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Declaring Fiji no longer an infected Place under "The Public Health Act, 1876."

(L.S.) WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance of all powers and authorities conferred upon me by "The Public Health Act, 1876," and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling me in that behalf, I, William Francis Drummond Jervis, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and notify that the Colony of Fiji is no longer infected with the diseases called smallpox, cholera, and measles, being infectious or contagious diseases, highly dangerous to the health of the people, and that a Proclamation to that effect given under my hand, and issued under the Seal of the Colony, on the 17th day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the seventeenth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, has no force or effect from the day of the gazetting hereof.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir William Francis Drummond Jervis, Lieutenant-General in Her Majesty's Army, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

THOMAS DICK.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Importation of Cattle prohibited.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twentieth day of August, 1883.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by the sixtieth section of "The Diseased Cattle Act,

1881," His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby absolutely prohibit the introduction into the Colony of New Zealand from the countries following, that is to say, Europe, Asia, Africa, America, and the islands in the Atlantic, Pacific, and Indian Oceans, save and except the Australasian Colonies, of all cattle, sheep, horses, swine, and goats, and also of fresh meat, skins, hides, hair, horns, hoofs, offal, or other parts of any such animal, and of all hay, straw, and fodder, and of all fittings which have been used in the transport of any such animal:

And with the like advice and consent doth declare that this Order in Council shall come into force from and after the date hereof: Provided that this Order in Council shall not apply to animals which shall have been shipped from any of the above-mentioned countries before the first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Land temporarily reserved in the Land Districts of Auckland, Canterbury, and Otago.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

WHEREAS by the one hundred and forty-fourth section of "The Land Act, 1877," it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, either by general or particular description, and whether the same has been surveyed or not, reserve from sale temporarily, notwithstanding that the same may be then held under pastoral license, any Crown lands which, in his opinion, are required for any of the purposes in the said section mentioned:

Now, therefore, I, William Francis Drummond Jervis, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by the said Act, do hereby temporarily reserve from sale the land in the Land Districts of Auckland, Canterbury, and Otago described in the Schedule hereunder written for the purposes in the said Schedule specified.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND.

ALL that piece or parcel of land being Section No. 397A, Block XI., Opotiki Survey District, in the Parish of Waioeka, County of Whakatane, containing by admeasurement 4 acres, more or less. Bounded on the North by a public road 100 links wide, forming the south boundary of Section No. 81 of

ERRATUM.—In *New Zealand Gazette* No. 75, of 2nd August, 1883, page 1082, under appointment of Volunteer officers, for "Henry Edward Percy Adams," read "Henry Edward Poynter Adams," to be Lieutenant in the Patea Rifle Volunteers.

said Block XI., Opotiki Survey District, 400 links; towards the West by part of Section No. 337 of said Block XI., Opotiki Survey District, 800 links; on the South by Crown land, 661 links; and on the East by Crown land, 755 links: as the same is more particularly delineated on the Opotiki Record Map in the Survey Office, Auckland. As a site for a Native school.

CANTERBURY.

All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 11 acres 3 roods, more or less, being Section No. 2597 (in red), situate in the Grey Survey District. Bounded towards the North by a tributary of the North branch of the River Kowai; towards the East by Section No. 27071, 1840 links; towards the South, South-west, West, and North-west, by road lines a distance altogether of 6296 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on plan deposited in the District Survey Office, Christchurch. For a gravel-pit.

All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 7 acres 2 roods, more or less, being Section No. 2594 (in red), situate in the Ellesmere Survey District. Bounded towards the North-east by Reserve No. 1105 (in red) and a line in continuation of its south-west boundary, 500 links; towards the South-east, South-west, and North-west by Crown lands, distances respectively of 1600 links, 500 links, and 1600 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; the South-east boundary to be a line in continuation of the South-east boundary of Reserve No. 1105. Save and excepting portion of the present Little River Railway-line situate within the above-described section. As the same is delineated on plan deposited in the District Survey Office, Christchurch. For railway purposes.

OTAGO.

All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Otago, containing by admeasurement 23 poles, more or less, situate in the Town of Cromwell, and being Section No. 10 of Block III. of said town. Bounded towards the North by Sections Nos. 31 and 32 of same block, 84.20 links; towards the East by Section No. 9 of same block, 255.12 links; towards the South by Melmore Street, 33.33 links; and towards the West by Section No. 11 of same block, 250 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. For municipal purposes.

All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Otago, containing by admeasurement 5 perches, more or less, situate in the Town of Cromwell, and being Section No. 20 of Block III. of said town. Bounded towards the North by Section No. 25 of same block, 33.33 links; towards the East by Section No. 19 of same block, 100 links; towards the South by Melmore Street, 33.33 links; and towards the West by Section No. 21 of same block, 100 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. For municipal purposes.

All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Otago, containing by admeasurement 37 perches, more or less, situate in the Town of Cromwell, and being Sections numbered respectively 2 and 32 of Block IV. of said town. Bounded on the North by Section No. 31 of same block, 200 links; towards the East by Erris Street 100 links, also by Section No. 1 of same block, 100 links; towards the South by said Section No. 1 33.33 links, also by Sections numbered respectively 3, 4, 5 and 6 of same block, 133.34 links; and towards the West by Section No. 3 of same block 100 links, also by Section No. 7 of same block, 100 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. For municipal purposes.

All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Otago, containing by admeasurement 1 acre 1 rood 21 perches, more or less, situate in the Town of Cromwell, and being Sections numbered respectively 12, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, and 27, of Block IV., of said township. Bounded towards the North by Inniscourt Street, 400 links; towards the East by Section No. 28 of same block 250 links, by Section No. 11 of same block 250 links, also by Section No. 15 of same block 150 links; towards the South by Sections numbered respectively 10 and 11 of same block 66.66 links, by Melmore Street 33.34 links, by Sections numbered respectively 13, 14, and 15 of same block 100 links, also by Sections numbered respectively 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, and 21 of same block, 200 links; and towards the West by Achil Street, 400 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. For municipal purposes.

All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Otago, containing by admeasurement 7 perches, more or less, situate in the Town of Cromwell, being Section No. 6, Block VI., on the map of the said town. Bounded towards the North-west by Section No. 7, 150.39 links; towards the North-east by Ballina Street, 33.34 links; towards the South-east by Section No. 5, 133.68 links; and towards the South-west by Section No. 23, 37.28 links. For municipal purposes.

All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Otago, containing by admeasurement 4 perches, more or less, situate in the Town of Cromwell, and being Section No. 16 of Block VI. of said town. Bounded towards the North-west by Section No. 17 of same block, 68.84 links; towards the North-east by Pillala Street 52.06 links, also by Ballina

Street 24 links; and towards the South-east by Section No. 15 of same block, 82.80 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. For municipal purposes.

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

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Lands.

Notice of Intention to change the Purpose of a Reserve.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

WHEREAS by "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," it is, amongst other things, enacted that the Governor may declare his intention to make, change, exchange, or alter the dedication of any public reserve now or hereafter vested in Her Majesty or the Governor for any of the purposes named in Class II. of the Schedule to the said Act, whether the same be granted or not; and, in the case of any reserves made under the authority of section one hundred and forty-four of "The Land Act, 1877," if it shall, in the opinion of the Governor, be expedient to change the purpose of such reserves or any part thereof from the purpose or presumed purpose for which it was set apart to any other purpose, or if it shall, in the opinion of the Governor, be expedient to exchange any of the land comprised in such reserve for other land of equal value, to be dedicated to one or more purposes named in the said Class II., the Governor may, by notice in the *Gazette*, declare his intention to make such change, exchange, or dedication, as the case may be, and in such notice declare the manner and terms in which the same is intended to be so made:

Now, therefore, I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," aforesaid, declare my intention to change the specific purpose of a portion of the reserve described in the first column of the Schedule hereto, the area of which is described in the second column of the said Schedule, to the specific purpose set opposite such description in the third column of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Description and Purpose of Original Reserve.	Portion of which the Purpose is intended to be changed.	Intended Purpose.
Section No. 198 (in red), 3,556 acres, in the Waipara District, Provincial District of Canterbury, for a quarantine-ground for sheep	All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 85 acres 2 roods, more or less, being Section No. 2,598 (in red), situate in the Waipara and Waikari Survey Districts, and bounded towards the North-east by the terrace north-east of the Race-course; towards the West by Reserve 198, 1857 links; and towards the South and South-west by road lines, a distance altogether of 5794 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less, as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the District Survey Office, Christchurch	For recreation-ground.

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

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Lands.

Notice of Intention of Exchange of Land.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

WHEREAS by "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," it is, amongst other things, enacted that the Governor may declare his intention to make, change, exchange, or alter the dedication of any public reserve now or hereafter vested in Her Majesty or the Governor for any of the purposes named

in Class II. of the Schedule to the said Act, whether the same be granted or not; and, in the case of any reserves made under the authority of section one hundred and forty-four of "The Land Act, 1877," if it shall, in the opinion of the Governor, be expedient to change the purpose of such reserves or any part thereof from the purpose or presumed purpose for which it was set apart to any other purpose, or if it shall, in the opinion of the Governor, be expedient to exchange any of the land comprised in such reserve for other land of equal value, to be dedicated to one or more purposes named in the said Class II., the Governor may, by notice in the *Gazette*, declare his intention to make such change, exchange, or dedication, as the case may be, and in such notice declare the manner and terms in which the same is intended to be so made:

Now, therefore, I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," aforesaid, declare my intention to exchange the portion of the reserve described in the first column of the Schedule hereto for the land described in the second column of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

First Column.	Second Column.
<p>All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Marlborough, being parts of Sections Nos. 39 and 41, District of Wairau Valley, containing 236 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by a public road, 3800 links; towards the East by a public road, 6300 links; towards the South by other parts of said Sections Nos. 39 and 41, 3800 links; and towards the West by Section No. 43, in the said district, 6300 links; save and excepting a public road, 75 links wide, intersecting the said parcel of land, for which allowance has been made in the area: be all the aforesaid linkages a little more or less. The said reserve having been made as a resting-place for stock.</p>	<p>All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Marlborough, being parts of Sections Nos. 18 and 20, District of Wairau Valley, containing 150 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the East by other part of said Section No. 18, by a line parallel to and 850 links from the eastern boundary of said Section No. 18, 6200 links; towards the South by a public road, 2550 links; towards the West by other part of said Section No. 20, by a line parallel to the western boundary of said Section No. 20, 5700 links; and towards the North by other parts of said Sections Nos. 18 and 20, by a line parallel to and 300 links from the northern boundary of said sections; save and excepting a public road, 75 links wide, intersecting the said parcel of land, for which allowance has been made in the area: be all the aforesaid linkages a little more or less.</p>
<p>All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Marlborough, being part of Section No. 3 of Block I., District of Wairau Valley, containing 86 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the West by a public road, 4650 links; towards the North by other part of said section, 1850 links; towards the East by other part of said section, 4650 links; and towards the South by a public road, 1850 links: be all the aforesaid linkages a little more or less.</p>	<p>All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Marlborough, being part of Section No. 3 of Block I., District of Wairau Valley, containing 86 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the West by a public road, 4650 links; towards the North by other part of said section, 1850 links; towards the East by other part of said section, 4650 links; and towards the South by a public road, 1850 links: be all the aforesaid linkages a little more or less.</p>

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

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Lands.

