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Regulations under "The Adoption of Children Act, 1881."

Wm. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authorities conferred by the eleventh section of "The Adoption of Children Act, 1881," and of every other power and authority enabling me in that behalf, I, William Francis Drummond Jervis, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby revoke the regulations made herein on the third day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the fifth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, and do hereby make and publish in lieu thereof the following regulations under the said Act:—

1. In these regulations, if not inconsistent with the context,—
"The Act" means "The Adoption of Children Act, 1881."
"The Judge" means the District Judge to whom any application under the Act is made:
"The Court" means the Court of the district constituted under "The District Courts Act, 1858," to which the Judge to whom the application is made may have been appointed:
"Order" means an order made under the Act.
2. Every application under section three of the Act shall set out the names and sex of the applicant, and, if the applicant be married, the names of the person to whom the applicant is married, of the child proposed to be adopted, and of the parents or parent or legal guardian of such child (and, in case of a deserted child, the facts relied upon in proof of such desertion), and all other facts upon which the applicant relies in support of the application. Such application, together with an affidavit verifying the same, shall be filed in the Court.
3. The Judge shall fix some convenient place and time for hearing the application.
4. If, from any cause, the applicant is unable to attend personally upon the application, the Judge may dispense with such personal attendance on such terms as he may think fit.
5. The Clerk of the Court shall cause a notice of the place and time so fixed to be served upon the applicant personally, forty-eight hours at least before the time appointed for the hearing.
6. The consent in writing of the parents or parent or legal guardian of the child proposed to be adopted shall be verified by affidavit, and filed in the Court.
7. Where the applicant is a married person, a consent in writing (verified by affidavit) to the application shall be made by the person to whom such applicant is married, and shall be filed in the Court.
8. In all cases where the Judge thinks fit to take evidence upon oath, such evidence shall be reduced to writing, and filed by the Clerk of the Court.
9. The order may be in the form in the Schedule hereunto annexed, or as near thereto as possible.
10. The provisions of section two of these regulations shall

apply, as nearly as circumstances will permit, to applications made under section eight of the Act, and the same procedure shall be had thereupon.

11. The order under section eight of the Act shall be in the form in the Schedule hereunto annexed, or as near thereto as possible.
12. The Clerk of the Court shall keep a register-book, and shall record therein a copy of every order made under the Act. Such registered copy shall be verified under the hand of the Judge.
13. Any person desirous of obtaining the reversal and discharge of an order shall apply in writing to the Judge, and shall serve a copy of such application forthwith upon the person in whose favour such order was made.
14. The Judge shall appoint a time and place for hearing such application, and shall cause notice thereof to be served personally upon the person in whose favour the order was made, and upon the person applying for the reversal and discharge of the order, forty-eight hours at least before the time appointed for the hearing.
15. The Judge at the hearing of such application may take evidence upon oath or otherwise, as he shall think fit to require.
16. In all cases where an order is reversed and discharged, a memorandum (signed by the Judge) of such reversal and discharge shall be written across the face of the registered copy of the order.
17. Every person interested may, upon the hearing of any application under the Act, appear personally or by a barrister or solicitor of the Supreme Court of New Zealand.
18. The schedule of forms and scale of fees hereunto annexed shall form part of these regulations.

SCHEDULE.

"THE ADOPTION OF CHILDREN ACT, 1881."

Order for the Adoption of a Child under Section 3 of the Act.

COLONY OF NEW ZEALAND, PROVINCIAL DISTRICT OF TO WIT.	}	BE it remembered that, on the day of _____, 18____, application was made to me, _____, a District Judge, sitting at _____, by _____, of _____, for an order to adopt _____, now aged _____: Now I, the said District Judge, having read the application of the said _____, and heard the evidence of _____, and being satisfied that* and that the applicant is of sufficient ability to bring up such child, and that the interests of the said _____ will be pro- moted by such adoption, do hereby order and adjudge that the said _____ may be adopted by the said _____. Given under my hand at _____, this _____ day of _____, 18____. District Judge.
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* Here insert whether the application is made with the consent of the parents or parent or legal guardian, or whether such child is a deserted child; and, where the applicant is a married person, that the consent of the person to whom such person is married has been given to the application.

"THE ADOPTION OF CHILDREN ACT, 1881."

Order for the Adoption of a Child under Section 8 of the Act.

COLONY OF NEW ZEALAND, PROVINCIAL DISTRICT OF TO WIT.

BE it remembered that, on the day of 18, application was made to me, a District Judge, sitting at , by , manager of the , established in connection with the denomination, for an order to adopt , now aged : Now I, the said District Judge, having read the application of the said , and heard the evidence of , and being satisfied that the said is a deserted child, and of the same religious denomination as that of the institution of which the said is manager, and that such institution is properly conducted, and is capable of properly bringing up the said , do hereby order and adjudge that the said , as manager for the time being, may adopt the said in connection with the said institution.

Given under my hand at , this day of , 18 .

District Judge.

SCALE OF FEES payable in respect of any Proceedings under "The Adoption of Children Act, 1881."

	£	s.	d.
Filing application, and affidavit verifying same	0	2	0
Filing any other document required by the regulations to be filed	0	2	0
Service of any notice under the regulations, if within two miles of the courthouse, 2s.; if beyond that distance, a mileage at the rate of 1s. per mile (for one way only) in addition.			
Hearing of any application	0	3	0
Order thereupon	0	5	0
Registering copy of order	0	2	0
Registering memorandum of reversal and discharge	0	5	0

The above costs shall be paid by such person interested in the matter of the application as the Judge shall direct.

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

EDWD. T. CONOLLY.

Proclaiming the Taking and Laying-off of Roads over Lands in the Auckland Provincial District.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

IN exercise and pursuance of all powers and authorities enabling me in this behalf, I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim that the several lines of road described in the Schedule hereto have been duly taken and laid off through the lands specified in warrants of the dates given in the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, in the Colony of New Zealand, containing by admeasurement 1 rood 25 perches, more or less, situated in Block I, Waimata Survey District, and being a road-line, 100 links wide, traversing a portion of the Ngakoroa No. 1 Block. Bounded towards the North by the Mangataikehu Stream; towards the East by lines, 210 links and 182.2 links respectively; towards the South by a line, 100 links; and towards the West by lines, 226.4 links and 180 links respectively, to the commencing point: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on Plan No. 3176, deposited in the Survey Office at Auckland.

Date of warrant, 22nd March, 1881.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, in the Colony of New Zealand, containing by admeasurement 2 acres and 29 perches, more or less, and being a road-line, 100 links wide, traversing a portion of the Ngakoroa Block, Block No. V, Waimata Survey District. Bounded towards the North and North-west generally by lines, 120 links, 560.9 links, 990.9 links, and 444 links respectively; towards the North-east by a line, 100 links; towards the South-east and South generally by lines, 489.5 links, 997.1 links, 604.1 links, and 167 links respectively; and towards the West by the flood-channel of the Waipaoa River: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on Plan No. 3165, deposited in the Survey Office at Auckland.

Date of warrant, 22nd March, 1881.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, in the Colony of New Zealand, containing by admeasurement 1 acre and 25 perches, more or less, and being a road-line, 100 links wide, traversing a portion of the Ruangarehu Block, Block No. V, Waimata Survey District. Bounded towards the North-east by a line, 1178 links; towards the South-east by the flood-channel of the Waipaoa River; towards the South-west by lines, 20 links and 1123.3 links respectively; and towards the West by a road-line, 113 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on Plan No. 3165, deposited in the Survey Office at Auckland.

Date of warrant, 10th December, 1878.

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

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

Changing the Purpose of a Portion 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 the portion of the reserve named in the first column and described in the second column of the said Schedule hereto to the specific purpose set opposite such description in the third column of the said Schedule, and such land shall henceforth be deemed to be reserved and set apart for such last-mentioned specific purpose, and no other.

SCHEDULE.

Description and Purpose of Reserve.	Area of which the Purpose is intended to be Changed.	Intended Purpose.
Section No. 250, Town of Foxton, containing 2 acres 1 rood 37 perches, reserved by the Superintendent of Wellington for public purposes.	All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Wellington, containing by admeasurement 1 acre 2 roods 7 perches, more or less, being the western portion of Section No. 250 on the plan of the Township of Foxton. Bounded towards the North by Section No. 161, 375 links; towards the East by a road, 419 links; towards the South by a public road, 375 links; and towards the West by a public road and by Sections Nos. 243 and 244, 405 links: be the aforesaid measurements a little more or less.	For a site for a pound.

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

THOMAS DICK,
(for the Minister of Lands.)

Vaccination Stations appointed for Districts of Raglan and Carterton.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

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

SCHEDULE.

District for which Public Vaccinator appointed.	Place where Vaccination to be performed.	Days and Hours fixed for Performance of Vaccination.	Days and Hours fixed for Inspecting the Progress of Vaccination.
Raglan	The Schoolhouse, Te Mata ...	Second Tuesday in February and September, from noon until 1 p.m.	Third Tuesday in February and September, from noon until 1 p.m.
Carterton	The Dispensary of Mr. T. Hooker, High Street, Carterton	Every Monday, from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m.	Every Monday, from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m.

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

EDWD. T. CONOLLY,
(for the Colonial Secretary.)

Appointing Registrars, &c., under "The Brands and Branding Act, 1880."—Notice No. 133.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

IN exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by section four of "The Brands and Branding Act, 1880," I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the persons and places named in the second and third columns of the Schedule hereto to be Registrars of Brands and registration offices respectively for the purposes of the said Act within the districts mentioned in the first column of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Branding District.	Registrar.	Place for Registration.
The Marsden Branding District. Comprising the Marsden Subdivision of the Auckland Sheep District	Elliott, Albert	Kamo.
The Cook Branding District. Comprising the Poverty Bay Subdivision of the Auckland Sheep District	Thomson, Campbell	Government Buildings, Gisborne.

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

EDWD. T. CONOLLY,
(for the Colonial Secretary.)

Judge of Assessment Court appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 9th March, 1883.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint JOHN SMITH HICKSON, Esq., R.M., to be Judge of the Assessment Court for the Borough of Naseby.

EDWD. T. CONOLLY,
(for the Colonial Secretary.)

Member of Timaru Hospital Board appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 9th March, 1883.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint JAMES HUTCHINSON SUTTER, Esq., M.H.R., to be a Member of the Board of Commissioners for the management of the Timaru Hospital, vice H. Belfield, Esq., resigned.

EDWD. T. CONOLLY,
(for the Colonial Secretary.)

Additional Public Vaccinator appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 9th March, 1883.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint WILLIAM BEY, Esq., M.B., M.S., Univ. Aberdeen, to be an additional Public Vaccinator, under "The Public Health Act, 1876," for the District of Greytown.

EDWD. T. CONOLLY,
(for the Colonial Secretary.)

Additional Public Vaccinator appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 13th March, 1883.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint WILLIAM MORRIS SATCHELL, Esq., L.S.A., to be an additional Public Vaccinator, under "The Public Health Act, 1876," for the District of Nelson.

EDWD. T. CONOLLY,
(for the Colonial Secretary.)

Coroner appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 8th March, 1883.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint JAMES BOOTH, Esq., R.M., of Gisborne, to be a Coroner within the Colony of New Zealand.

EDWD. T. CONOLLY.

Justice of the Peace under "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1876," appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 9th March, 1883.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint JOHN WILLIAM CHAPMAN, Mayor of Riverton, to be a Justice of the Peace under "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1876."

EDWD. T. CONOLLY.

Members of Licensing Committees appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 12th March, 1883.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint FRANCIS ROBINSON, Jun., to be a Member of the Licensing Committee for the District of Horowhenua, vice J. F. Rockstrow, resigned; and MATTHEW HENRY HIATT

to be a Member of the Licensing Committee for the District of Eyreton, vice Henry Vette, resigned.

