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*Districts constituted under "The Marriage Act, 1880."*

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in the Governor by "The Marriage Act, 1880," I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby abolish the existing marriage district known as the Hawera District; and do proclaim and declare that the territory heretofore comprised within the said district is hereby divided anew into two marriage districts, the names and boundaries whereof shall be as follow:—

WAIMATE PLAIN DISTRICT.

All that area in the County of Hawera, bounded towards the North-east and South-east by a right line from the summit of Mount Egmont to the source of the Waingongoro River, and by that river to the ocean; towards the South by the sea; and towards the West by the right bank of the Oeo River and a right line from its source to the summit of Mount Egmont, the place of commencement.

HAWERA DISTRICT.

All that area in the County of Hawera, bounded towards the North and East by a right line from the summit of Mount Egmont to the source of the Patea River, and by the left bank of that river to the confiscation boundary; thence towards the South-east by a right line to the source of the Manawapou River, and by that river to the sea; towards the South-west by the sea; and towards the West and again towards the South-west by the Waimate Plain District, hereinafore described, to the summit of Mount Egmont, the place of commencement.

And I hereby declare that this Proclamation shall come into operation on the first day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

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

THOMAS DICK.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Districts constituted under "The Registration of Births and Deaths Act, 1875."*

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in the Governor by "The Registration of Births and Deaths Act, 1875," I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby abolish the existing registration district known as the Hawera District; and do proclaim and declare that the territory heretofore comprised within the said district is hereby divided anew into two registration districts, the names whereof shall be the Waimate Plain and Hawera Districts, and the boundaries whereof shall be coterminous with the boundaries of the marriage districts bearing the same names as are set forth in a Proclamation of even date herewith made under the provisions of "The Marriage Act, 1880."

And I hereby declare that this Proclamation shall come into operation on the first day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

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

THOMAS DICK.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Land taken for Further Portion of Foxton-New Plymouth Railway (Patea Station Water Supply).*

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken for further portion of the Foxton-New Plymouth Railway, namely, Patea Station water supply:

And whereas all conditions precedent required by law to be observed and performed prior to the taking of such land in the manner hereby provided have been observed and performed:

Now, therefore, I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by section one hundred and thirty of "The Public Works Act, 1882," and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in that behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is taken for the further portion of the said line of railway hereinbefore specified.

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 1 acre 3 roods 26 perches, situate in the Survey District of Carlyle, Provincial District of Taranaki, being portion of Section No. 107, Patea District, commencing at a point 570 links from the north-west corner of Section No. 107, on a bearing of 203° 3'. Bounded—North-easterly by a line, 912 links; South-easterly by a line, 250 links; South-westerly by a line, 250 links; North-westerly by a line, 50 links; South-westerly by a line, 627 links; North-easterly by a public road to commencing point, 203 links: be all the above areas and linkages either more or less; as the same is more particularly delineated upon the plan marked P.W.D. 10864, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works at Wellington.

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

EDWIN MITCHELSON,  
Minister for Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Notice under "The Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1883."

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

#### A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is vested in a certain aboriginal native of New Zealand, subject to certain restrictions on the alienation of such land, and application has been made for the removal of such restrictions:

It is hereby notified that it is the intention of His Excellency the Governor, immediately after the expiration of sixty days from the publication of this notice in the *Gazette* and in the *Kahiti*, to remove the said restrictions on the alienation of the said land.

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

JOHN BRYCE,  
Minister for Native Affairs.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece of land containing 407 acres 2 roods 31 perches, more or less, being Section No. 412 on the plan of Block XI., in the Wairoa Survey District, in the Provincial District of Wellington.

Notice under "The Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1883."

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

#### A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is vested in a certain aboriginal native of New Zealand, subject to certain restrictions on the alienation of such land, and application has been made for the removal of such restrictions:

It is hereby notified that it is the intention of His Excellency the Governor, immediately after the expiration of sixty days from the publication of this notice in the *Gazette* and in the *Kahiti*, to remove the said restrictions on the alienation of the said land.

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

JOHN BRYCE,  
Minister for Native Affairs.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece of land situated in the Parish of Waiohaki, containing 20 acres, more or less, being Allotment No. 75, and being the whole of the land comprised in Vol. xviii., folio 143, of the Register-book.

Notice under "The Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1883."

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

#### A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the lands described in the Schedule hereto are vested in certain aboriginal natives of New Zealand, subject to certain restrictions on the alienation of such land, and application has been made for the removal of such restrictions:

It is hereby notified that it is the intention of His Excellency the Governor, immediately after the expiration of sixty days from the publication of this notice in the *Gazette* and in the *Kahiti*, to remove the said restrictions on the alienation of the said lands.

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

JOHN BRYCE,  
Minister for Native Affairs.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land containing 3 roods 9 perches, more or less, situated in the County of Hutt, and being portion of the block called Te Korokoro South. Bounded on the East by Native land, 252 links; on the South by Native land, 406 links; on the North-west by other part of the said block, 224.5 links; and towards the North-east by portion of the block called Te Korokoro North, 321.5 links.

All that parcel of land containing 1 acre 1 rood 16 perches, more or less, situated in the County of Hutt, and being portion of the block called Te Korokoro North. Bounded towards the East by Native land, 806 links; towards the South-west by portion of the block called Te Korokoro South, 321.5 links; towards the North-west and West by other portions of the same block, Te Korokoro North, 694.1 links and 40 links; and towards the North by a stream, 60 links.

Certain portions of land, forming together all that piece of land situated in the Hutt District, containing 10 acres 3

roods 5 perches, more or less. Commencing at the Korokoro Trigonometrical Station, and bounded thence generally North-westerly, North-easterly, and Westerly by lines, 431.4 links, 406 links, 1058 links, 700 links, 204.2 links, 181 links, and 208 links; thence North-easterly by a line, 255 links; thence generally Easterly, South-easterly, Easterly, Northerly, Southerly, and Easterly by lines, 350 links, 260 links, 1118.2 links, 146.8 links, 607.2 links, 38.8 links, and 132.3 links; thence Southerly by the Hutt Road, 517.5 links and 312.4 links; thence South-westerly to the commencing-point, 194.7 links.

Notice under "The Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1883."

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is vested in certain aboriginal natives of New Zealand, subject to certain restrictions on the alienation of such land, and application has been made for the removal of such restrictions:

It is hereby notified that it is the intention of His Excellency the Governor, immediately after the expiration of sixty days from the publication of this notice in the *Gazette* and in the *Kahiti*, to remove the said restrictions on the alienation of the said land.

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

JOHN BRYCE,  
Minister for Native Affairs.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 187 acres 3 roods 32 perches, more or less, being the block of land called or known as the Whawhataiwahine Block, situated in the District of Wairarapa.

Notice under "The Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1883."

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is vested in certain aboriginal natives of New Zealand, subject to certain restrictions on the alienation of such land, and application has been made for the removal of such restrictions:

It is hereby notified that it is the intention of His Excellency the Governor, immediately after the expiration of sixty days from the publication of this notice in the *Gazette* and in the *Kahiti*, to remove the said restrictions on the alienation of the said land.

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

JOHN BRYCE,  
Minister for Native Affairs.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land situated in the Provincial District of Wellington, containing by admeasurement 400 acres, more or less, and being Section No. 386 on the plan of Block IX., in the Wairoa Survey District.

Notice under "The Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1883."

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the lands described in the Schedule hereto are vested in certain aboriginal natives of New Zealand, subject to certain restrictions on the alienation of such land, and application has been made for the removal of such restrictions:

It is hereby notified that it is the intention of His Excellency the Governor, immediately after the expiration of sixty days from the publication of this notice in the *Gazette* and in the *Kahiti*, to remove the said restrictions on the alienation of the said land.

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

JOHN BRYCE,  
Minister for Native Affairs.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece of land situated in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing 4 acres, more or less, situated in the Parish of Waiotahi, in the Whakatane Survey District, and being Allotment No. 280, and also being the whole of the land comprised in the Crown grant recorded in Volume xviii., folio 187, of the Register-book at Auckland.

All that piece of land situated in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing 5 acres and 3 roods, more or less, situated in the Parish of Waiotahi, in the Whakatane Survey District, being Allotment No. 285, and being the whole of the land comprised in the Crown grant recorded in Volume xviii., folio 195, of the Register-book at Auckland.

Notice under "The Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1883."

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is vested in a certain half-caste native of New Zealand, subject to certain restrictions on the alienation of such land, and application has been made for the removal of such restrictions:

It is hereby notified that it is the intention of His Excellency the Governor, immediately after the expiration of sixty days from the publication of this notice in the *Gazette* and in the *Kahiti*, to remove the said restrictions on the alienation of the said land.

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

JOHN BRYCE,  
Minister for Native Affairs.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece of land situated in the Hutt District, containing 10 acres 1 rood, more or less, being Subdivision No. 14 of Section No. 58 on the plan of the Hutt District, and being the whole of the land comprised in certificate of title, Vol. xxxi., folio 220.

Notice under "The Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1883."

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is vested in certain aboriginal natives of New Zealand, subject to certain restrictions on the alienation of such land, and application has been made for the removal of such restrictions:

It is hereby notified that it is the intention of His Excellency the Governor, immediately after the expiration of sixty days from the publication of this notice in the *Gazette* and in the *Kahiti*, to remove the said restrictions on the alienation of the said land.

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

JOHN BRYCE,  
Minister for Native Affairs.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece of land situated in the Provincial District of Wellington, containing 2 acres 3 roods 5 perches, more or less, situate in the District of Wellington, being called or known by the name of Orangikaupapa No. 7, and numbered 3338 and being the land comprised in Crown-grant, Register-book, Vol. xxi., folio 231.

Notice under "The Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1883."