Trustees appointed for the Maintenance of the Oamaru Public Cemetery.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the sixth section of "The Cemeteries Act, 1882," I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the several persons whose names are specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto to be Trustees to provide for the maintenance and care of the public cemetery specified in the second column of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Names of Trustees.	Name of Public Cemetery, and Description of Land.
<p>Samuel Gibbs. Samuel E. Shrimski. Thomas Arthur Clowes. James Wansborough Allan Hedley. James Markham.</p>	<p>OAMARU. All that area containing by admeasurement 12 acres 2 roods and 21 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the North by Test Street, 1700 links; towards the East by Greta Street, 1100 links; towards the South by Tamar Street, 370 links; towards the South-west by a street line, 1600 links; and towards the West by Mersey Street, 170 links: as delineated on the record map of the Town of Oamaru, and deposited in the office of the Chief Surveyor at Dunedin.</p>

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

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Lands.

Trustees appointed for the Maintenance of the West Taieri Public Cemetery.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the sixth section of "The Cemeteries Act, 1882," I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the several persons whose names are specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto to be Trustees to provide for the maintenance and care of the public cemetery specified in the second column of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Names of Trustees.	Name of Public Cemetery, and Description of Land.
<p>Robert Harvey. Alexander Chisholm. Alexander Dow. William Grant. John Grant.</p>	<p>WEST TAIERI. All that area containing by admeasurement 3 acres and 1 rood, less or more, being the north part of Section No. 16, Irregular Block, West Taieri District; as delineated on the record map of the said district, deposited in the Survey Office, Dunedin.</p>

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

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Lands.

Public Vaccinators, Te Aroha and Helensville Districts, appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 20th August, 1883.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint JOHN HENRY RICHARD BOND, Esq., M.B., to be a Public Vaccinator under "The Public Health Act 1876," for the Te Aroha District; and also to appoint SAMUEL HENRY EDGELOW, Esq., M.R.C.S.E., to be a Public Vaccinator under the said Act for the Helensville District.

THOMAS DICK.

Licensing Committee appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 17th August, 1883.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint JAMES BOOTH, Esq., R.M., ANDREW REEVES, Esq., J.P.; and STEWART ROBERTSON STEWART, Esq., to be the Licensing Committee for the Special Licensing District of Tolago.

EDWD. T. CONOLLY.

Clerks of Resident Magistrates' Courts, &c., appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 17th August, 1883.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HENRY HAWTHORNE GRANT RALFE

to be Clerk of the Resident Magistrate's Court at Maclaggan Street, Dunedin, and Clerk of the Licensing Committees for the Districts of Dunedin South, Dunedin Bell, Dunedin Central, and Dunedin Leith, from the 1st September next, vice J. P. Simpson, transferred; and

JAMES PHILIP SIMPSON

to be Clerk of the Resident Magistrate's Courts at Palmerston South, Hawkesbury, and Hampden; and Clerk of the Licensing Committees for the Districts of Dunback, Palmerston, Merton, Hawkesbury, Palmerston South, and West Hawkesbury, from the 1st September next, vice H. H. G. Ralfe, transferred.

EDWD. T. CONOLLY.

Appointment in Survey Department.

General Survey Office,
Wellington, 15th August, 1883.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HARRY HOLMDEN MURRAY

to be a Cadet in the General Survey Department of New Zealand, appointment dating from the first instant.

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Lands.

Letters of Naturalisation issued.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 21st August, 1883.

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

Name.	Occupation.	Residence.
Johann Egidius Pfeifer..	Draughtsman	Hokitika.
John Kinelski ..	Labourer ..	Halcombe, Manawatu.
Johan Carl Christian Püschel	Tanner ..	Avonside.
Wilhelm Julius Püschel	Tanner ..	Avonside.

THOMAS DICK.

Bonuses on Colonial Industries.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 2nd February, 1883.

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

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.

MANGANEISEN AND MANGANESE-BRONZE.

A bonus of five hundred pounds (£500) will be given for the first two thousand five hundred pounds' (£2,500) worth of manganese, and a similar bonus for a like amount of manganese-bronze, produced in the colony from New Zealand ores, and sold at a fair market price in a foreign market.

MARBLE.

A bonus of three hundred pounds (£300) will be given for the first fifteen hundred pounds (£1,500) worth of New Zealand marble exported from the colony, and sold in a foreign market at a price of not less than 9s. per cubic foot.

ANTIMONY.

A bonus of five hundred pounds (£500) will be given for the first 250 tons of antimony regulus produced in the colony from New Zealand ores, and sold at a fair market price in a foreign market.

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, 1883.
2. The claim must be made before the 30th June, 1884.
3. The first claimant of any bonus who proves to the satisfaction

of the Government that he has fulfilled all the conditions to be the recipient of the bonus.

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

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

WROUGHT-IRON.

A bonus of one thousand pounds (£1,000) will be given for the production in New Zealand, by a direct process, of 200 tons of "iron blooms," 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, 1883.
3. The bonus must be claimed before the 31st December, 1884.
4. In the event of more than one claimant giving such notice, not more than seven-tenths of the bonus may be claimed by the first producer, and not more than three-tenths by the second producer; but, if only one claimant becomes a producer on the above conditions, he may claim the whole of the bonus.
5. The iron in respect of which any bonus is claimed, and the ore from which it is manufactured, will be examined by an officer to be appointed by the Government, who may require the production of *bonâ fide* account-sales of quantities not less than 100 tons weight, showing that such iron has been sold at a fair market price as wrought-iron.

THOMAS DICK.

Notice to Mariners, No. 29 of 1883.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 20th August, 1883.

THE following Notice to Mariners, received from the Commissioner of Trade and Customs, Melbourne, is published for general information.

H. A. ATKINSON.

PORT PHILLIP HEADS.—WRECKAGE.

PILOTS, masters of vessels, and others, are hereby cautioned to keep a good look-out for floating wreckage when approaching and entering Port Phillip Heads.

They are also requested to report to this office the position of any such wreckage sighted, and which might prove dangerous to navigation.

ALEX. WILSON,
Officer in charge, Harbours and Navigation.
Department of Ports and Harbours,
Melbourne, 21st July, 1883.

Special (Sinking) Rules under "The Regulation of Mines Act, 1874."

Mines Department,
Wellington, 21st August, 1883.

THE under-mentioned special rules, to be observed at the WALLSEND COAL MINE, Greymouth District, are published in accordance with the provisions of section 31 of "The Regulation of Mines Act, 1874."

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Mines.

The penalties for the violation of any special rules established under "The Regulation of Mines Act, 1874," and for offences against the Act, are provided for in sections 22 to 28, in Part VI.

*SINKING RULES.**Manager.*

1. The owners or agents shall employ efficient officers and persons in and about the pits, and shall provide sufficient machinery, labour, and materials for carrying on the operations in a manner conducive to the safety of the persons employed.

Enginewright.

2. The enginewright is required to see that the authorized signals are understood and strictly observed by the engine-men, banksmen, and sinkers. A copy of such signals must be placed in each enginehouse. Any omission properly to observe any of the signals will be punishable as an offence under the Act.

3. The enginewright is also required to see that the sinking and water tubs, ropes, chains, pulleys, shackles, hooks, and other sinking gear are in good working order. Whenever he

shall find that any of such working articles and materials are defective, he shall immediately order the discontinuance of the use thereof, and he shall see that they are discontinued accordingly, and that other proper articles are substituted.

4. He must personally examine at least once every day the engines, boilers, capstans, and other machinery, and all parts connected therewith; also the fastening of the ropes to the drums, and all other things appertaining to the sinking arrangements.

5. He must also see that each boiler is thoroughly cleaned at least once in every month, and oftener if required. He will be required to ascertain and see that the tubes in locomotive or stationary-engine boiler-flues used in the sinking operations are cleaned as often as necessary.

Engineman.

6. The engineman is required personally to work his engine, and he must not under any circumstances leave it, or allow any person to interfere with or to work his engine during his shift, except when personally ordered by the manager or enginewright.

7. The engineman must not move the engine except when he receives the proper and authorized signal from the banksman; nor under any circumstances must he leave the handle of his engine whilst the tub, or trunk, or cradle, or any material whatever is hanging on the rope in the shaft, anywhere between the bank and the sinkers, or other persons who may be in the shaft.

8. He must always personally see that the ropes are properly adjusted before any person descends the shaft, and before the sinking operations are resumed after any stoppage of more than twenty-four hours at one time, and also, after there has been any repair to any part of the winding tackle, he must run the ropes up and down the shaft with an ordinary loaded tub.

9. He must be particular to steady the rope before each tub or load leaves the top, and also specially before each tub or load leaves the bottom of the shaft.

10. He must not allow more than four persons at one time, and no person at any time to descend the shaft except in a proper tub or trunk. He must also carefully observe and diligently attend to all signals given to him.

11. He must carefully look after and attend to the boilers, steam- and water-gauges, safety-valves, and feed-pumps, and other matters under his control. If he shall discover any defect in any part of the machinery, he must immediately report the same to the enginewright, and in his absence to the manager. Until such defect is remedied, he must cease working such machinery.

12. He must, when lowering the tub or any material, stop the engine when the load is eight yards from the bottom of the pit, and he must also immediately give three distinct signals to the sinkers or other persons in the pit, so as to inform them of the position of the tub or material in the shaft. Under no circumstances must he again start his engine until he has been signalled to do so, and then he must do so carefully and steadily.

Head Banksman.

13. The head banksman, subject to the manager's or underviewer's directions, shall have full control over the pit-top, and over all persons employed above and below during the progress of sinking.

The head banksman in charge of the shifts shall report to the head banksman on the incoming shift all instructions.

Each head banksman shall carefully examine chains, ropes, capping, running bridge, pumps, and hoops, and at once report if any weakness or defect is found in anything belonging to the pit-top.

The banksman in charge of the pit-top shall not let a stranger go down the shaft, or let any person remain on the pit-top without written instructions from the manager.

The banksman shall carefully run the bridge over the pit every time the sinking-trunk or water-barrel comes to the top. All picks, drills, wedges, and other tools must be carefully placed in the trunk when the bridge is over the pit.

It is strictly forbidden to put anything in the trunk without having first landed the same on the bridge.

Not more than four men to ride on the sinking-trunk at one time. The banksman shall not allow sinkers to take tools of any kind down with them when men are in the shaft.

The banksman must lash all timber or tools sent down the pit when on the bridge.

The banksman alone shall give all signals to the engineman, and must not leave the pit-top when men are in the shaft.

The banksman shall report to the manager any person that gives a signal or disobeys his instruction.

Sinkers.

14. One man in each shift will have the entire charge of the pit bottom, subject to the orders from time to time of the manager, underviewer, deputy, or master sinker. This man, called the chargeman, must, before the sinkers proceed with

their work, carefully examine the sides of the pit at the beginning of his shift, and he must remove all loose pieces of stone, bind, or other material. He must also, whenever the men have been out of the bottom of the pit, before the working operations are commenced, or the men descend, examine the ventilation and other arrangements for safety, as directed by the manager, underviewer, deputy, or master sinker.

15. He must also see that the tubs are properly loaded and steadied before being sent away, and that the outside is free from stones or clay. He must also see that tools and other gear are securely tied to the tub bar before they are sent up.

16. Not more than four persons at any one time, and no person at any time must be allowed to ascend or descend except in a proper trunk.

