Waikaka, twice weekly.
- *31. Riversdale and Waikaia, thrice weekly.
- *32. Riversdale and Waikaia, daily.
33. Pukerau and Otarara, twice weekly.
34. Fortrose and Otarara, weekly.
35. Bluff, Half-Moon Bay, and Paterson Inlet, weekly.
36. Riverton Post Office and Railway Station, as required.
37. Chief Post Office, Invercargill, and Railway Station, as required.

* Services may be affected by railway extension, and may be terminated by the Postmaster-General on his giving one month's notice in writing.

† Services may be terminated by the Postmaster-General on his giving one month's notice in writing.

‡ Services may be terminated by the Postmaster-General on his giving three months' notice in writing.

The attention of intending tenderers is directed to the following clause of the terms and conditions of contract printed at the back of the tender-forms:

"The days and hours of arrival and departure to be fixed from time to time as the Postmaster-General may direct. For services performed by coach, no stage shall exceed twelve miles, except by special permission from the Postmaster-General, who shall determine whether or not longer stages are unavoidable."

Contractors whose tenders may be accepted must be prepared to carry out the services for which they tender according to the time-tables framed by the department.

Forms of tender, with the terms and conditions of contract, may be procured at any post office.

No tender will be considered unless made on the printed form.

Tenders, indorsed "Tender for Mail Service, No. ,," to be addressed to the Postmaster-General, Wellington, and enclosed to the Chief Postmaster of the postal district to which the tender may specially refer.

W. GRAY,
Secretary.

Application for Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 28th August, 1882.

PATENT for a new Gas Engine, which may be used as a Locomotive, especially in propelling Trams.

WALTER ANDREW HARPER, Surveyor and Engineer, and JOHN WILLIAM ROCK, Mechanical Engineer, both of Oamaru, New Zealand, have deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Friday, the 3rd day of November next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at this office, to hear the said application and all objections thereto; and I require all persons having an interest in opposing the grant of such Letters Patent to leave, on or before the 30th day of October next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

W. S. REID,
Patent Officer.

No. 681.

Rechabite Hall Company to be dissolved.

In the Supreme Court of New Zealand, Wellington District.

In the matter of the Rechabite Hall Company (Limited), and in the matter of "The Limited Liability Joint-Stock Companies Dissolution Act, 1872."

I, ALEXANDER SUTHERLAND ALLAN, Registrar of the Supreme Court for the District of Wellington, do hereby notify that an affidavit, copy of which is hereunder given, by Mr. F. H. Fraser, Manager and Secretary of the Rechabite Hall Company (Limited), has been lodged in the Resident Magistrate's Court at Wellington, and forwarded to me; and that, unless notice of objection be lodged with me within sixty days of this date, I shall proceed to declare the said Company to be dissolved, in manner provided by "The Limited Liability Joint-Stock Companies Dissolution Act, 1872."

Signed this ninth day of August, 1882.

ALEX. S. ALLAN,
Registrar.

In the matter of the Rechabite Hall Company (Limited), incorporated under "The Joint-Stock Companies Act, 1860."

I, FRANCIS HUMPHRIES FRASER, Manager and Secretary of the Rechabite Hall Company (Limited), do hereby make oath and say,—

1. That the nominal capital of the said Company is £1,500, in 1,500 shares of £1 each.

2. That the shares have been fully paid up.

3. That all the shares and assets of the said Company having become vested in one ownership, the Company, as such, has in fact ceased to exist and to carry on its operations; and I do hereby apply for a declaration of dissolution of such Company.

F. H. FRASER.

Sworn before me, this first day of August, 1882—
H. S. Wardell, Resident Magistrate.

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 30th November, 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 30th November, 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 two years from the 1st January, 1883.

The examination will be held at convenient centres on the 18th and 19th December, 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 31st October.

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

JAMES H. POPE,

Inspector of Native Schools.

Gold Fields Notices.

Gold-Mining Lease cancelled.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 25th August, 1882.

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

Sew Hoy; 6 acres, Section 26, Block XII., Skipper's Creek District, Otago Gold Fields. No. 340c.

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Mines.

Gold-Mining Leases to be granted.

IN conformity with the thirty-seventh section of "The Mines Act, 1877," and with the regulations made under that Act for the granting of leases for gold-mining purposes, it is hereby notified that it is intended to grant leases of Crown lands for gold-mining purposes to the applicants specified in the

annexed Schedule, unless there shall be valid objections against such leases.

Objections to the granting of such leases, stating the grounds of objection, must be made in writing, and lodged with the Warden at Reefton on or before the 29th day of September, 1882.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPLICANT: George Charles Bowman. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "The New Holland Gold-Mining Company." 16 acres 2 roods, bounded on the East by Maori Gully, and on all other sides by Crown land, Maori Gully, Inangahua, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

Applicant: Timothy McLaughlin. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "Summer Hill Gold-Mining Company." 16 acres 2 roods, bounded on the East by Nathan's Gully, North and South by Crown land, Soldier's Gully, Inangahua, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

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

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

Gold-Mining Lease to be granted.

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

Objections to the granting of such lease, stating the grounds of objection, must be made in writing, and lodged with the Warden at Nelson on or before the 19th day of September, 1882.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPLICANTS: John Currie Moutray, John McDowell, and Thomas John Clavering. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "Southern Star Quartz-Mining Company." 16 acres 2 roods, south of the Natal Company, Bulmer Creek, Owen River, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

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

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

Gold-Mining Lease to be granted.

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

Objections to the granting of such lease, stating the grounds of objection, must be made in writing, and lodged with the Warden at Westport on or before the 19th day of September, 1882.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPLICANT: Alexander Stitt. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "Invincible Quartz-Mining Company." 16 acres 2 roods, south of and adjoining the Southern Light, South Mokihiui, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

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

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

Gold-Mining Lease to be granted.

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

Objections to the granting of such lease, stating the grounds of objection, must be made in writing, and lodged with the Warden at Westport on or before the 19th day of September, 1882.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPLICANT: Lachlan Kerr Grant. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "Southern Light." 16 acres 2 roods, south of and adjoining Specimen Hill, South Mokihiui, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

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

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

Gold-Mining Leases to be granted.

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

Objections to the granting of such leases, stating the grounds of objection, must be made in writing, and lodged with the Warden at Reefton on or before the 26th day of September, 1882.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPLICANT: Patrick McInerney. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "The Claramant Terrace Gold-Mining Company." 16 acres 2 roods, south of and adjoining the Summer Hill application, Soldier's Gully, Inangahua, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

Applicant: Ralph de Young. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "Favourite Gold-Mining Company." 16 acres 2 roods, about

half a mile east of the Golden Point Company's dam; Devil's Creek, Inangahua, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

Applicant: Mathew Ryan. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "The Golden Monarch Gold-Mining Company." 16 acres 2 roods, on the south bank of Maori Gully, Inangahua, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

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

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

Gold-Mining Lease to be granted.

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

Objections to the granting of such lease, stating the grounds of objection, must be made in writing, and lodged with the Warden at Lyell on or before the 9th day of September, 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: "The Alma Quartz-Mining Company." 16½ acres, between right-hand and left-hand branches of New Creek, south of and adjoining the Nation lease application, Lyell, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

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

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

Gold-Mining Lease to be granted.

