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Land set apart on Deferred Payments in Otago.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by the fifty-third section of "The Land Act, 1877," it is enacted that the Governor, by Proclamation in the *Gazette*, may from time to time set apart out of any suburban or rural lands such blocks or allotments of land as he shall think fit, and set the same aside for sale on deferred payments, and in such Proclamation may fix a day on which the land shall be open for application; and that he may also in like manner set apart for sale on deferred payments such blocks or allotments as may be recommended by any Land Board, and may also from time to time alter, amend, or revoke any such Proclamation:

And whereas the Land Board of Otago did, on the twentieth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, pass resolutions recommending that the land described in the Schedule hereto annexed should be set apart for sale on deferred payments:

And whereas it is expedient to give effect to the aforesaid recommendation, and to set apart the said land accordingly:

Now, therefore, I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the above-named Act, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is set apart for sale on deferred payments; and that Wednesday, the twenty-second day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, shall be the day on which the said land shall be open for application, in allotments as surveyed and marked on the selection map in the principal land office of the district.

And, further, in pursuance of the fifth section of "The Land Act 1877 Amendment Act, 1879," I do hereby fix the price at which the land so described shall be sold to be the price stated in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.
TOWNSHIP OF WAIKOIKOI.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
	A. R. P.	
1	4 3 1	£5 per acre.
2	3 2 18	
3	3 2 13	
4	1 0 0	
5	1 2 0	
6	1 2 0	
7	1 0 32	
8	1 3 27	
9	2 0 8	
10	2 0 39	
11	2 0 3	£3 per acre.
12	1 0 0	
13	1 0 0	
14	1 0 0	
16	1 1 28	
18	1 1 21	
20	1 1 39	
21	2 3 18	
22	3 3 22	
23	3 3 22	
17	5 2 34	
19	3 2 10	
24	3 2 7	
25	3 2 4	
26	2 0 5	
27	1 2 25	
28	1 2 10	
29	6 0 25	

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

R. HURSTHOUSE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land set apart on Deferred Payments in Canterbury.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by the fifty-third section of "The Land Act, 1877," it is enacted that the Governor, by Proclamation in the *Gazette*, may from time to time set apart out of any suburban or rural lands such blocks or allotments of land as he shall think fit, and set the same aside for sale on deferred payments, and in such Proclamation may fix a day on which the land shall be open for application; and that he may also in like manner set apart for sale on deferred payments such blocks or allotments as may be recommended by any Land Board, and may also from time to time alter, amend, or revoke any such Proclamation:

And whereas the Land Board of Canterbury did, on the tenth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, pass resolutions recommending that the land described in the Schedule hereto annexed should be set apart for sale on deferred payments:

And whereas it is expedient to give effect to the aforesaid recommendation, and to set apart the said land accordingly:

Now, therefore, I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the above-named Act, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is set apart for sale on deferred payments; and that Wednesday, the seventeenth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, shall be the day on which the said land shall be open for application, in allotments as surveyed and marked on the selection map in the principal land office of the district.

And, further, in pursuance of the fifth section of "The Land Act 1877 Amendment Act, 1879," I do hereby fix the price at which the land so described shall be sold to be the price stated in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

PART OF RESERVE No. 2331, BLOCK XI., OXFORD SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
1	73 0 5	2 10 0
2	95 3 34	2 10 0
3	100 0 0	2 10 0
4	136 2 28	2 10 0
5	75 0 28	3 0 0
6	100 0 0	3 0 0
7	100 0 0	3 0 0
8		
9	95 3 38	3 0 0
10		
11	90 2 32	2 10 0
13	93 2 31	2 10 0
14		
15	100 0 0	2 10 0
16		
17	100 0 0	2 0 0
18	75 2 25	2 0 0
20	178 3 18	3 10 0
21	185 1 22	3 0 0
22	105 1 29	3 10 0
23	131 0 34	3 0 0
24	100 0 0	3 0 0
25	100 0 0	3 0 0
26	100 0 0	3 0 0
27	100 0 0	3 0 0
28	101 2 17	3 0 0
29	106 1 37	3 0 0

* Grouped.

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

J. BALLANCE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE WE QUEEN !

Declaring Mauritius to be no longer an Infected Place under "The Public Health Act, 1876."

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance of all powers and authorities conferred upon me by "The Public Health Act, 1876," and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling me in that behalf, I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and notify that the Mauritius is no longer infected with the disease called small-pox, and that so much of a Proclamation given under my hand and issued under the Seal of the Colony on the seventh day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the thirteenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, as states that the Mauritius is infected with the disease called small-pox, being an infectious or contagious disease highly dangerous to the health of the people, has no force or effect from the day of the gazetting hereof.

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

J. BALLANCE,

Minister for Native Affairs.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN !

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece of land containing 205 acres, more or less, being the land known as "Moroa" in the public map of Block XII., Mangaone Surrey District, and being the whole of the land comprised and described in certificate of title, Register-book, Volume 30, folio 82. Bounded on the North, North-east, South, and South-east by the Te Hoi Creek; again on the South-east by the Manatawi Creek; on the South-west by the adjoining land, 3133 links; again on the South-west by the Punipuni Creek; and on the West, North-west, and North by the Ihurana Creek: excepting thereout 5 awes-of land now used by Natives for a burial-ground, shown on the plan drawn on the Memorandum of Transfer, and thereon coloured green, with a right of road, 50 links wide, from the public road to the piece of land hereby reserved along the Te Hoi Creek, as shown on the plan on the Memorandum of Transfer, and thereon coloured yellow.

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 Waioatahi 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 Waioatahi, 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 Waioatahi, and being the whole of the land comprised in Vol. xviii., folio 201, of the Auckland District Land Register-book.

Time for Elections, Borough of Thames, extended.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1876" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is among other things provided that, in any case in which anything is irregularly done in matter of form, the Governor may, by Order in Council gazetted and publicly notified, from time to time make provision for my such case, or may extend the time within which anything is required to be done, so that the true intent and purpose of the said Act may have effect: And whereas elections of Councillors are about to be held for the several wards of the Borough of Thames, called North Ward, Middle Ward, South Ward, and Parawai Ward respectively, but no separate appointments of Returning Officers in respect of the said elections have been made as by law provided, and it is now impossible to hold the said elections within the time limited therefor by the said Act; and it appears expedient to make provision for such case, and to extend the time within which the said elections may be held:

Now, therefore, His Excellency Sir William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the said Act, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby order and declare that the time for elections of Councillors for the several wards before mentioned in the said Borough of Thames shall be and the same is hereby extended until the sixteenth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four; and, further, that the like appointment shall and may be made, and the like proceedings taken in all respects in relation to the premises, as if the same had been made and taken within the times end in manner limited and provided by the said Act respectively.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Fixing Fees to be taken under the Licensing Act.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and ten of "The Licensing Act, 1881," it is enacted that the fees mentioned in the Tenth Schedule thereto, or such other fees as the Governor in Council shall from time to time prescribe, shall and may be taken from every person making any application for a license, or a renewal, transfer, or removal thereof under the said Act, or otherwise in respect of any matter in such Schedule mentioned:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities aforesaid, doth hereby, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony of New Zealand, order, prescribe, and declare that, on and from the first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, the fees heretofore fixed to be taken and paid under "The Licensing Act, 1881," and Acts amending the same, shall be abolished, and in lieu thereof the fees specified in the Schedule hereto shall be the fees to be taken and paid in respect of the several proceedings, matters, and things mentioned and set forth in the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

	s.	d.
On filing notice of intention to apply for a license where no license has been previously issued	10	0
On filing notice of application of renewal, transfer, or removal of a license	5	0
On the grant of a certificate for a license where no license has been previously issued	10	0
On the grant of a certificate of renewal or of transfer	5	0
On making an application to open an additional bar, for each bar	5	0
On grant of certificate for a conditional license, for every day for or over which the license is granted or extends	5	0
For every summons to a witness, including service thereof within two miles of the Court	5	0

Service of any summons, for every mile beyond two miles of the courthouse or place of attendance specified in such summons, one way 1 0
 For every oath administered 1 0
 For any order as to payment of costs on objections made 2 0
 For lodging any notice of objection 3 0
 For depositing any memorial against grant of a license 3 0
 And where any order made by a Licensing Court shall be enforced by process, the like fees shall be payable in respect of any proceedings taken for that purpose as would be payable in like cases under "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1382."

FORSTER GORING,
 Clerk of the Executive Council.

Vesting a Reserve in the Mount Peel Road Board,

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
 Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto was reserved for a site for a gram-pit: And whereas,

in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to vest the said land in the Road Board for the Mount Peel District:
 Now, therefore, 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, and in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by section four of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," doth hereby declare that, from and after the day of the date hereof, the said reserve shall become vested in the Road Board for the Mount Peel District, in trust, for a gravel-pit.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Tengawai Survey District, Provincial District of Canterbury, containing 18 acres, more or less. Bounded—South-eastward by Section No. 24774; North-eastward by the road north-east of that section; and North-westward and South-westward by the road passing through Sections Nos. 20224 and 24774: and numbered 2489 (in red) on the official map in the Survey Office, Christchurch.

FORSTER GORING,
 Clerk of the Executive Council.

Lands permanently reserved.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS, Governor.

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

And whereas by the one hundred and forty-fifth section of the said Act it is provided that land temporarily reserved under the said one hundred and forty-fourth section may, at the expiration of one month but not later than six months after the publication in the Gazette of notice of such temporary reservation, be permanently reserved, and that notice of such permanent reservation shall be published in the Gazette:

And whereas the lands specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto were, by the several warrants the dates of which are specified in the third column of the said Schedule, and the notifications of which were published in the Gazettes specified in the fourth column, temporarily reserved under the authority of the said Act for the purposes specified in the second column of the said Schedule:

Now, therefore, I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the said Act, do hereby permanently reserve the lands so temporarily reserved as aforesaid, and enumerated in the first column of the Schedule hereto, for the purposes specified in the second column of the said Schedule, being the same purposes for which the said lands were so temporarily reserved as aforesaid.

SCHEDULE.

First Column. DESCRIPTION OF RESERVES.					Second Column.	Third Column.	Fourth Column.	
Land District.	Locality.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Purpose for which Land reserved.	Date of Warrant.	Gazette.	
Auckland	Ruapekapeka	81	IX.	A. 267	Primary education	1884.	1834. No. 89, 7 August.	
	Kopuru	137	IV.	H. 212		2 0		1 Aug.
	Waiau		V., XII.	F. 8,053		2 27		"
	Taramarama	1	VII.A	1,955		2 0		"
	Hangarua	3	XII.	4,556		0 0		"
	Town of Uawa	I 1, 2, 3	..	12		0 0		"
	"	"	1, 2, 3, 4, 5	Sec.		1		1 0
" "	Town of Alexandra East	167	..	1	0 0	Site for public library	"	
	Waiotahi	98	..	38	2 0	Site for signal station	"	
	Town of Mercer	92	III.	0	1 0	Site for town hall	"	
	Otahuhu	180A	I.	2	2 36	Quarry	"	
	(Sec. 10)							
Hawke's Bay	Takapau	4	IX.	4	3 6	School site	"	
Canterbury	Mairaki	2641	in red)	190	0 0	Protection of banks of the River Ashley	"	
Southland	Village of Wai-aniwa	1	V.	4	0 30	School site	"	
	Village of Wai-aniwa	13	II.	0	0 37.7	Site for mechanics institute	"	
Westland	Waimea	..	XIV. (part)	2	1 17	Site for the Stafford Town Cemetery	"	
	Arawata	..	I. (part)	10	0 6	Site for a cemetery	"	

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

J. BALLANCE,
 Minister of Lands.

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

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

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

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

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND.

ALL that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 1 acre, more or less, being known as Lot 5B of the Suburbs of Opatiki, situated in Block III., Opatiki Survey District. Bounded towards the North by a road 100 links wide, 515 links; towards the East by a road 50 links wide, 194.2 links; towards the South by Lot 5A, 515 links; and towards the West by Lot 4, 194.2 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. For a site for a pound.

All that area in the County of Hokianga, Provincial District of Auckland, being Section No. 247, Township of Herd's Point, containing by admeasurement 2 roods 37 perches. Bounded towards the North-west by a right line bearing 70° 24', 280 links; towards the South-east by Parnell Street, 368 links; towards the South-west by Sections Nos. 245 and 246, 285 links; and again towards the North-west by a right line bearing 25° 55', 222 links. For a telegraph and post office site.