17. No person must ride with or against a loaded tub.

18. In no case whatever, nor under any circumstances, must a shot which has missed fire be drilled out. Whenever a shot has missed fire, the working operations must be suspended for at least one hour after the men have come to bank. The chargeman must see that this rule is strictly carried out.

19. The chargeman must see that the lines are properly kept, and that all bricking and other works are performed in a workmanlike manner, according to contract, or according to the orders of the manager, underviewer, deputy, or master sinker.

20. All persons employed will be under the direction of the manager, underviewer, deputy, or master sinker for the time being.

Authorized Signals.

To move the load upwards	Strike One.
To lower	Strike Two.
Men coming up	Strike Three.
To raise up steady	Strike Four.

If the engine is in the act of winding, and the signal One is given, the engineman must stop the engine immediately and wait for further signal.

Pay Office.

The office for the payment of wages is at the colliery, Wallsend.

Name withdrawn from List of Officiating Ministers.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 21st August, 1883.

IT is hereby notified that the name of
The Reverend PHILIP CUTHBERT ANDERSON
has been withdrawn from the list of Officiating Ministers, under "The Marriage Act, 1880," belonging to the Church of the Province of New Zealand, commonly called the Church of England, at the request of the Most Reverend the Primate.

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

Te Makarini Scholarships.

THREE Scholarships of the annual value of £35 each, to be held at the Native College, Te Aute, Hawke's Bay, are offered for competition to Maori or half-caste youths, on the conditions laid down in the Regulations of the Trustees of the Te Makarini Scholarships Fund. The examination will be held at convenient centres on the 17th and 18th of December, 1883.

Candidates must, either directly or through their teachers, send notice to the Inspector of Native Schools, Education Department, Wellington, of their intention to present themselves for examination. Such notice must be posted not later than the 31st October next.

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

JAMES H. POPE,
Inspector of Native Schools.

Gold Fields Notices.

Gold-Mining Lease cancelled.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 21st August, 1883.

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to pronounce the under-mentioned gold-mining lease cancelled, and that the ground is now open for

application as if no lease of the said ground had ever been applied for:—

Isaac Plimmer; 11 acres 2 roods and 20 perches, Queen Charlotte Sound Mining District, Marlborough Gold Fields.

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Mines.

Gold-Mining Lease cancelled.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 21st August, 1883.

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

Robert Codrington Parker and others; 15 acres and 26 perches, Section 1, Block X., Mount Arthur District, Collingwood Mining District. No. 993.

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Mines.

Gold-Mining Lease cancelled.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 21st August, 1883.

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

John McGill; 8 acres 1 rood and 11 perches, Section 11, Block V., Maruia District, Nelson South-west Mining District No. 1228.

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Mines.

Gold-Mining Lease cancelled.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 21st August, 1883.

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

John Woodcock and Richard Birch; 2 acres 1 rood and 2 perches, Section 59, Block VI., Waitakere District, Nelson South-west Mining District. No. 955.

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Mines.

Gold-Mining Lease to be granted.

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

Objections to the granting of such lease, stating the grounds of objection, must be made in writing, and lodged with the Warden at Lyell on or before the 10th day of September, 1883.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPLICANT: William Green. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "Avondale Quartz-Mining Company." 16½ acres, east of the Pioneer Company, Alpine Range, Lyell, in the Nelson South-west Mining District.

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

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

Nelson South-west Gold Fields.—Gold-Mining Lease refused.

Crown Lands Office,
Nelson, 15th August, 1883.

NOTICE is hereby given that the gold-mining lease applied for by Thomas Hunter for the Fox's Creek Quartz-Mining Company, viz., 16½ acres, about three miles south-east of the Southern Cross Company's lease on the

western range of Fox's Creek, Inangahua, has been refused; and the ground is now open to persons holding miners' rights or business licenses as if a lease of the said ground had not been applied for.

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

Crown Lands Notices.

Lands for Sale on immediate Payment for Cash, Land District of Canterbury.

Land Office,
Christchurch, 14th June, 1883.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned lands will be open for application on immediate payment for cash, at the Land Office, Christchurch, on Tuesday, the 18th day of September next, as Village Allotments:—

Reserve 1824, Springfield, Malvern: Lots 1 to 11 inclusive, 27 to 33 inclusive, and 35 to 45 inclusive, about 1 acre each; price, £5 per allotment. Lots 53 to 56 inclusive; in areas of from 3 to 8 acres each; price, £5 per acre.

No one person is allowed to purchase more than one of the above sections. In case of more than one application being received for the same section on the same day, the right to acquire the same will be decided by auction amongst the applicants.

Plans may be seen at the Land Offices, Christchurch and Timaru.

JOHN H. BAKER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands for Sale on Application.

Crown Lands Office,
Napier 30th July, 1883.

THE lands mentioned hereunder will be open for selection for cash on Thursday, the 30th August, 1883, and every lawful day thereafter until withdrawn from sale. One-fourth of the purchase-money to be paid on application, the balance within one month thereafter.

Lithograph plans and further particulars can be obtained on application at this office.

HORACE BAKER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
FIRST-CLASS LAND.			
<i>Ruataniwha Survey District.</i>			
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
I.	33	223 3 15	1 0 0
SECOND-CLASS LAND.			
<i>Ruataniwha Survey District.</i>			
I.	47	83 2 2	0 17 6
II.	48	169 3 1	0 17 6
Ten sections, in areas from 276 acres to 34 acres; upset price per acre, 15s.			
THIRD-CLASS LAND.			
<i>Ruataniwha Survey District.</i>			
I.	9	52 0 11	0 10 0
	10	49 2 20	0 10 0
	21	300 0 0	0 7 6
	22	220 0 0	0 10 0

Description.—The land in Blocks I. and II., Ruataniwha, is situated between the Tukituki and Waipawa Rivers; it is covered with forest, portions when cleared being suitable for agriculture. The main roads through the blocks have been cleared of bush; one connecting the two rivers has been formed for horse traffic, and gives access to most of the sections. Drays can be taken along the river-beds to both north and south sides of the block, which is about 60 miles from Napier and 20 miles from the railway-line at Waipawa.

Waimate Plains, West Coast Settlement Reserves.

SALE OF LEASES FOR A TERM OF TWENTY-ONE YEARS.

Compensation for Improvements up to £5 per Acre will be allowed at End of Term of Lease.

West Coast Settlement Reserves Office,
Hawera, 19th July, 1883.

WRITTEN tenders (in sealed covers) are invited for the under-mentioned sections, in accordance with the

provisions of "The West Coast Settlement Reserves Act, 1881," and the regulations issued thereunder.

The tenders, accompanied by the statutory declaration and deposit of six months' rent at the rate tendered, in accordance with the regulations, must be lodged with the Reserves Trustee, at the Courthouse, Hawera, not later than 4 o'clock p.m., on Monday, the 3rd day of September, to be opened by the Reserves Trustee, at Hawera, on Tuesday, the 4th day of September, at 11 o'clock a.m., when the highest tenderer for each lease (if the tenders shall equal or exceed the upset fixed annual rental per acre) will be declared the lessee.

Plans and schedules of the sections, and copies of the regulations under which leases will be sold and issued, also forms of tender and declaration respectively, can be obtained at the District Land Offices, New Plymouth, Patea, and Hawera, or at any of the other land offices in the colony; also at the Office of the Collector of Customs, Wanganui, and at the Post Offices, Thames, Wanganui, Reefton, Westport, Greymouth, Ashburton, and Oamaru, on and after the 31st July instant.

SCHEDULE.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Rental per Acre.
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KAUPOKONUI SURVEY DISTRICT.

		A. R. P.	s. d.
XV.	42	223 0 16	2 0
	43	220 0 19	2 0
	44	220 1 24	2 0

WAIMATE SURVEY DISTRICT.

		A. R. P.	s. d.
III.	66	108 3 28	3 0
	67	108 3 21	3 0
	68	107 0 33	3 0
	70	98 0 0	4 0
	71	98 1 3	5 0
	72	173 0 0	6 0
	73	123 0 0	6 0
	74	228 3 4	3 0
	75	85 2 39	3 0
	77	61 2 6	7 0
IV.	147	109 0 19	3 0
	148	37 0 32	3 0
	151	210 1 16	6 0
	154	64 1 0	6 0

The above land, designated the Kapuni Block, is situated near Okaiawa Township, and consists of open as well as fairly level bush-country. It is well opened up with roads. The soil is good and well watered.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Rental per Acre.
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KAUPOKONUI SURVEY DISTRICT.

		A. R. P.	s. d.
XV.	40	165 3 0	2 0
XIV.	44	150 0 8	2 0
	45	135 0 0	2 0
	46	93 0 0	2 0
	47	162 0 0	2 0
	48	137 0 0	2 0
	49	164 0 0	2 0
	50	88 0 0	2 0
	51	257 0 0	2 0

WAIMATE SURVEY DISTRICT.

		A. R. P.	s. d.
II.	15	160 0 0	3 0
	16	165 0 0	3 0
	17	125 0 0	3 0
	31	163 0 0	3 0
	32	151 0 0	3 0
	34	188 0 0	3 0
	35	155 0 0	3 0
	36	115 0 0	3 0
	37	620 0 0	3 0
	38	327 3 2	3 0
	39	400 0 0	3 0

The above land, designated the Kaupokonui Block, is situated near Manaia Township on the one side and Otakeho Township on the other. It is well opened up with roads. The soil is of nearly similar quality to that of the Kapuni Block above mentioned.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Rental per Acre.
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OPUNAKE SURVEY DISTRICT.

		A. R. P.	s. d.
XIII.	29	285 0 0	2 6
	30	152 0 0	2 6
	31	200 0 0	2 6
X.	38	133 0 0	2 6
	39	148 0 0	2 6
XI.	93	66 0 0	1 6
	94	129 0 0	2 0
	95	150 0 0	2 0
XII.	1	112 0 0	2 6
	2	149 0 0	2 6
X.	32	150 0 0	4 0
	33	102 0 0	3 6
	34	100 0 0	3 6
	35	133 0 0	3 6
	36	96 0 0	3 0
	37	122 0 0	2 6
	40	30 0 0	3 0
	41	50 0 0	2 6
	42	50 0 0	2 6
	43	179 0 0	2 6
	44	250 0 0	2 6
	45	300 0 0	2 0
XI.	84	223 0 0	1 0
	85	220 0 0	1 0
	86	196 0 0	1 0
	87	200 0 0	1 6
	88	316 0 0	1 6
	89	249 0 0	1 0
	90	314 0 0	1 0
	91	208 0 0	1 6
	92	144 0 0	1 6

OPUNAKE SURVEY DISTRICT.

		A. R. P.	s. d.
X.	1	139 0 0	2 0
	2	152 0 0	2 0
	3	201 0 0	2 6
	4	145 0 0	2 6
	5	88 0 0	2 6
	6	72 0 0	3 0
	7	50 0 0	3 0
	8	50 0 0	4 0
	9	50 0 0	4 0
	10	146 0 0	1 0
	11	337 0 0	1 6
	12	139 0 0	1 6
	13	126 0 0	1 6
	14	151 0 0	2 0
	15	98 0 0	2 6
	16	76 0 0	2 6
	17	75 0 0	2 6
	18	51 0 0	3 0
	19	21 0 0	3 0
	20	20 0 0	3 6
	21	14 0 0	3 6
	22	10 0 0	4 0
	23	10 0 0	4 0
	24	10 0 0	4 0
	25	10 0 0	4 0
	26	20 0 0	4 0
	27	15 0 0	3 6
	28	20 0 0	5 0
	29	20 0 0	5 0
	30	13 0 0	5 0
	31	12 0 0	5 0

The above land, designated the Opunake South Block, is situated near the township. It is well opened up with roads, and consists of open as well as fairly level bush-country; soil good and well-watered.