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is vested in certain aboriginal natives of New Zealand, subject to certain restrictions on the alienation of such land, and application has been made for the removal of such restrictions:

It is hereby notified that it is the intention of His Excellency the Governor, immediately after the expiration of sixty days from the publication of this notice in the *Gazette* and in the *Kahiti*, to remove the said restrictions on the alienation of the said land.

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

JOHN BRYCE,  
Minister for Native Affairs.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land situated in the Provincial District of Wellington, containing by admeasurement 1,023 acres 2 roods, more or less, and being a portion of Native Section No. 149 on the plan of the Township of Sandon, in the Manawatu District, and known by the name of the Kawakawa Reserve.

Notice under "The Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1883."

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is vested in certain aboriginal natives of New Zealand,

subject to certain restrictions on the alienation of such land, and application has been made for the removal of such restrictions:

It is hereby notified that it is the intention of His Excellency the Governor, immediately after the expiration of sixty days from the publication of this notice in the *Gazette* and in the *Kahiti*, to remove the said restrictions on the alienation of the said land.

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

JOHN BRYCE,  
Minister for Native Affairs.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece of land situated in the Te Aroha Survey District, containing 2 roods, more or less, being part of Section No. 17 of Block IX. on the map of Te Aroha Survey District, and part of the land described in Vol. xxiv., folio 166, of the Register-book, which said piece of land intended to be conveyed is part of Block IX. on the map of the Te Aroha Gold Field Town; and is bounded towards the North-east by Lower Street, 150 links; towards the South-east by Bridge Street, 333.2 links; towards the South-west by Church Street, 150 links; and towards the North-west by other part of said Block IX. on said map, 333.2 links.

Notice under "The Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1883."

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is vested in certain aboriginal natives of New Zealand, subject to certain restrictions on the alienation of such land, and application has been made for the removal of such restrictions:

It is hereby notified that it is the intention of His Excellency the Governor, immediately after the expiration of sixty days from the publication of this notice in the *Gazette* and in the *Kahiti*, to remove the said restrictions on the alienation of the said land.

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

JOHN BRYCE,  
Minister for Native Affairs.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land situated in the Provincial District of Wellington, containing by admeasurement 400 acres, more or less, and being Section No. 387 on the plan of Block IX., in the Wairoa Survey District.

Native Land taken for Portion of Puatahi-West Coast Road.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,  
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this twenty-fifth day of April, 1884.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE THE MINISTER FOR NATIVE AFFAIRS  
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in him by "The Public Works Act, 1882," and of all other

powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency Sir William Francis Drummond Jervis, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby order that the Government work known as the portion of the Puatahi-West Coast Road shall and may be constructed on or through the parcel of land more particularly described in the Schedule hereto, and delineated in the plan marked P.W.D. 11302, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, in the said colony.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that road-line, of an average width of 100 links, intersecting the Puatahi Native Reserve, Hoteo Block, Tauhoa Survey District, Provincial District of Auckland, and containing approximately 13 acres 2 roods, more or less, commencing at a point on the south-eastern boundary of the Puatahi Native Reserve aforesaid distant 5150 links from the Hoteo River, and running thence in a north-westerly direction, 2500 links; thence running in a north-easterly direction through the Puatahi Native Settlement, 11000 links, to the Hoteo Bridge: be all the above areas and linkages either more or less; as the same is more particularly delineated upon the plan marked P.W.D. 11302, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Vaccination Districts constituted.*

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,  
Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in the Governor by "The Public Health Act, 1876," I, William Francis Drummond Jervis, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby abolish the existing vaccination district known as the Hawera District; and do declare that the territory heretofore comprised within the said district is hereby divided anew into two vaccination districts, the names whereof shall be the Waimate Plain and Hawera Districts, and the boundaries whereof shall be coterminous with the boundaries of the marriage districts bearing the same names as are set forth in a Proclamation of even date herewith made under the provisions of "The Marriage Act, 1880."

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this sixth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

THOMAS DICK.

*Notification that Her Majesty has relinquished Negotiations in respect of certain Native Lands in the North Island.*

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,  
Governor.

IN pursuance of the provisions of "The Government Native Land Purchases Act, 1877," and "The Government Native Land Purchases Act Amendment Act, 1878," it is hereby notified that Her Majesty the Queen has relinquished negotiations in respect of the blocks of Native land in the North Island which are more particularly described and mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

PUTAUAKI No. 2.

ALL those two parcels of land in the District of Bay of Plenty, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known as Putauaki No. 2, containing together by admeasurement 2,416 acres, more or less: the northern portion containing 2,116 acres; bounded towards the North by the Tarawera River and by the Parish of Matata along the confiscation boundary-line, 4875 links, 14096 links, and 5824 links; towards the East and South-east by the Matahina No. 1 Block, 2239 links, 4004 links, and 8588 links; and towards the South-west by the Putauaki No. 1 Block, 24100 links: the southern portion containing 300 acres; bounded towards the North by the Putauaki No. 1 Block, 7227 links; towards the South-east by the Matahina No. 1 Block, 12100 links; towards the West and South-west by the Pokohu No. 1 Block, 7432 links and 4530 links.

MANAWATU-KUKUTAUAKI No. 4D.

All that parcel of land in the District of Otaki, in the Provincial District of Wellington, containing by admeasurement 987 acres, more or less, being the portion of the Manawatu-Kukutauaki No. 4D Block excepted from sale to the Crown, as shown by the plan in the Survey Office, Wellington.

WHAKAMARU-MAUNGAITI.

All that parcel of land at Patetere, in the District of Waikato, in the Provincial District of Auckland, known by the name of Whakamaru-Maungaiti, containing by admeasurement 95,000 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North-east and North by the Tokoroa No. 1, Tokoroa No. 2, and Tikorangi Blocks, 22669 links, 11644 links, 47299 links, 36091 links, and 25900 links; towards the East by the Raho-paka and Taahunaatara Streams and by the Rotomahana-Parekarangi Block, 24894 links, 19671 links, and 6533 links; towards the South by the Waikato River; and towards the West and North-west by the Waikato River aforesaid, by the Kopokoratu Stream, and by the Maraetai Block, 11855 links, 9497 links, 13907 links, 9807 links, and 3016 links.

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

JOHN BRYCE.

*Registrar of Electors for District of Waikouaiti appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 3rd June, 1884.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN SMITH, Esq.,

to be the Registrar of Electors, under "The Registration of Electors Act, 1879," for the Electoral District of Waikouaiti, vice G. F. Hewlings, Esq. Appointment to date from the 1st June, 1884.

THOMAS DICK.

*Returning Officer for District of Waikouaiti appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 3rd June, 1884.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN SMITH, Esq.,

to be the Returning Officer, under "The Regulation of Elections Act, 1881," for the Electoral District of Waikouaiti, vice G. F. Hewlings, Esq.

THOMAS DICK.

*Judge of Assessment Court for Hastings Town District, County of Hawke's Bay, appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 6th June, 1884.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

GEORGE AUGUSTUS PREECE, Esq., R.M.,

to be the Judge of the Assessment Court, under "The Rating Act, 1876," and the Acts amending the same, for the Town District of Hastings.

THOMAS DICK.

*Rangers under "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," appointed, Otago.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 6th June, 1884.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES McCORMICK,  
HENRY McCORMICK, and  
JOHN STRONACH

to be Rangers under "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," within the Otago District.

THOMAS DICK.

*Officers under "The Salmon and Trout Act, 1867," appointed, Otago.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 6th June, 1884.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES McCORMICK,  
HENRY McCORMICK, and  
JOHN STRONACH

to be Officers, under "The Salmon and Trout Act, 1867," for the management and protection of salmon and trout in the Provincial District of Otago.

THOMAS DICK.

*Registrar of Electors for Districts of Auckland North, &c., appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 6th June, 1884.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

SAMUEL YEOMAN COLLINS, Esq.,  
to be the Registrar of Electors, under "The Registration of Electors Act, 1879," for the Electoral Districts of Auckland North, Auckland West, Auckland East, Newton, Parnell, Eden, and Manukau, *vice* T. Cotter, Esq., resigned. Appointment to date from the 1st June, 1884.

THOMAS DICK.

*Deputy Registrar of Marriages, &c., appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 6th June, 1884.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM THOMAS WYATT  
to be the Deputy of the Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the District of Wellington.

THOMAS DICK.

*Member of Nelson Hospital Committee appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 10th June, 1884.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES SCLANDERS, Esq.,  
to be a Member of the Committee for the management of the Nelson Hospital, *vice* C. E. Bunny, Esq., resigned.

THOMAS DICK.

*Members of Licensing Committee appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 11th June, 1884.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

THOMAS FOSTER and  
PATRICK GREER  
to be Members of the Licensing Committee for the District of Puketoi, *vice* C. Dyke, resigned, and M. Whelan, deceased.  
EDWD. T. CONOLLY.

*Harbourmaster, Greymouth, appointed.*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 9th June, 1884.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

THOMAS TURNBULL  
to be Harbourmaster at the Port of Greymouth, *vice* P. J. Allardyce, resigned.

H. A. ATKINSON.

*Manager of Private Industrial School appointed.*

Education Department,  
Wellington, 4th June, 1884.

PURSUANT to section 11 of "The Industrial Schools Act, 1882,"

The Rev. JOHN McNAMARA  
has been approved of as Manager of St. Joseph's Providence School in Wellington.

THOMAS DICK.

*Member of Land Board appointed.*

General Crown Lands Office,  
Wellington, 11th June, 1884.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ROBERT WELLWOOD, Esq.,  
to be a Member of the Land Board for the Land District of Hawke's Bay. Date of appointment, 4th June, 1884.  
WM. ROLLESTON,  
Minister of Lands.

*Justice of the Peace resigned.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 11th June, 1884.

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

JAMES McDONALD, Esq.,

of Motueka, of his appointment as a Justice of the Peace for the colony.

EDWD. T. CONOLLY.

*Assistant Geologist resigned.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 10th June, 1884.