EDWD. T. CONOLLY.

Licensing Committees appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 9th March, 1883.

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

Committee.	District.
William Carpenter ...	Thames Central.
Charles Ahier ...	
Edward Honiss ...	
Matthias Whitehead ...	
John Danby ...	
William Calder ...	Thames South.
Thomas Veale ...	
Edward Thomas Wildman ...	
William Carpenter ...	
Robert Farrell ...	
James Glenny Wilson ...	Rangitoto.
Donald Fraser ...	
Thomas Flower ...	
Richard Hammond, jun. ...	
James Nicholson Froid ...	
John McLennan ...	Kawakawa.
Francis Robinson, jun. ...	
Robert B. McKenzie ...	
William Hunt ...	
J. Hooban ...	
John Slade Manning ...	Epuni.
William Milne ...	
John Wilkins ...	
George McLlvrde ...	
James Knight ...	
Andrew McFarlane ...	Mount Somers.
Alfred Edward Peache ...	
William Campbell Walker ...	
William Spence Peter ...	
Donald Potts ...	
John Allan ...	Oamaru Severn, Oamaru Thames, Oamaru Jetty, and Oamaru Hull.
John Haddon Barr ...	
Thomas Windle Parker ...	
Robert Stevenson ...	
William Henry Sherwood Roberts ...	
Samuel Turner ...	Idaburn.
John O'Regan ...	
John Melvin ...	
William Climie ...	
Alexander McLean ...	
Cuthbert Cowan ...	Winton.
John Cowie ...	
Charles Casement Sproule ...	
Arthur Gerrard ...	
Francis Jack ...	
James Forsyth ...	Wyndham.
James Milne ...	
Robert McCallum ...	
James Holmes ...	
Irwin Raymond ...	
William James Collins ...	Riverton South.
William Crockett ...	
George Robertson ...	
Joseph Robinson ...	
Edward Simpson ...	
Andrew Cumming ...	Kanieri.
Francis J. Clarke ...	
James Main ...	
Thomas Luke ...	
Henry Staines ...	

EDWD. T. CONOLLY.

Clerk of Licensing Committee appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 12th March, 1883.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint MARCUS FURLONG SOUTH to be Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Kanieri, vice C. A. Barton, transferred.

EDWD. T. CONOLLY.

Trustees of Hokitika Savings Bank appointed.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 9th March, 1883.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to nominate Mr. JOHN MANSON and Mr. EDWARD FRANCIS RICH to be Trustees of the Hokitika Savings Bank.

H. A. ATKINSON.

Judge of Native Land Court appointed.

Native Office,
Wellington, 12th March, 1883.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint HENRY TACY CLARKE, Esq., to be a Judge of the Native Land Court, under "The Native Land Court Act, 1880."

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

Assessor appointed.

Native Office,
Wellington, 9th March, 1883.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint HONE WETERE, of Kawhia, to be an Assessor for the purposes of "The Resident Magistrates Act, 1867," "The Native Circuit Courts Act, 1858," and "The Native Circuit Courts Act Amendment Act, 1862," within the District of Raglan.

Appointment to date from the 1st January, 1883.

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

Prison Officers appointed.

Prisons Department,
Wellington, 8th March, 1883.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

GEORGE S. RESTON

to be Gaoler at Auckland, vice M. M. Cleary, transferred to Hokitika;

MATHEW M. CLEARY

to be Gaoler at Hokitika, vice James Donaldson, transferred to Addington;

JAMES DONALDSON

to be Gaoler at Addington, vice G. S. Reston, transferred to Auckland;

Mrs. DONALDSON

to be Matron at Addington, vice Mrs. Reston, resigned; and

Mrs. RYAN

to be Matron at Hokitika, vice Mrs. Donaldson, transferred to Addington.

EDWD. T. CONOLLY.

Trustee of Nelson Savings Bank resigned.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 12th March, 1883.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to signify his acceptance of the resignation by

Mr. SAMUEL KINGDON

of his appointment as a Trustee of the Nelson Savings Bank.

H. A. ATKINSON.

Officer Commanding No. 3 Company, Auckland Rifle Volunteers, resigned.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 14th March, 1883.

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

Major Arthur Morrow, N.Z. Volunteers,

of the command of No. 3 Company, Auckland Rifle Volunteers, from the 21st February, 1883.

H. A. ATKINSON.

Volunteer Officer resigned.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 14th March, 1883.

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

Auckland Naval Artillery Volunteers.

Lieutenant Henry Chapman. Date of resignation, 16th February, 1883.

H. A. ATKINSON.

Special Order made by Clutha County Council.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 10th March, 1883.

THE following special order, made by the Council of the County of Clutha, is published in accordance with "The Counties Act 1876 Amendment Act, 1882."

EDWD. T. CONOLLY,
(for the Colonial Secretary.)

SPECIAL ORDER.

THAT this Council alter the boundaries of the Clinton, Clydevale, and Pomahaka Ridings, so that these boundaries be the same as those of the Clinton, Clydevale, and Pomahaka Road Districts respectively; also that Runs Nos. 96 and 96A be included in Clinton Riding.

I hereby certify that the foregoing special order has been duly made by the Clutha County Council.

HENRY S. RENNERT,
County Clerk.

Special Order made by the Board of the Wyndham Road District, County of Southland.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 13th March, 1883.

THE following special order, made by the Wyndham Road Board, is published in accordance with "The Road Boards Act, 1882."

EDWD. T. CONOLLY,
(for the Colonial Secretary.)

SPECIAL ORDER.

THAT this Board proposes at its next meeting, to be held on the 2nd day of March, 1883, to pass a special order to bring its elections under the operation of sections 48 and 49 of "The Road Boards Act, 1882."

I, the undersigned, certify to the above as being a true copy of resolution passed by the Board; and, all the necessary steps having been taken in accordance with section 75 of "The Road Boards Act, 1882," the above resolution was proposed and unanimously agreed to at an adjourned ordinary meeting of the Board, held on the 3rd day of March, 1883.

JAMES CUSHNIE,
Clerk and Chairman.

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 *bond fide* account-sales of quantities not less than 100 tons weight, showing that such iron has been sold at a fair market price as wrought-iron.

THOMAS DICK.

Alterations and Additions to the Scale of Fares and Charges in Force on the New Zealand Railways.

IN accordance with section 144 of "The Public Works Act, 1882," I, Walter Woods Johnston, the Minister for Public Works, do hereby fix the following scale of fares and charges for the purposes specified below, to come into force from and after the 20th March, 1883.

PART I.—PASSENGERS.

LOCAL FARES AND REGULATIONS.—HURUNUI-BLUFF SECTION.

DUNTRON AND HAKATERAMEA RAILWAY COMPANY'S LINE (DUNTRON TO KUROW.)

STATIONS.		SINGLE Ordinary.		RETURN. For Saturdays and Sundays only.	
From	To	1st.	2nd.	1st.	2nd.
		s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Kurow ...	Hilles ...	0 6	0 4	0 6	0 4
" ...	Strachan's	1 0	0 8	1 0	0 8
" ...	Otekaike	2 0	1 4	2 0	1 4
" ...	Duntroun	3 9	2 6	3 9	2 6
Hilles ...	Kurow ...	0 6	0 4	0 6	0 4
" ...	Strachan's	0 9	0 6	0 9	0 6
" ...	Otekaike	1 9	1 2	1 9	1 2
" ...	Duntroun	3 3	2 2	3 3	2 2
Strachan's	Kurow ...	1 0	0 8	1 0	0 8
" ...	Hilles ...	0 9	0 6	0 9	0 6
" ...	Otekaike	1 0	0 8	1 0	0 8
" ...	Duntroun	2 9	1 10	2 9	1 10
Otekaike	Kurow ...	2 0	1 4	2 0	1 4
" ...	Hilles ...	1 9	1 2	1 9	1 2
" ...	Strachan's	1 0	0 8	1 0	0 8
" ...	Duntroun	1 9	1 2	1 9	1 2
Duntroun	Kurow ...	3 9	2 6	3 9	2 6
" ...	Hilles ...	3 3	2 2	3 3	2 2
" ...	Strachan's	2 9	1 10	2 9	1 10
" ...	Otekaike	1 9	1 2	1 9	1 2

Return tickets will be issued on Saturdays and Sundays only, available for return till the end of the following Monday.

PART IV.—LOCAL RATES.

HURUNUI-BLUFF SECTION.

Rakaia-Ashburton Forks Railway Company's Line.

The following rates will be charged per mile upon the Rakaia-Ashburton Forks Railway Company's Line:—

	s.	d.
Classes A, B, C, D, per ton	0 7
Class E, per ton	0 3
Classes N, P, per ton	0 2½
Wool (undumped), per bale	0 1½
Timber, per 100 superficial feet	0 0¾
Classes F, M, per truck	0 9
Double-floor trucks	rate and a half.
Class L, per truck	1 0

For local traffic on the Company's line, and between the terminal Government station and the Company's stations, the minimum rate will not be less than the classified rates.

As witness my hand, this fifteenth day of March, 1883.

WALTER W. JOHNSTON,
Minister for Public Works.

Tenders.

Public Works Office,
Wellington, 15th March, 1883.
THE following list of successful and unsuccessful tenders is published for general information.
WALTER W. JOHNSTON,
Minister for Public Works.

NEWMARKET WORKSHOPS, KAIPARA-WAIKATO RAILWAY.

	Accepted.	£	s.	d.
Downes and Ahern, Dunedin	...	8,039	15	6
<i>Declined.</i>				
Alexander and Macfarlane, Wanganui	...	9,127	6	8
Mercer and Marshall, Hamilton	...	9,128	16	10
J. J. O'Brien, Auckland	...	9,139	0	0
Grice and Malcolm, Auckland	...	9,371	17	0
Hunt and White, Auckland	...	9,506	0	1
James Wilson, Dunedin	...	9,509	9	5
G. Stephens, Dunedin	...	9,531	19	6
Alexander C. Watson, Auckland	...	9,600	0	0
Cameron and Briton, Auckland	...	9,839	0	0
William Gill, Auckland	...	9,976	1	6
Alexander McGuire, Auckland	...	10,236	0	0
William Alfred Turk, Auckland	...	13,670	0	0

Revocation of Appointment of Bonding Warehouse.

CUSTOMS.—In exercise of the authority in me for this purpose vested, I, the Commissioner of Trade and Customs, do, by this order under my hand, revoke and annul the appointment of the under-mentioned warehouse for the reception and security of goods entered to be warehoused without payment of duty upon the first entry thereof, viz.,—

Port of Wanganui.
Part of a two-storied wooden building, situate on Taupo Quay, Wanganui, forming a portion of Taylor and Watt's premises, and known as

TAYLOR AND WATT'S BOND.
Given under my hand, at Wellington, this seventh day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.
H. A. ATKINSON,
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

Commissioner's Order No. 184.]

Officiating Ministers for 1883.—Notice No. 6.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 12th March, 1883.
PURSUANT to the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, passed in the forty-fourth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, and intituled "The Marriage Act, 1880," the following names of Officiating Ministers within the meaning of the said Act are published for general information:—

Wesleyan Methodist Society.
The Reverend Oliver Dean.
The Reverend Joseph John Mather.
The Reverend Robert Young.

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

Name removed from List of Officiating Ministers.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 12th March, 1883.
IT is hereby notified that the name of
The Reverend FREDERICK C. DEWSBURY
has been removed from the list of Officiating Ministers, under "The Marriage Act, 1880," belonging to the Wesleyan Methodist Society, at the request of the President of the Conference, Mr. Dewsbury having ceased to be a minister of the Wesleyan body.

