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*Setting apart Land in the Otago Land District for leasing under "The Land Act 1877 Amendment Act, 1882."*

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

A PROCLAMATION.

BY virtue and in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the fiftieth section of "The Land Act 1877 Amendment Act, 1882," and of every other power and authority enabling him in that behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby declare that the block of land enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall be subject to the provisions of sections three to forty-eight of "The Land Act 1877 Amendment Act, 1882."

SCHEDULE.  
CROOKSTON DISTRICT.

Block.	Section.	Area.
XVII.	15	A. R. P. 127 3 31

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 September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

R. HURSTHOUSE,  
Minister of Lands.

Approved in Council.  
FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Revoking the Setting-apart of Land in Otago for Agricultural Lease.*

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by the fifty-fourth section of "The Mines Act, 1877," it is, amongst other things, enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor to cause Crown lands situate within a gold field to be selected and set apart for the purpose of granting agricultural leases thereon and therefore, or for alienation by occupation licenses on deferred payments under any law for the time being in force in the land district in which such mining district is situate:

And whereas the land described in the Schedule hereto was, by Proclamation dated the eighteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, set apart for agricultural lease:

And whereas it is deemed expedient to revoke the said Proclamation, in so far as it relates to the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto:

Now, therefore, I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby revoke the said Proclamation of the eighteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, in so far as it relates to the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

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J. BALLANCE,  
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Altering Boundaries of Resident Magistrates' Districts of Taranaki and Patea.*

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

## A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Resident Magistrates Act, 1867," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor from time to time, by Proclamation in the *New Zealand Gazette*, to constitute throughout the colony, or in any part thereof, districts to be called Resident Magistrates' districts, and such districts from time to time to abolish, and the boundaries to define and alter, and, in any such Proclamation, to fix a time on and from which any such district shall be constituted or abolished, as the case may be:

And whereas by a Proclamation bearing date the sixteenth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, His Excellency the Governor, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities so vested in him, did define the boundaries of the Resident Magistrates' Districts of Taranaki and Patea, as described in the said Proclamation respectively:

And whereas it is expedient to alter the boundaries of the said districts so defined as aforesaid:

Now, therefore, I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities so vested in me as aforesaid, do hereby alter the boundaries of the said Districts of Taranaki and Patea respectively, as described in the Schedule hereto, as and from the first day of October next.

## SCHEDULE.

## TARANAKI.

Bounded towards the North-west and North by Kawhia County, from the mouth of the Mokau River to Mount Rangitoto; thence towards the East by a right line to the source of the Ongaruhe River, and thence by a line along the middle of the Ongaruhe, of the Ngahuinga (or Tuhua), and of the Wanganui Rivers to the confluence of the last-mentioned river with the Tangarakau River; thence towards the South generally by a right line to the eastern corner of the Mangaotuku Block; thence by the southern boundary of that block to its south-west corner; thence by a right line to the eastern corner of the Ahuroa Block, and by the eastern boundary of the latter block to the Patea River; thence by a line along the middle of the Patea River to a point where it intersects the north-eastern boundary of the Town District of Stratford; thence by the north-eastern, south-eastern, and south-western boundaries of the said town district to the middle of the Patea River; thence again by the middle of that river to its source near Mount Egmont, by a right line thence to the summit of Mount Egmont; towards the East and South-east by a right line thence to the Oeo Road, and by a line along the middle of that road and the Main South Road to the sea; and towards the South-west and again towards the North-west by the ocean to the mouth of the Mokau River, the place of commencement.

## PATEA.

Bounded towards the North-west and North generally by the Resident Magistrate's District of Taranaki, hereinbefore described; towards the East and South-east by the County of Wanganui to the ocean; and thence towards the South-west by the ocean to the place of commencement.

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 eighth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

JOS. A. TOLE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Extending Jurisdiction of the Resident Magistrate's Court, Taupo.*

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

## A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority in me vested in this behalf by "The Resident Magistrates Act, 1867," I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the fifteenth day of Sep-

tember instant, the jurisdiction of the Resident Magistrate's Court for the Taupo District, as the same is defined in a Proclamation bearing date the sixteenth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, shall be extended to fifty pounds.

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 eighth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

JOS. A. TOLE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Quarantine Station for Hokitika, Greymouth, and Westport.*

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

## A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Public Health Act, 1876," it is among other things enacted that the Governor may, by any order notified by Proclamation in the *Gazette*, appoint certain stations within or near any harbour or place within New Zealand for the performance of quarantine under the Third Part of the said Act, where all vessels liable to quarantine, and the crews, passengers, and persons on board thereof, shall perform the same: And whereas it is expedient to appoint the place mentioned in the Schedule hereto as the station where vessels arriving at the Ports of Hokitika, Greymouth, or Westport, liable to quarantine, and the crews, passengers, and persons on board thereof, shall perform the same:

Now, therefore, I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance of the power and authority vested in me for that purpose, do, by this Proclamation, order and appoint that the place named and described in the Schedule hereto shall be, and the same is hereby appointed to be, the station for the performance of quarantine, under the Third Part of the said Act, in the case of vessels liable to quarantine, and the crews, passengers, and persons on board thereof arriving at the Ports of Hokitika, Greymouth, or Westport.

## SCHEDULE.

THE whole of the island known as Somes Island, situated in the Port Nicholson Harbour, and the water frontage around the said island within half a mile from its shore.

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 eighth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*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 lands, and applications have 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 seventh day of August, 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 Waiotahi containing 20 acres, more or less, being Allotment No. 357, and being the whole of the land comprised in grant from the Crown entered in Vol. xviii., folio 123, of the Register-book.

All that piece of land situated in the Parish of Waiotahi, containing 21 acres and 20 perches, more or less, being Allotment No. 378, and being the whole of the land comprised in grant from the Crown entered in Vol. xviii., folio 188, of the Register-book.

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 seventh day of August, 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 Whakatane Survey District, containing 5 acres, more or less, being Allotment No. 281, in the Parish of Waiotahi, and being the whole of the land comprised in Vol. xviii., folio 201, of the Auckland District Land Register-book.

*Omataroa Native Licensing District constituted.*

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,  
Governor.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this ninth day of September, 1884.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the seventeenth section of "The Licensing Act, 1881," it is enacted that the Governor, by Order in Council, may from time to time constitute, vary, and abolish Native licensing districts: And whereas it is expedient to constitute the Native Licensing District of Omataroa:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, in pursuance and exercise of all powers enabling him in this behalf, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of New Zealand, doth hereby constitute and define the portion of the colony mentioned and described in the Schedule hereto to be a Native licensing district from and after the first day of October next.