CONDITIONS AS TO OCCUPATION AND IMPROVEMENTS.

The maximum quantity any lessee can hold is 640 acres of rural land.

Each lessee shall, within two years from the date of his lease, bring into cultivation not less than one-tenth of the land leased by him, and within four years of the said date, not less than one-fifth of the said land, and within six years from the date of his lease, in addition to the cultivation of one-fifth of the land, shall place on such land substantial improvements of a permanent character to the value of £1 for every acre of such land.

Improvements to be suitable to and consistent with the extent and character of the holdings, and none shall be

allowed for in any valuation in excess of £5 for every acre of rural land.

The lease will contain an arbitration clause to enable, at the end of the term, the value of improvements to be determined for which an outgoing lessee should be paid by an incoming lessee. It will also provide that, in the event of there being no accepted tenderer for the new lease, the old lessee shall have the option of accepting a fresh lease for the same period and on the same conditions as his first lease, at a rental to be fixed by arbitration, minus the value of the improvements, which is also to be fixed by arbitration.

Tenderers may offer for any number of sections, but no tender will be accepted for more than 640 acres in the aggregate. Such sections must, however, be contiguous.

A deposit of one half-year's rent must be made at the time of tendering, the amount to be calculated on the highest amount offered by any tenderer for an aggregate area of 640 acres or any less quantity; but no deposit will be required for any quantity of land tendered for beyond the 640 acres.

Coloured lithographic plans of the above sections are on view at the several land offices throughout the colony.

THOMAS MACKAY,
Reserves Trustee.

Lands to be sold as Village Settlement and Small-Farm Allotments, on Deferred Payments, Land District of Canterbury.

Land Office, Christchurch,
14th June, 1883.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned lands will be open for application, on Tuesday, the 18th day of September next, at the Land Offices, Christchurch and Timaru:—

TO BE SOLD AS SMALL-FARM ALLOTMENTS ON DEFERRED PAYMENTS.

Reserve 1824, Springfield, Malvern: Lots 12 to 15 inclusive, 17 to 26 inclusive, 34 and 46 to 52 inclusive, 57 and 58; price, £6 per acre; in areas from 1 to 3 acres each.

Reserve 1263, Pig-hunting Creek, near Timaru: Lots 4 to 14 inclusive; price, £15 per acre. Lots 1, 2, 3, 15 to 22, 28 to 30, 32 to 34 inclusive; price, £12 per acre; in areas from 4 to 20 acres each.

Reserve 424, Village Settlement of Annat, near Sheffield: Lots 1 to 4 inclusive; price, £10 per acre. Lots 5 to 12, 15 to 28 inclusive, and Lot 33; price, £7 per acre. Lots 13, 14, and 32; price, £4 per acre; in areas from 5 to 17 acres each.

Terms: Each application must be accompanied by a statutory declaration, form of which can be obtained at the Land Offices. A deposit of one-tenth of the amount of purchase-money will also be required to be made at the same time.

In case of more than one application being received for the same section on the same day, the right to occupy the same will be decided by lot amongst the applicants.

Personal residence required within six months' of purchase, to continue to the end of the fourth year. Must bring into cultivation not less than one-tenth of the allotment the first year; one-fifth the second year; and, within four years, must have three-fourths cultivated, the whole fenced, and have made substantial improvements to the value of at least £10 per acre.

LAND TO BE SOLD AS SMALL-FARM ALLOTMENTS ON DEFERRED PAYMENTS.

Reserve 424, Village Settlement of Annat, near Sheffield: Lots 29, 30, and 31; price, £4 per acre; 50 acres each.

Reserve 1263, Pig-hunting Creek, near Timaru: Lots 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, and 31; price, £12 per acre; in areas from 21 to 24 acres each.

Terms: Each application must be accompanied by a statutory declaration, form of which can be obtained at the Land Offices. A deposit of one-twentieth of the amount of purchase-money will also be required to be made at the same time.

In case of more than one application being received for the same section on the same day, the right to occupy the same will be decided by lot amongst the applicants.

Personal residence required within six months, to continue to the end of the sixth year. Must bring into cultivation not less than one-twentieth of the first year; one-tenth the second year; and, within six years, must have cultivated one-fifth, and effected permanent improvements to the value of £1 per acre.

Plans may be seen at the Land Offices at Christchurch and Timaru.

JOHN H. BAKER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Sale by Auction.

Land Office,
Christchurch, 11th August, 1883.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned block of Crown land in the Kowai District will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Courthouse, Amberley, on Monday, the 12th November next, at 12 o'clock noon:—

Reserve No. 1639, Kowai Domain, containing 344 acres: Upset price, £3 per acre.

Plan may be seen at the Survey Office, Christchurch.

JOHN H. BAKER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land District of Canterbury.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned lands will be open for application on Friday, the 12th day of October next, at the Land Offices, Christchurch and Timaru, where plans may be seen.

SMALL-FARM ALLOTMENTS within Reserve 191. VILLAGE SETTLEMENT, Elephant Hill, Waitaki.

TO BE SOLD ON IMMEDIATE PAYMENT FOR CASH.

Lots 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, in areas varying from 10 to 15 acres each. Price, £4 per acre.

TO BE SOLD ON DEFERRED PAYMENTS.

Lots 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, in areas varying from 10 to 15 acres each. Price, £5 per acre.

Terms: Each application must be accompanied by a statutory declaration, form of which can be obtained at the Land Offices. A deposit of one-tenth of the amount of purchase-money will also be required to be made at the same time.

In case of more than one application being received for the same section on the same day, the right to occupy the same will be decided by lot amongst the applicants.

Personal residence required within six months of purchase, to continue to the end of the fourth year. Must bring into cultivation not less than one-tenth of the allotment the first year, one-fifth the second year; and within four years must have three-fourths cultivated, the whole fenced, and have made substantial improvements to the value of at least £10 per acre.

JOHN H. BAKER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.
Land Office, Christchurch,
14th August, 1883.

Land Transfer Act Notices.

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

Sections 3 and 4, Block VI., and Section 5, Block IX., Town of Arrowtown.—THOMAS PATCHETT, Applicant. Occupied by Applicant. No. 3450.

Allotments 26 and 27 in Subdivision of Section 8, Block I., Oamaru District.—WILLIAM HENRY SHERWOOD ROBERTS, Applicant. Occupied by Applicant. No. 3451.

Sections 1, Block XIII., 2 and 3, Block XIV., 1, 2, 3, 22, 23, 24, 25, Block XXIV., 3, 4, 5, 6, Block XXVIII., Town of Frankton; Sections 2 and 14, Block XXVI., Town of Queenstown.—ROBERT WILSON and JAMES TAYLOR MACKERRAS, Applicants. Unoccupied. No. 3452.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office. Dated this 16th day of August, 1883, at the Lands Registry Office Dunedin.

H. TURTON,
District Land Registrar.

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APPLICATION having been made to register a discharge of Mortgage No. 4306, of Part of Section 6, Block XXIX., Town of Oamaru, of which WILLIAM ANDERSON, of Dunedin, Schoolmaster, is the Mortgagee, and proof having been tendered of loss of outstanding duplicate of said mortgage, I hereby give notice that production of said duplicate will be dispensed with and said discharge registered unless caveat forbidding the same be lodged at this office within fourteen days from publication of this notice.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin, this 16th day of August, 1883.

H. TURTON,
District Land Registrar.

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Traffic Returns.

NEW ZEALAND RAILWAYS.—Traffic Returns for the Four Weeks ending the 21st July, 1893:—

WHANGAREI SECTION.

1883.					1882.				
PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	Season Tickets. No.	S.	R.	Total.	Season Tickets. No.	
1st Class ...	100	322	422	...	149	112	261	...	
2nd Class ...	245	756	1,001	...	398	322	720	...	
Total	345	1,078	1,423	1	547	434	981	...	
No.					No.				
PARCELS, ETC.,—									
Parcels ...	74				...				
Horses ...	...				...
Carriages ...	2				...				
Dogs ...	...				...
Total	76				...				
No.					No.				
LOADS,—									
Drays ...	...				...
Cattle ...	...				...
Calves ...	...				...
Sheep ...	...				...
Pigs ...	...				...
Total	...				...
Tons.					Tons.				
CHAFF, &c.	5				...				
Wool ...	...				...
Firewood ...	...				...
Timber ...	19				6				
Strain ...	29				6				
Merchandise ...	138				16				
Minerals ...	1,432				2,212				
Total	1,623				2,240				
£ s. d.					£ s. d.				
REVENUE,—									
Passengers ...	39 17 2				27 9 7				
Parcels and Luggage ...	2 10 6				0 13 6				
Goods ...	181 0 11				227 16 9				
Miscellaneous ...	1 1 6				0 4 0				
Rents and Commission ...	0 4 0				...				
Total	£224 14 1				£256 3 10				

AUCKLAND SECTION.

1883.					1882.				
PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	Season Tickets. No.	S.	R.	Total.	Season Tickets. No.	
1st Class ...	2,350	2,046	4,396	...	2,836	1,458	4,294	...	
2nd Class ...	9,705	7,662	17,367	...	10,086	7,142	17,228	...	
Total	12,055	9,708	21,763	161	12,922	8,600	21,522	120	
No.					No.				
PARCELS, ETC.,—									
Parcels ...	2,496				2,173				
Horses ...	21				34				
Carriages ...	...				3			
Dogs ...	229				210				
Total	2,746				2,420				
No.					No.				
LOADS,—									
Drays ...	7				6				
Cattle ...	821				683				
Calves ...	100				44				
Sheep ...	3,307				2,103				
Pigs ...	99				71				
Total	4,334				2,907				
Tons.					Tons.				
CHAFF, &c.	80				60				
Wool ...	9				...				
Firewood ...	465				90				
Timber ...	1,835				607				
Strain ...	602				543				
Merchandise ...	1,593				1,774				
Minerals ...	3,995				2,349				
Total	8,579				5,423				
£ s. d.					£ s. d.				
REVENUE,—									
Passengers ...	2,047 15 3				1,943 8 6				
Parcels and Luggage ...	238 5 3				228 10 11				
Goods ...	4,174 6 1				2,843 3 4				
Miscellaneous ...	29 9 8				11 6 1				
Rents and Commission ...	46 9 3				21 4 9				
Total	£6,536 5 6				£5,047 13 7				

NAPIER SECTION.

1883.					1882.				
PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	Season Tickets. No.	S.	R.	Total.	Season Tickets. No.	
1st Class ...	2,564	732	3,296	...	1,867	822	2,689	...	
2nd Class ...	5,564	3,668	9,232	...	5,513	2,174	7,687	...	
Total	8,128	4,400	12,528	18	7,380	2,996	10,376	10	
No.					No.				
PARCELS, ETC.,—									
Parcels ...	1,449				1,153				
Horses ...	39				45				
Carriages ...	8				1				
Dogs ...	111				52				
Total	1,607				1,251				
No.					No.				
GOODS,—									
Drays ...	2				2				
Cattle ...	9				71				
Calves ...	...				1			
Sheep ...	424				639				
Pigs ...	85				12				
Total	520				725				
Tons.					Tons.				
CHAFF, &c.	65				30				
Wool ...	26				27				
Firewood ...	885				890				
Timber ...	998				1,350				
Grain ...	169				319				
Merchandise ...	567				524				
Minerals ...	255				479				
Total	2,965				3,619				
£ s. d.					£ s. d.				
REVENUE,—									
Passengers ...	1,189 17 4				1,146 3 6				
Parcels and Luggage ...	122 7 0				99 10 10				
Goods ...	1,151 14 3				1,306 5 8				
Miscellaneous ...	18 12 8				32 6 1				
Rents and Commission ...	3 0 0				...				
Total	£2,485 11 3				£2,584 6 1				

WELLINGTON SECTION.