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

Objections to the granting of such lease, stating the grounds of objection, must be made in writing, and lodged with the Warden at Naseby on or before the 18th day of September, 1882.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPLICANTS: The Enterprise Water-race Company (Registered). Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "The Enterprise Water-race Company (Registered)." 7 acres, in the Mount Ida Mining District.

Given under my hand, at Dunedin, this twenty-first day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

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

Gold-Mining Lease to be granted.

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

Objections to the granting of such lease, stating the grounds of objection, must be made in writing, and lodged with the Warden at Naseby on or before the 30th day of September, 1882.

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

Hearing at Hamilton, at first Court in October.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICANTS: Thomas Mewton and Tom Church. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "Band of Hope." 5 acres, in the Mount Ida Mining District.

Given under my hand, at Dunedin, this twenty-third day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

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

Crown Lands Notices.

Sale of Crown Lands, West Coast (North Island) Land District.

Crown Lands Office,
Patea, 27th July, 1882.

THE under-mentioned Town, Suburban, Village Settlement, and Rural Lands will be

Open for application on deferred-payments at the Land Offices, Patea and Hawera, on Wednesday, the 6th September, 1882; or

Will be sold by public auction for cash, at the Land Office, Hawera, on Friday, the 8th September, 1882.

Lithographic plans will be exhibited at all the Railway-stations and Post Offices throughout the colony, and copies can be obtained at any Land Office.

C. A. WRAY,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

ON DEFERRED PAYMENTS.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
OEO SURVEY DISTRICT.			
I.	54	A. R. P. 108 0 0	£ s. d. 5 0 0
	61	130 0 0	4 0 0
	63	50 0 0	6 0 0
	65	50 0 0	6 0 0
	68	150 0 0	5 0 0
II.	3	60 0 0	5 0 0
	7	100 0 0	4 0 0
	15	130 0 0	5 0 0
	19	126 0 0	5 0 0
III.	23	100 0 0	5 0 0
	5	60 0 0	4 0 0

ON DEFERRED PAYMENTS—continued.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
OPUNAKE SURVEY DISTRICT.			
XIII.	7	109 0 0	4 0 0
	10	135 0 0	5 0 0
	13	100 0 0	5 0 0
	16	88 0 0	5 0 0
	19	75 0 0	5 0 0
XIV.	9	126 0 0	5 0 0
KAUPOKONUI SURVEY DISTRICT.			
XI.	56	50 0 0	2 5 0
	60	49 0 0	2 5 0
	78	50 0 0	2 5 0
	80	320 0 0	1 15 0
	84	100 0 0	2 0 0
	88	100 0 0	2 0 0
	91	100 0 0	2 0 0
	94	98 2 0	2 0 0
	97	127 3 35	2 0 0
	100	279 0 0	2 5 0
	103	100 0 0	2 0 0
	109	100 0 0	1 15 0
	111	73 3 26	2 0 0
	115	100 0 0	2 5 0
	117	107 0 33	1 15 0
XIII.	120	120 0 0	1 15 0
	28	82 3 0	3 0 0
XIV.	32	50 0 0	3 0 0
	35	70 0 0	2 10 0
	42	54 0 0	2 10 0
	33	51 0 0	2 10 0
	36	73 0 0	2 10 0
XVI.	39	92 0 0	2 10 0
	35	52 0 0	2 10 0
	37	50 0 0	2 10 0
	42	50 0 0	2 10 0
	45	50 0 0	2 10 0
	48	100 0 0	3 0 0
	50	100 0 0	2 10 0
	WAIMATE SURVEY DISTRICT.		
I.	16	50 0 0	3 0 0
	19	80 0 0	3 10 0
	23	120 0 0	3 10 0
	26	108 3 3	4 0 0
	31	69 1 0	2 10 0
II.	34	82 0 0	2 10 0
	20	80 0 0	2 10 0
	23	73 0 0	2 15 0
	26	76 0 0	3 0 0
	29	67 0 0	3 10 0
IV.	75	50 0 0	3 10 0
	78	48 2 3	3 0 0
	81	60 0 0	3 10 0
	84	100 0 0	4 10 0
	86	50 0 0	6 0 0
	93	68 0 0	6 0 0
	128	50 0 0	3 0 0

The rural sections in Block XII., Kaipokonui, and Block IX., Ngaire, are inland of the Waimate Plains, west of the Waingongoro Stream and Eltham Railway-station. From Eltham and other points, roads have been opened up to this land, which is on the railway-line from Waitara and New Plymouth to Hawera. With the exception of a few rata, the bush consists mainly of soft woods and other light timber, and can easily be cleared. The country is well-watered, and is admirably adapted for conversion into grass lands.

Applications may be made at the Land Offices, Patea or Hawera, on Wednesday, the 6th September.

Applicants for any of the above lands may send their applications and deposits, being one-twentieth of the upset price, with statutory declaration as required by "The Land Act, 1877," through the post to the Land Office, Patea, to arrive on or before Wednesday, the 6th September. Envelopes should be marked "Application for deferred-payment land, Survey District."

Residence not compulsory for bush lands.

In the event of more than one application being received for any one section, the right to occupy the same will be decided by public auction, at Hawera, on Friday, the 8th September, at 11 o'clock a.m.

LANDS TO BE SOLD FOR CASH.

TOWNSHIP OF MANAIA.

Quarter-acre Sections.

Section.	Block.	Upset Price per Allotment.	Section.	Block.	Upset Price per Allotment.
1	I.	£ s. d. 12 0 0	7	VIII.	10 0 0
2	"	10 0 0	9	"	10 0 0
3	"	10 0 0	10	"	10 0 0
4	"	10 0 0	13	"	10 0 0
5	"	10 0 0	14	"	10 0 0
6	"	10 0 0	15	"	10 0 0
7	"	10 0 0	16	"	10 0 0
9	"	10 0 0	17	"	10 0 0
10	"	12 0 0	18	"	10 0 0
11	"	12 0 0	20	"	10 0 0
12	"	10 0 0	1	IX.	12 0 0
13	"	10 0 0	2	"	10 0 0
14	"	10 0 0	3	"	10 0 0
15	"	10 0 0	4	"	10 0 0
16	"	10 0 0	5	"	10 0 0
17	"	10 0 0	6	"	10 0 0
4	III.	10 0 0	7	"	10 0 0
5	"	10 0 0	10	"	15 0 0
6	"	10 0 0	11	"	12 0 0
8	"	10 0 0	12	"	10 0 0
9	"	10 0 0	13	"	10 0 0
16	"	10 0 0	14	"	10 0 0
17	"	10 0 0	15	"	10 0 0
18	"	10 0 0	16	"	10 0 0
19	"	10 0 0	17	"	10 0 0
20	"	10 0 0	2	X.	12 0 0
21	"	10 0 0	5	"	12 0 0
5	IV.	10 0 0	2	XII.	10 0 0
6	"	10 0 0	4	"	10 0 0
7	"	10 0 0	5	"	10 0 0
8	"	10 0 0	6	"	10 0 0
9	"	10 0 0	7	"	10 0 0
13	"	10 0 0	8	"	10 0 0
15	"	10 0 0	9	"	10 0 0
16	"	10 0 0	18	"	10 0 0
17	"	10 0 0	19	"	10 0 0
18	"	10 0 0	20	"	10 0 0
19	"	10 0 0	2	XXI.	10 0 0
20	"	10 0 0	3	"	10 0 0
1	V.	12 0 0	4	"	10 0 0
2	"	10 0 0	5	"	10 0 0
4	"	10 0 0	6	"	10 0 0
5	"	10 0 0	7	"	10 0 0
6	"	10 0 0	12	"	10 0 0
7	"	10 0 0	13	"	10 0 0
8	"	10 0 0	14	"	10 0 0
9	"	10 0 0	15	"	10 0 0
10	"	12 0 0	16	"	10 0 0
11	"	12 0 0	17	"	10 0 0
12	"	10 0 0	19	"	10 0 0
14	"	10 0 0	4	XXIV.	10 0 0
15	"	10 0 0	5	"	10 0 0
16	"	10 0 0	6	"	10 0 0
17	"	10 0 0	7	"	10 0 0
18	"	10 0 0	8	"	10 0 0
19	"	10 0 0	9	"	10 0 0
2	VI.	10 0 0	10	"	10 0 0
3	"	10 0 0	13	"	10 0 0
5	"	10 0 0	15	"	10 0 0
7	"	10 0 0	16	"	10 0 0
8	"	10 0 0	17	"	10 0 0
12	"	15 0 0	18	"	10 0 0
13	"	12 0 0	19	"	10 0 0
14	"	12 0 0	20	"	10 0 0
16	"	12 0 0	21	"	10 0 0
17	"	12 0 0	19	XXVI.	10 0 0
18	"	12 0 0	20	"	10 0 0
19	"	12 0 0	7	XXVII.	10 0 0
8	VII.	10 0 0	8	"	10 0 0
9	"	10 0 0	9	"	10 0 0
10	"	10 0 0	10	"	10 0 0
17	"	12 0 0	11	"	12 0 0
18	"	12 0 0	14	"	10 0 0
19	"	12 0 0	18	"	10 0 0
20	"	12 0 0	19	"	10 0 0
21	"	12 0 0	20	"	10 0 0
2	VIII.	10 0 0	21	"	10 0 0
3	"	10 0 0	22	"	12 0 0
4	"	10 0 0	1	XXVIII.	12 0 0
5	"	10 0 0	2	"	10 0 0
6	"	10 0 0	3	"	10 0 0