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

SAMUEL HERBERT COX, Esq.,  
of his office of Assistant Geologist. Resignation to date from the 5th June, 1884.

THOMAS DICK.

*Resignation accepted.*

General Crown Lands Office,  
Wellington, 11th June, 1884.

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

J. B. POYNTER, Esq.,  
as a Member of the Makaraka and Patutahi Domain Boards, and as a Trustee for the Makaraka Cemetery.  
WM. ROLLESTON,  
Minister of Lands.

*Letters of Naturalisation issued.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 10th June, 1884.

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

Name.	Occupation.	Residence.
Carl Petterson ..	Farmer ..	Makaretu, County of Waipawa.
Anders Bergersen ..	Farmer ..	Makaretu, County of Waipawa.
Carelius Larsen ..	Farmer ..	Makaretu, County of Waipawa.
Christian Christensen	Farmer ..	Norsewood, County of Waipawa.
Ching Ah Sam ..	Cook ..	Helensville, County of Waitemata.
Niels Paulsen ..	Gold-miner ..	Kumara.
Andreas Martin Sorensen	Gold-miner ..	Dillman's, Kumara
Henning Bünz ..	Gold-miner ..	Humphry's Gully, Kumara.
Hans Gloy ..	Gold-miner ..	Kumara.
Friedrich Bruhn ..	Gold-miner ..	Kumara.
Peter Christensen Sanders	Carpenter ..	Norsewood, County of Waipawa.
Carl Erickson ..	Labourer ..	Carterton.
Hans Conradsen ..	Gardener ..	Carterton.
Otto Bernardo Hüg ..	Medical clairvoyant, herbalist	Christchurch.
Jamie Chow Yee ..	Cook ..	Lawrence.
Thomas Tilgaard Lohmann	Publican ..	Dillmanstown.
John Nearing ..	Master mariner	Auckland.
Vilhelm Rudolph Jensen	Bootmaker ..	Norsewood.
Julius Heyne ..	Dealer ..	Amberley.
Johan Christian Wilhelm Wahl	Mill-hand ..	Waipukurau.
Per August Erickson ..	Wheelwright..	Carterton.

THOMAS DICK.

*Application for Registration of Two Trade Marks.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 9th June, 1884.

NOTICE is hereby given that Messrs. HAGGITT BROTHERS and BRENT, of Dunedin, in the Colony of New Zealand, Solicitors, have applied, on behalf of the NEW ZEALAND HARDWARE COMPANY, LIMITED, to register, under "The Trade Marks Act, 1866," the trade marks of which the following is a description:—

*Description of Trade Mark No. 1.*

A round metal label with the word "Eel" over the word "Steel" in capital letters stamped or impressed in an inner circle, with the figure of an eel in coils stamped or impressed in the outer circle.

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

Oval and round steel fencing-wire.

*Description of Trade Mark No. 2.*

The representation of a fern tree, with the words "Fern Tree" in capital letters underneath.

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

Galvanized sheet iron and iron fencing-wire.

THOMAS DICK,  
Colonial Secretary and Registrar of Trade Marks.

*Application for Registration of a Trade Mark.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 9th June, 1884.

NOTICE is hereby given that ALEXANDER BATHGATE, of Dunedin, in the Colony of New Zealand, Solicitor, has applied, on behalf of ALEXANDER MCGREGOR, of Dunedin aforesaid, Spirit Merchant, to register, under "The Trade Marks Act, 1866," the trade mark of which the following is a description:—

*Description of Trade Mark.*

A picture representing a mountain grouse or ptarmigan, in full winter plumage, perched on a rock-boulder in the foreground of a scene representing the Ben Macdhui Mountains in Scotland, having "trade-mark" printed across the boulder, behind which are a lake and snow-covered mountains, having the words "Ben Macdhui" printed across them. At the foot of the picture are printed the words "Highland Whisky."

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

Whisky.

THOMAS DICK,  
Colonial Secretary and Registrar of Trade Marks.

*Notice to Mariners, No. 21 of 1884.*

WAIMAKARIRI RIVER, EAST COAST, MIDDLE ISLAND.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, N.Z., 3rd June, 1884.

THE Waimakariri Harbour Board report that there is 10 feet of water on the bar at high-water neap, and about 11 feet 6 inches at high-water spring tides; also that the flagstaff has been removed about three-quarters of a mile down the river, and now stands on the South Spit, at the mouth of the river, exactly opposite the entrance. On it are shown the bar and tidal signals, as provided in the New Zealand Harbour Regulations, attention to which while crossing the bar is necessary. The channel up the river is now marked by buoys instead of stakes: red to be kept on the starboard and black on the port hand.

H. A. ATKINSON.

*Notice to Mariners, No. 22 of 1884.*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 10th June, 1884.

THE following Notices to Mariners, received from the Portmaster, Brisbane, are published for general information.

H. A. ATKINSON.

*ENTRANCE TO DAINTREE RIVER.*

NOTICE is hereby given that the recent freshes in the Daintree River have so altered the channel across the bar, that the leading beacons on the shore have been moved 100 feet to the southward, being in line with the fairway and the black buoys.

Vessels entering must pass the black buoy close to on the port hand. The depth of water on the bar at low-water springs is now only from 3 to 4 feet.

G. P. HEATH, Commander, R.N.,  
Portmaster.

Department of Ports and Harbours,  
Brisbane, 27th May, 1884.

*DISCONTINUANCE OF LIGHT AT LIGHTSHIP, BRISBANE BAR, AND EXHIBITION OF LIGHT AND TIDAL SIGNALS FROM THE PILE LIGHTHOUSE.*

NOTICE is hereby given that, on or about the 31st instant, the lightship will be removed from her present position off the bar of the Brisbane River, and that the light and the tidal signals will after that time be shown from the Pile Lighthouse.

The lighthouse stands in 16 feet at low water, and 450 feet eastward from the line of leading lights through the outer cutting.

The light exhibited from the central lantern will be Dioptric of the 4th Order, occulting during the flood tide, and fixed during the ebb. It will be seen as a red light by vessels passing through the outer cutting, and between the bearings of N. by W.  $\frac{1}{2}$  W. and S. by E.  $\frac{1}{2}$  E. From S. by E.  $\frac{1}{2}$  E. to W.S.W. westerly it will appear as a white light. Between the bearings of W.S.W. westerly and W. by N.  $\frac{1}{2}$  N. northerly it will be seen as a red light. From a W. by N.  $\frac{1}{2}$  N. northerly to N.W. by W.  $\frac{1}{2}$  W. bearing it will be again seen as a white light, and from the southward of the latter bearing the light will be obscured.

In the direction of Cowan Cowan the white light will be intensified by a sector of 45° of light—not otherwise required—condensed into a beam of 10°.

The red sector facing to the eastward covers Mud Island and the reefs, and the shoal ground to the northward, so that when passing in the white sectors, north or south of the island, vessels will be in deep water.

While within the white sector to the southward of the red light vessels will be in the fairway between St. Helena and Mud Islands, and clear of the foul ground on either hand.

The occulting light will be obscured for two seconds at intervals of ten seconds.

The tidal signals by day will be made from the W.N.W. and E.S.E. corners of the lighthouse, and at night by lights from 6th Order Dioptric apparatus shown from similar positions, the code used being as follows:—

Day Signals.	Depth in Cutting.	Night Signals.
Flag, east ... ..	14	White, east.
Flag, west ... ..	14½	White, west.
Ball, east ... ..	15	Red, east.
Ball, west ... ..	15½	Red, west.
Cone, east ... ..	16	Green, east.
Cone, west ... ..	16½	Green, west.
Inverted cone, east ... ..	17	White, east; red, west.
Inverted cone, west ... ..	17½	White, west; red, east.
Ball, east; cone, west ... ..	18	Red, east; green, west.
Ball, west; cone, east ... ..	18½	Red, west; green, east.
Ball, east; inverted cone, west ... ..	19	Green, east; white, west.
Ball, west; inverted cone, east ... ..	19½	Green, west; white, east.
Cone, east; inverted cone, west ... ..	20	White, east; white, west.
Cone, west; inverted cone, east ... ..	20½	Red, east; red, west.
Cone, east; cone, west ... ..	21	Green, east; green, west.
Inverted cone, east; inverted cone, west ... ..	21½	Two white vertical, west.
Ball, east; ball, west ... ..	22	White over red, west.
Flag, east; flag, west ... ..	22½	White over green, west.

During the flood-tide a red flag will be kept flying from a staff on the lantern platform.

The depths given represent the draft at which a vessel may safely enter the river.

Vessels entering the river are to bring into line the leading lighthouses for crossing the bar before reaching the Pile Lighthouse, and vessels outward-bound are not to leave the line until the Pile Lighthouse is passed.

G. P. HEATH, Commander, R.N.,  
Portmaster.

Department of Ports and Harbours,  
Brisbane, 21st May, 1884.

*Authority to frank.*

General Post Office,  
Wellington, 5th June, 1884.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to authorize

The PUBLIC TRUSTEE

to frank, free from the prepayment of postage, letters and parcels on the public service.

R. OLIVER,  
Postmaster-General.

*Money Order and Savings Bank Office closed.*

General Post Office,  
Wellington, 3rd June, 1884.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the Money Order and Savings Bank Office at PAHAUTANUI (Chief Office, Wellington) will be closed on the 7th instant.

W. GRAY,  
Secretary.

*Officiating Ministers for 1884.—Notice No. 12.*

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 9th June, 1884.

PURSUANT to the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, passed in the forty-fourth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, and intitled "The Marriage Act, 1880," the following name of an officiat-

ing Minister within the meaning of the said Act is published for general information:—

*Congregational Independents.*

The Reverend Frank Seth-Smith.

E. J. VON DADELSZEN,  
Deputy Registrar-General.

*Branch of Friendly Society registered.*

Friendly Societies' Registry Office,  
Wellington, 9th June, 1884.

