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Berwick Recreation-ground brought under "The Public Domains Act, 1881."

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
 Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this second day of April, 1883.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

BY virtue of the powers and authorities vested in me by the twenty-fourth section of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, do hereby order and declare that the reserve made for public recreation in the Provincial District of Otago, and known as the Berwick Recreation-ground, and described in the Schedule hereto, shall be and the same is hereby brought under the operation of and declared to be subject to the provisions of "The Public Domains Act, 1881;" and such domain shall hereafter be managed, administered, and dealt with in manner directed by the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Otago, containing by admeasurement 4 acres, more or less, situate in the Township of Berwick, being Section No. 10 of Block IX. of said township. Bounded towards the North-east by Waipori Place, 270 links; and surrounded on all other sides by the Waipori River for a distance of 2950 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

FORSTER GORING,
 Clerk of the Executive Council.

Powers delegated to the Berwick Domain Board under "The Public Domains Act, 1881."

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
 Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this second day of April, 1883.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the twelfth section of "The Public Domains Act, 1881," it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor, by Order in Council, may from time to time delegate all or any of the powers by the said Act conferred, save as is therein

mentioned, to any person or persons for any period, and subject to such stipulations as may be specified in such order, and that every such delegation may from time to time in like manner be altered or revoked: And whereas pursuant to "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," by an Order in Council of even date herewith, the land described in the Schedule thereto is declared to be brought under the operation of and to be subject to the provisions of the said "Public Domains Act, 1881:"

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony of New Zealand, doth, by this present order, delegate all the powers conferred by the Act first above mentioned, except the powers under or conferred by sections five and twelve, to the under-mentioned persons, who shall be known as the Berwick Domain Board, viz.,—

ROBERT PETRIE,
 JOHN HENDERSON,
 ROBERT BARNES TWELFTREE

(herein referred to as "the Board"), subject to the stipulations hereinafter contained, that is to say,—

1. The Board shall meet for the transaction of business on the first Saturday in each month, at seven o'clock p.m., at the Schoolhouse, Berwick, or at such other time or place as may from time to time be fixed by the Board. The first meeting shall be held on Saturday, the fifth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.
2. Special meetings may be convened by the Chairman, or by any two members of the Board, provided that two days' notice of such meeting be given to each member, specifying the business to be transacted at such special meeting, and no other business than that so specified shall be transacted at such meeting.
3. Any meeting may be adjourned from time to time.
4. The members of the Board shall, at their first meeting, and thereafter at an annual meeting to be held on the first Saturday in January in every succeeding year thereafter, elect one of themselves to be Chairman, who may join in the discussion, and shall have an original as well as a casting vote. The Chairman shall hold office until the election of his successor.
5. If at any meeting the Chairman is not present at the time appointed for holding the same, the members present shall choose some one of their number to be Chairman of such meeting.
6. If, by resignation, death, or incapacity, or otherwise, the office of Chairman shall be or become vacant, the members may at any monthly or special meeting appoint a Chairman.
7. All questions shall be determined by the majority of votes of the members of the Board present at a meeting.

FORSTER GORING,
 Clerk of the Executive Council.

ERRATUM.—In *New Zealand Gazette* No. 23, of 15th March, 1883, page 320, for "Edward Francis Rich," read "Edwin Francis Rich."

Winton Recreation-ground brought under "The Public Domains Act, 1881."

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this second day of April, 1883.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

BY virtue of the powers and authorities vested in me by the twenty-fourth section of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, do hereby order and declare that the reserve made for public recreation in the Southland Division of the Provincial District of Otago, and known as the Winton Recreation-ground, and described in the Schedule hereto, shall be and the same is hereby brought under the operation of and declared to be subject to the provisions of "The Public Domains Act, 1881;" and such domain shall hereafter be managed, administered, and dealt with in manner directed by the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Southland Division of the Provincial District of Otago, containing by admeasurement 3 acres 2 roods, more or less, being Sections Nos. 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, Block X., on the map of the Town of Winton. Bounded on the North by John Street, 700 links; on the East by Sections Nos. 14 and 16 of said Block X., 500 links; on the South by Essex Street, 700 links; and on the West by a road-line, 500 links.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Powers delegated to the Winton Domain Board under "The Public Domains Act, 1881."

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this second day of April, 1883.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the twelfth section of "The Public Domains Act, 1881," it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor, by Order in Council, may from time to time delegate all or any of the powers by the said Act conferred, save as is therein mentioned, to any person or persons for any period, and subject to such stipulations as may be specified in such order, and that every such delegation may from time to time in like manner be altered or revoked: And whereas pursuant to "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," by an Order in Council of even date herewith, the land described in the Schedule thereto is declared to be brought under the operation of and to be subject to the provisions of the said "Public Domains Act, 1881:"

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony of New Zealand, doth, by this present order, delegate all the powers conferred by the Act first above mentioned, except the powers under or conferred by sections five and twelve, to the under-mentioned persons, who shall be known as the Winton Domain Board, viz.,—

C. D. MOORE,
JAMES McAETHUR,
ROBERT WILSON,
ANDREW LIDDELL, and
DAVID MCKENZIE

(herein referred to as "the Board"), subject to the stipulations hereinafter contained, that is to say,—

1. The Board shall meet for the transaction of business on the first Thursday in each month, at seven o'clock p.m., at the Odd Fellows' Hall, Winton, or at such other time or place as may from time to time be fixed by the Board. The first meeting shall be held on Thursday, the third day of May, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

2. Special meetings may be convened by the Chairman, or by any two members of the Board, provided that two days' notice of such meeting be given to each member, specifying the business to be transacted at such special meeting, and no other business than that so specified shall be transacted at such meeting.

3. Any three of the said Board shall form a quorum. Any meeting may be adjourned from time to time.

4. The members of the Board shall, at their first meeting, and thereafter at an annual meeting to be held on the second Tuesday in January in every succeeding year thereafter, elect one of themselves to be Chairman, who may join in the discussion, and shall have an original as well as a casting vote. The Chairman shall hold office until the election of his successor.

5. If at any meeting the Chairman is not present at the time appointed for holding the same, the members present shall choose some one of their number to be Chairman of such meeting.

6. If, by resignation, death, or incapacity, or otherwise, the office of Chairman shall be or become vacant, the members may at any monthly or special meeting appoint a Chairman.

7. All questions shall be determined by the majority of votes of the members of the Board present at a meeting.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Making Regulations for the Management of the Pukeroa Recreation Reserve.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this second day of April, 1883.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS under the provisions of "The Thermal-Springs Districts Act, 1881," a block of land known as the Pukeroa Recreation Reserve has been set apart and dedicated as a public park or domain: And whereas by the said Act it is further provided that, by Order in Council, the Governor may from time to time make and enforce orders and regulations for the management, preservation, disposition, and care of land so set apart as aforesaid, and it is expedient to make and enforce orders and regulations for the purposes aforesaid:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by the hereinbefore in part recited Act, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony of New Zealand, doth hereby make the following regulations:—

1. The said public park or domain so set apart as aforesaid shall be managed and administered by the Board of Management of the Town of Rotorua, constituted under "The Thermal-Springs Districts Act, 1881" (hereinafter called "the Board"), as a public park or domain.

2. Any person who shall, without the written consent or license of the Board, do or attempt to do any of the following things upon or within the boundaries of the said park or domain,—

- (1.) Light a fire;
- (2.) Wilfully break a fence or any part of a fence;
- (3.) Wilfully break or cut a tree or plant;
- (4.) Wilfully dig or cut the sod;
- (5.) Wilfully take away any wood, shrub, plant, or other thing;

(6.) Set up, erect, or place any structure, erection, tent, or building of any kind or description within the boundaries of the said public park or domain, or use or occupy any such structure, erection, tent, or building,— shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding the penalty prescribed by these regulations.