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

Branch of Friendly Society registered.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 13th March, 1883.
THE Loyal Napier Lodge, No. 4596, situated at Napier, is registered as a branch of the Hawke's Bay District of the Manchester Unity Independent Order of Odd Fellows Friendly Society, under "The Friendly Societies Act, 1882," this 13th day of March, 1883.
WM. R. E. BROWN,
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

Government Life Insurance Office opened.

Government Insurance Department,
Wellington, 12th March, 1883.
NOTICE is hereby given that the post office at the under-mentioned place has been opened as a Government Life Insurance Office:—
ORMONDVILLE, Hawke's Bay.
D. M. LUCKIE,
Commissioner.

Application for Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 12th March, 1883.
PATENT for an Invention for Hospital Bedsteads, to be known by the title of "Monckton's Balanced Whip Accident Bedstead."
FRANCIS MONCKTON, of Ross, in the Colony of New Zealand, Surgeon, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Friday, the 20th day of July next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at this office, to hear the said application and all objections thereto; and I require all persons having an interest in opposing the grant of such Letters Patent to leave, on or before the 5th day of July next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.
C. J. A. HASELDEN,
Patent Officer.

No. 776.

New Plymouth Savings Bank Accounts for 1882.

STATEMENT of Receipts and Payments of the New Plymouth Savings Bank for the Year 1882.

	RECEIPTS.	£	s.	d.
Cash in hand, 1st January	...	12	6	0
Cash at Bank of New Zealand	...	1,610	3	10
Deposits, including interest	...	1,644	6	1
Securities	...	633	6	8
Interest on securities	...	347	3	5
Post Office Savings Bank	...	895	0	0
Charges	...	0	2	6
		£5,142	8	6

	PAYMENTS.	£	s.	d.
Deposits	...	2,745	13	1
Interest on deposits	...	200	8	8
Securities	...	750	8	0
Salaries	...	60	0	0
Post Office Savings Bank	...	920	13	8
Charges	...	35	6	9
Cash in hand	...	10	10	0
Cash at Bank of New Zealand	...	419	8	4
		£5,142	8	6

STATEMENT of Assets and Liabilities of the New Plymouth Savings Bank, 31st December, 1882.

	ASSETS.	£	s.	d.
Cash in hand	...	10	10	0
Cash at Bank of New Zealand	...	419	8	4
Mortgages	...	4,195	8	0
Post Office Savings Bank	...	25	13	8
Stock, furniture, &c.	...	7	11	6
		£4,658	11	6

	LIABILITIES.	£	s.	d.
Due to depositors	...	3,948	14	10
Interest added this year	...	200	8	8
Profit and loss	...	509	8	0
		£4,658	11	6

T. KING, Vice-President.
T. WHITE, Accountant.

We have counted the cash in hand, and have, to the best of our belief, ascertained the correctness of the above balance-sheet. We find that £80 1s. 4d. was the amount of interest accrued to the 31st December, 1882, but not then payable, and that £32 10s., being arrears of interest, was unpaid on the same date.

WM. M. CROMPTON, } Trustees.
H. WESTON, }

Dunedin Savings Bank Accounts for 1882.

STATEMENT of Receipts and Payments of the Dunedin Savings Bank for the Year ending the 31st December, 1882.

RECEIPTS.		£	s.	d.
Balance from last year	...	806	7	8
Lodged by depositors	...	33,135	2	6
Interest on loans	...	3,718	17	8
Interest on bank account	...	247	0	6
Interest, Equitable Investment Company	...	39	16	8
Rents	...	130	0	0
Fines	...	1	1	0
Loans repaid	...	4,045	3	6
Equitable Investment Company	...	2,000	0	0
Fire premium	...	44	8	10
Benevolent Institution, interest on loans	...	90	16	0
		<u>£44,258</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>4</u>
To Balance	...	£861	15	1

PAYMENTS.		£	s.	d.
Withdrawn by depositors	...	31,200	3	10
Charges Account	...	815	17	2
Insurance premiums advanced	...	53	13	10
Deposit, Equitable Investment Company	...	1,000	0	0
Trustees of Benevolent Institution	...	90	16	0
Loans granted	...	10,236	8	5
Balance	...	861	15	1
		<u>£44,258</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>4</u>

We hereby certify that we have examined the above statement of receipts and payments of the Dunedin Savings Bank, have compared the same with the books of the bank, and that, to the best of our knowledge and belief, it contains a true and correct account of all the transactions of the bank. We have also seen securities for the investments, and compared the depositors' ledger balances and the cash account with bank pass-book.

WILLIAM BROWN, } Auditors.
W. D. SMITH, }

23rd January, 1883.

STATEMENT of Assets and Liabilities of the Dunedin Savings Bank, 31st December, 1882.

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Cash in bank	...	889	15	1			
Less outstanding cheques	...	28	0	0			
					861	15	1
Bank fixed deposit	...				5,000	0	0
Accrued interest on ditto	...				111	10	2
Accrued interest on bank current account	...				2	16	2
Land and building	...				4,069	14	4
Rents due	...				16	3	9
Loans on mortgage	...				59,712	18	2
Interest accrued	...				1,437	14	10
Insurance premiums advanced	...				23	16	0
					<u>£71,236</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>6</u>

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Due to depositors as per statement	...	64,196	13	2
Due to Suspense Account	...	2	10	0
Balance, assets in excess of liabilities	...	7,037	5	4
		<u>£71,236</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>6</u>

EDMUND SMITH, }
Manager. }

Examined and found correct.

WILLIAM BROWN, } Auditors.
W. D. SMITH, }

23rd January, 1883.

Gold Fields Notices.

Gold-Mining Lease to be granted.

IN conformity with the thirty-seventh section of "The Mines Act, 1877," and with the regulations made under that Act for the granting of leases for gold-mining purposes, it is hereby

notified that it is intended to grant a lease of Crown lands for gold-mining purposes to the applicants specified in the annexed Schedule, unless there shall be valid objections against such lease.

Objections to the granting of such lease, stating the grounds of objection, must be made in writing, and lodged with the Warden at Collingwood on or before the 26th day of March, 1883.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPLICANTS; Hugh Cottier and party. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "Success Gold-Mining Company." 16 acres, adjoining Golden Ridge claim, western boundary, West Wanganui, in the Collingwood Mining District.

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

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

Crown Lands Notices.

Sale of Town, Suburban, and Rural Lands.

Crown Lands Office,
Auckland, 27th February, 1883.

I HEREBY notify that the Town, Suburban, and Rural Lands mentioned in the Schedule hereunder will be offered for sale by public auction, at this office, on Monday, the 2nd April next, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

D. A. TOLE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

SCHEDULE.

EAST TAUPO COUNTY.

Town of Taupo.

Block VIII.: Section 1, 1 rood 4 perches; 2, 1 rood 4 perches; 3, 1 rood 4 perches; 4, 1 rood 4 perches; 5, 1 rood 4 perches; 6, 1 rood 4 perches; 7, 1 rood 4 perches; 8, 1 rood 4 perches; 9, 1 rood 4 perches; 10, 1 rood 4 perches.

Block XIV.: Section 4, 1 rood 8 perches; 5, 1 rood 8 perches; 6, 1 rood 8 perches; 7, 1 rood 8 perches; 8, 1 rood 8 perches; 9, 1 rood 8 perches; 10, 1 rood 8 perches; 11, 1 rood 8 perches; 12, 1 rood 2 perches; 13, 1 rood 2 perches; 14, 1 rood 2 perches.

Block XVII.: Section 4, 1 rood 8 perches; 5, 1 rood 8 perches; 6, 1 rood 8 perches; 7, 1 rood 8 perches; 8, 1 rood 8 perches; 9, 1 rood 8 perches; 10, 1 rood 8 perches; 11, 1 rood 8 perches; 12, 1 rood 2 perches; 13, 1 rood 2 perches; 14, 1 rood 2 perches.

Block XX.: Section 4, 1 rood 8 perches; 5, 1 rood 8 perches; 6, 1 rood 8 perches; 7, 1 rood 8 perches; 8, 1 rood 8 perches; 9, 1 rood 8 perches; 10, 1 rood 8 perches; 11, 1 rood 8 perches; 12, 1 rood 2 perches; 13, 1 rood 2 perches; 14, 1 rood 2 perches.

Block XXIII.: Section 6, 1 rood 8 perches; 7, 1 rood 8 perches; 10, 1 rood 8 perches; 11, 1 rood 8 perches; 12, 1 rood 2 perches; 13, 1 rood 2 perches; 14, 1 rood 2 perches.

Block XXVI.: Section 2, 1 rood; 3, 1 rood; 4, 1 rood; 5, 1 rood; 6, 1 rood; 7, 1 rood; 10, 28 perches; 11, 27 perches; 12, 32 perches; 13, 37 perches; 14, 1 rood 2 perches; 15, 1 rood 5 perches; 16, 34 perches; 17, 36 perches.

Block XXVII.: Section 1, 1 rood 2 perches; 2, 1 rood 7 perches; 3, 1 rood 12 perches; 4, 1 rood 17 perches; 5, 1 rood 22 perches; 6, 1 rood 18 perches.

Upset price, £30 per acre.

Suburbs of Taupo.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
1	5 0 0	15 0 0
2	5 0 0	15 0 0
3	5 0 0	15 0 0
4	5 0 0	15 0 0

WAIPA COUNTY.

Town of Kihikihiki.

Lot 3, 2 roods 13 perches; 7, 1 acre; 12, 1 acre; 15, 1 acre; 16, 1 acre; 17, 1 acre; 21, 1 acre and 34 perches; 25, 1 acre; 26, 1 acre; 27, 3 roods 4 perches; 28, 1 acre; 29, 1 acre; 31, 1 acre; 33, 1 acre; 35, 1 acre; 36, 1 acre; 37, 1 acre; 45, 1 acre; 46, 1 acre; 48, 1 acre; 328, 1 acre; 392, 1 rood 30 perches; 399, 1 acre. Upset price, £30 per acre.

Town of Te Rore.—Block I.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
4	0 1 0	7 10 0
5	0 1 0	7 10 0

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
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Town of Cambridge West.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
91	1 0 0	30 0 0
141	1 0 0	30 0 0
265	1 0 0	30 0 0
286	1 0 0	30 0 0
290	1 0 0	30 0 0
312	1 0 0	30 0 0
341	1 0 0	30 0 0

WAIKATO COUNTY.

Town of Cambridge East.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
304	0 3 5	23 8 9
601	0 0 13	29 5 0
602	0 0 12	27 0 0
603	0 0 10	22 10 0
604	0 0 11	13 15 0
605	0 0 12	15 0 0
606	0 0 13	16 5 0
607	0 0 14	17 10 0
608	0 0 16	20 0 0
609	0 0 17	21 5 0
610	0 0 17	21 5 0
611	0 0 15	18 15 0
612	0 0 12	15 0 0
613	0 0 10	12 10 0
614	0 0 11	19 5 0
615	0 0 8	14 0 0
616	0 0 14	24 10 0

Township of Rangiriri.

Lot 3, 1 rood 6 perches; 4, 2 roods 17 perches; 6, 1 rood 20 perches; 17, 1 rood; 18, 1 rood; 21, 1 rood; 22, 1 rood; 23, 1 rood; 24, 1 rood; 25, 1 rood; 36, 1 rood; 37, 1 rood; 38, 1 rood; 39, 1 rood; 40, 1 rood; 42, 1 rood; 43, 1 rood; 44, 1 rood; 45, 1 rood; 46, 1 rood; 47, 1 rood; 60, 1 rood; 61, 1 rood; 62, 1 rood; 63, 1 rood; 64, 1 rood; 65, 1 rood; 68, 1 rood; 69, 1 rood; 70, 1 rood; 71, 1 rood. Upset price, £30 per acre.