#### SCHEDULE.

##### OMATAROA.

BOUNDED towards the North by the Bay of Plenty; towards the East by the Opotiki Road District, and a line due south from the south-western corner of that district to the County of Cook; thence towards the South-east and North-east by that county; again towards the South-east by the County of Wairoa; towards the West and South generally by the Taupo Native Licensing District, described in an Order in Council of even date herewith, to Poutihi; thence again towards the North by a right line to Otanewainuku; and thence again towards the West by a right line to Wairakei.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Boundaries of Taupo Native Licensing District altered.*

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,  
Governor.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this ninth day of September, 1884.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the seventeenth section of "The Licensing Act, 1881," it is enacted that the Governor, by Order in Council, may from time to time alter the limits of any Native licensing district: And whereas it is expedient to alter the limits of the Native Licensing District of Taupo, as described in a Proclamation dated the twenty-first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, in pursuance and exercise of all powers enabling him in this behalf, and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of New Zealand, doth hereby alter the limits of the said district, and doth define that part of the colony mentioned and described in the Schedule hereto to be the Native Licensing District of Taupo, for the purposes of the said Act, in lieu of that described in the before-mentioned Proclamation.

#### SCHEDULE.

BOUNDED towards the North generally by the Counties of Raglan, Waipa, and Waikato respectively, from Pirongia Mountain to Kopuhau; thence by a right line to Poutihi; thence towards the East and again towards the North and East by the Counties of Tauranga and Whakatane to the County of Wairoa; thence towards the South-east and again towards the East by that county to the 39° 15' parallel of south latitude; thence towards the South by that parallel of latitude to the County of Taranaki; thence towards the West by the said County of Taranaki to its northernmost angle; thence by a right line to Rangitoto Mountain; thence by a line bearing north 22° 30' west to the summit of the watershed between the Waipa River and the West Coast, and by that summit to Pirongia Mountain aforesaid, the place of commencement.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*"The Education Act, 1877."—Class-book for Public Schools.*

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,  
Governor.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this ninth day of September, 1884.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by "The Education Act, 1877," the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the colony, doth make the regulation hereto annexed approving of a class-book for public schools; and, with the like advice and consent, doth prescribe that this order shall take effect from the date hereof.

#### REGULATION.

THE book entitled "A Geography of New Zealand and Australia," by J. J. Paerson, B.A. (Whitcombe and Tombs, Limited, Christchurch), may be used in any public school as if it had been described and included in the list of works set forth in the Order in Council dated the 24th day of September, 1878.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Additional Public Vaccinators, Wairoa and Woodville Districts, appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 8th September, 1884.

**HIS** Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

MATTHEW SCOTT, Esq.,

to be an additional Public Vaccinator, under "The Public Health Act, 1876," for the Wairoa District; and also to appoint

ALLAN BARBOUR moor, Esq.,

to be an additional Public Vaccinator, under the said Act, for the Woodville District.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

*Registrar of Electors appointed, Bruce District.*

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

**HIS** Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ALEXANDER NELSON, Esq.,

to be the Registrar of Electors, under "The Registration of Electors Act, 1879," for the Electoral District of Bruce, vice R. R. Jones, deceased.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

*Deputy District Judge appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 9th September, 1884.

**HIS** Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ANDREW TURNBULL, Esq.,

to be Deputy of the District Judge of the District Court of Nelson.

JOS. A. TOLE.

*Members of Licensing Committees appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 9th September, 1884.

**HIS** Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES MCGIMPSEY ROBSON

to be a Member of the Licensing Committee for the District of Ohinemuri, vice P. Austin, resigned;

WILLIAM JOSEPH FURLONG

to be a Member of the Licensing Committee for the District of Borough of Hawera, vice M. D. King, resigned;

WILLIAM JAMES BAILLIE

to be a Member of the Licensing Committees for the Districts of Picton and Borough of Picton, vice A. P. Seymour, resigned;

GEORGE FRANCIS BULLEN and  
HENRY ANTHONY INGLES

to be Members of the Licensing Committee for the District of Kaikoura, vice J. A. Skirvington, resigned, and A. McLaurin;

ALEXANDER CAIRNS

to be a Member of the Licensing Committees for the Districts of Dunedin South, Dunedin Central, Dunedin Bell, and Dunedin Leith, vice Han. Robert Stout, resigned; and

HENRY SAMUEL JONES

to be a Member of the Licensing Committee for the District of Caversham, vice B. S. Carlton, resigned.

JOS. A. TOLE.

*Clerk of Licensing Committee appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 9th September, 1884.

**HIS** Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM ARTHUR THOM

to be Clerk of the Licensing Committees for the Districts of Rotorua and Thermal Springs, vice E. S. Willcocks, resigned.

JOS. A. TOLE.

*Volunteer Officers promoted and appointed.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 2nd September, 1884.

**HIS** Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the under mentioned promotions and appointments:—

*Canterbury Yeomanry Cavalry.*

Fulbert Astley Archer to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 29th August, 1884.

*Nelson Naval Artillery Volunteers.*

Lieutenant Charles Yates Fell to be captain. Date of commission, 7th July, 1884.

*Auckland City Guards.*

William Osborne to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 6th August, 1884.

*Thames Rifle Rangers.*

William Henry Lucas to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 6th August, 1884.

*Nelson City Rifle Volunteers.*

Lieutenant Thomas Rowling to be captain. Date of commission, 9th July, 1884.

EDWARD WAKEFIELD.

*Volunteer Officer resigned*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 2nd September, 1884.

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

*Christchurch Rifle Volunteers.*

Lieutenant George John Smith. Date of resignation, 30th June, 1884.

EDWARD WAKEFIELD.

*Resignation of Volunteer Officer cancelled.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 1st September, 1884.

**HIS** Excellency the Governor has been pleased to cancel the resignation of

Lieutenant DANIEL CAMERON,

of the Greytown Rifle Volunteers, as published in *Gazette* No. 62, of the 22nd May, 1884.

EDWARD WAKEFIELD.

