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Setting apart Lands necessary for the Making of Roads through Part of the Town Belt of Dunedin.

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

WHEREAS by "The Dunedin Reserves Management Ordinance, 1865," it is, among other things, enacted that it shall be lawful for the Superintendent of the Province of Otago, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, at any time to set apart, by Proclamation, so much and such parts of the lands described in the first section or paragraph of the Schedule to the said Ordinance, as being the Town Belt of Dunedin, as shall or may be necessary for the making of any road or roads, not exceeding sixty-six feet in width, in, through, or over the said Town Belt of Dunedin or any part thereof:

And whereas by the operation of "The Abolition of Provinces Act, 1875," all the powers by the said Ordinance vested in the Superintendent and Executive Council are now vested in, and are to be exercised and performed by, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand:

Now, therefore, I, James Prendergast, the Administrator of the Government of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby set apart all those parcels of land, being parts of the Town Belt of Dunedin described in the Schedule hereto, for the making of roads, not exceeding sixty-six feet in width, in, through, and over the said Town Belt of Dunedin.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land containing by admeasurement 2 acres and 31 perches, more or less, situate in the Town Belt of the City of Dunedin. Bounded by lines, commencing at the point forming the intersection of the southern boundary of High Street with the Town Belt; running thence south-westerly in the line of High Street produced, 646.9 links; thence by a curved line generally westerly, 351.5 links; thence north-westerly along boundary of the Town Belt and Eglinton Road, 1231.4 links; thence north-westerly in a line at right angles to the

last line, 100 links; thence south-easterly in a line at right angles to the last line, 1231.4 links; thence by a curved line generally easterly, 272.1 links; thence north-easterly in the line of the northern boundary of High Street produced, 646.9 links; thence south-easterly along the boundary of Town Belt to the commencing point, 100 links.

Also all that parcel of land containing by admeasurement 4 acres 1 rood 13 perches, more or less, situate in the Town Belt of the City of Dunedin. Bounded by lines, commencing at a point distant 353.5 links along the southern boundary of Rattray Street from its intersection with York Place; thence running northerly in the line of Rattray Street produced a distance of 1435.8 links; thence north-easterly by line at right angles to last line, 27.3 links; thence northerly by a line running parallel with the boundary of Rattray Street produced, 380.3 links; thence running north-westerly a distance of 900.5 links to intersection with Town Belt boundary; thence northerly along Town Belt boundary a distance of 101.4 links; thence south-easterly a distance of 594 links; thence northerly by curved lines, 100, 163.3, and 305.4 links; thence north-easterly, 335 links, to intersection with Town Belt boundary; thence north-easterly along Town Belt boundary for a distance of 714.8 links to intersection with Main Kaikorai Road; thence southerly along Main Kaikorai Road a distance of 105.7 links; thence south-westerly, 642.2 links; thence south-westerly by lines, 53.8 and 302.6 links; thence southerly by curved lines, 183.2, 163.3, and 145 links; thence south-easterly, 583.7 links, to intersection of Cemetery Reserve; thence southerly along boundary of Cemetery Reserve, 38.6 links; thence southerly along southern boundary of Cemetery Reserve, 1535.8 links, to southern boundary of Town Belt; thence to starting point along Town Belt boundary a distance of 141.4 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

ERRATUM.—In *New Zealand Gazette* No. 93, of the 8th instant, at page 1630, under the heading *Lands to be Sold for Cash*, on Friday, the 15th day of December, Cape Surrey District, for "Block IV," read "Block VIII."

the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this seventeenth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

THOMAS DICK.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Declaring certain Streams taken for Dunedin Water-supply.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by a certain Proclamation bearing date the twenty-second day of October, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, under the hand of His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand for the time then being, therein named and described, reciting, *inter alia*, that the Council of the City of Dunedin proposed to construct a water-race or aqueduct for obtaining a supply of water for the inhabitants of the City of Dunedin and its suburbs from the river called the Silverstream and its tributaries, and other smaller streams flowing through portions of the lands which the said race or aqueduct would intersect, and for such purpose required to take the land and the waters of the several streams specified in the Schedule thereto; and reciting that the said Council had laid before His said Excellency the memorial and map required by the twenty-fifth section of "The Public Works Act, 1876;" and reciting that it appeared to His said Excellency that all things required by "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1876," "The Municipal Corporations Act 1876 Amendment Act, 1877," and "The Public Works Act, 1876," to be done and performed to authorize the taking of such land and the waters of the said streams had been done and performed; His said Excellency, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, in exercise and pursuance of the power and authority in him vested by the twenty-fifth section of "The Public Works Act, 1876," and by the said Acts, and of every other power and authority enabling him in that behalf, did thereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule thereto, and the waters of the several streams specified in the said Schedule thereto, were thereby taken for the purpose of such works as aforesaid; and that, from and after the twenty-second day of October, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, the land described in the Schedule thereto, and the waters of the several streams therein specified, should become vested in fee-simple in the Corporation of the City of Dunedin, discharged from all mortgages, charges, claims, estates, and interest of what kind soever, for the purpose of such works as aforesaid: And whereas the said lands so required to be taken as in the said Proclamation mentioned are duly described in the said Schedule thereto, but the said streams so required to be taken as in the said Proclamation mentioned and intended to be specified in the said Schedule thereto were omitted from the memorial laid before the Governor by the said Council of the City of Dunedin, and from the said Proclamation issued in pursuance thereof: And whereas the several streams specified in the Schedule hereto are streams which were intended to be comprised and specified in the said Schedule to the said Proclamation:

Now, therefore, I, James Prendergast, the Administrator of the Government of the Colony of New

Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the power and authority in me vested by "The Public Works Act, 1882," and by the other Acts above mentioned, and of every other power and authority enabling me in that behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the waters of the several streams specified in the Schedule hereto are hereby taken for the purpose of such works as in the said Proclamation are mentioned; and that, from and after the day of the date hereof, the waters of the several streams specified in the said Schedule hereto shall become vested in fee-simple in the Corporation of the Mayor, Councillors, and citizens of the City of Dunedin (called in the said Proclamation "the Corporation of the City of Dunedin"), discharged from all mortgages, charges, claims, estates, and interest of what kind soever, for the purpose of such works as aforesaid.

THE SCHEDULE ABOVE REFERRED TO.

SCHEDULE of streams taken for the purpose of the above-mentioned works:—

1. Flagstaff Creek.
2. McQuillan's Creek.
3. Whare Creek (south branch).
4. Whare Creek (north branch).
5. Coal Creek.
6. North Coal Creek.
7. Silverstream River (main or east branch).
8. Silverstream River (west branch), otherwise called Powder Creek, with all its tributaries.

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

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

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Constituting Oamaru Harbour District.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it is enacted by section four of "The Oamaru Harbour Board Loan Act, 1882," that it shall be lawful for the Governor to constitute, by Proclamation, a district to be called the "Oamaru Harbour District," and to define the boundaries:

And whereas it is deemed expedient to constitute such a district, and to define the boundaries thereof:

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 hereinbefore in part recited Act, do hereby proclaim and constitute a district, under and for the purposes of the said Act, to be called the "Oamaru Harbour District;" and I do hereby define the boundaries thereof to be as follow:—

All that area bounded towards the North-east and North generally by the River Hopkins, Lake Ohau, Ohau River, and Waitaki River to Waimate County;

thence by Geraldine County to Mount Nimrod, thence by a right line to Trig. G, thence by a right line to Trig. O, thence by a right line to Trig. Z, thence by a right line to Trig. X, thence by a right line to Trig. E, thence by a right line to Trig. H, thence by a right line to Trig. J, thence by a road passing through Sections 32808, 26134, and 31577, passing Trigs. M and N, and forming the northern boundary of Section 22519; thence by a road crossing Elephant Creek and forming the northern boundary of Sections 20542, 18959, 20511, 19174, 18204, 16797, 14585, 20508, and 18960, and running through Section 20185 to the Waihao River, and by that river to the sea; towards the East by the sea to the mouth of the Waiauakaru River; towards the South by that river and its northern branch, which forms part of the northern boundary of Run 109, to the Waihemo County; towards the South-west and West by the Counties of Waihemo, Maniototo, and Vincent to the Southern Alps; and towards the North-west by the summit of the Alps to the source of Hopkins River: excluding the Townships of Kakanui and Kakanui South.

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

H. A. ATKINSON.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Incorporation of Waitahuna Farmers' Club, County of Tuapeka.

JAMES PRENDERGAST,
Administrator of the Government.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of November, 1882.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE
GOVERNMENT IN COUNCIL.

IN exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by "The Agricultural and Pastoral Societies Act, 1877," 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, doth hereby incorporate the members of the Waitahuna Farmers' Club into a corporate body under the said Act, under the style and title of "The Waitahuna Farmers' Club."

FORSTER GOBING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Extending Time for Preparation of County Rolls, County of Southland.

JAMES PRENDERGAST,
Administrator of the Government.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of November, 1882.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE
GOVERNMENT IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it has been made to appear that certain things required to be done by "The

Counties Act, 1876," in connection with the making and revision of the county roll of the County of Southland cannot be done by or within the times required by the said Act:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Administrator of the Government of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the two hundred and eleventh section of the said Act, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby extend the time for the doing of the said things in connection with the county roll of the said County of Southland, and doth declare that the time for the doing of such several things shall be those which are specified in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

1. Roll shall be open for inspection: From the 20th November, 1882, until the 14th December, 1882.
2. Objections to roll received: Until the 29th December, 1882.
3. Day appointed for revision of roll: Some day after the 3rd January, 1883; but Revision Court shall not sit after the 20th January, 1883.
4. Roll shall come into force: On the 1st February, 1883.

FORSTER GOBING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Wellington District assigned to Mr. Justice Gillies.

JAMES PRENDERGAST,
Administrator of the Government.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of November, 1882.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE
GOVERNMENT IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Supreme Court Act, 1860," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council from time to time to divide the colony into judicial districts for the purposes of the said Act, and the limits of such districts from time to time to alter as occasion may require, and that the Governor in Council shall assign every such district to a Judge or Judges of the Court, who shall have, within the same, all the powers and jurisdiction thereby given to the Court:

And whereas the Wellington District, as defined by a Proclamation dated the twenty-fifth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, dated the tenth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine, has been assigned to Sir James Prendergast, the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, and Christopher William Richmond, Esquire, one of the Judges of the said Supreme Court:

And whereas it is expedient that the said Wellington District should also be assigned to Thomas Bannatyne Gillies, Esquire, one of the Judges of the said Court:

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, doth hereby, with the advice and con-

sent of the Executive Council of the said colony, also assign the said Wellington District unto

THOMAS BANNATYNE GILLIES, Esquire,
one of the Judges of the said Court.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Regulations under "The Stamp Act, 1882," as to
the Payment of Fees, &c., by Stamps.*

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

At the Government House, at Wellington, this
twenty-first day of November, 1882.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE
GOVERNMENT IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities in that behalf conferred upon him by "The Stamp Act, 1882," 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, doth hereby repeal, as from the first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, the regulations made under "The Stamp Fee Act, 1880," by certain Orders in Council, dated respectively the thirteenth day of March and the eighteenth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two; and doth further, with the like advice and consent, and in further pursuance and exercise of the said powers and authorities, hereby give the notice and make the rules and regulations hereinafter contained, which notice and rules and regulations shall come into force on the first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

1. All duties, fees, fines, and penalties under any Act or Ordinance whatsoever payable in any of the offices of the Courts hereinafter mentioned, that is to say, the Court of Appeal, the Supreme Court, District Courts, and Resident Magistrates' Courts, or under any Act or Ordinance whatsoever, or to any officers thereof, or to any Justice or Justices of the Peace, or for or in respect of all or any proceedings or matters had or taken before any Justice or Justices of the Peace under any Act or Ordinance whatsoever, or in any of the Land Registry Offices and Deeds Registry Offices, or under any of the Acts hereinafter mentioned, that is to say, "The Sheriffs Act, 1858," "The Licensing Act, 1881," "The Native Lands Frauds Prevention Act, 1881," "The Companies Act, 1882," "The Building Societies Act, 1880," "The Industrial and Provident Societies Act, 1877," "The Aliens Act, 1880," "The Patents Act, 1870," and "The Trade Marks Act, 1866," shall be collected and paid by stamps of any kind issued by the Government of the colony, except those issued under "The Beer Duty Act, 1880."

2. The stamps for the duties, fees, fines, or penalties payable in respect of the several matters or proceedings specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto shall be impressed upon or affixed to the documents specified opposite such matters or proceedings in the second column of the said Schedule.

2. The stamps for every other duty, fee, fine, or penalty payable in stamps under these regulations shall be impressed upon or affixed to a short written or printed note or præcipe, stating that in respect of which such duty, fee, fine, or penalty is payable, and signed by or for the person by whom it is payable.

4. The stamps by which any such duty, fee, fine, or penalty is payable shall be brought to the officer

whose duty it is to receive the same uncanceled and undefaced in any way; and such officer, before anything is done or permitted to be done in respect of that for which such duty, fee, fine or penalty is payable, shall cancel such stamps by putting thereon the impress of a seal to be supplied to him and authorized for the purpose as in the one hundred and forty-eighth section of "The Stamp Act, 1882," mentioned, and also the date on which such seal is impressed: Provided that, until such seal is supplied to him, he may cancel the stamps by putting thereon his initials, and the date of so doing.

5. Stamps for use under these regulations will, on application, be impressed at the head office on blank forms, and on paper not previously written upon. Requisitions for impressed stamps must be accompanied by a receipt from the Bank of New Zealand for the amount of the requisition and the forms and papers required to be stamped, the desired position of the stamp upon which should be distinctly marked.

6. Adhesive and impressed stamps may be obtained from or through the Deputy-Commissioners of Stamps and the depositaries and licensed dealers throughout the colony.

7. Depositaries and licensed dealers are required to sell adhesive stamps on demand at all times during office hours, and the same must be paid for in cash at the time of application.

8. If it shall be made to appear to the Commissioner or a Deputy-Commissioner of Stamps, by the certificate of any Registrar of the Supreme Court, District Judge, Resident Magistrate, District Land Registrar, Registrar of Deeds, Frauds Commissioner, or Registrar or Assistant-Registrar of Joint-Stock Companies, Registrar of Building Societies, Registrar of Industrial and Provident Societies, Registrar of Patents, or by the Colonial Secretary in the case of fees payable under the Aliens Act or Trade Marks Act, that stamps in respect of which allowance is claimed have been used in payment of fees, and that the claimant is entitled to a refund of such fee or of any portion thereof, it shall be lawful for the Commissioner or a Deputy-Commissioner to make such allowance without further evidence; and the same, subject to the usual deduction at the rate of £2 10s. per cent., shall be made by order on the Treasury, or by exchange at any time upon production of the certificate aforesaid.

9. The Commissioner or Deputy-Commissioner shall dispense with the surrender of any document to which such stamps are affixed if the said Registrar, or other officer or person mentioned in the preceding regulation, shall certify that such document is in his custody, and that it is necessary that the same should be retained as a record of his office: Provided that the same shall be produced to the Commissioner or Deputy-Commissioner, and the stamps thereon shall by him be cancelled by writing the words "Amount refunded" across the same, and adding his initials, with the date of so doing.

10. The reference in these regulations and in the Schedule hereto to any Act or Acts shall be deemed to include any Act or Acts now or hereafter to be passed in amendment thereof, and also any Act repealing the same and making fresh provisions in lieu thereof, and also any amendments of such last-mentioned Act.

11. In all other respects the regulations issued under any Act for the time being in force relating to the allowance for spoiled stamps shall, in so far as they are applicable, apply to stamps used under these regulations.

SCHEDULE.

Matter in respect of which Fee is Payable.	Document to which the Stamp taken in Payment of the Fee is to be affixed.
<i>Matters in the Court of Appeal, Supreme Court, or District Court.</i>	
On entering, filing, lodging, issuing, or sealing any document, whether with seal of Court or of Registrar or Clerk of Court, or the signing of same by Judge or other officer of Court	On the document, if retained in Court, or on copy of same retained in Court; otherwise on the præcipe left with Court.
<i>For Fees under "The Resident Magistrates Act, 1867," "The Resident Magistrates Act, 1868," "The Resident Magistrates Acts Amendment Act, 1872," and "The Imprisonment for Debt Abolition Act, 1874."</i>	
For every proceeding in any case in which a plaint has been entered	On the plaint.
For every proceeding in any matter in which no plaint has been issued	On the principal document relating to such proceeding retained in Court.
<i>For Fees under "The Resident Magistrates Evidence Act, 1870."</i>	
Application	On the application.
Examination, adjourned examination, witness	On application for examination.
Summons and mileage	On the application.
<i>For Fees under "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."</i>	
Information, summons, service, mileage	On the information.
Deposition, conviction, or order ...	On the criminal record-book opposite the case.
Warrant	On the criminal record-book.
Certificate of dismissal or of refusal of case	On the criminal record-book.
Copy of proceeding	On the criminal record-book.
Recognizance, enlargement or renewal, notice to principal or sureties	On the recognizance.
Case for appeal	On the criminal record-book.
Form of appeal	On the criminal record-book.
<i>For Fees under "The Sheriff's Act, 1858."</i>	
All fees received are to be indicated by means of stamps affixed to any document which is filed in the Sheriff's office, or, failing such document, to a præcipe.	
<i>For Fees under "The Licensing Act, 1881."</i>	
Filing every notice	On the notice.
Grant of a certificate	On the application for same.
Application to open an additional bar	On the application.
Summons to witness	On the notice or application.
Lodging notice of objection	On the notice.
Oath administered	On the application necessitating the oath.
Order for payment of costs on objection made	On the notice.
Depositing memorial against grant of license	On the memorial.
<i>For Duties, Fees, Fines, and Penalties under any of the above-mentioned Acts.</i>	
Any document not enumerated above	On the document, plaint-note, or criminal record-book.
Every search in all cases	On the document searched if found, or on the application for search.
Every fine or penalty paid to the officer of the Court	On the criminal record-book opposite the case.
Every fee, fine, or penalty paid to any gaoler	On a præcipe.
<i>In Land Registry Offices.</i>	
All fees payable about or in connection with any application to bring any land under the Land Transfer Acts, including contributions to Assurance Fund and fees for advertising	On the application.