Suburbs of Rangiriri.

Lot 1, 1 acre 3 roods 20 perches; 2, 7 acres 3 roods 16 perches; 4, 4 acres 1 rood 9 perches; 6, 2 acres 1 rood 33 perches; 7, 8 acres 1 rood; 8, 9 acres and 39 perches; 9, 13 acres 3 roods 37 perches; 10, 1 acre 2 roods 39 perches; 11, 2 acres 2 roods 20 perches; 12, 2 acres and 32 perches. Upset price, £3 per acre.

WHANGAREI COUNTY.

Town of Kamo.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
67	0 0 39	7 6 3
68	0 1 18	10 17 6
98	0 1 0	7 10 0

HOKIANGA COUNTY.

Town of Hokianga.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
93	0 1 16	10 10 0*

* Subject to £30 for improvements.

MANUKAU COUNTY.

Suburbs of Mercer.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
10	3 3 15	12 0 0
16	3 0 38	9 15 0
17	3 0 12	9 15 0
18	3 1 28	10 10 0
19	2 3 22	9 0 0
22	3 0 0	9 0 0
23	3 1 21	10 10 0
24	3 0 0	9 0 0

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
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WAIKATO COUNTY.

Parish of Whangamarino.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
181	34 0 35	17 2 6
195	297 0 6	148 12 6
196	222 0 11	111 2 6
197	288 0 26	144 2 6
200	388 2 6	154 7 6
334	99 2 19	49 17 6
352	73 3 0	36 17 6
353	70 3 5	35 10 0
354	52 1 24	26 10 0
355	191 3 0	95 17 6
356	65 1 13	32 15 0
357	49 1 8	24 15 0
358	41 3 0	20 17 6

Description of Land.—Section 181, swamp; 195, 156 acres bush and swamp, 122 acres swamp, remainder open; 196, 117 acres bush and swamp, 92 acres swamp, remainder manuka; 197, 123 acres bush and swamp, 66 acres swamp, remainder manuka; 200, 10 acres bush and swamp, 196 acres swamp, remainder manuka; 334, 56 acres bush, remainder open; 352 and 353, light bush, partly swamp; 354, 2 acres open, remainder light bush and swamp; 355, 8 acres open, remainder light bush and swamp; 356, 20 acres open, remainder swamp; 357, 4 acres bush, 7 acres swamp, remainder open; 358, 13 acres bush, 5 acres swamp, remainder open.

Parish of Kirikiriroa.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
292	50 0 4	100 0 0
340A	17 3 6	35 11 6

Description of Land.—Flax and manuka swamp, with sand and clay subsoil, accessible by road.

RAGLAN COUNTY.

Parish of Karamu.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
166A	25 0 0	15 0 0

Description of Land.—About two-thirds bush, remainder fern, mostly broken land.

MANUKAU COUNTY.

Parish of Waitoa.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
48	51 2 0	154 10 0
54	109 0 0	272 10 0
73	14 2 0	58 0 0
74	27 0 0	108 0 0
75	77 0 0	231 0 0

Description of Land.—Lots 48, 54, and 75, mixed forest, rather broken, well watered; 73, two-thirds forest, remainder fern, watered, accessible by road; 74, three-fourths forest, remainder fern, watered, and accessible by road.

Parish of Maungatawhiri.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
191	58 0 0	58 0 0

Description of Land.—Fern land, fronting on Great South Road.

WAIITEMATA COUNTY.

Parish of Waipareira.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
115	10 2 0	15 15 0
116	11 0 16	22 4 0
117	10 0 0	20 0 0
118	10 0 0	20 0 0
119	15 1 8	22 19 0
120	18 3 24	28 7 0
121	21 0 32	31 16 0
123	79 0 16	98 17 6
124	44 2 32	67 1 0
125	54 2 8	81 16 6
126	153 0 0	191 15 0
127	191 2 0	289 7 6
128	223 3 0	223 15 0

Description of Land.—Lots 115 to 124, open, undulating land; 125, 5 acres forest, and remainder open; 126, 20 acres forest, remainder open; 127, 30 acres forest, remainder open; 128, all forest. These sections are situated around Swanson Railway-station.

Parish of Mairatahi.

M. pn.	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
12	114 2 30	43 1 0
47	1,030 0 0	257 10 0

Description of Land.—Open land, covered with fern and scrub.

Parish of Waioneke.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
22	327 1 0	81 17 0

Description of Land.—Four acres light bush, remainder covered with short fern.

Lot.	Area.			Upset Price.
<i>Parish of Paremoremo.</i>				
	A.	R.	P.	£ s. d.
131	43	2	25	43 15 0
132	44	2	29	44 15 0
133	53	3	34	54 0 0
134	22	2	32	22 15 0
135	56	0	8	56 1 0
136	47	2	32	47 15 0
137	50	2	38	50 15 0
138	46	0	0	46 0 0
139	42	2	0	42 10 0
144	33	3	28	33 15 0
146	25	1	0	25 5 0
147	29	0	16	29 5 0
148	55	3	0	55 15 0
149	48	2	9	48 15 0
150	43	1	0	43 5 0
152	25	1	20	25 10 0
153	56	1	39	56 10 0

Description of Land.—Principally open undulating land, with small quantities of tea-tree scrub in the gullies. These sections are situated at Lucas Creek. The main road from Stokes Point to Lucas Creek intersects the block.

<i>Parish of Makarau.</i>				
22	114	1	0	114 5 0
99	29	3	0	29 15 0
102	149	0	0	37 5 0
103	173	0	0	173 0 0
108	73	2	0	36 15 0
111	112	0	0	56 0 0
112	79	2	0	39 15 0
113	189	0	0	94 10 0
166	66	0	0	66 0 0
168	131	3	0	98 16 3

Description of Land.—Section 22, all bush, contains a good deal of kauri, which can easily be got out, the rest is mixed bush, frontage to Haruru Stream; 99, all bush, a good deal of kauri, very broken; 102, contains about 2 acres of bush with a few kauri trees, remainder open country, covered with light manuka, poor soil; 103, about 45 acres bush, a good deal of kauri, remainder open land, light manuka, poor soil; 108, about 14 acres covered with high manuka where soil is good, remainder light manuka and poor soil; 111, 112, 113, and 168, mixed bush, a little kauri, broken country, good soil; 166, mixed bush, a good deal of kauri, rather broken, about 20 acres open, poor soil. All these sections are situated near the Makarau River, by which the timber can be easily got out.

WHANGAREI COUNTY.				
<i>Parish of Waikakei.</i>				
46	102	1	8	38 8 9
47	68	1	8	25 13 9
48	53	1	24	20 1 3
50	54	2	0	40 17 6
51	56	3	8	35 12 6
W. pn. 63	49	1	24	43 6 3
S.E. pn. 69	5	3	24	1 10 0
71	72	2	0	45 6 3
93	41	0	39	15 9 6
N.E. pn. 94	39	0	25	11 15 6
S.E. pn. 101	38	1	26	28 17 6

Description of Land.—Lots 46, 47, 48, mixed heavy bush, broken country, good soil; 50, 51, west portion 63, south-east portion 69, and 71, mixed bush, undulating, soil good; 93, about 6 acres bush, and undulating, soil good, remaining portion fern, &c., undulating, soil poor; north-east portion 94, about 3 acres undulating, soil good, remainder fern, &c., undulating, soil poor; south-east portion 101, all bush, undulating, soil good.

<i>Parish of Ruarangi.</i>				
S.W. pn. 57	19	2	19	4 18 9
W. pn. 57	107	0	0	50 5 0
E. pn. 57	47	2	0	14 5 0
W. pn. 60				

Description of Land.—South-western portion 57, all fern level, soil poor; western portion 57, 80 acres forest, good soil, remainder fern; eastern portion 57 and western portion 60, undulating, about 2 acres forest, in different soil.

HOBSON COUNTY.				
<i>Parish of Arapohue.</i>				
64	78	2	35	59 1 3

Description of Land.—About 25 acres open fern land, 9 acres mixed forest, balance Kahikatea Swamp, accessible by tramway to Mangonui River (navigable).

Lot.	Area.			Upset Price.
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<i>Parish of Kaiwaka.</i>				
	A.	R.	P.	£ s. d.
S.W. pt. 75	84	0	0	84 0 0

Description of Land.—One-half bush, remainder open fern undulating, frontage to road.

RODNEY COUNTY.				
<i>Parish of Hoteo.</i>				
81	368	0	0	92 0 0
82	96	2	0	24 2 6

Description of Land.—Section 81, all forest, clay soil, well watered; 82, 90 acres bush, remainder open land.

HOKIANGA COUNTY.				
<i>Mangamuka Survey District.—Block VIII.</i>				
Section.	Area.			Upset Price.

	A.	R.	P.	£ s. d.
3	49	0	0	49 0 0
4	50	0	0	50 0 0

Description of Land.—Sections 3 and 4, undulating agricultural land, with light bush, except about 10 acres of fern and 10 acres of tea-tree scrub in Section 3, clay soil, well watered, and fronting Waihou River.

BAY OF ISLANDS COUNTY.				
<i>Parish of Ruapekapeka.</i>				
Lot.	Area.			Upset Price.

	A.	R.	P.	£ s. d.
62	21	0	7	10 10 0
63	22	3	5	11 10 0
64	19	3	11	10 0 0
65	20	3	18	11 10 0
66	32	1	0	24 3 9
67	30	2	9	23 1 3
68	31	0	0	31 0 0
69	39	2	0	39 10 0
70	24	2	30	18 11 3
71	66	3	0	66 15 0

Description of Land.—Sections 62, 63, 64, and 65, open, undulating land, suitable for agriculture, soil clay, access by road; 66, about one-third flat agricultural land, covered with grass and tea-tree scrub and a little bush; 67, partially good soil, remainder rather broken fern hills; 68 and 69, about two-thirds flat land, good soil; 70, 8 acres mixed bush, remainder pastoral fern land; 71, nearly all flat agricultural land of good quality; 66 to 71, well supplied with water, and accessible by road and by water at high tide.

MANUKAU COUNTY.				
<i>Parish of Waipipi.—Section 4.</i>				
78, 79, 80 and 81	19	2	24	19 13 0

RAGLAN COUNTY.				
<i>Parish of Pirongia.</i>				

For sale under "The Waikato Crown Lands Sale Act 1878:"—

57	50 0 30	37 13 9
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NOTE.—Plans of the above lands may be seen, and further particulars obtained, on application at this office.

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

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

Further Sale of Sections situate in Wairarapa and East Coast.

Crown Lands Office,
Wellington, 24th February, 1883.

THE Crown Lands as under will be open to purchase on application, for cash, on Friday, the 30th March next, and every lawful day thereafter, until sold, at the Land Office, Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

Block.	Section.	Area.		Upset Price.			Survey District.
		A.	R. P.	£	s.	d.	
XVI.	86	446	2 32	223	7 0		Mangaone.
	87	598	1 15	299	3 6		"
II.	399	320	0 0	160	0 0		Tiffen.
V.	394	642	1 0	321	2 6		"
VI.	395	594	2 0	297	5 0		"
	398	480	3 0	240	7 6		"
X.	pt. 1, 863	460	2 3	230	5 0		Mangapakeha.
	pt. 1, 874	472	3 35	236	10 0		"
	pt. 1, 876	353	3 23	176	19 0		"
	pt. 2, 876	357	0 31	178	12 0		"
IX.	210	617	0 0	308	10 0		Waipawa.
XIV.	301	379	1 0	189	12 6		Wainuioru.
	302	529	1 0	264	12 6		"
XV.	296	449	3 36	225	0 0		"
	297	620	0 0	310	0 0		"
	298	437	1 19	218	14 0		"
	299	519	3 0	259	17 6		"
	300	519	3 0	259	17 6		"
VII.	1	391	1 0	195	12 6		Mt. Cerberus.
	2	350	3 0	175	7 6		"
	3	279	1 0	139	12 6		"
IX.	2	369	2 0	184	15 0		"
	3	374	0 0	187	0 0		"
I.	6	338	1 0	169	2 6		"
	1	382	0 0	191	0 0		Aohanga.
II	2	351	0 0	175	10 0		"
	3	321	3 0	160	17 6		"
	4	243	0 0	121	10 0		"
	5	624	2 20	312	7 6		"
	6	402	0 0	201	0 0		"
		356	0 0	178	0 0		"
		361	3 0	180	17 6		"

Terms of Payment: One-fourth must be paid with the application, and the balance to the Receiver of Land Revenue at Wellington within one month from date of sale.