*Alterations and Additions to Offices at which Electoral Rolls of Egmont, Waikato, Picton, and Greymouth Districts can be inspected.*

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

**I**N accordance with the provisions of "The Registration of Electors Act, 1879," I hereby appoint

The Post Office, Manaia, and  
The Post Office, Mangawhero,

to be offices at which the Egmont Electoral Roll can be inspected, in lieu of Messrs. Langley Brothers' Store, Manaia, and Messrs. Southey and Willy's Office, Mangawhero; and I appoint

The Post Office, Okaiawa,  
The Post Office, Otakeho,  
The Post Office, Parihaka,  
The Post Office, Okato,  
The Post Office, Oakura, and  
The Post Office, Omata,

to be additional offices at which the said electoral roll can be inspected; and

The Courthouse, Te Aroha,

to be an additional office at which the Waikato Electoral Roll can be inspected; and

The Post Office, Picton,

to be an office at which the Picton Electoral Roll can be inspected, in lieu of the Courthouse, Picton; and

Mr. B. McGuire's Store, Arnold,

to be an office at which the Greymouth Electoral Roll can be inspected, in lieu of H. Castle's store, Arnold; and

The Police Station, Coaldale,

to be an additional office at which the said roll can be inspected.

P. A. BUCKLEY,  
Colonial Secretary.

*Application for Registration of a Trade Mark.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 5th September, 1884.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that FRANCIS H. SNOW, of Greenfell Street, Adelaide, in the Colony of South Australia, Licensed Patent Agent, has applied, on behalf of BORNE SCRYMSEER AND COMPANY, of New York, in the United

States of America, to register, under "The Trade Marks Act, 1866," a trade mark of which the following is a description, viz. :—

*Description of Trade Mark.*

A square label on which is the representation of two flags flying from halliards attached to two flagstaves crossing one another. The flag on the right is a representation of the Union Jack of Great Britain, and that on the left a representation of the Stars and Stripes of the United States of America. In the space between the upper portion of the two crossed flagstaves are the letters "B.S." and in that between their lower extremities are the words "& Co. Trade Mark."

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

Lubricating oils.

P. A. BUCKLEY,  
Colonial Secretary and Registrar of Trade Marks.

*Quarantine at Ports in Western Australia.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 5th September, 1884.

THE following telegram from the Colonial Secretary of Western Australia is published for general information.

P. A. BUCKLEY,

The Colonial Secretary, Wellington.  
THIS Government will be obliged by your making it known that vessels, passengers, merchandise, &c., arriving at any port in colony, are subjected to a quarantine of twenty-one days from date of leaving Victorian ports.

COLONIAL SECRETARY, Perth.

3rd September, 1884.

*Letters of Naturalisation issued.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 10th September, 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.
Hans Block ..	Gold-miner ..	Kumara.
Andrias Hallberg ..	Farmer ..	Ashley-Clinton.
Frederick Renner ..	Master mariner	Wellington.

*Notice to Mariners, No. 40 of 1884.*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, N.Z., 10th September, 1884.

THE following Notices to Mariners, received from the Portmaster, Brisbane, and the Department of Ports and Harbours, Melbourne, are published for general information.

ROBERT STOUT.

**ENTERPRIZE CHANNEL, HERBERT RIVER.—BEACONS REPLACED BY BUOYS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that, in consequence of the shifting nature of the sand at the entrance to the Enterprize Channel the two beacons have been replaced by a red and a black buoy.

G. P. HEATH, Commander, R.N.,  
Department of Ports and Harbours, Portmaster,  
Brisbane, 4th August, 1884.

**CLIFFY ISLAND LIGHTHOUSE, BASS STRAITS.**

REFERRING to the Notice to Mariners dated the 25th May, 1883, it is now notified that, on and after the 8th September, 1884, a light will be exhibited from the lighthouse on Clifty Island.

The light is a third order dioptric flashing light, showing red, and giving five flashes and eclipses alternately in every minute; it is elevated 180 feet above the level of the sea, and will be visible in clear weather all round the horizon at a distance of fifteen nautical miles.

The lighthouse is 25 feet high, and constructed of stone.  
Position (approximate): Lat. 38° 58' 10" S., long. 146° 42' 24" E.

ALEXR. WILSON,  
Engineer in Charge, Ports and Harbours.  
Department of Ports and Harbours,  
Melbourne, 8th August, 1884.

*Notice to Mariners, No. 41 of 1884.*

WESTPORT, BULLER RIVER, WEST COAST OF MIDDLE ISLAND OF NEW ZEALAND.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, N.Z., 10th September, 1884.

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after Thursday, the 1st January, 1885, an alteration will be made in the light signals at Westport, when the following will be exhibited:—

Harbour light: The present white light will be continued on its present site, south-west side of entrance to the river.

Bar unsafe: A red light seaward of the harbour light.

Bar safe, with seven feet of water thereon: A white light seaward of the harbour light.

Bar safe, with nine feet of water thereon: A green light seaward of the harbour light.

For crossing the bar, the white or the green light, as the case may be, and the harbour light should be kept in one.

During the day the New Zealand bar and danger signals will be used, and also the international code when necessary; and the red masthead flag-signal hitherto shown at tide-time will be discontinued.

ROBERT STOUT.

*Designation of Post Office changed.*

General Post Office,  
Wellington, 28th September, 1884.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the designation of the Post and Telegraph Office in the Thames Postal District known as Waterford will, from the 1st proximo, be changed to

KATIKATI,

By order of the Postmaster-General,  
W. GRAY,  
Secretary.

*Application for a Patent.*

Patent Office,  
Wellington, 4th September, 1884.

PATENT for the Combination Kitchen Boiler and Fire-stand.

JENS JENSEN, of Feilding, Wellington, New Zealand, Blacksmith, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Thursday, the 13th day of November 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 29th day of October 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,  
No. 1208. Patent Officer.

*Application for a Patent.*

Patent Office,  
Wellington, 4th September, 1884.

PATENT for Improvements on Brakes for Carriages and other Light Vehicles, to be called "Price's Noiseless Spring Brake."

CHARLES EDWARD PRICE, of Queenstown, Otago, New Zealand, Coachbuilder, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Thursday, the 13th day of November 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 29th day of October 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,  
No. 1209. Patent Officer.

*Application for a Patent.*

Patent Office,  
Wellington, 4th September, 1884.

PATENT for an Improved Portable Floating Apparatus for sluicing Alluvial Earths.

GEORGE BOULTON BROWN ELLIOTT, of No. 2, Sydney Terrace, East Melbourne, Victoria, Timber Merchant, has

deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Thursday, the 13th day of November 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 23th day of October 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. 1210.

*Application for a Patent.*

Patent Office,  
Wellington, 5th September, 1884.  
**P**ATENT for a Trap for taking Rabbits or other Animals. RICHARD JONES, of Forth Place, Dunedin, New Zealand, Engineer, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Tuesday, the 18th day of November 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 3rd day of November 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. 1211.