TOWNSHIP OF MANAIA—continued.

Section.	Block.	Upset Price per Allotment.	Section.	Block.	Upset Price per Allotment.
4	XXVIII.	£ s. d. 10 0 0	13	XXVIII.	10 0 0
5	"	10 0 0	14	"	10 0 0
6	"	10 0 0	16	"	10 0 0
7	"	10 0 0	17	"	10 0 0
8	"	10 0 0	18	"	10 0 0
10	"	10 0 0	19	"	10 0 0
11	"	12 0 0	21	"	10 0 0
12	"	12 0 0	22	"	12 0 0

The above township is situated in the heart of the Waimate Plains, on the main coast road-line, and is about nine miles from Hawera.

TOWNSHIP OF OPUNAKE.

Quarter-acre Sections.

3	XIII.	12 0 0	3	XVIII.	12 0 0
			4	"	12 0 0

OPUNAKE SUBURBAN.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
29	8 3 0	7 0 0
30	5 1 0	7 0 0

The above township is situated on the coast-line, and accessible by coastal steamer. The coach-line from Hawera to New Plymouth forms the main street of the township, which is distant thirty-eight miles from New Plymouth.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
HAWERA DISTRICT.—SUBURBAN LANDS.			
I.	45	A. R. P. 10 0 5	£ s. d. 8 0 0
	46	10 0 0	
	47	10 0 16	
	48	10 0 0	
	49	7 2 0	
	50	7 2 0	

The above sections adjoin the railway-line from New Plymouth to Hawera, and are about two miles north of the Normanby Station. The land is level, and partially cleared of timber.

OPUNAKE SURVEY DISTRICT.—RURAL SECTIONS.

XIII.	5	104 0 0	3 0 0
	6	109 0 0	3 0 0
	9	108 0 0	3 0 0
	11	81 0 0	4 0 0
	12	130 0 0	4 0 0
	14	100 0 0	4 0 0
	15	117 0 0	4 0 0
	17	78 0 0	4 0 0
	18	75 0 0	4 0 0
	20	63 0 0	4 0 0
	21	62 0 0	4 0 0
	22	100 0 0	4 0 0
	23	70 0 0	2 0 0
	24	72 0 0	2 0 0
XIV.	7	51 0 0	4 0 0
	8	49 0 0	4 0 0
	10	120 0 0	4 0 0

Opunake: Blocks XIII and XIV. are from three to four miles south-east of Opunake Town by coach-road. The land is level, mostly open, with background of bush.

KAPOKONUI SURVEY DISTRICT.—RURAL SECTIONS.

XI.	41	48 0 0	2 0 0
	42	50 0 0	2 0 0
	43	50 0 0	2 0 0
	57	50 0 0	2 0 0
	58	50 0 0	2 0 0
	59	50 0 0	2 0 0
	77	50 0 0	2 0 0
	79	50 0 0	2 0 0
	81	316 0 0	1 15 0
	82	180 0 0	1 10 0
	83	182 3 0	1 10 0
	85	181 1 26	1 10 0

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
KAUPOKONUI SURVEY DISTRICT.—RURAL SECTIONS— <i>contd.</i>			
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
XI.	86	126 3 0	1 10 0
	87	145 0 0	2 0 0
	89	100 0 0	1 15 0
	90	100 0 0	1 15 0
	92	103 0 0	2 0 0
	93	100 0 0	1 15 0
	95	100 0 0	1 15 0
	96	100 0 0	1 15 0
	98	50 0 0	2 0 0
	99	192 2 27	1 10 0
	101	200 0 0	1 10 0
	102	200 0 0	2 0 0
	104	100 0 0	2 0 0
	105	75 0 0	2 0 0
	106	75 0 0	2 0 0
	107	100 0 0	1 10 0
	108	100 0 0	1 10 0
	110	97 0 39	1 10 0
	112	60 1 5	1 15 0
113	100 0 0	2 0 0	
114	100 0 0	2 0 0	
116	120 0 0	2 0 0	
118	120 0 0	1 10 0	
119	120 0 0	1 10 0	
XII.	1	150 0 0	1 15 0
	3	164 0 35	1 15 0
	4	147 1 28	1 10 0
	5	171 0 0	1 15 0
	8	137 0 0	1 10 0
	10	136 3 14	1 15 0
	14	106 0 0	2 0 0
	18	100 0 0	2 0 0
	19	100 0 0	2 0 0
	22	100 0 0	2 0 0
XIII.	23	100 0 0	2 0 0
	3	320 0 0	1 15 0
	5	100 0 0	2 0 0
	6	99 2 0	2 0 0
	7	80 3 21	2 0 0
	8	117 2 13	1 10 0
	10	135 0 38	1 10 0
	12	144 1 22	1 15 0
	13	146 2 14	1 15 0
	14	83 0 0	2 0 0
	16	100 0 0	1 15 0
	17	100 0 0	1 15 0
	18	100 0 0	1 10 0
	19	100 0 0	1 10 0
21	150 0 0	1 15 0	
22	150 0 0	1 15 0	
27	84 0 18	2 0 0	
29	75 0 0	2 0 0	
30	56 0 0	2 0 0	
31	50 0 0	2 0 0	
36	77 0 0	2 0 0	
XIV.	41	52 0 0	2 0 0
	40	65 0 0	2 0 0
	34	50 0 0	2 0 0
	35	67 0 0	2 0 0
	37	76 0 0	2 0 0
	38	114 0 0	2 0 0
	32	52 0 0	2 0 0
XVI.	33	148 0 0	2 0 0
	34	58 3 0	2 0 0
	36	60 0 0	2 10 0
	38	50 0 0	2 10 0
	39	40 0 0	2 0 0
	41	50 0 0	2 0 0
	43	50 2 0	2 0 0
	44	53 0 0	2 0 0
	46	50 0 0	2 0 0
	47	115 0 0	2 10 0
49	100 0 0	2 0 0	

Kaupokonui: Blocks XIII., XIV., and XVI. lie behind, and also form part of, the continuous Native reserve to the east of the Oeo River. The land is level, all bush, and well watered.