Matter in respect of which Fee is Payable.	Document to which the Stamp taken in Payment of the Fee is to be affixed.
<i>In Land Registry Offices—continued.</i>	
On the issue of any new certificate of title	On the transfer or application.
On the registration or deposit of any instrument or copy of same, or plan	On the instrument, copy, or plan so deposited, or on the copy of same retained in office on registration.
On the registration or entry of any transmission or other proceeding, or the issue of any certified copy	On the application to register or enter same, or for such certified copy.
On the taking of any acknowledgment, affidavit, or declaration	On such acknowledgment, affidavit, or declaration, if retained in the office; otherwise on a præcipe, as provided by Regulation 3.
For searches and forms	In the search-book or a præcipe.
<i>In Deeds Registry Offices.</i>	
On the registration of any instrument	In the book of primary entry, opposite the entry of such instrument.
On the deposit of any instrument or plan	On the instrument or plan so deposited.
On the issue of certified or office copy of any instrument or plan	On the application for such.
For searches	In the search-book or a præcipe.
<i>Fees payable under "The Native Lands Frauds Prevention Act, 1881."</i>	
Payable in respect of application for Commissioner's certificate, or for issue of summonses to witnesses	On the application.
<i>Fees payable under "The Companies Act, 1882."</i>	
On the registration of a company, or of any document other than the memorandum of association	On the memorandum of association retained by Registrar, or on such document.
On the registration of an increase in the capital of a company	On the notice of such increase given to Registrar.
On the record or registration of any fact authorized or required to be recorded or registered by Registrars	On the notice of such fact handed to Registrar.
For searches	In the search-book or a præcipe.
On lodging the affidavit mentioned in section 232 of said Act	On such affidavit.
<i>Fees payable under "The Building Societies Act, 1880."</i>	
On incorporation under section 17; registration of alteration of rules, section 23; of change of name, section 27; registration under sections 36 or 37; award by Registrar under section 41	On certificate or document retained by Registrar.
On filing copy of account and statement under section 48	On copy filed.
For searches, inspection of any document or record, or copy of or extract therefrom	In the search-book or a præcipe.
<i>Fees payable under "The Industrial and Provident Societies Act, 1877."</i>	
On sending any notice to the Registrar as required by the Act	On the notice.
On making any application to the Registrar	On the application.
On sending the annual return ...	On the return.
For searches, inspection, or copy or extract of any document	In the search-book or a præcipe.
<i>Fees payable under "The Aliens Act, 1880."</i>	
On grant of letters of naturalisation ...	On the memorial applying for same.
On granting certificate of readmission into British nationality	On the memorial applying for same.
For other matters prescribed by the said Act	On a præcipe, as per aforesaid Regulation 3.

Matter in respect of which Fee is Payable.	Document to which the Stamp taken in Payment of the Fee is to be affixed.
<i>Fees payable under "The Trade Marks Act, 1866."</i>	
On registering a trade mark, or copy or duplicate thereof	On written application for same.
<i>Fees payable under "The Patents Act, 1870," and its Amendments.</i>	
On deposit of specification ...	The specification.
On deposit of amended specification ...	The amended specification.
On obtaining letters patent ...	Application to seal letters patent.
At or before expiration of fifth year ...	The specification.
On lodging particulars of objection ...	The particulars.
On presenting petition for extension ...	The petition.
On search and inspection ...	A book to be kept for the purpose.
On entry of assignment or license ...	Copy of assignment or license.
On certificate of assignment or license	Ditto.
On filing memorandum of alteration or disclaimer	The memorandum.
On entering any caveat ...	The caveat.
On copy or extract of any writing ...	Same as search fees.
On obtaining letters of registration ...	The application or the specification.
On copy of letters of registration ...	Ditto.
On application for duplicate letters patent	The application.
On obtaining same ...	Ditto.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Election of Native Assessor for Waioeka Native Licensing District.

JAMES PRENDERGAST,
Administrator of the Government.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the provisions of "The Licensing Act, 1881," and "The Licensing Act Amendment Act, 1882," His Excellency the Administrator of the Government doth make the following regulations for the election of a Native Assessor for the Native Licensing District of Waioeka, in the County of Whakatane:—

1. The Returning Officer at such election shall be Robert Smelt Bush, Esquire.
2. The election shall be held at the Courthouse, Opotiki, which Courthouse shall be the polling-place for such election.
3. The voters at the election shall be only such Maoris usually resident in the district as are qualified to vote for Maori representatives in Parliament. A candidate for election must be a Maori qualified to vote as aforesaid in some part of the colony, but need not be resident in the district, nor need he have a vote in the particular district in which he is a candidate for election.
4. The nomination shall be held at the Courthouse aforesaid, on Friday, the first day of December next, at the hour of noon, when the nominations shall be made by word of mouth.
5. If there be only one candidate proposed, he shall be returned; if there be more than one, the Returning Officer shall call for a show of hands in favour of the several candidates, and shall declare the candidate to be elected in whose favour the show of hands shall be, unless a poll be demanded.
6. If a poll be demanded by a candidate, or by two electors, the same shall be held at the Courthouse aforesaid, on Thursday, the seventh day of December next.
7. All matters relating to the election shall be conducted in the same manner as if the election were

for a Maori representative in Parliament, to be elected under "The Maori Representation Act, 1867."

8. If any dispute or difference shall arise in respect of such election, the same shall be determined by the Governor in accordance with the regulations under the Maori Representation Acts, made by Proclamation bearing date the 29th October, 1881, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 98, of the 12th November, 1881.

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

H. A. ATKINSON,
(for the Native Minister.)

Trustees appointed for Opotiki Cemetery.

JAMES PRENDERGAST,
Administrator of the Government.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the sixth section of "The Cemeteries Act, 1882," I, James Prendergast, the Administrator of the Government of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint

JEFFREY GEARY and
JOHN GORDON

to be Trustees, in the place of Stewart Bates and Alexander Reid, resigned, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Opotiki Cemetery, in conjunction with the other persons appointed by warrant under the hand of His Excellency the Governor on the twelfth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

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

EDWD. T. CONOLLY,
(for the Minister of Lands.)

Trustee appointed for Manutahi Public Cemetery.

JAMES PRENDERGAST,
Administrator of the Government.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the sixth section of "The Cemeteries Act, 1882," I, James Prendergast, the Administrator of the Government of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint

DISTON GINGER

to be Trustee, in the place of Robert Tullock, deceased, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Manutahi Cemetery, in conjunction with the other persons appointed by warrant under the hand of His Excellency the Governor on the nineteenth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

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

EDWD. T. CONOLLY,
(for the Minister of Lands.)

Places and Times appointed for Vaccination, Porangahau and Ashley-Clinton Districts.

JAMES PRENDERGAST, Administrator of the Government.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Public Health Act, 1876," I, James Prendergast, Administrator of the Government of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the several places mentioned in the second column of the Schedule hereto as and to be places at which Public Vaccinators appointed for the respective districts mentioned in the first column of the said Schedule shall attend for the performance of vaccination, as required by the said Act; and I do hereby give notice that each such Public Vaccinator will attend at the respective places aforesaid, for the purpose of performing such vaccination, on the days and at the hours set forth in the third column of the said Schedule opposite the name of each such place; and, further, that at each such place as last aforesaid the Public Vaccinator will attend for the purpose of inspecting the progress of such vaccination in the persons so vaccinated on the days and at the hours respectively set forth in the fourth column of the said Schedule opposite the name of each such place.

SCHEDULE.

District for which Public Vaccinator appointed.	Place where Vaccination to be performed.	Days and Hours fixed for Performance of Vaccination.	Days and Hours fixed for Inspecting the Progress of Vaccination.
Porangahau	The Schoolhouse, Porangahau ...	Second Wednesday in June and December, at noon.	Third Wednesday in June and December, at noon.
Ashley-Clinton	The Schoolhouse, Ashley-Clinton	First Monday in May and November, at noon.	Second Monday in May and November, at noon.
"	The Schoolhouse, Central Makaretu.	Second Tuesday in April and October, at noon.	Third Tuesday in April and October, at noon.

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

THOMAS DICK.

Registrar of Electors appointed, District of Clutha.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 17th November, 1882.

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

THOMAS PATERSON

to be Registrar of Electors, under "The Registration of Electors Act, 1879," for the Electoral District of Clutha, *vice* W. A. Comerford, Esq., resigned. Appointment to date from the 1st December, 1882.

THOMAS DICK.

Warden of Kiwitea Highway District, County of Manawatu, appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 22nd November, 1882.

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

ALEXANDER MACKENZIE

to be Warden for the Pohangina Ward of the Kiwitea Highway District, County of Manawatu.

THOMAS DICK.

Analysts appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 22nd November, 1882.

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

WILLIAM SKEY, Esq., Colonial Museum, Wellington;

ALEXANDER WILLIAM BICKERTON, Esq., Canterbury College, Christchurch; and

JAMES GOW BLACK Esq., M.A., University of Otago, St. David's Street, Dunedin,

to be Analysts under "The Adulteration Prevention Act, 1880."

THOMAS DICK.

Member of Riwaka Highway District Board, County of Waimea, appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 22nd November, 1882.

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

WILLIAM JENKINS

to be a Member of the Board of the Riwaka Highway District, *vice* Thomas Pattie, resigned.

THOMAS DICK.

Deputy-Inspectors of Lunatic Asylums appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 22nd November, 1882.

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

THOMAS MACFFARLANE, Esq., J.P.,
JOHN ALEXANDER SMITH, Esq., J.P.,
JOSEPH MACKAY, Esq., J.P.,
The Hon. JAMES CROWE RICHMOND, J.P.,
BUNTER CLAPCOTT, Esq., J.P.,
ALEXANDER LEAN, Esq., J.P., and
JAMES BENN BRADSHAW, Esq., J.P.,

to be Deputy-Inspectors, under "The Lunatics Act, 1882," of Lunatic Asylums, Hospitals, and Licensed Houses in the Colony of New Zealand.

THOMAS DICK.

Trustees of Wellington Hospital Reserves appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 22nd November, 1882.

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

GEORGE SISSON COOPER, Esq.,

WILLIAM SEED, Esq., and

ROBERT CHISENHALL HAMERTON, Esq.,

to be Trustees of the Wellington Hospital Reserves under "The Wellington Hospital Reserves Act, 1865," and the Acts amending the same.

THOMAS DICK.

Cadet, Resident Magistrate's Court, Auckland, appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 17th November, 1882.

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

EDWARD ASHWORTH HEAP

to be a Cadet in the Resident Magistrate's Court at Auckland, from the 19th June, 1882.

EDWD. T. CONOLLY.

Member of Licensing Committee appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 21st November, 1882.

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

JOHN COUPER

to be a Member of the Licensing Committee for the District of Waikaremoana, *vice* John H. Brown.

EDWD. T. CONOLLY.

Certificated Accountant in Bankruptcy appointed.

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

MR. District Judge Macdonald has appointed

CHARLES GEE SMYTH,

of Napier, to be a Certificated Accountant in Bankruptcy.

EDWD. T. CONOLLY.

Appointments and Resignations in the Treasury.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 21st November, 1882.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to make the following appointments in the Treasury:—

JAMES EWAN SMITH, 1st July, 1882, Cadet.

HENRY WORTHINGTON DYER, 14th September, 1882, Cadet.

His Excellency has also accepted the resignations of the under-mentioned officers:—

J. S. ALLAN, 30th June, 1882.

R. K. DE CASTRO, 31st August, 1882.

H. A. ATKINSON.

Receiver of Land Revenue appointed.

General Crown Lands Office,
Wellington, 22nd November, 1882.

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

GEORGE ALLAN READE, Esq.,

to be Receiver of Land Revenue, to act within the Land District of Otago, from the 1st January, 1882.

EDWD. T. CONOLLY,

(for the Minister of Lands.)

Receiver of Land Revenue appointed.

General Crown Lands Office,
Wellington, 22nd November, 1882.

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

AUGUSTUS FREDERICK NOEL BLAKISTON, Esq.,

to be Receiver of Land Revenue, to act within the Land District of Canterbury, from the 27th November, 1882.

EDWD. T. CONOLLY,

(for the Minister of Lands.)

Member of Patea Harbour Board appointed.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 18th November, 1882.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has, in pursuance of the provisions of section 40 of "The Harbours Act, 1878," been pleased to appoint

JOHN GIBSON

to be a Member of the Patea Harbour Board, *vice* Donald Coutts, resigned.

H. A. ATKINSON.

Volunteer Officers promoted and appointed.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 22nd November, 1882.

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

Riverton Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant Robert Acheson to be Captain. Date of commission, 16th October, 1882.

Sub-Lieutenant John Reid to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 16th October, 1882.

Taranaki Rifle Volunteers.

Edward Nelson Lydeard Okey to be Sub-Lieutenant. Date of commission, 25th October, 1882.

WM. ROLLESTON.

Appointments in Government Insurance Department.

Government Insurance Department,
Wellington, 22nd November, 1882.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to approve of the following appointments in the Government Insurance Department:—

HUGH SCOTT HEPBURN LYALL, Esq.,

to be Secretary;

GEORGE THORNE, JUN., Esq.,

Superintendent of Agents in the Ordinary Branch, to be also Superintendent of Agents in the Industrial Branch, and Inspector of Resident Agencies;

WILLIAM CHARLES MACDERMOTT, Esq.,

to be Chief Clerk in the Ordinary Branch;

JOSEPHUS HARGREAVES RICHARDSON, Esq.,

to be Chief Clerk in the Industrial Branch.

D. M. LUCKIE,
Commissioner.

Resignation in Government Insurance Department.

Government Insurance Department,
Wellington, 22nd November, 1882.

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

CHARLES GODFREY KNIGHT, Esq.,

as Manager of the Industrial Branch of the Government Insurance Department.

D. M. LUCKIE,
Commissioner.

Resignation of Volunteer Officers.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 22nd November, 1882.

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

Riverton Rifle Volunteers.

Captain Henry Hirst. Date of resignation, 30th September, 1882.

Thames Naval Volunteers.

Lieutenant William Burton. Date of resignation, 26th August, 1882.

H. A. ATKINSON.

Armed Constabulary Officer resigned.

New Zealand Constabulary Office,
Wellington, 16th November, 1882.

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

Sub-Inspector HENRY WILLIAM NORTHCROFT,
Armed Constabulary Force.

H. A. ATKINSON,
(in absence of the Defence Minister.)

Resignation of J. Buchanan as a Trustee, Auckland Savings Bank.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 20th November, 1882.

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

JOHN BUCHANAN, Esq.,
of his appointment as a Trustee of the Auckland Savings Bank.

H. A. ATKINSON.

Letters of Naturalisation issued.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 21st November, 1882.

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

Name.	Occupation.	Residence.
Peter Johnson ...	Labourer ...	Little River.
James Eugene Hugli ...	Watchmaker and Jeweller	Feilding.
Edward Hansen ...	Labourer ...	Waipukurau.
Cecil Augustus Victor Hortezzi di Cortando von Blaramberg	Schoolmaster	Matarawa, Wanganui.
Nicholas Meuli ...	Carpenter ...	Wanganui.

THOMAS DICK.

International Fisheries Exhibition, London, 1883.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 17th November, 1882.

THE following letter, received from the Secretary to the Executive Committee of the International Fisheries Exhibition, to be held in London in 1883, is published for general information.

THOMAS DICK.

24, Haymarket, London,
2nd October, 1882.

SIR,—I am directed by the Executive Committee to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 26th September, and to assure you of the extreme satisfaction with which they have heard of the kindness with which the New Zealand Government have published the regulations of the forthcoming Exhibition in the *New Zealand Gazette*, with the intimation that intended exhibits from the colony will be transmitted at the public charge.

The Committee desire me to explain to you, with reference to the date fixed for receiving applications for space, that it is not necessary that individual exhibitors should be specified, but only that the Committee should be informed of the aggregate amount of space that will be necessary for them to reserve for exhibitors from New Zealand, leaving to yourself, or to such authorities as may be appointed by the New Zealand Government, the internal arrangements of that space.

I have, &c.,

J. W. MOLLETT,

Secretary to the Executive Committee.

Sir F. D. Bell, K.C.M.G.,

Agent-General for New Zealand,
7, Westminster Chambers, S.W.

Wardens for Manawatu Highway District, County of Manawatu, elected.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 17th November, 1882.

NOTICE has been received at this office, under the hand of the Returning Officer, Mr. James Linton, that the under-mentioned persons have been duly elected Wardens for the wards of the Manawatu Highway District placed opposite to their names respectively :—

No. 1 Ward ...	HENRY McEWEN.
No. 2 Ward ...	JAMES SKEBMAN.
No. 3 Ward ...	THOMAS EDWARDS.
No. 4 Ward ...	BERNARD NEWCOMBE.
No. 5 Ward ...	GECHARD ENGLS.

G. S. COOPER,
Under-Secretary.

Wardens for KIWITEA Highway District, County of Manawatu, elected.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 17th November, 1882.

NOTICE has been received at this office, under the hand of the Returning Officer, Mr. H. L. Sherwill, that the under-mentioned persons have been duly elected Wardens for the wards of the KIWITEA Highway District placed opposite to their names respectively :—

Kimbolton Ward ...	FREDERICK GEORGE BRYCE
Makino Ward ...	JOHN REES DAVIES.
Oroua Ward ...	THOMAS RILEY TAYLOR.
Waituna Ward ...	JOHN JAMES WILLIAMSON.

G. S. COOPER,
Under-Secretary.

Notice of proposed Addition to Borough of South Invercargill.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 21st November, 1882.

AN application having been made to the Governor to incorporate into the Borough of South Invercargill the lands hereunder described, His Excellency directs it to be notified that, unless within two months from the date of the public notification hereof a petition or petitions, as required by "The Municipal Corporations Acts Amendment Act, 1880," is or are presented to His Excellency, he will proceed to incorporate the said land into the Borough of South Invercargill, and add the same to the Centre and South Wards respectively, as described in the First and Second Schedules hereunder.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

To BE ADDED TO CENTRE WARD.

ALL that area bounded towards the North by Section No. 1 of Block III., Invercargill Hundred; towards

the East by a road forming the eastern boundary of said Section No. 1; towards the South by Section No. 5 of said Block III.; and towards the West by a road known as the Bluff Road, which intersects Sections Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 of said block.

Also all that other area bounded towards the North by Section No. 6 of Block III., Invercargill Hundred; towards the East by a road forming the eastern boundary of Section No. 7; again towards the North by a road forming the northern boundary of Sections Nos. 39 and 45 of Block XIX.; again towards the East by a road forming the eastern boundary of the last-mentioned section to a point in line with the northern boundary-line of Section No. 57; again towards the North to and by the said boundary-line; again towards the East by Section No. 58; towards the South by the road forming the southern boundary of Section No. 57 to a point in line with the eastern boundary-line of Section No. 60; towards the East by a line across the road; and again towards the South by the southern side of the road forming the southern boundary of Sections Nos. 57 and 45, and intersecting Sections Nos. 42, 41, and 40, to the eastern side of the road known as the Bluff Road, and which intersects Sections Nos. 7, 8, and 9 of Block III.; and towards the South-west by that road to Section No. 6 before mentioned.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

TO BE ADDED TO SOUTH WARD.

ALL that area being Section No. 60 of Block XIX., Invercargill Hundred, and bounded towards the North by a road; towards the East by Section No. 56; towards the South by a reserve; and towards the North-west by a road.