*Application for a Patent.*

Patent Office,  
Wellington, 6th September, 1884.  
**P**ATENT for an Invention for the saving of Gas, and increasing its Illuminating Power. HERBERT GABY, of Wellington, New Zealand, Engineer, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Tuesday, the 18th day of November 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 3rd day of November 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. 1212.

*Application for a Patent.*

Patent Office,  
Wellington, 8th September, 1884.  
**P**ATENT for Improved Flock-dressing Machine. EPHRAIM ELLIS, of Kaikorai, Otago, New Zealand, Flock-dresser, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Tuesday, the 18th day of November 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 3rd day of November 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. 1213.

*Application for a Patent.*

Patent Office,  
Wellington, 8th September, 1884.  
**P**ATENT for an Improved Range-Boiler Tap, absolutely water-tight under any pressure; applicable also to brewers' vats and barrels, or to any other vessel where heavy pressure ordinarily causes leakage; to steam water-gauges for locomotive and other boilers, working with two or more taps on one and the same principle; and to gas meters.

WILLIAM RAINBOW, of Christchurch, New Zealand, Engineer, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Tuesday, the 18th day of November 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 3rd day of November next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objec-

tions to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

C. J. A. HASELDEN,  
Patent Officer.  
No. 1214.

*Officiating Ministers for 1884.—Notice No. 20.*

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 9th September, 1884.  
**P**URSUANT to the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, passed in the forty-fourth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, and intituled "The Marriage Act, 1880," the following names of Officiating Ministers within the meaning of the said Act are published for general information:—  
*Church of the Province of New Zealand, commonly called the Church of England.*  
The Reverend John Taylor, D.D.  
*Presbyterian Church of New Zealand.*  
The Reverend James McKellar.  
The Reverend David McNeill.  
E. J. VON DADELSZEN,  
Deputy Registrar-General.

*Te Makarini Scholarships.*

**T**WO Scholarships of the yearly value of £35 each, to be held at the Native College, Te Aute, Hawke's Bay, are offered for competition to Maori youths, on the conditions laid down in the Regulations of the Trustees of the Te Makarini Scholarships Fund, as printed in the Native Schools Code, 1884, except that the laws of health will not be one of the subjects of examination. The examination will be held at convenient centres on the 16th and 16th of December, 1884.

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

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

JAMES H. POPE,  
Inspector of Native Schools.  
Wellington, 15th August, 1884.

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

**W**RITTEN 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.

*Gold Fields Notices.*

*Gold-Mining Leases cancelled.*

Mines Department,  
Wellington, 9th September, 1884.  
**I**T is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to pronounce the under-mentioned gold-mining leases cancelled, and that the ground is now open for application as if no leases of the said ground had ever been applied for:—

John Marietta and David Stephenson; 16 acres 2 roods, Section 10, Block X., Ngakawau District. No. 1343.

William Campbell, for the Nui Pai Gold-Mining Company; 16 acres 2 roods, Section 9, Block X., Ngakawau District. No. 1344.

In the Nelson South-West Gold Fields.

J. BALLANCE,  
(for the Minister of Mines.)

Gold-Mining Leases and Special Claims cancelled.

Mines Department, Wellington, 10th September, 1884.

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

No.	Applicant.	Name of Company.	Section.	Block.	District.	Area.
GOLD-MINING LEASES.						
1323	George Wise	Twilight ..	69	XIV.	Reefton ..	A. R. P. 16 2 5
1316	P. Brennan	North Fleece ..	69	XI.	" ..	16 1 31
1317	W. Hindmarsh	Royal George ..	66	XIV.	" ..	16 1 37
1278	P. Brennan	Union Extended ..	42	II.	Waitahu ..	15 3 33
1285	P. Brennan	Union Extended ..	40	"	" ..	16 2 4
1279	a Perotti	Enterprise ..	36	"	" ..	16 2 1
1287	P. Brennan	Great Western ..	46	"	" ..	16 1 27
1277	P. Brennan	Union Extended ..	41	"	" ..	16 0 36
1288	W. Hindmarsh	Advance ..	38	"	" ..	16 1 38
1280	G. Wise ..	Lucknow ..	32	"	" ..	16 1 33
1318	James Kidd	British Queen	95	XIV.	Reefton ..	16 0 16
1322	W. Hindmarsh	Juno ..	72	XII.	" ..	15 1 27
1307	T. Hunter	Belfast ..	31	VII.	" ..	16 2 0
1305	John Butler	Medea ..	8	XII.	Mawheranui ..	16 2 4
1284	W. Hindmarsh	G e e l o n g	29	II.	Waitahu ..	16 1 30
1275	W. Hindmarsh	Great Britain ..	4	"	" ..	16 1 35
1281	G. Wise ..	Peabody ..	55	"	" ..	16 1 27
1276	W. Hindmarsh	Britannia ..	48	"	" ..	16 1 35
1321	P. Brennan	Long Hand ..	71	XI.	Reefton ..	16 1 31
1300	Ralph De Young	Favourite ..	77	II.	Waitahu ..	16 0 33
1283	W. G. Collings	Triumph ..	3	"	" ..	16 1 27
1282	P. Brennan	Washington ..	56	"	" ..	16 0 12
1299	R. J. Scoltock	Border Chief ..	2	VI.	" ..	16 2 4
SPECIAL CLAIMS.						
1266	C. Clifford ..	Welcome Consuls	37	VII.	Reefton ..	49 3 12
1267	C. Clifford ..	Royal Welcome	38	"	" ..	50 1 25
1270	W. Hindmarsh	Grand	51	II.	Waitahu ..	69 0 3
1269	W. Hindmarsh	Graphic ..	52	"	" ..	75 0 32
1265	W. Hindmarsh	Divide ..	53	"	" ..	49 1 26
1268	W. Hindmarsh	Cure ..	49	"	" ..	74 3 28
1244	D. McGee ..	Golden Garter	18	VI.	" ..	64 2 15

J. BALLANCE, (for the Minister of Mines.)

Gold-Mining Leases cancelled.

Mines Department, Wellington, 10th September, 1884.

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

Job Gregory and Hugh Horner; 4 acres 1 rood, District of Charleston. No. 668.  
Patrick Walsh and Patrick O'Brien; 8 acres 2 roods 5 perches, District of Waitakere. No. 1010.  
In the Nelson South-West Gold Fields.

J. BALLANCE,  
(for the 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 applicants specified in the annexed Schedule, unless there shall be valid objections against such lease.