WAIMATE SURVEY DISTRICT.—RURAL SECTIONS.

I.	15	50 0 0	2 0 0
	17	60 0 0	2 0 0
	18	50 0 0	3 0 0
	20	50 0 0	3 0 0
	21	80 0 0	2 10 0
	22	150 0 0	2 10 0
	24	120 0 0	2 10 0
	25	109 3 16	3 0 0
	27	107 0 0	4 0 0

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
WAIMATE SURVEY DISTRICT.—RURAL SECTIONS— <i>continued.</i>			
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
I.	28	107 0 0	4 0 0
	32	60 0 0	2 10 0
	33	87 0 0	2 0 0
	35	76 0 0	2 10 0
	36	81 0 0	2 10 0
II.	18	103 0 0	2 0 0
	19	95 0 0	2 0 0
	21	77 0 0	2 5 0
	22	73 0 0	2 5 0
	24	75 0 0	2 10 0
	25	82 0 0	2 10 0
	27	69 0 0	2 5 0
	28	70 0 0	3 0 0
III.	30	70 0 0	4 0 0
	26	258 0 0	3 0 0
IV.	27	203 0 0	3 0 0
	74	50 0 0	2 10 0
	76	48 2 3	2 10 0
	77	48 2 3	2 10 0
	79	48 2 3	2 10 0
	80	41 3 0	3 0 0
	82	50 0 0	3 10 0
	83	60 0 0	4 0 0
	85	112 0 0	5 0 0
	88	50 0 0	5 0 0
	90	59 0 0	5 0 0
	123	70 0 0	3 0 0
	124	44 1 12	3 0 0
125	40 0 0	3 0 0	
126	70 0 0	2 0 0	
127	41 0 4	2 10 0	
129	50 0 0	2 10 0	
	130	50 0 0	2 10 0

Waimate: Blocks I., II., III., and IV., parts of the land known as the continuous Native reserve. The sections front to cleared road-lines, running back into the bush. The land is partly open and partly bush.

NGAIRE SURVEY DISTRICT.—RURAL SECTIONS.

V.	73	99 0 0	1 5 0
	75	147 0 0	1 5 0
	77	150 0 0	1 5 0
	78	158 0 0	1 5 0
	79	158 0 0	1 10 0
	81	100 0 0	1 5 0
	82	98 0 0	1 5 0
	83	102 0 0	1 5 0
	85	167 0 0	1 10 0
	86	99 0 0	1 10 0
	87	99 0 0	1 10 0
	90	222 0 0	1 10 0
	92	100 0 0	1 5 0
IX.	1	147 2 36	1 10 0
	2	165 0 0	1 10 0
	5	197 0 0	1 15 0
	7	165 0 0	1 15 0

The sections in Block V., Ngaire, lie to the westward of the Waingongoro River, and are connected with the railway-line by cleared road-lines. The bush is mainly light timber, soft woods, and a few rata; and the land is well-watered.

OEO SURVEY DISTRICT.—RURAL SECTIONS.

I.	55	90 0 0	4 0 0	
	56	75 0 0	5 0 0	
	60	112 0 0	2 0 0	
	62	100 0 0	5 0 0	
	67	80 2 24	5 0 0	
	69	158 0 0	1 10 0	
	71	77 0 0	5 0 0	
	72	147 0 0	2 0 0	
	II.	4	90 0 0	4 0 0
		8	100 0 0	4 0 0
		9	100 0 0	4 0 0
		10	54 0 0	4 0 0
		12	75 0 0	4 0 0
13		101 0 0	4 0 0	
14		130 0 0	4 0 0	
16		160 0 0	4 0 0	
17		80 0 0	4 0 0	
18		100 0 0	4 0 0	
III.	20	130 0 0	4 0 0	
	21	100 0 0	4 0 0	
	22	105 0 0	5 0 0	
	3	66 0 0	4 0 0	
	6	60 0 0	5 0 0	

Oeo: Blocks I., II., and III., all open level land, situate on both sides of the coach-road, from four to nine miles south-east of Opunake.

Terms of sale: One-fourth of purchase-money to be paid at sale, and the balance to the Receiver of Land Revenue, Patea or Hawera, within one calendar month from date of sale; otherwise the deposit will be forfeited, and the contract for the sale of the land thenceforth be null and void.

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

The following sections were previously taken up on deferred-payments, but, having been forfeited for non-fulfilment of conditions by the selectors, will be offered by auction, in terms of section 71 of "The Land Act, 1877:"—

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
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WAIMATE SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block.	Section.	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
IV.	11	5 0 0	6 0 0
	38	3 0 0	6 0 0
VII.	102	17 0 14	6 0 0
	93	5 0 0	6 0 0

HAWERA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
XII.*	23	129 0 0	1 10 0

* Subject to £40 valuation for improvements.

VILLAGE-SETTLEMENT LANDS.—TO BE SOLD FOR CASH.

Wednesday, 6th September, 1882.
(See conditions.)

OPUNAKE SURVEY DISTRICT.

OPUNAKE VILLAGE-SETTLEMENT SMALL-FARM LOTS.
For Cash.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
XIV.	2	A. R. P. 25 0 0	£ s. d. 5 0 0
	5	40 0 0	5 0 0

OEO SURVEY DISTRICT.

PIHAMA VILLAGE SETTLEMENT (VILLAGE ALLOTMENTS).
For Cash.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Allotment.
I.	1	A. R. P. 1 0 0	£ s. d. 10 0 0
	2	1 0 0	10 0 0
	4	0 3 0	10 0 0
	5	0 3 0	10 0 0
	6	0 3 0	10 0 0
	7	0 3 0	10 0 0
	8	1 0 0	10 0 0
	9	1 0 0	10 0 0
	10	1 0 0	10 0 0
	11	1 0 0	10 0 0
	12	1 0 0	10 0 0
	13	1 0 0	10 0 0
	14	0 2 0	10 0 0
	15	0 2 0	10 0 0
	17	0 2 0	10 0 0
	18	0 2 0	10 0 0
	19	0 2 0	10 0 0
	20	1 0 0	10 0 0
	21	1 0 0	10 0 0
	22	1 0 0	10 0 0
	23	1 0 0	15 0 0
	24	1 0 0	15 0 0
	25	1 0 0	20 0 0
	26	0 2 0	12 0 0
	27	0 2 0	15 0 0
	28	0 1 0	7 10 0
	29	0 1 0	10 0 0
	30	0 2 0	12 0 0
	31	0 1 0	7 10 0
	34	1 0 0	20 0 0
	35	1 0 0	15 0 0
	36	1 0 0	15 0 0

PIHAMA SMALL-FARM LOTS.

