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Land taken for a Road in Featherston Road District, Provincial District of Wellington.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken, under "The Public Works Act, 1882," for a certain work, to wit, the construction of a road in Featherston Road District, Provincial District of Wellington:

And whereas the Featherston Road Board has laid before the Governor the memorial, accompanied by a map, and also the statutory declaration, as required by the said Act:

Now, therefore, I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities in me vested by section eleven of "The Public Works Act, 1882," and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in that behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a road; and that, from and after the day of the date hereof, the land so mentioned shall become absolutely vested in fee-simple in Her Majesty, discharged from all mortgages, charges, claims, estates, or interests of what kind soever, for use as a road.

SCHEDULE.

The several parcels of land mentioned in list hereunder:—

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of
A. R. P. 0 3 6.44	80	IX.	Waiohine.
1 0 14	79	"	"
1 3 14.6	75	"	"
1 0 0	1	"	"
2 2 19	521	"	"
0 0 28	72	VIII.	"
1 0 19	85	XII.	Wairarapa.

All in the Provincial District of Wellington; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plans marked P.W.D. 13096 and 13096A, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

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

EDWARD RICHARDSON,
Minister for Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land taken for Further Portion of Wellington-Napier Railway (Land at Awapurua Bridge).

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken for further portion of the Wellington-Napier Railway, namely, land at Awapurua Bridge:

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

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

SCHEDULE.

THE several parcels of land mentioned in list hereunder :—

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of
A. R. P. 0 0 24	168	VIII., Gravel Reserve	Woodville.
5 1 0	173	VIII., Educational Reserve	Woodville.

All in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 13108, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured pink.

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

EDWARD RICHARDSON,
Minister for Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land taken for Further Portion of the Otago Central Railway (Additional Land at Wingatui Station).

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken for further portion of the Otago Central Railway, namely, additional land at Wingatui Station:

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

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

SCHEDULE.

THE several parcels of land mentioned in list hereunder :—

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land required to be taken.	Being Section or Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of
A. R. P. 1 2 5.6	5	I.	Taieri.
3 0 0	6	"	"

All in the Provincial District of Otago; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 13060, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured purple and red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir William Francis Drummond Jervois, Lieutenant-General in Her Majesty's Army, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New

Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this third day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

EDWARD RICHARDSON,
Minister for Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

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

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

SCHEDULE.

Block.	Section.	Area.
UPPER WAKATIPU DISTRICT.		
I.	1	A. R. P. 51 1 12
	2	51 3 38
	3	50 0 16
	4	47 0 37
	5	49 2 8
	6	50 0 0
	7	50 0 0
	8	49 2 20
	9	50 0 0
	10	42 0 29
	11	43 2 16
	12	48 1 0
	13	48 3 0
	14	49 1 30
	15	50 0 0
	16	50 0 0
	17	50 0 0
	18	50 0 0
	19	50 0 0
	20	50 0 0
	21	50 0 0
	22	32 1 7
	23	49 0 16
	24	54 0 13
	25	41 3 27
	26	50 3 3
	27	47 2 27
	28	50 3 31
	29	50 0 0
	30	50 0 0
	31	50 0 0
	32	95 1 16
	33	49 3 37
34	50 0 0	
35	50 0 0	
36	55 1 35	
37	122 0 0	
38	117 2 0	
GLENORCHY.		
I.	25	50 3 24
	26	51 0 9
	27	51 0 9
	28	51 0 9
	29	51 0 14
	30	51 0 14
	31	51 0 14
	32	51 0 14
	33	51 0 14
	34	51 0 18
	35	43 1 21
	36	54 2 29
38	42 0 20	
38A	42 1 32	
39	53 0 0	
40	49 0 0	
41	63 1 0	

Block	Section.	Area.
II.	EARNSLAW.	
		A. R. P.
	42	45 3 6
	43	50 0 22
	44	49 1 39
	45	45 3 24
	46	48 1 32
	47	51 0 6
	48	51 2 0
	49	63 3 32
	50	45 3 0
	52	48 1 11
	53	57 1 35
	54	45 1 12
	55	49 3 25
	56	49 3 25
	57	49 3 31
	58	49 3 25
	59	48 3 28
	60	49 2 36
	61	49 2 28
	62	49 2 28
	63	49 2 28
	64	49 2 28
	65	50 1 17
	66	49 1 32
	67	52 0 22
	68	48 0 32
	69	49 0 38
	70	47 1 35
	71	49 3 38
	72	47 3 30
	73	23 3 8
	74	50 0 0
	75	45 2 3
	76	49 0 9
77	45 0 19	
78	45 3 35	
79	47 0 26	
80	55 2 10	
81	53 3 11	
82	53 1 38	
83	52 0 8	
84	52 1 37	
85	54 3 12	
86	50 3 34	
87	44 0 13	
88	47 0 17	
89	50 1 22	
90	66 0 18	
91	66 1 24	
92	52 1 28	
93	46 0 8	
94	43 1 18	

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 ninth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

J. BALLANCE,
Minister of Lands.

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

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land set apart for a Village Settlement, Southland Land District.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by "The Special Powers and Contracts Act, 1884," and the twentieth section of "The Land Act 1877 Amendment Act, 1879," I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby set apart the land described in the Schedule

hereto for sale as a village settlement, upon such terms and conditions as are to be set forth in an Order in Council to be made under the twenty-first section of the said Act.

SCHEDULE.
INVERCARGILL HUNDRED VILLAGE SETTLEMENT.

Section.	Block.	Area.
		A. R. P.
77	VII.	5 3 36
79	"	4 2 0
80	"	5 0 0
83	"	4 3 20
85	"	2 3 18
87	"	5 2 3
89	"	4 3 38
76	"	5 1 25
78	"	4 2 0
81	"	5 0 0
82	"	6 0 0
84	"	3 2 16
86	"	6 1 2
88	"	5 1 2

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

J. BALLANCE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land set apart for a Village Settlement in the Southland Land District.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by "The Special Powers and Contracts Act, 1884," and the twentieth section of "The Land Act 1877 Amendment Act, 1879," I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby set apart the land described in the Schedule hereto for sale as a village settlement, upon such terms and conditions as are to be set forth in an Order in Council to be made under the twenty-first section of the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

Section.	Hundred.	Area.
		A. R. P.
191	Oreti	9 3 8
192	"	9 3 8
193	"	9 3 8
194	"	7 2 0
195	"	20 2 0

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 ninth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

J. BALLANCE,
Minister of Lands.

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 Jervis, Lieutenant-General in Her Majesty's Army, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this eighth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

J. BALLANCE,
Minister for Native Affairs.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

SCHEDULE.

PORTIONS of Waotu North No. 2B Block, Waikato, containing together about 28 acres, proposed to be acquired by the Crown for educational and telegraph purposes, as delineated on the plan of the said block, deposited in the Survey Office, Auckland.

Altering Boundaries of Resident Magistrates' Districts of Wanganui and Wellington.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

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

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

Now, therefore, I, William Francis Drummond Jervis, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities so vested in me as aforesaid, do hereby alter the boundaries of the said Districts of Wanganui and Wellington respectively and define them as described in the Schedule hereto, as and from the first day of July next.

SCHEDULE.

WANGANUI.

BOUNDED towards the North-east generally by the Counties of West Taupo, East Taupo, and Hawke's Bay; towards the East and South-east by the Counties of Waipawa and Wairarapa East; towards the South-west by the Horowhenua Block; towards the West and South-west by the sea; and again towards the West generally by the Counties of Patea and Taranaki.

WELLINGTON.

Bounded towards the North-east by the Resident Magistrate's District of Wanganui, hereinbefore described; towards the South-east by the Counties of Wairarapa East and Wairarapa West; and towards the South-west and North-west by the sea.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir William Francis Drummond Jervis, 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 ninth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Jos. A. TOLE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Amalgamating Licensing Districts.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section three of "The Licensing Act Amendment Act, 1882," I, the Governor of the Colony New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the Licensing Districts of Brook, Port, Waimea, and Wood shall be amalgamated under the name of the Nelson Licensing District, as from the first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five; and that, as from the said date, the Licensing Districts of Brook, Port, Waimea, and Wood shall be abolished.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir William Francis Drummond Jervis, 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 ninth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Jos. A. TOLE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Native Land taken for Portion of Wellington-Napier Railway (from 72 miles to 78 miles from Napier).

Wm. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this ninth day of June, 1885.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in him by "The Public Works Act, 1882," and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency Sir William Francis Drummond Jervis, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, do hereby order that the Government work known as the Wellington-Napier Railway (from seventy-two to seventy-eight miles from Napier) shall and may be constructed on or through the parcels of land mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of Native Block	Situated in Block	Description.	Survey District of
A. R. P. 81 3 31	Te Ohu	Manawatu No. 3, X. and XV.	Nativeland	Norsewood.
43 3 29	Otanga	Manawatu No. 4B, XIV. & XV.	"	"
44 3 22	Piripiri	Manawatu No. 2, XIV.	"	"

All in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 12864, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured pink.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Vesting Reserves in the Eyreton Road Board.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this ninth day of June, 1885.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto were reserved for gravel-pits: And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to vest the said lands in the Road Board of the Eyreton 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 the fourth section of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," doth hereby declare that, from and after the day of the date hereof, the said reserves shall become vested in the Road Board of the Eyreton District, in trust, for gravel-pits.