All that area in the County of Hokianga, Provincial District of Auckland, being Section No. 248, Township of Herd's Point, containing by admeasurement 1 rood 19 perches. Bounded towards the North-east by a right line bearing 343° 2', 416 links; towards the South-west by Section No. 241, 208 links, and towards the North-west by Parnell Street, 360 links. For a site for customhouse and Resident Magistrate's Court.

NELSON.

All that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 2 acres, be the same more or less, situated in the Land District of Nelson, being Section No. 13, Block VII., Mawheranui Survey District, and described as follows: Starting at a point bearing 64° 25', and distant 686.4 links from Pipe xxvii.; thence by a line true north, 400 links; thence by a line true east, 500 links; thence by a line true south, 400 links; and thence by a line true west, 500 links, to point of commencement. For a cemetery.

CANTERBURY.

All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 10 acres, more or less, situate in the Borough of Ashburton. Bounded towards the North-east by Dobson Street, 1000 links; towards the North-west by William Street, 1100 links; towards the South-east by the East Town Belt, 1100 links; and towards the South-west by the Terrace, 1000 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; save and excepting thereout South Street, which runs through the above-described parcel of land: as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the District Survey Office, Christchurch. For a plantation.

SOUTHLAND.

All that parcel of land in the Southland Land District, containing 8 acres 2 roods 29 perches, more or less, being Section No. 82a on the map of the Wairoa District. Bounded on the North by a public road, 1318.5 links; towards the East by a public road, 651 links; on the South by Section No. 68 of said district, 1352.4 links; and on the West by said Section No. 68, 650 links. For a school site.

All that parcel of land in the Southland Land District, containing 15 acres, more or less, being Section No. 330 on the map of Taringatura District. Bounded on the North by a public road, 750 links; on the East by Section No. 337 of said district, 2000 links; on the South by Section No. 336 of said district, 750 links; and on the West by said Section No. 336, 2000 links. For a school site.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Southland Land District, containing 12 perches, more or less, being Sections Nos.

2b and 6A, Block XII., Town of Campbelltown. Bounded towards the North-east by Barrow Street, 60 links; towards the South-east by Section No. 3 of said Block XII., 125 links; towards the South-west by Sections Nos. 6 and 1 of said Block XII., 60 links; and towards the North-west by Section No. 2a of said Block XII., 125 links. For a site for a drill-shed.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Southland Land District, containing 1 rood 38.4 perches, more or less, being Sections Nos. 1, 2a, and 6, Block XII., Town of Campbelltown. Bounded towards the North-east by Barrow Street, 166 links; towards the South-east by Section No. 2b, 125 links; again towards the North-east by Sections Nos. 2b and 6A, 60 links; again towards the South-east by Section No. 3, 125 links; towards the South-west by Section No. 4, 226 links; and towards the North-west by Lee Street, 250 links. For police purposes.

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

R. HURSTHOUSE,
Minister of Lands.

Trustee appointed for the Waikaka Cemetery.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the sixth section of "The Cemeteries Act, 1882," I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint

ALEXANDER MCQUEEN

to be a Trustee, in the place of Alexander McLean, gazetted in error, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Waikaka Cemetery, in conjunction with the other persons appointed by warrant under the hand of His Excellency the Governor dated the second day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

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

J. BALLANCE,
Minister of Lands.

Trustees appointed for the Maintenance of the Waipukurau Public Cemetery.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

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

SCHEDULE.

Names of Trustees.	Name of Public Cemetery, and Description of Land.
William Cowper Smith Henry Wilding. Henry Gaisford. Walter Louis Newton man. John Palmer.	WAIPUKURAU. All that piece of land situate in the Provincial District of Hawkes Bay, containing by admeasurement 5 acres, more or less, being part of Block XVI. the plan of the Waipukurau District. Bounded towards the North by other part of Block XVI., 1000 links; towards the East by the road leading from Wallingford, 518 links; towards the South by other part of said block, 1000 links; and towards the West by other part of Block XVI., 518 links.

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

J. BALLANCE,
Minister of Lands.

Returning Officer appointed for Omataroa Licensing District.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the provisions of "The Licensing Act, 1881," and "The Licensing Act Amendment Act, 1882," I, Sir William Francis Drummond Jervois the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint

HERBERT WILLIAM BRABANT, Esq.,

to be the Returning Officer for the Native Licensing District of Omataroa.

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

J. BALLANCE.

Health Officer appointed, Port of Gisborne.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 12th September, 1884.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HENRY POLLEN, Esq., M.B., &c.,

to be a Health Officer, under section 105 of "The Public Health Act, 1876," for the Port of Gisborne.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Member of Honorary Medical Staff, Wellington Hospital, appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 16th September, 1884.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

GEORGE GORE GILLON, Esq., M.B., C.M.,

to be a Member of the Honorary Medical Staff of the Wellington Hospital.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Consular Agent for France at Christchurch appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 16th September, 1884.

HIS Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified that he has been instructed by Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies to recognize

EDMUND WILLIAM PARKER, Esq.,

as Consular Agent for France at Christchurch.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Additional Public Vaccinators, Bay of Islands and Dunedin Districts, appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 16th September, 1884.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM SPENCE KING, Esq.,

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

MILLEN COUGHTREY, Esq., M.B., &c.,

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Deputy Registrar of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 12th September, 1884.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN FINLAY MARTIN

to be the Deputy of the Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the District of the Bay of Islands.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Native Assessor appointed.

Native Office,
Wellington, 16th September, 1884.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HAMUERA MAHURUKI, Native Assessor of the Native Land Court, under "The Native Land Act, 1880."

J. BALLANCE.

Governor of Wellington College appointed.

Education Department,
Wellington, 17th September, 1884.

IN terms of "The Wellington College Act, 1877," His Excellency the Governor in Council has appointed

JOHN RUTHERFORD BLAIR, Esq.,

to be a Governor of the Wellington College, vice Colonel William Leckie, deceased.

ROBERT STOUT.

Governors of Southland High Schools appointed.

Education Department,
Wellington, 17th September, 1884.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

GEORGE LUMSDEN, Esq., and

HENRY WILSON, Esq.,

to be Members of the Board of Governors of the Southland High Schools, vice G. Lumsden, Esq., and F. W. Wade, Esq., whose period of office has expired.

ROBERT STOUT.

Commissioner of Crown Lands appointed.

General Crown Lands Office,
Wellington, 17th September, 1884.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN WILLIAM ALLMAN MARCHANT, Esq.,

to be Commissioner of Crown Lands for the Land District of Wellington, as from the 16th August, 1884, vice J. G. Holdsworth, Esq., deceased.

J. BALLANCE,

Minister of Lands.

Members of Land Boards appointed.

General Crown Lands Office,
Wellington, 17th September, 1884.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM WILSON MCARDLE, Esq.,

to be a Member of the Land Board for the Land District of Wellington; and

JOHN ROBERT WILSON COOK, Esq.,

to be a Member of the Land Board for the Land District of Marlborough.

J. BALLANCE,

Minister of Lands.

Receiver of Land Revenue appointed.

General Crown Lands Office,
Wellington, 16th September, 1884.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

GEORGE ROBERT NICOL WRIGHT, Esq.,

to be a Receiver of Land Revenue, to act within the Land District of Wellington.

J. BALLANCE,

Minister of Lands.

Volunteer Officer resigned.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 17th September, 1884.

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

Hobson Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant James Flynn. Date of resignation, 22nd August, 1884.

J. BALLANCE.

Alteration in Office at which Akaroa Electoral Roll can be inspected.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 11th September, 1884.

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

THE AKAROA BOROUGH COUNCIL OFFICES, AKAROA,

to be a place at which the Akaroa Electoral Roll can be inspected, in lieu of the Courthouse, Akaroa.

P. A. BUCKLEY,

Colonial Secretary.

Application for Registration of a Trade Mark.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 12th September, 1884.

NOTICE is hereby given that A. W. DE VEAUX, of Christchurch, in the Colony of New Zealand, Patent Agent, has applied, on behalf of THOMAS DANKS, of Christchurch aforesaid, to register, under "The Trade Marks Act, 1866," the trade mark of which the following is a description, viz.:-

Description of Trade Mark.

The word "Economiser" and all derivatives of "economy."

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

Gas-fittings and gas-burners.

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

Application for Registration of a Trade Mark.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 12th September, 1884.

NOTICE is hereby given that EDWARD WATERS, Patent Agent, of Melbourne, in the Colony of Victoria, has applied, on behalf of the CHARLES A. VOGELER COMPANY, of Baltimore, in the United States of America, Patent Medicine Manufacturers, to register, under "The Trade Marks Act, 1866," the trade mark of which the following is a description, viz.:-

Description of Trade Mark.

A label, in the upper portion of which are the words "St. Jacobs Oel," and a landscape, beneath which are the words "Aus Schwarzwälder Fichtennadeln gewonnen." About the centre of the label are the words "St. Jamb's Oil: the Groat German Remedy for the cure of Pain." Above these words is a blank space intended for the reception of printed matter, in the German language, relating to the medicinal preparation in respect of which the mark is to be applied. In the lower right-hand corner is the fac-simile signature "The Charles A. Vogeler Co.," and above and on the left of this is a blank space for the reception of other printed matter, in the English language, also relating to the medicinal preparation in respect of which the mark is to be applied. The whole is enclosed within an ornamental border, the two sides of which each bear the words "St. Jacob's Oil."

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

A medicinal preparation known as St. Jacob's Oil.

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

Application for Registration of a Trade Mark.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 16th September, 1884.

NOTICE is hereby given that THOMAS WALTER STRINGER, of Hereford Street, Christchurch, in the Colony of New Zealand, Solicitor, has applied, on behalf of HORATIO DUMVILLE NELSON, ROBERT MOATE, and GEORGE HENRY GREENWOOD, trading together at Christchurch aforesaid and elsewhere in the said colony as Wholesale and Retail Tea Merchants, to register, under "The Trade Marks Act, 1866," the trade mark of which the following is a description, viz.:-

Description of Trade Mark.

The representation of a Chinese pagoda, combined with the words "Nelson, Moate, & Co.'s pure blended teas."

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

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

Notice of proposed Loan, Borough of South Dunedin.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 16th September, 1884.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Borough of South Dunedin,
12th September, 1884.

SIR,—In compliance with section 145 of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1876," I have the honour to forward notice that a poll was taken on Thursday, the 11th day of September instant, for and against the proposal of the South Dunedin Council to borrow the sum of £10,000 on the security of a

special rate of sixpence in the pound on the annual rateable value of property, for the purpose of drainage and works.

The following votes were recorded:—

For the proposal	—	466
Against		10
Informal		5

As the number of votes recorded in favour of the proposal exceeds one-half of the number of burgesses (viz., 676), I have declared the proposal carried.

I have, &c.,
WM. WARDROP,
Mayor

The Hon. the Colonial Secretary.

Revocation of Appointment of a Bonding Warehouse.

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

Port Of Wellington,

The upstairs portion of a wood and iron building situate on Section No. 59, Reclaimed Land, fronting to Panama street, and known as

DRANSFIELD'S BOND.

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

ROBERT STOUT,
(for the Commissioner of Trade and Customs.)
Commissioner's Order No. 209.]

Approving and appointing a Bonding Warehouse.

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

Port of Wellington.

A building constructed of wood and iron, situate on Section No. 59, Reclaimed Land, fronting to Panama Street, to be known as

THE UNITED BOND.

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

ROBERT STOUT,
(for the Commissioner of Trade and Customs.)
Commissioner's Order No. 210.]

Notice to Mariners, No. 42 of 1884.

PORT OF PICTON.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 15th September, 1884.

THE Harbourmaster at Picton notifies that vessels or boats drawing over 6 feet of water should not approach within 30 feet of the north end, or 15 feet of the west side, of the boat wharf at that port, as the stumps of some of the piles of the old wharf are showing above the bottom.

WILLIAM H. REYNOLDS.

Application for a Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 13th September, 1884.

PATENT for an invention for the Winnowing of Grain and Grass, styled "Colville's Patent Improved Grain and Grass Winnowing Machine."

ALFRED COLVILLE, of Temuka, New Zealand, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Thursday, the 20th 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 5th 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. 983.