Also all that other area bounded towards the North by a road forming the southern boundary of Sections Nos. 40 and 45 of Block XIX., Invercargill Hundred; towards the North-east by a road forming the north-east boundary of Section No. 43; towards the South-east by Section No. 44; and towards the South-west by a road known as the Bluff Road to the road forming part of the northern boundary-line of Section No. 40.

THOMAS DICK.

Time and Place for First Meeting of Manawatu Highway Board appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 22nd November, 1882.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to appoint Tuesday, the 28th November, 1882, at noon, to be the time, and the Town Hall, Palmerston North to be the place, at which the first meeting of the Manawatu Highway Board shall be held.

THOMAS DICK.

Application for Registration of Trade Mark.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that Messrs. W. AND G. TURNBULL AND Co., Merchants, of Wellington, in the Colony of New Zealand, have applied, on behalf of Messrs. JOHN WALKER AND SONS, of Kilmarnock, Scotland, to register, under "The Trade Marks Act, 1866," the trade mark of which the following is a description, viz. :—

Description of Trade Mark.

A paper label about $3\frac{1}{2}$ inches long and $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches wide, with a white ground and a gilt border about $\frac{1}{4}$ of an inch wide, surrounded by a narrow gilt line.

On the left side of the label and inside the gilt border is a shield-like figure about $\frac{1}{4}$ of an inch wide and $\frac{1}{4}$ of an inch high, the upper and lower parts of which are ruled with horizontal gilt lines, and the central part of which is divided into white and gilt squares in three rows; on these squares are the letters "W" and "S," printed in gilt letters about $\frac{1}{4}$ of an inch high. On either side of the shield-like figure is the figure of a squirrel about $\frac{1}{2}$ of an inch high, in a sitting position, printed in gilt; above the shield-like figure is a hand printed in gilt pointing upwards, and above the hand is a scroll about $\frac{1}{2}$ of an inch long and $\frac{1}{4}$ of an inch wide, bounded by gilt lines, and on the scroll is the word "Confido," printed in gilt letters about $\frac{1}{4}$ of an inch high. Below the shield-like figure is another scroll about $\frac{1}{2}$ of an inch long and $\frac{1}{4}$ of an inch wide, bounded by gilt lines, and on this scroll are the words "Gold Berry," printed in gilt letters about $\frac{1}{4}$ of an inch high. On the right side of the shield-like figure are the words "Old Highland Whisky," printed in Old English letters; below the shield-like figure and the words "Old Highland Whisky" are the words "John Walker and Sons, Kilmarnock," printed in gilt letters about $\frac{1}{4}$ of an inch high; and below these words is the word "Registered" in brackets, printed in gilt letters about $\frac{1}{4}$ of an inch high. The cases are branded with the letters "WW" about $5\frac{1}{2}$ inches high and $6\frac{1}{2}$ inches wide at the top, and $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches wide at the foot, burnt into the wood; each letter is ruled with fifteen horizontal lines about $\frac{1}{4}$ of an inch wide, also burnt into the wood.

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

Whisky.

THOMAS DICK,
(for the Colonial Secretary and Registrar
of Trade Marks.)

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 *bona 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.

Tenders.

Public Works Office,
Wellington, 21st November, 1882.

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

WALTER W. JOHNSTON,
Minister for Public Works,

MANUTAHU PLATELAYING CONTRACT, FOXTON-NEW PLYMOUTH RAILWAY.

	Accepted.	£	s.	d.
Anthony Nathan, Hawera	...	4,247	0	0
	Declined.			
Jay and Haynes, Palmerston	...	5,081	18	4
Mace and Bassett, Patea	...	5,441	15	0
D. Scally, Wanganui	...	6,198	3	6
E. Gallagher, Manutahi	...	7,493	15	0

Order in Council exempting Swedish Vessels from Remeasurement.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Wellington, 20th November, 1882.

THE following despatch, with its enclosure, from Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies, is published for general information.

H. A. ATKINSON,
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

Downing Street,
1st September, 1882.

SIR,—With reference to my circular despatch of the 8th June last, I have the honour to transmit to you, for information and publication in the colony under your Government, copies of an Order of the Queen in Council of the 18th August, revoking the Orders in Council of the 17th March, 1875, and 3rd May, 1882, and exempting from remeasurement in this country (1) sailing ships of the Kingdom of Sweden the measurement whereof has, on or after the 1st April, 1875, been ascertained and denoted in the registers and other national papers of such ships, and (2) steamships of the Kingdom of Sweden the measurement whereof has been ascertained and denoted as aforesaid on or after the 1st April, 1881.

I have, &c.,

KIMBERLEY.

The Officer Administering the
Government of New Zealand.

At the Court at Osborne House, Isle of Wight,
the 18th day of August, 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 deemed to be the tonnage of such ships:

And whereas by "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1876," it is enacted that, when Her Majesty has power under "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1854," or any Act passed or hereafter to be passed amending the same, to make an Order in Council, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty from time to time to make such Order in Council, and by Order in Council to revoke, alter, or add to any order so made:

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, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five:

And whereas it was subsequently made to appear to Her Majesty that the said rules concerning the measurement of tonnage of the merchant ships of Sweden had been, as regards vessels propelled by steam or any other power requiring engine-room, modified by the introduction thereto of a slight difference in the mode of estimating the allowance for engine-room, and that the same came into force in Sweden on the first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two:

And whereas by Order in Council dated the seventeenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, and the third day of May, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, Her Majesty was pleased, by and with the advice of her Privy Council, to direct—

1. That the ships of Sweden, the certificates of Swedish nationality and registry of which are dated on and after the first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, should be deemed to be of the tonnage described in the said certificates of Swedish nationality and registry;

2. That the ships of Sweden, which are propelled by steam or any other power requiring engine-room, the measurement whereof shall, after the first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, have been ascertained and described on the certificates of registry or other national papers of such steamships, testified by the date thereof, should be deemed to be of the tonnage described in such certificate of registry or other national papers:

And whereas it has been made to appear to Her Majesty that the said modifications introduced into the said rules for the measurement of Swedish steamships came into force on the first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, as regards steamships measured or remeasured after that date:

And whereas it has been made to appear desirable to Her Majesty that the provisions of the said recited Order in Council of the third day of May, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, shall be made applicable to Swedish steamships registered on or after the said first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, and that the said recited Orders in Council of the seventeenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, and the third day of May, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, should be revoked, and a new Order in Council made and substituted in lieu thereof:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, in virtue of the powers vested in her by the said recited Acts, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to direct that the said recited Orders in Council of the seventeenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, and the third day of May, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, shall be and the same are hereby revoked, and in lieu thereof and in substitution therefor Her Majesty is hereby pleased, by and with the advice of her Privy Council, to direct as follows:—

1. As regards sailing ships: That merchant sailing ships belonging to Sweden the measurement whereof, on or after the said first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, has been ascertained and denoted in the certificates of registry or other national papers of such sailing ships, testified by the date thereof, shall be deemed to be of the tonnage denoted in such certificates of registry 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 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 on or after the said first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, has been ascertained and denoted in the certificates of registry or other national papers of such steamships, testified by the dates thereof, shall be deemed to be of the tonnage denoted in such certificates of registry 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 such ship to be estimated under the rules for engine-room measurement and deduction applicable to British ships, instead of under the Swedish rules, 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 rules, being denoted in the said certificates of registry or other national papers, the same shall be deemed to be of the tonnage so denoted therein.

C. L. PEEL.

Regulations for the Examination of Engineers.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 18th November, 1882.

IN pursuance of the powers vested in me by the twenty-fourth and twenty-fifth sections of "The Shipping and Seamen's Act, 1877," I do hereby make the following regulations for the conduct of examinations of engineers, and as to the qualifications of applicants, and direct that the fees specified therein shall be paid to the Collectors of Customs at the ports where the applications are made. These regulations shall come into force on the first day of December next, and shall then supersede any rules or regulations heretofore existing and affecting such examinations, qualifications, and fees.

H. A. ATKINSON,
Minister having charge of the
Marine Department.

PRELIMINARY.

1. Under the provisions of "The Shipping and Seamen's Act, 1877," no foreign-going ship* or home-trade ship* can legally proceed to sea from any port in the colony unless, in the case of a foreign-going steamship of 100 nominal horse-power or upwards, the first and second engineers are certificated engineers—the first possessing a "first-class engineer's certificate," and the second possessing a "second-class engineer's certificate," or a certificate of the higher grade; and in the case of a foreign-going steamship of less than 100 nominal horse-power, or a sea-going home-trade steamship, the first or only engineer (as the case may be) have obtained and possess a "second-class engineer's certificate," or a certificate of the higher grade.

2. Every person who, having been engaged to serve as first or second engineer in a foreign-going steam-

* By a home-trade ship is meant one which is employed in trading on the coasts of New Zealand, but not to or from the Chatham Islands, the Auckland Islands, or Campbell Island. By a foreign-going ship is meant every ship not included in the term home-trade ship.

ship of 100 nominal horse-power and upwards, or as first or only engineer in a foreign-going steamship of less than 100 nominal horse-power, or in a sea-going home-trade steamship, goes to sea as such first, second, or only engineer, without being at the time entitled to and possessed of such a certificate as the Act requires, or who employs any person as first or second engineer in a foreign-going steamship of 100 nominal horse-power and upwards, or as first or only engineer in a foreign-going steamship of less than 100 nominal horse-power, or a sea-going home-trade steamship, without ascertaining that he is at the time entitled to and possessed of such certificate, for each offence incurs a penalty not exceeding £50.

3. The certificates of engineers are of two descriptions, viz., certificates of competency and certificates of service; and for each description of certificate there are two grades, viz., first-class engineer's certificates, and second-class engineer's certificates.

4. Certificates of competency will be granted to those persons who pass the requisite examinations and otherwise comply with the requisite conditions. For this purpose examiners have been appointed and arrangements have been made for holding examinations.

5. Candidates for examination must make their application upon the appropriate form (Exn. 3), which may be obtained at a Mercantile Marine Office (Customhouse). The Exn. 3, properly filled in, together with the candidate's testimonials and discharges, must be lodged with the Examiner of Engineers not later than the day before the day of examination, and the candidate must conform to any regulations in this respect which may be laid down by the Marine Department, as, if this be not done, delay may be occasioned.

6. Applicants will be required to produce, in addition to the usual forms of discharge, satisfactory testimonials as to sobriety, experience, ability, and general good conduct for at least the twelve months immediately preceding the date of application to be examined, and without producing them no person will be examined. If the service has been on shore the testimonials must be signed by an employer; if at sea, by the master, managing owner, and the chief or superintending engineer.

7. The testimonials of servitude of foreigners and of British seamen serving in foreign vessels, which cannot be verified, must be confirmed either by the Consul of the country to which such ship in which the candidate served belonged, or by some other recognized official authority of that country, or by the testimony of some credible person on the spot having personal knowledge of the facts required to be established. The production of such proofs, however, will not of necessity be deemed sufficient. Each case will be decided on its own merits, and if the sufficiency of the proofs given appears to be at all doubtful, it must be referred to the Marine Department.

8. Should any doubt exist as to the age of a candidate, he will be required to produce a certificate of birth.

9. Foreigners must prove to the satisfaction of the Examiners that they can speak and write the English language sufficiently well to perform the duties required of them on board a British vessel.

10. Statements of services in ships over eighty tons, of which the agreements with the crews have been entered into in New Zealand, can be verified by the Superintendents of Mercantile Marine Offices, and may be obtained on application at such offices upon payment of a small fee, the amount of which will be regulated by the amount of service required to be verified. Delay, inconvenience, and disappoint-

ment will be avoided by candidates getting this verification beforehand.

11. Services which cannot be verified by proper entries in the articles of the ships in which the candidates have served cannot be counted.

12. Service performed on rivers, or within smooth or partially-smooth water-limits, cannot be accepted.

13. Service entered upon a ship's articles as having been performed in the capacity of assistant engineer must be supported by proof of the candidate having acted as second, third, fourth, &c., engineer, as the case may be.

14. The service required by the regulations to qualify a candidate for examination is to be regarded as referring to service in the foreign trade only. Service in the home trade must amount to at least half as much again as that required by the regulations to make up for the time spent in port, e.g., for every twelve months' service under the regulations, eighteen months' service in home-trade vessels will be required.

15. Service in the engine-room (afterwards referred to) for qualifying a candidate to be examined for a second-class engineer's certificate must be only in those capacities which afford opportunities of obtaining practical experience as an engineer; and service in the capacity of fireman, stoker, donkeyman, greaser, winchman, labourer, engineer's steward, or any other capacity than that of engineer taking watch will not be accepted.

16. Service as a third engineer in steamers where more than three engineers are carried, their names being entered on the articles in their respective ratings on board, may be accepted as equivalent to service as second engineer for qualifying a candidate for examination for a first-class engineer's certificate, provided the candidate has been in possession of a second-class engineer's certificate during the performance of such service, and his name has been entered on the articles as third engineer.

17. If a candidate has served in the engine-room with a second-class certificate in the capacity of a second engineer in foreign-going steamships under 100 horse-power, or in sea-going home-trade steamships, which are not required by law to carry a certificated second engineer, his service may be accepted without reference to the vessel's horse-power, provided he has been on the ship's articles as second engineer, and produces certificates of discharge as second engineer, for the required period.

18. The Marine Department may see fit to allow an applicant who, in consequence of service abroad, has been unable to obtain a second-class certificate, to be examined for a first-class certificate, without first obtaining a certificate of the lower grade, provided he is able to satisfy it as to the satisfactory character of his services.

19. In such cases (paragraph 18), or in cases where the candidate is already in possession of a certificate of service, should he fail to pass the examination for the higher grade, but passes the examination for the lower grade, he may receive a certificate accordingly, but no part of the fee will be returned.

20. A candidate who under the above regulation (paragraph 19) has been permitted to be examined for a first-class certificate without first obtaining a second-class certificate of competency or a certificate of service, and who fails in his *viva voce* examination, may not be re-examined for a certificate of the higher grade until he has served twelve months as second engineer with a second-class engineer's certificate of competency as required by the regulations.

21. If the candidate fails altogether, i.e., both in the examination for the lower as well as for the higher grade of certificate (paragraph 18), he may be re-

examined for a second-class certificate only, subject to the usual regulations relating to failure.

22. It is provided by "The Shipping and Seamen's Act, 1877," section 32, that every person who makes, or procures to be made, or assists in making any false representation for the purpose of obtaining for himself or for any other person a certificate of competency, shall, for each offence, be deemed guilty of a misdemeanour, the punishment for which is imprisonment for any period not exceeding twelve months, with or without hard labour, or a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds.

23. These provisions will be *strictly enforced* by the Marine Department, and any candidate for a certificate of competency as first- or second-class engineer in the merchant service, who shall, knowingly and fraudulently, for the purpose of obtaining any such certificate, present to the Examiner any "application to be examined for a certificate of competency" (Exn. 3), or statutory declaration containing any false or inaccurate statement of service, and any person who shall knowingly and fraudulently make or prepare, or assist in making or preparing, any such false or inaccurate statement will be *prosecuted*.

24. If, after a candidate has passed his examination, it is discovered on further investigation that his services are insufficient to entitle him to receive a certificate of the grade for which he has passed, it will not be granted to him; but, if the Marine Department is satisfied that the error in the calculation of his services did not occur through any fault or wilful misrepresentation on his part, he will be allowed to go up for re-examination without payment of further fee when he has performed the amount of service in which he was deficient.

25. If, in such a case, the applicant's services are sufficient to entitle him to receive a certificate of a lower grade, provided, as aforesaid, he has not wilfully misrepresented the amount of his services, an inferior certificate may be granted to him, and the difference, if any, between the fee paid by him for the superior certificate and the fee payable for the inferior certificate may be placed to his credit.

26. In such a case, when the applicant has, by further service, made up the amount of service in which he was found to be short, he must, before he can receive the higher certificate, be re-examined in all the subjects.

27. If any certificate of competency issued by the Marine Department which has been defaced so as to become illegible, or has been seriously injured by wear or tear, is presented to a Superintendent of Mercantile Marine in the course of duty, the same should at once be transmitted by the Superintendent to the Secretary of the Marine Department, together with the usual form of application for renewal of certificate duly filled up, in order that a renewed certificate may be issued. This will be done free of charge in those cases where it is satisfactorily shown to the Marine Department that due care has been taken of the original. This power will have to be exercised with great discretion by the Superintendents of Mercantile Marine, so as not to interfere with any engagement for sea-service which the possessor of the injured certificate may have entered into.

QUALIFICATIONS FOR CERTIFICATES OF COMPETENCY.

28. *Second-class Engineer*.—A candidate for a second-class engineer's certificate must be twenty-one years of age.

- (a.) He must have served an apprenticeship to an engineer for three years at least, and prove that during the period of his apprenticeship he has been employed on the making and

repairing of engines; or if he has not served an apprenticeship he must prove that for not less than three years he has been employed as a journeyman-mechanic in some factory or workshop on the making or repairing of engines. (These may be either land or marine engines.) In either case he must also have served one year at sea in the engine-room as an engineer on the watch in the foreign or home trade; or

- (b.) He must have served at least four years at sea in the engine-room as an engineer on the watch in the foreign or home trade. (See paragraph 16.)
- (c.) He must be able to give a description of boilers, and the methods of staying them, together with the use and management of the different valves, cocks, pipes, and connexions.
- (d.) He must understand how to correct defects from accident, decay, &c., and the means of repairing such defects.
- (e.) He must understand the use of the barometer, thermometer, and salinometer, and the principles on which they are constructed.
- (f.) He must state the causes, effects, and usual remedies for incrustation and corrosion.
- (g.) He must be able to state how a temporary or permanent repair could be effected in case of derangement of a part of the machinery, or total break down,
- (h.) He must write a legible hand, and understand the first five rules of arithmetic and decimals, and their application to questions about consumption of stores and full capacities of tanks and bunkers, the duty of pumps, and the direct strains in engines and boilers.
- (i.) He must be able to pass a creditable examination as to the various constructions of paddle and screw engines in general use; as to the details of the different working parts, external and internal, and the use of each part.

29. *First-class Engineer*.—A candidate for a first-class engineer's certificate must be twenty-two years of age.

30. In addition to the qualification required for a second-class engineer,—

- (a.) He must either possess, or be entitled to, a first-class engineer's certificate of service; or, in the event of his not being so possessed or entitled, he must have served for one year at sea as second engineer with a second-class engineer's certificate of competency, or for two years at sea as second engineer with a second-class engineer's certificate of service; or, having served one year at sea as second engineer with a second-class engineer's certificate of service, he must show in addition at least six months' service as chief engineer in a vessel required by law to carry at least one engineer holding a certificate. (See also paragraph 16 as regards service as third engineer).