SCHEDULE.

No. of Reserve.	Area.	Date of Gazette showing Reservation.
275	A. R. P.	<i>Provincial Gazette</i> , 21 Oct., 1863.
354	32 3 8	" 15 Sept., 1864.
355	20 0 0	" "
366	20 0 0	" 1 Oct., 1864.
367	6 0 0	" "
395	10 0 0	" 17 Feb., 1866.
1026	5 0 0	" 15 June, 1869.
1027	5 0 0	" "
1302	5 0 0	" 4 Aug., 1871.
1303	5 0 0	" "
1304	5 0 0	" "
1305	5 0 0	" "
1306	5 0 0	" "
1330	5 0 0	" 18 Jan., 1872.
1335	5 0 0	" 8 July, 1872.
1336	5 0 0	" "
1337	5 0 0	" "
1338	5 0 0	" "
1339	5 0 0	" "
1341	5 0 0	" "
1545	8 1 30	" 18 Feb., 1874.
1546	5 0 0	" "
2550	4 3 0	<i>New Zealand Gazette</i> , 7th December, 1882, page 1833.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Terms and Conditions of Sale of the Village Settlement in the Oreti Hundred, Southland Land District.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this ninth day of June, 1885.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the twenty-first section of "The Land Act 1877 Amendment Act, 1879," it is enacted that the Governor in Council may fix the terms and conditions upon which the lands comprised in any village settlement shall be disposed of, and the mode of payment for the same:

And whereas His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand has, by Proclamation, set apart the lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto for sale as a village settlement:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the hereinbefore in part recited Act, and by and with the advice of the Executive Council of the Colony of New Zealand, doth hereby fix the following terms and conditions upon which the said village settlement shall be disposed of, and the mode of payment for the same, that is to say,—

1. The lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall be disposed of as small-farm allotments for cash.

2. The day upon which the lands shall be open for application shall be Wednesday, the sixteenth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, at the Land Office, Invercargill.

3. The lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall be sold for cash immediately on purchase.

4. No person shall be allowed to acquire more than one section.

5. If there should be more than one application for any allotment, the right to purchase the same shall be determined by lot amongst the applicants.

6. The purchaser of any lands described in the Schedule, upon the full payment of the purchase-money, will be entitled to his Crown grant, to be issued in the usual way upon payment of the fees prescribed by law.

SCHEDULE.

SMALL-FARM ALLOTMENTS FOR CASH.

Section.	Hundred.	Area.	Price per Acre.
191	Oreti	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
192	"	9 3 8	2 10 0
193	"	9 3 8	2 10 0
194	"	7 2 0	2 10 0
195	"	20 2 0	2 10 0

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Terms and Conditions of Sale of the Village Settlement in Block VII., Invercargill Hundred, Southland Land District.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this ninth day of June, 1885.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the twenty-first section of "The Land Act 1877 Amendment Act, 1879," it is enacted that the Governor in Council may fix the terms and conditions upon which the lands comprised in any village settlement shall be disposed of, and the mode of payment for the same:

And whereas His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand has, by Proclamation in the *New Zealand Gazette*, set apart the lands enumerated in the Schedules hereto for sale as a village settlement:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the hereinbefore in part recited Act, and by and with the advice of the Executive Council of the Colony of New Zealand, doth hereby fix the following terms and conditions upon which the said village settlement shall be disposed of, and the mode of payment for the same, that is to say,—

1. The lands enumerated in the Schedules hereto shall be disposed of as small-farm allotments for cash and upon deferred payments.

2. The day upon which the lands shall be open for application shall be Wednesday, the sixteenth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, at the Land Office, Invercargill.

3. The lands enumerated in the First Schedule hereto shall be sold for cash immediately on purchase, and the lands enumerated in the Second Schedule hereto shall be sold on deferred payments.

4. The lands which are disposed of by sale upon deferred payments shall be subject to the provisions relating to suburban lands of Part III. of "The Land Act, 1877."

5. No person shall be allowed to acquire more than one section upon either immediate or deferred payments.

6. The prices stated in the Schedules hereto shall be the prices at which the lands shall be open for application.

7. If there should be more than one application for any allotment, the right to occupy the same shall be determined by lot amongst the applicants.

8. Each applicant for a deferred-payment section in the Second Schedule will be required to make the declaration prescribed by section sixty-two of "The Land Act, 1877," and shall at the time of application deposit with the Receiver of Land Revenue for the Southland Land District one-tenth of the price of the allotment. Such payment shall be deemed to be a discharge of the license-fee for the

six months due on the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

9. The purchaser of any lands described in the First Schedule, upon the full payment of the purchase-money, and the purchaser of any lands described in the Second Schedule, upon the like payment, and also the fulfilment of the terms and conditions prescribed by "The Land Act, 1877," "The Land Act 1877 Amendment Act, 1879," and "The Land Act 1877 Amendment Act, 1882," relating to land on deferred payments, will be entitled to his Crown grant, to be issued in the usual way upon payment of the fees prescribed by law.

FIRST SCHEDULE.
SMALL-FARM ALLOTMENTS FOR CASH.

Section.	Block.	Hundred.	Area.			Upset Price per Acre.		
			A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
77	VII.	Invercargill	5	3	36	4	0	0
79	"	"	4	2	0	4	0	0
80	"	"	5	0	0	4	0	0
83	"	"	4	3	20	4	0	0
85	"	"	2	3	18	4	0	0
87	"	"	5	2	3	4	0	0
89	"	"	4	3	38	4	0	0

SECOND SCHEDULE.
SMALL-FARM ALLOTMENTS ON DEFERRED PAYMENTS.

Section.	Block.	Hundred.	Area.			Upset Price per Acre.		
			A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
76	VII.	Invercargill	5	1	25	5	0	0
78	"	"	4	2	0	5	0	0
81	"	"	5	0	0	5	0	0
82	"	"	6	0	0	5	0	0
84	"	"	3	2	16	5	0	0
86	"	"	6	1	2	5	0	0
88	"	"	5	1	2	5	0	0

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Powers delegated to the Corporation of Akaroa under
"The Public Domains Act, 1881."*

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this ninth day of June, 1885.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by "The Public Domains Act, 1881," His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby revoke a certain Order in Council, dated the twenty-fourth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, making delegation of certain powers in manner as therein appears; and doth, with the like advice and consent, by this present order, delegate, but only with respect to the piece or parcel of land described in the Schedule hereto, all the powers conferred by the Act aforesaid, except the powers under or conferred by sections five and twelve thereof, to the under-mentioned persons, who shall be known as the Akaroa Public Domain Board, namely,—

The CORPORATION of the BOROUGH of AKAROA

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

1. The Board shall meet for the transaction of business on the fourth Wednesday in each month, at eleven o'clock a.m., at the office of the Borough Council, or at such other time or place as may from time to time be fixed by the Board. The first meeting shall be held on Wednesday, the twenty-fourth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

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

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

4. The members of the Board shall, at their first meeting,

and thereafter at an annual meeting to be held on the fourth Wednesday in December in every succeeding year thereafter, elect one of themselves to be Chairman, who may join in the discussion, and shall have an original as well as a casting vote. The Chairman shall hold office until the election of his successor.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 10 acres 2 roods, more or less, being Akaroa Town Section No. 45, and Reserves Nos. 88 and 1724 (in red), situate in the Akaroa Survey District, and partly within the Borough of Akaroa. Bounded towards the North by the Beach Road; towards the North-east by Aylmer Street, about 700 links; towards the East and South by South Street, about 1283 links; and towards the West by Reserve No. 117 (in red) and the road leading thereto, about 1310 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the District Survey Office, Christchurch.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Notice of Intention to change the Purpose of a Portion of
a Reserve.*

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

WHEREAS by "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," it is, amongst other things, enacted that the Governor may declare his intention to make, change, exchange, or alter the dedication of any public reserve now or hereafter vested in Her Majesty or the Governor for any of the purposes named in Class II. of the Schedule to the said Act, whether the same be granted or not; and, in the case of any reserves made under the authority of section one hundred and forty-four of "The Land Act, 1877," if it shall, in the opinion of the Governor, be expedient to change the purpose of such reserves or any part thereof from the purpose or presumed purpose for which it was set apart to any other purpose, or if it shall, in the opinion of the Governor, be expedient to exchange any of the land comprised in such reserve for other land of equal value, to be dedicated to one or more purposes named in the said Class II., the Governor may, by notice in the *Gazette*, declare his intention to make such change, exchange, or dedication, as the case may be, and in such notice declare the manner and terms in which the same is intended to be so made:

Now, therefore, I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," aforesaid, declare my intention to change the specific purpose of a portion of the reserve described in the first column of the Schedule hereto, the area of which is described in the second column of the said Schedule, to the specific purpose set opposite such description in the third column of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Description and Purpose of Original Reserve.	Portion of which the Purpose is intended to be changed.	Intended Purpose.
Reserve 102, Town of Timaru, containing 20 acres. Reserved for general Government purposes.	All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 8 acres, more or less, being part of Reserve No. 102, situate in the Suburbs of Timaru. Bounded towards the North by the other portion of said Reserve No. 102; towards the East by a road along the beach; towards the South by Abattoir Reserve; and towards the West by Suburban Section No. 1702.	For a recreation ground.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fourteenth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

J. BALLANCE,
Minister of Lands.

Committee of Management, Wellington Hospital, appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 10th June, 1885.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Arthur Winton Brown,
William Clark,
Samuel Danks,
Francis Humphries Fraser,
Herbert Gaby,
Robert Mackay Greenfield,
John Chantrey Harris,
Charles Beard Izard,
The Hon. George Randall Johnson,
Charles John Johnston,
Joseph Edward Nathan,
Alfred Kingcome Newman,
James O'Shea,
William Henry Quick,
William Richard Waters,
Charles Edward Waster Willeston,
Herbert James Williams, and
His Worship the Mayor for the time being of the Borough of the City of Wellington

to be a Committee for the control and management of the Wellington Hospital.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Public Vaccinator, Popotuna District, appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 2nd June, 1885.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ARTHUR WATSON, Esq., M.B., M.S.,

to be a Public Vaccinator, under "The Public Health Act, 1876," for the Popotuna District.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Public Vaccinator, Featherston District, appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 5th June, 1885.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM FIFE

to be a Public Vaccinator, under "The Public Health Act, 1876," for the Featherston District.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Crown Solicitor and Crown Prosecutor appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 3rd June, 1885.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ARTHUR GETHIN CREAGH, Esq.,

to be Crown Solicitor at Oamaru for the Judicial District of Otago and Southland; and also to be Crown Prosecutor at Oamaru for the District Court District of Timaru and Oamaru.

Jos. A. TOLE.

Clerk of Resident Magistrate's Court appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 3rd June, 1885.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable JOHN RYAN

to be Clerk of the Resident Magistrate's Court at Te Awamutu, from the 3rd June, 1885, vice Sergeant Gillies, transferred.

Jos. A. TOLE.

Member of Licensing Committee appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 3rd June, 1885.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ARTHUR WESTENRA

to be a Member of the Licensing Committee for the District of Akaroa, vice H. Billens.

Jos. A. TOLE.

Licensing Committees appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 8th June, 1885.

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

Committee.	District.
Herbert Theodore Black	Hawea.
James Cowan, J.P.	
David Howell	
John Jamieson	
John Stronach, J.P.	
John Ball	Kawarau.
Edward Kennedy	
William Menzies	
William Purcell	
Charles Ray	

Jos. A. TOLE.

Visiting Justices appointed.

Prisons Department,
Wellington, 10th June, 1885.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned gentlemen to be Visiting Justices of the prison at Auckland:—

SEYMOUR THORNE GEORGE, Esq., J.P., and
CHARLES LA ROCHE, Esq., J.P.

Jos. A. TOLE.

Deputy Commissioners of Stamps appointed.

Head Office, Stamp Department,
Wellington, 8th June, 1885.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned gentlemen to be Deputy Commissioners of Stamps at the places set opposite their respective names; such appointments to take effect from the 1st May last:—

JONAH SHRIMPTON Gisborne.
JOHN FRAME MCBETH Wanganui.
EDMUND COOK Timaru.

JULIUS VOGEL.

Governor of Rangiora High School appointed.

Education Department,
Wellington, 3rd June, 1885.

PURSUANT to section 8 of "The Rangiora High School Act, 1881," His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOSEPH LOWTHIAN WILSON, Esq.,

to be a Member of the Board of Governors of the Rangiora High School, in lieu of the member who should have been elected by the Ashley County Council.

ROBERT STOUT.

Native Assessor appointed.

Native Office,
Wellington, 4th June, 1885.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

PERERIKA NGAHURUHURU

to be an Assessor for the purposes of "The Resident Magistrates Act, 1867," "The Native Circuit Courts Act, 1858," and "The Native Circuit Courts Act Amendment Act, 1862," within the District of Maketu.

J. BALLANCE.

Resignation of a Trustee, New Plymouth Savings Bank.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 4th June, 1885.

IT is hereby notified for public information that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation of

Mr. OCTAVIUS CARRINGTON

of his office of Trustee of the New Plymouth Savings Bank.

JULIUS VOGEL.

Appointments in Stock Branch.—Notice No. 176.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 6th June, 1885.

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

In the Otago Sheep, Cattle, and Branding Districts.

RICHARD THOMSON to be an Inspector of Sheep for the Dunedin and Port Chalmers Subdivision, and in and for the several subdivisions of all sheep districts in the colony, from the 1st June, 1885; and to be a Deputy Cattle Inspector in and for all cattle districts in the colony, from the 1st June, 1885; and also to be Registrar of Brands for the Dunedin Branding District, from the same date.

In the Wellington Sheep District.

EDWIN ATCHLEY DOWDEN to be an Acting Sheep Inspector for the Port of Wellington, from the 1st June, 1885.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Justice of the Peace resigned.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 5th June, 1885.

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

JOHN KERR, Esq.,

of Panmure, of his appointment as a Justice of the Peace for the Colony of New Zealand.

Jos. A. TOLE.

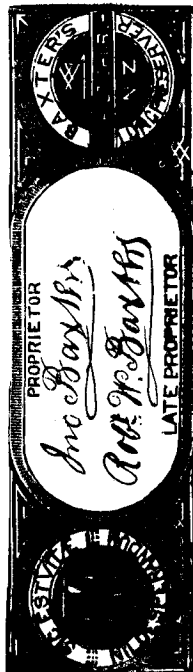
Application for Registration of a Trade Mark.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 3rd June, 1885.

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN BAXTER, of Christchurch, in the Colony of New Zealand, Chemist, has applied to register, under "The Trade Marks Act, 1866," the trade mark of which the following is a description, viz.:—

Description of Trade Mark.

An oblong frame containing scroll-work. On the left-hand side are two circular rings, in which are enclosed the following words, "Sic est vita," "Nil Desperandum," in black letters on a white ground; and inside of the inner circle is an hour-glass, outline in white on a black ground. On the right-hand side are two circular rings (facsimile of the left), inside which are the words "Baxter's Lung Preserver," in black letters on a white ground. Across the circles is the word "Christchurch," in white letters on a black ground; within the inner circle the letters "N.Z.," in white letters on a black ground. In the centre, connecting these ends, is an oval space, with serrated edges, enclosing two signatures and three words. On the top is the word "Proprietor," immediately underneath the autographs of "John Baxter" and "Robert William Baxter," and at the bottom the words "Late Proprietor," in black letters on a white ground, thus:—



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

A pharmaceutical preparation called "Baxter's Pulmonic Elixir and Lung Preserver," for the treatment of throat and chest diseases.

P. A. BUCKLEY,

Colonial Secretary and Registrar of Trade Marks.

Notice of proposed Loan, Borough of Nelson.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 6th June, 1885.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

City Council Chambers,
Nelson, 3rd June, 1885.

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that, at a poll taken on the 2nd instant, upon a proposal for a special loan of £5,000 for the City of Nelson, as published in the *Evening Mail* of the 9th May, 1885, the number of votes recorded for and against the proposal was as follows:—

For the proposal	..	..	..	584	votes.
Against	..	..	..	90	"

As the number of votes given for the proposal (584) exceeds one-half of the total number of burgesses (492), I have declared the resolution in favour of the proposal carried; and I now forward this notice for publication in the *New Zealand Gazette*, pursuant to section 145 of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1876."

I have, &c.,

J. A. HARLEY,

Chairman (in the absence of the Mayor.)

The Hon. the Colonial Secretary, Wellington.

Despatch.—Altering Boundaries of Chinese and Australian Naval Stations.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 9th June, 1885.

THE following despatch from Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies is published for general information.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Downing Street,

(New Zealand, No. 16.) 11th April, 1885.

SIR,—I have the honour to acquaint you, for the information of your Government, that the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty have proposed to so revise the boundary of the Chinese Station as to draw the limit south of the Pelew Islands, St. Andrew's, and the adjacent islands, and thus transfer them from the limits of the Australian Station. This step would be taken with a view to facilitating more frequent visits to these islands by vessels of war, as they can be more readily visited from time to time from ships stationed in the China Seas.

I have acquainted their Lordships that I concur in the course proposed, and the Commanders-in-Chief on the China and Australian Stations have accordingly been informed that the change will take place from the 1st July next.