THE Court Woodville, situated at Woodville, is registered as a Branch, No. 16, of the Wellington District Ancient Order of Foresters' Friendly Society, under "The Friendly Societies Act, 1882," this 9th day of June, 1884.

F. W. FRANKLAND,  
Acting Registrar.

*Application for a Patent.*

Patent Office,  
Wellington, 7th June, 1884.

PATENT for an Invention for a Compound Shifting Gear for Double-furrow Ploughs.

JOHN DOUGLASS, of Hampden, Otago, New Zealand, Blacksmith, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Tuesday, the 9th day of September next, at 11 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 25th day of August 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. 1133.

*Application for a Patent.*

Patent Office,  
Wellington, 7th June, 1884.

PATENT for the New Zealand Eureka Knife-polish. THOMAS HAYCOCK, of Richmond, Nelson, New Zealand, Manufacturer, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Thursday, the 11th day of September next, at 11 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 27th day of August 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. 1134.

*Application for a Patent.*

Patent Office,  
Wellington, 9th June, 1884.

PATENT for an Invention for packing and preserving Paste-blackening.

CHARLES WILLIAMS, of Auckland, New Zealand, Manufacturer of Grocers' Sundries, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Thursday, the 11th day of September next, at 11 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 27th day of August 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. 1135.

*Application for a Patent.*

Patent Office,  
Wellington, 9th June, 1884.

PATENT for an Invention for hermetically closing Tin Boxes with the Lid, without soldering.

ROBERT FERGUS SMITH, Painter, and JOHN EUSTACE, Tinsmith, both of Dunedin, New Zealand, have deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Thursday, the 11th day of September next, at 12 o'clock noon, 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 27th day of August 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. 1136.

*Application for a Patent.*

Patent Office,  
Wellington, 10th June, 1884.

PATENT for an Invention for fixing and securing Barbed or other Wire Fencing to Posts or Standards, and entitled "Wilson's Wire-clasp."

EDWARD WILSON, of Dunedin, New Zealand, Engineer, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Thursday, the 11th day of September next, at 12 o'clock noon, 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 27th day of August 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. 1137.

*Application for a Patent.*

Patent Office,  
Wellington, 10th June, 1884.

PATENT for an Improvement in Amalgamators.

WILLIAM EDWARD BARRY, of Narrandera, New South Wales, Miner, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Tuesday, the 16th day of September next, at 11 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 1st day of September 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. 1138.

*Application for a Patent.*

Patent Office,  
Wellington, 10th June, 1884.

PATENT for Improvements in Railway Cars or Wagons.

CARSON WOODS, of No. 253, George Street, Sydney, New South Wales, Importer, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Tuesday, the 16th day of September next, at 11 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 1st day of September 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. 1139.

*Application for a Patent.*

Patent Office,  
Wellington, 10th June, 1884.

PATENT for Improvements in Telegraph-posts.

JOHN MACDONALD, of Bell's Chambers, Pitt Street, Sydney, New South Wales, Agent, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Tuesday, the 16th day of September next, at 11 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 1st day of September 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. 1140.

*Application for a Patent.*

Patent Office,  
Wellington, 11th June, 1884.

PATENT for a Grain-drying Apparatus, automatic in operation.

JAMES BRUCE, of Timaru, New Zealand, Millwright and Engineer, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Tuesday, the 16th day of September next, at 12 o'clock noon, 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 1st day of September 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. 1141.



**Gold Fields Notices.**

*Gold-Mining Lease cancelled.*

Mines Department,  
Wellington, 7th June, 1884.

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

Richard James Tonks; Section 6, Block XIV., Waiwhero Survey District. No. 1172.

WM. ROLLESTON,  
Minister of Mines.

*Gold-Mining Lease to be granted.*

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

Objections to the granting of such lease, stating the grounds of objection, must be made in writing, and lodged with the Warden at Collingwood on or before the 26th day of June, 1884.

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

**SCHEDULE.**

APPLICANT: Henry Hammersley Travers. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "Lord Raglan Gold-Mining Company (Limited)." 16 acres, between the south-west side of the Anatori Company's ground and the southern boundary of the Golden Ridge and Morning Star Companies, in the West Wanganui Mining District.

Given under my hand, at Nelson, this ninth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

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

*Forfeiture of Pastoral License.*

Crown Lands Office,  
Napier, 5th June, 1884.

NOTICE is hereby given that Renewal License No. 4, for the occupation for pastoral purposes of 19,500 acres of Crown lands in the Kaweka and Kuripapanga Survey districts, has been forfeited for the non-payment of the rent for the year ending the 31st December, 1883.

HORACE BAKER,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Tenders for Purchase of Steam-engine and Rock-drill.*

WRITTEN tenders will be received up to the 31st December, 1884, for the purchase of a new portable steam-engine and diamond rock-drill, with bits 2 inches in diameter, 2,000 feet of rods, and all necessary gearing for working the same, to bore at any angle. Lately imported from America, at the cost of £2,160.

For further particulars apply to the Chairman of the Inangahua County Council, Reefton.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

PATRICK BRENNAN,  
Chairman, Inangahua County Council.

Reefton, 29th May, 1884.

**Crown Lands Notices.**

*Sale of Crown Lands, Westport.*

Crown Lands Office,  
Nelson, 3rd May, 1884.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned allotments of Crown lands will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Courthouse, Westport, on Tuesday, the 17th June, at 11 o'clock a.m.

One-fourth of the purchase-money to be paid at the time of sale, the remainder within one calendar month, or deposit forfeited.

ALFRED GREENFIELD,  
Commissioner.

**SCHEDULE.**

TOWN OF WESTPORT.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.		
		£	s.	d.
	A. R. P.			
352	0 1 0	10	0	0
378	0 1 0	10	0	0
379	0 1 0	10	0	0
385	0 1 0	10	0	0
386	0 1 0	10	0	0
387	0 1 0	10	0	0
404	0 1 0	10	0	0
406	0 1 0	15	0	0
430	0 1 0	10	0	0
431	0 1 0	10	0	0
432	0 1 0	10	0	0
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680	0 1 0	10	0	0
683	0 1 0	15	0	0
684	0 1 0	10	0	0

Section.	Area.			Upset Price.		
	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
685	0	1	0	10	0	0
686	0	1	0	10	0	0
687	0	1	0	10	0	0
688	0	1	0	10	0	0
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*Sale of Crown Lands, West Coast (North Island) Land District.*

Crown Lands Office,  
Patea, 8th February, 1884.

NOTICE.—Section No. 2, Block VIII., Wairoa Survey District, having been excluded from sale pending the survey of a road, and the said road now having been taken through it, it is hereby notified that the section at the reduced area (103 acres 1 rood 12 perches) after excluding road is now released from such exclusion, and will be again offered at public auction.

C. A. WRAY,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Sale of Section at Waiuku, known as the Old Courthouse Site, Land District of Auckland.*

UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF "THE SPECIAL POWERS AND CONTRACTS ACT, 1883."

Crown Lands Office,  
Auckland, 25th April, 1884.

I HEREBY notify that Section 18 of the Village of Waiuku (with the building thereon) containing 1 rood, will be offered for sale by public auction, at this office, on Monday, the 28th July next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at an upset price of £85.

D. A. TOLE,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Native Land Court Notices.*

If desired, any of the under-mentioned cases can be adjourned to Wairoa or elsewhere.

*Sitting of Native Land Court.*

Native Land Court Office,  
Gisborne, 9th May, 1884.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a sitting of this Court to be held at Hastings, Hawke's Bay, on the 8th day of July, 1884, will be heard the application of Alexander Mackay, Esq., Commissioner of Native Reserves, for an order of Court defining the individuals and their respective shares in a Native reserve in the District of Wairoa, Hawke's Bay, containing 1,100 acres, and being part of the Taramarama Block, the boundaries of which are described in the Schedule hereunder.

And, in pursuance of the provisions of section 7 of "The Native Land Division Act, 1882," all persons having in their possession any original grant or other instrument of title relating to the land aforesaid are hereby ordered to produce the same at the sitting of the Court.

W. GREY,  
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, in the Colony of New Zealand, containing by admeasurement 1,100 acres, more or less, reserved for the Urewera tribe out of the sale to the Crown of the Taramarama Block, situated in the Waiau Survey District, and being Sections Nos. 6 of Block IV., and 10 of Block X., of that district. Bounded towards the North by Section No. 5 of Block IV., 11549 links; towards the East by Section No. 8 of Block IV., and Sections Nos. 5 and 8 of Block X., 16826 links; towards the South and West by the Waikaretaheke River; again towards the West by Section No. 11 of Block X., and Section No. 7 of Block IV., 6204 links; again towards the South by Section No. 7 of Block IV. aforesaid, 3426 links; again towards the East by Section No. 7 of Block IV., and Section No. 11 of Block X. aforesaid, 4977 links; and towards the South-west by the Waikaretaheke River aforesaid: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

*Sitting of Native Land Court.*

Native Land Court Office,  
Gisborne, 9th May, 1884.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a sitting of this Court to be held at Hastings, Hawke's Bay, on the 8th day of July, 1884, will be heard the application of Alexander Mackay, Esq., Commissioner of Native Reserves, for an order of Court defining the individuals and their respective shares in a Native reserve in the District of Wairoa, Hawke's Bay, containing 300 acres, and being part of the Tukurangi Block, the boundaries of which are described in the Schedule hereunder.

And, in pursuance of the provisions of section 7 of "The Native Land Division Act, 1882," all persons having in their possession any original grant or other instrument of title relating to the land aforesaid are hereby ordered to produce the same at the sitting of the Court.

W. GREY,  
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land containing 300 acres, more or less. Bounded partially towards the East by the Waikaremoana, and on all other sides by other portion of the Tukurangi Block.