The Examiner should therefore be satisfied that an applicant for a first-class engineer's certificate has not only been in possession of a second-class certificate for the periods above stated, but that he has actually served for such periods in the engine-room, at sea with a second-class certificate, in the capacities referred to, and that his name has been entered in the articles of agreement accordingly. (See also paragraph 18.)

- (b.) He will be required to make an intelligible hand sketch, or a working drawing, of some one or more of the principal parts of a steam-engine; and to mark in, without a copy, all the

necessary dimensions in figures, so that the sketch or drawing could be worked from.

- (c.) He must also be able to take off and calculate indicator diagrams.
- (d.) He must be able to calculate safety-valve pressures, and the strength of the boiler, shell, stay, and riveting.
- (e.) He must be able to state the general proportions borne by the principal parts of the machinery to each other, and to calculate the direct strain, the twisting strain, and the bending strain in rectangular bars, and in round bars with given loads.
- (f.) He must be able to explain the method of testing and altering the setting of the slide valves, and to sketch about what difference any alteration in the slide valve will make in the indicator diagram, and of testing the fairness of the paddle and screw shafts, and of adjusting them.
- (g.) He must be conversant with surface condensation, superheating, and the working of steam expansively.
- (h.) His knowledge of arithmetic must include the mensuration of superficies and solids and the extraction of the square root, and the application of these rules to questions relating to the power, duty, and economy of engines and boilers, and to the strains in rods, shafts, and levers of the engine.

EXAMINATION FOR AN EXTRA OR HONORARY CERTIFICATE.

31. An *Extra First-class Engineer's Examination* is voluntary, and is intended for such persons as wish to prove their superior qualifications, and are desirous of having certificates equivalent to those of the highest grade granted by the Marine Department.

32. The extra examination may take place at the time the candidate goes up for a first-class engineer's certificate, or at any time subsequent to his having passed as first-class engineer.

33. The examination can generally be held at any port where examinations of engineers are ordinarily conducted and on the same days, but notice must be given by the applicant at least one week before the day on which the examination begins. When extra examinations cannot be held due notice will be given.

34. If the candidate passes, he will be entitled to receive the extra certificate at once without being required to have served two years at sea as first-class engineer with a first-class engineer's certificate of competency as heretofore.

- (a.) The candidate must possess a thorough knowledge of the construction and working of the different forms of marine engines and propellers in all their parts, and be so far acquainted with the elements of theoretical mechanics as to comprehend the general principles on which the machine works, and to illustrate his knowledge of these principles by numerical examples.
- (b.) He must possess a knowledge of the theory of strain and stress sufficient to be able to deduce the ordinary rules for twisting and bending of round and rectangular bars.
- (c.) He must be acquainted with the principles of expansion and the modern theory of heat, and be able to solve, with the assistance of his own books or without books, according as the examination papers may be set, the principal questions in economy and duty in connexion with engines and boilers.
- (d.) He must understand how to apply the indicator, and to draw the proper conclusion from

the diagrams, and to construct the approximate diagrams for any given data.

- (e.) He must be able to produce without a copy a fair working drawing of any part of the machinery with figured dimensions fit to work from.
- (f.) He must understand the principles of the action of the screw-propeller and the paddle-wheel, and he must be able to estimate numerically the effect in speed of ship and consumption of fuel due to any alteration in pitch, diameter, revolutions, &c.
- (g.) He must be able to give a description of boilers and the methods of staying them, and he must show that he possesses a knowledge of theoretical principles which regulate their construction, and that he is able to calculate the strength of the boiler shell, stays, and riveting.
- (h.) He must understand the general nature of the strains and stresses produced by the steam pressure, and by the expansions due to unequal temperatures in boiler shells.
- (i.) He must have a knowledge of safety-valve construction, and the principles involved in determining the size of a safety-valve, and the construction of spring-loaded and dead-weight valves.
- (k.) He must possess a thorough knowledge of the theory of combustion, the chemical composition of fuels, the evaporative duty of fuels of given composition, the production of draught, the effect in regard to economy, safety, and wear and tear, of increasing or of diminishing the proportion of heating surface, of grate-bar surface, of area of section of air passages, of area of water surface, of steam space capacity and water capacity.
- (l.) He must be able to explain the formation of scale and the precipitation of salt, and the precautionary means adopted in respect thereto, with jet condensers and with surface condensers.
- (m.) He must understand the general principles involved in the construction of the barometer, thermometer, salinometer, and steam and vacuum gauges.
- (n.) He must be familiar with the general results obtained from past experience in relation to corrosion, pitting, and galvanic action in boilers.
- (o.) He must give a variety of illustrations of how defects have arisen from accident, imperfect construction, or deterioration, and how these defects might have been prevented, and the best way of repairing such defects.
- (p.) He must possess an intelligent knowledge of the properties of the lubricants, boiler cements, and indiarubber in general use in steamers.
- (q.) He must understand the causes of spontaneous combustion and the formation of explosive gases in coal holds, and the precautionary measures proper to prevent accidents from these causes.

FEEs.

35. Candidates for examination, in making their application on Form Exn. 3, will be required to pay the examination fee before any step is taken, whether by inquiring into their services or testing their qualifications, &c. Should it be found that their service is not sufficient to entitle them to be examined, or should their testimonials be unsatisfactory, or should they from any other cause not be examined, no part of the fee will be returned to them; but when they

have fulfilled the requisite service, or are able to produce satisfactory testimonials, as the case may be, they will be allowed to again present themselves for examination for a certificate of the same grade without paying any further fee.

36. In any case in which a candidate offers money to any other than the proper officer, and in any place but in the proper office, the candidate so offering money will be regarded as having committed an act of misconduct, and will be rejected, and not allowed to be examined for twelve months either at the port where the offence was committed or at any other port.

FEES.

37. The fees are as follow:—

Second-class engineer's certificate ...	£1	0	0
First-class engineer's certificate ...	2	0	0
First-class engineer's certificate, if already in possession of a second-class certificate of competency ...	1	0	0
Extra first-class engineer's certificate, first attempt ...			Nil.
Extra first-class engineer's certificate, for every subsequent attempt ...	1	0	0

GENERAL RULES AS TO EXAMINATIONS.

38. All books necessary for the use of candidates under examination will be provided by the Marine Department, and applicants will not be permitted to take into the examining-room any book, paper, document, or memoranda of any description whatever, except in the case of examination for extra first-class certificates (see paragraph 49), and subject to the provisions referred to hereafter. They will also not be allowed to work out their problems on a slate or on waste paper.

39. Candidates will be allowed in the time allotted to cancel any part of their work, and when required additional papers will be supplied by the Examiner. These additional sheets must be attached to and form part of the examination papers.

40. Candidates for first-class certificates have to pass an examination in rough working drawing, which may be either hand sketches clearly dimensioned and complete in the necessary views and sections, or drawings to a scale. Drawing boards and T squares will be provided by the Marine Department, but the applicants will have to bring with them any drawing instruments they may require.

41. In the event of any candidate being discovered copying from another, or affording any assistance or giving any information to another, or communicating in any way with another during the time of examination, he will be regarded as having failed in his examination, and will be turned back for three months, in the same manner as if he had failed in the practical part of the examination; and no part of the fees he may have paid for examination will be returned to him.

42. If a candidate leaves the room before answering any question which has been given to him, he cannot afterwards be permitted to answer it, but the Examiner may substitute other data or another question.

43. All applicants presenting themselves for examination will be required to give written answers to eight out of a list of ten questions selected from Form Exn. 15 a, "Elementary questions for the first examinations of engineers for certificates of competency, and of masters and mates for certificates in steam." These questions are intended to furnish a record to some extent of the candidate's knowledge at the time of his examination, and also to induce the candidates to pay more attention to their handwriting and spelling.

44. The Form Exn. 15b, on which these answers

will be written, contains also some questions as to the experience of the applicant, to be answered by him in writing.

45. Examiners may add to their *viva voce* questions on the practical management of steam-engines and boilers any of those contained in Exn. 15 a.

46. If at the expiration of the time allowed the candidate has worked out correctly the whole of the questions set to him, and given satisfactory answers in the *viva voce* examination, he will be declared to have passed.

47. If at the expiration of the time allowed he has not worked out the whole of the questions set to him, but if the result of the *viva voce* examination taken in connexion with the answers to such of the questions as he has worked out are sufficient to satisfy the Examiner that the applicant is competent to take charge of engines of 100 nominal horsepower or upwards, he will be declared to have passed.

48. In other cases he will be declared to have failed.

49. Candidates for examination for extra first-class certificates may, when permitted, use their own books, but these must be shown to the Examiner, who will exclude any books of a character specially prepared for candidates for these examinations.

50. A report of the examination, and the Examination Papers, will be forwarded to the Marine Department on the Form Exn. 15.

51. If the candidate passes he will receive the Form Exn. 16, which authorizes the Superintendent of the Mercantile Marine Office to which it is addressed by the Examiner to issue the certificate to the candidate, whose testimonials, &c., will be returned at the same time. It is therefore important that the port of destination of the certificate should be the same on both the Form Exn. 16 and the Form Exn. 3. If circumstances should make any alteration necessary, the Examiner should see that it is made in both forms, otherwise delay in the issue of the certificate may be caused.

FAILURE.

52. If the applicant fails in the *viva voce* or practical part of the examination he may not present himself for re-examination until he can produce proofs of three months' further service at sea as engineer from the date of failure. If he fails in arithmetic or drawing only, he may come up again at any time.

RULES FOR THE EXAMINATION OF ENGINEERS FOR STEAMSHIPS PLYING WITHIN RESTRICTED LIMITS.

1. *General*.—Candidates for examination must make a proper application on a form which will be supplied on application at any Customhouse. This application, accompanied with the necessary testimonials, must be lodged at the Customhouse for delivery to the Examiners. Certificates procured on false information will be cancelled.

2. *Engineer*.—An engineer of a river steamer must be twenty-one years of age, and must have been employed about the machinery or boilers of a steamer, or in driving machinery and having charge of the boiler of a land engine, for at least one year. He must produce satisfactory testimonials of good conduct and sobriety. He must be able to read and write, and must understand the first five rules of arithmetic. He must understand the use of the salinometer, and vacuum and steam gauges.

He must understand how to keep the boiler free from incrustation, and the method of regulating the density of the water in the boiler.

He must be able to state how a temporary repair could be effected in case of derangement to machinery or boiler.

He must pass a creditable examination as to the details of the different parts of an engine, and give an explanation of the use of each part.

He must be able to give a satisfactory description of the construction of the different kinds of boilers in general use in river steamers, and must explain the use and management of the feed, safety-valves, brine cocks, and all connections.

3. *Fees*.—The fee to be paid by the applicants for examination is £1, of which 10s. will be returned to any applicant who may fail to pass.

NOTE.—Time served in river steamers does not count as service at sea for the purpose of obtaining a certificate of competency for a sea-going ship.

Public Libraries.

Education Department,
Wellington, 20th September, 1882.

NOTICE is hereby given that the sum of six thousand pounds (£6,000) has been voted by Parliament for distribution to public libraries.

The distribution will take place on the 31st January, 1883, and no claim will be considered that shall not have been sent in in due form, and received by the Secretary for Education, Wellington, before the 22nd January, 1883.

Every public library maintained by rates will be entitled to share in the distribution according to its income from rates; and every library maintained by subscriptions and voluntary contributions will be entitled to share according to its income from subscriptions and voluntary contributions: Provided in either case that admission to the library, if within a borough, is open to the public free of charge.

The income of each library may be stated either for the year ending 31st December, 1882, or for the year ending with that day in the year 1882 on which the annual accounts of the library were made up.

The distribution will not be in proportion to the several incomes of the libraries; but a nominal addition of £25 will be made to the amount of each income, and the vote of £6,000 will be divided in proportion to the amounts as thus augmented.

Application to share in the distribution must be made in the form of a statutory declaration by the Chairman, or Secretary, or Treasurer of the institution on behalf of which it is made; and such declaration shall be in the following form:—

DECLARATION.

I [Name], of [Place of abode], [Occupation], do solemnly and sincerely declare that I am Chairman [or Secretary, or Treasurer] of the [Name of institution], and that during the year ending the day of , 1882, the income of the aforesaid institution for the purposes of a library only was as follows: From rates, pounds shillings and pence; and from the subscriptions of members, pounds shillings and pence; and from voluntary contributions other than members' subscriptions, pounds shillings and pence; and that by the rules of the institution admission to the reading-room is open to the public free of charge.

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, 1882."

[Here affix and cancel a stamp at 2s. 6d.] Declared at , this day of , 188 , before me—

Justice of the Peace
[or Solicitor, or Notary Public].

[NOTE.—The words relating to free admission may be struck out if the library is not in a borough. The

words in brackets are not part of the form, but indicate matter to be inserted or substituted.]

Copies of the form of statutory declaration may be obtained on application to the Secretary for Education, Wellington, or to the Secretary of any Education Board.

THOMAS DICK.

Native School Site at Ngunguru.

Education Department,
Wellington, 18th November, 1882.

THE following report of the person appointed by the Governor, under the provisions of "The Native Schools Sites Act, 1880," to ascertain the title of certain Natives to land at Ngunguru, in the County of Whangarei, appropriated by them for the site of a school, having been adopted by the Administrator of the Government, is published in accordance with the said Act.

THOMAS DICK.

REPORT UNDER "THE NATIVE SCHOOLS SITES ACT, 1880."

HIS Excellency the Governor, having been pleased, under the provisions of the above recited Act, to appoint me to ascertain the title of certain Natives to a piece of land at Ngunguru, in the District of Whangarei, and appropriated by them as a school site, I beg leave respectfully to report—

1. I gave notice in the *Northern Advocate* newspaper, circulating in the district, that I would hold an inquiry at Ngunguru on Saturday, the 18th March, 1882. I also caused notices to the same effect, in English and Maori, to be circulated in the district.

2. On Saturday, the 18th March, 1882, I held the inquiry at Ngunguru, where the principal Natives of the Ngatihau Hapu, Ngapuhi Tribe, were assembled to meet me, when I explained to them the provisions of the said Act. The Natives unanimously agreed that the piece of land called Kauakarangi, being a portion of Te Maika Block, the boundaries of which are hereunder described, was the property of the Ngatihau Hapu, and that the said piece of land should be set apart for a school site in accordance with the said recited Act.

All that parcel of land containing five acres three roods and twenty-six perches, situated in the Whangarei Survey District, County of Whangarei. Bounded towards the North by a line, 735 links; towards the East by a line, 796 links; towards the South by the beach of the Ngunguru River, 578 links; and towards the West by a line 290 links, and a line 738 links: be the said linkages more or less.

Given under my hand at Whangarei, the 19th day of October, 1882.

JAMES S. CLENDON.

Designation of Post Office changed.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 16th November, 1882.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the designation of the Post Office in the Invercargill Postal District, known as Upper Waianiwa, will, from and after the 1st January, 1883, be changed to

WAIANIWA.

By order of the Postmaster-General.

W. GRAY,
Secretary.

Application for Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 16th November, 1882.

PATENT for an Ornator.

WILLIAM JAMES DALTON, of Auckland, New Zealand, Civil Engineer, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Friday, the 26th day of January 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 11th day of January next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

C. J. A. HASELDEN,
Patent Officer.

No. 725.

Institution for the Deaf-and-Dumb, Sumner.

APPPLICATIONS for appointment to the office of Assistant-Master in this institution will be received at this office up to the 31st December next. The salary at first will be either £110 with board, &c, or £150 without board. Applications must be accompanied with testimonials, and particulars as to age, &c. No previous training in the method of instruction here adopted is required. A teacher holding a certificate of Class D from the Education Department would be preferred. The person appointed will be required to enter on his duties about the end of January.

WM. JAS. HABENS,
Inspector-General of Schools.
Education Department,
Wellington, 20th November, 1882.

"The Education Reserves Act, 1877."

IN exercise of the powers and authorities vested in them by "The Education Reserves Act, 1877," the School Commissioners of the Provincial District of Otago have appropriated and set apart the following piece of land as a site for a public school:—

All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Otago, containing by admeasurement 9 acres 3 roods 20 perches, more or less, situate in Tokomairiro District, being part of Section No. $\frac{1}{2}$ of 6, Block LII., on the map of the said district. Bounded towards the North-west by other part of the said section, 900 links; towards the North-east by Section No. $\frac{1}{2}$ of 5, 714·8 links and 382·2 links; towards the South-east by Section No. 7, 900 links; and towards the South-west by other part of the said Section No. $\frac{1}{2}$ of 6, 671·4 links and 425·6 links; and intersected by a road-line 100 links wide.

J. P. MAITLAND,
Chairman.

Commissioner of Supreme Court appointed.

NOTICE.—WILLIAM CRAIG RAMSAY, Writer and Notary Public of the City of Glasgow, has been appointed this day, by his Honour the Chief Justice, a Commissioner of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, in the said city, under "The Commissioners of the Supreme Court Act, 1875," for the purpose of administering and taking all such oaths, affidavits, and affirmations as in the said Act mentioned.

Dated at Wellington, this 18th day of November, 1882.

A. S. ALLAN,
Registrar, Supreme Court.

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

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

APPLICANT: Michael Syron. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "Stoney Creek Gold-Mining Company." 16 acres 2 roods, at the head of Stoney Creek, about six miles from the railway-line, near Waimangaroa, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

Applicant: Michael Syron. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "Smile of Fortune Gold-Mining Company." 16 acres 2 roods, at the head of Stoney Creek, about six miles from the railway-line, near Waimangaroa, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

Applicant: Thomas McNeight. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "The Success Gold-Mining Company." 16 acres 2 roods, at the head of Stoney Creek, about six miles from the railway-line, near Waimangaroa, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

Applicant: Thomas McNeight. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "The Perseverance Gold-Mining Company." 16 acres 2 roods, at the head of Stoney Creek, about six miles from the railway-line, near Waimangaroa, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

Applicant: Thomas McNeight. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "The Enterprise Gold-Mining Company." 16 acres 2 roods, at the head of Stoney Creek, about six miles from the railway-line, near Waimangaroa, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

Applicant: Thomas Wardrope. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "The Sydney Mint Gold-Mining Company." 16 acres 2 roods, south of and adjoining the Stoney Creek lease, Stoney Creek, near Waimangaroa, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

Given under my hand, at Nelson, this twentieth day of November, 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 14th day of December, 1882.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPLICANT: George Wise. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "Redman's Quartz-Mining Company." 16 acres 2 roods, north of and adjoining the Sanguine lease application, Big River District, Inangahua, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

Applicant: Richard James Scoltock. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "The Border Chief Gold-Mining Company (Limited)." 16 acres 2 roods, north of and adjoining the Star of the South Gold-Mining Company's lease, Big River District, Inangahua, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

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

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

Gold-Mining Leases to be granted.