1883.					1882.				
PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	Season Tickets. No.	S.	R.	Total.	Season Tickets. No.	
1st Class ...	1,353	1,192	2,545	...	1,801	926	2,727	...	
2nd Class ...	6,009	4,954	10,963	...	7,569	3,428	10,997	...	
Total	7,362	6,146	13,508	73	9,370	4,354	13,724	81	
No.					No.				
PARCELS, ETC.,—									
Parcels ...	1,493				1,407				
Horses ...	10				14				
Carriages ...	1				6				
Dogs ...	95				59				
Total	1,599				1,486				
No.					No.				
GOODS,—									
Drays ...	2				5				
Cattle ...	4				3				
Calves ...	39				22				
Sheep ...	3,443				3,777				
Pigs ...	107				68				
Total	3,595				3,875				
Tons.					Tons.				
CHAFF, &c.	105				5				
Wool ...	9				7				
Firewood ...	865				790				
Timber ...	1,942				1,410				
Grain ...	303				189				
Merchandise ...	568				482				
Minerals ...	551				350				
Total	4,343				3,233				
£ s. d.					£ s. d.				
REVENUE,—									
Passengers ...	1,280 6 9				1,294 5 9				
Parcels and Luggage ...	123 13 3				136 18 4				
Goods ...	2,059 2 6				1,574 0 11				
Miscellaneous ...	6 9 8				1 17 1				
Rents and Commission ...	49 6 8				121 11 11				
Total	£3,518 18 10				£3,128 14 0				

WANGANUI SECTION.

1883.				1882.				
PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	Season Tickets. No.	S.	R.	Total.	Season Tickets. No.
1st Class ...	1,840	326	2,166	...	1,736	590	2,326	...
2nd Class ...	5,137	2,266	7,403	...	5,973	2,318	8,291	...
Total	6,977	2,592	9,569	19	7,709	2,908	10,617	6
PARCELS, ETC.,—				No.				
Parcels ...	1,326			1,492				
Horses ...	16			19				
Carriages ...	3			4				
Dogs ...	118			120				
Total	1,463			1,635				
GOODS,—				No.				
Drays ...	9			...				
Cattle ...	5			8				
Calves ...	1			...				
Sheep ...	...			583			
Pigs ...	181			101				
Total	196			692				
Tons.				Tons.				
Chaff, &c. ...	30			10				
Wool ...	7			8				
Firewood ...	665			195				
Timber ...	1,173			630				
Grain ...	407			236				
Merchandise ...	664			504				
Minerals ...	120			189				
Total	3,066			1,772				
REVENUE,—				£ s. d.				
Passengers ...	1,133	0	11	1,323	5	9		
Parcels and Luggage ...	98	13	6	120	2	9		
Goods ...	1,406	5	10	778	10	4		
Miscellaneous ...	69	9	1	56	9	0		
Rents and Commission ...	22	5	3	20	7	8		
Total	£2,729	14	7	£2,298	15	6		

NEW PLYMOUTH SECTION.

1883.				1882.				
PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	Season Tickets. No.	S.	R.	Total.	Season Tickets. No.
1st Class ...	454	158	612	...	421	196	617	...
2nd Class ...	3,808	2,496	5,804	...	4,678	1,342	6,020	...
Total	3,762	2,654	6,416	28	5,099	1,538	6,637	30
PARCELS, ETC.,—				No.				
Parcels ...	631			620				
Horses ...	8			5				
Carriages ...	1			...				
Dogs ...	61			59				
Total	701			684				
GOODS,—				No.				
Drays ...	...			5			
Cattle ...	34			22				
Calves ...	1			...				
Sheep ...	596			1,152				
Pigs ...	...			...
Total	631			1,179				
Tons.				Tons.				
Chaff, &c. ...	...			...
Wool ...	7			...				
Firewood ...	320			375				
Timber ...	370			526				
Grain ...	107			77				
Merchandise ...	307			285				
Minerals ...	464			1,122				
Total	1,575			2,385				
REVENUE,—				£ s. d.				
Passengers ...	531	5	7	594	10	4		
Parcels and Luggage ...	45	10	5	49	0	9		
Goods ...	426	5	10	553	19	0		
Miscellaneous ...	84	7	8	116	16	6		
Rents and Commission ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	£1,087	9	6	£1,314	6	7		

HURUNUI-BLUFF SECTION.

1883.				1882.				
PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	Season Tickets. No.	S.	R.	Total.	Season Tickets. No.
1st Class ...	18,046	15,114	33,160	...	19,639	12,138	31,777	...
2nd Class ...	60,839	47,422	108,261	...	68,415	34,716	103,131	...
Total	78,885	62,536	141,421	711	88,054	46,854	134,908	699
PARCELS, ETC.,—				No.				
Parcels ...	15,929			15,474				
Horses ...	401			514				
Carriages ...	38			38				
Dogs ...	1,502			1,450				
Total	17,870			17,476				
GOODS,—				No.				
Drays ...	35			32				
Cattle ...	1,040			1,076				
Calves ...	26			20				
Sheep ...	25,363			17,369				
Pigs ...	2,415			1,621				
Total	28,879			20,118				
Tons.				Tons.				
Chaff, &c. ...	1,180			880				
Wool ...	793			516				
Firewood ...	3,615			3,120				
Timber ...	6,128			8,095				
Grain ...	32,779			21,527				
Merchandise ...	19,984			20,166				
Minerals ...	23,531			20,378				
Total	88,010			74,682				
REVENUE,—				£ s. d.				
Passengers ...	15,604	3	10	16,339	16	2		
Parcels and Luggage ...	1,748	12	8	1,805	8	1		
Goods ...	26,023	12	1	24,002	9	4		
Miscellaneous ...	2,378	7	10	1,579	9	10		
Rents and Commission ...	797	19	6	726	2	2		
Total	£46,552	15	11	£44,453	5	7		

GREYMOOUTH SECTION.

1883.				1882.				
PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	Season Tickets. No.	S.	R.	Total.	Season Tickets. No.
1st Class ...	44	206	250	...	142	74	216	...
2nd Class ...	307	2,020	2,327	...	963	652	1,615	...
Total	351	2,226	2,577	27	1,105	726	1,831	10
PARCELS, ETC.,—				No.				
Parcels ...	126			...				
Horses ...	...			...
Carriages ...	...			...
Dogs ...	4			18				
Total	130			18				
GOODS,—				No.				
Drays ...	...			...
Cattle ...	...			...
Calves ...	...			...
Sheep ...	1			...				
Pigs ...	...			...
Total	1			...				
Tons.				Tons.				
Chaff, &c. ...	...			...
Wool ...	...			...
Firewood ...	20			35				
Timber ...	117			37				
Grain ...	...			...
Merchandise ...	285			237				
Minerals ...	6,677			3,958				
Total	7,099			4,267				
REVENUE,—				£ s. d.				
Passengers ...	162	10	7	114	10	9		
Parcels and Luggage ...	4	9	9	3	14	0		
Goods ...	1,019	17	8	678	16	6		
Miscellaneous ...	34	7	9	34	19	4		
Rents and Commission ...	32	10	0	21	5	0		
Total	£1,253	15	9	£853	5	7		

WESTPORT SECTION.

	1883.				1882.			
	S.	R.	Total.	Season Tickets. No.	S.	R.	Total.	Season Tickets. No.
PASSENGERS,—								
1st Class ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2nd Class ...	341	784	1,125	...	638	310	948	...
Total ...	341	784	1,125	...	638	310	948	3
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.	No.			No.	No.
Parcels ...			179	188				
Horses ...			1	...			...	...
Carriages ...			...	...			...	...
Dogs ...			5	4			4	...
Total ...			185	192			192	...
GOODS,—			No.	No.			No.	No.
Drays ...			...	...			...	...
Cattle ...			1	...			...	...
Calves ...			1	...			...	...
Sheep ...			10	...			...	...
Pigs ...			...	...			...	...
Total ...			12	...			...	...
			Tons.	Tons.			Tons.	Tons.
Chaff, &c. ...			...	...			...	...
Wool ...			...	...			...	...
Firewood ...			...	...			...	...
Timber ...			141	125			...	...
Grain ...			...	...			...	...
Merchandise ...			91	77			...	...
Minerals ...			3,836	4,007			...	...
Total ...			4,068	4,209			...	...
REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Passengers ...		78 9 6	60 16 1			3 7 11		
Parcels and Luggage ...		3 4 8	638 18 5			2 4 0		
Goods ...		656 10 0	9 6 10			...		
Miscellaneous ...		5 8 0	...			...
Rents and Commission ...		10 5 0	...			...
Total ...		£748 17 2	£714 12 5			...		

NELSON SECTION.

	1883.				1882.			
	S.	R.	Total.	Season Tickets. No.	S.	R.	Total.	Season Tickets. No.
PASSENGERS,—								
1st Class ...	119	126	245	...	211	88	299	...
2nd Class ...	2,011	2,400	4,411	...	2,190	2,030	4,220	...
Total ...	2,130	2,526	4,656	28	2,401	2,118	4,519	45
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.	No.			No.	No.
Parcels ...			352	304			...	...
Horses ...			1	1			...	...
Carriages ...			...	1			...	...
Dogs ...			21	1			...	...
Total ...			374	307			...	...
GOODS,—			No.	No.			No.	No.
Drays ...			3	...			...	...
Cattle ...			...	...			...	...
Calves ...			...	...			...	...
Sheep ...			...	10			...	...
Pigs ...			...	...			...	...
Total ...			3	10			...	...

NELSON SECTION—continued.

	1883.			1882.		
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
GOODS—continued.						
Chaff, &c. ...	40	...	10	...	...	4
Wool ...	1	...	160	...	...	280
Firewood ...	205	...	198	...	...	134
Timber ...	94	...	298	...	...	...
Grain ...	194	...	134	...	...	298
Merchandise ...	157	...	...	...	...	...
Minerals ...	9	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	700	...	1,084	...	...	...
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Passengers ...	282 5 5	234 17 8	...	...	...	...
Parcels and Luggage ...	13 3 4	11 5 9	...	...	...	...
Goods ...	270 18 2	356 16 7	...	...	...	...
Miscellaneous ...	0 13 4	3 16 11	...	...	...	...
Rents and Commission ...	15 2 0	20 10 0	...	...	...	...
Total ...	£582 2 3	£677 6 11	...	...	...	...

PICTON SECTION.