For Cash.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
I.	37	A. R. P. 10 0 0	£ s. d. 6 0 0
	39	5 0 0	7 0 0
	40	2 0 17	7 10 0
	41	2 0 0	7 10 0
	42	2 0 0	7 10 0
	43	1 3 22	7 10 0
	44	2 0 0	7 10 0
	45	2 0 0	7 10 0
	46	5 0 0	7 10 0
	47	10 0 0	7 10 0
	50	3 3 20	7 0 0
	51	3 3 20	8 0 0
	57	50 0 0	5 0 0
	59	25 0 0	6 0 0
64	50 0 0	6 0 0	

The Pihama Village Settlement is on the coach-line in the middle of the Oeo Block, six miles from Opunake.

OKAIAWA VILLAGE SETTLEMENT.

For Cash.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Allotment.
IV.	105	A. R. P. 1 0 0	£ s. d.
	106	1 0 0	
	107	1 0 0	
	108	1 0 0	
	109	1 0 0	
	110	1 0 0	
	111	1 0 0	
	112	0 3 0	
	113	0 2 25	10 0 0
	114	1 0 0	
	115	1 0 0	
	116	1 0 0	
	117	1 0 0	
	118	1 0 0	
119	1 0 0		
120	1 0 0		
121	0 2 19		
122	0 1 0		

OKAIAWA SMALL-FARM ALLOTMENTS.

For Cash.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
IV.	91	A. R. P. 24 0 0	£ s. d. 6 0 0
	92	16 3 12	6 0 0
	94	10 0 0	6 0 0
	95	5 0 0	7 0 0
	96	5 0 0	7 0 0
	99	3 0 0	7 0 0
	100	3 0 0	7 0 0
	102	3 0 0	7 0 0
	103	2 3 31	7 0 0
	104	2 2 23	7 0

KAPONGA VILLAGE SETTLEMENT.

For Cash.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Allotment.
XI.	1	A. R. P. 0 3 0	£ s. d. 7 10 0
	2	0 3 0	7 10 0
	3	0 3 0	7 10 0
	4	0 3 0	7 10 0
	5	1 0 0	7 10 0
	6	1 0 0	7 10 0
	7	1 0 0	7 10 0
	8	1 0 0	7 10 0
	9	1 0 0	7 10 0
	10	0 2 0	7 10 0

KAPONGA VILLAGE SETTLEMENT—*continued.*
For Cash—*continued.*

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Allotment.
XI.	11	A. R. P. 0 2 0	£ s. d. 7 10 0
	12	0 2 0	10 0 0
	13	0 2 0	7 10 0
	14	0 2 0	10 0 0
	15	0 2 0	7 10 0
	16	1 0 0	10 0 0
	17	1 0 0	10 0 0
	18	1 0 0	10 0 0
	20	1 0 0	10 0 0
	21	0 2 0	7 10 0
	22	0 2 0	10 0 0
	23	0 2 0	7 10 0
	25	0 2 0	7 10 0
	27	1 0 0	10 0 0
	28	1 0 0	10 0 0
	29	1 0 0	10 0 0
	30	1 0 0	10 0 0
	31	1 0 0	10 0 0
	32	0 3 0	7 10 0
	33	0 3 0	7 10 0
	34	0 3 0	7 10 0
	35	0 3 0	7 10 0
	36	1 0 0	7 10 0
	37	1 0 0	7 10 0
	38	1 0 0	7 10 0
	39	1 0 0	7 10 0
	40	1 0 0	7 10 0

KAPONGA SMALL-FARM ALLOTMENTS.
For Cash.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
	44	8 0 0	2 10 0
	45	3 2 30	3 0 0
	46	3 3 16	2 10 0
	47	20 0 27	2 10 0
	48	10 0 0	2 10 0
	51	5 0 0	2 10 0
	52	10 0 0	2 10 0
	53	10 0 0	2 10 0
	54	5 0 0	3 0 0
	55	5 0 0	3 0 0
	63	5 0 0	3 0 0
	64	5 0 0	3 0 0
	65	5 2 0	2 10 0
	66	3 1 28	3 0 0
	67	3 1 28	3 0 0
	68	10 2 0	2 10 0
	70	3 1 28	3 0 0
	71	3 1 28	3 0 0
	72	5 0 0	2 10 0
	73	10 2 7	2 10 0
	74	10 0 0	2 10 0
	75	10 0 0	2 10 0
	76	27 1 4	2 10 0

The Kaponga Village Settlement is level bush land, at the intersection of the Manaia and Eltham Roads, on the Kaupokonui River, distance from Manaia ten miles, and from Eltham Railway-station nine miles. Both of these main road-lines are cleared and partially formed.

VILLAGE SETTLEMENT LANDS ON DEFERRED-PAYMENTS.

Applications to be made on Wednesday, the 6th September. (See conditions below.)

OKAIAWA VILLAGE SETTLEMENT.
Small-Farm Lots on Deferred Payments.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
IV.	87	A. R. P. 50 0 0	£ s. d. 6 0 0
	89	50 0 0	6 0 0
	97	5 0 0	8 0 0
	98	3 0 0	7 0 0
	101	3 0 0	7 0 0

PIHAMA VILLAGE SETTLEMENT.
Small-Farm Lots on Deferred Payments.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
I.	38	A. R. P. 10 0 0	£ s. d. 7 0 0
	53	12 0 0	8 0 0
	58	50 0 0	6 0 0
	63	50 0 0	6 0 0
	65	50 0 0	6 0 0

OPUNAKE.

On Deferred Payments.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
XIV.	1	25 0 0	6 0 0
	3	23 0 0	6 0 0
	4	50 0 0	6 0 0

Conditions of Sale of Village-settlement Lands.

1. The village-settlement cash and deferred-payment lands shall be open for application at the prices stated opposite each allotment, at the Land Offices at Patea and Hawera, on Wednesday, the 6th September aforesaid, subject to the provisions of Part III. of "The Land Act, 1877," relating to rural land, in cases where the allotments exceed an area of twenty acres, and to the provisions of the said Part III. relating to suburban land, in cases where the area is twenty acres or under.

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

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

4. Each applicant for a deferred-payment section will be required to make the declaration prescribed by section sixty-two of "The Land Act, 1877," and shall at the time of application deposit with the Receiver of Land Revenue for the West Coast Land District one-tenth of the price if the area of the allotment is twenty acres or under, and one-twentieth of the price if the area is greater than twenty acres. Such payment shall be deemed to be a discharge of the license-fee for the six months ending the 31st December, 1882.

5. The purchaser of any lands sold for cash, upon the full payment of the purchase-money, and the purchaser of any lands sold on deferred payments, upon the payment of the deposit mentioned in clause five, and also the fulfilment of the terms and conditions prescribed by "The Land Act, 1877," and "The Land Act 1877 Amendment Act, 1879," relating to land on deferred payments, will be entitled to his Crown grant, to be issued in the usual way upon payment of the fees prescribed by law.

Sale of Crown Lands.—Land District of Canterbury.

Land Office,

Christchurch, 30th June, 1882.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned Crown lands will be sold by auction at Messrs. J. Mundell and Co.'s Sale-rooms, Geraldine, on Tuesday, the 3rd October next, at 12 o'clock:—

UPPER RANGITATA BRIDGE.