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

Objections to the granting of such leases, stating the grounds of objection, must be made in writing, and lodged with the Warden at Westport on or before the 8th day of December, 1882.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPLICANT: Joseph Kelly. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "Better Late than Never Gold-Mining Company." 16 acres 1 rood 2 perches, west of and adjoining the Queen of Beauty lease, south side of Mokihinui River, Mokihinui, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

Applicant: Robert Sharp. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "The Duke of Edinburgh Quartz-Mining Company." 16 acres 2 roods, adjoining the Star of the South and Queen of Beauty application, Mokihinui, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

Given under my hand, at Nelson, this fifteenth day of November, 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 Charleston on or before the 7th day of December, 1882.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPLICANTS: Samuel Turner, John Perrain, and Bernard Shepherd. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "The Advance Company." 5 acres, at the Basin, Darkie's Creek, Charleston, in the Nelson South-West Mining District.

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

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

Crown Lands Notices.

Lease of Forest Sections in the Thermal-Springs District, Rotorua.

Crown Lands Office,
Auckland, 3rd November, 1882.

I HEREBY notify that the right for a term of seven years to cut and remove Timber from the parcels of land enumerated in the Schedule hereunder will be offered, at a premium or foregift, for sale by public auction, at this office, on Monday, the 18th day of December, 1882, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

D. A. TOLE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

SCHEDULE.

BUSH SECTIONS IN THE MARAEROA-OTUROA BLOCK, THERMAL-SPRINGS DISTRICT, NEAR LAKE ROTORUA.

Section.	Area.			Upset Price.		
	A.	B.	P.	£	s.	d.
1	490	0	0	61	5	0
2	490	0	0	61	5	0
3	498	0	0	62	5	0
4	491	0	0	49	2	0
5	982	0	0	98	4	0
6	505	0	0	63	2	6
7	521	0	0	65	2	6
8	516	0	0	51	12	0
9	1,018	0	0	101	16	0

Pastoral Lands for Sale on Deferred Payments.

Crown Lands Office,
Auckland, 4th November, 1882.

I HEREBY notify that the Lands described in the Schedule hereunder will, in pursuance of sections 76 to 85 inclusive of "The Land Act, 1877," be offered for sale by public auction, at the Land Office, Gisborne, on Thursday, the 7th December, 1882, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon, on pastoral deferred-payments.

D. A. TOLE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

SCHEDULE.

COOK COUNTY.—WAIMATA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block.	Section.	Area.			Upset Price.		
		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
XI.	2	985	0	0	985	0	0
	3	1,098	0	32	1,098	5	0
VII.	4	1,127	0	32	1,127	5	0
II.	15	1,138	0	0	1,138	0	0
VI.	16	1,241	0	0	1,241	0	0

NOTE.—Every purchaser shall forthwith, after the auction, deposit with the Receiver of Land Revenue

an amount equal to one-thirtieth of the price of the land.

Rural Lands for Sale on Deferred Payments.

Crown Lands Office,
Auckland, 4th November, 1882.

I HEREBY notify that the lands described in the Schedule hereto have been set apart for sale on deferred payments, and that Monday, the 4th December next, has been appointed as the day on which the said lands shall be open for application at the Land Offices at Auckland and Gisborne.

D. A. TOLE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

SCHEDULE.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
COOK COUNTY.—WAIHAU AND WHAKAONGAONGA BLOCKS.— HANGAROA SURVEY DISTRICT.			
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
XI.	29	109 3 20	137 10 0
	31	151 0 0	183 15 0
	33	103 0 8	129 1 3
XV.	8	27 1 26	41 5 0
	10	28 3 26	43 10 0
	14	22 1 32	33 15 0
	17	22 2 5	34 2 6
	19	29 1 4	44 5 0
	21	155 2 28	233 12 6
	37	179 2 10	269 12 6
WAIMATA BLOCK.—WAIMATA SURVEY DISTRICT.			
VII.	7	310 2 0	388 2 6
	9	315 1 24	394 5 0
VIII.	11	311 2 0	311 10 0
	13	315 0 0	315 0 0

NOTE.—Applications for the above lands will be received at this office and at the Land Office, Gisborne.

In the event of more than one application being received for any one section, the right to occupy the same will be decided by public auction on Thursday, the 7th December, 1882, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Land Office, Gisborne.

Deposit of one-twentieth of the price of the land to be tendered with application.

Description of Lands in Hangarao Survey District.—These lands are situated on the formed road from Gisborne to Wairoa, the Village of Tiniroto being about twenty-four miles south-west from Gisborne. The smaller sections, under 200 acres, are agricultural, the others agricultural and pastoral, consisting of broken ranges, covered with fern and tutu, with a little grass. Patches of bush exist in most of the gullies, the timber being mixed, but with some totara and rimu. The soil is light, resting on marl and sandstone.

Description of Lands in the Waimata Block.—These lands are eighteen miles north of Gisborne by a formed road. The general nature of the surface is broken, but with numerous flats suitable for homestead and agricultural purposes. The vegetation is fern, tutu, and other scrub, with a good deal of grass in places. The forest found in most of the gullies is mixed, but with some totara, matai, and other fencing timbers. The soil is generally good.

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.

Sale of Rural Lands, Land District of Auckland.

Crown Lands Office,
Auckland, 4th November, 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 Thursday, the 7th December, 1882, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

D. A. TOLE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

SCHEDULE.
COOK COUNTY.

MANGAORONGO Block, being Section 1, Block IV., Mangatu Survey District, and Section 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.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
PATUTAHU BLOCK, PATUTAHU SURVEY DISTRICT.			
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
	89	1,198 0 0	599 0 0
	97	1,000 0 0	500 0 0
	98	993 0 0	496 10 0
	99	997 0 0	747 15 0
	100	1,002 0 0	501 0 0
	101	1,005 0 0	502 10 0
	113	400 0 0	200 0 0
	114	600 0 0	300 0 0
	115	1,000 0 0	500 0 0
	116	988 0 0	494 0 0
	119	993 0 0	748 10 0
	120	2,632 0 0	1,316 0 0
	121	1,206 0 0	603 0 0
	122	338 0 0	169 0 0
	123	558 3 0	279 7 6
	123A	390 0 0	292 10 0
	124	1,063 0 0	797 5 0
	125	218 0 0	163 10 0
V.	1	729 0 0	364 10 0
	2	938 2 0	469 5 0
	3	1,306 3 28	653 10 0
	5	939 2 0	469 15 0
	6	860 0 0	430 0 0

These lands are situated about fifteen miles from Gisborne, on the formed main road to Wairoa, and on that leading to the Hangarao village site. The surface soil is light, resting on marl. The country is a good deal broken, but with small flats on most of the sections. The vegetation consists of fern, tutu, and flax, and a little grass, with patches of mixed bush in the gullies.

WAIMATA BLOCK, WAIMATA SURVEY DISTRICT.

XI.	1	490 1 0	490 5 0
VII.	5	679 2 12	509 12 6
	6	310 2 0	232 15 0
	8	314 2 0	314 10 0
	10	314 0 0	314 0 0
VIII.	12	312 0 0	234 0 0
IV.	14	260 0 0	260 0 0
VII.	17	554 0 0	346 5 0
	18	1,070 0 20	535 1 3
	19	664 0 0	415 0 0
IV.	20	866 0 0	433 0 0
	21	780 0 0	390 0 0

WAIHAU AND WHAKAONGAONGA BLOCKS, PATUTAHU SURVEY DISTRICT.

IX.	1 }	4,474 0 0	1,118 10 0
XIII.	1 }		
XIV.	1 }		
IX.	2 }	4,301 0 0	1,076 5 0
XII.	2 }		

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
HANGARUA SURVEY DISTRICT.			
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
X.	19 }	3,622 0 0	1,358 5 0
XI.	35 }		
X.	20	50 2 21	50 12 8
	25	140 0 0	105 0 0
	27	64 2 7	80 13 8
	28	123 3 32	154 18 9
XI.	30	128 0 30	144 4 3
	32	97 0 7	109 3 6
	36	179 0 33	201 12 3
	38	198 0 20	198 2 6
	39	124 2 20	124 12 6
XIV.	23	586 0 0	659 5 0
	24	260 1 26	260 8 3
	25	199 0 0	149 5 0
XV.	1	41 1 23	62 1 9
	2	32 3 29	49 8 0
	3	36 1 37	54 14 6
	4	30 1 16	45 10 6
	5	21 1 7	31 18 9
	6	40 3 10	61 4 6
	7	34 2 26	52 0 0
	9	27 0 13	30 9 4
	11	19 0 35	21 12 6
	12	32 3 36	37 2 0
	13	26 3 0	33 8 9
	15	23 1 8	29 2 6
	16	91 0 31	114 0 0
	18	26 0 3	32 10 6
	22	233 14 6	233 14 6
	34	177 1 6	221 11 3
	40	812 0 0	406 0 0
	41	478 0 0	358 10 0
	42	532 0 0	266 0 0
	43	722 0 0	361 0 0
	44	139 2 23	122 3 9
	45	295 2 23	184 16 4
	46	189 0 27	118 4 6
	47	812 0 0	203 0 0
	48	526 0 0	131 10 0

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

Crown Lands Office,

Patea, 4th November, 1882.

THE under-mentioned Village-settlement and Rural Lands will be Open for application, on deferred-payments, at the Land Offices, Patea, Hawera, and New Plymouth, on Tuesday, the 12th day of December, 1882; or

Will be sold by public auction, for cash, at the Land Office, New Plymouth, on Friday, the 15th day of December, 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.

On Tuesday, the 12th day of December, 1882.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
OPUNAKE SURVEY DISTRICT.			
I.	69	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
	70	43 0 0	4 0 0
	74	34 0 0	4 0 0
	100	265 0 0	3 0 0
II.	5	32 0 0	3 0 0
	8	118 0 0	2 10 0
	12	200 0 0	2 0 0
	6	130 0 0	1 10 0
	12	148 0 0	2 10 0
	12	80 0 9	4 0 0
CAPE SURVEY DISTRICT.			
IX.	5	82 0 0	3 0 0
	8	139 0 0	2 10 0
	11	102 0 0	2 0 0
	14	136 0 0	1 10 0
	19	86 0 0	3 0 0
	22	143 0 0	2 10 0
	26	108 0 0	2 0 0
	2	12 2 0	4 0 0
	3	12 0 0	4 0 0
	5	13 0 0	3 10 0
	6	10 0 0	4 0 0
	7	5 0 0	4 0 0
	8	5 0 0	4 0 0
	9	5 0 0	4 0 0
	10	5 0 0	4 0 0
	16	20 0 0	3 10 0
	17	20 0 0	3 10 0
	18	20 0 0	3 10 0
	19	20 0 0	3 10 0
	20	19 0 0	3 10 0
	24	43 0 0	3 0 0
	25	39 0 0	3 0 0
	30	47 1 0	3 10 0
	32	37 0 0	3 10 0
	34	36 0 0	3 10 0
	35	33 0 0	3 10 0
	36	30 0 0	3 10 0
	42	51 0 0	3 10 0
	44	114 0 0	3 10 0
	48	170 0 0	3 0 0
	63	30 0 0	3 10 0
	64	30 0 0	3 10 0
	65	30 0 0	3 10 0
	66	23 0 0	3 10 0
	67	10 0 0	3 10 0
	68	8 0 0	4 0 0
	69	7 0 0	4 0 0
	70	36 0 0	3 10 0
	71	29 3 2	3 10 0
	72	37 0 0	3 10 0
	73	35 0 0	3 10 0
	74	30 0 0	3 10 0
	75	20 0 0	3 10 0
	76	20 0 0	4 0 0
	77	9 0 0	4 0 0

WAIROA COUNTY.—TARAMAKA SURVEY DISTRICT.

V.	7	988 0 0	494 0 0
	8	1,362 0 0	681 0 0
IX.	1	359 0 0	179 10 0
	2	425 1 39	212 15 0
	3	1,919 0 0	959 10 0
	4	2,060 2 4	1,030 7 6
X.	1	472 2 19	236 7 6
	2	502 1 24	251 5 0
	3	532 2 32	266 7 6

Description of Land.—Block V.; Sections 7 and 8, broken, soil light but fair, a little bush for firewood in gullies, small flats along the river. Block IX.: Sections 1 and 2, undulating and flat, soil fair but light, well watered; Sections 3 and 4, broken, soil light, covered with high fern and tutu, well watered. Block X.: Section 1, undulating, soil light, well watered, covered with high fern and tutu; Sections 2 and 3, undulating and flat, soil light, well watered, covered with high fern, tutu, and grass. These lands are situate close to the road from Frasertown to Lake Waikaremoana, and about ten miles distant from the former.

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.

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.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
CAPE SURVEY DISTRICT—continued.			
XII.	78	A. R. P. 26 0 0	£ s. d. 4 0 0
	80	55 0 0	3 0 0
	81	45 0 0	3 0 0
	82	45 0 0	3 0 0
	83	130 3 0	3 0 0
	84	39 0 0	3 0 0
	85	69 0 34	3 0 0
	86	56 2 18	3 0 0

Applications may be made at the Land Offices, Patea, Hawera, or New Plymouth, on Tuesday, the 12th day of December, 1882.

Applicants for any of the above lands may send their applications and deposits, with statutory declaration as required by "The Land Act, 1877," through the post to the Land Office at Patea, Hawera, or New Plymouth, to arrive on or before Tuesday, the 12th day of December. 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 New Plymouth, on Friday, the 15th day of December, at 11 o'clock a.m.

LANDS TO BE SOLD FOR CASH.

On Friday, the 15th day of December, 1882.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
OPUNAKE SURVEY DISTRICT.			
I.	103	A. R. P. 80 0 0	£ s. d. 3 0 0
II.	4	150 0 0	2 10 0
	6	120 0 0	2 0 0
	7	120 0 0	2 0 0
	9	119 0 0	1 10 0
	10	120 0 0	1 10 0
	11	99 0 0	1 10 0
	13	100 0 0	1 0 0
	13	159 0 0	1 0 0
III.	1	159 0 0	1 0 0
V.	13	80 0 0	3 0 0
CAPE SURVEY DISTRICT.			
VIII.	62	19 1 18	4 0 0
	63	15 0 0	4 0 0
IX.	3	71 0 0	3 0 0
	4	89 0 0	3 0 0
	6	80 0 0	2 10 0
	7	110 0 0	2 10 0
	9	155 0 0	2 0 0
	10	123 0 0	2 0 0
	12	95 0 0	1 10 0
	13	113 0 0	1 10 0
	15	197 0 0	1 10 0
	17	109 0 0	3 0 0
	18	71 0 0	3 0 0
	20	95 0 0	2 10 0
	21	113 0 0	2 10 0
	23	145 0 0	2 0 0
	24	129 0 0	2 0 0
	25	107 0 0	1 10 0
	27	61 0 0	1 10 0
X.	1	210 0 0	1 0 0
	2	196 0 0	1 0 0

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

VILLAGE-SETTLEMENT LANDS.—TO BE OPEN FOR APPLICATION FOR CASH.

On Tuesday, the 12th day of December, 1882.

WAREA, CAPE SURVEY DISTRICT.

Village Allotments.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Allotment.
VIII.	99	A. R. P. 1 0 0	£ s. d. 10 0 0
	100	1 0 0	
	101	0 3 0	
	102	0 3 15	
	103	0 3 15	
	104	0 1 21	
	105	0 1 21	
	106	0 1 21	
	107	0 1 21	
	108	1 0 0	
	109	1 0 0	

Small-Farm Allotments.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
IV. VIII.	16	A. R. P. 19 1 0	£ s. d. 4 0 0
	110	2 1 8	7 10 0
	111	22 0 0	4 0 0
	112	6 2 0	5 0 0
	114	14 0 32	4 0 0
	115	8 0 0	5 0 0
	116	8 3 0	4 0 0
	117	1 2 0	5 0 0
	118	2 3 0	5 0 0
	119	4 1 0	5 0 0
	121	13 0 0	4 0 0
	122	14 2 1	4 0 0
	123	16 2 0	3 10 0
IX.	1	31 0 0	3 10 0

VILLAGE-SETTLEMENT LANDS.—ON DEFERRED PAYMENTS.

Applications to be made on Tuesday, the 12th day of December, 1882.

WAREA VILLAGE SETTLEMENT.

Small-Farm Allotments on Deferred Payments.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
IV. VIII.	17	A. R. P. 25 3 0	£ s. d. 4 10 0
	113	11 2 0	5 0 0
IX.	120	20 0 0	4 0 0
	124	50 0 0	3 10 0
	2	40 0 0	4 0 0
	16	39 0 0	3 10 0

Attention is also directed to the following Village Settlement and Small-Farm Lots which are now open for application:—

WAREA VILLAGE SETTLEMENT, CAPE SURVEY DISTRICT.

Village Allotments.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Allotment.
VIII.	21	A. R. P. 1 0 0	£ s. d. 15 0 0
	22	1 0 0	15 0 0
	23	1 0 0	15 0 0
	25	1 0 0	15 0 0
	26	1 0 0	15 0 0
	27	1 0 0	20 0 0
	28	1 0 0	15 0 0
	29	1 0 0	15 0 0
	30	1 0 0	20 0 0
	31	0 3 0	15 0 0
	32	0 3 0	15 0 0
	33	0 3 0	15 0 0

WARUA VILLAGE SETTLEMENT, CAPE SURVEY DISTRICT—
continued.
Village Allotments—continued.

Block.	Section.	Area.			Upset Price per Allotment.		
		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
	34	0	3	0	15	0	0
	35	0	2	0	10	0	0
	36	0	2	0	15	0	0
	37	0	2	0	20	0	0
	38	0	3	0	15	0	0
	39	0	3	0	15	0	0
	40	0	3	0	15	0	0
	41	0	3	0	15	0	0
	44	0	2	0	15	0	0
	45	1	0	0	15	0	0
	46	1	0	0	15	0	0
	47	1	0	0	20	0	0
	48	1	0	0	15	0	0
	49	1	0	0	15	0	0
	50	1	0	0	20	0	0
	51	1	0	0	15	0	0
	52	1	0	0	15	0	0

Small-Farm Allotments.

Block.	Section.	Area.			Upset Price per Acre.		
		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
IV.	4	10	0	0	5	0	0
	5	10	0	0	5	0	0
	6	5	0	0	5	0	0
VIII.	7	4	0	0	5	0	0
	9	5	0	0	25	0	0
	10	5	0	0	25	0	0
	11	5	0	0	25	0	0
	12	5	0	0	25	0	0
	14	5	2	0	27	10	0
	15	5	0	0	25	0	0
	16	5	0	0	25	0	0
	17	2	2	0	12	10	0
	18	2	2	0	12	10	0
	19	3	2	25	18	0	0
	54	4	0	0	20	0	0
	56	3	1	15	18	0	0
58	3	2	20	18	0	0	
60	3	2	20	10	0	0	

RAHOTU VILLAGE SETTLEMENT, OPUNAKE SURVEY DISTRICT.
Village Allotments.