3. These regulations shall be painted on boards, or printed on paper and pasted on boards, and hung up or affixed and continued at one or more of the principal entrances into the domain, so as to give notice thereof to the public; and such boards shall from time to time be renewed as often as the by-laws thereon or any part thereof shall be obliterated or destroyed. Such regulations, when so published and affixed, shall be binding upon and be observed by all persons, and shall be sufficient to justify all persons acting under the same; and for proof of the making, publication, and affixing of such regulations it shall be sufficient to prove that a printed copy or painted board containing a copy of such regulations was affixed and continued in manner by this regulation directed; and, in case of its being afterwards displaced or damaged, then that such paper or board was replaced as soon as conveniently might be.

4. Any person committing a breach of or offending against any of these orders or regulations shall be subject to a penalty not exceeding five pounds.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Land set apart for Pukeroa Recreation Reserve.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

WHEREAS by the sixth section of "The Thermal-Springs Districts Act, 1881," it is enacted, among other things, that the Governor may, with the consent of the Native proprietors, to be ascertained in such manner as he may think fit, from time to time set apart and dedicate any of the land within a district for a park or domain or for any specific purpose of public amusement or recreation: And whereas the consent of the Native proprietors within the Pukeroa-o-Ruawhata District (which said district has been proclaimed and defined under the said Act) has been given to the setting-apart and dedication of the block of land hereinafter mentioned as a park or domain for public use and recreation: And whereas it is expedient that effect should be given to the said Act in the manner hereinafter set forth:

Now, therefore, I, William Francis Drummond Jervis, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the said Act, do hereby set apart and dedicate all that parcel of land in the Town of Rotorua, known as the Pukeroa Recreation Reserve, bounded towards the North by the Tauranga-Rotorua Road, towards the East by Rangiuru Street, towards the South and again towards the East by the Medical Residence Reserve, again towards the South by the Grammar School Reserve, and towards the West by Ranolf Street, as delineated on the plan of the said town, in the Survey Office, Auckland, as a park or domain for the public use and enjoyment of the inhabitants of the said town.

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

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Lands.

Board appointed to administer the Affairs of the Township of Rotorua.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

IN pursuance of the powers vested in me by the tenth section of "The Thermal-Springs Districts Act, 1881," I, William Francis Drummond Jervis, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint

HERBERT WILLIAM BRABANT, Esq., R.M.,
THOMAS HOPE LEWIS, Esq., L.S.A.L., M.R.C.S.E., and
ROTOHIKO HAUPAPA

to be a Board to administer the affairs of the Township of Rotorua, established under the said Act: and by the like authority I do hereby delegate to the said Board all the powers conferred upon or vested in me by virtue of subsections six and seven of section six of the said Act.

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

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Lands.

Thomas Hope Lewis, Esq., appointed to receive License-fees for Springs or Baths.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

IN pursuance of the powers vested in me by the eighth section of "The Thermal-Springs Districts Act, 1881," I, William Francis Drummond Jervis, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby authorize

THOMAS HOPE LEWIS, Esquire, L.S.A.L., M.R.C.S.E.,

to be the person to receive the license-fees for springs or baths and all other revenue arising in the district described in the Proclamation dated the twelfth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, and in the Township of Rotorua, as respectively proclaimed and established under the said Act.

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

WM. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Lands.

Defining the Purpose of Reserves.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

WHEREAS by clause five of the "Public Reserves Act, 1881," it is enacted that if there shall, in the opinion of the Governor, be any doubt or uncertainty as to the purpose for which such reserve was set apart, the Governor may, by notice

gazetted, define such purpose or purposes as to either the whole or any part of such reserve:

Now, therefore, I, William Francis Drummond Jervis, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby define the purpose of the lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto to be for lighthouse purposes.

SCHEDULE.

ALL those islands in the Hauraki Gulf called or known by the names of the Pokohinu, Hen and Chickens, Poor Knights, and Fanal Islands.

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

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

Appointing Commissioners to inquire into the best Line of Railway for the Connection of the Provincial District of Canterbury with the West Coast of the Middle Island.

COMMISSION.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith, to our trusty and loving subjects Captain William Russell Russell, of Hastings, in the Colony of New Zealand; James Glenny Wilson, of Bull's, in the said colony, Esquire, M.H.R.; Charles Napier Bell, of Christchurch, in the said colony, Esquire, M.I.C.E.

WHEREAS the Governor of our said colony hath, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, deemed it expedient that a Commission should forthwith be issued for the purposes and in the manner hereinafter set forth: Now, therefore, know ye that we, reposing great trust and confidence in your zeal, knowledge, and ability, do by these presents constitute and appoint you, the said

Captain WILLIAM RUSSELL RUSSELL,
JAMES GLENNY WILSON, and
CHARLES NAPIER BELL

to be our Commissioners for the purpose of making enquiry into the probable cost and economical or commercial value and other merits of the several lines specified in the Schedule to this Commission, or any other lines proposed for the connection of the Provincial District of Canterbury with the West Coast of the Middle Island, and also for the purpose of making enquiry into the mineral and other resources of the districts or lands which the several lines would traverse; it being the intention of these presents that you shall make enquiry in the most ample manner into all the facts and circumstances necessary and proper to be considered in determining the best line to connect Canterbury with the West Coast.

And, for the better enabling you to carry these presents into effect, we do authorize and empower you, or any two of you, to make and conduct any enquiry under these presents at such place or places in the said colony as you may deem expedient, and to call before you such persons or person as you may judge necessary by whom you may be better informed of the matters herein submitted for your consideration, and also to call for and examine all such books, documents, papers, maps, plans, accounts, or records as you shall judge likely to afford you the fullest information on the subject of this our Commission, and to enquire of and concerning the premises by all other lawful ways and means whatsoever. And our further will and pleasure is that you, or any two of you, do report to us, under your hands and seals (with as little delay as may be consistent with a due discharge of the duties hereby imposed upon you), your opinion on the several matters herein submitted for your consideration, with power to certify unto us from time to time your several proceedings in respect of any of the matters aforesaid, if it may seem expedient for you so to do. And we do further declare that this our Commission shall continue in full force and virtue, and that you, our said Commissioners, or any two of you, shall and may from time to time proceed in the execution thereof and of every matter and thing therein contained, although the same be not continued from time to time by adjournment. In testimony whereof we have caused these our letters to be made patent, and the seal of the said colony to be hereunto affixed.

Witness our trusty and well-beloved Sir William Francis Drummond Jervis, Governor in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at Wellington, this second day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

(L.S.)
Issued in Executive Council.
FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

SCHEDULE.

1. Reefton Line.—Brunnerton to Hanmer Plains *via* Reefton, Cannibal Gorge, and Ada Saddle.
 2. Reefton Line.—Brunnerton to Hanmer Plains *via* Reefton, Cannibal Gorge, and Lewis Saddle.
 3. Kiwi Line.—Brunnerton to Hurunui *via* Cannibal Gorge and Fowler's Pass, and by Lewis, Boyle, Hope, and Kiwi Rivers, and Lake Sumner.
 4. Hanmer Plains Line.—Brunnerton to Hanmer Plains *via* Cannibal Gorge and Fowler's Pass, by Lewis, Boyle, and Waiau Rivers.
 5. Kiwi Line.—Brunnerton to Hurunui *via* Hope Saddle and Ahaura, Tutae-kuri, Hope, and Kiwi Rivers to Lake Sumner.
 6. Hanmer Plains Line.—Brunnerton to Hanmer Plains *via* Hope Saddle, by Ahaura, Tutae-kuri, Hope, and Wairau Rivers.
 7. Lake Brunner Line.—Brunnerton to Hurunui, by Arnold River, Lake Brunner, and Teremakau and Hurunui Rivers.
 8. Kumara Line.—Brunnerton to Hurunui *via* Greymouth and Sea Beach to Teremakau River, thence by Kumara and Teremakau and Hurunui Rivers.
 9. Lake Brunner Line.—Brunnerton to Waddington *via* Arnold River, Lake Brunner, Teremakau River, Taipo River, Waimakariri River, Goldney's Saddle, and Waimakariri River.
 10. Kumara Line.—Brunnerton to Waddington *via* Greymouth, Sea Beach to Teremakau, Teremakau and Taipo Rivers, Waimakariri River, Goldney's Saddle, and Waimakariri River.
 11. Lake Brunner Line.—Brunnerton to Waddington *via* Arnold River, Lake Brunner, Teremakau, Otira, Bealey, and Waimakariri Rivers, Goldney's Saddle, and Waimakariri River.
 12. Kumara Line.—Brunnerton to Waddington *via* Greymouth, Sea Beach to Teremakau, Teremakau, Otira, Bealey, and Waimakariri Rivers to Goldney's Saddle, and Waimakariri River.
 13. Whitcombe River Line.—Brunnerton to White Cliffs *via* Greymouth, Hokitika, Lake Mahinapua, Hokitika River to Whitcombe River, Whitcombe Pass, Louper's Stream, Rakaia River, Lake Coleridge, and Acheron River.
 14. Mathias Saddle Line.—Brunnerton to White Cliffs *via* Greymouth, Hokitika, Lake Mahinapua, Hokitika River to Whitcombe River, up Whitcombe River to junction with right-hand branch from Glacier; thence to Mathias River and Rakaia River, Lake Coleridge, and Acheron River.
- As these routes are described more in detail in the tabular statement dated January, 1883, attached hereto.