From that date the north boundary of the Australian Station and the south boundary of the China Station will be as follows:—

From 95° E. longitude by the parallel of 10° S. latitude to 130° E. longitude; thence North to 2° N. latitude, and along that parallel to 136° E. longitude; thence North to 120° N. latitude, and along that parallel to 160° W. longitude.

I have, &c.,

DERBY.

Governor Sir W. F. D. Jervois, G.C.M.G., C.B., &c.

Bonus for Kerosene.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 18th February, 1885.

NOTICE is hereby given that a bonus will be paid for the production of kerosene under the following conditions:—

A bonus of sixpence per gallon will be paid on kerosene produced within the colony to an extent not exceeding 50,000 gallons, in quantities of not less than 10,000 gallons at a time; the kerosene to be of a quality approved of by Government, and to be sold at a fair average market price.

Conditions.

1. Notice of intention to claim the above bonus must be given in writing to the Colonial Secretary not later than the 31st December, 1885.

2. The claim must be made before the 30th June, 1886.

3. The first claimant who proves to the satisfaction of the Government that he has fulfilled all the conditions to be the recipient of the bonus.

4. The other conditions as to quantity, priority, quality, and value to be fulfilled to the satisfaction of an officer appointed for the purpose by the Government.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Bonuses on Colonial Industries.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the following bonuses will be paid on articles produced in the Colony of New Zealand, as under:—

STARCH.

A bonus of three hundred pounds (£300) will be given on the first 50 tons of good marketable starch manufactured in the Colony of New Zealand.

Conditions.

1. Notice of intention to claim the bonus must be given in writing to the Colonial Secretary not later than the 30th June, 1885.

2. The claim must be made before the 31st December, 1885.

3. The first claimant who proves, to the satisfaction of the Government, that he has fulfilled all the conditions is to be the recipient of the bonus.

4. Evidence to be produced of such a nature as will enable an officer appointed by the Government to certify that the above-stated quantity has been actually made, sold, and delivered.

5. The bonus to be paid only on the certificate of such officer.

PRINTING-PAPER.

A bonus of five hundred pounds (£500) will be given for the production of the first 50 tons of printing-paper made by machinery permanently established and working in the colony. The bonus will be paid to the producer who effects the first *bonâ fide* sale of the amount of printing-paper specified.

SILK.

A bonus of fifty per cent. on the value realized for the first thousand pounds' (£1,000) worth of cocoons of the silkworm, or silkworms' eggs, produced in the colony, to be paid on quantities of not less value than fifty pounds (£50) nor more than one hundred pounds (£100) produced by any one person.

Conditions.

1. Notice of intention to claim any of the above bonuses must be given in writing to the Colonial Secretary not later than the 30th June, 1885.

2. The claim must be made before the 31st December, 1885.

3. The first claimant of any bonus who proves to the satisfaction of the Government that he has fulfilled all the conditions to be the recipient of the bonus.

4. The other conditions as to quantity, priority, quality, and value to be fulfilled to the satisfaction of an officer appointed for the purpose by the Government.

IRON.

A bonus of one thousand pounds (£1,000) will be given for the production in New Zealand of 300 tons of pig-iron, of marketable quality, from ore produced in New Zealand.

WROUGHT-IRON.

A bonus of one thousand pounds (£1,000) will be given for the production in New Zealand, by a direct process, of 200 tons of "iron blooms," of marketable quality, from ore produced in New Zealand.

Conditions.

1. The bonus not to be given for any quantity less than 100 tons.

2. Notice of the intention to erect ironworks and claim the bonus must be given to the Colonial Secretary before the 30th June, 1885.

3. The bonus must be claimed before the 31st December, 1886.

4. In the event of more than one claimant giving such notice, not more than seven-tenths of the bonus may be claimed by the first producer, and not more than three-tenths by the second producer; but, if only one claimant becomes a producer on the above conditions, he may claim the whole of the bonus.

5. The iron in respect of which any bonus is claimed, and the ore from which it is manufactured, will be examined by an officer to be appointed by the Government, who may require the production of *bonâ fide* account-sales of quantities not less than 100 tons weight, showing that such iron has been sold at a fair market price as wrought-iron.

Further information and particulars may be obtained by application at the Colonial Secretary's Office.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Rewards offered for the Discovery of New Gold Fields.—
Amended Conditions.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 16th March, 1885.

REWARDS are offered for the discovery of new gold fields, upon the conditions set forth hereunder, payable out of the parliamentary vote of £2,500.

W. J. M. LARNACH,
Minister of Mines.

AMENDED CONDITIONS.

1. The maximum sum offered as a reward for any proved discovery of a new gold field in accordance with these conditions is £500; but, if the total sum claimed as rewards in any one year exceeds the parliamentary vote, the amount available only will be divided equally.

2. The newly-discovered gold field, if in alluvial ground, must be situated not less than ten miles from the nearest alluvial gold workings, or, if in quartz, not less than five miles from the nearest existing quartz mines.

3. No grant will be paid upon any application until it shall have been proved that not less than 20,000 ounces of gold have been extracted from the new gold field within two years from the registration of the discovery, if in alluvial workings, and, if in quartz workings, proof of a similar yield from this source within three years from such registration will be required.

4. Any person discovering new gold workings, and being desirous of obtaining a reward, shall immediately forward a written report of such discovery, with full particulars, to the Warden or Resident Magistrate of the district within which such discovery shall be situated, and the Warden or Resident Magistrate shall forthwith register the report as an application for reward.

5. No prospecting is allowed upon Native land without the approval in writing of the Native Minister, or of some one appointed by him in that behalf.

Prospectors going upon Native land without the consent of the owners are liable to the penalties imposed by the Acts relating to gold fields, and will forfeit all claim to reward.

New Zealand Industrial Exhibition, 1885.

PRIZE ESSAYS.

Wellington, 29th December, 1884.

ONE gold medal and twenty guineas, one silver medal and ten guineas, and one bronze medal and five guineas will be awarded for essays on the present condition and future prospects of the industrial resources of New Zealand, and the best means for fostering their development.

In judging of the merits of the essays preference will be given to those which are of a practical character, rather than to mere abstract or theoretical disquisitions. The essays must be sent in to the Secretary of the Exhibition, signed with a motto and accompanied by a sealed envelope containing the author's name and address, on or before the 1st day of December, 1885. This late date is fixed to enable the essayists, if they desire to do so, to utilize the information which the Exhibition itself will supply.

The essays will be submitted to a Board of three persons, to be hereafter appointed, on whose decision respecting the merits of the essays the above prizes will be awarded; provided the essays reach a sufficiently-deserving standard of excellence.

JULIUS VOGEL.

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

WHEREAS the estate and interest of Te Waari, Te Rimene Rire, Te Ahikouhai, and Karamana Kiki, aboriginal natives of New Zealand, in the land described in the Schedule hereto, is vested in William Iorns and Manihera Maaka, and William Iorns and Hamuera Tangatakino, as Trustees under the provisions of "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867," and the several amendments thereof, 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 intended, 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 in respect of the interests aforesaid, in order that the said lands may be leased by the said Trustees for a term of fourteen years, from the first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Dated at Wellington, this sixth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

J. BALLANCE,
Minister for Native Affairs.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece of land situate at Te Oreore, in the District of Wairarapa, known by the name of "Okurupatu," containing 5,600 acres, more or less, except thereout the portion of the said block lying to the south side of the main road from Masterton to the Upper Taueru, and excepting also all that piece of the said block, containing 20 acres, marked off for the use of the lessors.

Notice to Owners of Native Land under "The Crown and Native Lands Rating Act, 1882."

THE Ture Reiti i nga Whenua o te Karauna me nga Whenua Maori, 1882," me te Ture Whakatikatika i taua Ture.

Ki te tangata nana, ki nga tangata ranei na ratou nga whenua kua whakahuatia i roto i nga rooru whakaatu i nga utu o nga whenua Maori, kua tukua atu nei ki nga poari takiwa e mau nei nga ingoa i roto i te Kupu Apiti ki tenei, i raro i nga tikanga o nga Ture kua whakahuatia i runga ake nei me era atu Ture katoa e pa ana e whai tikanga ana.

NOTEMEA kua tukua mai he tono ki ahau Te Minita Whakahaere i nga Moni o Niu Tireni, e mau nei toku ingoa i raro iho nei, e nga poari takiwa e tetahi tangata ranei mo te taha ki a ratou, i raro i nga tikanga o "Te Ture Reiti i nga Whenua o te Karauna me nga Whenua Maori, 1882," kia utua nga reiti e meingatia ana kia utua i runga i nga tikanga o aua rooru :

He panuitanga tenei ki a koutou ki ia tangata ki ia tangata o koutou, kia mohio ai koutou kua takoto nga rooru o nga whenua Maori ki nga tari o aua poari takiwa ko aua rooru he mea tuhi ki te reo Maori, a e whakaatu ana hoki i nga utu o nga whenua Maori kua whakahuatia i runga i aua rooru.