Block.	Section.	Area.			Upset Price per Allotment.		
		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
I.	1	1	0	0	10	0	0
	2	1	0	0	10	0	0
	4	1	0	0	10	0	0
	5	1	0	0	10	0	0
	7	1	0	0	10	0	0
	8	1	0	0	10	0	0
	10	1	0	0	10	0	0
	11	1	0	0	10	0	0
	13	0	3	0	10	0	0
	15	0	2	0	10	0	0
	17	0	2	0	15	0	0
	18	0	2	0	15	0	0
	21	0	3	0	10	0	0
	24	0	2	0	10	0	0
	29	1	0	0	10	0	0
	32	1	0	0	10	0	0
	35	1	0	0	10	0	0
38	1	0	0	10	0	0	

Small-Farm Allotments.

Block.	Section.	Area.			Upset Price per Acre.		
		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
I.	46	15	0	0	3	10	0
	48	12	2	0	4	0	0
	50	10	1	0	3	10	0
	55	2	2	32	4	0	0
	56	2	2	32	4	0	0
	57	2	2	32	4	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, Hawera, and New Plymouth, on Tuesday, the 12th day of December 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 village allotment, 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 small-farm allotment the right to acquire 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 62 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 due on the 1st January, 1883.

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 4, 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, West Coast (North Island) Land District.

Crown Lands Office,
Patea, 4th November, 1882.

THE under-mentioned Rural Lands will be Open for application, on deferred-payments, at the Land Offices, Patea and Hawera, on Monday, the 18th December, 1882; or

Will be sold by public auction, for cash, at the Land Office, Patea, on Wednesday, the 20th December, 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.

TOWNSHIP OF RICHARDSON.

All the sections in this township will be offered at public auction at an upset of £7 10s. each, except Sections 115, 116, and 117. This township is situate about 7 miles by dray-road from Waverley, in the Momahaki Block, and the sections comprise $\frac{1}{4}$ acre each.

AGRICULTURAL RURAL LAND OPEN FOR APPLICATION ON DEFERRED PAYMENTS. On Monday, the 18th day of December, 1882.

Table with columns: Block, Section, Area, Upset Price per Acre. Includes Wairoa Survey District (Mokahaki), Orahine Survey District, and Opaku Survey District.

Applications may be made at the Land Offices, Patea or Hawera, on Monday, the 18th December. Applicants for any of the above lands may also send their applications and deposits with statutory declaration as required by "The Land Act, 1877," through the post to the Land Office, Patea, to arrive on or before Monday, the 18th December.

The following sections 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:—" OKAIWA VILLAGE SETTLEMENT.

Table with columns: Block, Section, Area, Upset Price per Acre. Lists sections 38 and 48 in Block IV.

Attention is directed to the under-mentioned sections, which are open on deferred payments, and for which applications can now be made.

Table with columns: Block, Section, Area, Upset Price per Acre. Lists sections 10 and 32 in Blocks XIII and XIII.

Table with columns: Block, Section, Area, Upset Price per Acre. Lists sections 629-632 in Block III and section 633 in Block III.

LANDS TO BE SOLD FOR CASH. On Wednesday, the 20th day of December, 1882. Wairoa Survey District (Mokahaki).

Table with columns: Block, Section, Area, Upset Price per Acre. Lists sections 3-14 in Blocks II, III, IX, and IV.

Wairoa Block.

Table with columns: Block, Section, Area, Upset Price per Acre. Lists sections 1-8 in Blocks III, IV, and IV.

Orahine Survey District.

Table with columns: Block, Section, Area, Upset Price per Acre. Lists sections 3-19 in Blocks IV and IV.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
OPAKU SURVEY DISTRICT.			
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
XIII.	1	320 0 0	1 0 0*
	2	191 2 30	1 0 0†
XIV.	2	148 0 0	1 5 0
	3	116 0 0	1 0 0
	5	166 0 0	1 0 0
	6	112 0 0	1 0 0
* With £32 added for cost of survey. † With £28 added for cost of survey.			
WAIMATE SURVEY DISTRICT.			
V.	14	10 0 0	} 5 0 0
	25	65 2 0	
	40	13 0 31	
HAWERA SURVEY DISTRICT.			
I.	45	10 0 5	} 6 0 0
	46	10 0 0	
	47	10 0 16	
	48	10 0 0	
	49	7 2 0	
	50	7 2 0	
WHENUAKURA BLOCK.			
	11	142 0 0	6 0 0*
* With £50 added for improvements.			

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.

Sale of Crown Lands at Wanganui.

Crown Lands Office,
Wellington, 7th November, 1882.

WANGANUI Harbour Board Endowment Block, situate in Manawatu, and a portion of the Tokomaru Block, Wanganui.

DEFERRED PAYMENTS.

On Thursday, the 21st December next, twenty-seven sections in the Oroua and Pohangina Survey Districts (Manawatu), and seven sections in the Tokomaru Survey District (Wanganui), will be open for selection on application at the offices of the Harbour Board, Wanganui, and at the Land Office, Wellington. Should two or more applicants apply on the same day for the same section, an auction between the applicants will be held at 10.30 a.m. on Friday, the 22nd December, at the Municipal Corporation Offices, Wanganui.

SCHEDULE.

LAND ON DEFERRED PAYMENTS.—RESIDENCE NOT COMPULSORY.

Wanganui Harbour Board Endowment.

DEFERRED PAYMENTS.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.	Survey District.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	
IX.	17	166 1 24	249 12 0	Pohangina.
	22	140 0 16	210 3 0	"
	23	154 2 32	232 1 0	"
	24	128 0 0	192 0 0	"
	27	295 3 8	443 14 0	"
	29	181 2 32	272 11 0	"
	31	158 0 0	237 0 0	"
	33	205 2 16	308 8 0	"
	37	170 0 0	255 0 0	"
	60	116 1 8	174 9 0	"
	61	73 0 32	109 16 0	"
	62	71 3 24	107 17 0	"
	65	104 2 0	156 15 0	"
	66	142 2 32	214 1 0	"
	68	157 1 8	235 19 0	"
	70	204 1 8	306 9 0	"
	71	227 2 32	341 11 0	"
72	210 0 32	315 6 0	"	

DEFERRED PAYMENTS—*continue*l.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.	Survey District.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	
IX.	73	196 2 16	294 18 0	Pohangina.
	74	236 3 24	355 7 0	"
	75	238 2 16	357 18 0	"
XIII.	55	68 2 8	102 16 6	"
	59	137 0 25	205 14 6	"
XII.	6	123 0 0	184 0 0	Oroua.
	7	184 0 16	276 3 0	"
	9	240 0 0	360 0 0	"
	14	193 2 39	290 12 6	"
TOKOMARU BLOCK, WANGANUI. <i>Deferred Payments.</i>				
V.	11	311 2 0	311 10 0	Waipakura.
	14	184 0 0	276 0 0	"
IX.	1	155 2 0	233 5 0	"
	6	137 2 0	275 0 0	"
	16	108 2 0	162 15 0	"
	20	144 0 0	216 0 0	"
	23	198 1 27	396 16 8	"

ON CASH PAYMENTS.

On Friday, the 22nd December next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, twenty-four sections in the Oroua and Pohangina Districts, and seventeen sections in the Tokomaru Block, will be offered for sale by public auction, for cash, in the Municipal Corporation Offices, Wanganui.

SCHEDULE.

WANGANUI HARBOUR BOARD ENDOWMENT BLOCK.
CASH PAYMENT.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.	Survey District.	
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.		
IX.	18	115 1 24	144 5 0	Pohangina.	
	19	112 1 24	140 10 0	"	
	20	117 0 0	146 5 0	"	
	21	152 0 16	190 2 6	"	
	32	165 1 24	206 15 0	"	
	34	311 2 17	339 10 0	"	
	35	202 2 16	253 5 0	"	
	36	253 2 0	316 17 6	"	
	63	73 2 0	91 17 6	"	
	64	112 0 32	140 5 0	"	
	67	132 0 32	165 5 0	"	
	69	164 3 8	206 0 0	"	
	76	218 3 8	273 10 0	"	
	77	128 2 32	160 17 6	"	
	XIII.	33	89 1 13	111 13 0	"
		39	90 1 0	112 16 3	"
		40	125 2 0	156 17 6	"
42		182 2 0	228 2 6	"	
53		87 0 0	108 15 0	"	
57		92 0 0	115 0 0	"	
XII.	58	121 0 0	151 5 0	"	
	10	217 0 7	271 6 0	Oroua.	
	11	229 0 0	286 5 0	"	
	16	196 0 0	245 0 0	"	

TOKOMARU BLOCK.

Cash Sections.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.	Survey District.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	
V.	8	207 0 0	310 0 0	Waipakura.
	9	318 0 0	477 0 0	"
	10	310 0 0	310 0 0	"
	13	147 2 0	221 5 0	"
	15	179 3 0	269 12 6	"
	21	208 0 0	208 0 0	"
	25	177 0 0	177 0 0	"
	IX.	2	172 0 0	172 0 0
X.	3	149 0 0	298 0 0	"
	4	196 0 0	294 0 0	"
	5	152 2 0	228 15 0	"
	7	205 1 0	307 17 6	"
	17	92 0 0	184 0 0	"
	19	78 3 0	157 10 0	"
	21A	79 3 0	79 15 0	"
	22	265 2 0	265 10 0	"
24	190 0 0	285 0 0	"	

Terms of Payment.—With the application for *deferred-payment* sections, one-twentieth of the upset price; the balance in half-yearly instalments, extending over ten years. For the *cash* sections, one-fourth at the fall of the hammer, and the balance, with Crown-grant fee, within one month from day of sale.

The Harbour Board Block is covered with valuable timber, including totara. Settlement on the block is satisfactorily progressing, twenty-six sections having been purchased. Approachable by good roads. Distance from Palmerston, about fourteen miles.

The Tokomaru sections are undulating and hilly, well watered, and accessible by roads formed and in progress. The growth of timber is light, interspersed with fern; the soil good. Distance from Wanganui, about thirteen miles.

Lithographed maps and schedules are in course of preparation, and when ready for distribution notice will be given by newspaper advertisements.

Jos. G. HOLDSWORTH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Sale of Crown Lands, Hawke's Bay Land District.

Crown Lands Office,
Napier, 7th November, 1882.

NOTICE is hereby given that the lands referred to in the Schedules hereunder will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Council Chamber, Napier, on Wednesday, the 13th December next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

Terms and conditions may be ascertained on application at this office.

J. T. TYLEE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

SCHEDULE OF SUBURBAN SECTIONS, AWATOTO, FOR SALE FOR CASH.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
23 to 28	0 2 0 each	10 0 0
30 to 37	0 2 0 "	10 0 0
39 to 40	0 2 0 "	10 0 0

The above sections are situated between two and three miles from Napier, on the Main South Road, each having a frontage to the railway-line.

SCHEDULE OF LANDS WHICH HAVE BEEN CLASSIFIED UNDER "THE LAND ACT, 1882," FOR SALE FOR CASH.

FIRST-CLASS LAND.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
WOODVILLE SURVEY DISTRICT.			
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
VI.	2	271 2 0	271 10 0
IX.	16	149 0 0	149 0 0
	25	137 0 0	172 5 0
	33	135 2 0	169 7 6
TAHORAITE SURVEY DISTRICT.			
IX.	21	200 0 0	200 0 0

Description.—The lands in the Woodville and Tahoraite Districts are agricultural and pastoral forest, about five miles from Woodville, to which access is given by roads cleared and formed. The distance from Napier is about ninety miles, of which seventy-one miles are by rail.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
NORSEWOOD SURVEY DISTRICT.			
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
III.	13	50 0 7	75 1 6
	20	100 0 0	100 0 0
	23	50 0 20	62 13 0
VI.	9	35 3 5	53 13 6
	15	73 1 17	73 7 0
	19	83 3 22	125 16 6
	21	135 3 0	169 13 9
	24	59 0 11	88 12 0
TAKAPAU SURVEY DISTRICT.			
VI.	2	85 3 38	86 0 0
	8	44 0 30	88 7 6
	10	43 2 0	87 0 0
X.	3	44 2 16	89 4 0

Description.—Norsewood District: Mixed forest, some good agricultural land where level, the hilly parts suited for pastoral purposes; distance from Napier about seventy-two miles, of which sixty-five miles are by rail.

Takapau District: Forest land, with some good timber; soil generally light; situated between Ormondville and Kopua. Section 3 has a frontage to the railway-line.

THIRD-CLASS LAND.

NORSEWOOD SURVEY DISTRICT.

III.	21	138 2 0	69 5 0
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MAUNGAHARURU SURVEY DISTRICT.—POHUI BUSH.

IX.	16	25 1 6	12 13 0
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Description.—The section at Pohui Bush is pastoral land, partly bush, partly open, distant about one mile from Napier-Taupo Road.

SCHEDULE OF LANDS FOR SALE ON DEFERRED PAYMENTS.

BUSH MILLS SPECIAL SETTLEMENT.

	17	150 0 0	150 0 0
	18	150 0 0	150 0 0

Description.—The Bush Mills Settlement is in the Woodville District, about two and a half miles from the township.

NORSEWOOD SURVEY DISTRICT.

III.	16	74 1 0	111 7 6
	28	50 0 0	90 0 0*
VI.	3	50 0 0	62 10 0
	5	50 0 0	125 0 0†

* £15, which must be paid in cash at sale, added for improvements.
† £50, which must be paid in cash at sale, added for improvements.

SMALL-FARM ALLOTMENT, KUMEROA.

III.	11	9 3 26	55 5 8*
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* £30 10s., which must be paid in cash at sale, added for improvements.

Sale of Pastoral Leases of Crown Lands.—Preliminary Notice.

General Crown Lands Office,
Wellington, 20th September, 1882.

ONE million seven hundred and fifty thousand acres of Crown lands will shortly be open for pastoral lease in the Provincial District of Otago, New Zealand.

This country is at present held under lease in forty-six runs until the 1st March, 1884, and will again be offered in runs suitable to the nature of the country; but no lessee will be allowed to take up more than will carry twenty thousand sheep or four thousand head of cattle.

The leases will be for a term of years to be hereafter determined; but in no case will any lease be for a period exceeding twenty-one years.

Compensation for improvement up to three years' rental will be allowed at the end of the lease.

In order to give new pastoral lessees time to make arrangements, the licenses will, in terms of the Land Acts, be sold by public auction, at the Land Office, Dunedin, in the latter end of February, 1883, twelve months before possession is to be given. One year's rent will be payable in advance on the license at the time of sale.

The country has been occupied for upwards of twenty years. It is well grassed, well watered, sound, and healthy.

Distance from port by good roads and railways part of the way, from thirty to one hundred and fifty miles.

Maps and further particulars will be obtainable shortly at the Land Offices of New Zealand, and at places in the Australian Colonies, to be named in future advertisements.

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Lands.

Leases of Southland Runs to be sold by Auction.

Crown Lands Office,
Invercargill, 7th October, 1882.

THE following Licenses of Runs, for a term of ten years, commencing the 1st March, 1883, will be offered by auction, at the Land Office, Invercargill, at noon, on Wednesday, the 20th December next (the upset rental of 2d. per acre per annum), under the general conditions contained in "The Land Act, 1877," and "The Land Act 1877 Amendment Act, 1879." Plans showing boundaries can be seen at Land Offices throughout the colony:—

Run 119B, about 2,700 acres, known as Lora Station, Southland County, Hokonui District. Upset rent, £22 10s. per annum. License fee, £5.

Run 143, about 9,650 acres, known as Benmore Station, Southland County, Hokonui District. Upset rent, £80 8s. 4d. per annum. License fee, £7 10s.

Run 148A, about 8,950 acres, adjoining above. Upset rent, £74 11s. 8d. per annum. License fee, £7 10s.

Run 154A, about 1,008 acres, adjoining Run 154, Avondale, Southland County, Taringatura District. Upset rent, £8 8s. per annum. License fee, £5.

Run 181A, about 4,901 acres, being subdivision of Castle Rock Station, Wallace County, Taringatura District. Upset rent, £40 16s. 10d. per annum. License fee, £5.

Run 188A, about 11,200 acres, known as Centre Hill Station, Wallace County, Centre Hill District. Upset rent, £93 6s. 8d. per annum. License fee, £10.

Run 188B, about 10,200 acres, adjoining above. Upset rent, £85 per annum. License fee, £10.

Run 188c, about 10,300 acres, adjoining above. Upset rent, £85 16s. 8d. per annum. License fee, £10.

Run 198A, about 10,800 acres, known as Dunrobin Station, Wallace County, Centre Hill District. Upset rent, £90 per annum. License fee, £10.

Run 198B, about 15,400 acres, adjoining above. Upset rent, £128 6s. 8d. per annum. License fee, £10.

Run 302A, about 6,200 acres, adjoining Five Rivers Estate, Southland County, Eyre District. Upset rent, £51 13s. 4d. per annum. License fee, £7 10s.

Run 302c, about 10,250 acres, known as Eyre Creek Station, Southland County, Eyre District. Upset rent, £85 8s. 4d. per annum. License fee, £10.

Run 119A, about 4,210 acres, known as Wantwood Station, Southland County, Hokonui District. Upset rent, £35 1s. 8d. per annum. License fee, £5.

Run 207, about 6,030 acres, known as Longridge Station, Southland County, Hokonui District. Upset rent, £50 5s. per annum. License fee, £7 10s.

Run 300B, about 7,150 acres, known as Burwood Station, Wallace County, Takitimo District. Upset rent, £59 11s. 8d. per annum. License fee, £7 10s.

Run 146, about 7,700 acres, known as Caroline Station, Southland County, Hokonui District. Upset rent, £64 3s. 4d. per annum. License fee, £7 10s.

Run 302, about 7,050 acres, known as Eyre Creek, Southland County, Eyre District. Upset rent, £58 15s. per annum. License fee, £7 10s.

Run 191A, Eyre District, containing 3,200 acres, more or less, being in close proximity to the Winton and Kingston Railway, above Lowther Township. Upset rent, £26 13s. 4d. License fee, £7 10s.

At the same time and place will be offered for sale, at the upset price of £1 per acre, under the conditions contained in "The Land Act, 1877," relating to the sale of pastoral lands on deferred payments, the following areas:—

Section 180, Wairio District, containing 3,900 acres more or less, being a subdivision of Run 143, and in close proximity to the Nightcaps Coal Field.

Section 181, Wairio District, adjoining above, about 2,650 acres.

W. H. PEARSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Standing Orders on Local Bills.

THE following amended Standing Orders of the Houses of the General Assembly relative to Local Bills are published for general information.