Block VI., 3 acres and 27 perches. Upset price, £60, and £1,175 value of hotel and buildings thereon.

Block VII., containing twelve allotments of 1 rood each. Upset price, £5 per allotment.

Lots 1, 2, and 3, of Block VIII., 1 acre each. Upset price, £10 per allotment.

TOWN OF GERALDINE.

Reserves Nos. 754, 797, 1594, 1622, 1623, and part of Nos. 752 and 753, in allotments varying from 27 perches to 2 roods. Upset price, £48 an acre.

Plans may be seen at the Survey Offices, Christchurch and Timaru, and at the office of Messrs. J. Mundell and Co., Geraldine.

JOHN MARSHMAN,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lease of Reserve in Marlborough to be offered by Auction.

A LEASE, under section 23 of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," of the under-mentioned block of land, for the term commencing the 1st October, 1882, and ending the 1st January, 1888, will be offered by public auction, at the Survey Office, Blenheim, at noon, on Tuesday, the 19th September, 1882, at the upset annual rent of 1d. an acre.

The bidding to be upon the annual rent. Six months' rent to be paid at the auction, and on every 2nd January and 1st July during the term of the lease, excepting the 1st July, 1887.

THE BLOCK OF LAND REFERRED TO.

All that parcel of land situate at Wairau Valley, in the Provincial District of Marlborough, estimated to contain 18,000 acres. Bounded—North by the boundary-line of the Provincial Districts of Marlborough and Nelson; West by Stony Creek; South by the Manuka Island Reserve (Block D); East by Ward's Pass Stream and a line therefrom to the northern boundary: as shown on a plan of the same in this office.

Dated at the Crown Lands Office, Blenheim, the 9th day of August, 1882.

HENRY G. CLARKE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Sale of Rural Lands.—Land District of Auckland.

Crown Lands Office,
Auckland, 11th August, 1882.

I HEREBY notify that the rural lands mentioned in the Schedule hereunder will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Land Office, Gisborne, on Wednesday, the 13th day of September next, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

D. A. TOLE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

SCHEDULE.
COOK COUNTY.

MANGAORONGO Block, being Section No. 1, Block IV., Mangatu Survey District, and Section No. 1, Block I., Waingaromia Survey District, containing 942 acres. Upset price, 7s. 6d. per acre.

Description of Land.—Pastoral land, third class, covered with fern and scrub, a small quantity of timber.

WAIROA COUNTY.

Waiiau Survey District, Section No. 5, Block IV., containing 2,670 acres. Upset price, 5s. per acre.

Description of Land.—Nearly all open fern land, broken, part covered with mixed forest.

Taramarama Survey District, Section No. 1, Block II., containing 140 acres 2 roods. Upset price, 5s. per acre.

Description of Land—Broken, principally open land, small quantity of timber in gullies.

NOTE.—Plans of the above lands may be seen on application at this office, at the Land Office, Gisborne, and at the office of the County Council, Wairoa.

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 henceforward be null and void.

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

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 in each case on or before the 3rd day of October next.

JOHN LANG KEAN.—Lots 16, 17, and 18 of Section 2 of the subdivision into lots and sections of part of Allotment 24 of Section 8, Suburbs of Auckland. Unoccupied. 1935.

CHARLES FREDERICK RAYNER.—Part of Allotment 21 of Section 23, City of Auckland. In Applicant's occupation. 1942.

ALEXANDER ALISON, JUN., EWEN WILLIAM ALISON, and ROBERT ADAM MOZLEY STARK.—Allotments 27 and 28 of Section 2, Parish of Takapuna. Unoccupied. 1949.

THE WAIKATO LAND ASSOCIATION (LIMITED).—Allotment 224, Parish of Komokorau, containing 394 acres. 1950.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 23rd day of August, 1882, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

THEO. KISSLING,
District Land Registrar.

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

4894. FREDERICK WALTER WILLIAMS.—22½ perches, part of Section 1145, City of Christchurch. Unoccupied.

4950. JAMES PARR.—252 acres 2 roods 14 perches, parts of Rural Section 3753, Timaru District. Occupied by William Robinson.

4956. ALEXANDER CRACROFT WILSON.—11½ perches, part of Section 985, City of Christchurch. Occupied by Applicant.

4959. THOMAS SMITH DUNCAN.—1 rood 12 perches, part of Rural Section 299, Christchurch District. Unoccupied.

4961. JOHN HUTTON.—1 rood, Lot 2, deposited Plan 686, part of Rural Section 133, Christchurch District (Borough of St. Albans). Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 25th day of August, 1882, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

J. M. BATHAM,
District Land Registrar.

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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 forbidding the same be lodged

at this office within one calendar month after the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Name of Applicant: THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE, Administrator of the Property of RALPH HENRY ROBERTS, deceased. Area: 1 rood 1 perch. Description: Section 1617, New Plymouth. Occupied by John Finnis Cutfield.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 22nd day of August, 1882, at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth.

669 W. STUART,
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.

431. HENRY SUMMERS ANDREWES.—8 perches, Section 89, Hokitika. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 21st day of August, 1882, at the Lands Registry Office, Hokitika.

656 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 on or before the 7th day of October, 1882.

1317. JAMES PERRY.—105 acres, Country Section No. 50, left bank Wanganui River. In occupation of Edwin Gill Allsworth.

1328. ANN MCKINLAY MCKIRDY.—Section No. 318, City of Wellington. In occupation of Alexander McDougall.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 30th day of August, 1882, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

670 GEO. B. DAVY,
District Land Registrar.

Mining Notices.

WESTERN QUARTZ-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that the Office of the Western Quartz-Mining Company (Limited) is situated in Bridge Street, Reefton, County of Inangahua; and that THOMAS LEE is the Manager of the said Company.

MORRIS LEVY,
EDWARD SOLOMON, } Directors.

Reefton, 15th August, 1882. 660

BRUTUS QUARTZ-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that the Office of the Brutus Quartz-Mining Company (Limited) is situated in Bridge Street, Reefton, County of Inangahua; and that THOMAS LEE is the Manager of the said Company.

ARTHUR J. ELLISTON,
PETER MULVEY, } Directors.

Reefton, 15th August, 1882. 663

ECLIPSE QUARTZ-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that the Office of the Eclipse Quartz-Mining Company (Limited) is situated in Bridge Street, Reefton, County of Inangahua; and that THOMAS LEE is the Manager of the said Company.

JAMES GRIEVE,
MATTHEW WYNN, } Directors.

Reefton, 15th August, 1882. 664

CAPTAIN COOK QUARTZ-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that the Office of the Captain Cook Quartz-Mining Company (Limited) is situated in Bridge Street, Reefton, County of Inangahua; and that THOMAS LEE is the Manager of the said Company.

JOHN MCGILLICUDDY,
ROBERT A. ROULSTON, } Directors.

Reefton, 15th August, 1882. 661

GREAT EASTERN QUARTZ-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that the Office of the Great Eastern Quartz-Mining Company (Limited) is situated in Bridge Street, Reefton, County of Inangahua; and that THOMAS LEE is the Manager of the said Company.

JOHN C. CRAIG,
JOHN B. BEECHE, } Directors.

Reefton, 15th August, 1882. 662

At a meeting of Directors of the Golden Ridge Quartz-Mining Company (Limited), held on the 16th day of August, 1882, it was resolved that JOHN EDWARD FLETCHER, of Collingwood, do act as Legal Manager for the Golden Ridge Quartz-Mining Company (Limited), West Wanganui, in place of John Ross, deceased, subject to the rules of the said Company.