*Sitting of Native Land Court.*

Native Land Court Office,  
Gisborne, 9th May, 1884.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a sitting of this Court to be held at Hastings, Hawke's Bay, on the 8th day of July, 1884, will be heard the application of Alexander Mackay, Esq., Commissioner of Native Reserves, for an order of Court defining the individuals and their respective shares in a Native reserve in the District of Te Wairoa, Hawke's Bay, containing 298 acres, and being Section No. 2 of Block V. of the Waiau Survey District, the boundaries of which are described in the Schedule hereunder.

And, in pursuance of the provisions of section 7 of "The Native Land Division Act, 1882," all persons having in their possession any original grant or other instrument of title relating to the land aforesaid are hereby ordered to produce the same at the sitting of the Court.

W. GREY,  
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, in the Colony of New Zealand, containing by admeasurement 298 acres, more or less, reserved for the Urewera tribe out of the sale to the Crown of the Waiau Block, situated in the Waiau Survey District, and being Section No. 2 of Block V. of that district. Bounded towards the North-east by Section No. 1, 7500 links; towards the South-east by Section No. 1 aforesaid, the crossing of a road, Section No. 1 aforesaid, the crossing of a road, a road-line, and Section No. 1 aforesaid, 3133 links, 115 links, 424 links, 80 links, and 340 links; towards the South-west by Section No. 1 aforesaid, 7500 links; and towards the North-west by Section No. 1 aforesaid, 4000 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; save and excepting a road 100 links wide which intersects the area above described.

Sitting of Native Land Court.

Native Land Court Office,  
Gisborne, 9th May, 1884.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a sitting of this Court to be held at Hastings, Hawke's Bay, on the 8th day of July, 1884, will be heard the application of Alexander Mackay, Esq., Commissioner of Native Reserves, for an order of Court defining the individuals and their respective shares in a Native reserve in the District of Wairoa, Hawke's Bay, containing 791 acres, and being Section No. 2 of Block III. of the Waiau Survey District, the boundaries of which are described in the Schedule hereunder.

And, in pursuance of the provisions of section 7 of "The Native Land Division Act, 1882," all persons having in their possession any original grant or other instrument of title relating to the land aforesaid are hereby ordered to produce the same at the sitting of the Court.

W. GREY,  
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, in the Colony of New Zealand, containing by admeasurement 791 acres, more or less, reserved for the Urewera tribe out of the sale to the Crown of the Tukurangi Block, situated in the Waiau Survey District, and being Section No. 2 of Block III. of that district. Bounded towards the North-east by the Waikaretakebe River; towards the South-east by Section No. 4 of Block IV., the crossing of a road, Section No. 4 of Block IV. aforesaid, and by Block IX., 13146 links; towards the South-west by Block IX. aforesaid, 7153 links; and towards the North-west by Section No. 1, or north-western portion of Block III., Section No. 3, the crossing of a road, and Section No. 1, or north-western portion of Block III. aforesaid, 9717 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; save and excepting a road 100 links wide which intersects the area above described.

Sitting of Native Land Court.

Native Land Court Office,  
Gisborne, 9th May, 1884.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a sitting of this Court to be held at Hastings, Hawke's Bay, on the 8th day of July, 1884, will be heard the application of Alexander Mackay, Esq., Commissioner of Native Reserves, for an order of Court defining the individuals for whom a reserve at Nuhaka, Hawke's Bay, containing 17 acres, was set apart, the boundaries of which are described in the Schedule hereunder.

And, in pursuance of the provisions of section 7 of "The Native Land Division Act, 1882," all persons having in their possession any original grant or other instrument of title relating to the land aforesaid are hereby ordered to produce the same at the sitting of the Court.

W. GREY,  
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, containing by admeasurement 17 acres, more or less, being a Native reserve on the map of Nuhaka. Bounded towards the East by Agricultural Section No. 1, 1200 links; and towards the South, West, and North by the Nuhaka River.

Sitting of the Native Land Court for the Subdivision of Hereditaments.

Native Land Court Office,  
Gisborne, 9th May, 1884.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a sitting of this Court to be held at Hastings, in the District of Hawke's Bay, on the 8th day of July, 1884, will be heard the applications of the persons whose names appear in the first column for the

subdivision of the hereditaments comprised in the Crown grants of the pieces of land the names of which appear in the second column, situate in the districts named in the third column.

And, in pursuance of the provisions of section 7 of "The Native Land Division Act, 1882," all persons having in their possession any original grant or other instrument of title relating to any of the lands aforesaid are hereby ordered to produce the same at the said sitting of the Court.

W. GREY,  
Registrar.

No.	Names of the Persons applying for the Subdivision of Land.	Name of the Block to be subdivided.	District in which the Land is situate.
1	Karana Taranui ..	Kahuitara No. 1	Te Wairoa.
2	Wata Karihuka ..	Kairangi ..	Te Wairoa.
3	Epeniha Taura, Wata Puihi, Tiemi Toka, and others	Kauhoroa No. 1	Te Wairoa.
4	Kihirini Whaturu, Raniera Te Ao	Matuku No. 1..	Te Wairca.
5	Pikapa Te Hiko, Awhe-rata Papatatu	Aranui ..	Te Wairoa.
6	Mihi Arapata, Mere Riti, Akenihi Papa	Taupara ..	Te Wairoa.
7	H. Te Turi ..	Mangaaruhe No. 2	Te Wairoa.
8	Hereaka Tiripa Turei..	Taramarama ..	Te Wairoa.
9	Mere Maupuku ..	Raekahu ..	Te Wairoa.
10	Hirini Tokowhenua, Hohahepa Hanuhanu, Karepa Haupeehi, Raiha Kaimoana, Te Paea Hineaka, Kopu Kukai, Pahemata Pakuku, Waata Puihi, Titi Taura, Horiaana Taura, Tamihana Teketeke, Nikora Kotuhi, Ngaro Kotuhi, Nirai Apatu, Rakera Apatu, Apirana Kaimoana, Ana Waruhi Te Ariki, Mere Taone, Reewi Te Wai, Reea Waitote, Hana Porangi, Maata Apirana, Himia Hanuhanu, Paamariki Kaiora, Te Paea Tangipo, Matioro Tangipo, Hirini Rakau, Hatepe Rapuke, Tioo Rakau, Te Paea Tamakirunga, Kataraina Kopu, Tiemi Wirihana, Kaa Taumatua, Kararaina Taumatua, Ketiana Whakahewa, Mikaea Paku, Epiniha Taura	Orangitirohia ..	Te Wairoa.
11	Raiha Kaimoana, Paku Kaimoana, Te Paia Hineaka, Pahimata Pakuku, Mihi Pakuku, Te Wata Puihi, Panapa Puihi, Tahu Puihi, Te Onepoto Puihi, Kote Taura, Tete Taura, Horiaana Taura, Tamihana Teketeke, Nikora Kotutu, Ngaro Kotutu, Nirai Apatu, Rakira Apatu, Mata Piranei, Hina Hanuhanu, Tamariki Kaiora, Pamariki Kaiora, Te Paia Tangipo, Matiora Tangipo, Wikitoria Tangipo, Hirini Rakau, Tio Rakau, Hatepe Rakau, Paora Rakau, Hikiera Pono, Epeniha Pono, Riria Rakau, Te Paia Tamakirunga, Kataraina Kopu, Temi Wirihana, Reweti Wirihana, Katau Matua, Kararaina Taumatua, Ketiana Whakahewa, Paku Naki, Petera Karari, Epeniha Taura	Orangitirohia ..	Te Wairoa.