On some of the above sections there is good timber, including totara; soil good, and well watered.

The position of the above sections can be seen on the record map at the Land or Survey Office, Wellington.

JOS. G. HOLDSWORTH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Sale of Pastoral Land in Land District of Canterbury.

Land Office, Christchurch,
22nd January, 1883.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned Pastoral Crown Lands will be offered for sale by public auction, on deferred payments, at the Land Office, Christchurch, on Tuesday, the 24th day of April next, at 12 o'clock.

REGISTRAR-GENERAL'S Report on the Vital Statistics of the Principal Towns of New Zealand during the Month of February, 1883.

RETURN of the Number of Births, with the actual Mortality of Males and Females, and the Proportion of Deaths to Population, in the under-mentioned Boroughs, during the Month of February, 1883.

BOROUGH.	ESTIMATED POPULATION.	TOTAL BIRTHS.	DEATHS REGISTERED IN FEBRUARY, 1883.						Total Deaths.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, Feb., 1883.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population in the Year 1882.
			Males.			Females.					
			Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.			
Auckland ...	26,670	83	12	2	9	15	4	10	52	1.95	...
Wellington	21,665	74	13	5	4	16	4	5	47	2.17	15.61
Christchurch	15,816	37	5	...	7	2	...	6	20	1.26	13.82
Dunedin ...	25,365	67	7	1	5	5	4	6	28	1.10	12.22
Thames ...	5,107	16	2	1	1	1	...	...	5	0.98	11.95
New Plym'th	3,582	8	1	...	...	...	...	1	2	0.55	11.13
Napier ...	6,023	27	4	1	3	2	...	2	12	1.99	18.78
Wanganui...	4,917	11	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	0.20	10.56
Nelson ...	7,009	16	...	1	...	...	...	1	2	0.28	12.55
Sydenham...	9,038	27	6	1	4	3	1	2	17	1.88	13.10
Lyttelton ...	4,378	10	2	1	2	1	...	...	6	1.37	10.70
Timaru ...	4,138	10	...	1	1	1	...	1	4	0.97	10.81
Oamaru ...	6,162	20	3	...	2	3	2	...	10	1.62	10.59
Hokitika ...	2,721	4	1	1	3	4	...	1	10	3.67	14.17
Caversham	4,146	5	1	1	...	...	...	1	3	0.72	10.88
Invercargill	4,892	13	2	...	...	1	...	2	5	1.02	10.84
Totals	...	428	59	16	41	55	15	38	224	...	...

Purchase-money payable in fifteen years, by half-yearly instalments.

Survey District.	Section.	Area.		Upset Price.		
		A.	R. P.	£	s.	d.
Hororata ...	35103	741	2 0	1,112	5 0	
Kowai and Hororata	35104	1,543	0 0	1,543	0 0	
Hororata ...	35109	1,600	0 0	2,400	0 0	
" ...	35111	2,141	0 0	3,211	10 0	
Teviotdale ...	35151	1,289	1 27	1,289	8 4	
" ...	35152	1,469	1 0	2,203	17 6	
" ...	35153	1,040	0 0	2,080	0 0	
" ...	35154	1,512	2 0	2,268	15 0	
" ...	35155	2,345	0 0	2,345	0 0	
" ...	35156	2,700	0 0	2,700	0 0	
Waikari ...	35158	1,827	0 0	3,654	0 0	
" ...	35159	2,677	0 0	2,677	0 0	
" ...	35160	2,200	0 0	4,400	0 0	
" ...	35161	2,014	0 0	4,028	0 0	
" ...	35162	1,350	0 0	2,025	0 0	
" ...	35163	2,552	0 0	3,828	0 0	
" ...	35164	2,837	0 0	2,837	0 0	
" ...	35165	3,061	0 0	4,591	10 0	
" ...	35166	3,337	0 0	5,005	10 0	

Plans may be seen at the Land Office, Christchurch.

JOHN MARSHMAN,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Crown Lands for Lease.

Crown Lands Office,
Auckland, 27th February, 1883.

THE following parcels of land will be offered for lease, for a period of fourteen years (for depasturing purposes only), by public auction, at this office, on Monday, the 2nd April next, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the afternoon.

D. A. TOLE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

SCHEDULE.

MANGONUI COUNTY.

WEST part Wharemaru Block, 5,555 acres. Upset price per annum, £6.

MURIMOTU BLOCK, NORTH CAPE.

1,355 acres. Upset price per annum, £2.

WAITEMATA COUNTY, WHANGAPARAOA POINT.

Lot 252, Parish of Waiwera, 400 acres. Upset price per annum, £4.

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

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

The total births in the above boroughs amounted to 428, against 525 in January, a decrease of 97. The deaths in February were 224, a decrease of 27 on the number for January. Of the above deaths, males contributed 116; females, 108. 145 of the deaths were of children under 5 years of age, being 64·73 per cent. of the whole number; 114 of these were of children under 1 year of age.

THE following Table shows the Causes of the Deaths of Persons of both Sexes under 5 years of age and 5 years and upwards, and the Proportions per Cent. of Deaths from each cause, in the Boroughs of Auckland, Wellington, Christchurch, and Dunedin, that were registered during the Month of February, 1883.

CLASSES.	CAUSES OF DEATH.	AUCKLAND.		WELLINGTON.		CHRISTCHURCH.		DUNEDIN.		TOTAL.	PROPORTIONS PER CENT.
		Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.		
I.	Zymotic Diseases ...	24	4	24	...	5	3	10	...	70	47·62
II.	Constitutional Diseases ...	1	1	2	7	...	3	...	5	19	12·93
III.	Local Diseases ...	2	8	6	2	2	7	4	4	35	23·81
IV.	Developmental Diseases ...	6	2	6	...	...	...	3	1	18	12·24
V.	Violent Deaths ...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	1	5	3·40
	Unspecified ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Totals ...	33	19	38	9	7	13	17	11	147	100·00

	AUCKLAND.	WELLINGTON.	CHRISTCHURCH.	DUNEDIN.	TOTAL.
CLASS I.—ZYMOTIC DISEASES.					
ORDER 1:—					
<i>Miasmatic Diseases,—</i>					
Scarlet Fever ...	...	...	...	1	4
Typhoid Fever ...	...	...	...	...	5
Puerperal Fever ...	...	...	...	...	1
Catarrh ...	...	...	...	...	1
Dysentery ...	...	...	1	2	4
Diarrhoea ...	...	...	2	7	44
Cholera ...	...	...	1	...	1
Rheumatic Fever ...	...	...	1	...	1
ORDER 3:—					
<i>Dietic Diseases,—</i>					
Want of Breast Milk ...	...	...	1	...	3
Inanition ...	...	...	...	...	6
CLASS II.—CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES.					
ORDER 1:—					
<i>Diathetic Diseases,—</i>					
Dropsy ...	...	...	...	2	2
Cancer ...	1	4	...	1	6
ORDER 2:—					
<i>Tubercular Diseases,—</i>					
Scrofula ...	...	...	1	...	1
Tabes Mesenterica ...	...	...	1	...	1
Phthisis ...	...	...	3	2	7
Hydrocephalus ...	1	1	...	...	2
CLASS III.—LOCAL DISEASES.					
ORDER 1:—					
<i>Diseases of Nervous System,—</i>					
Meningitis ...	...	...	1	1	2
Apoplexy ...	1	...	...	...	1
Paralysis ...	...	...	...	1	1
Mania ...	2	...	...	...	2
Convulsions ...	...	...	1	1	2
Brain Disease ...	1	1	...	...	2
ORDER 2:—					
<i>Diseases of Organs of Circulation,—</i>					
Aneurism ...	...	...	1	...	1
Heart Disease ...	1	...	1	...	2
ORDER 3:—					
<i>Diseases of Respiratory Organs,—</i>					
Bronchitis ...	1	1	...	...	2
Pneumonia ...	...	...	1	...	1
Asthma ...	...	...	...	1	1
Congestion of Lungs ...	...	1	...	...	1
ORDER 4:—					
<i>Diseases of Digestive Organs,—</i>					
Gastritis ...	...	...	...	1	1
Enteritis ...	2	5	1	1	9
Hernia ...	...	...	1	...	1
Hepatitis ...	...	...	1	...	1
Liver Disease ...	1	...	1	...	2

	AUCKLAND.	WELLINGTON.	CHRIST-CHURCH.	DUNEDIN.	TOTAL.
CLASS III.—LOCAL DISEASES—continued.					
ORDER 5:—					
<i>Diseases of Urinary Organs,—</i>					
Albuminuria ... ..	...	...	...	1	1
Hæmaturia ... ..	...	...	...	1	1
ORDER 7:—					
<i>Diseases of Organs of Locomotion,—</i>					
Joint Disease	1	...	...	...	1
CLASS IV.—DEVELOPMENTAL DISEASES.					
ORDER 1:—					
<i>Developmental Diseases of Children,—</i>					
Premature Birth	2	2	...	1	5
Dentition	2	1	...	1	4
ORDER 2:—					
<i>Developmental Diseases of Adults,—</i>					
Childbirth	2	...	...	1	3
ORDER 4:—					
<i>Diseases of Nutrition,—</i>					
Debility	2	3	...	1	6
CLASS V.—VIOLENT DEATHS.					
ORDER 1:—					
<i>Accident or Negligence,—</i>					
Fracture of Skull ... ..	...	...	...	1	1
Burns	2	...	...	...	2
Found drowned	1	...	...	...	1
ORDER 4:—					
<i>Suicide,—</i>					
Hanging	1	...	...	...	1
Totals	52	47	20	28	147

The following remarks apply only to the above four principal boroughs:—
 The births were 261 in February, against 317 in January, a decrease of 56. The deaths in February were 147, against 157 in January, a decrease of 10.

There were 6 deaths of persons of 65 years and upwards: two males of 70 and 67 and two females of 84 and 73 died at Auckland, and two females of 83 and 73 at Wellington.

Zymotic Diseases.—The deaths from these diseases increased from 61, or at the rate of 38·85 per 100 deaths, in January, to 70, or 47·62 per 100, in February. The increase is owing to the larger number of deaths from diarrhœa, these having amounted to 36 in January and 44 in February. Of these 44 deaths, 33 were of children under one year of age. Scarlet fever caused 3 deaths in Auckland, against 4 in January. Five deaths occurred from typhoid fever, viz., 3 at Auckland and 2 at Christchurch.

Constitutional Diseases.—The deaths from these diseases amounted to 19, the number in January having been 27. There were 6 deaths from cancer in February, against 3 in January. The deaths from phthisis were 7 in February, against 16 in January.

Local Diseases.—The diseases in this class caused fewer deaths than in the previous month, 35 against 45. The decrease was spread over the various orders, but did not present any very salient feature.