WM. L. HEYWOOD,
D. MCGARRY, } Directors.

The office of the Company to be in Collingwood. Collingwood, 17th August, 1882. 657

I, the undersigned, hereby make application to register the City of Edinburgh 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 City of Edinburgh Quartz-Mining Company (Limited).
2. The place of intended operations is near Black's Point, in the County of Inangahua, in the 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 twenty-four thousand pounds, in twenty-four thousand shares of one pound each, of which ten shillings per share is considered to be paid up.
5. The number of shares subscribed for is twenty-four thousand, being the entire number of shares in the Company.
6. The name of the Manager is Thomas Lee.
7. 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
Morris Levy, Reefton, Mining Speculator	10,000
Edwin Ashton, Greymouth, Mining Speculator	2,000
Edward Solomon, Refton, Mining Speculator	2,000
Joseph Kilgour, Reefton, Speculator	1,000
James McCallum, Black's Point, Miner	1,500
C. Anderson, Black's Point, Miner	1,500
A. McKay, Black's Point, Mine Manager	1,000
Thomas Morison, Black's Point, Miner	1,000
Joseph Todd, Black's Point, Miner	2,000
G. W. Moss, Greymouth, Sharebroker	1,000
William Chesterman, Greymouth, Speculator	1,000
	24,000

Dated this 19th day of August, 1882.

THOMAS LEE,
Manager.

Witness to signature—R. A. Roulston.

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 19th day of August, 1882—G. C. Bowman, J.P. 659

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

1. The name of the Company is to be the Golden Hill Quartz-Mining Company (Limited).
2. The place of intended operations is at Murray Creek, in the County of Inangahua, in the 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 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 amount of capital considered to be paid up is twelve thousand pounds.
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.
Morris Levy, Reefton, Mining Speculator ...	4,000
Edwin Ashton, Reefton, Mining Speculator ...	2,000
J. Trennery, Reefton, Mine Manager ...	2,000
G. W. Moss, Greymouth, Sharebroker ...	2,000
B. M. Litchfield, Greymouth, Banker ...	2,000
S. Barr, Boatman's, Mining Speculator ...	2,000
David Young, Reefton, Miner ...	2,000
Edward Solomon, Reefton, Speculator ...	1,000
Thomas Lee, Reefton, Sharebroker ...	7,000
	24,000

Dated this 19th day of August, 1882.

THOMAS LEE,
Manager.

Witness to signature—R. A. Roulston.

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 19th day of August, 1882—G. C. Bowman, J.P. 658

I, the undersigned, hereby make application to register the Golden Crown 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 Golden Crown Gold-Mining Company (Limited).
2. The place of operations is at Mokihinui, in the County of Buller, in New Zealand.
3. The registered office of the Company will be situated at Westport, County of Buller, New Zealand.
4. The nominal capital of the Company is twenty-four thousand pounds, in twenty-four thousand shares of one pound each, of which ten shillings is considered as paid up.
5. The number of shares subscribed for is twenty-four thousand, being not less than two-thirds of the entire number of shares in the Company.
6. The number of paid-up shares is nil.
7. The amount considered as already paid up is twelve thousand pounds.
8. The name of the Manager is Zoffany Claude Horne.
9. The names, addresses, and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follow:—

	No. of Shares.
Henry St. John Christophers, Westport, Railway Manager ...	3,000
Henri Pain, Westport, Cordial Manufacturer ...	1,500
Anthony Horn, Westport, Tobacconist ...	1,000
Martin Conradson, Westport, Miner ...	2,000
Fritz Norman, Westport, Miner ...	2,000
Henry William Young, Westport, Surveyor ...	1,000
Charles Lempfert, Waimangara, Hotelkeeper ...	6,000
Christian Rasmussen, Westport, Miner ...	3,000
John Gilmer, Westport, Hotelkeeper ...	1,500
Zoffany Claude Horne, Westport, Commission Agent ...	3,000

Dated this 23rd day of August, 1882.

ZOFFANY C. HORNE,
Manager.

Witness to signature—W. R. Haselden, J.P.

I, Zoffany Claude Horne, of Westport, in the County of Buller, in New Zealand, Commission Agent, 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 knowledge and belief, 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."

ZOFFANY C. HORNE.

Taken before me, at Westport, this 23rd day of August, 1882—W. R. Haselden, J.P. 666

THE INVINCIBLE QUARTZ-MINING COMPANY
(LIMITED).

A CALL of Sixpence per ordinary Share was, on the 26th day of August, 1882, made by the Directors of the above Company, and the same is made and payable on Wednesday, the 13th day of September, 1882, at the registered office of the Company, Ballarat Street, Queenstown.

F. W. F. GEISOW,
Legal Manager.

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Private Advertisements.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between the undersigned, under the firm of "Kirk and Crompton," has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be carried on by the undersigned Thomas Crompton, by whom all debts will be paid, and by whom all accounts owing to the firm are to be received.

Dated this 17th day of August, 1882.

THOMAS CROMPTON.
A. R. KIRK.

Witness to the signature of Thomas Crompton—Geo. Ritchie, of Christchurch, Solicitor's Clerk.

Witness to the signature of Andrew Ross Kirk—A. Loughrey, Solicitor, Christchurch. 674

THE Pigeon Bay Road Board hereby give notice to all to whom it may concern that it is proposed, under "The Public Works Act, 1876," to take the land hereinafter more particularly described for the purpose of a Public Highway, and that a plan showing the said proposed road is now deposited for inspection at the office of the said Road Board, situate at Pigeon Bay; and that in pursuance of the said Act the said plan is open for inspection by all persons: and the said Road Board hereby calls upon all persons affected to set forth in writing any well-grounded objection to the taking of such land, and to send such writing within forty days from the first publication of this notice to the Chairman of the said Pigeon Bay Road Board. The following is the description of the land to be taken as aforesaid:—

All that parcel of land containing nine acres three roods and twenty-one perches, more or less, situated in Holmes Bay, Banks Peninsula, forming parts of Sections 167, 169, and 1704, being a strip of ground one chain wide, the centre of which is defined by lines of the following bearings and distances: Starting from a point bearing $79^{\circ} 5' 813.3$ links from the north-west corner-peg of said Section 167, and on the northern boundary of same $127^{\circ} 13' 183\frac{1}{2}$ links, $115^{\circ} 2' 348$ links, $146^{\circ} 5' 74\frac{1}{2}$ links, $210^{\circ} 202$ links, $228^{\circ} 20' 245$ links, $284^{\circ} 46' 116\frac{1}{2}$ links, $265^{\circ} 25' 180$ links, $297^{\circ} 27' 69$ links, $224^{\circ} 17' 58$ links, $146^{\circ} 17' 358\frac{1}{2}$ links, $172^{\circ} 11' 202$ links, $133^{\circ} 580$ links, $162^{\circ} 52' 146\frac{1}{2}$ links, $213^{\circ} 10' 117$ links, $301^{\circ} 45' 117$ links, $229^{\circ} 48' 41$ links, $145^{\circ} 25' 219$ links, $133^{\circ} 1' 748$ links, $111^{\circ} 7' 287\frac{1}{2}$ links, $85^{\circ} 31' 416\frac{1}{2}$ links, $77^{\circ} 3' 572\frac{1}{2}$ links, $103^{\circ} 40' 264$ links, $110^{\circ} 32' 304\frac{1}{2}$ links, $31^{\circ} 22' 111\frac{1}{2}$ links, $94^{\circ} 35' 1265$ links, $132^{\circ} 12' 146$ links, $114^{\circ} 15' 263$ links, $78^{\circ} 40' 146$ links, $125^{\circ} 3' 145$ links, $55^{\circ} 29' 60$ links, $104^{\circ} 18' 90$ links, $70^{\circ} 22' 192$ links, $92^{\circ} 6' 269$ links, $38^{\circ} 58' 59$ links, $96^{\circ} 40' 305$ links, $79^{\circ} 9' 141\frac{1}{2}$ links, $113^{\circ} 27' 142\frac{1}{2}$ links, $128^{\circ} 28' 222$ links, $138^{\circ} 27' 151$ links, $167^{\circ} 12' 268$ links (be it more or less), to the Beach Road.