Registrar of Marriages, &c., appointed.

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

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint
JAMES WYLLIE

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

THOMAS DICK.

Special Order made by the Board of the Taotaoroa Road District, County of Piako.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 11th April, 1883.

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

THOMAS DICK.

EXTRACT from the minutes of a meeting of the Taotaoroa Road Board, held on the 31st March, 1883:—

"Pursuant to public notice given, it was resolved, That a special order be now made whereby it is declared that, notwithstanding provision contained in 'The Regulation of Local Elections Act, 1876,' all elections of members of the Taotaoroa Road Board shall be conducted in the manner provided by section 49 of 'The Road Boards Act, 1882.'"

I certify that the above special order was made in every respect as by law required.

JAS. MCPHERSON,
Clerk, Taotaoroa Road Board.

Special Order made by the Board of the Cambridge Road District, County of Waikato.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 11th April, 1883.

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

THOMAS DICK.

EXTRACT from the minutes of a meeting of the Cambridge Road Board, held on Friday, the 30th March, 1883:—

"Pursuant to public notice given, it was resolved, That a special order be now made whereby it is declared that, notwithstanding the provisions contained in 'The Regulation of Local Elections Act, 1876,' all elections of members of the Cambridge Road Board shall be conducted in the manner provided by section 49 of 'The Road Boards Act, 1882.'"

I certify that the foregoing special order was made in every respect as by law required.

JAS. MCPHERSON,
Clerk, Cambridge Road Board.

Special Orders passed by Board of the Okato Road District, County of Taranaki.

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

THE following special orders, passed by the Okato Road Board, are published in accordance with "The Road Boards Act, 1882."

THOMAS DICK.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

THE following special orders were passed at a meeting of the Okato Road Board, held at the Schoolhouse, Okato, on the 28th March, 1883:—

"That the Okato Road Board shall consist of four members."

"That the annual meeting of ratepayers shall be held at the Okato Schoolhouse, at 3 o'clock p.m., on the first Wednesday in May in each year."

"That the general election of the members of the Board shall take place on the first Wednesday in May, at 4 o'clock p.m., at the Schoolhouse, Okato."

"That, notwithstanding the provisions of the Regulation of Local Elections Act, the election of members of the Board shall be conducted in accordance with section 49 of 'The Road Boards Act, 1882.'"

I certify that the above special orders were passed by the Okato Road Board.

WM. DIGBY HARROD,
Chairman, Okato Road Board.

Special Order made by the Ngaire Road Board, County of Hawera.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 7th April, 1883.

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

THOMAS DICK.

SPECIAL ORDER.

(Passed by the Ngaire Road Board, 15th March, 1883.)

"Resolved, That this Board do now divide its district into five subdivisions, to be known as the northern, eastern, western, middle, and southern subdivisions, returning collectively nine members, as follows:—

"The Northern Subdivision commences at the intersection of the Patea River with the western boundary of the Stratford Township, as gazetted; following the river up to its intersection with the Forest Reserve; following the Forest Reserve round to its intersection with the Waingongoro River; following the said river down to its intersection with the Opanake Road; thence along the southern boundary of Block I, Ngaire, to the Mountain Road; thence to the southern boundary of Stratford Township, as gazetted; thence by the southern and western boundaries of the said township to the Patea River. To return two members.

"The Eastern Subdivision commences at the intersection of the Patea River with the eastern boundary of Stratford Township, as gazetted; following the said river down to its intersection with the confiscation-boundary; thence by the confiscation-boundary to the south-eastern corner of Section No. 5, Block VII, Ngaire; thence by the south boundaries of Sections Nos. 5 and 4 and a line in prolongation of the same to the Skinner Road; thence south by the Skinner Road to the north-eastern corner of Section No. 20, Block VI, Ngaire; thence by the northern boundary of Section No. 20 to the eastern boundary of Section No. 19; thence by the eastern boundary of Section No. 19 to the dividing line between Sections Nos. 19 and 11;

thence by the south boundaries of Sections Nos. 11, 10, 9, 8, 7, and 3 to the Mountain Road; thence by the Mountain Road to the south boundary of Stratford Township, as gazetted; and thence by the south and eastern boundaries of the said township, as gazetted, to the starting-point. To return two members.

"The Western Subdivision is bounded on the North by the southern boundary of the Northern Subdivision; on the East by the Mountain Road; on the South by the southern boundaries of Sections Nos. 66, 64, and 63, Block VI., and 35, 34, and 33, Block V., Ngaire; and on the West by the Waingongoro River. To return two members.

"The Middle Subdivision is bounded on the North by the southern boundary of the Eastern Subdivision; on the East by the confiscation-line; on the South by the southern boundary of Block VI.; and on the West by the Mountain Road. To return two members.

"The Southern Subdivision is bounded on the North by the Western and Middle Subdivisions; towards the South-east by the confiscation-line; and towards the South-west by the Hawera Road District and the Waingongoro River. To return one member."

I certify that the above is a true copy, and that all the provisions required by law have been complied with.

G. A. MARCHANT,
Clerk, Ngaire Road Board.

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

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

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

THOMAS DICK.

SPECIAL ORDER.

"THAT the number of members of the Aparima Road Board be diminished to nine, and be assigned as follows: Two members to Heddon Bush Subdivision, two to Mount Pleasant Subdivision, two to Jacob's River Subdivision, and three to Waimatuku Subdivision."

I hereby certify that the foregoing special order has been duly made by the Aparima Road Board in terms of "The Road Boards Act, 1882."

JAS. FULLARTON,
Clerk of Aparima Road Board.

Riverton, 30th March, 1883.

Special Order made by the Board of the Manukau Highway District, County of Waitemata.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 7th April, 1883.

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

THOMAS DICK.

SPECIAL ORDER.

"THAT a special order be made that five members constitute the number of members forming the Manukau Highway Board."

I, George Laing, Chairman of the Manukau Highway Board, do hereby certify that the enclosed resolution, making a special order to the effect that five members shall be the number of members constituting the Manukau Highway Board, has this day been passed.

Big Muddy Creek, 30th March, 1883. GEORGE LAING,
Chairman.

Special Order made by the Board of the (Eleventh) Waitara West Road District, County of Taranaki.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 7th April, 1883.

THE following special order, passed by the (Eleventh) Waitara West Road Board, is published in accordance with "The Road Boards Act, 1882."

THOMAS DICK.

SPECIAL ORDER.

"THAT the Waitara West Road Board hereby resolve, by special order, that elections of the Board shall be held in manner provided by clause 49 of 'The Road Boards Act, 1882.'"