F. E. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of Parliaments.

16th October, 1882.

1. Local Bills are those which, not being Private Bills, affect particular localities only.

2. No Local Bill shall be read a second time unless notice shall have been given of the said Bill in the locality to which the Bill refers. Such notice shall state explicitly the object which such Bill is intended to effect, and shall have been published once at least in each of three successive weeks before the second reading in a newspaper circulating in such locality.

3. At the time of the first publication of such notice, a copy of the Bill shall be deposited in the Resident Magistrate's Court of the district, and shall be open to public inspection.

4. When it is intended in such Bill to take power to deal with any lands, plans or surveys of such lands, on a scale of not less than two inches to a mile, and certified by an authorized surveyor, shall be deposited with the Bill.

5. In the case of Bills authorizing the construction of harbour works, or the raising of further loans for the completion of harbour works previously authorized, such Bill shall be accompanied by a statement of the financial position of the promoters, an estimate of the cost of construction, and the estimated increased revenue to be derived from the proposed works, together with the plans or surveys before mentioned.

6. Before the Bill is introduced into the Legislative Council or House of Representatives, the before-mentioned plans or surveys and estimates shall be forwarded to the office of the Clerk of the House in which the Bill is to be initiated.

Traffic Returns.

NEW ZEALAND RAILWAYS.—Traffic Returns for the Four Weeks ending the 14th October, 1882:—

WHANGAREI SECTION.

	1882.			1881.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class ...	162	156	318	80	92	172
2nd Class ...	306	274	580	181	132	313
Total	468	430	898	261	224	485
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Horses ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Carriages ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dogs ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total...	...	...	...	...	...	...
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cattle ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Calves ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sheep ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pigs ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chaff, &c. ...			Tons.			Tons.
Wool ...	...	...	5	...	...	...
Firewood ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Timber ...	...	...	10	...	...	...
Grain ...	...	...	9	...	...	6
Merchandise ...	...	...	29	...	...	8
Minerals ...	...	...	2,398	...	...	750
Total...	...	...	2,451	...	...	764
RECEIPTS,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers ...	...	...	26 0 9	...	...	14 16 10
Parcels and Luggage ...	...	...	0 13 6	...	...	0 5 6
Goods ...	...	...	250 19 6	...	...	78 10 2
Miscellaneous ...	...	...	...	...	...	3 2 0
Rents and Commission ...	...	...	0 5 0	...	...	...
Total ...	...	...	£277 18 9	...	...	£96 14 6

AUCKLAND SECTION.

	1882.			1881.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class ...	4,017	2,656	6,673	2,896	1,656	4,552
2nd Class ...	11,831	7,520	19,351	10,866	6,516	17,382
Total	15,848	10,176	26,024	13,762	8,172	21,934
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels ...	...	...	2,499	...	...	2,003
Horses ...	...	...	45	...	...	58
Carriages ...	...	...	8	...	...	4
Dogs ...	...	...	136	...	...	106
Total...	...	...	2,688	...	...	2,171
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays ...	...	...	6	...	...	...
Cattle ...	...	...	696	...	...	844
Calves ...	...	...	229	...	...	137
Sheep ...	...	...	1,468	...	...	885
Pigs ...	...	...	123	...	...	12
Total...	...	...	2,522	...	...	1,878
Chaff, &c. ...			Tons.			Tons.
Wool ...	...	...	75	...	...	6
Firewood ...	...	...	11	...	...	30
Timber ...	...	...	165	...	...	526
Grain ...	...	...	1,142	...	...	343
Merchandise ...	...	...	563	...	...	2,005
Minerals ...	...	...	2,727	...	...	3,303
Total...	...	...	6,508	...	...	6,213
RECEIPTS,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers ...	...	...	2,344 15 10	...	...	2,184 4 3
Parcels and Luggage ...	...	...	278 18 0	...	...	233 7 2
Goods ...	...	...	3,560 16 11	...	...	2,820 16 9
Miscellaneous ...	...	...	16 12 2	...	...	7 13 9
Rents and Commission ...	...	...	20 14 9	...	...	10 17 3
Total ...	...	...	£6,221 17 8	...	...	£5,256 19 2

NAPIER SECTION.

	1882.			1881.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class ...	2,284	1,348	3,632	1,915	930	2,845
2nd Class ...	7,411	4,972	12,383	6,366	1,836	8,202
Total	9,695	6,320	16,015	8,281	2,766	11,047
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels ...	...	...	1,178	...	...	1,058
Horses ...	...	...	46	...	...	41
Carriages ...	...	...	19	...	...	22
Dogs ...	...	...	70	...	...	14
Total...	...	...	1,313	...	...	1,135
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays ...	...	...	5	...	...	4
Cattle ...	...	...	20	...	...	25
Calves ...	...	...	18	...	...	3
Sheep ...	...	...	263	...	...	150
Pigs ...	...	...	...	...	...	27
Total...	...	...	306	...	...	209
Chaff, &c. ...			Tons.			Tons.
Wool ...	...	...	55	...	...	62
Firewood ...	...	...	58	...	...	795
Timber ...	...	...	905	...	...	1,030
Grain ...	...	...	1,557	...	...	159
Merchandise ...	...	...	202	...	...	741
Minerals ...	...	...	787	...	...	442
Total...	...	...	3,705	...	...	3,229
RECEIPTS,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers ...	...	...	1,400 0 10	...	...	1,333 10 9
Parcels and Luggage ...	...	...	109 2 1	...	...	94 2 7
Goods ...	...	...	1,572 19 10	...	...	1,147 10 0
Miscellaneous ...	...	...	27 6 1	...	...	21 7 2
Rents and Commission ...	...	...	10 16 0	...	...	0 14 10
Total...	...	...	£3,120 4 10	...	...	£2,597 5 4

WELLINGTON SECTION.

	1882.			1881.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class ...	2,260	1,408	3,668	1,926	846	2,772
2nd Class ...	7,619	3,352	10,971	6,323	3,424	9,747
Total	9,879	4,760	14,639	8,249	4,270	12,519
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels ...	...	...	1,446	...	...	1,133
Horses ...	...	...	20	...	...	14
Carriages ...	...	...	5	...	...	12
Dogs ...	...	...	53	...	...	67
Total...	...	...	1,529	...	...	1,226
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays ...	...	...	3	...	...	...
Cattle ...	...	...	12	...	...	17
Calves ...	...	...	56	...	...	23
Sheep ...	...	...	3,075	...	...	2,149
Pigs ...	...	...	62	...	...	...
Total...	...	...	3,208	...	...	2,189
Chaff, &c. ...			Tons.			Tons.
Wool ...	...	...	65	...	...	28
Firewood ...	...	...	18	...	...	535
Timber ...	...	...	700	...	...	1,288
Grain ...	...	...	1,576	...	...	218
Merchandise ...	...	...	166	...	...	744
Minerals ...	...	...	560	...	...	226
Total...	...	...	3,604	...	...	3,039
RECEIPTS,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers ...	...	...	1,421 14 0	...	...	1,267 9 7
Parcels and Luggage ...	...	...	144 10 4	...	...	134 17 8
Goods ...	...	...	1,803 7 5	...	...	1,565 0 3
Miscellaneous ...	...	...	2 16 8	...	...	40 0 8
Rents and Commission ...	...	...	33 14 6	...	...	25 17 5
Total...	...	...	£3,406 2 11	...	...	£3,033 5 7

WANGANUI SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1882.			1881.				
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.		
1st Class ...	1,608	623	2,230	1,604	668	2,272		
2nd Class ...	6,013	2,978	8,991	5,686	2,392	8,078		
Total ...	7,621	3,600	11,221	7,290	3,060	10,350		
PARCELS, ETC.,—								
			No.	No.				
Parcels ...			1,332	1,343				
Horses ...			28	32				
Carriages ...			10	3				
Dogs ...			103	92				
Total ...			1,473	1,470				
GOODS,—								
			No.	No.				
Drays ...			2	4				
Cattle ...			12	9				
Calves ...			2	...				
Sheep ...			373	266				
Pigs ...			199	126				
Total ...			583	405				
RECEIPTS,—								
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers ...			1,302	5	11	1,434	5	4
Parcels and Luggage ...			119	3	10	113	5	11
Goods ...			1,874	6	5	2,123	1	7
Miscellaneous ...			59	6	0	40	16	2
Rents and Commission ...			21	13	2	19	7	5
Total ...			£3,376	15	4	£3,735	16	5

NEW PLYMOUTH SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1882.			1881.				
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.		
1st Class ...	471	200	671	316	3,280	3,596		
2nd Class ...	5,068	1,490	6,558	2,021	928	2,949		
Total ...	5,539	1,690	7,229	2,337	4,208	6,545		
PARCELS, ETC.,—								
			No.	No.				
Parcels ...			664	412				
Horses ...			9	7				
Carriages ...			1	...				
Dogs ...			43	45				
Total ...			717	464				
GOODS,—								
			No.	No.				
Drays ...			4	...				
Cattle ...			21	1				
Calves ...			1	1				
Sheep ...			690	...				
Pigs ...			...	4		
Total ...			716	6				
RECEIPTS,—								
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers ...			592	3	5	457	16	6
Parcels and Luggage ...			52	8	6	33	16	9
Goods ...			494	13	11	425	19	11
Miscellaneous ...			91	8	4	2	1	9
Rents and Commission ...			4	15	0
Total ...			£1,235	9	2	£919	14	11

HURUNUI-BLUFF SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1882.			1881.				
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.		
1st Class ...	18,855	13,162	32,017	17,948	12,802	30,250		
2nd Class ...	63,148	39,580	102,728	61,595	37,252	98,847		
Total ...	82,003	52,742	134,745	79,543	49,554	129,097		
PARCELS, ETC.,—								
			No.	No.				
Parcels ...			15,626	15,273				
Horses ...			691	676				
Carriages ...			57	47				
Dogs ...			993	886				
Total ...			17,367	16,882				
GOODS,—								
			No.	No.				
Drays ...			32	42				
Cattle ...			909	712				
Calves ...			81	105				
Sheep ...			18,441	12,979				
Pigs ...			856	863				
Total ...			20,319	14,701				
RECEIPTS,—								
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers ...			15,905	11	8	14,987	16	3
Parcels and Luggage ...			1,985	9	10	2,026	11	4
Goods ...			25,978	0	7	22,004	5	3
Miscellaneous ...			1,452	15	7	1,298	5	4
Rents and Commission ...			331	3	4	393	16	3
Total ...			£45,653	1	0	£40,710	14	5

GREYMOOUTH SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1882.			1881.				
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.		
1st Class ...	228	72	300	117	78	195		
2nd Class ...	931	868	1,799	732	526	1,258		
Total ...	1,159	940	2,099	849	604	1,453		
PARCELS, ETC.,—								
			No.	No.				
Parcels ...			131	...				
Horses ...			...	...
Carriages ...			...	...
Dogs ...			14	6				
Total ...			145	6				
GOODS,—								
			No.	No.				
Drays ...			...	...
Cattle ...			...	...
Calves ...			...	...
Sheep ...			1	...				
Pigs ...			...	...
Total ...			1	...				
RECEIPTS,—								
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers ...			120	14	8	109	16	6
Parcels and Luggage ...			4	14	9	4	12	0
Goods ...			839	16	3	685	7	6
Miscellaneous ...			44	13	6	43	10	2
Rents and Commission ...			21	5	0	21	5	0
Total ...			£1,031	4	2	£864	11	2

WESTPORT SECTION.

	1882.			1881.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class ...	...	...	...	9	3	12
2nd Class ...	872	366	1,238	584	336	920
Total...	872	366	1,238	593	339	932
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels ...	...	...	173	...	...	166
Horses ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Carriages ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dogs ...	...	...	1	...	...	1
Total...	...	...	174	...	...	167
Goods,—			No.			No.
Drays ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cattle ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Calves ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sheep ...	...	...	10	...	...	...
Pigs ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total...	...	...	10	...	...	...
			Tons.			Tons.
Chaff, &c. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wool ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Firewood ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Timber ...	...	...	146	...	...	58
Grain ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Merchandise ...	...	...	69	...	...	123
Minerals ...	...	...	4,160	...	...	2,167
Total...	...	...	4,375	...	...	2,348
RECEIPTS,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers ...	...	...	75 15 0	...	...	25 7 11
Parcels and Luggage ...	...	...	2 7 7	...	...	2 3 3
Goods ...	...	...	625 7 2	...	...	385 15 9
Miscellaneous ...	...	...	240 5 6	...	...	0 8 0
Rents and Commission ...	...	...	2 10 0	...	...	9 16 0
Total	...	...	£946 5 3	...	...	£423 10 11

NELSON SECTION.

	1882.			1881.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class ...	187	138	325	195	78	273
2nd Class ...	2,641	2,080	4,721	2,269	1,766	4,035
Total ...	2,828	2,218	5,046	2,464	1,844	4,308
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels ...	...	...	227	...	...	222
Horses ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Carriages ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dogs ...	...	...	6	...	...	5
Total...	...	...	233	...	...	227
Goods,—			No.			No.
Drays ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cattle ...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Calves ...	...	...	2	...	...	1
Sheep ...	...	...	20	...	...	...
Pigs ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total...	...	...	22	...	...	2

NELSON SECTION—continued.

	1882.			1881.		
	Tons.			Tons.		
GOODS—continued.						
Chaff, &c. ...	10	...	...	5	...	...
Wool ...	4	...	...	5	...	...
Firewood ...	335	...	...	130	...	...
Timber ...	244	...	...	145	...	...
Grain ...	38	...	...	81	...	...
Merchandise ...	136	...	...	102	...	...
Minerals ...	46	...	...	21	...	...
Total...	813	...	...	489	...	...
RECEIPTS,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers ...	...	...	305 14 11	...	...	272 3 10
Parcels and Luggage ...	...	...	7 5 9	...	...	7 16 10
Goods ...	...	...	387 10 8	...	...	278 11 8
Miscellaneous ...	...	...	...	...	...	0 9 2
Rents and Commission ...	...	...	19 4 0	...	...	15 0
Total	...	...	£719 15 4	...	...	£574 1 6

PICTON SECTION.

	1882.			1881.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class ...	428	362	790	377	170	547
2nd Class ...	596	1,110	1,706	612	992	1,604
Total	1,024	1,472	2,496	989	1,162	2,151
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels ...	...	...	90	...	...	77
Horses ...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Carriages ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dogs ...	...	...	8	...	...	11
Total...	...	...	98	...	...	90
Goods,—			No.			No.
Drays ...	...	...	1	...	...	1
Cattle ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Calves ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sheep ...	...	...	28	...	...	50
Pigs ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total...	...	...	29	...	...	51
			No.			No.
Chaff, &c. ...	...	...	50	...	...	...
Wool ...	...	...	12	...	...	6
Firewood ...	...	...	420	...	...	440
Timber ...	...	...	220	...	...	426
Grain ...	...	...	44	...	...	90
Merchandise ...	...	...	401	...	...	183
Minerals ...	...	...	34	...	...	136
Total...	...	...	1,181	...	...	1,281
RECEIPTS,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers ...	...	...	219 4 8	...	...	180 4 10
Parcels and Luggage ...	...	...	4 19 0	...	...	5 16 2
Goods ...	...	...	305 10 0	...	...	300 6 2
Miscellaneous ...	...	...	5 1 4	...	...	2 14 8
Rents and Commission ...	...	...	11 12 0	...	...	4 0 0
Total	...	...	£546 7 0	...	...	£493 1 10

J. P. MAXWELL,

General Manager, New Zealand Railways.
Railway Department, 15th November, 1882.

N.Z.R.—FINANCIAL YEAR 1882-83.

RAILWAY WORKING ACCOUNT, showing the Receipts and Expenditure to the Termination of the Four-weekly Period ending 14th October, 1882.

Section.	Miles Open for Traffic.	RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.		Per Cent. of Receipts.	FOR A TWELVE-MONTHLY PERIOD, AVERAGE TO DATE.	
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.		Receipts per Mile of Railway.	Expenditure per Mile of Railway.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
NORTH ISLAND,—								
Kawakawa ...	...	...	310 11 2	...	...	...	...	...
Whangarei ...	5	277 18 9	1,664 19 5	182 12 10	1,156 14 2	69.47	618 8 4	429 12 7
Auckland ...	139	6,221 17 8	40,635 5 6	3,807 16 9	27,984 16 5	68.87	542 18 4	373 18 0
Napier ...	70	3,120 4 10	17,715 18 4	1,518 14 10	11,817 12 6	66.71	470 0 2	313 10 7
Wellington ...	69	3,406 2 11	22,697 10 4	2,683 8 5	17,431 13 7	76.80	610 18 2	469 3 7
Wanganui ...	115	3,376 15 4	22,700 3 10	2,737 11 10	18,579 17 1	81.85	366 11 9	300 1 0
New Plymouth ...	51	1,235 9 2	8,906 14 4	921 9 11	6,667 12 2	74.86	324 6 7	242 16 0
Total ...	449	17,638 8 8	114,631 2 11	11,851 14 7	83,638 5 11	72.96		
MIDDLE ISLAND,—								
Hurunui-Bluff ...	848	45,653 1 0	359,188 0 10	33,675 2 4	226,978 14 8	63.19	799 9 2	505 4 0
Greymouth ...	8	1,031 4 2	6,366 6 11	446 11 6	2,900 7 4	45.56	1,477 18 0	673 6 0
Westport ...	10	946 5 3	5,655 16 5	394 19 10	2,839 2 3	50.20	1,050 7 4	527 5 2
Nelson ...	23	719 15 4	4,506 14 8	541 14 7	3,549 13 10	78.76	363 18 0	286 12 5
Picton ...	18	546 7 0	4,236 13 7	407 1 10	3,172 6 3	74.88	437 2 4	327 6 0
Total ...	907	48,896 12 9	379,953 12 5	35,465 10 1	239,440 4 4	63.02		
Grand Total ...	1,356	66,535 1 5	494,584 15 4	47,317 4 8	323,078 10 3	65.32		

CORRESPONDING PERIOD LAST YEAR.