Na he tono tenei ki a koutou ki ia tangata ki ia tangata hoki o koutou nga tangata na ratou aua whenua kia utua e koutou aua reiti a te 14 o nga ra o Hune, 1885, i mua mai ranei o taua ra, me utu e koutou aua moni reiti i te tari o te poari o te takiwa i takoto ai aua whenua, tena te whakaaturanga kei te Kupu Apiti.

KUPU APITI.

Te Ingoa o te Poari Takiwa.	Te Tari o te Poari Takiwa e utua ai nga Moni Reiti.
Rori Poata o Little River ..	Birdling's Flat.
Rori Poata o Invercargill ..	Invercargill.

He mea tuhi nei toku ingoa i tenei te tekau o nga ra o Hune, 1885.

JULIUS VOGEL.

[TRANSLATION.]

THE Crown and Native Lands Rating Act, 1882," and the Amendment thereof.

To each and every the owner or owners of land described in the substituted valuation rolls of Native lands supplied to the local bodies, the names of which are set forth in the Schedule hereunder, under the provisions of the above Acts and all other Acts affecting the same or relating thereto.

WHEREAS demand having been made to me, the undersigned Colonial Treasurer of the Colony of New Zealand, in accordance with the provisions of "The Crown and Native Lands Rating Act, 1882," by or on behalf of the said local bodies, for payment of the rates appearing to be payable under or by virtue of the said rolls :

Notice is hereby given to you and each and every of you that rolls of Native lands are now deposited at the offices of the said several local bodies, which said rolls are in the Maori language, and show the rateable value of the Native lands therein mentioned or described.

And you and each and every of you, the owners of the said lands, are hereby required and directed to pay the said rates on or before the 14th day of June, 1885, such payment to be made by you at the office of the local body in whose district the lands affected are respectively comprised, and as noted in the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Name of Local Body.	Office of Local Body where Payment is to be made.
Little River Road Board.	Birdling's Flat.
Invercargill Road Board.	Invercargill.

As witness my hand this tenth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

JULIUS VOGEL.

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

IN accordance with section 144 of "The Public Works Act, 1882," I, Edward Richardson, Minister for Public Works, do hereby make the following alterations and additions to the scale of charges, to come into force on and after the fifteenth day of June, 1885:—

**PART II.—LUGGAGE, PARCELS, ETC.
PARCEL RATES.**

Not exceeding. Miles.	Not exceeding					
	3 lb.	7 lb.	14 lb.	28 lb.	56 lb.	112 lb.
15	s. d. 0 6	s. d. 0 6	s. d. 0 6	s. d. 0 9	s. d. 0 9	s. d. 1 3
20	0 6	0 6	0 6	1 0	1 3	2 0
30	0 6	0 6	0 9	1 3	1 6	2 6
40	0 6	0 6	1 0	1 6	1 9	2 9
50	0 6	0 6	1 0	1 9	2 0	3 3
75	0 6	0 9	1 3	2 0	2 3	3 6
100	0 6	1 0	1 9	2 3	2 6	3 9
125	0 9	1 3	2 0	2 9	3 3	4 9
150	0 9	1 6	2 6	3 3	4 0	5 6
200	0 9	1 6	3 0	4 3	5 6	7 6
250	1 0	2 0	3 6	5 3	7 0	9 6
300	1 3	2 6	4 0	6 3	8 6	11 6
400	1 6	3 0	5 0	8 3	11 6	15 6
500	1 9	3 6	6 0	10 3	14 6	19 6

As witness my hand this third day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

EDWARD RICHARDSON,
Minister for Public Works.

Steam Service between New Zealand and Tonga, Samoa, Tahiti, and Rarotonga.

ARTICLES of AGREEMENT made this tenth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, between Alexander Bell Donald, Charles Allan Edenborough, and Richard Exham, trading under the style of Donald and Edenborough, Merchants, of Auckland, in the Colony of New Zealand, and Rarotonga, one of the Cook Islands (hereinafter styled "the Contractors"), of the one part, and the Honourable Sir Julius Vogel, the Postmaster-General of the said Colony of New Zealand, on behalf of the Government of New Zealand, in pursuance of the provisions of "The New Zealand Post Office Act, 1881," of the other part, **WITNESS** that, for the considerations hereinafter mentioned, the Contractors, for themselves, their and each of their executors, administrators, and (permitted) assigns, do hereby jointly and severally covenant with the said Postmaster-General, and his successors in office (hereinafter styled "the Postmaster-General"),—

1. That at all times during the continuance of this agreement, or so long as the service hereby agreed to be performed between Dunedin, in the Colony of New Zealand, and Tonga, one of the Friendly Islands, Samoa, one of the Navigator Islands, Tahiti, in the Society group, and Rarotonga aforesaid, ought to be performed in pursuance thereof, the Contractors will, in the manner hereinafter mentioned, provide and keep seaworthy, and in complete repair, a substantial and efficient steam-vessel for the said service.

2. The vessel to be employed under this agreement shall be the steamship chartered by the Contractors known as the "Janet Nicoll," or such other steamship as may from time to time be approved of by the Postmaster-General for the purposes of this contract, and such steamship shall be always furnished while in actual use with all appropriate and necessary machinery, engines, apparel, furniture, stores, tackle, boats, fuel, lamps, oil for lamps and engines, tallow, provisions, anchors, cables, fire-pumps, and other proper means of extinguishing fire, lightning conductors, charts, chronometers, proper nautical instruments, medicines, and whatsoever else may be requisite for equipping the said vessel and rendering it constantly efficient for the service hereby agreed to be performed; and also manned and provided with competent officers, and with a sufficient number of efficient engineers, and a sufficient crew of able seamen and other men: to be in all respects, as to vessels, engines, equipments, officers, engineers, and crew, subject in the first instance, and from time to time at all times afterwards, to the approval of the Postmaster-General, or of such other competent person or persons as he shall at any time or times, or from time to time, authorize to inspect and examine the same.

3. The steamship to be employed under this agreement may proceed from Dunedin aforesaid to Tahiti and Raro-

tonga aforesaid by way of and calling at Lyttelton, Wellington, Napier, and Auckland, in New Zealand, and Tonga aforesaid, and Samoa, one of the Navigator group;

Or may proceed from Dunedin, and the other New Zealand ports aforesaid to Tonga aforesaid, by way of Rarotonga, Tahiti, and Samoa aforesaid;

And on the return voyage may proceed from Rarotonga and Tahiti aforesaid to Dunedin aforesaid by way of and calling at Samoa and Tonga, and at Auckland, Napier, Wellington, and Lyttelton aforesaid, or may proceed from Tonga aforesaid by way of and calling at Samoa, Tahiti, and Rarotonga, and the New Zealand ports aforesaid. At each of the ports named in this clause the said steamship shall land and receive mails, whether on the trip from Dunedin to Tonga, Samoa, Tahiti, and Rarotonga, or from Tonga, Samoa, Tahiti, and Rarotonga, and the New Zealand ports aforesaid to Dunedin, and such service shall be included in and be deemed to be part of the service herein agreed to be performed: Provided that the said steamship may call at Russell, in New Zealand, at Vavau, in the Friendly group, at Raiatea, one of the Society Islands, and at Aitutaki, one of the Cook Islands, whenever the Contractors may deem this requisite.

4. In this contract the term "mails" shall mean and include all letters, boxes, bags, or packets of letters, newspapers, books, or printed papers, sent by the post, to whatever country or place they may be addressed, or in whatever country or place they may have originated; and all empty bags and other stores used or to be used in carrying on the post office service, which shall be sent by or to or from the post office.

5. The said steamship shall leave Dunedin once every two calendar months, at the date specified in a time-table to be approved by the Postmaster-General: Provided that the Postmaster-General may from time to time alter the dates specified in such time-table, on giving reasonable notice to the Contractors of the required alteration; and the altered dates shall be observed and kept as if the same had been specified herein. And it is also expressly agreed that the said steamship shall remain a sufficient time at each of the said ports for the purpose of landing and shipping cargo, &c., and that at the intermediate ports of Lyttelton, Wellington, Napier, and Auckland aforesaid on the outward voyage the stay shall be not less than twenty-four hours, except at Napier, where the detention shall be six hours: Provided also that the Postmaster-General may detain the said steamship at either of the ports named in the third clause for a period not exceeding twenty-four hours from the date appointed for departure as aforesaid, free of any charge, claim, or demand under this contract or otherwise.