Dated this twenty-eighth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

JOYNT AND PERCEVAL,
Solicitors for the said Pigeon Bay
Road Board.

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In the matter of "The Joint-Stock Companies Act, 1860," and the amendments thereof; and in the matter of GUTHRIE AND LARNACH'S NEW ZEALAND TIMBER AND WOODWARE FACTORIES COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that, at an extraordinary general meeting of the Shareholders of the above-named Company, held on Tuesday, the twenty-second day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, a resolution was passed confirming the following special resolution passed at an extraordinary general meeting of the Shareholders, held at Dunedin, on the tenth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two: "That Guthrie and Larnach's New Zealand Timber and Woodware Factories Company (Limited) be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of 'The Joint-Stock Companies Act, 1860.'"

Dated this twenty-fifth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

SIEVWRIGHT, STOUT, AND Co.,
Solicitors for the Company.

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TAKE LANDS.

WHEREAS, under the authority of "The Public Works Act, 1876," and of the several Acts amending the same, or one of them, the Road Board of the South Rakaia District, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, in the Colony of New Zealand (hereinafter called "the said Board"), is empowered to take lands within the district for the purposes of constructing and executing district works:

And whereas the said Board, in pursuance of such powers as aforesaid, is desirous of taking certain lands, being portions of the sections herein referred to, for the purpose of constructing a certain public road or highway in the said district:

Notice is hereby given that the said Board intend to take, for the purposes of constructing a public road or highway, all that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 1 acre 1 rood 3 perches, or thereabouts, be the same more or less, being part of the Section numbered 5732 on the official map of the said Rakaia District, as the same is more particularly delineated and described in a certain plan deposited

under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," and the amendments thereto, in the office of the District Land Registrar of the District of Canterbury, and therein numbered 643; and also all that other parcel of land, containing 13 acres and 14 perches of the like measurement, and being part of the Native Reserve numbered 2058 in the said official map of the said Rakaia District, and which is more particularly described and delineated in the plan so deposited as aforesaid; and also all that other parcel of land, containing 2 acres 3 roods 32 perches of the like measurement, and being other portion of the said Native Reserve numbered 2058 as aforesaid, and as the said last-mentioned parcel is more particularly described and delineated in the said plan so deposited as aforesaid.

And notice is hereby further given that all persons whomsoever having any well-grounded objections to the taking of such lands, or either of them, for the purposes aforesaid and the execution of such works, shall set forth in writing any such well-grounded objections to the execution of such works or to the taking of such lands, and shall send such writing to the said Board, at the office of the said Board at South Rakaia aforesaid, addressed to the Clerk thereof, within forty days from the first publication of this notice.

And, lastly, notice is hereby further given that the plans and descriptions of the said lands, so required to be taken as aforesaid, are now open for inspection and can be inspected at the office of the said Board, at South Rakaia aforesaid.

Dated this twenty-ninth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

By order of the Board.

A. MAKEIG,
Clerk to the Board.

Holmes and Loughrey, Hereford Street, Christchurch, Solicitors for the said Board.

PANUI.

HE WHAKAATU E MEATIA ANA KIA TANGOHIA
ETAHI WHENUA.

NA te "Te Ture Public Works Act, 1876," me nga Ture kua oti nei te whakatu i muri mai hei whakatikatika i taua Ture i tuku to mana tango whenua ki te Rori Pooti o South Rakaia, kei te rohe porowini o Katipere, kei te Koroni o Nui Tireni, kia tangohia e taua Rori Pooti nga whenua i roto i tana rohe e hihiatia ana mo nga mahi hei painga mo te iwi katoa:

Kua oti nei te whaka mana e taua Ture te Rori Pooti e hihiatia ana taua Rori Pooti kia tangohia etahi whenua hei rori hei hua nui ma te katoa ara tetahi wahi o nga tekihona akuanei tauia ai:

He whakaatu tenei kei te mea taua Rori Pooti o South Rakaia kia tangohia tetahi wahi whenua kua oti nei te mehua KOTAHI EKA KOTAHI RURI E TORU PATI rahi atu iti iho ranei hei huanui hei rori ma te katoa. Ko tetahi wahi tenei o te tekihona Nama 5732 i runga i te mapi o te rohe ki Rakaia kua oti nei te whakaahua te tino whakaatu nga rohe, i roto i tetahi pukapuka hei whakaritenga mo nga kupu o "Te Ture Whakawhiti Whenua, 1870." Kua oti taua pukapuka te whaka takoto ki roto ki te whare o te District Land Registrar o te Katipere kua tohungia e ia ki nga whika 643. Me tetahi atu wahi whenua ano hoki KOTAHI TEKAU MA TORU EKA TEKAU MA WHA PATI ko tetahi wahi tenei o te whenua Maori ko tona nama i runga i te mapi o te rohe ki Rakaia 2058. Kua oti ano hoki te whakaahua i roto i te pukapuka kua oti nei te waiho ki te kai Rehita whenua.

Me tetahi atu wahi whenua e RUA EKA E TORU RURI E TORU TEKAU MA RUA PATI kei taua whenua Maori nei ano Nama 2058 kua oti nei te tino whakaatu i roto i te pukapuka i te kai Rehita Whenua.

He whakaatu ano hoki tenei, ko nga tangata katoa e whaitake ana kia whakahe i te tango a te Rori Pooti i enei whenua mo nga mahi huanui kua oti nei te whakaatu me tuhituhi e ratou me whakaatu nga take i whakahengia ai te mahi rori me te whakaaro tango i nga whenua mo aua rori. Me tuku ake te pukapuka whakahe ki te Rori Pooti. Kia tae rawa te pukapuka whakahe ki te whare o te Rori Pooti i South Rakaia i mua mai o te paunga o nga ra e 40 i muri iho i te ra i panuitia ai tenei whakaatu.

Ko te whakaatu whakaotinga tenei. Ko nga mapi me nga pukapuka whakaatu i nga rohe o aua whenua e meatia ana kia tangohia kei te whare o te Rori Pooti i South Rakaia e takoto ana hei tirohanga ma te hunga e hia hia ana kia kite i aua pukapuka.

I tuhia tenei whakaatu i te rua tekau ma iwi o nga ra o Hurae, kotahi mano e waru rau e waru tekau ma rua.

Na te Rori Pooti i tono.

A. MAKEIG,

Clerk to the Board.

Holmes and Loughrey, Hereford Street, Christchurch, nga Roia. 673

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