No.	Names of the Persons applying for the Subdivision of Land.	Name of the Block to be subdivided.	District in which the Land is situate.	No.	Names of the Persons applying for the Subdivision of Land.	Name of the Block to be subdivided.	District in which the Land is situate.
12	Reupena Hakerei, Anaru Patea	Hereheretau	Te Wairoa.	77	Hiria Te Whakaatere, Te Wairakau, Paora Koara, Rora Kahia	Ngaruetepe ..	Te Wairoa.
13	Hemi Te Rarere ..	Mahanga No. 1	Te Wairoa.	78	Heremaia Te Waru ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.
14	Tipene Te Warangi ..	Kahuitara No. 2	Te Wairoa.	79	Mohi Kopeo ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.
15	Tiopira Kaukau ..	Kahuitara No. 2	Te Wairoa.	80	Wi Takamua ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.
16	Tiopira Kaukau ..	Ruarakaiputara	Te Wairoa.	81	Ropitini Te Rito ..	Opoho No. 1 ..	Te Wairoa.
17	Hoani Ngarara ..	Hereheretau ..	Te Wairoa.	82	Wiremu Wirihana ..	Orangitirohia ..	Te Wairoa.
18	Hoani Ngarara ..	Hinewhaki No. 2	Te Wairoa.	83	Heta Kuaha, Bewai Rangimataeo, Heremia Te Popo, Hekere Ponga	Paeroa No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.
19	Tiopira Kaukau ..	Hinewhaki No. 2	Te Wairoa.	84	Penetana Tiaki Kainga	Paeroa No. 1 ..	Te Wairoa.
20	Renata Tupumata ..	Mohaka ..	Te Wairoa.	85	Penetana Tiaki Kainga	Paeroa No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.
21	Hoani Ngarara, Areta Apatu	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.	86	Heremia Te Popo Hiriatato	Putere ..	Te Wairoa.
22	Te Rewha ..	Ranui ..	Te Wairoa.	87	Mirini Moekau ..	Tukemokihiki No. 2	Te Wairoa.
23	Piripi Hourangi ..	Kauhoroa No. 2	Te Wairoa.	88	Wiremu Nuhaka ..	Tauwharetoi No. 1	Te Wairoa.
24	Raiha Kopu, Itiria Kopu, Hiria Kopu, Kataraina Kopu	Awatere ..	Te Wairoa.	89	Rewi Wharerakau ..	Huramoana No. 2	Te Wairoa.
25	Hamana Tiakiwai ..	Ohuia No. 1 ..	Te Wairoa.	90	Toha ..	Putere ..	Te Wairoa.
26	Paora Rangiwihanga ..	Ohuia No. 1 ..	Te Wairoa.	91	Rewi Paokupanga ..	Arakanihi ..	Te Wairoa.
27	Rihia Piha ..	Ohuia No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.	92	Arapata Tarahi ..	Arakanihi ..	Te Wairoa.
28	Te Raita Petera ..	Ohuia No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.	93	Hirini Haereone ..	Ohuia No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.
29	Te Wata Karihuka ..	Ohuia No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.	94	Hoeta Kaihue ..	Ohuia No. 1 ..	Te Wairoa.
30	Petera Whakahoro ..	Ohuia No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.	95	Rutene Te Rere ..	Ohuia No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.
31	Hamana Tiakiwai ..	Ohuia No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.	96	Mere Maupuke ..	Ohuia No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.
32	Apirama Kaimoana, Hanita Mangere	Ohuia No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.	97	Winiata Kaihote ..	Ohuia No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.
33	Pipi Matehe, Rerekai-puke Ngahau, Erina Huki	Ohuia No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.	98	Te Kepa Hoepo ..	Tukemokihiki No. 2	Te Wairoa.
34	Hamana Tiakiwai ..	Ngaruetepe ..	Te Wairoa.	99	Te Watene Toromata ..	Tukemokihiki No. 3	Te Wairoa.
35	Wata Karihuka ..	Hinewhaki West	Te Wairoa.	100	Maika Taruke ..	Opoho No. 1 ..	Te Wairoa.
36	Toha ..	Waihua No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.	101	Hohepa Kauru ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.
37	Harata Paretangohia ..	Ohuia No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.	102	Te Matenga Waitaniwha	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.
38	Hoani Wainohu ..	Waihua ..	Te Wairoa.	103	Hone Whariki ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.
39	Reupena Taiamai ..	Waihua No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.	104	Ruiha Otene ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.
40	Atareta Tokoiwi ..	Aranui ..	Te Wairoa.	105	Heta Kuaha ..	Paeroa No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.
41	Reupena Taiamai ..	Mohaka No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.	106	Hare Tautu ..	Waihua No. 1 ..	Te Wairoa.
42	Karaitiana Taungakore	Mohaka ..	Te Wairoa.	107	Nikora Matipiwi ..	Waihua No. 1 ..	Te Wairoa.
43	Karaitiana Taungakore	Mohaka ..	Te Wairoa.	108	Hereaka Tirapa Turei	Mangaruhe No. 2	Te Wairoa.
44	Ruta Te Kahika ..	Ohuia No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.	109	Te Rai Pona ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.
45	Harata Tari ..	Ohuia No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.	110	Wi Paetarewa ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.
46	Mere Pakai ..	Ohuia No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.	111	Hohepa Putaranui ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.
47	Wiremu Te Kahu and E. Tomlins	Mohaka No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.	112	Te Paea Newa ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.
48	Arapera Te Aho and Ka Te Aho	Mohaka No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.	113	Epeniha Pona ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.
49	Kataraina Kopu, Raiha Kopu, and Hiria Kopu	Awatere ..	Te Wairoa.	114	Taitu Paraikete ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.
50	Paora Rakau ..	Ohuia No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.	115	Hikiera Pona ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.
51	Opone Pomare ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.	116	Karauria Te Iwiroro ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.
52	Hoani Ngarara ..	Hinewhaki No. 2	Te Wairoa.	117	Harata Tuilu ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.
53	Paora Rerepu ..	Mohaka ..	Te Wairoa.	118	Heni Parewahine ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.
54	Arapata Hapuku ..	Mohaka ..	Te Wairoa.	119	Tamihana Tieke ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.
55	Hoani Wainohu ..	Mohaka ..	Te Wairoa.	120	Kararaina Tieke ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.
56	Rihimona ..	Mohaka ..	Te Wairoa.	121	Tamati Maere ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.
57	Te Hira Whakapinga ..	Mohaka ..	Te Wairoa.	122	Keita Maere ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.
58	Tipene Te Ahoiti ..	Mohaka ..	Te Wairoa.	123	Rihimona Oraiti ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.
59	Matiria Hineikakeao ..	Mohaka ..	Te Wairoa.	124	Te Paea Taruke ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.
60	Pani Hungahunga ..	Mohaka ..	Te Wairoa.	125	Wi Paetarewa ..	Mahanga No. 2	Te Wairoa.
61	Hiria Kahika ..	Mohaka ..	Te Wairoa.	126	Reta Tokouri ..	Matuku ..	Te Wairoa.
62	Meretene Pakura ..	Mohaka ..	Te Wairoa.	127	Te Rawha ..	Matuku ..	Te Wairoa.
63	Areta Apatu ..	Hereheretau ..	Te Wairoa.	128	Hami Te Rarere ..	Mahanga No. 1	Te Wairoa.
64	Toha Rahurahu ..	Mangataniwha	Te Wairoa.	129	Hoani Ngarara, Areta Apatu	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.
65	Meiha Te Hira, Tamihana Huata, Hapimana Tunupaura	Tarararama ..	Te Wairoa.	130	Te Watene Toromata ..	Ohuia No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.
66	Te Retui Te Tawa ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.	131	Ohi Paea Toromata ..	Ohuia No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.
67	Te Retui ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.	132	Karauria Taitau ..	Ohuia No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.
68	Hare Kahuroa ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.	133	Ropatini Rito ..	Ohuia No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.
69	Rihara Oneroa ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.	134	Ohi Toromata ..	Ohuia No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.
70	Iharaira Hemopo ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.	135	Retiu Himoko ..	Ohuia No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.
71	Harata Ngaperera ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.	136	Hotene Te Ariki ..	Ohuia No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.
72	Pahimata Kaihue, Erami Kaihue	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.	137	Rewi Te Nahu ..	Ohuia No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.
73	Apirana Kaimoni, Pukutona, Wiremu Wirihana, Wikitoria Te Wai, Te Pune, Mihi Rapuke, Puhera Tinui, Matiora Tangipo, Paora Onekawa, Wata Ruhu	Orangitirohia ..	Te Wairoa.	138	Te Paea Newa ..	Ohuia No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.
74	Hami Te Hau ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.	139	Ropitini Rito ..	Ohuia No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.
75	Reta Mateana, Heta Kuaha, Winiata Whitikau, Wai Rangimateao	Aranui ..	Te Wairoa.	140	Karauria Taitau ..	Ohuia No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.
76	Raiha Kopu, Itiria Kopu, Hiria Kopu, Kataraina Kopu	Awatere ..	Te Wairoa.	141	Petera Honotapu ..	Tauwheretoi ..	Te Wairoa.
				142	Petera Honotapu ..	Tarake ..	Te Wairoa.
				143	Wiremu Wirihana ..	Rangitirohia ..	Te Wairoa.
				144	Ruta Te Kahika ..	Ohuia No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.
				145	Henare Mihinare ..	Hinewhaki ..	Te Wairoa.
				146	Henare Mihinare ..	Hinewhaki ..	Te Wairoa.
				147	Tiopira Kaukau ..	Ruarakaiputara	Te Wairoa.
				148	Rihimona Manuwihiri ..	Ohuia No. 1 ..	Te Wairoa.
				149	Paora Rangiwihanga ..	Ohuia No. 1 ..	Te Wairoa.
				150	Erina Te Huki ..	Ohuia No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.
				151	Te Keepa Hoepo ..	Tukemokihiki No. 2	Te Wairoa.
				152	Wi Paetarewa ..	Mahanga No. 2	Te Wairoa.

No.	Names of the Persons applying for the Subdivision of Land.	Name of the Block to be subdivided.	District in which the Land is situate.
153	Makuini Te Ngaehe ..	Te Putere ..	Te Wairoa.
154	Peti Hie, Heni Hie, Matenga Hie	Kairangi ..	Te Wairoa.
155	Hemaima Tuhi ..	Kairangi ..	Te Wairoa.
156	Hereaka Tiripa Turei..	M a n g a a r u h e No. 2	Te Wairoa.
157	Hirini Tokowhenua, Hohepa Hanuahanu, Karepa Motukawa, Raiha Kaimoana, Raiha Ninekaimoana, Pango Kaimoana, Te Paea Heneaka, Kopu Wi Rukai, Pahe Pakuku, Mihi Pakuku, Wata Puhī, Panapa Puhī, Tahu Puhī, Te Onepoto Puhī, Koti Taura, Tete Taura, Hiriana Taura, Tamihana Teketeke, Nikora Kotutu, Ngaro Kotutu, Nirai Apatu, Rakira Apatu, Mata Piranei, Hinia Hanuahanu, Tamariki Kaiora, Pamarika Kaiora, Te Paia Tangipo, Matioro Tangipo, Wikitoria Tangipo, Hirini Rakau, Tio Rakau, Hatepe Rakau, Paora Rakau, Hikiera Pono, Epiniha Pono, Riria Nikau, Te Paea Tamakirunga, Kataraina Kopu, Tīemi Wirihana, Reweti Wirihana, Katau Mataua, Kararaina Tau matau, Ketiana Whakahema, Paku Naki, Petera Karari, Epeniha Taura	Orangitirohia ..	Te Wairoa.
158	Wata Karihuka ..	Ruarakaiputara	Te Wairoa.
159	Hunia Tokatutahi ..	Ngaruetepe ..	Te Wairoa.
160	Rawinia Kahutai ..	Ngaruetepe ..	Te Wairoa.
161	Pakitea ..	Ruarakaiputara	Te Wairoa.
162	Mako Erina ..	Ngaruetepe ..	Te Wairoa.
163	Rawinia Kahuitau ..	Ohuia No. 2 ..	Te Wairoa.
164	Arapata Tarahi ..	Arakanihi ..	Te Wairoa.
165	Rewi Paukupenga ..	Arakanihi ..	Te Wairoa.
166	Piri Meti ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.
167	Pita Meti ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.
168	Hori Meti ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.
169	Timi Meti ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.
170	Mere Whanga ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.
171	Tami Meti ..	Opoho ..	Te Wairoa.
172	Rora Rupuha ..	Mangaorapa ..	Napier.
173	Mata Paku ..	Manawaangiangi	Napier.
174	Ripeka Nohoturuturu..	Manawaangiangi	Napier.
175	Rawinia Tukeke ..	Manawaangiangi	Napier.
176	Wi Matua ..	Mangaorapa ..	Napier.
177	Roera Tareha ..	Rotopounamu or Puninga	Napier.
178	Airini Tonore and others	Pukehamoamo	Napier.
179	Airini Tonore and others	Otamauri (Whanawhana)	Napier.
180	Airini Tonore ..	Mangateretere West	Napier.
181	Airini Tonore ..	Rotopounamu or Puninga	Napier.
182	Renata Kawepo ..	Oruamatua ..	Napier.
183	Renata Kawepo ..	Otamauri ..	Napier.
184	Renata Kawepo ..	Owhaoko, 184650 acres	Napier.
185	Renata Kawepo ..	Owhaoko No. 1, 28,601 acres	Napier.
186	Renata Kawepo ..	Owhaoko No. 2, 181 acres 1 rood 16 perches	Napier.
187	Renata Kawepo ..	Owhaoko No. 3	Napier.
188	Renata Kawepo ..	Ngatarawa No.1	Napier.
189	Renata Kawepo ..	Kohurau No. 2	Napier.