6. That the rates of freight from the New Zealand ports aforesaid to Tonga, Samoa, and Tahiti aforesaid shall be as follows:—Colonial produce, and all articles or products of colonial manufacture, &c.: To Tonga, forty-two shillings and sixpence per ton; to Samoa, forty-seven shillings and sixpence per ton; to Tahiti, fifty-two shillings and sixpence per ton, weight or measurement. Live Stock.—Sheep and other Small Stock: Auckland to Tonga, seven shillings per head; to Samoa, eight shillings per head; to Tahiti, ten shillings per head; and from all other New Zealand ports, nine shillings, ten shillings, and twelve shillings respectively per head. Cattle: Auckland to Tonga, one hundred shillings per head; to Samoa, one hundred and twenty shillings per head; to Tahiti, one hundred and sixty shillings per head; and from all other New Zealand ports, one hundred and sixty shillings, one hundred and eighty shillings, and two hundred and twenty shillings respectively per head. Horses: Twenty shillings per head respectively, in addition to the rates for cattle.

7. The steam-vessel from Tonga, Tahiti, and Rarotonga aforesaid to Dunedin aforesaid shall be despatched from the said places on such days as may hereafter be fixed upon by the Postmaster-General from time to time, and the duration of the voyage from Dunedin to Tonga, Tahiti, and Rarotonga, and from such last-named places to Dunedin, shall not exceed sixty-one days, each day being reckoned as a day of twenty-four hours.

8. All mails shall be respectively received and delivered by and at the expense of the Contractors, and when necessary in boats seaworthy and suitable for the purpose, furnished with effective covering for the mails, and properly provided, manned, and equipped by the Contractors, to the satisfaction of the Postmaster-General or his Agent, and the Contractors shall also provide a safe and proper place of deposit for the mails.

9. The Contractors, and the commander and other officers of the vessel employed in the performance of this agreement, and all agents, seamen, and servants of the Contractors, shall at all times punctually attend to the orders and directions of the Postmaster-General, his officers or agents.

10. The Contractors shall not, nor shall the master, or any of the officers, seamen, or other servants of the Contractors,

on the vessel employed or to be employed under this agreement, receive or permit to be received on board any vessel employed under this agreement any loose letters for conveyance other than those which are or may be privileged by law; and, in case of any such default in the provision of this clause, the Contractors shall be liable as for a breach of this agreement.

11. If the Contractors shall fail in any period of two calendar months to perform the service between Dunedin, Tonga, Tahiti, and Rarotonga aforesaid, the Contractors shall pay to the Postmaster-General the sum of one hundred and fifty pounds, in addition to any other penalties which they may become liable to under these presents: Provided always that the Postmaster-General shall have power to remit or reduce any of the sums payable by way of penalty under this contract if he shall be satisfied that any default hereunder was attributable to causes over which the Contractors had no control.

12. The Contractors shall be responsible for the receipt, safe custody, and delivery of all mails which may be received on board the steamer for delivery at any of the ports hereinbefore mentioned.

13. The Contractors shall not assign, underlet, charge, or dispose of this contract, or any interest therein, without the consent of the Postmaster-General, signified in writing under his hand, or under the hand of the Secretary of the Post Office of New Zealand; and, of any gross or habitual breach of this agreement, or of any covenant, matter, or thing herein contained, on the part of the Contractors, their officers, agents, or servants, and whether there be or be not any penalty or sum of money payable by the Contractors for any such breach, it shall be lawful for the Postmaster-General, if he shall think fit (and notwithstanding there may or may not have been any former breach of this contract), by writing under his hand, or under the hand of the Secretary of the Post Office of New Zealand, to determine this agreement without any previous notice to the Contractors or their agents; nor shall the Contractors be entitled to any compensation whatever in respect of such determination.

14. All sums of money hereinbefore stipulated to be forfeited or paid by the Contractors shall be considered as stipulated or ascertained damages, and may at the option of the Postmaster-General be deducted and retained out of any money payable to the Contractors under this contract; or judgment for the amount, as upon a debt due by or from the Contractors to Her Majesty, together with full costs of suit, may be entered up thereon in the Supreme Court of New Zealand.

15. For the faithful performance of all the covenants, stipulations, and agreements hereinbefore contained, the Contractors bind themselves and each of them, their and each of their executors, administrators, and assigns, jointly and severally, in the sum of one thousand pounds (£1,000) sterling, to be paid to our Sovereign Lady the Queen, her heirs and successors, by way of stipulated and ascertained damages.

16. And, in consideration of the due and faithful performance by the said Contractors of all the services hereby contracted to be performed by them, the said Postmaster-General, on behalf of the Government of New Zealand, hereby covenants with the said Contractors to pay them for the said services as follows, that is to say: For the complete double service starting from Dunedin aforesaid to Tonga, Tahiti, and Rarotonga aforesaid, and returning from the said places again to Dunedin, the sum of seven hundred pounds (£700). Such payment shall be made to the Contractors in Auckland after the completion of each double service.

17. The sum payable to the Contractors under this agreement shall be in full satisfaction for all services rendered; and any subsidies or payments which may be agreed to be paid by any of the authorities or Governments of the Pacific Islands in respect of this service shall belong and be retained by the Postmaster-General of New Zealand: Provided that the Postmaster-General may, if he thinks fit, pay over any portion of the said subsidies or payments to the said contractors.

18. All notices or directions which the Postmaster-General, his officers, agents, or others, are hereby authorized to give to the Contractors, their officers or agents, may at the option of the Postmaster-General, his officers, agents, or others, either be delivered to the master of the said steamship or other officer or agent of the Contractors in the charge or management of any steamship employed in the performance of this contract, or left for the Contractors at their usual or last known office or house of business in Auckland aforesaid; and any notices or directions so given or left shall be binding on the Contractors.

19. It is lastly agreed by and between the said parties hereto that this contract shall be and be deemed to have commenced with the departure of the steamship "Janet Nicoll" from Dunedin on the 5th day of June, 1885, and (unless previously determined under the provisions hereof) shall continue in force until twelve complete double ser

vices shall have been performed by the Contractors in accordance with the terms hereinbefore provided.

In witness whereof the said Postmaster-General hath hereunto set his hand and seal, and the Contractors have set their hands and seals, the day, month, and year first above written.

JULIUS VOGEL. (L.S.)

Signed, sealed, and delivered by the said Postmaster-General in the presence of—

W. GRAY,
Secretary, Posts and Telegraphs.

A. B. DONALD. (L.S.)
RICHARD EXHAM,
(By his Attorney, (L.S.)
A. B. DONALD.)

Signed and sealed by the said Alexander Bell Donald and Richard Exham in the presence of—

ROBERT LAERY,
Merchant, Wellington.

C. ALLAN EDENBOROUGH. (L.S.)

Signed and sealed by the said Charles Allan Edenborough in the presence of—

RUSSELL J. GOODMAN,
Clerk, Wellington.

Road Board Elections.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 10th June, 1885.

THE following notices of elections of members of Road Boards, under "The Road Boards Act, 1882," have been received at this office.

G. S. COOPER,
Under-Secretary.

Oruaiti Road District, County of Mongonui:

R. M. Houston.
R. Henderson.

Omaha Road District, County of Rodney:

Edward Gravatt.
William Neely.

Mairetahi Road District, County of Waitemata:

Charles Fordyce.
James A. McMahon.
James McLeod.

Egmont Road District, County of Taranaki:

James Hill.
Samuel Rundle.
William Peter Martin.
John Martin.
Thomas John Wills.

Manawatu Road District, County of Oroua:

Thomas Edwards.
Roderick Matheson.
George Matthew Snelson.

Spring Creek Road District, County of Marlborough:

George Dodson.
John Mills.
Peter O. Dwyer.

Motueka Road District, County of Waimea:

Frederick Parker.
Williams Coppins.
James Satherly.

Pokororo Road District, County of Waimea:

James Chapman.
William Hodges.
James Ross.

Knapdale Road District, County of Southland:

Adam Johnston.
Francis Milne.
John Chisholm.
James Donald.

Otarara Road District, County of Southland:

Kaiwera Subdivision—
Denis Kean.
David A. Purvis.

Tuturau Road District, County of Southland:

James Pollock.
Allan Galt.
William Paget.
George Rae.

Member of House of Representatives for Waimea elected.

Clerk of the Writs' Office,
Wellington, 10th June, 1885.

THE Clerk of the Writs has received a return to the writ issued by him on the 7th day of May, 1885, for the

election of a Member to serve in the House of Representatives for the electoral district hereinafter specified; and by the indorsement on such writ it appears that the under-mentioned gentleman has been duly elected Member for such such district, viz. :—

For the District of Waimea.

JOHN KERR.

G. S. COOPER,
Clerk of the Writs.

Conscience-money received.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 2nd June, 1885.

THE Colonial Treasurer directs me to acknowledge the receipt of £140, the sender signing himself "Conscience."

JAMES C. GAVIN,
Secretary to the Treasury.

Will accepted by Public Trustee.

Public Trust Office,
Wellington, 5th June, 1885.

In the matter of the will of Henry Meech, of Wellington, deceased.

IT is hereby notified that the above will has been finally accepted, in accordance with the provisions of "The Public Trust Office Act, 1872," and that probate of the said will has been granted to the Public Trustee, the Executor appointed under the said will.