Objections to the granting of such lease, stating the grounds of objection, must be made in writing, and lodged with the Warden at Lawrence on or before the 25th day of September, 1884.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPLICANTS: William Johnstone and others. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "Nelson Gold-Mining Company." 1 acre 1 rood 31 perches, being Section 5, Block XVIII., Taupeka East, in the Taupeka Mining District.

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

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

Native Land Court Notices.

Native Land Court.—Application for Rehearing of Claim dismissed.

NATIVE LAND COURT, NEW ZEALAND:  
AUCKLAND DISTRICT.

IN the matter of a judgment of the Court given at Ohinemutu, in the said district, on the 10th day of June, 1884, upon the hearing of a claim for the subdivision of a piece of land in the said district, known as "Okoheriki," part of the Rotorua Patetere Block; and in the matter of the application of Ngahuruhuru and others for a rehearing upon Okoheriki No. B1:

I, John Edwin Macdonald, Chief Judge of the said Court, and in exercise of the authority in that behalf rested in me, do hereby dismiss such application.

Dated this 23rd day of August, 1884.

J. E. MACDONALD,  
Chief Judge.

Native Land Court.—Application for Rehearing of Claim dismissed.

NATIVE LAND COURT, NEW ZEALAND:  
AUCKLAND DISTRICT.

IN the matter of a judgment of the Court given at Ohinemutu, in the mid district, on the 26th day of June, 1884, upon the hearing of a claim for the subdivision of a piece of land situate in the said district, and known as "Te Rotohokahoka," part of Rotorua Patetere Block; and in the matter of the application of Ngahuruhuru and others for a rehearing upon Te Rotohokahoka Block No. C:

I, John Edwin Macdonald, Chief Judge of the said Court, and in exercise of the authority in that behalf rested in me, do hereby dismiss such application.

Dated this 23rd day of August, 1884.

J. E. MACDONALD,  
Chief Judge.

**Crown Lands Notices.**

*Sale of Township and Suburban Lands, Awatoto, West Clive, and Tarawera.*

Notice is hereby given that the under-mentioned township and suburban lands will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Council Chamber, Napier, on Friday, the 3rd October next, at 2 p.m.

Further particulars can be ascertained on application at this office.

Terms: One-fourth of the purchase-money must be paid at the sale, and the balance, with Crown-grant fees, within a month thereafter.

HORACE BAKER,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Awatoto Suburban: Section 53, 17 acres. Upset price, £127 10s.

West Clive Suburban: Section 50, 8 acres 1 rood 25 perches. Upset price, £27 5s.

Tarawera Township: Sections 2, 3, 5, 6, 10, 11, 12, 24, 26, 27, 28, 30, 81, 82, and 88. Each section contains 1 rood, and the upset price per section is £7 10s.

*Sale by Auction of Leases of Portions of Reserve.*

Crown Lands Office,  
Blenheim, 19th August, 1884.

NOTICE is hereby given that the leases of the under-mentioned portions of the Awatere Shearing Reserve will be disposed of by public auction, at the Survey Office, Blenheim, at noon, on Tuesday, the 7th October, 1884. Term of leases to be ten years:—

AWATERE SHEARING RESERVE, HODDER SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Annual Rent.
I.	2	A. R. P. 1,520 1 26	6d. per acre.
II.	2	1,104 1 24*	
III.	1	1,230 0 0*	3d. per acre.
"	2	1,842 0 0*	

\* As one section.

HENRY G. CLARKE,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Sale by Auction of Crown Lands, Marlborough.*

THE Land Board of the Marlborough Land District hereby notifies that at noon, on Tuesday, the 7th October, 1884, at the Survey Office, Blenheim, the under-mentioned allotment of suburban land will be offered for sale by public auction for cash, and licenses of the runs under mentioned will also be offered by public auction, at the upset prices and rents respectively hereinafter set forth:—

TO BE SOLD FOR CASH, KAIKOURA SUBURBAN.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
Part 2 of 86 ..	A. R. P. 21 1 0	£ s. d. 63 15 0

Twenty-five per cent. must be paid at the auction; the balance and the Crown-grant fee within one month, or the money paid at auction will be forfeited.

RUNS TO BE LET UNDER LICENSE FOR PASTORAL PURPOSES under "The Land Act, 1877," and the Amendments thereof, 1879 and 1882.

Locality.	Name of Run.	Survey District.	Approximate Area.
Kaituna Valley	Maxwell Run ..	Cloudy Bay and Onamalutu	1,230 Acres.
Kaituna	Craig Morny Run	Cloudy Bay ..	570

Upset annual rent, 1d. an acre. Term of license to be ten years.

There must be paid in each case, at the auction, rent at

the rate of the highest price bid, from date of auction to the 1st March, 1885, and £3 for the license.

Dated at the Crown Lands Office, Blenheim, 1st September, 1884.  
HENRY G. CLARKE,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Auction of Leases of Reserves, Marlborough.*

Crown Lands office,  
Blenheim, 20th August, 1884.

LEASES of the under-mentioned lands, being public reserves, will be offered by public auction, under "The Public Reserves Act, 1831," on Tuesday, the 7th October, 1884, at noon, at the Survey Office, Blenheim, viz:—

KAITUNA VALLEY: Section 8, 48 acres. Term of lease to be five years. Upset annual rent, £10.

PICTON HARBOUR: Section 117, 470 acres; out of which is reserved a strip of land 1 chain in width from high-water mark. Term of lease to be seven years. Upset annual rent, £20.

BLOCK A. WAIPAPA RUN: 1,500 acres. Term of lease to be fourteen years. Upset annual rent, £75.

Bidding to be on the annual rent. Rent in advance from date of auction to the 31st December, 1884, to be paid at the motion.

Conditions are open for inspection at this office.  
HENRY G. CLARKE,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Sale of Crown Lands, Canterbury.*

Crown Lands Office,  
Christchurch, 1st July, 1884.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned Crown lands will be open for application, for cash and upon deferred payments, at the Land Office, Christchurch, on Wednesday, the 8th October, 1884:—

VILLAGE SETTLEMENT BETWEEN SPRINGFIELD AND SHEFFIELD.

Reserve.	Lot.	Area.	Price per Acre.
<i>For Cash.</i>			
1935	1	A. R. P. 8 2 18	£ s. d. 5 0 0
	2	6 0 0	
	3	5 0 0	
	8	8 0 29	
<i>Upon Deferred Payments.</i>			
1935	4 and 5	A. R. P. 20 0 0	£ s. d. 6 0 0
	6 and 7	20 0 0	

WALTER KITSON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Sale of Part of an Old Railway Reserve between the Rangitata River and the Waihi Creek.*

Crown Lands Office,  
Christchurch, 24th June, 1884.