Notice under "Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1883."

I, JOHN EDWIN MACDONALD, Chief Judge of the Native Land Court, do hereby, in compliance with the duty imposed upon me by "The Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1883," give notice that on the 4th day of June, 1884, the title to the land mentioned in the Schedule herein became, within the meaning of the said Act, ascertained; and, further, that dealings with the said land will cease to be prohibited by the provisions of the said Act on the 14th day of July, 1884.

SCHEDULE.

NAME by which land is known: Paratenohonoa or Wairoa No. 3. Native Land Court District wherein situate: Poverty Bay. Area: 1 acre and 33 perches.

Dated this 5th day of June, 1884.

J. E. MACDONALD,  
Chief Judge.

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 on or before the 19th July, 1884.

1431. JOHN CROMPTON (in exercise of power of sale as Administrator of the estate of JANE CROMPTON, deceased). Part of Section 509, City of Wellington (Boulcott Street). In occupation of Robert Hannah.

1481. WILLIAM McFARLANE.—Sections 39, 57, 58, and 59, Township of Waverley. In occupation of Applicant.

1482. AGNES JANE HODGE.—32 acres, Lots 11B and 12B of Section 392, Block VIII., Wairoa Survey District. In occupation of Messrs. Hall and West.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 11th day of June, 1884, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

GEO. B. DAVY,  
District Land Registrar.

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

GEORGE FREDERICK RICHARDSON.—100 acres, being Sections 5 and 6, Block VIII., District of Wyndham. Occupied by Applicant. No. 2137.

THE MAYOR, COUNCILLORS, AND BURGESSES OF THE BOROUGH OF INVERCARGILL.—2 roods, being Sections 3 and 13, Block XLV., Town of Invercargill. Unoccupied. No. 2138.

THE SOUTHLAND BUILDING AND INVESTMENT SOCIETY AND BANK OF DEPOSIT (Mortgagees exercising power of sale).—34½ perches, being part of Section 14, Block I., Invercargill Hundred. Occupied by Mrs. Crisp. No. 2140.

ROBERT EDWARDS.—110 acres, being Section 1, Hundred of New River. Occupied by Applicant. No. 2141.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.  
Dated this 31st day of May, 1884, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

F. G. MORGAN,  
District Land Registrar.

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

Section 12, Block II., Town of Tapanui.—NOBLE McMILLAN, Applicant. Occupied by the National Bank of New Zealand (Limited), William Quin, William Cullen, and Robert Herbert. No. 3521.

Sections 55, 56, and parts of Sections 54 and 61, Block II., Tuapeka East District.—JOHN MORRISON and ROBERT WRIGHT STIRLING, Applicants. Occupied by Thomas Arthur and Thomas McMullen. No. 3522.

Part Section 11, Block XXXI., Town of Dunedin.—JANET ANDERSON, Applicant. Occupied by David Bethune. No. 3523.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 9th day of June, 1884, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

H. TURTON,  
District Land Registrar.

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REGISTRAR-GENERAL'S Report on the Vital Statistics of the Principal Towns of New Zealand during the Month of May, 1884.

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 May, 1884.

BOROUGHES.	ESTIMATED POPULATION.	TOTAL BIRTHS.	DEATHS REGISTERED IN MAY, 1884.						Total Deaths	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, May, 1884.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population in the Year 1883.
			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 ..	27,556	97	8	8	10	4	3	6	34	1.23	14.57
Wellington ..	22,376	84	1	2	11	1	2	5	22	0.98	16.54
Christchurch ..	16,189	48	..	1	8	2	..	4	15	0.93	16.82
Dunedin ..	25,939	61	1	..	13	3	1	4	22	0.85	13.93
Thames ..	5,237	15	1	..	..	1	..	1	3	0.57	8.34
New Plymouth ..	3,739	13	..	..	..	..	1	2	3	0.80	9.33
Napier ..	6,251	32	1	..	1	3	1	1	7	1.12	16.53
Wanganui ..	5,093	3	..	..	1	..	..	2	3	0.59	9.44
Nelson ..	7,164	16	..	..	4	..	..	2	6	0.84	12.75
Sydenham ..	9,397	31	3	..	1	..	..	..	4	0.43	16.51
Lyttelton ..	4,514	16	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	14.26
Timaru ..	4,263	15	..	..	..	2	..	..	2	0.47	15.03
Oamaru ..	6,416	24	..	1	2	1	..	1	5	0.78	11.21
Hokitika ..	2,820	8	1	..	..	..	..	1	2	0.71	15.64
Caversham ..	4,236	13	..	..	2	1	..	..	3	0.71	11.02
Invercargill ..	5,075	23	..	..	1	..	1	5	7	1.38	14.73
Totals ..	..	499	16	7	54	18	9	34	138	..	..

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 499, against 504 in April, a decrease of 5. The deaths in May were 138, a decrease of 28 on the number for April. Of the above deaths, males contributed 77; females, 61. 50 of the deaths were of children under 5 years of age, being 36.23 per cent. of the whole number; 34 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 May, 1884.

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 ..	10	2	..	5	..	1	2	1	21	22.58
II.	Constitutional Diseases ..	1	2	2	1	..	2	..	6	14	15.06
III.	Local Diseases ..	3	8	1	9	3	6	1	9	40	43.01
IV.	Developmental Diseases ..	4	3	3	1	..	1	2	..	14	15.05
V.	Violent Deaths ..	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	1	4	4.30
	Unspecified ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Totals ..	18	16	6	16	3	12	5	17	93	100.00

CLASS I.—ZYMOTIC DISEASES.	CAUSES OF DEATH.	AUCKLAND.		WELLINGTON.		CHRISTCHURCH.		DUNEDIN.		TOTAL.
		Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	
ORDER 1:—	<i>Miasmatic Diseases,—</i>									
	Measles ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
	Scarlet Fever ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
	Diphtheria ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
	Croup ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
	Typhoid Fever ..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	3
	Diarrhoea ..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
	Rheumatism ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
	Pyæmia ..	..	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	3
ORDER 3:—	<i>Dietic Diseases,—</i>									
	Want of Breast-milk ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
	Inanition ..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
	Delirium Tremens ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
	Alcoholism ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
CLASS II.—CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES.										
ORDER 1:—	<i>Diathetic Diseases,—</i>									
	Anasarca ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
	Anæmia ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
	Cancer ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	2

	AUCKLAND.		WELLINGTON.		CHRISTCHURCH.		DUNEDIN.		TOTAL.
	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	
<b>CLASS II.—CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES</b>									
<i>—continued.</i>									
<b>ORDER 2:—</b>									
<i>Tubercular Diseases,—</i>									
Phthisis .. .. .	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	4	7
Hydrocephalus .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Tubercular Meningitis .. .. .	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2
<b>CLASS III.—LOCAL DISEASES.</b>									
<b>ORDER 1:—</b>									
<i>Diseases of Nervous System,—</i>									
Meningitis .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Apoplexy .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Paralysis .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	2
Epilepsy .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Convulsions .. .. .	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	4
Brain Disease .. .. .	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	3
<b>ORDER 2:—</b>									
<i>Diseases of Organs of Circulation,—</i>									
Endocarditis .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Aneurism .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
Heart Disease .. .. .	..	1	..	2	..	1	..	1	5
<b>ORDER 3:—</b>									
<i>Diseases of Respiratory Organs,—</i>									
Laryngitis .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Bronchitis .. .. .	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	2	5
Pleurisy .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	2
Pneumonia .. .. .	1	1	..	1	..	2	..	1	6
Lung Disease .. .. .	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	3
<b>ORDER 4:—</b>									
<i>Diseases of Digestive Organs,—</i>									
Gastritis .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
Ulcer of Stomach .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
<b>ORDER 5:—</b>									
<i>Diseases of Urinary Organs,—</i>									
Diabetes .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
<b>ORDER 6:—</b>									
<i>Diseases of the Organs of Generation,—</i>									
Vulvitis .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
<b>CLASS IV.—DEVELOPMENTAL DISEASES.</b>									
<b>ORDER 1:—</b>									
<i>Developmental Diseases of Children,—</i>									
Premature Birth .. .. .	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
<b>ORDER 2:—</b>									
<i>Developmental Diseases of Adults,—</i>									
Placenta Prævia .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
<b>ORDER 3:—</b>									
<i>Developmental Diseases of Old People,—</i>									
Old Age .. .. .	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
<b>ORDER 4:—</b>									
<i>Diseases of Nutrition,—</i>									
Debility .. .. .	1	..	3	..	..	1	2	..	7
<b>CLASS V.—VIOLENT DEATHS.</b>									
<b>ORDER 1:—</b>									
<i>Accident or Negligence,—</i>									
Found dead in Bed with Burn on Neck .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
<b>ORDER 4:—</b>									
<i>Suicide,—</i>									
Shooting .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	2
Hanging .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Totals .. .. .	18	16	6	16	3	12	5	17	93

The following remarks apply only to the above four principal boroughs:—  
 The births were 290 in May, against 295 in April, a decrease of 5. The deaths in May were 93, against 125 in April, a decrease of 32.