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

TOWNS.	SIX PRINCIPAL ZYMOTIC DISEASES.												PRINCIPAL LUNG DISEASES.							
	Measles.		Scarlet Fever		Typhus and other Fever.		Diphtheria.		Whooping Cough.		Dysentery and Diarrhœa.		Bronchitis.		Pleurisy.		Pneumonia.		Congestion of Lungs.	
	Feb.	Jan.	Feb.	Jan.	Feb.	Jan.	Feb.	Jan.	Feb.	Jan.	Feb.	Jan.	Feb.	Jan.	Feb.	Jan.	Feb.	Jan.	Feb.	Jan.
Auckland	3	4	3	1	...	...	...	...	15	19	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
Wellington	1	...	1	...	...	21	10	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	2
Christchurch	2	1	...	...	...	...	3	7	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...
Dunedin	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	9	4	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...
Totals	4	4	5	4	...	1	...	...	48	40	2	1	...	1	1	2	1	2

PROVISIONAL METEOROLOGICAL RETURN FOR FEBRUARY, 1883.

	AUCKLAND.	WELLINGTON.	DUNEDIN.
Mean Temperature in shade for month	69·7	65·7	59·0
Average same month previous years	67·9	62·7	57·5
Maximum Temperature in shade, and date	80·4 on 15th	85·0 on 21st	84·0 on 10th
Minimum Temperature in shade, and date	58·2 on 27th	51·0 on 28th	43·0 on 18th
Maximum Temperature in sun, and date	131·5 on 1st and 18th	144·0 on 21st	155·0 on 1st
Minimum Temperature on Grass, and date	43·0 on 1st	49·0 on 28th	38·0 on 18th
Mean Humidity (Saturation=100)	78	81	75
Average same month previous years	73	71	71
Total Rainfall in inches	4·805	5·220	5·508
Average same month previous years	3·648	3·677	2·547
Number of Days on which Rain fell	16	12	16
Average same month previous years	11	9	12

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

Meteorological Office, Wellington, 12th March, 1883.

J. HECTOR.

Land Transfer Act Notices.

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

5131. CHARLES EDWARD BUTTON.—13½ perches, part of Lot 44, Christchurch Town Reserves. Occupied by Eugene Rissel and E. Genet.

5136. JOHN COWELL BOYS.—24 acres 3 roods, part of Rural Section 81, Mandeville District. Occupied by Applicant.

5143. AUGUSTE ALBERT LANGBEIN.—15 perches, part of Lots 500 and 501, deposited Plan 1, part of Rural Section 7555, Borough and District of Timaru. Occupied by Applicant.

5144. WALTER CHARLES FURBY.—23 perches, part of Lots 500 and 501, deposited Plan 1, part of Rural Section 7555, Borough and District of Timaru. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office. Dated this 12th day of March, 1883, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

E. DENHAM,
Deputy District Land Registrar.

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

THE SCOTTISH AND NEW ZEALAND INVESTMENT COMPANY (LIMITED).—2 roods, Sections 19 and 20, Block III., Town of Campbelltown. Unoccupied. Nos. 1986, 1987, 1988.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office. Dated this 8th day of March, 1883, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

F. G. MORGAN,
District Land Registrar.

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

ROBERT HALL.—152 acres 3 roods 26 perches, more or less, being Sections 12 and 19, Block X, Hundred of Invercargill. Occupied by Applicant. Nos. 1989 and 1990.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office. Dated this 5th day of March, 1883, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

F. G. MORGAN,
District Land Registrar.

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WHEREAS ALEXANDER BLAIR, of Waerengaahika, Poverty Bay, Settler, has applied to me, in terms of clause 104 of the Land Transfer Act, to issue to him a provisional certificate of title for Allotment 33, Township of Gisborne (Register-book, Vol. ii., folio 48): I hereby give notice of my intention to issue such provisional certificate of title at the expiration of fourteen days after the date of *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Napier, this 10th day of March, 1883.

EDWIN BAMFORD,
District Land Registrar.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 22nd day of April, 1883.

1175. JACOB LICHTSCHEINDL.—5 acres, part of Country Section 13, right bank of Wanganui River. Unoccupied.

1382. WILLIAM RIDDLE.—Part of Country Sections 176 and 400, Whareama Block. In occupation of Applicant. Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 14th day of March, 1883, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

GEO. B. DAVY,
District Land Registrar.

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Mining Notices.

I, the undersigned, hereby make application to register the Miners' Amalgamated Sluicing Company as a Limited Company under the provisions of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872."

1. The name of the Company is to be the Miners' Amalgamated Sluicing Company (Limited).
2. The place of operations is at Humphrey Gully, Westland.
3. The registered office of the Company will be situated at Hokitika.
4. The nominal capital of the Company is thirty thousand pounds, in thirty thousand shares of one pound each.
5. The number of shares subscribed for is thirty 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 Henry Thomas Harvey, of Hokitika.
9. The names, addresses, and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follow:—

	No. of Shares.
P. Comiskey, Auckland, Gentleman	2,300
Bryan Ward, Rimu, Miner	1,000
E. O'Connor, Hokitika, Publican	1,660
Patrick L. Dignan, Hokitika, Banker	3,036
John Marks, Okura, Storekeeper	500
John Maher, Rimu, Sawmiller	2,182
William Royse, Christchurch, Merchant	640
John O'Donohue, Humphrey Gully, Miner	1,260
W. G. Johnston, Hokitika, Merchant	1,090
E. B. Sammons, Hokitika, Painter	640
James Clark, Hokitika, Contractor	3,036
John Olsen, Arahura, Farmer	360
T. O'Neil, Humphrey Gully, Miner	660
R. A. Harcourt, Humphrey Gully, Storekeeper	1,920
A. Wilkenning, Humphrey Gully, Miner	660
James Pearson, Hokitika, Contractor	3,036
P. Quinn, Arahura, Publican	300
W. West, Rimu, Miner	708
James A. Bonar, Hokitika, Merchant	1,200
G. Redmayne, Rimu, Miner	100
R. Gosson, Hokitika, Musician	32

	No. of Shares.
W. S. Brentnall, Hokitika, Civil Engineer ...	960
J. Martin, Humphrey Gully, Miner ...	600
T. Martin, jun., Humphrey Gully, Miner ...	600
W. Cancell, Kumara, Miner ...	600
Henry Smith, Hokitika, Lineman ...	360
A. L. King, Hokitika, Publican ...	200
William Duncan, Hokitika, Commission Agent ...	360
	30,000

Dated this 15th day of February, 1883.

HENRY THOMAS HARVEY,
Manager.

Witness to signature—Thomas Treloar.

I, Henry Thomas Harvey, 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."

HENRY THOMAS HARVEY,
Manager.

Taken before me, this 15th day of February, 1883—R. C. Reid, J.P. 217

Private Advertisements.

OTAKI HIGHWAY BOARD.—WARDEN APPOINTED.

IT is hereby publicly notified that, on account of failure to elect a Warden for No. 5 Ward of the above Board, the Manawatu County Council, at their last meeting, the 6th March, 1883, have appointed, under "The Road Boards Act, 1882," Mr. WILLIAM McDONALD to be Warden for No. 5 Ward of Otaki Highway District.

JOHN F. ROCKSTROW,
Chairman, Manawatu County Council.

8th March, 1883. 218

RICHARD LEE SMITH BURY, OTHERWISE RICHARD BURY, OTHERWISE RICHARD LEE, OTHERWISE RICHARD SMITH, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Vict., c. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees," notice is hereby given to all persons claiming as next of kin of the above-named RICHARD LEE SMITH BURY, late of New Haw, Addleston, in the Parish of Chertsey, in the County of Surrey, Clerk in the Foreign Office (who died at New Haw, aforesaid, on the 15th day of December, 1881, intestate, and of whose estate and effects letters of administration were, on the 31st day of January, 1882, granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice to EMMA STOREY BURY, Widow), that they are required to send in such claims to the said Emma Storey Bury, at the office of her solicitors, Messrs. Paine and Brettell, Chertsey, in the County of Surrey, or to the undersigned, Messrs. Trinders and Romer, of No. 14, St. Helens Place, Bishopsgate Street Within, in the City of London, on or before the 9th day of January, 1884, after which day the said Emma Storey Bury will proceed to administer the estate and effects of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the claims only of which she shall then have had notice; and that the said Administratrix will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased so administered to any person of whose claim she shall not have had notice at the time of such administration.

Dated the 9th day of January, 1883.

TRINDERS AND ROMER.

14, St. Helens Place, London, E.C.,
Agents for the said Messrs. Paine and Brettell,
Chertsey.

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THE GUARDIAN TRUST AND EXECUTORS COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND (LIMITED).

In the matter of a Bill intituled "An Act to confer Powers upon the Guardian Trust and Executors Company of New Zealand (Limited)."

NOTICE is hereby given that application is intended to be made at the next session of the General Assembly of New Zealand, by petition, for leave to bring in a Bill to be intituled "An Act to confer Powers upon the Guardian Trust and Executors Company of New Zealand (Limited);" and that the objects of such Bill will be to enable the Guardian Trust and Executors Company of New Zealand (Limited), being a Company duly incorporated under "The Joint-Stock Com-

panies Act, 1860," to act as guardian, trustee, tutor, curator, and executor or administrator, with or without the will annexed, and to perform and discharge all the duties of such offices, and to receive remuneration for such duties; and also to act as committee and as receiver under or by virtue of "The Lunatics Act, 1868," or other statute regulating proceedings in lunacy; and also to act as accountant in bankruptcy, or assignee or trustee on behalf of creditors, or receiver; also to act as landbroker, attorney, or agent; and to act in such other capacity and to transact such business as is specified in the memorandum of association of the said Company, and to perform and discharge all the duties of such offices respectively, and to receive remuneration for such duties. And notice is hereby given that copies of the said Bill will be deposited in the Examiner's Office within fourteen days after the commencement of the said session.

Dated at Dunedin, this 9th day of March, 1883.

A. BARTLEMAN.

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Managing Director.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND, WELLINGTON DISTRICT.—No. 2854.

Between the BANK OF NEW ZEALAND, Plaintiff, and WILLIAM CRAIG, Defendant.

I GARLAND WILLIAM WOON, Sheriff of the Wanganui and Rangitikei District, hereby give notice that, under a writ of *fiery facias*, duly issued out of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, Wellington District, at Wellington, at the suit of the Bank of New Zealand, the above-named Plaintiff, I have taken in execution, at the suit of the said Bank of New Zealand, the Execution Creditor, the equity of redemption of the said Defendant, William Craig, in (1) all that parcel of land containing 12,062 acres, being part of Maungaporau Block marked 3958, and being the whole of the land comprised in certificate of title, Volume xx., folio 79; (2) all that parcel of land being other part of the said Maungaporau Block, containing 4,000 acres, and being the whole of the land comprised in certificate of title, Volume xx., folio 80; (3) all those pieces or parcels of land containing 515 acres and 32 perches, being the Sections Nos. 149, 150, 151, 152, and part of Section No. 169, on the plan of the right bank of the Wanganui River, comprised in a conveyance dated the 9th day of December, 1878, registered in the Deeds Registry Office, Wellington, as No. 33465. And I hereby give notice that I intend to cause the said lands to be sold at the auction-rooms of Freeman Rayney Jackson, at Wanganui, on Wednesday, the 11th day of April, 1883, at two o'clock in the afternoon, unless the debt, interest, and costs payable under the said writ shall have been previously satisfied.

The Solicitor for the Execution Creditor is Henry Samuel Fitzherbert, of Wellington, agent for Heber Newton, of Oamaru.

Dated this 6th day of March, 1883.

GARLAND Wm. WOON,
Sheriff.