THE above strip of land will be offered for sale by public auction, as land of special value, in the following lots, at the Land Office, Christchurch, on Friday, the 26th September next, at 12 o'clock noon:—

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
1	5 0 0	14 0 0
2	12 1 8	14 0 0
3	1 2 0	14 0 0
4	9 1 0	14 0 0
5	2 1 6	18 10 0
6	17 8 28	13 10 0
7	12 1 35	10 0 0
8	4 0 20	8 0 0
9	8 8 31	2 0 0
10	1 1 5	2 0 0
11	8 2 16	5 0 0
12	5 1 30	5 0 0
13	31 8 82	2 0 0
14	81 8 82	2 0 0
15	15 8 88	2 0 0
16	7 0 2	4 0 0
17	10 8 88	4 0 0
18	2 1 24	4 0 0
19	4 8 2	4 0 0
20	5 0 27	4 0 0
21	7 1 17	4 0 0



Plans may be seen at the Land Offices, Christchurch and Timaru, on and after the 25th July, 1884.

WALTER KITSON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Sale of Crown Lands at Ashwick Flat, on Immediate and Deferred Payments.*

Crown Lands Office,  
Christchurch, 20th August, 1884.

THE under-mentioned Crown lands will be offered to the public as follows:—

DEFERRED-PAYMENT LANDS.

On Thursday, the 27th day of November next, applications will be received at the Land Office, Christchurch, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m., for the under-mentioned lands open for application on deferred payments.

*Sections in Ashwick Flat.*

Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Section.
	A. B. P.	£ s. d.
1	290 3 23	872 13 8
2	269 1 3	807 16 2
3	317 1 7	951 17 8
4	313 1 0	935 15 0
5	314 1 0	785 12 6
6	315 0 0	787 10 0
7	305 3 0	764 7 6
8	320 0 0	640 0 0
9	317 3 34	635 13 6
10	320 0 0	640 0 0
11	314 2 9	943 13 5
13	266 0 22	1,064 11 0
16	262 1 15	655 17 3
17	303 0 7	757 12 3
18	254 3 39	382 9 10
19	320 0 0	640 0 0
20	308 0 24	616 6 0
21	319 0 22	638 5 6
22	320 0 0	640 0 0
23	320 0 0	640 0 0
24	320 0 0	640 0 0

Applicants for any of the above lands may also send their applications and deposits, with statutory declaration as required by "The Land Act, 1877," through the post to the Land Office, Christchurch, to arrive on or before Thursday, the 27th November, 1884.

Should two or more persons apply for the same section, it will be put up to auction (between the applicants only), at the Crown Lands Office, Christchurch, on Friday, the 28th day of November, at 10.30 a.m.

On Friday, the 28th day of November, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, the under-mentioned lands will be submitted for sale, for cash, by public auction, at the Land Office, Christchurch:—

*Sections in Ashwick Flat.*

Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Section.
	A. B. P.	£ s. d.
12	48 2 8	169 18 6
14	70 2 2	141 0 6
15	66 0 8	132 2 0

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

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

WALTER KITSON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Sale of Crown Lands, Nelson.*

Crown Lands Office,  
Nelson, 30th July, 1884.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned allotments of Crown lands will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Land Office, Nelson, on Monday, the 22nd September, 1884, at 12 o'clock noon.

One-fourth of the purchase-money must be paid at the time of sale, and the remainder within one calendar month from that date, or the deposit forfeited.

SCHEDULE.

District.	Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
Totaranui	..	III.	21	A. R. P. £ s. d.
		IV.	4 & 25	46 0 0 34 10 0
Wai-iti	..	I.	5	187 0 0 83 10 0
			14	19 0 0 9 10 0
Township of Waiau	..	..	94	111 0 0 55 10 0
				0 0 23 5 0 0

ALFRED GREENFIELD,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Sale by Auction in the Land District of Otago.*

Crown Lands Office,  
Dunedin, 25th August, 1884.

CROWN Lands Sale, by motion, at the Crown Lands Office, 0500, Dunedin, on Tuesday, the 30th September, 1884, at noon.

RURAL LAND.

Akatoru District: Sections 31, 45A, and 46A, Block I., from 39 to 52 acres. upset price, £1 la. per acre.  
 Catlin's District: Section 30, Block I., 50 acres. Upset price, £1 ls. per acre. Survey fees, 89 17s. 6d.  
 Clarendon District: Sections 55 to 59, Block VI.; 7 to 18, and 22 to 25, Block XI.; 21 to 56 acres. Upset price, £1 ls. per acre.  
 Glenoamaru District: Section 29, Block VII., 18 acres, at £1 5s. per acre; survey fees, £6. section 22, Block IX., 50 acres, at £1 per acre; survey fees, £10. Section 22 is unsurveyed land, to be adjusted after survey.  
 Maungatua District: Sections 22 and 23, Block XV., 17 acres 2 roods 5 perches, and 9 acres 2 roods 7 perches. Upset price, £1 ls. per acre.  
 Otakia District: Sections 39 and 43, Block V., respectively 1 and 30 acres. Upset price, £1 ls. per acre.  
 Otama District: Section 27, Block III., 194 acres, at £1 ls. per acre.  
 Otepopo District: Section 53, Block I., 17 acres 2 roods 8 perches; upset price, £2 per acre. (Note.—This section, which has been kept in reserve, is good land, and is situated near Hampden.) Sections 58 and 59, Block VIII., 48 and 3 acres; upset price, £1 ls. per acre. Section 40, Block X., 110 acres 3 roods; upset price, £1 ls. per acre.  
 Table Hill District: Section 49, Block I., 70 acres. Upset price, £1 ls. per acre. Survey fees, £8 2s. 6d., and valuation or improvements, £10. (Note.—This section is unsurveyed, and is part of what is known as Canada Bush.)  
 Toitoto District: Section 51, Block IV., 65 acres, Upset price, £1 ls. per acre.  
 Tuturau District: Sections 66 to 70, Block III., and Sections 77 and 78, Block IV., under 20 acres each; upset price, 3 per acre. Sections 48, 90 to 100, Block IV., from 12 to 31 acres; upset price, £1 ls. per acre.  
 Wendon District: Sections 11, 17, and 21, Block VII.; sections 1, 2, 4, 9, 10, 12, Block VIII.; Sections 7, 8, 16, 22 to 25, Block IX.; Section 3, Block X.  
 Wendonside District: Sections 5, 16, 17, Block I.; Sections 1, 9, 13, 18, and 19, Block II.  
 Greenvale District: Sections 4, 5, and 6, Block XI.  
 Non-Sections in Wendon, Wendonside, and Greenvale Districts from 183 to 320 acres. Upset price, £1 10s. to £2 LOS. per acre.