Application for a Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 3rd September, 1884.

PATENT for an Improved Gas Fire, to be called "Fry and Dallison's Radiating Bunsen Gas Fire."
GEORGE FRY and CHARLES DALLISON, both of Christchurch, New Zealand, Gasfitters, have deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Thursday, the 20th 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 5th 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,
No. 1215. Patent Officer.

Application for a Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 12th September, 1884.

P*TENT for Improvements in Ventilators.
ROBERT NEWTON HELME, of No. 2, Gordon Street, Paddington, Sydney, New South Wales, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Thursday, the 20th 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 5th 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,
No. 1216. Patent Officer.

Application for a Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 13th September, 1884.

PATENT for the Combination Kitchen Boiler and Fire-stand.
JENS JENSEN, of Fsiliding, New Zealand, Blacksmith, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Thursday, the 20th 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 5th 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,
No. 1211. Patent Officer.

Application for a Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 15th September, 1884.

PATENT for Improvements in Washing Machine.
WILLIAM WILKINSON, of Dunedin, New Zealand Mechanical Engineer, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Tuesday, the 25th 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 10th 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,
No. 1218. Patent Officer.

Application for a Patent

Patent Office,
Wellington, 15th September, 1884.

PATENT for an Invention for increasing the Heating Surface of Kitchen and other Utensils, to be called "Corrick's Zealandia Kitchen Utensil."

HENRY CORRICK, of Christchurch, New Zealand, Boot-maker, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Tuesday, the 25th 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 10th 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,
No. 1219. Patent Officer.

"The Property Assessment Act, 1879," and its Amendments.

IN accordance with the provisions of the above-mentioned Acts, I hereby give public notice that, in respect of Joint-Stock Companies, and in respect of Gold-Mining Companies, the 17th day of October next is the date, and my office, Government Buildings, Wellington, is the place, at which the Public Officers of all companies are required to furnish statements of property belonging to such companies, in accordance with the said Acts.

Dated this 17th day of September, 1884.

J. SPERRY,
Property-Tax Commissioner.

NOTE.—Forms of statement have been forwarded to all known companies, but, as the duty of procuring such forms is cast upon the public, no company is excused for neglecting to provide itself therewith.

Officiating Ministers for 1884.—Notice No. 21.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 15th September, 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 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 Alfred Pickering Clarke.

Presbyterian Church of Otago and Southland.

The Reverend Andrew Mackay.

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

Te Makarini Scholarships.

TWO Scholarships of the yearly value of £35 each, to be held at the Native College, Te lute, 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 15th 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.

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.

*Gold Fields Notices.**Gold-Mining Lease cancelled.*

Mines Department,
Wellington, 15th September, 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:—

Jules Simon; 16 acres, Section 24, Block V., Marnia District, Nelson South-West Mining District. No. 1292.

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

Gold-Mining Lease.—Notice of Withdrawal of Application.

Crown Lands Office,
Nelson, 12th September, 1884.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned application for a gold-mining lease has been withdrawn, and that the ground is now open for application as if a lease of the same had never been applied for, viz. :—

William Green, dated 8th August, 1883, for the Avondale Quartz-Mining Company; 16 acres 2 roods, situate east of the Pioneer Company, Alpine Range, Lyell.

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

Crown Lands Notices.

Land Sale, Auckland Land District.

Crown Lands Office,
Auckland, 10th September, 1834.

HEREBY notify that the tom and rural lands mentioned in the Schedule hereunder will be offered for sale by public auction, at this office, on Monday, the 27th October next, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

D. A. TOLE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

SCHEDULE.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
TOWN OF HAMILTON WEST.			
	297	A. R. P. 0 3 6	£ s. d. 23 12 6
TOWN OF MERCER.			
III.	25	0 1 0	7 10 0
	26	0 1 0	7 10 0

MANUKAU COUNTY.

Section.	Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
PARISH OF OPAHEKE (Williamson's Clearing).			
4	39	A. R. P. 10 0 20	£ s. d. 17 15 0
	50	9 1 25	16 12 6
	52	10 0 0	17 10 0
	73	4 3 25	8 15 0
	78	9 3 0	17 2 6
	84	4 0 30	8 10 0

Description of Land.—Lots 39, 50, and 52, mixed forest 73, level, light scrub and fern, good soil, accessible by road 78, undulating, one-quarter bush, remainder bush-clearing good soil, accessible by road; 84, level, tea-tree and fern accessible by road.

PARISH OF WAIPAPI (near Waiuku).

3	23, 23A	80 0 10	100 7 0
	24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 31, 32, 33	82 1 33	103 2 6
	29, 30, 34, 35	37 1 20	46 17 6

Description of Land.—Lots 23 and 23A, 35 acres rush swamp balance open fern land, good fall to swamp for draining all the fern land, ploughable, section is close to main Waipipi Waiuku Road; 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 31, 32, and 33, all open fern land, almost level, next to above; 29, 30, 34, and 35, open fern and tea-tree, quite level, and partially fenced, next to above.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
PARISH OF OPAHEKE.		
157	A. R. P. 208 2 0	£ s. d. 156 7 6
160	113 3 0	85 7 6
229	37 1 0	93 2 6
230	47 3 0	119 7 6
236	85 2 0	171 0 0
241	46 0 0	115 0 0
242	40 2 0	101 5 0
247	73 1 6	55 2 6

Description of Land.—Section 157, forest, totara, with ordinary timber, broken, well-watered; 160, mixed forest; 29, 230, 241, 242, fern land, broken and undulating, watered, accessible by road; 236, mixed forest with kauri, very broken, watered; 247, undulating, mixed forest.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
PARISH OF MAUNGATAWHIRI.		
202	A. R. P. 120 0 0	£ s. d. 30 0 0
203	130 2 0	32 15 0
206	37 3 0	9 10 0
207	56 0 0	14 0 0
208	101 0 0	37 17 6
209	61 1 0	30 12 6

Description of Land.—Sections 202, 203, 206, 207, swamp, accessible by river; 203, about 73 acres swamp, remainder fern land, accessible by road; 209, about 12 acres swamp, remainder fern land, accessible by road.

PARISH OF WAIUKU EAST.

212	32 3 30	33 0 0
213	87 1 35	87 10 0
214	161 2 0	161 10 0
215	496 3 0	496 15 0
216	80 0 0	80 0 0
217	80 0 0	80 0 0
218	80 0 0	100 0 0
219	80 0 0	60 0 0
220	80 0 0	60 0 0
221	80 0 0	60 0 0
222	76 3 0	38 7 6
223	18 3 22	19 0 0
224	44 2 33	44 15 0

Description of Land.—Sections 212, 213, and 214, all open swamp, flax, and raupo; 215, about 60 acres kahikatea swamp, balance covered with manuka and flax, manuka 10 to 20 feet high, soil black loamy peat 1½ to 2 feet deep, lying over a white marly clay, and quite dry during summer; 216, about 10 to 15 acres kahikatea, balance open swamp, fronts partially-drained road; 217, about 3 acres dry land, balance open swamp, fronts partially-drained road; 218, about 3 acres dry land, balance open swamp, fronts partially-drained road and close to dry land; 219, 220, and 221, all open swamp, very wet; 222, all open swamp, very wet, growing stunted manuka and moss; 223 and 224, all open swamp, covered with rushes and not very wet. There is a fall of from 7 to 9 feet in the mile over all this part of the swamp on a bearing of 189° 27' (the direction of main road), with peat 2 to 9 feet deep overlying the clay. The peat is deepest in the land side, getting shallower as it approaches the Waikato River.

Section.	Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
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PARISH OF WAIUKU WEST (Whiriwhiri Settlement).

1	54, 55, 56	A. R. P. 17 0 15	£ s. d. 25 17 6
	57	5 0 0	7 10 0
	63, 67, 91	19 0 31	24 7 6

Description of Land.—Lots 54, 55, 56, 57, 63, and 67, all open fern or short scrubby tea-tree land, clay soil, undulating, suitable for crops or grass, accessible by good road from Waiuku; 91, open swamp covered with rushes.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
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PARISH OF WAIUKU WEST.

151	A. R. P. 65 2 0	£ s. d. 65 10 0
152	293 3 27	220 10 0

Description of Land.—Lot 151, 55 acres kahikatea forest, balance manuka, all swamp, and mostly covered with water in winter, subsoil is a hard white clay, carries cattle for part of the year; 152, about 100 acres kahikatea forest, balance open swamp.

PARISH OF KOHEKO.

124	621 0 0	155 5 0
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Description of Land.—About 120 acres swamp, remainder fern land, accessible by road.

WAIKATO COUNTY.
PARISH OF WHANGAMARINO.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
150	272 0 0	102 0 0
381	181 2 0	68 5 0
382	160 2 16	60 7 6
383	86 0 16	32 12 6
384	195 3 0	73 10 0
385	305 1 0	114 15 0
386	357 2 0	134 5 0
387	167 3 0	63 0 0
388	73 2 32	27 15 0
389	176 0 20	66 7 6

Description of Land.—Section 150, 48 acres ridges, 22½ acres swamp; 381, 108 acres ridges, 73½ acres swamp; 382, 31 acres swamp, remainder undulating; 383, 387, and 388 undulating land; 384, 30 acres swamp; 385, 15 acres swamp; 386, 50 acres swamp; 389, 20 acres swamp; remainder of each section undulating land.

RAGLAN COUNTY.

PARISH OF WHANGAPE.

80	I	84 0 0	21 0 0
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Description of Land.—Partly swamp, partly dry fern hills.

WAIITEMATA COUNTY.

PARISH OF WAIPAREIRA.

129	89 0 0	193 10 0
130	100 0 0	200 0 0
131	100 0 0	200 0 0
132	100 0 0	150 0 0
133	130 0 16	195 7 6
134	138 2 8	208 2 6
135	47 3 8	96 0 0
136	21 2 16	54 7 6
137	110 0 0	165 0 0
138	104 1 0	156 7 6
139	110 0 0	165 0 0
140	104 2 0	156 15 0
141	114 0 0	171 0 0
142	85 3 0	43 12 6
142A	26 0 0	39 0 0
143	15 2 9	23 12 6

Description of Land.—All these sections are open land. Section 129, broken; 130, about 40 acres flat; 131, about 50 acres flat; 132, broken and undulating; 133, broken; 134, broken, about 10 acres bush, with a few kauri trees; 135, broken and undulating; 136, about 8 acres flat, rest broken; 137, broken and undulating; 138, broken, about 40 acres flat; 139, undulating and flat; 140 and 141, about 50 sores flat on each section; 142, 142A, and 143, broken and undulating. The above sections are situated at Waitakerei Railway Station.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
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PARISH OF PAREMOROMO.

156	A. R. P. 4 236	£ 8. d. 2 7 6
158	20 0 0	10 0 0
159	2 0 0 0	10 0 0

Description of Land.—Lots 158 and 159, open, strip of flat along stream; remainder undulating, poor kauri-gum land, which has been dug over several times. Situated about two miles to the eastward of Lucas Creek Bridge.

PARISH OF PUKEATUA.

252	59 3 0	59 15 0
E. pn, 255	46 0 15	34 15 0
E. p 257	38 1 31	19 5 0

Description of Land.—Lot 252, about 30 acres mixed forest containing some ksuri, 20 acres flat, covered with high tea-tree, good land, remainder undulating, the Wade River runs through this section; portion 255, nearly all open undulating land; portion 257, open broken land.

PARISH OF WAIWERA.

172	2 0 17	20 0 0
177	3 0 17	9 0 0
180	3 0 4	12 0 0

Lot 172 subject to £400 for improvements.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
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PARISH OF OKURA.

52	A. R. P. 56 2 22	£ s. d. 42 10 0
53	49 1 0	24 12 6
54	51 2 22	25 17 6
55	52 2 6	26 7 6
56	48 2 17	24 7 6
57	14 0 17	10 12 0
59	56 3 0	42 10 0
60	57 2 11	43 5 0
61	6 1 0	6 5 0
62	7 3 24	8 0 0

Description of Land.—Sections 52, 53, 54 are open lands, with frontage to Great North Road, 52 undulating, 53 about two-thirds very broken and remainder undulating, 54 very broken, tea-tree in gullies; 55 and 56, very broken, tea-tree and remains of bushes in the gullies; 57, open, undulating, frontage to branch creek of Okura; 59, about two-thirds open and broken, a little flat near Okura River, and some fair high tea-tree between hills, frontage to Okura River, subject to chain reserve; 60, open, about three-quarters broken, remains of small bushes along river; 61 and 62, flat. On Sections 54, 55, 56, and 59 there are several young pohutukawa trees.