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THE THAMES VALLEY AND ROTORUA RAILWAY COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that, in accordance with the provisions of "The District Railways Act, 1877," the above-mentioned—the Thames Valley and Rotorua Railway Company (Limited)—have caused the middle line and direction of the railway proposed to be constructed under the said Act to be set forth on a plan and described in a book of reference, showing the lands required to be taken for the same, and the names of the owners and occupiers of such lands, so far as they can be ascertained; and copies of the said plan and book of reference have been deposited at the under-mentioned public places in the district within which the said railway is intended to be constructed, namely,—

The Post Office, Morrinsville;
The Resident Magistrate's Court, Hamilton;
The Resident Magistrate's Court, Cambridge; and at
The Public Works Office, Wellington.

Notice is also hereby given that the area it is proposed to constitute a railway district for the purposes of the said Act contains 548,000 acres or thereabouts, bounded as follows, that is to say,—

Commencing at the north-west corner of Motumaho No. 2 Block; thence north-easterly along the northern and western boundary of the said block and north-western boundary of the Tauroko Block to the Piako River; thence southerly along the western bank of the Piako River to its junction with the Waitakaruru Stream; thence south-westerly along the centre of the said last-mentioned stream to its junction with the Topehaeahae Stream; thence south-easterly along the centre of the last-mentioned stream to the south-east corner of the Te Mutu No. 2 Block; thence by a straight line bearing N. 52° E., 202 chains, to the surveyed road-line from Morrinsville to the Matamata Road, through the Maungapu Block; thence easterly

by the southern boundary of the said road to the north-east corner of Subdivision Lot 4 of Block VIII., Maungakawa Survey District; thence south-easterly by the south-west boundary of the surveyed road to Matamata from Waihou Township to the south-east boundary of Subdivision Lot 1 of Block VIII., Maungakawa Survey District; thence easterly in a straight line to the Waihou River, through Trig. 579; thence by the south-east side of the said Waihou River to the Wairere Stream; thence along the centre of the said Wairere Stream to the north-east corner of Block Okauia No. 1; thence by a line bearing S. 24° W., 426 chains; thence by a line bearing S. 25° E., 130 chains; thence by a line bearing S. 10° E., 204 chains; thence by a line bearing S. 25° E., 185 chains; thence by a straight line to the northernmost corner of Block Whaiti-Kuranui No. 4A (northern portion); thence by the easterly boundary of the last-mentioned block to the south-east corner of Block Whaiti-Kuranui 4D; thence south-easterly along the centre of the Waiwakangau Stream to the north-west corner of Block Paengaroa No. 4; thence by the south-west boundary of the last-mentioned block to the south-east boundary of the same block; thence easterly by a straight line to the north-east corner of Block Whaiti-Kuranui (northern portion) 2D; thence by the south-east boundaries of Blocks Whaiti-Kuranui (northern portion) 2D, 2E, 2B, 1A, 1B, and 1C respectively, and the south-east boundary of Block Whaiti-Kuranui (southern portion) 1A to the north-east corner of the Kokako Block; thence by the north-east boundary of the Kokako Block to the south-east boundary of the said Kokako Block; thence in a straight line to the north-east corner of Block Tokoroa No. 1; thence by the easterly and south-easterly boundary of the last-mentioned block to the southerly boundary of the same block; thence by the southerly boundary of the same block, 426 chains; thence by a line bearing S. 10° E., 146 chains; thence by a line bearing S. 85° W., 68 chains; thence by a line bearing S. 13° E. to the north bank of the Waikato River; thence westerly and northerly by the said bank of the Waikato River to the south-west corner of the Waipa Block; thence by the south-west boundary of the said Waipa Block to the south-east corner of the said block; thence along the eastern boundary of Blocks Waipa and Hinuwera No. 1 respectively to the northernmost corner of Block Mangawara No. 2; thence by a line bearing N. 29° W., 58 chains or thereabouts, to the junction of the Mangawehea Stream with the Waitoa River; thence along the said Mangawehea Stream to the north-east boundary of the Puketutu Block; thence north-west by the said boundary of the Puketutu Block to the Mangapapa Stream; thence north-westerly by a straight line to the northernmost point of Te Tapui Block; thence in a straight line to the south-east corner of Block Kiwitahi 1E; thence by the southerly boundary of the said Block Kiwitahi 1E to Block Kiwitahi 2; thence by the southern boundary of the said Block Kiwitahi 2 to the boundary between Te Konehu and Te Tapui Blocks; thence north-west by a straight line to the southernmost point of Block Kiwitahi 3B; thence by the south-west boundaries of the said Block Kiwitahi 3B and Block Kiwitahi 3C to Trig. 705; thence by the westerly boundary of Block Tahuroa No. 2 to the Kuranui Block; thence westerly by the south-east boundary of the Kuranui Block to the south-west boundary of the said Kuranui Block; thence by the last-mentioned boundary to the Waitakaruru Stream; thence north-easterly by the last-mentioned stream to the westerly boundary of Block Motomaho 2; thence by the last-mentioned boundary to the starting-point.

Notice is also hereby given that the said Company have transmitted, or will before the twentieth day of March, 1883, transmit, to the Piako and Tauranga County Councils a notice containing, or accompanied by, the following particulars:—

- (1.) A copy of the plan and book of reference, and an estimate of the cost of the proposed railway and of the equipment thereof;
- (2.) A statement of the maximum rate of tolls and charges for the carriage of animals, goods, merchandise, and passengers proposed to be charged on such railway;
- (3.) A statement of the maximum rent or charge to be made for the storage of goods, produce, or merchandise;
- (4.) A statement of the minimum number of trains to be run daily;
- (5.) A specification of the rate it is proposed to levy in respect of the various classes of land hereinafter mentioned.

Notice is also hereby given that the manner in which it is proposed the said lands in such districts shall be classified for the purposes of the said Act shall be as follows:—

That portion of the said district comprising the blocks or portions of blocks named and numbered, or named only,—Tauranga, No. 2,704; 5,117 acres of the Motomaho No. 2, No. 3,216; the Township of Morrinsville; 5,664 acres of Kuranui, No. 565; 154 acres of Tahuroa No. 2, No. 1,116; Te Mutu No. 2, No. 1,107; Te Mutu No. 1, No. 1,107; 4,371 acres of Te-au-o-Waikato, No. 759; 128 acres, 391 acres, and 45 acres of Waikuku No. 1, No. 633, No. 2, No. 633, and No. 3, No. 633,

respectively; 3,251 acres of Maungatapu, No. 1,303; 71 acres of Pakarau, No. 683; 1,101 acres of Kiwitahi No. 1A, No. 4,488; Te Waikaukau, No. 1,105; Kahutoponoa, No. 761; Matakira, No. 356; Pakarau, No. 548; 153 acres of Kirihihi, No. 1,075; 30 acres of Pakarau Pa, No. 767; 320 acres of Pakarau Pa, No. 767B; Pakarau Pa, No. 767C; 334 acres of Pakarau Pa, No. 767E; 334 acres of Pakarau Pa, No. 767F; Te-pae-o-Turawaru No. 2, No. 469; Te-pae-o-Turawaru, No. 756; Subdivisions 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, and 627 acres of Subdivision 5, 366 acres of Subdivision 12, 397 acres of Subdivision 11, and 943 acres of Subdivision 4 of the same block; 5,340 acres of Matamata, No. 693; 90 acres of Lot No. 1, Parish of Waitoa; 18 acres of Hungahunga No. 3, No. 3,498; 653 acres of Whakatakataka, No. 3,615; 78 acres of Taramorahi No. 3, No. 3,502; Wairanga; 240 acres of Taramorahi No. 1, No. 3,501; 20 acres of Aratiatia, No. 4,266; Whangarau, No. 3,500; Wharetangata, No. 413; Native Reserve; 7,099 acres of Turanga-o-Moana, No. 2,473; 1,812 acres of Mangawhero, No. 2,895; 7,980 acres of Puketutu No. 1, Nos. 891 and 892; Mangawhero No. 2, No. 4,083; 1,626 acres of Hinuwera No. 1, No. 653; Mangawhara No. 1, No. 3,941; 519 acres of Mangawhara No. 1B; 33 acres of Mangawhara No. 2; Okoroire Nos. 621 and 622, Eastern Subdivisions Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6 respectively; Okoroire (other portions), 8,064 acres; Okoroire Western Subdivision No. 1, 1,127 acres, No. 2, 1,088 acres, No. 3, 1,152 acres, No. 4, 1,578 acres, Nos. 5 and 6, 1,344 acres; Mangapouri, No. 4,089; Mangapouri No. 2, No. 4,089; northern portion of Mangakaretu, No. 4,306, 551 acres; other portion of Mangakaretu, No. 4,306, 12,069 acres; Wakaara Tamaiti, No. 4,914; Opouaru, No. 4,925; Mangaratawhiri, No. 4,926, and Pakuranga, No. 4,920, 8,320 acres respectively: as the same is delineated and bordered red on the plan of the said railway district, deposited in the registered office of the Company,—shall be of the first class referred to in section 10 of the said Act.

That portion of the said district comprising the blocks and portions of blocks named and numbered, or named only,—Tahuroa No. 2, No. 1,116, 3,792 acres; Waikuku No. 1, No. 633, 636 acres; Waikuku No. 2, No. 633, 332 acres; Waikuku No. 3, No. 633, 491 acres; Pakarau, No. 683, 729 acres; Te-au-o-Waikato, No. 759, 2,771 acres; Kiwitahi No. 3C, No. 1,099, 640 acres; Kiwitahi No. 3B, No. 1,099, 1,440 acres; Kiwitahi No. 1A, No. 4,488, 613 acres; Kiwitahi No. 1B, No. 4,488, 100 acres; Kiwitahi No. 1C, No. 4,488, 200 acres; part of Te-pae-o-Turawaru No. 756, 646 acres; Tewhenua-te-Tiwa, No. 756; Te-pae-o-Turawaru No. 756, Subdivisions 11, 605 acres, 12, 187 acres, 13, 14, 16, 160 acres, 15, 5, 125 acres, and 4, 384 acres; Block VIII., Maungakawa Survey District, Subdivision Lots 4, 3, 2, and 128 acres of Subdivision Lot 1; portion of Lot No. 1, Parish of Waitoa, 450 acres; Matamata, No. 693, 118 acres; Hungahunga No. 3, No. 3,498, 864 acres; Taramorahi, No. 2, 352 acres; Whakatakataka, No. 3615, 756 acres; Hungahunga No. 1, No. 3,496, 1,280 acres; Hungahunga No. 4, No. 3,499, 135 acres; Aratiatia, No. 4,266, 1,736 acres; Waiharakeke West, 30 acres; Taramorahi No. 3, No. 3,502, 8 acres; Taramorahi No. 1, No. 3,501, 10 acres; Turanga-o-Moana, No. 2,473, 13,401 acres; Puketutu No. 1, Nos. 891 and 892, 9,610 acres; Te-pae-o-Turawaru, No. 756, 192 acres; Te-Tapui, No. 1,098, 525 acres; Hinuwera No. 1, No. 653, 240 acres; Mangawhara No. 1B, 398 acres; Mangawhara No. 2, 807 acres; Mangawhara No. 3; Mangawhara No. 4, 45 acres; Okoroire, Nos. 621 and 622, Western Subdivisions 1, 988 acres, 2, 794 acres, 3, 532 acres, 4, 512 acres, 6, 565 acres, and 7; Mangawhero, No. 2,895, 4,376 acres; Okauia No. 1, No. 3,878, 2,560 acres; Tuaraparabaha No. 1, No. 4,086; Tuaraparabaha No. 2, No. 4,087; Whaiti-Kuranui No. 6A, 77 acres; Rangitanuku No. 1, No. 4,313; Rangitanuku No. 3, No. 4,313; Rangitanuku No. 2, 640 acres; Rangitanuku No. 4, No. 4,313, 832 acres; Piako Mangaotua, 1,100 acres; Piako Mangaotua, No. 2, 531 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui No. 2E, western portion, 2,490 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui No. 2C, western portion, 3,850 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui No. 2D, 3,744 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui No. 2C, eastern portion, 128 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui No. 2A, No. 2, 1,113 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui No. 2E, eastern portion, 608 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui No. 2A, No. 1, 3,020 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui No. 1A, northern portion, 5,120 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui No. 1B, 1,152 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui No. 1C, 96 acres; Kokako, No. 4,090, 3,437 acres; unsurveyed Native land between Kokako and Te Whetu, 1,658 acres; Te Whetu, No. 4,092, 3,439 acres; Tokoroa No. 1, No. 4,917, 1,420 acres; Pakuranga, No. 4,920, 2,912 acres; Waotu, 7,320 acres; Pokaiwhenua Huihuitaha, No. 2,964, 3,826 acres; Mangakaretu, No. 4,306, west corner, 1,069 acres respectively: as the same is delineated and bordered yellow on the plan of the said railway district, deposited in the registered office of the said Company,—shall be of the second class referred to in section 10 of the said Act.