I certify that the above is a correct copy of a resolution passed by the Waitara West Road Board on the 28th day of March, 1883.

PEARSON WAKEFIELD,
Chairman and Clerk,
(Eleventh) Waitara West Road Board.

Notice of proposed Loan, Borough of Lawrence.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 11th April, 1883.

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

THOMAS DICK.

NOTICE.

I HEREBY give public notice that, at a poll of the burgesses taken in the Town Hall, on Monday, the 2nd April, 1883, for the purpose of raising a special loan of £1,000, in order to receive the Government grant of £2,000 towards carrying out the drainage-works and tailings channel, as provided by Mr. Smail's plan, the result was—

For the proposal ...	201 votes.
Against the proposal ...	8 "

The number of votes recorded in favour of the proposal being in excess of half the total number of burgesses, I hereby declare the proposal duly carried.

Lawrence, 3rd April, 1883. M. FRAER,
Mayor.

By-laws for Slaughterhouses in County of Collingwood.

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

THE following by-laws for slaughterhouses in the County of Collingwood are published in accordance with "The Slaughterhouses Act, 1877."

THOMAS DICK.

COUNTY OF COLLINGWOOD BY-LAWS.

THE Collingwood County Council having, in pursuance of "The Counties Act, 1876," and "The Slaughterhouses Act, 1877," made, by special order, the following by-laws and regulations for the County of Collingwood, I hereby give notice that they will come into force from and after the 1st day of January, 1883.

1. The fees for a license for a slaughterhouse shall be the following, namely:—

For a license to slaughter large cattle only ...	£0 10 0
For a license to slaughter small cattle only ...	0 10 0
For a license to slaughter both large and small cattle ...	1 0 0

2. Any Inspector may ask, demand, and receive from every person holding such a license as aforesaid a fee of one half-penny for each and every head of small cattle, and a fee of threepence for each and every head of large cattle slaughtered at the slaughterhouse kept by him; such fees to be payable the first Monday in each month.

3. The Inspector shall from time to time inspect every slaughterhouse within the county, and may give directions to the licensed keeper thereof concerning the cleanliness and good management thereof; and every such licensed keeper shall forthwith obey and carry out every such direction.

4. Every licensed keeper of a slaughterhouse shall provide his slaughterhouse with a sufficient supply of water.

5. Every licensed keeper of a slaughterhouse shall remove all filth, dirt, and offal from his slaughterhouse, and keep the same clean and in good order to the satisfaction of the Inspector.

6. No licensed keeper of a slaughterhouse shall keep or permit to be kept any swine in his slaughterhouse, or so near thereto as to interfere with the cleanliness or good management thereof.

7. The interpretation sections of the before-mentioned Acts are hereby adopted, *mutatis mutandis*, as if they were set forth herein, and the words of these by-laws shall be construed to have the meaning thereby assigned to the corresponding words in the said Acts respectively, unless there be something in the context or subject-matter repugnant thereto.

8. Any persons offending against any of the provisions of these by-laws, or committing any breach thereof, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding five pounds for every such offence.

S. G. ROBINSON,
Clerk of Collingwood County Council.
Dated 2nd October, 1882.

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

THOMAS DICK.

Approving and Appointing Bonding Warehouse.

CUSTOMS.—In exercise of the powers in me for this purpose vested by "The Customs Laws Consolidation Act, 1882," I, the Commissioner of Trade and Customs, do hereby approve and appoint the under-mentioned warehouse, viz.,—

Port of Invercargill.

Portion of the cellar of a brick building, situate on Section 8, Block LXXXVI., Crescent, Invercargill, with entrance from Wood Street, to be known as

MACPHERSON'S BOND,

—to be a warehouse for the reception of goods under bond.

Given under my hand, at Wellington, this third day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

THOMAS DICK,

(for the Commissioner of Trade and Customs.)
Commissioner's Order No. 186.]

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 rates and regulations for the purposes specified below, and such rates and regulations shall come into force from and after the 23rd April, 1883:—

PART II.—PARCEL RATES.

All parcels consigned to Auckland will be charged 7d. each in addition to the ordinary parcel rates.

*PART IV.—LOCAL RATES.**AUCKLAND SECTION.*

When goods of Classes A, B, C, D, E are consigned to Auckland, excepting such as are consigned to the Auckland Railway Wharf for shipment there, both the classified and local rates now in force will be increased by 1s. 8d. per ton; the minimum charge for small lots will be 1s. 6d.

As witness my hand this 4th day of April, 1883.

WALTER W. JOHNSTON,
Minister for Public Works.

Member of House of Representatives for Selwyn elected.

Clerk of the Writs' Office,
Wellington, 12th April, 1883.

THE Clerk of the Writs has received a return to the writ issued by him on the 8th day of March last for the election of a member to serve in the House of Representatives for the electoral district hereinafter specified; and by the indorsement on such writ it appears that the under-mentioned gentleman has been duly elected member for the said district, viz.:—

For the District of Selwyn.

EDWARD JAMES LEE.
G. S. COOPER,
Clerk of the Writs.

Name removed from List of Officiating Ministers.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 11th April, 1883.

IT is hereby notified that the name of
The Reverend ROWE FENNELL
has been removed from the list of Officiating Ministers for the year 1883, under "The Marriage Act, 1880," belonging to the Wesleyan Methodist Society, at his own request.

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

Branches of Friendly Society registered.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 7th April, 1883.

THE under-mentioned Tents are registered as branches of the New Zealand Central District Independent Order of Rechabites Friendly Society, under "The Friendly Societies Act, 1882," this 7th day of April, 1883.

Name.	Where situated.
Rose of Sharon Tent	Waipawa.
Hope of Napier Tent	Napier.
Hope of Feilding Tent	Feilding.
Sir Wilfred Lawson Tent	Sanson.
Southern Cross Tent	Palmerston North.
Excelsior Tent	Wellington.
Haste to the Rescue Tent (Female Branch)	Wellington.
Bon Accord Tent	Blenheim.
Ray of Hope Tent	Kaikoura.
Ocean Pride Tent	Shag Point, Otago.
Helpmeet Tent (Female Branch)	Dunedin.

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

Friendly Society registered.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 10th April, 1883.

THE Dunstan Lodge, No. 149, of the United Ancient Order of Druids Society, situated at Christchurch, is registered as a Friendly Society, under "The Friendly Societies Act, 1882," this 10th day of April, 1883.

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

Branch of Friendly Society registered.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 10th April, 1883.

THE Loyal Lumsden Lodge, situated at Lumsden, is registered as a branch of the Invercargill District of the Manchester Unity Independent Order of Odd Fellows Friendly Society, under "The Friendly Societies Act, 1882," this 10th day of April, 1883.

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

Commissioner of Supreme Court appointed.

NOTICE.—His Honour Mr. Joshua Strange Williams, Judge at Dunedin of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, has appointed JOHN HENRY MAYNE CAMPBELL, Esq., of Toronto, in the Dominion of Canada, Barrister-at-Law, to be a Commissioner in the Dominion of Canada, under "The Commissioners of the Supreme Court Act, 1875," for taking acknowledgments of married women.

Dated this 6th day of April, 1883.

COLIN MCK. GORDON,
Registrar of the Supreme Court, Dunedin.

Crown Lands Notices.

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.

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.

Waimate Plains.—West Coast Settlement Reserves.

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

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

West Coast Settlement Reserves Office,
Hawera, 17th March, 1883.

TENDERS will be received at this office until 11 o'clock in the forenoon of Monday, the 23rd April, for the leases of the under-mentioned agricultural lands. Copies of the regulations under which the said leases will be sold and issued, also forms of tender and declaration respectively, can be obtained at the District Land Offices, New Plymouth, Patea, and Hawera, or at any of the other Land Offices in the colony; also at the office of the Collector of Customs, Wanganui, and the Post Offices, Thames, Wanganui, Reefton, Westport, Greymouth, Ashburton, and Oamaru.

SCHEDULE.