PARISH OF MAKARAU.

119	I	45 a 0	11 I 6
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Description of Land.—Open land,

RODNEY COUNTY.

PAKIRI BLOCK (Otamatea Survey District).

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
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XVI.	1	A. R. P. 192 2 33	£ s. d. 48 3 9
	2	221 3 18	111 0 0
	3	189 3 33	95 0 0
	4	153 2 35	76 17 6
	5	118 1 0	59 2 6
	6	130 1 21	65 5 0
	7	202 1 36	202 10 0
	8	160 0 0	160 0 0
	10	203 1 8	127 3 9
	11	147 2 0	110 12 6
	12	144 1 8	72 5 0
	13	176 1 39	88 5 0
	14	145 2 0	109 2 6
	15	199 1 24	99 15 0
	16	205 2 16	102 17 6
	17	162 0 32	81 2 6
18	169 2 0	84 15 0	
21	81 1 24	50 18 9	
25	100 0 0	50 0 0	
26	103 2 32	64 17 0	

Description of Land.—Section 1, about 10 acres mixed bush, remainder broken open fern land, soil clay and lime-me, well watered, and accessible by road; 2, 120 acres heavy mixed bush containing kauri, remainder open fern and a tree, broken, well watered and accessible by road; 3, 4, 5, and 6, all heavy mixed bush containing kauri, broken, sandstone and clay soil, and accessible by road; 7, about 50 acres first-class land, remainder second-class, 150 acres bush containing valuable ksuri, well watered, and accessible by road; 8, about 50 acres first-class land, 100 acres bush, containing valuable ksuri, frontage to Port Albert-Warkworth Road; 11 and 12, mixed bush with a little kauri, out 100 acres of each section undulating, remainder broken, well watered, and accessible by road; 12, 5 acres open fern land, remainder mixed bush with a little kauri, broken, well watered; 13, about 70 sores undulating, light soil, covered with fern and tea-tree, remainder mixed bush, well watered; 14, mixed bush, about 100 acres undulating, remainder broken, soil good, well watered; 15 and 16, mixed bush, broken, soil good, well watered; 17, mixed bush, undulating, 10 acres kahikatea swamp, easily drained, clay soil; 18, 130 acres mixed bush, remainder high tea-tree, out 40 acres kahikatea swamp easily drained, about 100 acres undulating land, remainder broken, clay soil; 21, about 50 acres open fern land, remainder bush containing kauri, undulating, well watered, clay soil, frontage to Port Albert-Warkworth Road; 25, about 4½ acres mixed bush, about 50 acres third-class land, open, broken, well watered, clay soil, frontage to Port Albert-Warkworth Road; 26, about 15 acres mixed bush containing totara, about 40 sores third-class land, open, broken, clay soil, frontage to Port Albert-Warkworth Road.

WHANGAREI COUNTY.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
PARISH OF MAUNGAKARAMEA.		
Sn. pn. 57 and N.W. pn. 46	A. R. P. 83 0 0	£ s. d. 41 10 0
Sn. pn. 15	69 0 16	51 18 9

Description of Land.—Portions 57 and 46, all forest, good soil, partly volcanic; portion 15, about 7 acres open land, remainder mixed bush, soil good.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
PURUA SURVEY DISTRICT (Papakuri Block).			
IV.	2	A. R. P. 21 1 9	£ s. d. 32 5 0

Description of Land.—Broken, about 4 acres fern, remainder forest, good soil.

HOBSON COUNTY.
PARISH OF MATAKOHE.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
A. R. P. £ s. d.		
N.E. pn. 138	42 0 9	63 7 6
N.E. " 139	112 2 30	42 7 6
S.W. " 140	79 2 22	119 12 6
N.E. " 141	16 3 33	6 7 6
N.E. " 142	9 2 32	3 15 0
S.E. " 146	133 2 0	200 5 0

Description of Land.—Portion 138, bush land containing some good kauri timber, clay soil, well watered, and accessible by road; portion 139, very mixed bush, well watered, clay soil, rather broken, accessible by road; portion 140, contains some good kauri, clay soil, well watered, accessible by road; portion 141, mixed bush, undulating, clay soil, accessible by road; portion 142, mixed bush, undulating, clay soil, accessible by road; portion 146, contains good kauri timber, well watered, clay soil, accessible by road.

MANGAKAHIA SURVEY DISTRICT (Waerekahakaha Block).

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
V.	1	A. R. P. 20 0 0	£ s. d. 20 0 0

Description of Land.—Well-watered, open, undulating fern land on main Mangakahia-Kaikohu Road, and quarter of a mile from Mangakahia River.

BAY OF ISLANDS COUNTY.
PARISH OF KAWAKAWA.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
A. R. P. £ s. d.		
149	40 0 0	20 0 0
150	21 3 0	10 17 6
151	25 0 0	12 10 0
152	25 0 0	12 10 0

Description of Land.—Open, undulating, volcanic, land very stony, close to Kawakawa.

MONGONUI COUNTY.
PARISH OF KAIKA.

37	113 2 18	85 7 6
39	69 0 0	51 15 0

Description of Land.—Lot 39, mixed forest, with a few totara and kauri trees, alluvial flat of rich soil along river banks; 37, mixed forest, with 4 acres fern flat along river; also some puriri suitable for fencing. These sections are accessible by New Great North Road, which runs through them.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
TAKAHUE SURVEY DISTRICT.			
X.	18	A. R. P. 7 1 23	£ s. d. 3 15 0

Subject to £262 for improvements.

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 thenceforward be null and void. Crown-grant fee to be paid on completion of purchase.

NOTE.—Maps of the above lands may be seen, and further particulars obtained, on application at this office. Schedules containing descriptions, &c., of the above lands will be exhibited at railway stations and post offices.

Auction Sale of Rural Lands, Tauranga.

Crown Lands Office,
Auckland, 10th September, 1884.

HEREBY notify that the rural lands mentioned in the Schedule hereunder will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Land Office, Tauranga, on Monday, the 7th October next, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

D. A. TOLE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

SCHEDULE.

WHAKATANE COUNTY.
PARISH OF WAIIOKA.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
A. R. P. £ s. d.		
95	41 2 0	20 15 0
109	49 0 0	24 10 0
136	51 0 0	25 10 0
137	49 2 0	24 15 0
161	25 1 0	37 17 6
232	51 1 0	38 10 0
233	50 3 0	38 2 6
250	49 3 0	37 7 6
252	49 2 0	49 10 0
253	49 1 0	49 5 0
254	51 0 0	51 0 0
255	51 1 0	51 5 0
309	38 0 0	38 0 0
317	13 2 0	13 10 0
350	121 0 0	121 0 0
351	250 3 0	313 10 0

Description of Land.—Section 95, 15 acres fern, soil good, remainder bush, broken, few puriri, tawa, rata, rimu, &c.; 109, 12 acres fern, good soil, 12 acres bush, broken, puriri, tawa, rata, rimu, &c., remainder good swamp land, rather wet; 136, 3 acres light bush, manuka, rewarewa, &c., 8 acres good swamp land, remainder broken fern land, good soil; 137, 11 acres good swamp land, remainder broken fern land, good soil; 161, in grass, western boundary fenced, very stony, slight depth of soil on shingle-bed, in winter good grass; 232, 32 acres bush, good puriri, rata, rimu, &c., 1½ acres good swamp land, remainder broken fern, good soil; 233, 14 acres bush, good puriri, &c., 3 acres good swamp land, remainder broken fern land, good soil; 250, 7 acres good swamp land, 3 acres bush, pukatea, rimu, &c., remainder undulating fern land, good soil; 252, 27 acres good puriri bush, remainder undulating fern land, good soil; 253, 36 acres bush, manuka, few puriri, 1 acre swamp land, remainder broken fern land, soil good; 254, 16 acres good puriri bush, 3 acres swamp land, remainder broken fern land, good soil; 255, 31 acres bush, puriri, pukatea, &c., 4 acres swamp, remainder broken fern land, good soil; 309, 12 acres good swamp, 4 acres bush, puriri, &c., remainder undulating fern land, good soil; 317, 1 acre swamp, remainder fern land, sandy soil; 350, 47 acres good swamp, remainder undulating fern land, soil light; 351, 200 acres good swamp, remainder fern land, undulating, soil good.

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 thenceforward be null and void. Crown-grant fee to be paid on completion of the purchase.

NOTE.—Maps of the above lands may be seen, and further particulars obtained, on application at this office, and at the Land Office, Tauranga, and also at the Post Office, Opatiki.

Lease of Crown Land, Parish of Karioi.

Crown Lands Office,
Auckland 10th September, 1884.

HEREBY notify that Lot 15, Parish of Karioi, containing 228 acres, will be offered for lease by public auction, at this office, on Monday, the 27th October next, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon. Term, five years. Upset price per annum, £5. Rent to be paid yearly in advance.

D. A. TOLE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Depasturing Lease for Sale by Public Auction.

Crown Lands Office,
Auckland, 10th September, 1884.

THE following parcel of land will be offered for lease, for depasturing purposes only, by public auction, at this office, on Monday, the 27th October next, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon:—

North part of Maungatete Block at Mangonui, 600 acres for seven years, at £3 a year upset price. Rent to be paid yearly in advance.

D. A. TOLE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Rural Lands for Sale on Deferred Payments.

Crown Lands Office,
Auckland, 10th September, 1884.

THE following rural lands will be sold on deferred payments, on Wednesday, the 15th October, 1884:—

D. A. TOLE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

WHAKATANE COUNTY.

PARISH OF WAIOTEKA.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
226)	82 2 0	82 10 0
227)		
352	223 3 0	280 0 0
353	275 2 0	344 10 0
354	307 0 0	384 0 0
355	217 1 0	217 5 0
356	181 3 0	181 15 0
357	181 0 0	181 0 0
358	289 0 0	289 0 0

Description of Land.—Section 226, 5 acres good swamp, 11 acres bush; 227, 2 acres good swamp, 5 acres bush, remainder broken fern land, the bush consists of rata, tawa, rimu manuka, pukatea, &c.; 352, 124 acres good swamp; 353, 111 acres good swamp; 354, 108 acres good swamp, 2 acres high bush (rimu, rewarewa, &c.), remainder of these sections undulating fern land, good soil; 355, 80 acres bush land (puriri rata, rimu, tawa, hinau, pukatea, &c.), 12 acres good swamp remainder fern land, rather broken, good soil; 356, 114 acres bush, 25 acres good swamp; 357, 80 acres bush, 18 acres swamp; 358, 32 acres bush, 45 acres swamp, remainder of these sections broken fern land, good soil, the bush on their consisting of puriri, rats, rimu, tawa, hinau, pukatea, &c.

Applications for the above lands will be received at the Land Offices, Auckland and Tauranga, Contested applications will be decided at the Land Office, Tauranga, on Monday, the 20th October, 1884, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

Maps of the above land may be seen, and further particulars obtained, on application at this office, and also at the Land Office, Tauranga, and at the Post Office, Opotiki.

RODNEY COUNTY.

PAKIRI BLOCK.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
OTAMATEA SURVEY DISTRICT.			
XVI.	22	A. R. P. 133 2 0	£ s. d. 133 10 0
	23	150 0 0	150 0 0
	24	162 0 20	162 5 0

Description of Land.—Section 22, 60 acres mixed bush, remainder undulating, open fern and tea-tree; 23, 16 acres open fern land, remainder mixed bush, undulating, fair soil; 24, mixed bush, broken, good soil. These sections are all well watered, and accessible by Port Albert-Warkworth road.

TAUHOA SURVEY DISTRICT.

IV.	28	186 0 0	186 0 0
	29	192 0 16	192 5 0
	30	202 3 0	202 15 0

Description of Land.—Sections 28 and 29, mixed bush, broken land, fair soil, well watered; 30, mixed bush, clay soil, well watered, accessible by road.

MAHURANGI SURVEY DISTRICT.

I.	27	136 3 29	137 0 0
	31	228 3 4	229 0 0

Description of Land.—Mixed bush, broken, soil very good, well watered.