RURAL DEFERRED PAYMENT.

*Cancelled Licenses reopened.*

NOTE.—The valuation for improvements, with first half-year's instalment, equal to one-twentieth part of purchase money, payable on fall of hammer.  
 Crookston District: Section 1, Block XVII., 200 acres. Upset price, £1 per acre.  
 NOTE.—The upset price of this section has been reduced from £1 10s. to £1 per acre. Valuation for improvements, £98 15s.  
 Dart District: Sections 1, 2, 3, and 4, Block II., (grouped as one allotment), 219 acres, at £1 10s. per acre. Valuation or improvements, £25.  
 Kurow District: Section 7, Block II., 211 acres, at £1 10s. per acre. Improvements, £630 16s.  
 Lauder District: Section 16, Block III., 100 acres, at £3 per acre; improvements, £199 2s. Section 17, Block III., 100 acres, at £3 per acre; improvements, £256 10s. Section

18, Block III., 100 acres, at £3 per acre; improvements, £256 5s.

Mount Hyde District: Section 27, Block IV., 271 acres; Section 29, Block IV., 319 acres; at £1 10s. per acre.

Otara District: Section 18, Block III., 225 acres, at £1 10s. per acre; Sections 7 and 8 (grouped), Block IV., 253 acres, at £1 10s. per acre.

NOTE.—20 chains of fencing payable under the Fencing Ordinance on Sections 7 and 8.

Wendon District: Section 3, Block VII., 315 acres, at £2 10s. per acre; improvements, £20. Section 8, Block VII., 266 acres, at £3 per acre; improvements, £333 12s. 6d.

Wendonside District: Section 6, Block I., 320 acres, at £2 10s. per acre.

Waihemo District: Section 13, Block VII., 200 acres, at £1 per acre; improvements, £110.

NOTE.—Both upset price and valuation for improvements have been reduced on Section 13, Block VII., Waihemo.

#### PASTORAL DEFERRED PAYMENT

##### Reopened Licenses.

Rankleburn District: Sections 4 and 5 (grouped), Block XI., 1,607 acres; valuation for improvements, 815. Sections 2 and 3 (grouped), Block XII., 1,209 acres; improvements, £1,073 18s. upset price, £2 2s. per acre.

Tuturau District: Section 31, Block IX., 1,967 acres. upset price, £1 per acre.

NOTE.—The purchaser of each lot shall, immediately after the same is knocked down to him, produce to the auctioneer the required statutory declaration. A thirtieth part of the purchase-money, with the amount for valuation for improvements, must be paid on fall of hammer.

#### TOWNSHIPS.

Sections in the Townships of Dunkeld, Heriot, Glenorchy, Havelock, Kapiti, Kelso, Kurow, and Maheno.

NOTE.—Upset price at the rate of £30 per acre. Some sections in Kurow are subject to valuation. Full particulars can be had on application to the Crown Lands Office, Dunedin.

#### SUBURBAN.

Sections in Havelock, Kapiti, and Waitaki.  
Nom.—Sections 8, 9, and 10, Block X., Havelock; upset price, £3 per acre. The section in Kapiti, which contains 10 acres, was formerly leased for limestone purposes; it is now offered for sale at £3 per acre, with valuation for fencing £15. The sections in Waitaki are from 2 to 5 acres each, at £5 per acre.

#### PASTORAL LEASES.

Benger Commonage: About 11,000 acres, west Pomahaka River. Term, ten years. Upset rental, 2d. per acre.

Crookston District: Sections 44, 50, 52, Block I., and if and 14, Block XV. (grouped), 295 acres. Term, ten years, upset rental, 3d. per acre.

Otago Peninsula: Section 53, Block III., 437 acres. Term, ten years. upset rental, £30 per annum.

Table Hill District: Section 16, Block VII., 202 acres. Term, twenty-one years. upset rental, 1s. per acre.

Waihemo District: Sections 11 and 14 (grouped), Block VII., 300 acres. Term, ten years. Upset rental, 6d. per acre.

#### RUNS.

##### Licenses for Two Years.

No. 177: About 13,150 acres, Waikawa District. Upset rental, £290 per annum.

No. 257: About 3,450 acres, Mokoreta. Upset, £87.

##### Licenses for Ten Years.

No. 6: About 11,240 acres, Wakatipu. Upset, £20.

No. 236E: About 3,760 acres, Morven Hills. Upset, £50.

No. 236H: About 17,930 acres, Morven Hills. Upset, £200.

No. 170B: About 6,300 acres, Beaumont. upset, £60.

##### Licenses for Fourteen Years.

No. 432: About 9,500 acres, Kingston. Upset rental, £15 per annum.

No. 445: About 15,080 acres, Hawkdun. Upset, £35.

No. 450: About 4,890 acres, Monowai Lake. Upset, £5.

No. 456: About 5,990 acres, Hauroto Lake. Upset, £5.

##### Licenses for Twenty-one Years.

Nos. 11, 12, 13, and 15 (grouped): About 59,910 acres, Wakatipu Depasturing District. Upset rental, £150 per annum.

No. 453: About 20,940 acres, Te Anau. Upset, £5.

Nos. 471, 472, 473, and 474 (grouped): About 25,660 acres, Hollyford Valley, Upset, £10.

No. 476: About 6,000 acres, Dusky Sound. Upset, £5.

Nom.—The leases of the foregoing runs are sold subject to the general provisions as to runs specified in "The Land Act, 1877," and amendments of same. Possession on day of sale, except Runs 450 and 456, the leases of which do not expire until 1st March, 1885, when possession will be given. The highest rental paid for any run, to be licensed for twenty-one years, will be that payable for the first seven years of the license; for the second seven years, double that amount; and for the third seven years, treble.

N.B.—Full particulars will be given in *Daily Times* every Wednesday and Saturday, and in *Witness* every Saturday; also by handbills, to be had at the District Land Offices, Railway Stations, Police Stations, Post Offices, and at the Crown Lands Office, Dunedin.

J. P. MAITLAND,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land opened for Application on Deferred Payments and for Cash.

#### Crown Lands Office,

Invercargill, 20th August, 1884.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned sections which have been withheld from sale will be open for application on deferred payments three months hence, in terms of clause 153 of "The Land Act, 1877," namely:—

Block I., Seaward Bush Township: Section No. 26, 1 acre 3 roods 8 perches; Section No. 36, 5 acres; Section No. 59, 5 acres; Section No. 63, 4 acres 2 roods; Section No. 67, 4 acres 2 roods; and Section No. 68, 4 acres 2 roods.