Block.	Section.	Area.			Upset Rental per Acre.		
		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
HAWERA SURVEY DISTRICT.							
II.	16	100	0	0	0	2	0
	17	200	0	0	0	2	0
	18	200	0	0	0	2	0
	19	242	0	0	0	2	0
	20	225	0	0	0	2	0
	21	150	0	0	0	3	0
NGAIRE SURVEY DISTRICT.							
XIII.	54	259	0	0	0	4	0
XIV.	13	135	0	0	0	2	0
	14	200	0	0	0	2	0
	15	137	0	0	0	3	0
	16	120	0	0	0	4	0
	17	198	0	0	0	2	0
	18	200	0	0	0	3	0
HAWERA SURVEY DISTRICT.							
I.	55	84	0	0	0	5	0
	65	102	0	0	0	5	0
	66	80	0	0	0	5	0
	67	80	0	0	0	6	0
	68	201	0	0	0	6	0
II.	1	133	0	0	0	5	0
	7	100	0	0	0	3	0
	8	102	0	0	0	3	0
	9	100	0	0	0	3	0
	10	101	0	0	0	3	0
	11	118	0	0	0	3	0
	12	121	0	0	0	4	0
	14	38	2	0	0	15	0
	23	23	0	0	0	10	0
	24	20	0	0	0	15	0
KAUPOKONUI SURVEY DISTRICT.							
XVI.	52	100	0	0	0	5	0
	54	150	0	0	0	4	0
	55	150	0	0	0	4	0
NGAIRE SURVEY DISTRICT.							
XIII.	56	146	0	0	0	4	0
	57	150	0	0	0	4	0
	58	115	1	30	0	5	0
	59	100	0	0	0	6	0
	61	301	0	0	0	3	0
	62	186	2	10	0	4	0
WAIMATE SURVEY DISTRICT.							
IV.	134	82	0	0	0	7	0
	135	92	0	0	0	5	0
	136	109	3	35	0	4	0
	137	109	3	35	0	5	0
	138	103	1	26	0	6	0
	139	107	0	0	0	6	0
	140	63	0	0	0	7	0
	142	156	0	0	0	10	0
	144	80	0	0	0	10	0
	145	80	0	0	0	10	0
HAWERA SURVEY DISTRICT.							
I.	62	100	0	0	0	10	0
	63	94	0	0	0	10	0
	64	100	0	0	0	10	0
WAIMATE SURVEY DISTRICT.							
VII.	111	23	0	0	0	15	0
	112*	66	0	0	0	15	0
	113	62	0	0	0	15	0
	129	15	2	0	0	15	0
	25	64	0	0	0	15	0
	27	72	0	0	0	15	0
	28†	48	0	0	0	14	0
	29†	95	2	0	0	13	0
	33	46	0	0	0	15	0
	34	48	0	0	0	15	0
	35	59	0	0	0	15	0
	36	70	0	0	0	15	0
	37	70	0	0	0	14	0
	38	70	0	0	0	13	0
	39	50	0	0	0	12	0
	40	50	0	0	0	11	0
	41	50	0	0	0	11	0
	42	75	0	0	0	10	0
	43	69	0	0	0	9	0
	44	45	0	0	0	8	0

* Section 112 is subject to an easement for a mill-weir across the Waioikura River.

† Sections 28 and 29 are subject to adjustment of boundaries at Waioikura River, with freehold Sections 17, 18, and 19.

CONDITIONS AS TO OCCUPATION AND IMPROVEMENTS.
The maximum quantity any lessee can hold is 640 acres of rural land.

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

Improvements to be suitable to and consistent with the extent and character of the holdings, and none shall be allowed for in any valuation in excess of £5 for every acre of rural land.

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

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

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

Coloured lithographic plans of the above sections are on view at the several Land Offices throughout the colony.

THOMAS MACKAY,
Reserves Trustee.

Lands open on Application.

Crown Lands Office,
Napier, 2nd March, 1883.

THE under-mentioned Crown Lands will be open for sale, by application, on Friday, the 20th April, 1883.

One-fourth of the purchase-money to be paid on application, the balance and Crown-grant fees within one month thereafter.

PUKETITIRI RESERVE.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
POHUI SURVEY DISTRICT.			
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
XIII.	30	31 3 2	63 10 6
	31	40 2 34	81 8 6
	32	42 3 9	85 12 3
XIV.	5	20 1 0	45 11 3
	6	20 0 0	40 0 0
	7	20 0 0	45 0 0
	8	20 0 0	45 0 0
	9A	20 0 0	40 0 0
	10	23 3 0	53 8 9
	11	20 0 0	40 0 0
	12	25 2 19	51 4 9
	13	24 1 10	48 12 6
	14	19 3 27	39 16 9
	15	22 0 10	44 2 6
	16	20 0 0	45 0 0
	17	20 0 0	45 0 0
	18	20 0 0	45 0 0
	19	20 0 0	45 0 0
	19A	321 1 0	321 5 0
	20	25 0 20	50 5 0
	22	31 1 20	62 15 0
	23	19 2 0	39 0 0
	24	20 0 0	40 0 0
	25	20 0 0	40 0 0
	27	34 0 0	68 0 0
	28	33 0 0	66 0 0
	29	22 1 20	50 6 10
	31	22 3 15	39 19 6
	32	27 3 32	34 18 9
	33	30 0 0	45 0 0
	34	28 3 11	50 8 8
	35	26 1 25	26 8 2
	36	19 1 11	19 6 6
	37	20 0 23	25 3 6
	38	20 0 0	30 0 0
	40	27 1 20	47 18 2
	41	28 0 8	49 1 9
	42	28 2 24	57 6 0
	43	29 3 28	51 17 0
	44	32 0 10	64 2 6
	45	20 0 0	40 0 0
	46	20 0 0	40 0 0
XV.	8	224 2 0	224 10 0

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
PATOKA SURVEY DISTRICT.			
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
II.	11	257 3 0	289 19 6
VI.	2	292 0 0	292 0 0
POHUI SURVEY DISTRICT.			
XIII.	15	316 0 33	237 3 0
	16	133 3 0	100 6 3
XV.	20	617 3 10	463 7 2
PATOKA SURVEY DISTRICT.			
II.	1	336 2 0	252 7 6
	2	320 2 31	240 10 6
	3	352 1 0	264 3 9
	4	309 0 0	231 15 0
	12	294 0 0	220 10 0
VI.	1	138 2 0	103 17 6
PATOKA SURVEY DISTRICT.			
II.	5	263 1 0	131 12 6

Description.—The sections in Block XIV., and Sections 30 to 35, Block XIII., Pohui District, are chiefly forest with a few clearings. The timber consists of rimu, matai, and a little white pine. The formation of the ground is undulating and well watered, the soil inclined to be light. Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 11, and 12 of Block II., Patoka, 15 and 16 of Block XIII., and 8 of Block 15, Pohui Districts, are open hilly fern land, with a little bush on Sections 11, 12, 15, and 8. Sections 1 and 2, Block VI., Patoka, open fern land, hilly, soil light, overlying limestone-formation, a small quantity of bush on each. Access is given by roads which have been partly formed, about 2½ miles through the bush being cleared of timber. The Hawke's Bay County Council has in course of construction a line of road giving access to these lands from the inland Patea Road, a distance of six miles. There is also another dray-road *via* Puketapu and Rissington. The distance from Napier is about forty miles by road.

J. T. TYLEE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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 applicant specified in the annexed Schedule, unless there shall be valid objections against such lease.

Objections to the granting of such lease, stating the grounds of objection, must be made in writing, and lodged with the Warden at Naseby on or before the 23rd day of April, 1883.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPLICANT: Andrew White. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "Try-it Company." 2 acres, in the Mount Ida Mining District.

Given under my hand, at Dunedin, this second day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

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

FOR SALE, Price 2s. 6d.

THE Supreme Court Code of Civil Procedure, under "The Supreme Court Act, 1882," and the Appeal Court Rules of Procedure under "The Appeal Court Act, 1882," together with a complete Index to the Rules and Forms.