Applications for the above lands will be received at this office. Contested applications will be decided on Thursday, the 16th October, 1884, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

Maps of the above lands may be seen, and further particulars obtained, on application at this office, and at the Post Offices, Warkworth, Wellsford, and Port Albert.

Sale of Sections in the West Coast (North Island) Land District.

Crown Lands Office,
Patea, 3rd September, 1884.

THE Crown lands as under will be open for application, for cash, on Wednesday, the 15th October next, and every lawful day thereafter, until sold, at the Land Offices at Patea and Hawera:—

Survey District.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
Patea ..	212	A. R. P. 47 1 0	£ s. d. 7 0 0
	246	50 1 0	8 10 0

These sections are about four miles from Hawera, near the Tangahoe Stream, and adjoin land in the occupation of Messrs. Hicks Brothers. They are accessible from the Main South Road, and have frontages to the Dale and Manawapou Roads.

Terms of sale: One-fourth of purchase-money to be paid on application, and the balance to the Receiver of Land Revenue at Patea or Hawera within one calendar month from date of application, otherwise the deposit will be forfeited, and the contract for the sale of the land thenceforth will be null and void. Crown-grant fees to be paid on completion of the purchase. In the event of two or more applications for the same land being made on the same day, the upset price at which such land shall be put up at motion shall be the price stated above.

Further particulars can be obtained at the Land Offices, Patea and Hawera.

C. A. WRAY,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

Crown Lands Office,
Napier, 3rd September, 1884.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned township and suburban lands will be offered for sale by public motion, 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, 3 acres 1 rood 25 perches. Upset price, 427 5s.

Tarawera Township: Sections 2, 3, 5, 6, 10, 11, 12, 24, 26, 27, 28, 30, 31, 32, and 33. Each section contains 1 rood, and he upset price per section is £7 10s.

Sale by Auction of Leases of Portions of Reserve.

Crown Lands Office,
Blenheim, 18th 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.
		1,104 1 24*	
III.	2	1,230 0 0*	3d. per acre.
		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 the Office Blenheim on Tuesday, the 7th October, 1884, at 12 o'clock noon, an allotment of land will be offered for sale by public auction for cash, and will be offered for sale under the provisions of the Public Auction Act, 1877, and the amendments thereof, and the following licenses at the same time and place, to wit:—
TO BE SOLD FOR CASH, KAIKOURA SUBURBAN.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
Part 2 of 36	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 MB PASTORAL PURPOSES under "The Land Act, 1877," and the Amendments thereof, 1379 and 1382.

Locality.	Name of Run.	Survey District.	Approximate Area.
Kaituna Valley	Maxwell Run ..	Cloudy Bay and Onamalutu	1,200
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 3, 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 auction.

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.
1935	1, 2, 3, 8	<i>For Cash.</i>	
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
		8 2 18	5 0 0
		6 0 0	
5 0 0			
1935	4 and 5, 6 and 7	<i>Upon Deferred Payments.</i>	
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
		20 0 0	6 0 0
		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	13 10 0
6	17 3 23	13 10 0
7	12 1 25	10 0 0
8	4 0 20	8 0 0
9	3 3 31	2 0 0
10	1 1 5	2 0 0
11	3 2 16	5 0 0
12	5 1 30	5 0 0
13	31 2 32	2 0 0
14	31 2 32	2 0 0
15	15 3 33	a 0 0
16	7 0 2	4 0 0
17	10 3 33	4 0 0
18	2 1 24	4 0 0
19	4 3 2	4 0 0
20	5 0 27	4 0 0
21	7 1 17	4 0 0

Plans may be seen at the Lana Offices, Christchurch and Inmaru, and after the 95th 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, upon application on deferred payments.

Sections in Ashwick Flat.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Section.
	A. R. 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 1 6
8	320 0 0	640 0 0
9	317 3 34	635 18 6
10	320 0 0	640 0 0
11	314 2 9	943 13 5
12	266 0 22	1,064 11 0
13	262 1 15	655 17 3
14	303 0 7	757 12 3
15	254 3 39	382 9 10
16	320 0 0	640 0 0
17	320 0 0	640 0 0
18	308 0 24	616 6 0
19	319 0 22	638 5 6
20	320 0 0	640 0 0
21	320 0 0	640 0 0
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," 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.
12	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
14	70 2 2	141 10 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 there. after, 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.
			46 0 0	4 10 0
"	IV.	4, 525	167 0 0	83 10 0
"	I.	14	19 0 0	55 9 10
Wai-iti			111	0
Township of Waiau		94		5 0 0
			0 023,	

ALFRED GREENFIELD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Sale by Auction in the Land District of Otago.

Crown Lands Office,
Dunedin, 26th August, 1884.

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

RURAL LAND.

Akatore District : Sections 31, 45A, and 46A, Block I., from 39 to 58 acres. Upset price, £1 1s. per acre.

Catlin's District: Section 30, Block I., 50 acres. Upset price, £1 1s. per acre. Survey fees, £9 17s. 6d.

Clarendon District: Sections 55 to 59, Block VI.; 7 to 18, and 22 to 25, Block XL; 21 to 56 acres. Upset price, £1 1s. 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., 10 acres a roods 5 perches, and 9 acres 2 roods 7 perches. Upset price, £1 1s. per acre.

Otago District : Sections 39 and 43, Block V., respectively 31 and 30 acres. Upset price, £1 1s. per acre.

Otama District: Section 27, Block III., 194 acres, at £1 1s. 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 43 acres; upset price, £1 1s. per acre. Section 40, Block IX., 110 acres 3 roods; upset price, £1 1s. per acre.

Table Hill District: Section 49, Block I., 70 acres. Upset price, £1 1s. per acre. Survey fees, £8 2s. 6d., and valuation for improvements, £10. (Note.—This section is unsurveyed, and is part of what is known as Canada Bush.)

Toitois District: Section 51, Block IV., 65 acres. Upset price, £1 1s. 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 1s. 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.

NOTE.—Sections in Wendon, Wendonside, and Greenvale Districts from 183 to 320 acres. Upset price, £1 10s. to £2 10s. 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 for improvements, £25.

Kurou District: Section 7, Block II., 211 acres, at £1 10s. per acre. Improvements, £630 16s.

Lauder District: Section 15, 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 43 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., 295 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, £15. 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, Kelson, Kurou, and Maheno.

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

SUBURBAN.

Sections in Havelock, Kapiti, and Waitaki.

NOTE.—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 13 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. 236B : About 3,760 acres, Morven Hills. Upset, £50.
 No. 236H : About 17,980 acres, Morven Hills. Upset, £200.
 No. 170B : About 6,300 acres, Beaumont. Upset, £60.

Licenses for Fourteen Years.

No. 482 : 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. 458 : 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.

NOTE.—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 rods 8 perches; section No. 36, 5 acres; Section No. 59, 5 acres; section No. 63, 4 acres 2 rods; Section No. 67, 4 acres 2 rods; and Section No. Os. 4 acres 2 rods.
 Section No. 58, Block XIV., Jacob's River Hundred, 32 acres a rods 21 perches, which has also been withheld from sale. will be sold by public auction for cash.

W. H. PEARSON,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land Transfer Act Notices.

NOTICE is hereby given that the outstanding duplicate of a certain lease (registered number 190) from WILLIAM LINE to WILLIAM JOHN DRIVER, of land in the Township of Feilding, will be treated as lost, and the production thereof, for the purpose of registering a certain dealing with the said lease, will be dispensed with, unless caveat be lodged at this office on or before the 10th day of October, 1884.

Dated at Lands Registry Office, Wellington, this 17th day of September, 1884.

GEO. B. DAVY,
 District Land Registrar.

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NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM MOFFAT, of Palmerston North, has applied for the issue to him of a provisional certificate of title for Suburban Section 1034, Township of Palmerston North. Registered Vol. xxvii., folio 237, on the ground that the original outstanding duplicate of title has been lost or mislaid. A provisionsl certificate will be issued accordingly, unless caveat be lodged at this office on or before the 10th day of October, 1884.

Dated at Lands Registry Office, Wellington this 17th day of September, 1884.

GEO. B. DAVY,
 District Land Registrar.

546

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 forbidding the same be lodged at this office within one calendar month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Applicant : JOSEPH CHADWICK, JUN., Settler, Manaia. Area: 1 rood 1 perch. Description: Section 1647, New Plymouth. Occupied by Mrs. Grace Hirst.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.
 Dated this 11th day of September, 1884, at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth.

W. STUART!
 District Land Registrar.

540

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

WILLIAM JOHNSTON.—40 acres, being part of Section 7, Wairoa District. Occupied by the Nightcaps Coal Company, No. 2158.

MARY GIBB WATT.—100 acres, being part of Section 65, Block IV., District of Tukurau. Occupied by Applicant. N^o. 2165.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.
 Dated this 12th day of September, 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 next after date of *Gazette* containing this notice.

Sections 22 and 23, Block I., Loner Harbour West District. JOHN McCARTNEY, Applicant. Occupied by Walter Gash. No. 3551.

Allotments 17, 18, 19, 23, and 24, Block I., and Allotments 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, and 16, Block II., Township of Chalmers. JAMES CUNNINGHAM and JAMES MORRISON, Applicants. Unoccupied. No. 3553.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.
 Dated this 8th day of September, 1884, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

H. TURTON,
 District Land Registrar.

531

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 25th day of October next.

944. EDWARD FAGAN (by his Attorney, HENRY ADAMS).—1 rood and 17 perches, part of Section 4, City of Nelson, abutting on Section 5, with a frontage of 61 links to Mary Ann Street and of 60 links to Nelson Haven. Occupied by H. N. Baly's Executors.

999. JAMES MCKERROW CAMPBELL.—9½ perches, part of Section 454, City of Nelson, fronting 45½ links on Nile Street West, and abutting 129½ links on Section 456. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.
 Dated this 16th day of September, 1884, at the Lands Registry Office, Nelson.

ANDREW TCERNBULL,
 District Land Registrar.

543

APPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title to ERNEST GRAY for part Rural Section 2573, the land contained in certificate of title, Vol. xxxviii., folio 109, and a statutory declaration having been lodged with me of the loss of such certificate, I hereby give notice that I shall issue the provisionsl certificate of title, as requested, 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 6th day of September, 1884.

J. M. BATHAM,
 District Land Registrar.

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WELLINGTON SECTION.						
PASSENGERS,—	1884.			1883.		
	s.	R.	Total.	s.	R.	Total.
1st Class	1,195	1,398	2,593	1,279	1,510	2,789
2nd Class	6,148	5,008	11,156	6,666	5,286	10,951
Total	7,343	6,406	13,749	6,944	6,796	13,740
Season Tickets	.. 60		.. 73			
PARCELS, ETC.,—						
	No.		No.			
Parcels	1,633		1,505			
Horses	12		14			
Carriages	2		2			
Dogs	98		71			
Total	1,745		1,592			
GOODS.—						
	No.		No.			
Drays	2		1			
Cattle	1		47			
Calves	51		40			
Sheep	6,583		5,145			
Pigs	126		184			
Total	6,763		5,417			
Chaff, &c. Tons.						
	Tons.		Tons.			
Chaff, &c.	65		95			
Wool	8		9			
Firewood	970		795			
Timber	1,261		1,390			
Grain	194		281			
Merchandise	1,246		748			
Minerals	211		751			
Total	3,955		4,069			
REVENUE,—						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers	1,432	0	6	1,290	13	0
Parcels and Luggage	155	9	10	133	0	7
Goods	2,213	19	10	1,745	8	11
Miscellaneous	31	4	4	15	13	6
Rents and Commission	39	9	4	40	14	1
Tots	£3,922	3	10	£3,225	10	1