Section No. 52, Block XIV., Jacob's River Hundred, 32 acres 2 roods 21 perches, which has also been withheld from sale, will be sold by public motion for cash.

W. H. PEARSON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

#### Land Transfer Act Notices.

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

CHARLES HENRY OSMOND.—Portions of Lots 108 and 109 of Section 10 of the Suburbs of Auckland, containing 9 acres and 35 perches. Partly in the occupation of Applicant and partly occupied by Philip Herman Davis, as lessee. 2279.

ANN ROBERTSON.—Allotments 41 and 42 of the Township of Greerton, containing 2 acres. Unoccupied. 2282.

JAMES HALLY.—Allotment 389 of the Town of Cambridge East, containing 1 acre. In the occupation of Henry Gillett. 2283.

JAMES WILLIAMSON and JOHN MURRAY.—Part of Allotment 3 of Section 13, Lots 16, 18, and parts of Lots 11 and 17 of the subdivision of Allotments 1, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, and 15 of Section 30 of the Village of Onehunga, containing 1 acre 3 roods 19 perches. 2235.

JOHN FISHER.—Lot 1 and part of Lot 15 of the subdivision into Lots of Allotments 5 and 6 of Section 14 of the City of Auckland, containing 5 perches. In Applicant's occupation. 2236.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

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

THEO. KISSLING,  
District Land Registrar.

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

HANNAH McClymont and GRACE GREENWOOD.—250 acres 2 roods 6 perches, more or less, being Sections 28 and 30, Block V., Hundred of Invercargill. Occupied by Francis Calvert. No. 2160.

THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE.—1 rood, being part of Section 1 of 32, Block I., Hundred of Invercargill, Unoccupied. No. 2163.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 30th day of August, 1834, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill,

F. G. NORGAN,  
District Land Registrar.

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

**ROBERT WILSON HARVEY**,—11.9 perches, more or less, being part of Section 5, Block VIII., Town of Invercargill. Occupied by Peter Erlandson, No. 2148.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.  
 Dated this 28th day of August, 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 at this office within one calendar month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Applicant: **OCTAVIUS CARRINGTON**, of New Plymouth. Surveyor. Area: 1 rood 3 perches. Description: Section 188, New Plymouth. Occupied by Applicant.

Applicant: **JAMES BAILEY**, of Okaiawa, Farmer. Area: 1 rood 6 perches. Description: Section 193, New Plymouth. Unoccupied.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.  
 Dated this 5th day of September, 1884, at the Land Registry Office, New Plymouth.

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

Part of Section, No. 54, Otago District, containing 7 1/2 acres 3 roods 36 perches.—**JAMES JOHN SINCLAIR** Applicant. Occupied by Applicant, No. 402.

Allotments Nos. 21 and 22, Town of Blenheim.—**JAMES JOHN SINCLAIR**, Applicant. Occupied by Applicant No. 403.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.  
 Dated this 9th day of September, 1884, at the Land Registry Office, Blenheim.

T. DUFFY,  
 Assistant Land Registrar.  
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**NOTICE** is hereby given that the parcel of land herein after described will be brought under the provision of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 18th October, 1884.

1503, **CHRISTIAN LORSEN**.—Part of Lot 5 of Sub division of Section 237, City of Wellington (Raining Street) In occupation of Applicant and of one Walter Mansill.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.  
 Dated this 10th day of September, 1884, at the Land Registry Office, Wellington.

GEO. B. DAVY,  
 District Land Registrar.  
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**Private Advertisements.**

**GOLD-MINING LEASE APPLICATION REFUSED.**

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the application of Thomas Newton and Tom Church, for a gold-mining lease of five acres of ground situate on Hamilton Hill, Hamilton lodged at the Warden's Office, Naseby, on 21st August, 1882 has been refused, and the ground referred to in such application is open to persons holding miners' rights or business licenses, or to applicants for a lease, as if no lease of the said ground had ever been applied for.

**JOHN S. HICKSON**,  
 Warden.  
 Naseby, 3rd September, 1884. 51

**DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.**

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between **GEORGE HOOPER**, **JOSEPH REED DODSON**, and **HENRY DODSON**, trading as **Brewers and Malsters** in the City of Nelson, was dissolved the 25th day of April last in consequence of the death of Mr. George Hooper and that all debts due to and by the late firm, as such partners, are to be respectively received and paid by the said **Joseph Reed Dodson** and **Henry Dodson**, by whom the business will in future be carried on under the name or style "**J. R. Dodson and Son**."

**J. R. DODSON**,  
**H. DODSON**.  
 Nelson, 5th September, 1884. 52

**DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.**

**WALPOLE AND CO.**

THE Partnership hitherto carried on under the style and title of "Walpole and co." has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

Witness—**Thomas Horsbrugh**, **R. H. WALPOLE**,  
 Witness—**R. C. Haldane**, **J. MATGILL**.

It is requested that all debts due to the above firm be paid to **J. Matgill**, Waiuku, by whom all just demands on the firm will be met.

Witness—**Thomas Horsbrugh**, **R. H. WALPOLE**,  
 Witness—**R. C. Haldane**, **J. MATGILL**.

**Cheese and Bacon Factory**,  
 Waiuku, 1st September, 1884. 522

**DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.**

THE Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, **JOHN STEVENS** and **EDWARD GORTON**, as Auctioneers, Land and Commission Agents, Native Interpreters, and Native Agents, and carried on under the style of "Stevens and Gorton," in the Counties of Rangitikei, Manawatu, and Oroua, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.

**Mr. RICHARD SLINGSBY ABRAHAM** has succeeded to **Mr. Stevens's** interests in the business of an Auctioneer and Land and General Commission Agent.

**Messrs. GORTON and ABRAHAM** will continue the last-mentioned business under the old style of "Stevens and Gorton."

**Mr. STEVENS** will, on his own account, carry on the business of a Licensed Interpreter and Native Agent.

All debts due to, and any sums owing by, the late firm will be received and paid by the new firm of **Stevens and Gorton**.

Dated this 30th day of June, 1884.  
**JOHN STEVENS**,  
**EDWARD GORTON**,  
 Witness—**Charles W. Maclean**, Law Student, Bull's. 521

**NEW ZEALAND HANSARD.**

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**GEO. DIDSBURY**,  
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 Government Printing Office,  
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