Section.	Miles Open for Traffic.	RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.		Per Cent. of Receipts.	FOR A TWELVE-MONTHLY PERIOD, AVERAGE TO DATE.	
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.		Receipts per Mile of Railway.	Expenditure per Mile of Railway.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
NORTH ISLAND,—								
Kawakawa ...	...	...	310 11 2	...	...	...	...	...
Whangarei ...	5	96 14 6	825 8 8	172 4 9	884 18 8	107.21	306 11 9	323 13 9
Auckland ...	139	5,256 19 2	37,956 6 1	3,765 1 4	25,431 8 10	67.00	523 5 2	350 11 9
Napier ...	70	2,597 5 4	15,899 12 4	1,590 0 4	9,841 16 10	61.90	421 16 7	261 2 2
Wellington ...	69	3,033 5 7	20,024 18 11	2,142 16 4	15,533 0 2	77.57	538 19 4	418 1 4
Wanganui ...	115	2,735 16 5	22,265 12 0	2,235 0 11	13,952 7 6	62.66	359 11 4	225 6 4
New Plymouth ...	49	919 14 11	6,158 17 10	818 14 8	4,724 1 1	76.70	251 11 7	192 19 4
Total ...	447	15,639 15 11	103,441 7 0	10,723 18 4	70,357 13 1	68.03		
MIDDLE ISLAND,—								
Hurunui-Bluff ...	797	40,710 14 5	338,615 17 1	26,072 13 3	194,155 6 6	57.34	792 8 9	454 7 4
Greymouth ...	8	864 11 2	5,485 9 7	363 5 3	2,754 10 5	50.21	1,273 8 2	639 8 9
Westport ...	10	423 10 11	3,298 13 2	330 18 11	2,028 3 10	61.49	612 12 2	376 13 2
Nelson ...	23	574 1 6	4,391 15 5	474 12 7	3,345 13 7	76.18	383 3 4	291 18 0
Picton ...	18	493 1 10	3,853 13 6	306 8 10	2,379 17 9	61.76	376 13 7	232 12 4
Total ...	856	43,065 19 10	355,615 8 9	27,547 18 10	204,663 12 1	57.55		
Grand Total ...	1,303	58,705 15 9	459,086 15 9	38,271 17 2	275,031 5 2	59.91		

Railway Department, 15th November, 1882.

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

HURUNUI-BLUFF SECTION.—MAIN SECTIONS AND BRANCHES.—Four-weekly Period ending 14th October, 1882.

Name.	Miles Open for Traffic.	RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.		Per Cent. of Receipts.
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	
Christchurch Section	162	£ 14,649 6 5	£ 125,543 1 10	£ 9,842 16 2	£ 66,674 12 11	53.11
Oxford, Rangiora, and Eyreton Branch	43	537 10 8	4,054 5 7	757 5 5	4,762 7 10	117.46
Southbridge Branch	42	821 12 5	6,942 7 3	811 14 0	5,102 1 9	73.49
Springfield Branch	43	865 14 0	6,826 4 10	706 18 8	5,316 8 9	77.88
Total	290	16,874 3 6	143,365 19 6	12,118 14 3	81,855 11 3	57.10
Oamaru Section	108	5,955 12 7	46,618 10 9	4,449 5 4	31,687 13 0	67.97
Albury Branch	26	384 15 3	4,000 10 0	412 4 3	2,329 17 2	58.24
Duntroon Branch	22	251 1 7	2,570 6 3	1,257 6 1	5,473 17 2	212.96
Ngapara Branch	15	237 10 11	1,604 19 3	269 9 0	1,664 1 11	103.68
Total	171	6,829 0 4	54,794 6 3	6,388 4 8	41,155 9 3	75.11
Dunedin Section	115	14,280 7 1	103,094 11 5	8,879 8 7	62,503 10 0	60.63
Walton Park Branch	3	88 12 7	441 1 1	95 5 1	574 16 8	130.33
Outram Branch	9	142 4 11	1,416 12 7	301 19 7	1,767 3 5	124.74
Lawrence Branch	22	527 19 11	3,934 13 1	524 10 5	3,954 19 9	100.52
Total	149	15,039 4 6	103,886 18 2	9,801 3 8	68,800 9 10	63.19
Invercargill Section	175	5,905 11 0	44,225 12 4	4,277 0 1	28,891 5 7	65.33
Tapanui Branch	15	132 18 1	1,015 9 9	213 13 11	1,484 18 0	146.22
Riverton Branch	48	872 3 7	6,899 14 10	876 5 9	4,791 0 9	69.44
Total	238	6,910 12 8	52,140 16 11	5,366 19 9	35,167 4 4	67.45
Grand Total	848	45,653 1 0	359,188 0 10	33,675 2 4	226,978 14 8	63.19

CORRESPONDING PERIOD LAST YEAR.

Christchurch Section	145	£ 13,200 0 1	£ 122,956 18 4	£ 7,058 13 10	£ 58,895 11 1	47.90
Oxford, Rangiora, & Eyreton Branch	43	536 1 10	3,689 15 3	480 19 11	3,706 17 4	100.46
Southbridge Branch	25	643 15 1	6,796 14 1	530 7 5	4,931 2 6	72.55
Springfield Branch	43	901 5 2	7,616 16 10	648 19 6	5,098 7 8	66.93
Total	256	15,281 2 2	141,060 4 6	8,719 0 8	72,631 18 7	51.49
Oamaru Section	108	5,029 14 6	42,049 2 5	3,658 0 7	26,482 8 7	62.98
Albury Branch	26	345 5 10	3,857 3 2	273 6 6	2,069 4 1	53.64
Duntroon Branch	21	260 1 6	2,555 3 6	343 5 11	2,186 11 3	85.57
Ngapara Branch	15	137 8 5	1,798 18 4	213 6 9	1,621 3 10	90.12
Total	170	5,772 10 3	50,260 7 5	4,487 19 9	32,359 7 9	64.38
Dunedin Section	115	13,019 10 3	96,448 13 2	7,576 5 0	52,281 5 11	54.21
Walton Park Branch	3	63 6 2	479 5 8	69 17 4	515 0 2	107.45
Outram Branch	9	193 7 7	1,470 6 6	280 17 1	1,548 5 2	105.30
Lawrence Branch	22	558 18 6	3,877 10 5	461 17 10	3,834 8 11	98.89
Total	149	13,835 2 6	102,275 15 9	8,388 17 3	58,179 0 2	56.88
Invercargill Section	172	5,058 8 1	39,309 13 3	3,919 0 1	26,549 8 8	67.54
Tapanui Branch	15	121 14 8	1,021 0 10	169 10 7	1,133 1 5	110.97
Riverton Branch	35	641 16 9	4,688 15 4	388 4 11	3,302 9 11	70.43
Total	222	5,821 19 6	45,019 9 5	4,476 15 7	30,985 0 0	68.83
Grand Total	797	40,710 14 5	338,615 17 1	26,072 13 3	194,155 6 6	57.34

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

Railway Department, 15th November, 1882.

Land Transfer Act Notices.

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

737. **HENRY STEEVENS**, Applicant.—18 perches, more or less, part of Town Section No. 276, Napier. Occupied in parts by J. T. Cassin and J. Sellar.

739. **GEORGE EDWARD GORDON RICHARDSON**, Applicant.—5 acres 3 roods, more or less, Suburban Section No. 27, Napier. Unoccupied.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 16th day of November, 1882, at the Lands Registry Office, Napier.

EDWIN BAMFORD,
District Land Registrar.

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

Name of Applicant: **WILLIAM PINCHES**, Architect, Hawera. Area: 2 roods. Description: Allotments Nos. 37 and 50, parts of Section 180, Patea District. Unoccupied.

Name of Applicant: **ALBERT BISHOP**, of Bell Block, Farmer. Area: 50 acres. Description: Rural Allotment No. 12, Bell District. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 16th day of November, 1882, at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth.

W. STUART,
District Land Registrar.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 30th December, 1882.

1343. **CHARLES HART ASHFORTH**.—Sections 1841, 1842, 1843, and 1844 of Suburban Block No. 1, Town of Wanganui. In occupation of Thomas Penn.

1353. **CHARLES HUDDALL CHAVANNES**.—Part of Section 163, Town of Wanganui. In occupation of Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 22nd day of November, 1882, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

GEO. B. DAVY,
District Land Registrar.

902

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

BENJAMIN FARMER.—Part of Allotment 23 of Section 4 of the Suburbs of Auckland. Unoccupied. 1970.

WILLIAM MEARS.—Part of Lot 12 of Section 12, Suburbs of Auckland, containing 48 acres and 17 perches. In Applicant's occupation. 1994.

JAMES ALEXANDER MANN.—Lots 312 and 313 of Section 2, Town of Tauranga, containing 2 roods. In Applicant's occupation. 1996.

JOHN STOTHERS.—North-western part of Allotment 15, Parish of Mangapai, County of Marsden, containing 40 acres. Unoccupied. 2005.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 16th day of November, 1882, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

THEO. KISSLING,
District Land Registrar.

893

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 31st day of December next.

889. **ROBERT SHALLCRASS**.—172 acres and 38 perches, being Section 16 on Square 23, Suburban North District. Occupied by George Cummins.

898. **JOHN SCOTT**.—1 rood 2 perches, part of the 21 acres, City of Nelson, granted to G. W. Schröder, commencing 403 links from Stanley Crescent, with a frontage of 150 links to Russell Street, and a depth of 174½ links. Occupied by F. L. Vickerman.

908. **THOMAS HENRY JONES**.—13 perches, part of Section 88, City of Nelson, fronting 66 links on Washington Road, and abutting 129 links on Section 87. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 21st day of November, 1882, at the Lands Registry Office, Nelson.

ANDREW TURNBULL,
District Land Registrar.

901

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

5026. **LORD LYTTELTON**.—3 roods, part of Rural Section 266, Borough of Lyttelton. Unoccupied.

5035. **JOHN HAIGH**.—12 perches, part of Lot 8, Christchurch Town Reserves. Occupied by Benjamin Pherson Ekberg.

5054. **PETER MACINTYRE**.—1 acre, Lots 288, 289, 290, and 291, deposited Plan 1, part of Rural Section 7555, Borough and District of Timaru. Occupied by Applicant.

5056. **GEORGE PURDIE** and **ROBERT BOWIE THE YOUNGER**.—24 acres 2 roods 8 perches, part of Rural Section 3753, Timaru District. Occupied by Applicants.

5057. **ROBERT HEATON RHODES**.—3 acres 3 roods 38 perches, Lot 20, deposited Plan 578, part of Rural Section 1864, Timaru District. Occupied by the New Zealand Meat-Preserving Company (Limited).

5058. **WILLIAM NELSON**.—40 acres, Rural Sections 6322 and 6348, Christchurch District. Occupied by James Ferguson Nelson.

5059. **THOMAS SHEPHERD**.—100 acres, Rural Section 13925, Timaru District. Occupied by William Sargent Pearse.

5060. **MARGARET IFWERSEN**.—37 perches, Lot 61, deposited Plan 631, part of Rural Section 62, Christchurch District, Borough of Sydenham. Unoccupied.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 17th day of November, 1882, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

J. M. BATHAM,
District Land Registrar.

894

APPLICATION having been made to me by **WILLIAM WILSON** to register certain dealings affecting certificate of Title, Vol. lxiv., folio 181, and Rural Section No. 18432, situated in the Districts of Lincoln and Banks Peninsula respectively, whereof he is the registered Proprietor, and a statutory declaration of the loss of the said certificate and license to

occupy having been lodged with me, and the said William Wilson having applied for the issue of a provisional certificate, I hereby give notice that I shall register such dealings, and issue the provisional certificate as requested, at the expiration of fourteen days after the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice, unless in the meantime a caveat be lodged forbidding the same.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch, this 17th day of November, 1882.

J. M. BATHAM,
District Land Registrar.

890

TRANSMISSION No. 91.—Notice is hereby given that THOMAS WATSON, of Invercargill, Bank Manager, and THOMAS MORELL MACDONALD, of Invercargill, Solicitor, claiming as Devises under the will of JAMES WADDEL, late of Campbelltown, deceased, have applied to be registered as Proprietors of Section 9, Block XXI., Town of Campbelltown (Register-book, Vol. xvi., folio 279); and that they will be so registered, unless caveat forbidding the same be lodged in this office within one calendar month from the date of the gazetting of this notice.

Dated this 15th day of November, 1882, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

F. G. MORGAN,
District Land Registrar.

903

TRANSMISSION No. 90.—Notice is hereby given that FREDERICK RICHARD WHITE, of Winton, Hotelkeeper, claiming as Heir-at-law to LILLIE AUGUSTA DRUMMOND WHITE, late of Winton, deceased, has applied to be registered as Proprietor of Section 3, Block IV., Town of East Winton (Register-book, Vol. xxii., folio 26); and that he will be so registered, unless caveat forbidding the same be lodged in this office within one calendar month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 15th day of November, 1882, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

F. G. MORGAN,
District Land Registrar.

904

TRANSMISSION No. 92.—Notice is hereby given that JOHN SPENCE, of Invercargill, Chief Surveyor, and ARTHUR CHILLAS HENDERSON, of Invercargill, Registrar of the Supreme Court, claiming as Devises under the will of ISABELLA INNES, late of Richmond Grove, near Invercargill, deceased, have applied to be registered as Proprietors of part of Section 4, Block I., Hundred of Invercargill (Register-book, Vol. xxiii., folio 126); and that they will be so registered, unless caveat forbidding the same be lodged in this office within one calendar month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 15th day of November, 1882, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

F. G. MORGAN,
District Land Registrar.

905

Mining Notices.

CITY OF EDINBURGH QUARTZ-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

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

E. SOLOMON, }
JOSEPH TODD, } Directors.

900

GOLD-MINING LEASE APPLICATION WITHDRAWN.

NOTICE is hereby given that the application of JOHN FRANCIS CHRISTIAN for a gold-mining lease of 10 acres of ground, situate on the spur between the east and west branches of Dinan's Gully, Kyeburn, lodged at the Warden's Office, Naseby, on the 28th January, 1882, has been withdrawn, and the ground referred to in such application is open to persons holding miners' rights or business licenses, or to applicants for a lease, as if no lease of the said ground had ever been applied for.

JOHN S. HICKSON,
Warden's Office, Naseby, Warden.
7th November, 1882. 897

GOLD-MINING LEASE APPLICATION WITHDRAWN.

NOTICE is hereby given that the application of FREDERICK WILLIAM HOFFMANN and HENRY HEIDEMANN for a gold-mining lease of sixteen acres, situate between Bone's and Biddle's Creeks, Serpentine, lodged at the Warden's Office, Serpentine, on the 5th January, 1881, has been withdrawn, and the ground referred to in such application is open to persons holding miners' rights or business licenses, or to applicants for a lease, as if no lease of the said ground had ever been applied for.

H. W. ROBINSON,
Warden's Office, Serpentine, Warden.
10th November, 1882. 898

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CONSTRUCT A WATER-RACE.

Tuapeka, 10th November, 1882.

To the Warden at Lawrence.

WE hereby give notice that we intend to construct a Water-race to divert and use water for mining purposes, commencing in Waitahuna Main Gully Creek, about 20 yards from Ferris and party's flume lower down the creek, and terminating at our claim, registered number 944, situate in Main Gully, Waitahuna, about 200 yards above Sailors' Gully.

The length of such race is about 400 yards or thereabouts, and its intended course is east and west.

The mean depth of such race is 3 feet, and the mean breadth is 2 feet, and it is proposed to divert four Government-heads of water.

CHRISTIAN LOEFFLER.
CHRISTIAN LOEFFLER, Jun.

Date and number of miners' rights: 6th October, 1882, No. 36608; 3rd November, 1882, No. 36676.

Any person objecting to the granting of this application must lodge his objection in writing at the Warden's Office at Lawrence within fourteen clear days previous to the date of hearing.

Hearing at Waitahuna, at 12 o'clock, on the 7th December, 1882.

H. J. ABEL,
Mining Registrar.

Mining Registrar's Office,
Lawrence, 10th November, 1882. 884

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CONSTRUCT A WATER-RACE.

Inangahua, 4th November, 1882.

To the Mining Registrar at Reefton of the Nelson South-West Mining District, and to all other persons whom it may concern.

WE hereby give notice that we intend to construct a Water-race to divert and use water for mining purposes, commencing at a point in the Inangahua River, top end of Overend's Land, Section

171, Square 131, running through same, and terminating at our machine site, Inangahua River.

The length of such race is two and a half miles or thereabouts, and its intended course is east and west.

The mean depth of such race is 2 feet 6 inches, and the mean breadth is 10 feet, and it is proposed to divert one hundred Government-heads of water. Time required for construction of race, twelve months.

Dated at Reefton, this 4th day of November, 1882.

THE GLOBE GOLD-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED),

W. HINDMARSH, Manager.

Date and number of miner's right: 15th August, 1882, No. 34578.

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

Hearing at 10 o'clock, on the 21st December, 1882.

HENRY LUCAS,
Mining Registrar.

Warden's Office,
Reefton, 4th November, 1882. 872

Private Advertisements.

THE WAKATIPU STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (LIMITED), IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby that a General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Liquidator's offices, Ballarat Street, Queenstown, on Wednesday, the 3rd day of January, 1883, at 2 p.m., to pass a resolution confirming the following resolutions passed at a general meeting of the Shareholders of the aforesaid Company, held on the 9th day of October last, at the Liquidator's offices, viz.: "(1.) That the Liquidator be empowered to write off £577 10s., being unrecoverable amounts due on shares." "(2.) That the Liquidator be empowered to write off £19 17s. 4d., being unrecoverable amounts due on open accounts." And also to instruct the Liquidator, by special resolution, how to act towards what is still due on shares, either by acceptance or by open account.

Dated at Queenstown, the 14th day of November, 1882.

F. W. F. GEISOW,
Liquidator.

895

At a general meeting of the Shareholders of the Port Chalmers Building and Paving Stone Quarry Company (Limited), held on Thursday, the 16th day of November, 1882, in No. 4, Exchange Court, Dunedin, the following resolution was proposed as an extraordinary resolution, and declared to be carried unanimously by the Chairman: "That it has been proved to the satisfaction of the Shareholders of the Port Chalmers Building and Paving Stone Quarry Company (Limited) that the Company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same."

Dated at Dunedin, this 17th day of November, 1882.

A. LEE SMITH,
Chairman of the said Meeting.

899

NOTICE is hereby given that, at an extraordinary meeting of Shareholders of the New Zealand Cement and Patent Stone Company (Limited), held at Wain's Hotel, Dunedin, Otago, on Monday, the 6th day of November, 1882, it was resolved to wind up the business of the said Company.

Dated at Dunedin, this 13th day of November, 1882.

J. CLARKE WILSON,
Secretary.

896

In the matter of "The Joint-Stock Companies Act, 1860," and the several Acts amending the same, and in the matter of "The Dunedin, Peninsula, and Ocean Beach Railway Company (Limited).

To the Shareholders of the Dunedin, Peninsula, and Ocean Beach Railway Company (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above-named Company will be held at the Company's office, Dowling Street, Dunedin, on Monday, the 4th day of December, 1882, at the hour of 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and that at such meeting it is intended to propose the following special resolution: "That the Dunedin, Peninsula, and Ocean Beach Railway Company (Limited) be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of 'The Joint-Stock Companies Act, 1860.'"

Dated at Dunedin, this 17th day of November, 1882.

J. P. SPRING,
Secretary.

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