WANGANUI SECTION.						
PASSENGERS,—	1884.			1883.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	1,607	426	2,033	1,600	434	2,034
2nd Class	5,486	2,360	7,843	4,286	2,420	6,705
Total	7,093	2,786	9,879	5,885	2,354	8,739
Season Tickets	.. 2		.. 9			
PARCELS, ETC.,—						
	No.		No.			
Parcels	1,550		1,436			
Horses	33		20			
Carriages	3		1			
Dogs	176		145			
Total	1,762		1,602			
GOODS.—						
	No.		No.			
Drays	2		3			
Cattle	54		4			
Calves	1		1			
Sheep	1,433		174			
Pigs	188		233			
Total	1,678		1,602			
Chaff, &c. Tons.						
	Tons.		Tons.			
Chaff, &c.	40		55			
Wool	11		6			
Firewood	530		515			
Timber	1,132		1,537			
Grain	240		568			
Merchandise	723		601			
Minerals	223		170			
Total	2,905		3,452			
REVENUE,—						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers	1,575	4	7	1,032	13	3
Parcels and Luggage	127	18	5	106	0	11
Goods	1,576	17	3	1,511	9	8
Miscellaneous	63	14	9	72	15	1
Rents and Commission	223	19	10	22	1	0
Total	£3,567	14	10	£2,744	19	11

NEW PLYMOUTH SECTION.						
PASSENGERS,—	1884.			1883.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	413	122	535	437	158	595
2nd Class	1,989	1,802	3,791	3,020	2,252	5,272
Total	2,402	1,924	4,326	3,467	9,410	6,367
Season Tickets	.. 2		.. 1			
PARCELS, ETC.,—						
	No.		No.			
Parcels	452		658			
Horses	6		5			
Carriages	::		2			
Dogs	ii		79			
Total	500		744			
GOODS.—						
	No.		No.			
Drays	.. 2		1			
Cattle	.. 134		12			
Calves	.. 22		1			
Sheep	.. 2,773		1,447			
Pigs	.. 12		13			
Total	2,943		1,474			
Chaff, &c. Tons.						
	Tons.		Tons.			
Chaff, &c.	40		..			
Wool	..		6			
Firewood	.. 250		440			
Timber	.. 383		362			
Grain	.. 123		93			
Merchandise	.. 250		321			
Minerals	.. 22		317			
Total	1,068		1,539			
REVENUE,—						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers	540	4	2	471	15	10
Parcels and Luggage	32	4	5	46	0	2
Goods	507	11	9	380	18	1
Miscellaneous	5	2	11	15	16	5
Rents and Commission	5	5	0	5	10	0
Total	£1,090	8	3	£920	0	6

HURUNUI-BLUFF SECTION.						
PASSENGERS,—	1884.			1883.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	13,505	12,484	25,999	15,488	14,949	30,430
2nd Class	49,640	38,672	88,212	54,303	46,434	100,737
Total	63,045	51,166	114,211	69,791	61,376	131,167
Season Tickets	.. 326		.. 349			
PARCELS, ETC.,—						
	No.		No.			
Parcels	14,568		15,552			
Horses	425		584			
Carriages	32		55			
Dogs	1,056		1,312			
Total	16,081		17,503			
GOODS.—						
	No.		No.			
Drays	.. 25		40			
Cattle	.. 1,143		1,216			
Calves	.. 16		6			
Sheep	.. 23,402		37,922			
Pigs	.. 1,824		1,700			
Total	31,410		40,884			
Chaff, &c. Tons.						
	Tons.		Tons.			
Chaff, &c.	1,135		1,275			
Wool	.. 641		603			
Firewood	.. 2,635		3,045			
Timber	.. 6,157		7,371			
Grain	.. 26,277		27,327			
Merchandise	.. 23,366		20,560			
Minerals	.. 29,703		26,282			
Total	89,964		86,463			
REVENUE,—						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers	14,620	6	9	14,207	6	9
Parcels and Luggage	1,618	3	6	1,810	18	1
Goods	29,320	7	5	25,433	4	7
Miscellaneous	1,290	5	0	2,319	7	2
Rents and Commission	465	3	11	368	18	8
Total	£47,314	6	7	£44,139	15	3

GREYMOUTH SECTION.

1884.				1883.		
PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	32	212	244	63	240	303
2nd Class	568	2,606	3,174	390	1,860	2,250
Total	600	2,818	3,418	453	2,100	2,553
Season Tickets	3		IS			
PARCELS, ETC.,—						
	No.		No.			
Parcels	143		140			
Horses	..		..
Carriages	..		..
Dam	12		ii			
Total	160		151			
GOODS,—						
	No.		No.			
Drags	..		..
Cattle	..		..
Calves	..		..
Sheep	..		..
Pigs	..		..
Total	..		..
				Tons.		
	Tons.		Tons.			
Chaff, &c.	..		..
Wool	..		..
Firewood	10		20			
Timber	207		151			
Grain	..		..
Merchandise	175		277			
Minerals	8,658		6,858			
Total	9,050		7,306			
REVENUE,—						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers	182	12	4	143	14	6
Parcels and Luggage	6	2	0	5	3	6
Goods	1,211	2	5	974	17	11
Miscellaneous	44	15	3	57	1	7
Rents and Commission	20	0	0
Total	£1,464	12	0	£1,180	17	6

WESTPORT SECTION.

1884.				1883.		
PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class
2nd Class	466	1,004	1,470	437	908	1,345
Total	466	1,004	1,470	437	908	1,345
Season Tickets	.. 1		.. 2			
PARCELS, ETC.,—				NO		
	No.		NO			
Parcels	124		210			
Horses	..		a			
Carriages	..		..
Dogs	..		ii 3			
Total	133		215			
GOODS,—				No.		
	No.		No.			
Drags	..		2			
Cattle	..		..
Calves	..		..
Sheep	2		6			
Pigs	..		1			
Total	2		8			
				Tons.		
	Tons.		Tons.			
Chaff, &c.	..		..
Wool	..		..
Firewood	..		..
Timber	2%		171			
Grain	..		..
Merchandise	132		187			
Minerals	5,431		3,578			
Total	5,791		3,936			
REVENUE,—						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers	125	12	8	87	15	1
Parcels and Luggage	5	10	4	4	1	6
Goods	866	5	3	651	10	9
Miscellaneous	0	5	6
Rents and Commission	1	10	0	1	10	0
Total	£999	3	9	£744	17	4

NELSON SECTION.

1884.				1883.		
PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	96	92	188	133	186	319
2nd Class	2,082	2,336	4,418	2,142	2,508	4,650
Total	2,178	2,428	4,606	2,175	2,694	4,969
Season Tickets	26		2 2			
PARCELS, ETC.,—				No.		
	No.		No.			
Parcels	278		943			
Horses	..		2			
Carriages	..		1			
Dogs	21		17			
Total	301		363			
FOODS,—				No.		
	No.		No.			
Drags	..		1			
Cattle	..		..
Calves	1		..			
Sheep	..		..
Pigs	..		..
Total	1		1			
				Tons.		
	Tons.		Tons.			
Chaff, &c.	35		40			
Wool	6		6			
Firewood	390		265			
Timber	116		186			
Grain	117		101			
Merchandise	205		255			
Minerals	24		31			
Total	893		884			
REVENUE,—						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers	347	17	6	297	10	..
Parcels and Luggage	12	17	2	14	0	..
Goods	299	2	9	339	8	..
Miscellaneous	1	14	6	4	11	..
Rents and Commission	9	14	0	2	8	..
Total	£671	5	11	£657	19	..

PICTON SECTION

1884.				1883.		
PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	321	368	689	215	244	459
2nd Class	449	1,270	1,719	387	1,148	1,635
Total	770	1,638	2,408	602	1,392	1,994
Season Tickets	7		..			
PARCELS, ETC.,—				NO.		
	NO.		NO.			
Parcels	131		133			
Horses	..		a			
Carriages	..		..
Dogs	ii		15			
Total	153		150			
FOODS,—				No.		
	No.		No.			
Drags	1		1			
Cattle	..		1			
Calves	..		..
Sheep	..		80			
Pigs	..		14			
Total	1		86			
				Tons.		
	Tons.		Tons.			
Chaff, &c.	35		70			
Wool	9		1			
Firewood	520		435			
Timber	129		335			
Grain	501		38			
Merchandise	232		189			
Minerals	117		42			
Total	1,543		1,110			
REVENUE,—						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers	238	14	7	147	3	..
Parcels and Luggage	7	15	6	6	2	..
Goods	400	7	3	221	3	4
Miscellaneous	4	1	6	13	12	9
Rents and Commission	12	2	0	10	2	0
Total	£663	0	10	£398	3	8

J. P. MAXWELL,

General Manager, New Zealand Railways.
Railway Department, 16th September, 1884.

N.Z.R.—FINANCIAL YEAR 1884-85.

RAILWAY WORKING ACCOUNT, showing the Revenue and Expenditure to the Termination of the Four-weekly Period ending 16th August, 1884.

Section.	Miles Open for traffic.	REVENUE.		EXPENDITURE.		Per Cent. of Revenue.	FOR A TWELVE-MONTHLY PERIOD, AVERAGE TO DATE.	
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.		Revenue per Mile of Railway.	Expenditure per Mile of Railway.
NORTH ISLAND,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Kawakawa ..	8	372 17 9	2,143 3 2	325 13 3	2,246 5 4	104.81	733 3 9	768 9 2
Whangarei ..	7	308 7 2	1,368 7 5	233 14 4	1,291 12 10	94.39	508 5 0	479 15 0
Auckland ..	139	7,170 11 11	33,181 13 8	5,469 0 7	29,018 18 8	76.00	714 3 9	542 16 0
Napier ..	74	3,776 1 7	18,825 4 4	2,811 2 0	10,556 13 3	56.08	683 12 0	383 6 9
Wellington ..	69	3,922 3 10	20,700 15 9	3,431 12 8	14,923 1 11	72.08	780 0 7	562 5 7
Wanganui ..	132	3,567 14 10	20,033 6 6	2,877 6 7	14,102 13 8	70.04	394 12 0	277 15 7
New Plymouth ..	51	1,090 8 3	6,063 5 9	1,600 3 2	6,259 18 6	103.24	309 2 2	319 2 7
Total ..	480	20,208 5 4	107,315 16 7	16,798 12 7	78,398 4 2	73.05		
MIDDLE ISLAND,—								
Hurunui-Bluff ..	865	47,314 6 7	296,965 6 9	35,998 2 5	175,093 6 1	58.97	892 12 2	526 5 10
Greymouth ..	8	1,464 12 0	6,593 13 6	1,576 11 5	4,904 0 11	74.32	1,144 11 4	1,593 16 4
Westport ..	18	999 3 9	5,480 12 3	522 11 6	2,484 13 0	45.34	791 12 9	358 17 9
Nelson ..	23	671 5 11	3,922 10 11	647 0 3	2,958 9 2	75.42	443 8 4	334 8 7
Pictou ..	18	663 0 10	2,673 0 4	456 0 10	2,370 18 0	88.70	386 2 0	342 9 2
Total	932	51,112 9 1	315,640 3 9	39,200 6 5	187,811 7 2	59.50		
Grand total	1,412	71,320 1 4	5,422,956 0 4	55,998 19 0	266,209 11 4	62.94		

CORRESPONDING PERIOD LAST YEAR.

NORTH ISLAND,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Kawakawa ..	..	..	310 11 2	..	..	105.17	435 3 2	457 13 0
Whangarei ..	7	224 17 10	1,171 11 6	236 6 8	1,232 2 7	68.87	632 0 4	435 5 0
Auckland ..	139	7,072 17 0	33,788 14 0	4,621 11 5	23,269 6 2	65.80	462 17 10	300 17 5
Napier ..	70	2,338 12 3	12,462 9 0	1,756 19 11	8,100 9 7	78.06	658 18 2	514 7 4
Wellington ..	69	3,225 10 1	17,486 6 9	3,221 9 5	13,630 9 3	89.70	339 19 0	304 18 10
Wanganui ..	115	2,744 19 11	15,036 3 1	2,815 5 4	13,487 18 0	90.75	287 18 0	261 5 9
New Plymouth ..	51	920 0 6	5,647 6 7	992 7 7	5,125 4 7			
Total	451	16,526 17 7	85,908 2 1	13,644 0 4	64,865 10 2	75.54		
MIDDLE ISLAND,—								
Hurunui-Bluff ..	848	44,139 15 3	270,358 8 10	34,051 2 1	177,323 15 4	65.69	828 18 7	543 13 7
Greymouth ..	8	1,180 17 6	5,598 8 0	546 19 7	3,169 15 1	57.33	1,819 9 7	1,030 3 5
Westport ..	18	744 17 4	3,775 13 11	416 1 2	2,164 11 11	77.35	557 15 5	319 15 4
Nelson ..	23	657 19 4	3,418 16 2	495 12 11	2,644 10 11	97.24	310 10 0	301 18 7
Pictou ..	18	398 3 8	2,149 11 8	499 14 7	2,090 5 9			
Total	915	47,121 13 1	285,300 18 7	36,009 10 4	187,392 19 0	65.62		
Grand total	1,366	63,648 10 8	3,711,204 0 8	49,653 10 8	252,258 9 2	67.96		

Railway Department, 16th September, 1884.