	1883.				1882.			
	S.	R.	Total.	Season Tickets. No.	S.	R.	Total.	Season Tickets. No.
PASSENGERS,—								
1st Class ...	347	224	571	...	398	214	612	...
2nd Class ...	593	1,174	1,767	...	644	1,052	1,696	...
Total ...	940	1,398	2,338	13	1,042	1,266	2,308	13
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.	No.			No.	No.
Parcels ...			145	82			...	...
Horses ...			2	...			...	...
Carriages ...			...	...			...	...
Dogs ...			6	17			...	...
Total ...			153	99			...	...
GOODS,—			No.	No.			No.	No.
Drays ...			...	...			...	...
Cattle ...			...	...			...	...
Calves ...			1	1			...	...
Sheep ...			45	120			...	...
Pigs ...			...	...			...	...
Total ...			46	121			...	...
			Tons.	Tons.			Tons.	Tons.
Chaff, &c. ...			80	70			...	...
Wool ...			1	16			...	...
Firewood ...			340	410			...	...
Timber ...			219	286			...	...
Grain ...			61	298			...	...
Merchandise ...			190	337			...	...
Minerals ...			136	112			...	...
Total ...			1,027	1,529			...	...
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Passengers ...	186 8 7	195 18 5	...	...	...	...	...	...
Parcels and Luggage ...	7 2 1	4 7 9	...	...	...	...	...	...
Goods ...	212 1 1	388 17 2	...	...	...	...	...	...
Miscellaneous ...	8 1 9	8 15 9
Rents and Commission ...	8 4 0	9 2 6
Total ...	£421 17 6	£607 1 7

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Railway Department, 21st August, 1883.

N.Z.R.—FINANCIAL YEAR 1883-84.

RAILWAY WORKING ACCOUNT, showing the Revenue and Expenditure to the Termination of the Four-weekly Period ending 21st July, 1883.

Section.	Miles Open for Traffic.	REVENUE.				EXPENDITURE.				Per Cent. of Revenue.	FOR A TWELVE-MONTHLY PERIOD, AVERAGE TO DATE.			
		Four-weekly.		Total to Date.		Four-weekly.		Total to Date.			Revenue per Mile of Railway.		Expenditure per Mile of Railway.	
		£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
NORTH ISLAND,—														
Kawakawa ...	...	...	...	310	11 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Whangarei ...	7	224	14 1	946	13 8	250	8 7	995	15 11	105.19	439	10 7	462	6 7
Auckland ...	139	6,536	5 6	26,715	17 0	4,747	16 1	18,647	14 9	69.80	624	13 0	436	0 2
Napier ...	70	2,485	11 3	10,123	16 9	1,520	2 5	6,343	9 8	62.66	470	0 9	294	10 4
Wellington ...	69	3,518	18 10	14,260	16 8	2,532	6 1	10,428	19 10	73.13	671	14 2	491	4 5
Wanganui ...	115	2,729	14 7	12,291	3 2	2,643	9 4	10,672	12 8	86.83	347	7 2	301	12 4
New Plymouth ...	51	1,087	9 6	4,727	6 1	948	2 4	4,132	17 0	87.43	301	5 0	263	7 4
Total ...	451	16,582	13 9	69,376	4 6	12,642	4 10	51,221	9 10	73.83				
MIDDLE ISLAND,—														
Hurunui-Bluff ...	848	46,552	15 11	226,218	13 7	34,674	6 0	143,272	13 3	63.33	866	19 10	549	2 0
Greymouth ...	8	1,253	15 9	4,417	10 6	553	3 9	2,622	15 6	59.37	1,794	12 4	1,065	10 0
Westport ...	18	748	17 2	3,030	16 7	422	5 4	1,748	10 9	57.69	562	17 4	324	14 7
Nelson ...	23	582	2 3	2,760	16 10	523	12 0	2,148	18 0	77.83	390	2 4	302	13 0
Picton ...	18	421	17 6	1,751	8 0	385	14 9	1,599	11 2	90.82	316	4 7	287	3 7
Total ...	915	49,559	8 7	238,179	5 6	36,559	1 10	151,383	8 8	63.56				
Grand total ...	1,366	66,142	2 4	307,555	10 0	49,201	6 8	202,604	18 6	65.88				

CORRESPONDING PERIOD LAST YEAR.

Section.	Miles Open for Traffic.	REVENUE.				EXPENDITURE.				Per Cent. of Revenue.	FOR A TWELVE-MONTHLY PERIOD, AVERAGE TO DATE.			
		Four-weekly.		Total to Date.		Four-weekly.		Total to Date.			Revenue per Mile of Railway.		Expenditure per Mile of Railway.	
		£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
NORTH ISLAND,—														
Kawakawa ...	...	...	...	310	11 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Whangarei ...	5	256	3 10	853	12 6	171	3 3	617	3 7	72.30	554	17 2	401	3 4
Auckland ...	139	5,047	13 7	22,941	16 2	3,932	15 5	16,242	10 1	70.80	536	8 2	379	15 5
Napier ...	70	2,584	6 1	9,844	10 10	1,695	13 0	6,865	6 10	69.74	457	1 4	318	15 0
Wellington ...	69	3,123	14 0	13,241	13 11	2,136	15 6	9,703	7 3	73.28	623	14 0	457	0 10
Wanganui ...	115	2,298	15 6	13,207	4 4	2,644	14 1	9,933	11 11	75.21	373	5 0	280	14 6
New Plymouth ...	51	1,314	6 7	5,128	12 9	1,042	1 4	3,777	3 9	73.65	326	16 5	240	14 0
Total ...	449	14,629	19 7	65,523	1 8	11,623	2 7	47,139	3 5	71.94				
MIDDLE ISLAND,—														
Hurunui-Bluff ...	836	44,453	5 7	227,690	15 9	32,068	6 0	126,085	8 3	55.38	891	19 2	493	18 7
Greymouth ...	8	853	5 7	3,396	12 5	425	14 8	1,623	12 8	47.80	1,379	17 7	659	12 0
Westport ...	10	714	12 5	2,941	15 8	427	11 7	1,481	7 5	60.36	956	1 7	481	9 0
Nelson ...	23	677	6 11	2,735	18 11	502	11 7	2,012	12 1	73.56	386	12 0	284	7 9
Picton ...	18	607	1 7	2,636	13 1	447	13 1	1,911	17 10	72.51	476	1 2	345	4 0
Total ...	895	47,305	12 1	239,401	15 10	33,871	16 11	133,114	18 3	55.60				
Grand total ...	1,344	61,935	11 8	304,929	17 6	45,494	19 6	180,254	1 8	59.11				

Railway Department, 21st August, 1883.

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HURUNUI-BLUFF SECTION.—MAIN SECTIONS AND BRANCHES.—Four-weekly Period ending 21st July, 1883.

Name.	Miles Open for Traffic.	REVENUE.		EXPENDITURE.		Per Cent. of Revenue.
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	
Christchurch Section	162	£ 15,032 2 5	£ 80,623 9 3	£ 11,163 0 11	£ 45,749 9 2	56·74
Oxford, Rangiora, and Eyreton Branch	43	606 16 6	2,563 7 0	957 6 0	2,990 4 4	116·65
Southbridge Branch	42	969 18 7	5,457 7 5	854 11 1	3,565 19 6	65·34
Springfield-Whitecliffs	43	1,073 16 1	4,749 19 4	782 7 9	3,484 4 4	73·35
Total	290	17,682 13 7	93,394 3 0	13,757 5 9	55,789 17 4	59·74
Oamaru Section	108	5,802 5 2	27,183 12 5	4,594 15 9	19,665 10 11	72·34
Albury Branch	26	564 12 2	2,641 18 0	379 13 2	1,388 3 4	52·54
Duntroon Branch	22	388 5 4	2,065 12 10	336 12 7	2,281 11 10	110·45
Ngapara Branch	15	210 15 8	1,483 8 6	322 17 5	1,676 15 7	113·03
Total	171	6,965 18 4	33,374 11 9	5,633 18 11	25,012 1 8	74·94
Dunedin Section	115	13,828 4 10	63,123 7 11	9,094 19 4	36,985 8 11	58·59
Walton Park Branch	3	61 19 3	286 10 5	110 14 2	432 0 3	150·78
Outram Branch	9	140 16 0	684 7 1	262 9 2	924 16 9	135·14
Lawrence Branch	22	498 11 5	2,228 13 10	455 3 4	2,036 10 5	91·37
Total	149	14,529 11 6	66,322 19 3	9,923 6 0	40,378 16 4	60·88
Invercargill Section	175	6,352 11 0	28,326 15 10	4,488 9 4	18,216 0 5	64·31
Tapanui Branch	15	132 6 0	738 0 5	200 9 7	868 7 2	117·66
Riverton Branch	48	888 15 6	4,062 3 4	670 16 5	3,007 10 4	74·03
Total	238	7,374 12 6	33,126 19 7	5,359 15 4	22,091 17 11	66·69
Grand total	848	46,552 15 11	226,218 13 7	34,674 6 0	143,272 13 3	66·33

CORRESPONDING PERIOD LAST YEAR.

Name.	Miles Open for Traffic.	REVENUE.		EXPENDITURE.		Per Cent. of Revenue.
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	
Christchurch Section	153	£ 13,721 7 5	£ 83,051 16 0	£ 8,820 14 2	£ 37,271 1 7	64·28
Oxford, Rangiora, and Eyreton Branch	43	551 10 2	2,268 5 6	639 1 3	2,621 5 4	115·56
Southbridge Branch	42	955 10 10	4,477 19 3	726 14 0	2,821 16 7	63·02
Springfield-Whitecliffs	43	916 6 4	4,296 0 6	767 1 2	2,920 16 8	67·99
Total	281	16,144 14 9	94,094 1 3	10,953 10 7	45,635 0 2	48·50
Oamaru Section	108	5,778 18 10	29,418 17 6	4,616 19 9	17,853 15 10	60·68
Albury Branch	26	421 1 6	2,753 13 1	313 7 3	1,190 1 10	43·22
Duntroon Branch	22	260 19 9	1,687 1 10	567 16 3	2,900 9 11	171·92
Ngapara Branch	15	187 7 3	989 19 4	240 9 5	912 14 11	92·20
Total	171	6,648 7 4	34,849 11 9	5,733 12 8	22,857 2 6	65·59
Dunedin Section	115	14,059 9 10	62,363 8 11	8,625 2 11	34,621 12 11	55·51
Walton Park Branch	3	71 15 4	234 13 3	92 6 0	308 10 7	131·48
Outram Branch	9	176 17 3	958 17 2	398 19 2	1,036 12 6	108·11
Lawrence Branch	22	490 12 10	2,403 18 2	615 5 2	2,176 13 0	90·55
Total	149	14,798 15 3	65,960 17 6	9,731 13 3	38,143 9 0	57·83
Invercargill Section	172	5,833 9 10	27,856 16 1	4,833 8 5	16,180 19 0	58·08
Tapanui Branch	15	116 16 7	667 4 7	225 13 4	901 12 5	135·13
Riverton Branch	48	911 1 10	4,262 4 7	585 7 9	2,367 5 2	55·54
Total	235	6,861 8 3	32,786 5 3	5,644 9 6	19,449 16 7	59·32
Grand total	836	44,453 5 7	227,690 15 9	32,068 6 0	126,085 8 3	55·38

Cost of CONSTRUCTION of all LINES up to 31st March, 1883.