GEO. DIDSBURY.

Government Stationery Store,
Wellington 21st December, 1882.

PARTICULARS of the Estates of Deceased Persons which have been placed under the charge of the PUBLIC TRUSTEE for management during the month of March, 1883.

No.	Name of Deceased.	Colonial Residence.	Supposed British or Foreign Residence.	Date of Rule or Order.	Value or Estimated Value of Personal Estate.	Time of Deceased's Death.	Remarks.
1	Ablicht, Henry or Franz Edward	Auckland	...	...	Under £15	Feb. 17, 1883	
2	Bagley, McG. Chas. R.	Russell	...	...	Under £12	Feb. 24, 1883	
3	Beneh, Frederick	Christchurch	...	...	Under £15	Feb. 15, 1883	
4	Burke, Patrick	Christchurch	...	...	Under £5	Jan. 9, 1883	
5	Burke, William	Napier	...	...	Under £10	Mar. 19, 1883	
6	Challis, George Charles	Dunedin	...	...	Under £10	Dec. 29, 1882	
7	Curran, Maurice	Wakatipu	...	...	Under £10	Dec. 30, 1882	
8	Dundas, Hy. William	Taupo	...	...	Under £50	Mar. 25, 1882	
9	Foho, John	Patea	...	...	Under £5	Jan. 17, 1883	
10	Hamilton, Hill	Crushington	...	Mar. 6, 1883	Under £100	Feb. 9, 1883	
11	Jansen, Peter Neilsen	Wellington	...	...	Under £50	Mar. 16, 1883	
12	Monkhouse, J. R.	Belgrave	...	Mar. 19, 1883	Under £100	Feb. 5, 1883	
13	McLeod, Malcolm	Masterton	...	Mar. 22, 1883	Under £1,000	Feb. 18, 1883	
14	Packenham, Joshua	Patea	...	...	Under £5	Mar. 7, 1883	
15	Perie, William	Wairoa	...	...	Under £15	Mar. 20, 1883	
16	Quayle, George	Duntroon	...	...	Under £15	Mar. 12, 1883	
17	Quinlan, Denis	Lycell	...	...	Under £10	Jan. 29, 1883	
18	Smart, James	Kumara	...	Mar. 22, 1883	Under £160	Feb. 19, 1883	
19	Smith, George	Clyde	...	...	Under £10	Feb. 13, 1883	
20	Tate, William	Kaipoi	...	...	Under £30	Feb. 13, 1883	
21	Vickery, Thomas	Naseby	...	Mar. 30, 1883	Under £500	Nov. 28, 1882	
22	Wallis, William	Greymouth	...	Mar. 6, 1883	Under £100	Dec. 18, 1882	
23	Wilson, William	Christchurch	...	...	Under £50	Sept. 10, 1882	F'nd drown'd.
24	Yeuell, Charles	Napier	...	Mar. 6, 1883	Under £150	Feb. 22, 1882	

Dated the 4th day of April, 1883.

R. C. HAMERTON, Public Trustee.

New Zealand Company's Land Claims.—Commissioner's Decisions.

JAMES MEACHAM BATHAM, a Commissioner duly appointed by virtue of the Ordinance No. 15, Session XI., of the Legislative Council of New Zealand, to hear and decide claims to land by persons claiming title thereto from, through, or under the New Zealand Company, having investigated the claims of the persons whose names appear in the Schedule hereto, do hereby decide that the said persons are entitled to grants from the Crown for the lands set against their names respectively; and, further, that it is expedient that the legal estate in such lands shall be deemed to have vested in the claimants as from the dates appearing in such Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

No. of Report.	No. of Claim.	Claimant.	Land Claimed.	Vesting of Legal Estate.
1380	317	Vesey Germain Hine	Section 177, New Plymouth	Feb. 21, 1849.
1381	340	James Sutton Westcott	" 1106, "	Dec. 31, 1861.
1382	391	Thomas Ibbotson	" 2049, "	" 13, 1854.
1383	580	Thomas Milner	" 993, 994, "	June 12, 1856.
1384	1022	Paul Fletcher	" 410, "	Dec. 31, 1861.
1385	1181	Stephen Gillingham	" 1696, "	" 19, "
1386	1277	Paul Fletcher	" 204, "	" 31, "
1387	1308	Frederick Ibbotson	" 6, "	" 31, "
1388	1309	Joseph Phipson	" 1186, "	" 31, "
1389	1310	Joseph Phipson	" 1203, "	" 31, "
1390	1311	Joseph Phipson	" 436, "	" 31, "
1391	1313	Jonathan Cape	" 45, "	" 31, "
1392	1314	George Whitely and John Whitely Ward	" 838, "	" 31, "
1393	1440	John Crossley	" 173, "	Sept. 30, 1858.
1394	1625	Trustees Primitive Methodists	" 789, part 801, part Mars-land Hill	
1395	1702	Paul Fletcher	" 384, New Plymouth	Dec. 15, 1856.
1396	1703	William Crosby Smith	" 1899, "	" 15, "
1397	1705	Thomas O'Dell	" 931, "	" 31, 1861.
1398	1708	William Northcroft	Part Section 21, Bell District	Nov. 4, 1854.
1399	1709	Samuel Stephens	Section 1026, New Plymouth	Dec. 15, 1856.
1400	1712	Robert Leeds Sinclair	" 13D, Grey District	" 31, 1861.
1401	1715	Ibbotson Booth	" 67, New Plymouth	June 27, "
1402	1716	Charles Chippendale	" 570, "	Dec. 15, 1856.
1403	1718	Joseph Phipson	" 73, "	" 15, "
1404	1720	Thomas Ibbotson	Part Section 21, Bell District	April 12, 1853.

J. M. BATHAM,
Land Claims Commissioner.

New Plymouth, 4th April, 1883.

ABSTRACT of METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS, New Zealand, for the Quarter ending 31st DECEMBER, 1882.