That portion of the said district comprising the following blocks and portions of blocks named and numbered, or named only,—Tahuroa No. 2, No. 1,116, 134 acres; Kiwitahi No. 3C, No. 1,099, 659 acres; Kiwitahi No. 3B, 1,099, 290 acres; Kiwi-

tahi No. 3A, No. 1,099, 559 acres; Kiwitahi No. 2, No. 766, 1,616 acres; Kiwitahi No. 1B, No. 4,488; Kiwitahi No. 1D; Kiwitahi No. 1F; Te-pae-o-Turawaru, No. 756, west side, 2,600 acres; Te-pae-o-Turawaru, No. 756, south-east corner, 1,990 acres; Te-Iapui, No. 1,098, 1,888 acres; Okauia No. 1, No. 3,878, 4,314 acres; Okauia No. 4, 608 acres; Okauia No. 3, 673 acres; Okauia No. 1, 3,168 acres; Okauia No. 2, 320 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui No. 6A, 2,944 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui No. 6, 1,485 acres; Rangitanuku No. 2, No. 4,313, 360 acres; Rangitanuku No. 4, No. 4,313, 178 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui No. 5, 4,019 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui No. 4, 4,461 acres; Piaka Mangaotua, 1,300 acres; Piaka Mangaotua No. 3; Whaiti-Kuranui No. 3B, 1,920 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui No. 3A, 4,166 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui No. 2c, eastern portion, 4,100 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui No. 2D, 256 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui No. 2E, eastern portion, 4,448 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui 2A, No. 2, 505 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui 2A, No. 1, 1,062 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui 1A, northern portion, 5,000 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui 1D, 476 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui 1B, 1,620 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui 1c, 700 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui 1A, southern portion, 610 acres; Kokako, No. 4,090, 2,300 acres; unsurveyed land between Kokako and Tokoroa, 7,347 acres; Te Whetu, No. 4,092, 359 acres; Tokoroa No. 1, No. 4,917, 18,900 acres; Pakuranga, No. 4,920, 1,312 acres; Matanuku, No. 5,207, 18,848 acres; Waotu, No. 5,221, 20,247 acres; Huihuitaha-Pokaiwhenua, 2,560 acres respectively: as the same is delineated and bordered blue on the plan of the said railway district, deposited in the registered office of the said Company,—shall be of the third class referred to in section 10 of the said Act.

That portion of the said district comprising the blocks and portions of blocks named and numbered, or named only,—Whaiti-Kuranui 6A, 128 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui No. 6, 2,163 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui No. 5, 4,307 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui No. 4, 5,083 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui 3B, 1,656 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui 3A, 7,136 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui 2c, eastern portion, 6,027 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui 2E, eastern portion, 3,872 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui 2B; Whaiti-Kuranui 2A, No. 2, 350 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui 2A, No. 1, 952 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui 1A, northern portion, 5,248 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui 1B, 2,490 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui 1c, 1,244 acres; Whaiti-Kuranui 1A, southern portion, 1,727 acres; Kokako No. 4,090, 1,651 acres; unsurveyed Native land between Kokako and Tokoroa, 11,475 acres; Tokoroa No. 1, No. 4,917, 14,362 acres; Tokoroa No. 2, No. 4,917, 17,865 acres; Te Whakamaru-Mangaiti, 45,200 acres; Maraeti, No. 4,982, 26,000 acres respectively: as the same is delineated and bordered green on the plan of the said railway district, deposited in the registered office of the said Company,—shall be of the fourth class referred to in section 10 of the said Act.

Notice is also hereby given that the maximum rate of tolls and charges for the carriage of animals, goods, merchandise, and passengers proposed to be charged on such railway shall be as follows:—

GOODS AND GENERAL MERCHANDISE.		s.	d.
Per ton per mile	...	0	6
Minimum weight, 2 cwt.			
Minimum charge	...	1	0
In addition to above charges a terminal charge will be made, not exceeding, per ton	...	3	0

AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE, GRAIN, WHEAT, BARLEY, OATS.		s.	d.
For any distance not exceeding 4 miles, per ton	...	2	6
For every mile after the first 4 miles, and not exceeding 40 miles, per ton per mile	...	0	2
For every mile after the first 40 miles, per ton per mile	...	0	1
Minimum weight, 2 tons.			
For every loading or unloading by Company, per ton	...	0	6

HAY, CHAFF, STRAW, TURNIPS, MANGOLDS, ETC.		s.	d.
For any distance not exceeding 5 miles, per truck	...	7	3
For every mile after the first 5 miles, and not exceeding 50 miles, per truck per mile	...	0	7
For every mile after the first 50 miles, per truck per mile	...	0	6
Quantities less than a truck will be charged as a full truck.			
For every loading or unloading done by the Company, per truck	...	5	0

CARRIAGES, CARTS, WAGONS, ETC.		s.	d.
For any distance not exceeding 10 miles, per mile	...	1	0
For every mile after first 10 miles, per mile	...	0	3
Minimum charge	...	10	0
Heavy wagons charged at double rates.			

CATTLE, HORSES, SHEEP.		s.	d.
Horses, one only, for any distance not exceeding 10 miles	...	8	8
Horses, one only, for every mile after first 10 miles, per mile	...	0	2½

For each additional horse, belonging to same owner, for any distance not exceeding 10 miles	...	7	0
For each additional horse, belonging to same owner, for every mile after first 10 miles, per mile	...	0	2
Cattle, calves, sheep, goats, and pigs, in small lots, will be charged as a truck-load, or at the following rates:—			
Cattle, one only, for any distance not exceeding 10 miles	...	7	0
For every mile after first 10 miles, per mile	...	0	2
For each additional one, belonging to same owner, for any distance not exceeding 10 miles	...	4	0
For each additional one, belonging to same owner, for every mile after first 10 miles, per mile	...	0	1
Calves (one year old and under), sheep, goats, or pigs, one only, for any distance not exceeding 10 miles...	...	2	6
Calves (one year old and under), sheep, goats, or pigs, one only, for every mile after first 10 miles	...	0	1
Calves (one year old and under), sheep, goats, or pigs, for each additional one belonging to same owner, for any distance not exceeding 10 miles	...	1	3
Calves (one year old and under), sheep, goats, or pigs, for each additional one belonging to same owner, for every mile after first 10 miles, per mile	...	0	0½
Or, if mixed consignment, as a truck-load of cattle.			
All animals must be loaded and unloaded by owners, who must take entire responsibility and risk.			

WOOL, SHEEPSKINS, ETC.

Undumped (bale not to exceed 4 cwt.), for any distance not exceeding 12 miles, per bale	...	1	0
Undumped (bale not to exceed 4 cwt.), for every mile after the first 12 miles, per bale per mile	...	0	1
Double dumped (bale not to exceed 8 cwt.), for any distance not exceeding 12 miles, per bale	...	1	6
Double dumped (bale not to exceed 8 cwt.), for every mile after the first 12 miles, per bale per mile	...	0	2
For each loading or unloading done by the Company—			
For undumped, per bale	...	0	3
For double dumped, per bale	...	0	6

TIMBER, PER 100 SUPERFICIAL FEET.

Sawn timber, for any distance not exceeding 18 miles, per 100 superficial feet	...	1	0
For every mile after the first 18 miles, and not exceeding 50 miles, per 100 superficial feet per mile	...	0	0½
For every mile after the first 50 miles, per 100 superficial feet per mile	...	0	0½
Timber carried in single wagons; minimum quantity, 1,200 superficial feet.			
When timber is over 26 feet long, a check wagon or wagons will be charged for.			
Minimum charged for each consignment	...	2	6
Australian and Tasmanian timber will be charged at rate and a half.			
For each loading or unloading done by Company, per 100 superficial feet	...	0	3

FIREWOOD, POST, RAILS, HOUSE-BLOCKS, ETC.

For any distance not exceeding 7 miles, per truck	...	7	0
For every mile after first 7 miles, and not exceeding 25 miles, per truck	...	0	10
For every mile after first 25 miles, per truck	...	0	6
For each loading or unloading done by Company, per truck	...	5	0
A truck-load must not exceed 5 tons in weight.			
Small lots, or part consignments, will be charged as a truck load, or as merchandise, at option of consignor.			

MINERALS, ETC., ANIMAL MANURE, BRICKS, DRAIN-PIPES, STONE, LIME, COAL, ETC.

For any distance not exceeding 12 miles, per ton	...	3	0
For every mile after first 12 miles, and not exceeding 50 miles, per ton per mile	...	0	2
For every mile after first 50 miles, and not exceeding 75 miles, per ton per mile	...	0	1
For every mile after first 75 miles, per ton per mile	...	0	0½
Minimum quantity, 4 tons.			
For each loading or unloading done by Company, per ton...	...	1	0

PASSENGER RATES.

First class, single, per mile	...	0	3
First class, single, minimum charge	...	0	6
Second class, single, per mile	...	0	2
Second class, single, minimum charge	...	0	4
First class, return, per mile	...	0	4½
First class, return, minimum charge	...	0	9
Second class, return, per mile	...	0	3
Second class, return, minimum charge	...	0	6

Notice is also hereby given that the maximum rent or charge to be made for the storage of goods, produce, or merchandise shall be as follows:—

STORAGE.

6d. per day per ton storage will be charged on all goods not removed by consignees within twelve working hours of their arrival, except at wayside stations, where 2s. per week will be charged.

DEMURRAGE.

A charge for demurrage on trucks will be made as follows: After four working hours from arrival and up to eight working hours, 5s. per truck; and after eight working hours, 10s. per truck per day or part of a day.

TARIFF.

Notice is also hereby given that the minimum number of trains to be run daily shall be—Between Morrinsville and Putaruru Junction (where it is intended the line to Rotorua shall branch off), one train each way per day, Sundays excepted; from Putaruru Junction to end of line, as the traffic may demand. Haulage to be either by horse or locomotive, at the option of the Company.

And notice is also hereby given that the rate it is proposed to levy in respect of the various classes of land hereinbefore mentioned shall be—

An annual maximum rate of 8d. per acre for every acre of land comprised and being in the first class.

An annual maximum rate of 6d. per acre for every acre of land comprised and being in the second class.

An annual maximum rate of 3d. per acre for every acre of land comprised and being in the third class.

An annual maximum rate of 1d. per acre for every acre of land comprised and being in the fourth class.

By order of the Board of Directors of the said Company.

JOHN BATGER,

Secretary.

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