Section.	Division.	State of Line.	Miles Open.	Cost.	Total.
				£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Kawakawa ...	Main Line ...	Opened ...	...	26,603 6 1	...
	" ...	Unopened ...	...	36,948 17 11	63,552 4 0
Whangarei-Kamo	" ...	Opened ...	7	54,153 0 5	54,153 0 5
Auckland ...	" ...	" ...	139	1,112,719 14 11	...
	To Aroha-Thames	Unopened ...	...	64,592 2 8	1,177,311 17 7
Napier ...	Main Line ...	Opened ...	70	419,298 14 11	...
	" ...	Unopened ...	...	32,003 0 0	451,301 14 11
Wellington ...	" ...	Opened ...	69	764,860 12 6	...
	" ...	Unopened ...	...	3,017 4 0	767,877 16 6
Wanganui ...	" ...	Opened ...	115	804,588 10 2	...
	" ...	Unopened ...	...	20,552 0 0	825,140 10 2
New Plymouth ...	" ...	Opened ...	51	292,457 13 6	...
	" ...	Unopened ...	...	52,162 0 0	344,619 13 6
Private Line ...	Wellington-Foxton ...	" ...	...	40,237 8 9	40,237 8 9
Stock ...	" ...	" ...	...	103,729 19 5	103,729 19 5
Surveys ...	" ...	" ...	...	3,890 12 3	3,890 12 3
Miscellaneous ...	" ...	" ...	...	2,506 19 6	2,506 19 6
Christchurch ...	Main Line ...	Opened ...	162	1,697,301 5 2	...
	" ...	Unopened ...	...	9,768 0 0	...
	Oxford, Rangiora, and Eyreton Branch	Opened ...	43	102,396 1 5	...
	Southbridge ...	" ...	42	150,133 0 0	...
	Springfield-Whitecliffs	" ...	43	103,542 3 11	...
	Canterbury Interior ...	Unopened ...	...	41,536 10 8	2,104,677 1 2
Oamaru ...	Main Line ...	Opened ...	108	954,196 18 2	...
	Albury Branch ...	" ...	26	118,484 15 5	...
	" ...	Unopened ...	...	37,826 4 3	...
	Duntroon Branch ...	Opened ...	22	79,581 7 1	...
	Ngapara Branch ...	" ...	15	90,622 15 4	...
	" ...	Unopened ...	...	37,994 2 1	1,318,706 2 4
Dunedin ...	Main Line ...	Opened ...	115	1,438,681 11 5	...
	Walton Park Branch ...	" ...	3	19,694 6 8	...
	Outram Branch ...	" ...	9	55,883 3 7	...
	Lawrence Branch ...	" ...	22	168,700 7 3	...
	Palmerston-Waihemo ...	Unopened ...	...	15,366 18 11	...
	Main Line, Catlin's River	" ...	...	13,869 11 5	...
	Otago Central ...	" ...	...	150,206 8 7	1,862,402 7 10
Invercargill ...	Main Line ...	Opened ...	175	1,017,816 16 4	...
	" ...	Unopened ...	...	6,400 0 0	...
	Tapanui ...	Opened ...	15	84,227 16 3	...
	" ...	Unopened ...	...	3,070 0 0	...
	Riverton ...	Opened ...	48	218,040 7 10	...
	" ...	Unopened ...	...	9,558 0 0	...
	Seaward Bush ...	" ...	...	89 13 9	...
	Riversdale-Switzers ...	" ...	...	350 0 0	1,339,552 14 2
Greymouth ...	Main Line ...	Opened ...	8	163,096 14 2	...
	" ...	Unopened ...	...	15,500 0 0	...
	Greymouth-Hokitika ...	" ...	...	28,395 4 9	...
	Harbour Works ...	" ...	...	80,802 0 4	287,793 19 3
Westport ...	Main Line ...	Opened ...	10	199,891 3 7	199,891 3 7
Nelson ...	" ...	" ...	23	153,223 13 4	...
	" ...	Unopened ...	...	2,000 0 0	155,223 13 4
Picton ...	" ...	Opened ...	18	183,801 15 6	...
	" ...	Unopened ...	...	13,567 3 0	202,368 18 6
Stock ...	" ...	" ...	...	81,249 6 11	81,249 6 11
Surveys ...	" ...	" ...	...	20,785 1 6	20,785 1 6
Miscellaneous ...	" ...	" ...	...	2,506 19 7	2,506 19 7
			1,358	11,409,479 5 2	11,409,479 5 2

Railway Department, 21st August, 1883.

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

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 after the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

755. SAMUEL BERRY, Applicant.—20 3-10th perches, part of Town Sections 114 and 115, Napier. Occupied in parts by F. Wilson, Robert Skepage, Daniel Young, and Robert Hutchings; all tenants of the Applicant.

756. ROBERT DONALD DOUGLAS McLEAN, Applicant.—2640 acres, more or less, being part of the Mangaroa Block, Hawke's Bay. In occupation of Applicant.

757. GEORGE HENRY SWAN, Applicant.—29 4-10th perches, Lot 23, of Town Section 385, Napier. Occupied by Applicant.

758. GEORGE HENRY SWAN, Applicant.—2 roods, more or less, Town Section No. 299, Napier. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Napier, this 18th day of August, 1883.

EDWIN BAMFORD,
District Land Registrar.

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NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM FRANCIS SULLIVAN, of Cloncore, County of Armagh, Ireland, Farmer, claiming as Heir-at-law of JOHN SULLIVAN, late of Temuka, Farmer, deceased, intestate, has applied to be registered as proprietor of Rural Section 15434, Timaru District, containing 8 acres and 2 roods, comprised in License to Occupy, Provisional Register, Vol. vi., folio 107; and that he will be so registered unless caveat forbidding the same be lodged within one month from date of *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 17th day of August, 1883, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

J. M. BATHAM,
District Land Registrar.

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APPLICATION having been made to me to register a discharge of Mortgage No. 8009, William McBride to William George Rutherford, and a statutory declaration of the loss of the said mortgage having been lodged with me, I hereby give notice that I shall, at the expiration of fourteen days after the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice, register such discharge, unless in the meantime a caveat be lodged forbidding the same.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch, this 17th day of August, 1883.

J. M. BATHAM,
District Land Registrar.

620

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM ESSERY, of Temuka, Painter, claiming as Trustee under the will of EDWARD SMITH, late of Timaru, Contractor, deceased, has applied to be registered as proprietor of part of Rural Section 4930, Timaru District, containing 2 roods, comprised in Certificate of Title, Vol. iv., folio 276; and that he will be so registered unless caveat forbidding the same be lodged within one month from date of *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 17th day of August, 1883, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

J. M. BATHAM,
District Land Registrar.

622

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

5253. GEORGE SAVAGE.—1 acre, part of Rural Section 76, Christchurch District. Occupied by Applicant.

5269. ALFRED CANDLER CARTER.—20 acres, Rural Section 8990, Christchurch District. Occupied by Applicant.

5270. THOMAS FARMER DILLON and GERALD DILLON.—1 rood, Lot 364, Deposited Plan 1, part of Rural Section 7555, Timaru Borough and District. Occupied by Thomas Farmer Dillon, Thomas Turner Brownell, and George Rowe.

5171. JAMES GREGAN.—67 acres 1 rood 31 perches, parts of Rural Sections 10619 and 10620, Timaru District. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 17th day of August, 1883, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

J. M. BATHAM,
District Land Registrar.

623

NOTICE is hereby given that FREDERIC LE CREN, of Timaru, Commission Agent, and ROBERT ROSS TAYLOR, of Timaru, Merchant, claiming as Devises under the will of Matilda Arenas, late of Temuka, deceased, have applied to be registered as proprietors of Rural Sections 28976 and 29149, Hinds Survey District, containing 1,000 acres, comprised in Crown grants, Vol. xlix., folios 288 and 289; and that they will be so registered unless caveat forbidding the same be lodged within one month from date of *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 17th day of August, 1883, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

J. M. BATHAM,
District Land Registrar.

624

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 1st October, 1883.

1406. ROBERT MACDONALD.—Section 417, Hutt District. In occupation of Applicant.

1409. JOHN WINGATE.—Sections 143, 144, 148, 149, and 181, Whareama Block. In occupation of Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 22nd day of August, 1883, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

GEO. B. DAVY,
District Land Registrar.

636

NOTICE is hereby given that a statutory declaration of the loss of Certificate of Title, in favour of THE WAIKATO COAL COMPANY (LIMITED), for Lots 9 and 166 of the Parish of Pepepe, and Allotments 54, 55, and 56 of the Parish of Taupiri, the whole of the land included in Vol. xiv., folio 147, of the Register Book, having been filed in this office, and application having been made for the issue of a provisional certificate for the same, it is my intention to issue such certificate unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 7th day of September next.

Dated at the Land Transfer Office, Auckland, this 8th day of August, 1883.

THEO. KISSLING,
District Land Registrar.

628

Mining Notices.

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

1. The name of the Company is to be the Ivanhoe Gold-Mining Company (Limited).
2. The place of intended operations is at Karangahake, in the Hauraki Gold-Mining District.
3. The registered office of the Company will be situated at Queen Street, Auckland.
4. The nominal capital of the Company is twenty-five thousand pounds in twenty-five thousand shares of one pound each.
5. The number of shares subscribed for is twenty thousand seven hundred, being not less than two-thirds of the entire number of shares in the Company.
6. The number of paid-up shares is nil.
7. The amount already paid up is nil.
8. The name of the Manager is Francis Angus White.
9. The names and addresses and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follow:—

	No. of Shares.
Charles Alexander, Auckland, Broker	750
Neil Ryrie Alexander, Auckland, Clerk	300
Samuel Jagger, Auckland, Brewer	300
Arthur D. Bennett, Auckland, Accountant	300
Battery Company, Auckland	3,000
John Batger, Auckland, Accountant	300
Frederick W. Brookfield, Auckland, Solicitor	300
D. B. Cruickshank, Auckland, Merchant	300
William H. Cobley, Auckland, Gentleman	300
William Thornton Firth, Matamata, Farmer	300
Sam Bateman Firth, Auckland, Engineer	150
George Fraser, Auckland, Engineer	300
William Hellaby, Auckland, Butcher	300
Peter Christian Hansen, Paeroa, Miner	300
Alexander Hogg, Auckland, Gentleman	300
Charles H. Haines, Auckland, M.D.	300
Samuel Jackson, Auckland, Solicitor	300
Alfred Kidd, Auckland, Publican	300
George Loram, Auckland	300
George Colebrooke, Te Aroha, Builder	150
Isaac Levy, Auckland, Clothier	300

Hugh Robert Jones, Auckland, Miner	No. of Shares.	750
James Liddell, Paeroa, Prospector	900	
John McCombie, Paeroa, Prospector	900	
John McCabe, Paeroa, Gentleman	300	
Harry Miller, Auckland, Master Mariner ..	300	
Denis Gilmore McDonnell, Auckland, Local Manager	300	
John W. Nichol, Auckland, Gentleman	300	
Adam Porter, Auckland, Gentleman	300	
William Pickett, Auckland, Broker	4,800	
Joseph Stacey, Auckland, Confectioner ..	900	
Captain James Stone, Auckland, Merchant ..	300	
Bessie Stone, Melbourne, Spinster	150	
William Tregoweth, Thames, Miner	300	
Francis Angus White, Auckland, Agent	300	
William Scott Wilson, Auckland, Journalist	300	
Charles S. Weston, Auckland	300	
Samuel Turtle, Auckland, Broker	150	
Unallotted	4,300	
Total	25,000	

Dated this 6th day of July, 1883.

F. A. WHITE,
Manager.

Witness to signature—C. Alexander.