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

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of TRAFFIC on ALL SECTIONS, from 1st April, 1884, to 16th August, 1884.

All Sections.	PASSENGERS.					SEASON TICKETS.	NUMBER.					NUMBER.					
	First Class.		Second Class.		Total.		Total.	Parcels.	Horses.	Carriages.	Dogs.	Total.	Drays, &c.	Cattle.	Calves.	Sheep.	Pigs.	Total.
1884 ..	S. 125,350	R. 124,124	S. 457,762	R. 412,576	1,119,812	3,639	121,789	3,791	307	10,905	136,792	297	10,235	932	234,354	14,788	260,606
1883 ..	144,072	102,830	498,664	383,748	1,129,314	3,941	122,743	3,445	322	11,169	137,679	307	9,858	955	209,973	16,992	238,085
Increase	..	21,294	..	28,828	..	..	..	346	..	..	..	..	377	..	24,381	..	22,521
Decrease	18,722	..	40,902	..	9,502	302	954	..	15	264	887	10	..	23	..	2,204	..

All Sections.	TONNAGE.															
	Chaff, &c.		Wool.		Firewood.		Timber.		Grain.		Merchandise.		Minerals.		Total.	
1884 ..	Tons 7,665	c. qr. 0 0	Tons 8,049	c. qr. 0 0	Tons 38,235	c. qr. 0 0	Tons 66,932	c. qr. 18 0	Tons 262,082	c. qr. 9 3	Tons 129,478	c. qr. 0 2	Tons 258,418	c. qr. 15 3	Tons 770,861	c. qr. 4 0
1883 ..	7,195	0 0	6,419	0 0	34,840	0 0	68,882	17 1	269,604	14 0	128,217	8 1	214,434	1 0	729,593	0 2
Increase	470	0 0	1,630	0 0	3,395	0 0	..	..	1,260	12 1	43,984	14 3	41,263	3 2	..	..
Decrease	..	..	..	..	1,949	19 1	7,522	4 1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

COST of CONSTRUCTION of ALL LINES to 31st March, 1884, including Expenditure on Harbour Works forming part of the Railway System.

Section.	Division.	Miles Open.	Unopened.	Opened.	Total.
Kawakawa	Main Line	8	£ 47,371 19 8	£ 26,603 6 1	£ 73,975 5 9
Whangarei-Kamo	"	7	.. .. .	61,557 14 11	61,557 14 11
Auckland	"	139	.. .. .	1,179,937 0 0	1,286,146 1 1
Napier	Waikato-Thames .. .. .	..	106,209 1 1	.. .. .	.. .. .
Wellington	Main Line	70	22,200 0 0	469,583 16 6	491,783 16 6
Wanganui	"	69	7,963 4 0	781,416 16 0	789,380 0 0
New Plymouth	"	132	.. .. .	855,252 18 6	855,252 18 6
Private Line	"	51	10,875 18 5	366,314 7 2	377,190 5 7
Stock	Wellington-Foxton .. .. .	..	41,191 15 8	.. .. .	41,191 15 8
Surveys	North Island .. .. .	..	163,361 13 7	.. .. .	163,361 13 7
Miscellaneous .. .. .	" .. .. .	..	7,534 18 3	.. .. .	7,534 18 3
Hurunui-Bluff .. .. .	" .. .. .	..	5,168 9 11	.. .. .	5,168 9 11
Greymouth	Main Line and Branch	861	325,003 11 2	6,615,631 6 1	6,940,634 17 3
.. .. .	Main Line	8	16,000 0 0	166,268 17 0	.. .. .
.. .. .	Greymouth-Hokitika .. .. .	..	29,094 17 7	.. .. .	876,029 0 7
.. .. .	Harbour Works .. .. .	..	.. .. .	164,665 6 0	.. .. .
Westport	Main Line	18	.. .. .	206,944 17 1	215,412 7 0
.. .. .	Harbour Works .. .. .	..	.. .. .	8,467 9 11	.. .. .
Nelson	Main Line	23	5,700 0 0	156,682 7 0	162,382 7 0
Pieton	"	18	14,567 3 0	192,507 3 3	206,874 6 3
Stock	Middle Island .. .. .	..	139,742 2 1	.. .. .	139,742 2 1
Surveys .. .. .	" .. .. .	..	27,343 7 4	.. .. .	27,343 7 4
Miscellaneous .. .. .	" .. .. .	..	5,168 10 0	.. .. .	5,168 10 0
		1,404	974,496 11 9	11,251,633 5 6	12,226,129 17 3

Railway Department, 16th September, 1884.

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

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

BOROUGHES.	ESTIMATED POPULATION.	TOTAL BIRTHS.	DEATHS REGISTERED IN AUGUST, 1884.							Total Deaths	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, August, 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 ..	27,774	98	7	3	18	7	3	12	50	1.80	14.57	
Wellington ..	22,547	75	6	2	16	4	1	8	37	1.64	16.54	
Christchurch ..	16,260	36	4	2	8	2	..	3	19	1.17	16.82	
Dunedin ..	25,032	71	1	2	10	2	..	6	21	0.81	18.93	
Thames ..	5,274	18	..	1	3	1	..	1	6	1.14	8.34	
New Plymouth ..	3,759	13	..	..	2	1	1	..	4	1.06	9.33
Napier ..	6,314	27	1	..	1	..	..	3	5	0.79	16.53
Wanganui ..	5,107	12	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	0.20	9.44
Nelson ..	7,198	18	2	..	4	1	..	2	9	1.25	12.75	
Sydenham ..	9,489	31	3	..	4	2	2	4	15	1.58	16.51	
Lyttelton ..	4,550	16	..	..	3	..	..	..	3	0.66	14.26
Timaru ..	4,302	11	..	..	..	1	..	3	4	0.93	15.08
Oamaru ..	6,470	23	2	2	1	1	2	2	10	1.55	11.21	
Hokitika ..	2,832	10	2	1	..	..	..	2	5	1.77	15.64
Caversham ..	4,259	14	..	2	1	1	..	3	7	1.64	11.02	
Invercargill ..	5,116	38	..	..	2	1	1	1	5	0.98	14.73
Totals ..	..	511	28	15	73	24	10	51	201	..	..

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 511, against 506 in July, an increase of 5. The deaths in August were 201, an increase of 24 on the number for July. Of the above deaths, males contributed 116; females, 85. Seventy-seven of the deaths were of children under 5 years of age, being 38.31 per cent. of the whole number; 52 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 August, 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 ..	11	3	3	4	1	1	..	2	25	19.69
II.	Constitutional Diseases ..	..	7	..	2	1	2	1	6	19	14.96
III.	Local Diseases ..	8	19	4	17	5	8	2	6	69	54.33
IV.	Developmental Diseases ..	1	..	6	..	1	..	2	2	12	9.45
V.	Violent Deaths ..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	2	1.57
	Unspecified ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Totals ..	20	30	13	24	8	11	5	16	127	100.00

CLASS I.—ZYMOTIC DISEASES.	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.—									
Miasmatic Diseases,—									
Chicken-pox	1	..	..	..	1
Diphtheria	1	..	..	..	1
Croup	3	1	..	1	..	..	5
Whooping Cough	7	1	..	1	..	..	9
Typhoid Fever	1	..	..	..	1
Dysentery	1	..	..	..	1
Rheumatism	1	..	1	..	..	2
Blood-poisoning	1	..	..	..	1
ORDER 2.—									
Enthetic Diseases,—									
Syphilis	1
ORDER 3.—									
Dietic Diseases,—									
Alcoholism	1	..	..	1
CLASS II.—CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES.									
ORDER 1.—									
Diathetic Diseases,—									
Dropsy	1	..	..	..	..	1
Cancer	1	..	..	..	..	1

	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.	
CLASS II.—CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES									
<i>—continued.</i>									
ORDER 2:—									
<i>Tubercular Diseases,—</i>									
Tuberculosis	1	..	1	..	..	1
Tabes Mesenterica	1
Phthisis	5	..	1	..	..	..	2	8
Tubercular Meningitis	1	1	2
CLASS III.—LOCAL DISEASES.									
ORDER 1:—									
<i>Diseases of Nervous System,—</i>									
Meningitis	1	..	..	..	..	1
Apoplexy	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	3
Paralysis	3	..	2	..	2	..	..	7
Idiocy	1	1
Convulsions	4	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	8
Brain Disease	3	..	..	..	2	..	..	5
ORDER 2:—									
<i>Diseases of Organs of Circulation,—</i>									
Heart Disease	1	..	5	..	3	..	2	11
ORDER 3:—									
<i>Diseases of Respiratory Organs,—</i>									
Bronchitis	3	2	..	2	2	..	..	..	9
Pneumonia	2	..	2	1	..	2	..	7
Asthma	1	1
Lung Disease	1	1	..	..	2
ORDER 4:—									
<i>Diseases of Digestive Organs,—</i>									
Gastritis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Enteritis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Peritonitis	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	3
Inguinal Hernia	1	1
Dyspepsia	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Jaundice	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Liver Disease	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	3
ORDER 5:—									
<i>Diseases of Urinary Organs,—</i>									
Bright's Disease	1	..	..	..	..	1
Uremia	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Calculus	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
CLASS IV.—DEVELOPMENTAL DISEASES.									
ORDER 1:—									
<i>Developmental Diseases of Children,—</i>									
Premature Birth	1	..	1
Malformation	1
Teething	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	3
ORDER 2:—									
<i>Developmental Diseases of Adults,—</i>									
Childbirth	1	1
ORDER 3:—									
<i>Developmental Diseases of Old People,—</i>									
Old Age	1	1
ORDER 4:—									
<i>Diseases of Nutrition,—</i>									
Debility	4	..	1	..	..	..	5
CLASS V.—VIOLENT DEATHS.									
ORDER 1:—									
<i>Accident or Negligence,—</i>									
Crushed by a Cart	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Killed by a Fall (Petone Workshops)	1	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	20	30	13	24	8	11	5	16	127

The following remarks apply only to the above four principal boroughs :—

The births in August were 250, against 286 in July, a decrease of 6. The deaths in August were 127, against 122 in July, an increase of 5.

There were 18 deaths of persons of 65 years and upwards : 7 males aged 78, 76, 74, 73, 71, 69, and 68, and two females of 84 and 76, died at Auckland ; a male of 77, and 2 females of 88 and 65, at Wellington ; 4 males of 80, 75, 72, and 68 at Christchurch ; and 2 males of 87 and 68 at Dunedin.

Zymotic Diseases.—The mortality from these complaints was 19·69 per cent. of the whole for the principal boroughs. Out of the total number of deaths (25), 14 were at Auckland, 13 being attributable to whooping cough, croup, and diarrhoea.

Constitutional Diseases.—The number of deaths from phthisis fell from 21 in July to 8 in August, causing a reduction of the mortality from this class of disease from 23·77 per cent. of the whole to 14·96 per cent.

Local Diseases.—The total number of deaths was 69, an increase of 23 on the number for July. Diseases of the nervous system were fatal in 25 cases, against 10 in July.

Violent Deaths.—The number of the deaths (2) is unusually small. Both persons were adults, and killed by accidents of an ordinary kind.

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.		
	Aug.	July	Aug.	July	Aug.	July	Aug.	July	Aug.	July	Aug.	July	Aug.	July	Aug.	July	Aug.	July	Aug.	July	
Auckland	1	..	8	5	..	..	5	4	..	..	2	1	..	1
Wellington	1	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	2	..	1
Christchurch	2	1	..	..	1	3	2	1
Dunedin	2	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	3	..	..
Totals	2	..	..	1	..	3	1	9	7	1	..	9	6	..	..	7	9	2	3	..

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 17th September, 1884.

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

PROVISIONAL METEOROLOGICAL RETURN FOR AUGUST, 1884.