R. C. HAMERTON,
Public Trustee.

Will accepted by Public Trustee.

Public Trust Office,
Wellington, 5th June, 1885.

In the matter of the will of William Watkins, of Wellington, deceased.

IT is hereby notified that the above will has been finally accepted, in accordance with the provisions of "The Public Trust Office Act, 1872," and that probate of the said will has been granted to the Public Trustee, the Executor appointed under the said will.

R. C. HAMERTON,
Public Trustee.

"Native Lands Frauds Prevention Act, 1881."

Native Office,
Wellington, 9th June, 1885.

NOTICE.—As from and after the 1st July next the Chief Judge and Judges of the Native Land Court will be the only Trust Commissioners under "The Native Lands Frauds Prevention Act, 1881." Deeds requiring to be certified under that Act, or caveats against the granting of any certificate, should be forwarded to the Registrar of the Native Land Court of the district within which the land alienated is situated, for submission to the Trust Commissioner.

By command.

T. W. LEWIS,
Under-Secretary.

Officiating Ministers for 1885.—Notice No. 17.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 10th June, 1885.

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 :—

Presbyterian Church of New Zealand.

The Reverend David McNeill.

Presbyterian Church of Otago and Southland.

The Reverend Walter Gray McLaren.

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

Branch of Friendly Society registered.

Friendly Societies' Registry Office,
Wellington, 3rd June, 1885.

THE Court Royal Oak, No. 5684, situated at Westport, is registered as a branch of the Nelson District Ancient Order of Foresters' Friendly Society, under "The Friendly Societies Act, 1882," this 3rd day of June, 1885.

F. W. FRANKLAND,
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

Application for a Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 4th June, 1885.

PATENT for an Invention for a Bevelled Slotted Fencing Standard.

GEORGE DALGLEISH, of Oamaru, Timber Merchant, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Thursday, the 20th day of August 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 August next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

C. J. A. HASELDEN,
Patent Officer.

No. 1447.

Application for a Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 5th June, 1885.

PATENT for an Improved Railway Tip Wagon or Truck.

ROBERT SAVAGE, of Herbert Street, South Melbourne, Victoria, Gentleman, and FREDERICK YORK WOLSELEY, of Euroka, Walgett, New South Wales, Gentleman, have deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Thursday, the 20th day of August 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 August next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

C. J. A. HASELDEN,
Patent Officer.

No. 1448.

Government Observatory.

METEOROLOGICAL Observations, Wellington, for the month of May, 1885. Altitude above the sea, 140 feet. Observations taken at 9.30 a.m.

Date.	Barometer reduced and corrected, in inches.	From Self-registering Instruments, for twenty-four hours previously.						Amount of Cloud, 0 to 10.	Direction of Wind.	
		Max. Temp. in shade.	Min. Temp. in shade.	Mean Temp. in shade.	Solar Radiation.	Terrestrial Radiation.	Rainfall, in inches.			
1	29-929	57-0	51-3	54-1	97	49	0-40	90	6	S.E.
2	29-779	60-3	53-0	56-6	106	49	1-20	105	6	S.E.
3	30-050	55-0	44-0	49-5	80	39	4-00	345	6	S.E.
4	29-830	54-0	40-3	47-1	104	38	..	110	6	N.W.
5	30-173	62-0	41-5	51-7	110	40	3-80	200	6	S.W.
6	29-887	55-0	39-0	47-0	108	36	..	140	4	N.W.
7	29-882	59-5	44-0	51-7	109	38	3-30	300	6	S.E.
8	30-082	55-5	44-3	49-9	110	40	0-10	70	5	N.W.
9	29-682	57-0	50-8	53-9	112	40	1-50	340	7	N.W.
10	29-897	60-0	48-0	54-0	98	45	3-20	270	5	S.E.
11	30-279	52-0	47-0	49-5	110	44	0-30	35	4	S.E.
12	30-090	55-0	38-0	46-5	101	36	..	45	4	N.
13	29-729	55-0	42-0	48-5	100	37	1-40	250	7	N.W.
14	29-782	57-0	47-0	52-0	110	40	1-20	310	2	N.W.
15	29-713	55-0	44-0	49-5	105	40	3-70	250	6	S.W.
16	29-982	55-5	43-3	49-4	95	40	1-30	120	2	S.E.
17	30-034	55-5	40-0	47-7	106	34	..	45	4	N.W.
18	30-077	56-5	49-0	52-7	106	40	0-15	290	6	N.W.
19	30-018	57-0	51-5	54-2	90	42	1-70	105	6	N.W.
20	30-131	59-3	52-0	55-6	100	49	0-12	280	5	N.W.
21	30-058	61-5	56-5	59-0	88	53	0-30	300	5	N.W.
22	29-918	60-0	52-0	56-0	81	49	7-00	230	5	N.W.
23	29-918	60-0	52-6	56-3	99	50	..	320	8	N.W.
24	29-886	57-8	45-2	51-5	102	43	0-02	320	3	N.W.
25	29-811	60-0	52-3	56-6	106	47	1-00	220	6	N.E.
26	29-719	59-6	46-3	52-9	107	45	8-00	270	10	S.W.
27	30-159	48-8	39-0	43-9	88	36	6-00	170	4	N.W.
28	30-039	59-0	44-5	51-7	116	40	..	60	6	N.
29	30-082	56-0	48-0	52-0	79	40	1-30	65	5	Calm
30	30-211	59-0	45-0	52-0	101	40	0-70	185	5	S.E.
31	30-397	49-0	42-5	45-7	100	39	0-10	200	4	S.E.
*	30-005	56-8	46-2	51-5	100	42	5-179	195	5-3	N.W.
†	29-924	..	..	53-0	..	..	4-677 14 dys.	..	..	..

* Means. † Means same month previous years.

REMARKS.—A very wet month almost throughout, at times bright during day, but wet nights; prevailing N.W. and S.E.

winds, and frequently stormy and cold; hail on 14th and 15th; cold in early part of month, but on the whole temperature above the average. Maximum temperature in shade, 62; minimum temperature in shade, 38; maximum rainfall on 26th, .800in.; average dewpoint, 48.1; average humidity (saturation=100), 80.

R. B. GORE,
Observer.

Tenders for Telegraph Poles.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 26th May, 1885.

THE Telegraph Commissioner is prepared to receive tenders for the supply and delivery of two hundred and fifty (250) poles for a line of telegraph between Woodville and Pahiatua, and for the carriage only, from Palmerston North, of wire, arms, bolts, and insulators for the above line.

Specifications and particulars can be seen, and further particulars obtained, at the Telegraph Offices, Wellington, Masterton, Palmerston North, Woodville, and Danevirk.

Tenders addressed "The Superintendent, New Zealand Posts and Telegraphs, Wellington," and indorsed "Tender for Poles," to be sent in not later than the 26th day of June next.

By order of the Telegraph Commissioner.

C. LEMON,
Superintendent.

Native Land Court Notice.

Application for Rehearing of Claim dismissed.

NATIVE LAND COURT, NEW ZEALAND:
DISTRICT OF GISBORNE.

IN the matter of a judgment of the Court, given during a session opened at Hastings, in the said district, on the 8th day of July, 1884, upon the hearing of a claim for investigation of title to land situate in the said district, and known as "Mangaohane," and in the matter of the several applications for a rehearing upon such claim:

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

Dated at Wellington, this 28th day of May, 1885.

J. E. MACDONALD,
Chief Judge.

Gold Fields Notices.

Gold-Mining Lease cancelled.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 5th June, 1885.

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:—

Ah Ung and others; No. 739, Section 19, Block I., Naseby Survey District, containing 5 acres.

W. J. M. LARNACH,
Minister of Mines.

Gold-Mining Lease to be granted.

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

Objections to the granting of such lease, stating the grounds of objection, must be made in writing, and lodged with the Warden at Reefton on or before the 24th day of June, 1885.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPLICANT: Robert Cairns. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "The Wonder Gold-Mining Company." 16 acres 22 perches, at Rainy Creek, Reefton (formerly leased by Balaclava Gold-Mining Company), Nelson South-West Mining District.

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

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

Crown Lands Notices.

Sale of Lands, Auckland Land District.

Crown Lands Office,
Auckland, 22nd May, 1885.

THE following lands will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Land Office, Tauranga, on Wednesday, the 24th June next, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

D. A. TOLE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

SCHEDULE.
TAURANGA COUNTY.
Parish of Te Papa.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
8	51 3 31	259 14 6
91	107 2 0	537 10 0
91A	12 0 32	61 0 0
147	37 0 26	18 12 6

Description of Land: Lots 8, 91, 91A, open fern land, situated on main road, Katikati to Tauranga; 147, open fern land.

WHAOKATANE COUNTY.
Parish of Waioeka.

254	51 0 0	51 0 0
255	51 1 0	51 5 0

Description of Land: Lot 254, 16 acres good puriri bush, 3 acres swamp, remainder broken fern land, good soil; 255, 31 acres bush, puriri, pukatea, &c., 4 acres swamp, remainder broken fern land, 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 purchase.