I, Francis Angus Whyte, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

1. I am the Manager of the said intended Company.
2. The above statement is, to the best of my belief and knowledge, true in every particular; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

F. A. WHYTE.

Taken before me—Joseph Newman, J.P. 634

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

1. The name of the Company is to be the Lucky-hit Gold-Mining Company (Limited).
2. The place of intended operations is at Te Aroha, in the Te Aroha Gold-Mining District.
3. The registered office of the Company will be situated at Queen Street, Auckland.
4. The nominal capital of the Company is twenty-five thousand pounds in twenty-five thousand shares of one pound each.
5. The number of shares subscribed for is seventeen thousand three hundred, being not less than two-thirds of the entire number of shares in the Company.
6. The number of paid-up shares is nil.
7. The amount already paid up is nil.
8. The name of the Manager is Francis Angus White.
9. The names and addresses and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follow:—

William Wilson, Te Aroha, Draper	No. of Shares.	2,000
John F. Cocks, Te Aroha, Draper	1,500	
Peter Ferguson, Te Aroha, Agent	3,500	
James Parr, Te Aroha, Farmer	500	
Nathaniel Paskett, Te Aroha, Farmer	250	
Theny Bartlett, Piako, Contractor	1,000	
F. L. Laurence, Te Aroha, Labourer	1,500	
Alfred H. Whitehouse, Te Aroha, Bootmaker	500	
William E. Esdaile, Te Aroha, Carter	500	
John Grigg, Thames, Music-seller	250	
Samuel B. Firth, Auckland, Engineer	500	
W. Brook Smith, Auckland, Gentleman	500	
Henry Johnston, Whatawhata, Settler	500	
James Stodart, Auckland, Agent	500	
James Berry Hoyes, Auckland, Miller	250	
Wm. D. Buddle, Auckland, Accountant	250	
Francis Angus White, Auckland, Agent	300	
Richard Salter, Auckland	250	
Thomas Chambers, Auckland	500	
John R. Randerson, Auckland, Broker	2,250	
Francis Angus White (in trust for the Lucky-hit Gold-Mining Company)	7,700	
Total	25,000	

Dated this 6th day of July, 1883.

F. A. WHITE,
Manager.

Witness to signature—C. Alexander.

I, Francis Angus White, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

1. I am the Manager of the intended Company.
2. The above statement is, to the best of my belief and

knowledge, true in every particular; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

F. A. WHITE.

Taken before me—Joseph Newman, J.P.

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

1. The name of the Company is to be the Phoenix Extended Gold-Mining Company (Limited).
2. The place of operations is at Terawhiti, in the Provincial District of Wellington, in the Colony of New Zealand.
3. The registered office of the Company will be at Lambton Quay, in the City of Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, in the Colony of New Zealand.
4. The nominal capital of the Company is twelve thousand five hundred pounds, in twenty-five thousand shares of ten shillings each.
5. The number of shares subscribed for is twenty-five thousand, being the entire number of shares in the company.
6. The number of paid-up shares is nil.
7. The amount already paid up is nil.
8. The name of the Manager is William McLean.
9. The names and addresses and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follow:—

John Plimmer, Wellington, Gentleman	No. of Shares.	705
Charles Haggerty Gillespie, Wellington, Hotelkeeper	210	
William Gilbert Mouat, Wellington, Grocer ..	35	
Robert Miller, Wellington, Gentleman	705	
William Freeman, Wellington, Baker	885	
Robert Wilberfoss, Wellington, Sharebroker ..	175	
John James Curtis, Wellington, Contractor ..	705	
James Hamilton, Wellington, Cab-proprietor ..	145	
William Howden, Wellington, Bank Clerk	75	
Charles De Launay, Wellington, Hotelkeeper ..	75	
William Waddell, Wellington, Sawmiller	1,410	
Alexander Bulwer Campbell, Wellington, Solicitor	75	
Samuel J. Dyer, Wellington, Publisher	75	
Thomas Henry Boughton, Wellington, Civil Service	145	
James T. Glover, Wellington, Engineer	145	
James O'Shea, Wellington, Merchant	705	
Edward Henry Bradford, Wellington, Gunsmith	75	
William Jones, Wellington, County Clerk	75	
Joseph Joseph, Wellington, Merchant	705	
Charles Stewart, Pieton, Settler	145	
Donald Chisholm, Wellington, Grocer	705	
Henry Innis, Wellington, Hotelkeeper	75	
George Morril, Wellington, Engineer	145	
James John Jones, Newtown, Settler	35	
William Cooper, Makara, Settler	35	
W. J. Williams, Karori, Carpenter	175	
John Astill, Wellington, Butcher	175	
Adolphus Julius Swanson, Wellington, Storeman	35	
Frederick Dowsett, Wellington, Baker	565	
George Webb, Wellington, Merchant	635	
A. E. Tuckwell, Wellington, Saddler	210	
J. McLennon, Foxton, Station Manager	680	
William Toogood, Featherston, Storekeeper ..	350	
George Greig, Wellington, Carpenter	280	
Arthur Gumbley, Wellington, Clerk	175	
Thomas W. Pilcher, Wellington, Ship Agent ..	280	
Frederick Alfred Moore, Wadestown, Cook ..	175	
John Pownceby, Wellington, Oyster Dealer ..	705	
Thomas Campbell, Karori, Dairyman	80	
Charles McShane, Featherston, Banker	145	
Blundell Brothers, Wellington, Journalists ..	705	
Phillip Moeller, Wellington, Merchant	705	
Thomas Henry Robinson, Makara, Settler	35	
Ann Cairns, Makara	15	
Nicholas Reid, Wellington, Merchant	705	
Eugenie Godet, Wellington, Dressmaker	75	
Donald Fraser, Rangitikei, Settler	705	
Henry Cook, Makara, Farmer	35	
J. R. Skelly, Wellington, Commercial Traveller	705	
Henry Levy, Wellington, Merchant	880	
Joseph Frederick Spiers, Karori	35	
Frederick Wilton, Karori, Dairyman	175	
John S. Prendeville, Makara, Teacher	75	
James Lockie, Wellington, Builder	350	
Henry Allington, Karori, Salesman	35	
William McLean, Wellington, Auctioneer	705	
John Mouat, Wellington, Clerk	35	
William Bell, Karori, Milkman	35	
Patrick Clune, Wellington, Labourer	35	
James Brunner, Makara, Farmer	35	
Frederick Webbe, Wellington, Upholsterer ..	705	
Herbert Thomas Phillips, Wellington, Grocer ..	350	

Robert Alexander, Kilbirnie, Bootmaker ..	No. of Shares. 145
William Evans, Wellington, Butcher ..	525
John Chew, Wellington, Engineer ..	1,055
James Wallace, Wellington, Grocer ..	75
James Hervey Price, Karori, Settler ..	35
William and John Cooper, Makara, Settlers ..	75
William McLean, in trust for the Company ..	3,025

Dated this 22nd day of August, 1883.

WILLIAM McLEAN.

Witness to signature—James Wilkie, Clerk, Wellington.

I, William McLean, of Wellington, Auctioneer, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

1. I am the Manager of the said intended Company.
2. And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

WILLIAM McLEAN.

Declared at Wellington this 22nd day of August, 1883.

G. C. GRAHAM,

Justice of the Peace.

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STATEMENT of the Affairs of the Dunedin Gold-Dredging Company (Limited), for the half-year ending 6th July, 1883, in accordance with section 135 of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872."

Name of Company: The Dunedin Gold-Dredging Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: September, 1881.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Princes Street, Dunedin; Andrew Hamilton.

Nominal capital: £7,200.

Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders: £3,600.

Number of shares in which capital is divided: 240.

Amount of calls made: £1,680.

Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: £5,520.

Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company: 240.

Amount of cash in hand: £272 5s. 10d.

Whether in operation or not: In operation.

Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.

Number of shares unallotted: Nil.

ANDREW HAMILTON,

Manager.

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THE NEW ALL NATIONS GOLD-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that the registered office of the New All Nations Gold Mining Company (Limited) has been removed from Buckingham Street, Arrow, to No. 1, Bond Street, Dunedin; and that Mr. ROBERT PARTO has been appointed Legal Manager, *vice* Mr. H. B. Smith, resigned.

W. J. FARRELL, } Directors.
J. F. WATSON, }

Dunedin, 15th August, 1883.

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CONSTRUCT A WATER-RACE.

Longwood District, 21st July, 1883.

To the Warden at Riverton.

I HEREBY give notice that I intend to construct a Water-race to divert and use water for mining purposes, commencing at a point in Sloan's Gully and all creeks in its course, and terminating at Cookson's Creek, Longwood.

The length of such race is about seven miles or thereabouts, and its intended course is north and south.

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

JOHN BELL,

Applicant.

Date and number of miner's right: 21st July, 1883; No. 38,178.

Any person objecting to the granting of this application must lodge his objection in writing at the Warden's Office at Riverton within fourteen clear days from the date hereof. Hearing at 12 o'clock on the 28th August, 1883.

PETER GRANT,

Mining Registrar.

Warden's Office, Riverton, 21st July, 1883.

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Private Advertisements.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between CHARLES WILLIAM COWPER and WILLIAM FREDERICK KNIGHT, carrying on business as Sheep-farmers and Graziers under the style or firm of "Cowper and

Knight," has been mutually dissolved, as from the fifteenth day of August, 1883. The business will be carried on by the said William Frederick Knight and Frederick George Cowper, by whom all debts owing by the late copartnership will be paid, and to whom all debts owing to the said late copartnership must be paid.

Dated this fifteenth day of August, 1883.

CHAS. W. COWPER.

WM. FREDK. KNIGHT.

Witness to signature of Charles William Cowper—W. H. Barnicoat, Solicitor, Wanganui.

Witness to signature of William Frederick Knight—E. D. Hamilton, J.P., Mangatoro. 629

NEW ZEALAND.

"FRIENDLY SOCIETIES ACT, 1882."

Advertisement of Dissolution by Instrument.

NOTICE is hereby given that the New Zealand Railway Employés Benefit Society, Christchurch Branch, Register No. 148, held at Christchurch, is dissolved by instrument registered at this office the 18th day of August, 1883, unless within three months from the date of the *Gazette* in which this advertisement appears proceedings be commenced by a member or other person interested in or having any claim on the funds of the Society to set aside such dissolution and the same is set aside accordingly.

WM. R. E. BROWN,

Registrar.

Registrar of Friendly Societies' Office,

Wellington, 18th day of August, 1883.

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To A. R. Ure, Esq., Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, Dunedin.

I, LLOYD DAVENPORT PARRY, Licentiate of the Royal College of Surgeons, Edinburgh, now residing at Kaitangata, Otago, hereby give you notice that it is my intention to apply to you on the 24th day of September, 1883, to be registered in terms of "The Medical Practitioners Registration Act, 1869," and that I have deposited my diploma in your office for public inspection.

LLOYD DAVENPORT PARRY,

L.R.C.S. and L.M., Edin.

Kaitangata, 21st August, 1883.

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THE WAKATIPU STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (LIMITED).

IN LIQUIDATION.

A General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Liquidator's Offices, Ballarat Street, Queenstown, on Monday, the 8th day of October next, at 2 p.m.

Business: To inspect the Liquidator's balance-sheet and Report, and to ascertain the cause why the Company could not be wound up during the twelve months, and to instruct the Liquidator *re* defaulting shareholders.

F. W. F. GEISOW,

Liquidator.

Queenstown, 14th August, 1883.

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