There were 14 deaths of persons of 65 years and upwards: 4 males aged 87, 70 (two), 69, and 1 female of 75, died at Auckland; 2 males of 75 and 66 at Wellington; 3 males of 75, 69, and 66 at Christchurch; 3 males of 73, 71, and 66, and 1 female of 73, at Dunedin.

*Zymotic Diseases.*—The mortality from these complaints fell from 27·20 per cent. of the total deaths in April, to 22·58 per cent. in May. Diarrhoea, which was fatal in 12 cases at Auckland during April, caused 4 deaths there in May. Typhoid fever, which contributed 4 to the number of deaths at Auckland for April, caused none at that town in May.

Measles and scarlet fever are observed at Dunedin in May, but only 1 death from each; and 3 deaths from typhoid fever at Wellington.

The mortality at the four towns collectively for May last is slightly lower than for May, 1893.

*Constitutional Diseases.*—The number of deaths in May was 14, against 27 in April; the deaths from cancer and phthisis showing a reduction in the later month.

*Local Diseases.*—Diseases of the organs of circulation increased from 1 in April to 7 in May; diseases of the respiratory organs from 11 to 17; but diseases of the digestive system receded in number from 11 to 2.

*Developmental Diseases.*—The heavy mortality (17 cases) in April amongst children from debility did not continue during May, when there were only 7 deaths.

*Violent Deaths.*—There was only 1 death from accident, that of a man, aged 70 years, found dead with marks of burning. By suicide there were 3 deaths. Two men shot themselves at Christchurch—a gunmaker and another described as a soldier. A butcher killed himself at Dunedin by hanging.

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.		Typhoid and other Fever.		Diphtheria.		Whooping Cough.		Dysentery and Diarrhoea.		Bronchitis.		Pleurisy.		Pneumonia.		Congestion of Lungs.		
	May.	Apl.	May.	Apl.	May.	Apl.	May.	Apl.	May.	Apl.	May.	Apl.	May.	Apl.	May.	Apl.	May.	Apl.	May.	Apl.	
Auckland .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	4	1	..	..	..	..	4	12	2	..	..	1	2	2	..	..
Wellington .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	3	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	1
Christchurch .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	..	..	1	1	1	..	2	1	1	1
Dunedin .. ..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	1	..	..	1	1	1	..
Totals .. ..	..	..	1	..	1	3	5	1	2	..	2	4	13	5	2	2	1	6	4	3	2

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 10th June, 1884.

E. J. VON DADELSZEN,  
Deputy Registrar-General.

PROVISIONAL METEOROLOGICAL RETURN FOR MAY, 1884.

	AUCKLAND.	WELLINGTON.	CHRISTCHURCH.	DUNEDIN.
Mean Temperature in shade for month ..	54.4	50.2	45.5	46.5
Average same month previous years ...	57.2	53.0	48.1	47.2
Maximum Temperature in shade, and date	65.5 on 7th	65.0 on 6th	66.0 on 16th	68.0 on 14th
Minimum Temperature in shade, and date	37.5 on 31st	37.0 on 24th	21.0 on 23rd	32.0 on 31st
Maximum Temperature in sun, and date	..	108.0 on 11th	111.0 on 16th	116.0 on 5th
Minimum Temperature on grass, and date	..	33.0 on 24th	14.0 on 24th	26.0 on 31st
Mean Humidity (Saturation=100) ..	74	77	..	73
Average same month previous years ...	81	76	81	77
Total Rainfall in inches ..	4.190	5.242	1.240	1.196
Average same month previous years ...	4.077	4.677	2.291	3.776
Number of Days on which Rain fell ..	16	12	9	12
Average same month previous years ...	20	14	9	13

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, 10th June, 1884.

JAMES HECTOR,



**Land Transfer Act Notices.**

**A** PPLICATION having been made to me by **ALEXANDER LYON** and **ARTHUR LYON** to register certain dealings affecting Rural Section No. 35078 and parts of a closed road partly bounding and partly intersecting Rural Section No. 1922, situated in the County of Akaroa, and contained in license to occupy and certificate of title, Vol. xcvi., folio 73 respectively, whereof **FREDERIC LYON** is the registered Proprietor, and a statutory declaration of the loss of the said license to occupy and certificate of title having been lodged with me, I hereby give notice that I shall register such dealings at the expiration of fourteen days after the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice, unless in the meantime a caveat be lodged forbidding the same.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch, this 10th day of June, 1884.

**J. M. BATHAM,**  
District Land Registrar.

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**N**OTICE 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 15th day of July next.

**ALEXANDER ALISON, EWEN WILLIAM ALISON, and ROBERT ADAM MOZLEY STARK.**—Lots 4, 5, 6, and part of Lot 3 of a subdivision into lots of Allotment 2 of Section 1 of the Parish of Takapuna, containing 20 acres. Unoccupied. 2235.

**JANE ALISON.**—Allotment 15A of Section 2, Parish of Takapuna, containing 5 acres. In the occupation of Edwin Binney, Alexander Alison, jun.,—O'Brien, Frederick Wells, and Applicant. 2244.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 5th day of June, 1884, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

**THEO. KISSLING,**  
District Land Registrar.

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**Mining Notices.**

**"THE MINES ACT, 1877."**

To the Mining Registrar at Cromwell of the Dunstan Mining District, and all other persons whom it may concern.

**T**AKE notice that it is intended to construct a Water-race and divert water for other than mining purposes, to wit, for irrigation purposes, commencing at a point about one-third of the distance up a tributary of the Luggate Creek, known as Russell's Gully, and terminating at Maidman's farm, Mount Barker.

The length of such race will be about five miles.

The mean width of race will be 2 feet, and mean depth 1 foot; and it is intended to divert two Government-heads of water.

**HENRY MAIDMAN,**  
**RALPH HALLIDAY,**  
By their Agent, **J. MARSHALL.**

Dated at Cromwell, this 27th day of May, 1884.

Received at the hour of 10.30 a.m. on the 27th day of May, 1884.

**JAMES FLEMING,**  
Mining Registrar.

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To the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Takitimo District, Invercargill, and all other persons whom it may concern.

**T**AKE notice that it is our intention to divert and lift water out of Taylor's Creek, eastward, for Water-race, commencing at a point marked by pegs, and running westward 240 chains through Village Reserve, and terminating on the banks of Waiau River. The storm-channels or by-wash for same will be the natural bed of Taylor's Creek.

Mean depth of such race, 4 feet; mean breadth, 8 feet; and it is proposed to divert eight Government-heads of water. Time to complete the above, twelve months.

**ROBERT HOWELL AND CO.**

Riverton, 30th May, 1884.

**Private Advertisements.**

**I** JOHN PRINCE STALLARD, Bachelor of Medicine and Master in Surgery of the University of Edinburgh, 1881, formerly House Surgeon to the Worcester General Infirmary, England, and now residing at Otahuhu, near Auckland, having deposited my diplomas with the Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages at Auckland, this day, give notice that I intend to apply to be registered under "The Medical Practitioners Registration Act, 1869," on the 21st day of July, 1884.

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**JOHN PRINCE STALLARD, M.B. Edin.**

**SOUTHLAND COUNTY.**

**P**URSUANT to the provisions of "The Public Works Act, 1882," it is hereby publicly notified that the Southland County Council require the land described hereunder for the purpose of a public road. A plan, marked V, and description of the same, will be open for public inspection at the Council's Office, Invercargill, at all reasonable hours for a period of forty days from date hereof.

All persons affected by the taking of said land are hereby called upon to set forth in writing any well-grounded objections thereto, and to serve the same upon the County Clerk at Invercargill before the expiration of forty days from date hereof.

*Description of Land.*—All that piece or parcel of land in Southland District, containing by admeasurement three acres and six-tenths of a perch, more or less, being a portion of Education Reserve, Section 48, Block III., New River Hundred. Bounded as follows, namely: Commencing at the south-west corner of Section 48 aforesaid; thence bearing 90° 0' 30" a distance of 2000 links; thence bearing 30°, 1000 links; thence bearing 270° 0' 30", 203·7 links; thence 180° 0' 30", 100 links; thence 90° 0' 30", 103·7 links; thence 180° 0' 30", 800 links; thence 270° 0' 30", 1900 links; thence 180° 0' 30", 100 links, to the starting point.

**R. P. MACGOUN,**  
County Clerk and Treasurer.

Dated 14th June, 1884.

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**NEW PUBLICATIONS.**

**T**HE following Works have just been published, and can be obtained at the Stationery Department, Wellington, or ordered through any bookseller in the colony:—

**NEW ZEALAND: HER COMMERCE AND RESOURCES.** By G. W. GRIFFIN, United States Consul at Auckland. Price: In cloth, 2s. 6d.; in paper cover, 1s. 6d.

**HANDBOOK OF NEW ZEALAND FOR 1883.** By Dr. HECTOR. Price: In cloth boards, 3s. 6d.; in limp cloth, 2s. 6d.

**LAND TRANSFER HANDY BOOK.** (New Edition.) Price: 3s. 6d.

**GEO. DIDSBURY.**

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