	AUCKLAND.	WELLINGTON.	CHRISTCHURCH.	DUNEDIN.
Mean Temperature in shade for month ..	53·3	50·0	44·4	44·6
Average same month previous years ...	52·3	47·9	43·9	43·0
Maximum Temperature in shade, and date	..	62·8 on 18th	64·5 on 31st	63·0 on 31st
Minimum Temperature in shade, and date	..	32·0 on 7th	24·0 on 4th & 7th	31·0 on 6th
Maximum Temperature in sun, and date	..	115·0 on 30th	111·5 on 31st	110·0 on 16th
Minimum Temperature on grass, and date	..	29·0 on 7th	18·5 on 4th & 7th	30·0 on 23rd
Mean Humidity (Saturation=100) ..	74	80	..	80
Average same month previous years ...	73	78	78	77
Total Rainfall in inches ..	5·690	3·253	1·390	2·130
Average same month previous years ...	4·699	5·518	2·154	2·888
Number of Days on which Rain fell ..	27	15	16	15
Average same month previous years ...	19	18	10	14

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, 17th September, 1884.

JAMES HECTOR.

Land Transfer Act Notices.

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

5014. AGNES FISHER.—10 acres 2 roods 22 perches, parts of Rural Section 201, Oxford District. Occupied by Applicant.

5351. GEORGE FREDERICK BRYANT.—10 perches, part of Rural Section 311, Borough of St. Albans. Unoccupied.

5390. FRANCOIS NARBEY.—4 acres and 28 perches, Rural Section 7530, and part of Rural Section 186, Akaroa District. Occupied by Applicant.

5513. ROBERT GEDDIS.—150 acres, Rural Section 7192, Rangiora Survey District. Occupied by George Milne.

5515. JANE SATTERTHWAITE.—27 perches, Lot 6, deposited Plan 538, part of Rural Section 730, Borough of Timaru. Occupied by Applicant.

5519. FRANCIS CARTER.—17 acres 2 roods 25 perches, parts of Rural Sections 725 and 1169, Christchurch District. Occupied by John Parish.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 12th day of September, 1884, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

J. M. BATHAM,
District Land Registrar.

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APPLICATION having been made to me by JOHN BALDWIN for the issue to him of a provisional certificate of title for Rural Sections 5973 and 5974, Ellesmere District, contained in certificate of title, Vol. i., folio 30, and a statutory declaration having been lodged with me of the loss of such certificate, I hereby give notice that I shall issue the provisional certificate of title, as requested, at the expiration of fourteen days after the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice, unless in the meantime caveat be lodged forbidding the same.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch, this 16th day of September, 1884.

J. M. BATHAM,
District Land Registrar.

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APPLICATION having been made to me by ROBERT SUTHERLAND and HENRY SAWTELL to register a certain dealing affecting Lease No. 1154, over part of Rural Sections Nos. 4583 and 7792, District of Ellesmere, of which JOSEPH HENRY BAILEY is the registered Lessee, and evidence having been lodged with me of the loss of the said lease, I hereby give notice that I shall register such dealing 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 6th day of September, 1884.

J. M. BATHAM,
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.

463. SAMUEL MANSON THE YOUNGER.—63 acres 1 rood 7 perches, parts of Sections 1098, 1099, Grey District. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 8th day of September, 1884, at the Lands Registry Office, Hokitika.

ALFRED H. KING,
District Land Registrar.

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Mining Notices.

I, the undersigned, hereby make application to register the Queen Gold-Mining Company as a Limited Company, under the provisions of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872," and Amendment Act, 1883.

1. The name of the company is to be the Queen Gold-Mining Company (Limited).

2. The place of operations is at Coromandel, in the Provincial District of Auckland, in the Colony of New Zealand.

3. The registered office of the company will be situated at the New Zealand Insurance Company's Buildings, Auckland, in the Provincial District of Auckland and Colony of New Zealand.

4. The nominal capital of the company is ten thousand pounds sterling, in twenty thousand shares of ten shillings sterling each.

5. The number of shares subscribed for is twenty thousand, being the entire number of shares in the company.

6. The number of paid-up shares is nil.

7. The amount already paid up is nil.

8. The name of the Manager is Dennis Gilmore MacDonnell.

9. The names and addresses and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follow:—

	No. of Shares.
George William Binney, Auckland, Auctioneer	1,557
John Kirkwood, Auckland, Merchant	1,230
John Richard Randerson, Auckland, Auctioneer	1,331
George Dunnet, Auckland, Agent	1,455
Robert Cartmel Rawlinson, Auckland, Clerk	984
Moritz Samuel Leers, Auckland, Accountant	757
James Berry Hoyes, Auckland, Miller	840
Theophilus Cooper, Auckland, Solicitor	820
Charles Alexander, Auckland, Sharebroker	492
Robert Garton, Auckland, Carrier	471
John McEffer Shera, Auckland, Merchant	410
Samuel Jackson, Auckland, Solicitor	410
Peter Henry Burke, Auckland, Clerk	410
Henry Newson Brewer, Onehunga, Gentleman	410
Selwyn Vidal, Auckland, Clerk	410
Francis Stephens, Auckland, Bootmaker	410
Robert Charles Greenwood, Auckland, Commission Agent	205
Mrs. Forgham, Northcote, Widow	410
Frederic William Brookfield, Auckland, Solicitor	246
James Oliver, Auckland, Agent	205
Thomas Melville, Auckland, Accountant	205
Thomas Powell, Lucas Creek, Settler	205
Howard John Philpot, Auckland, Accountant	205
Benjamin Charles Roberts, Auckland, Hotelkeeper	164
John Smith, Ponsonby, Storekeeper	164
George Stanton, Auckland, Storeman	164
Edward Reuben Piggott, Auckland, Janitor	102
Arthur Wright, Auckland, Tailor	108
John Chadwick, Auckland, Merchant	82
William Thomas James Bell, Auckland, Agent	82
Henry Medland Shepherd, Mount Eden, Builder	82
George Fraser, jun., Auckland, Engineer	82
John Brown, Auckland, Miller	82
Gertrude Hoyes, Auckland, Spinster	82
Richard John Tremain, Auckland, Miller	82
Richard A. Player, Auckland, Clerk	82
James McGregor, Coromandel, Miner	82
John Buckland, Onehunga, Butcher	82
Edward Tester, Auckland, Draper	102
Donald Birrell McDonald, Auckland, Sharebroker	82
James White, Parnell, Storeman	41
Dennis Rubie, Auckland, Restaurant-keeper	41
Frank O'Dowd, Coromandel, Miner	410
Dennis Gilmore MacDonnell, Auckland, Legal Manager	3,422
Charles Wallnutt, Auckland, Accountant	307

20,000

Dated this 3rd day of September, 1884.

D. G. MACDONNELL,
Manager.

Witness to signature—J. W. Nichol, jun.

I, Dennis Gilmore MacDonnell, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

1. I am the Manager of the said intended company.

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

D. G. MACDONNELL.

Taken before me, this 3rd day of September, 1884—J. Rogan, J.P.

582

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

1. The name of the company is the Eureka Extended Gold-Mining Company (Limited).

2. The place of operations is at Terawhiti, in the Wellington Country District.

3. The registered office of the company will be situated at Customhouse Quay, Wellington.

4. The nominal capital of the company is twenty-six thousand pounds, in twenty-six thousand shares of one pound each.

5. The number of shares subscribed for is twenty-six thousand, being not less than two-thirds of the entire number of shares in the company.

- 6. The number of paid-up shares is nil.
- 7. The amount already paid up is twenty-six pounds.
- 8. The name of the Manager is William Edward Stanley Hickson.
- 9. The names and addresses and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follow:—

	No. of Shares.
Robert Sloan, Wellington, Tailor	2,000
James C. Cooper, Wellington, Settler	4,000
James Sloan, Wellington, Tailor	2,000
James Barry, Wellington, Builder	2,000
Thomas Tolly, Wellington, Locksmith	2,000
Robert Burrett, Wellington, Stationer	2,000
B. Blower, Wellington, Licensed Victualler	2,000
Charles Plimmer, Wellington, Licensed Victualler ..	2,000
W. E. S. Hickson (in trust for company), Wellington, Commission Agent	8,000
	26,000

Dated this 9th day of September, 1884.
 W. E. S. HICKSON,
 Manager.
 Witness to signature—E. J. Fraser, Clerk, Wellington.

I, William Edward Stanley Hickson, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

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

W. E. S. HICKSON.
 Taken before me, this 9th day of September, 1884—J. H. Wallace, J.P. 544

NEW COLONIAL GOLD-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

At a general meeting of shareholders, held on the 19th instant, a special resolution was passed requiring the company to be voluntarily wound up.

D. G. MACDONNELL,
 Liquidator.
 Auckland, 19th August, 1884. 533

QUEEN OF ENGLAND GOLD-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED), COROMANDEL.

At a general meeting of the shareholders, held on the 19th instant, a special resolution was passed requiring the company to be voluntarily wound up.

D. G. MACDONNELL,
 Liquidator.
 Auckland, 19th August, 1884. 534

Private Advertisements.

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 Maltsters 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 of "J. R. Dodson and Son."

J. R. DODSON.
 H. DODSON.
 Nelson, 5th September, 1884. 528

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

TUCKER, RESTELL, AND Co.

MR. MAX FRIEDLANDER having retired from the above-mentioned firm, the business will be carried on by the remaining partners, as from the date hereof, under the style or firm of "Tucker and Restell," who will receive all amounts due to, and pay all debts owing by, the late firm.

JOSHUA TUCKER.
 JOHN G. RESTELL.
 MAX FRIEDLANDER.
 Witness to the signatures of Joshua Tucker, John G. Restell, and Max Friedlander—Wm. White, Accountant, East Street, Ashburton.
 Ashburton, 1st September, 1884. 536

THE MOUNT IDA PASTORAL INVESTMENT COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that, at a duly-constituted general meeting of the above-mentioned company, held on the 3rd day of March, 1884, of which due notice was given, as well of the time and place of holding the same, as of the intention to propose the resolution hereafter referred to, it was resolved, by a majority of not less than three-fourths of the members of the company entitled, according to the regulations of the company, to vote, and present in person at such meeting or represented thereat by proxy, "That the said company be wound up voluntarily;" and that, at a subsequent duly-constituted general meeting of the company, held on the 3rd day of April, 1884, of which due notice was likewise given, the said resolution was confirmed by a like majority of the members of the company so present or represented as aforesaid. And notice is hereby further given that, at a general meeting of the company, duly constituted as aforesaid, held on the 16th day of June, 1884, it was unanimously resolved, "That Mr. William Newman be appointed Liquidator to wind up the affairs of the company."

Dated the 10th day of September, 1884.
 WALTER INDER,
 Chairman of the Mount Ida Pastoral Investment Company.

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STATEMENT of Receipts and Disbursements by, and Assets and Liabilities of, the Trustees of the Greymouth Racecourse Reserve, from the 1st day of April, 1883, to the 31st day of March, 1884.

	RECEIPTS.	£ s. d.
Annual rent .. .. .	.. .. .	25 0 0
	DISBURSEMENTS.	£ s. d.
Fencing reserve contract .. .. .	.. .. .	25 0 0

ASSETS: Lease current. LIABILITIES: Nil.

I, James Payne, Honorary Treasurer for the Trustees of the Greymouth Racecourse Reserve, do solemnly declare that the above is a true statement of the receipts and disbursements, and assets and liabilities, in connection with the above-named reserve, up to the 31st day of March last.

JAMES PAYNE.
 Sworn before me this — day of September, 1884, at Greymouth—James Kerr, J.P. 539

I, CHARLES GEORGE SATCHELL, late of Tunbridge Wells, England, Member of the Royal College of Surgeons of England, and Licentiate of the Society of Apothecaries, London, hereby give notice that I have deposited with the Registrar of the Nelson District the necessary proof of my having obtained the above degrees in surgery and medicine, and intend to apply to be registered under the New Zealand Medical Act in one month from the date hereof.

CHARLES GEORGE SATCHELL.
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I, ALEXANDER CLARKE, Lic. R. Coll. Phys., and Lic. R. Coll. Surg., Edinburgh, registered in 1864, now residing in Auckland, having this day deposited evidence of my qualifications with the Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages of Auckland District, hereby give notice that I intend to apply to be registered under "The New Zealand Medical Practitioners Act, 1869," on the 1st day of November, 1884.

ALEXANDER CLARKE.
 Auckland, 11th September, 1884. 535

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