STATIONS.	BAROMETER. Corrected and Reduced to Sea Level.		TEMPERATURE FROM SELF-REGISTERING INSTRUMENTS, READ IN MORNING FOR TWENTY-FOUR HOURS PREVIOUSLY.							COMPUTED FROM OBSERVATIONS.		RAIN.		WIND.		LOUD.	
	Mean Reading	Extr'me Range.	Mean Temp.	Mean Daily Range.	In Shade.			Max. Temp. in Sun's Rays.	Min. Temp. on Grass.	Mean Elastic Force of Vapour.	Mean Deg. of Moist. (Satu- ration =100.)	Total Fall in Month (inches)	No. of Days on which Rain fell.	Average Daily Force in Miles for Month.	Maximum Velocity in Miles in any 24 hours, and Date.	Mean Amount for Month (0 to 10)	
					Max. Temp.	Min. Temp.	Range.										
OCTOBER.																	
AUCKLAND ...	30.132	.879	56.1	14.0	67.4	43.5	23.9	131.5	36.0	.341	75	1.620	16	395	716, 19th	6.2	
Previous 17 years ...	29.937	...	57.6	...	...	...	...	...	...	.372	78	3.364	17	...	...	...
WELLINGTON ...	29.892	.975	52.8	12.5	67.0	40.0	27.0	127.0	37.0	.295	78	2.678	13	212	490, 18th	4.0	
Previous 17 years ...	29.844	...	53.9	...	...	...	...	...	...	.315	74	4.807	14	...	...	...
LINCOLN ...	29.861	1.031	50.1	19.8	72.3	29.6	42.7	129.0	23.1	.241	67	1.420	11	235	455, 1st,	6.0	
Christchurch, pre- vious 17 years	29.785	...	53.1	...	...	...	...	...	...	.303	72	1.781	10	...	...	...
DUNEDIN ...	30.047	1.026	48.8	15.3	63.0	34.0	29.0	140.0	20.0	.243	70	1.704	17	180	540, 26th	5.0	
Previous 17 years ...	29.740	...	50.6	...	...	...	...	...	...	.269	71	2.587	15	...	...	...
NOVEMBER.																	
AUCKLAND ...	30.189	.836	59.2	14.5	76.5	41.2	35.3	131.5	38.2	.365	72	1.945	15	309	648, 5th,	6.9	
Previous 17 years ...	29.915	...	61.2	...	...	...	...	...	...	.418	76	2.800	14	...	...	...
WELLINGTON ...	30.049	.821	56.0	15.0	79.0	41.9	37.1	139.0	40.0	.340	75	4.330	11	166	420, 8th,	4.5	
Previous 17 years ...	29.832	...	56.9	...	...	...	...	...	...	.351	73	4.311	12	...	...	...
LINCOLN ...	30.045	.695	53.6	17.6	76.2	34.7	41.5	139.0	28.0	.315	76	4.478	11	254	555, 5th,	5.0	
Christchurch, pre- vious 17 years	29.785	...	56.7	...	...	...	...	...	...	.345	73	2.005	9	...	...	...
DUNEDIN ...	30.238	.560	53.6	16.0	73.0	40.0	33.0	140.0	27.0	.311	76	1.358	11	88	320, 27th	5.3	
Previous 17 years ...	29.743	...	52.7	...	...	...	...	...	...	.290	72	2.666	13	...	...	...
DECEMBER.																	
AUCKLAND ...	30.122	.584	65.5	14.8	79.2	52.2	27.0	135.5	41.8	.434	70	1.375	8	262	453, 6th,	5.9	
Previous 17 years ...	29.933	...	65.6	...	...	...	...	...	...	.462	75	3.285	12	...	...	...
WELLINGTON ...	29.933	.688	62.2	12.1	79.0	48.0	31.0	137.0	45.0	.451	80	1.786	10	221	400, 19th	4.6	
Previous 17 years ...	29.869	...	61.1	...	...	...	...	...	...	.398	73	3.757	11	...	...	...
LINCOLN ...	29.878	.888	62.4	20.8	85.0	45.0	40.0	159.0	34.0	.447	79	2.672	10	224	536, 29th	4.0	
Christchurch, pre- vious 17 years	29.823	...	61.1	...	...	...	...	...	...	.399	73	1.457	8	...	...	...
DUNEDIN ...	30.076	.862	58.3	14.4	85.0	43.0	42.0	153.0	...	.366	75	5.869	21	80	390, 28th	7.1
Previous 17 years ...	29.770	...	56.3	...	...	...	...	...	...	.337	73	3.044	14	...	...	...

NOTES FOR OCTOBER, 1882.

Auckland.—Mostly fine, with high wind almost throughout, generally from S.W.; heavy N.W. gale on 19th; little rain, the maximum fall recorded on 25th, .515 in.

Wellington.—On 3rd rain in morning from N.W., heavy showers until night, when it changed to S.W., and brought hail, rain, thunder, and strong wind; 1.10 in. recorded on 4th, the maximum for month; next two days showery and squally from same quarter; fine generally from 7th to 21st, wind variable; stormy from N.W. on 17th, and a few light showers; remainder of month showery, with an occasional fine day; thunder on 22nd; prevailing wind N.W.

Lincoln.—Fine weather with little rain, .50 in. recorded on 4th, the maximum; winds variable and, on the whole, moderate; thunder on 18th and 22nd; hail on 22nd.

Dunedin.—Changeable showery weather, but small total rainfall, the maximum being .60 in. on 19th; prevailing winds from S.W. and W., and strong on 17th and 22nd to 25th; thunder on 18th; snow on 24th, and hail on 18th.

GENERAL REMARKS.—Generally showery weather, but no heavy falls of rain; winds westerly, and temperature below the average. Earthquake felt at Wellington on 20th at 12.19 a.m., slight; brilliant meteors observed on 29th and 30th.

NOTES FOR NOVEMBER, 1882.

Auckland.—Dull cool weather at commencement of month, warmer and brighter towards end; small rainfall, the maximum recorded on 4th, .855 in.; wind moderate, and prevailed from S.W.

Wellington.—Fine first three days, then showery to 6th; fine on 7th; heavy rain on 8th with thunder, continued showery and cold next day; fine then to 13th, followed by three showery days, wind S.E.; from 17th to 23rd fine bright weather, wind S.E. and N.W., and moderate; on 24th wind changed from N.W. to S.W., and brought rain, which continued to 26th, changing to S.E.; remainder of month fine from N.W.; prevailing winds from S.E. and N.W. and generally moderate; stormy on 7th from N.W.

Lincoln.—Showery in middle and towards end of month; total rainfall much above average, the most recorded on 5th, 1.80 in.; moderate winds and variable; hail on 9th.

Dunedin.—Generally pleasant weather with light showers; the maximum rainfall recorded on 14th, .440 in.; strong S.W. wind on 26th, otherwise moderate and variable; thunder and hail on 25th.

GENERAL REMARKS.—On the whole fine weather with moderate rainfall and variable winds; earthquake felt at Wellington on 18th, at 11.4 p.m., slight, and on 25th, at 10.5 p.m., smart; aurora between 17th and 20th, and meteor on 29th.

NOTES FOR DECEMBER, 1882.

Auckland.—Fine warm and dry weather prevailed; no heavy rain or high wind; the maximum rainfall recorded on 19th, .60 in.; prevailing winds westerly.

Wellington.—Showery on 2nd, 3rd, and 4th, and very close from N.W.; from 5th to 10th pleasant weather, with cool breezes from S. and S.W.; fine from 11th to 17th, but very strong N.W. wind; heavy rain on 18th; .70 in. recorded on 19th, the maximum for month; still stormy on 20th and 21st from N.W.; from 22nd to 26th fine and pleasant wind, N.W. and N.E.; rather stormy on 25th from N.W.; 27th, 28th, 29th, showery, wind N.W. and S.W.; fine at close of month, wind S.E.

Lincoln.—Fine with a few light showers until the close of the month, when it rained rather heavily, 1.302 in. recorded on 28th, being the maximum fall; moderate winds and variable; hail on 27th.

GENERAL REMARKS.—Fine at most places in the North, with little rain and moderate winds prevailing from N.W., but wet dull weather with light winds in the South.

Land Transfer Act Notices.

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

Allotment 5 and part 6, Block IV., Township of Roslyn.—SYDNEY WALTER LODGE, Applicant. Occupied by John Waters. No. 3410.

Section 55, Block VI., Dunedin and East Taieri District. JOHN McDONALD, Applicant. Occupied by Alexander Mollison and James Duthie. No. 3411.

Allotments 1 and 3, Township of Sunnyside.—JOHN THOMAS WRIGHT, Applicant. Unoccupied. No. 3412.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 6th day of April, 1883, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

J. WOOD,

268 Deputy District Land Registrar.

TRANSMISSION No. 192.—MARY NICHOLS, of Dresden, Germany, Widow, PHILIP OAKDEN, of New South Wales, Sheepfarmer, and EDWIN JOHN SPENCE, of Dunedin, Merchant, Devisees under the will of CHARLES NICHOLS, late of Dunedin, Merchant, deceased, have applied to be registered Proprietors of Sections 5, 6, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 26, 28, 31, 32, 33, 35, 36, 37, 38, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, Block I., Lower Hawea District; Sections 27, 28, 29, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 45, 46, 47, 48, Block I., and Section 1, Block XVI., Tarras District, Register-books, Vol. xi., folios 170, 171; Vol. xvii., folio 37; Vol. xii., folio 12; Vol. lii., folio 21; Vol. lxiv., folio 298. Applicants will be registered accordingly, unless caveat be lodged in this office within one calendar month after the date of publication of this notice.

Dated this 6th day of April, 1883, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

J. WOOD,

273 Deputy District Land Registrar.

TRANSMISSION No. 195.—ALFRED HOGARTH GILL, of Waikouaiti, Gentleman, claiming as Executor of will of THOMAS SLATER PRATT, late of Christchurch, Journalist, deceased, has applied to be registered as Proprietor of Sections 14, 15, Block XII., Town of Palmerston; 9, 10, 11, Block II., Town of Hawksbury; 3, Block V., Town of Waikouaiti; and Allotments 5, 6, 25, 26, Block XII., Township of West Hawksbury; Register-book, Vol. v., folios 226, 231, 236, and Vol. viii., folio 91. Applicant will be registered accordingly, unless caveat be lodged in this office within one calendar month after the date of publication of this notice.

Dated this 6th day of April, 1883, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

J. WOOD,

274 Deputy District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same in each case on or before the 14th day of May next.

JANE SMITH.—Part of eastern portion of Allotment 13 of Section 10, Suburbs of Auckland. In occupation of — Brookes. 2021.

ROBERT KING.—Allotments 34 and 35 of Section 1, Town of Opotiki, containing 2 roods. In the occupation of Richard Wright. 2064.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 5th day of April, 1883, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

THEO. KISSLING,

270 District Land Registrar.

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

JOHN RUSSELL.—80 acres, being Section 8, Block VI., Hundred of New River. Occupied by Applicant. No. 1995.

THEOPHILUS HEALE.—2 roods, being Section 2, Block LVII., and Section 4, Block LXVI., Town of Invercargill. Unoccupied. Nos. 2010 and 2011.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 31st day of March, 1883, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

F. G. MORGAN,

269 District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions

of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one month from date of *Gazette* containing this notice.

4710. RICHARD MAY MORTEN and WILLIAM WHITE.—102 acres 3 roods 16 perches, Rural Sections 1361 and 1771, and parts of Rural Sections 271 and 368, Christchurch District. Occupied by Applicants.

5105. JAMES GAPE'S, WILLIAM BENJAMIN HOBBS, JOHN NICHOLAS MACHON, JOSEPH SEABORNE WILLIAMS, and DANIEL PINE.—12½ perches, part of Section 562, City of Christchurch. Occupied by Applicants.

5160. HANS KENNEDY.—50 acres, Rural Section 12626, Oxford District. Occupied by Applicant.

5161. RICHARD NANCARROW.—3 roods, part of Rural Section 79, Christchurch District (Borough of Sydenham). Unoccupied.

5162. WILLIAM JONES.— $\frac{9}{10}$ perch, part of Section 361, City of Christchurch. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 7th day of April, 1883, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

E. DENHAM,

272 Deputy District Land Registrar.

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

Name of Applicants: OLIVER SAMUEL, of New Plymouth, Solicitor, and FREDERIC SAMUEL, of Wellington, Civil Service Clerk. Area: 2 acres 1 rood 20 perches. Description: Part of Victoria Park, New Plymouth. Unoccupied.

Name of Applicant: JAMES CARTWRIGHT GEORGE, of New Plymouth, Builder. Area: 21½ perches. Description: Western half of Section 1393, New Plymouth. Occupant: — Norris, Compositor.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 6th day of April, 1883, at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth.

W. STUART,

271 District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 19th day of May, 1883.

1387. JOSEPH SAUNDERS.—Lot 8, Block III., Wellington Reclaimed Land. In occupation of Applicant.

1388. VINCENT POLLEXFEN CALMADY.—Section 1087, City of Wellington.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 11th day of April, 1883, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

GEO. B. DAVY,

278 District Land Registrar.

Mining Notices.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CONSTRUCT A WATER-RACE.

Ahaura, Nelson South-West Gold Fields,
19th March, 1883.

To the Mining Registrar at Ahaura.

TAKE notice that it is intended to construct a Water-race to divert and use water for driving machinery, commencing near a point in Callaghan's Creek, known as the Old Man Bluff, about one and a half miles above where the main Grey Valley Road crosses the said creek; 100 chains from commencement being through Crown lands and the remaining distance through the leasehold of the applicant, T. H. Garth, and terminating at my saw-mill, situated on Section No. 75, Block IV., Mawheranui Survey District.

The length of such race is one and a half miles or thereabouts, and its intended course is south-east and north-west.

The mean depth of such race is 2 feet, and the mean breadth is 1 foot 6 inches; and it is proposed to divert three Government-heads of water.

THOMAS HENRY GARTH.

Any person objecting to the granting of this application must lodge his objection in writing at the Mining Registrar's Office at Ahaura within forty-two clear days from the date hereof.

Hearing at 10 o'clock on the 1st May, 1883.

THOS. L. SHEPHERD,

Mining Registrar's Office, 19th March, 1883. 263

GOLDEN LINK QUARTZ-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED), SERPENTINE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Office of the above-named Company is removed from Rattray Street to 95, Princes Street, Dunedin; and that WILLIAM HENRY CHURTON is Legal Manager.

H. HEIDMANN, } Directors.
F. W. HOFFMANN, }

Dunedin, 9th April, 1883. 277

ALBION GOLD-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

At a meeting of Directors held at the office of the Company this day, a call (the eighteenth) of Sixpence per Share was struck, and such call was ordered to be made payable to the Manager, at the Company's office, Lambton Quay, on Wednesday, the 11th day of April, 1883.

WILLIAM McLEAN, Manager.

Wellington, 3rd April, 1883. 266

BRUCE COAL COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. JOHN HOLLICK has been appointed Manager of the Company; and that the Office of the Company is situated in Union Street, Milton.

Given under our hands and the seal of the Company, this 26th day of March, 1883.

ROBERT MURRAY, } Directors.
WILLIAM McLEAN, }

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

1. The name of the Company is to be the Saddle Hill Gold-Mining Company (Limited).
2. The place of operations is at Saddle Hill, near Dunedin, in the Provincial District of Otago, in the Colony of New Zealand.
3. The registered office of the Company will be situated in the Octagon, in Dunedin aforesaid.
4. The nominal capital of the Company is one hundred thousand pounds, in twenty thousand shares of five pounds each.
5. The number of shares subscribed for is twenty thousand, being not less than two-thirds of the entire number of shares in the Company.
6. The number of paid-up shares is nil.
7. The amount already paid up is nil.
8. The name of the Manager is Peter Francis Daniel.
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.
Charles Ford, Dunedin, Engineer	5,000
Charles Lewellyn Watt, Dunedin, Engineer	4,900
Isaac Newton Watt, Dunedin, Gentleman	100
Matthew Gawthorp Heeles, Dunedin, Warehouseman	2,500
Frederick Fitchett, Dunedin, Solicitor	100
James Massey Palmerston, Sheepfarmer	2,500
Peter Francis Daniel, Dunedin, Mining Student	4,900
	20,000

Dated this 3rd day of April, 1883.

PETER F. DANIEL,
Manager.

Witness to signature—James R. Thornton, Law Student, Dunedin.

I, Peter Francis Daniel, of Dunedin, in the Provincial District of Otago, in the Colony of New Zealand, Mining Student, 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."

PETER F. DANIEL.

Taken before me, this 3rd day of April, 1883—George Turnbull, J.P. 276

Private Advertisements.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber, ALEXANDER GLEN COLLINS, retired, as at the 30th November, 1882, from, and ceased to have any interest in, the Company of Collins Brothers and Company, Publishers, Stationers, and Bookbinders, carrying on business at Sydney, New South Wales, Melbourne, Victoria, and at Auckland and elsewhere in New Zealand, of which firm he and the other subscribers were the sole partners.

ALEXANDER GLEN COLLINS.
WILLIAM COLLINS, JUN.
ALEXANDER DONALD.

Witnesses to the signature of Alexander Glen Collins—Noah Palmer, Butler, 24, Kensington Gate, London; Herman Larsen, Courier, 25, Kensington Gate, London.

Witnesses to the signatures of William Collins, jun., and Alexander Donald—George Brown, Cashier, at William Collins, Sons, and Co. (Limited), 139, Stirling Road, Glasgow; Hugh Allan, Clerk, at William Collins, Sons, and Co. (Limited), 139, Stirling Road, Glasgow. 275

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