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

Schedules containing descriptions, &c., of the above lands will be exhibited at Railway Stations and Post Offices.

Sale of Rural Lands, Auckland Land District.

Crown Lands Office,
Auckland, 22nd May, 1885.

THE following lands will be offered for sale by public auction, at this office, on Wednesday, the 24th June next, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

D. A. TOLE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

SCHEDULE.
THAMES COUNTY.—ONETAI BLOCK.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
<i>Waihou Survey District.</i>			
IV.	1	A. R. P. 99 3 0	99 17 6*
	<i>Ohinemuri Survey District.</i>		
I.	2	100 0 0	99 17 6*

* Subject to £113 15s. for improvements.

IV.	2	111 0 0	55 10 0
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Description of Land: Section 1, Block IV., all open, 10 acres level dry land, the remainder flax and raupo swamp of fair quality; frontage to main road from Thames to Te Aroha. Section 2, Block I., contains 40 acres mixed bush, mostly manuka, 20 acres level and fair arable soil, accessible by district road. Section 2, Block IV., all open, 30 acres fair arable land, remainder good swamp, accessible by district road.

WAIKATO COUNTY.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
<i>Parish of Whangamarino.</i>		
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
202	269 3 8	202 10 0
203	270 0 10	270 5 0
204	259 0 3	259 5 0
205	330 3 24	165 10 0

Description of Land: Lot 202, 3 acres open, 7 acres open swamp, 14 acres manuka, remainder swampy bush; 203, 14 acres open, 15 acres manuka, 30 acres swampy manuka, remainder swampy bush; 204, 26 acres open, 67 acres light manuka, 52 acres swampy manuka, 40 acres open swamp, remainder bush; 205, 104 acres open, 34 acres swampy manuka, 37 acres swampy bush, remainder open swamp.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
<i>Parish of Maramarua.</i>		
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
18	331 0 0	165 10 0
19	336 1 16	168 5 0
21	417 2 32	104 10 0
22	194 1 8	48 12 6

Description of Land: Lot 18, 120 acres swamp, 15 acres swampy manuka, 11 acres manuka, 11 acres swampy bush, remainder undulating; 19, 90 acres level, 60 acres swamp, remainder undulating; 21, 143 acres bush, very broken remainder open; 22, 10 acres manuka scrub, 32 acres level, balance swamp.

WAITEMATA COUNTY.

Parish of Titirangi (Avondale South).

108	0 3 15	6 15 0
109	1 0 0	8 0 0
110	1 0 0	8 0 0
111	1 0 0	8 0 0
112	1 0 0	8 0 0
113	1 0 0	8 0 0
114	1 0 0	8 0 0
115	1 0 0	8 0 0
116	1 0 0	8 0 0
117	1 0 0	8 0 0
118	1 0 0	8 0 0
119	1 0 0	8 0 0
120	1 0 0	8 0 0
121	1 3 9	14 9 0
122	1 1 11	10 11 0
123	2 0 0	16 0 0
124	2 0 0	16 0 0
125	2 0 0	16 0 0
126	2 0 0	16 0 0
127	2 0 0	16 0 0
128	2 0 0	16 0 0
129	1 3 12	14 12 0
130	1 1 14	10 14 0
131	2 0 0	16 0 0
132	2 0 0	16 0 0
133	2 0 0	16 0 0
134	2 0 0	16 0 0
135	2 0 0	16 0 0
136	2 1 7	18 7 0
137	1 2 14	12 14 0
138	3 0 0	24 0 0
139	3 0 0	24 0 0
140	3 0 0	24 0 0
141	2 3 13	22 13 0
142	3 2 30	29 10 0
143	3 2 31	29 11 0
144	2 1 19	18 19 0
145	2 1 3	18 3 0
147	1 3 2	14 2 0

Description of Land: Open.

Parish of Waikomiti (Avondale South).

295	1 1 21	8 5 9
296	1 0 0	6 0 0
297	1 0 0	6 0 0
298	1 0 0	6 0 0
299	1 0 0	6 0 0
300	1 0 0	6 0 0
301	1 0 0	6 0 0
302	1 0 0	6 0 0
303	1 0 0	6 0 0
304	1 1 6	7 14 6
305	3 3 36	19 17 6
306	3 3 35	19 17 0
307	3 3 38	19 18 9
308	2 0 29	10 18 6
309	1 1 13	6 13 6
310	2 3 13	11 6 6
311	3 3 18	15 9 0
312	1 0 29	7 1 9
313	1 0 24	6 18 0
314	3 1 32	17 5 0

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
<i>Parish of Waikomiti (Avondale South)—continued.</i>		
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
315	2 0 0	10 0 0
316	2 0 0	10 0 0
317	1 0 29	7 1 9
318	2 1 20	11 17 6
319	2 0 0	10 0 0
320	3 2 11	17 17 0
321	1 1 37	7 8 6
322	1 1 4	7 13 0
323	2 0 30	10 18 9
324	0 3 33	4 15 9
325	1 0 9	5 5 9
328	1 2 32	8 10 0
329	1 3 35	11 16 3
330	2 0 1	12 1 0
339	2 0 0	12 0 0
340	2 0 5	12 3 9
341	1 3 30	11 12 6
343	2 0 19	12 14 6
344	3 0 10	18 7 6
345	2 3 6	16 14 6
347	3 0 14	18 10 6
348	4 0 0	24 0 0
349	3 0 3	18 2 6
350	3 0 2	18 1 6
351	0 3 20	5 5 0
352	1 0 36	7 7 0
353	2 3 37	17 18 0
354	1 2 8	9 6 0
355	1 3 36	11 17 0
356	2 1 15	14 1 6
357	4 2 11	27 8 6
358	5 3 38	35 18 6
359	1 0 17	4 8 6
360	1 0 21	4 10 6

Description of Land : Open land.

<i>Parish of Paremoremo.</i>		
Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
160	82 0 0	82 0 0
161	27 0 9	54 10 0
162	26 3 38	54 0 0

Description of Land : Lot 160, open, broken, situate within a mile of Kumeu Flag-station and three miles from Riverhead ; 161 and 162, open, greater part nearly level, remainder undulating, situate at Riverhead, opposite Mr. Deacon's land.

<i>Parish of Waipareira.</i>		
Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
146	60 0 0	120 0 0
147	44 1 19	89 0 0

Description of Land : Lot 146, open land, about half flat, remainder undulating ; 147, open undulating land. These sections are about half a mile from the Great North Road, and the same distance from Swanson Railway Station.

RODNEY COUNTY.

<i>Parish of Oruawhoro.</i>		
Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
S.W. pn. 64	46 3 8	11 15 0
W. pn. 113	161 0 16	40 6 3
N.E. pn. 113	61 2 0	23 1 3
114	196 0 0	49 0 0
124A	11 1 0	2 16 3
S. pn. 141	29 2 7	11 3 3

Description of Land : South-west part Lot 64, open country covered with fern and light tea-tree, a little broken but mostly undulating, suitable for pasture, clay soil, well watered, accessible by main road from Wellsford to Te Arai ; west part Lot 113, open country, mostly undulating clay soil, well watered, accessible by main road Wellsford-Albertland and Te Arai ; north-east part Lot 113, all open land covered with fern and scrub, rather broken, clay soil, accessible by main road Wellsford-Albertland and Te Arai, well watered ; Lot 114, open country, a little broken, but mostly undulating and flat, clay soil, accessible by roads on east and west, well watered ; Lot 124A, all open country, broken, clay soil with springs upon the land, easily accessible from road Wellsford-Kaiwaka ; south part Lot 141, all open country, a little broken, clay soil, watered by springs, accessible by road.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
<i>Otamatea Survey District.</i>			
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
XVI.	1	190 3 13	47 15 0*
* Subject to £40 for improvements.			
XVI.	8	160 0 0	160 0 0*
* Subject to £15 for improvements.			

Description of Land : Section 1, about 10 acres mixed bush, remainder broken open fern land, soil clay and limestone, well watered, and accessible by road ; Section 8, about 50 acres first-class land, frontage to Port Albert-Warkworth Road on north and east ; 100 acres bush, with valuable kauri timber.

HOBSON COUNTY.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
<i>Parish of Tokatoka.</i>		
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
Mid. pn. 18	32 3 19	16 10 0
S.E. pn. 77	33 0 12	66 10 0
E. pn. 78	25 3 21	52 0 0

Description of Land : Middle part Lot 18, nearly level, about half wiwi swamp ; south-east part Lot 77, and east part Lot 78, mixed forest, well watered, distant about five miles by good road from Tokatoka.

Parish of Matakohu.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
Mid. pn. 125	43 2 0	21 15 0
S.W. pn. 127	57 2 23	14 8 9
W. pn. 128	41 2 10	26 0 0
S. pn. 129	4 3 26	1 5 0
S.E. pn. 130	60 0 0	15 0 0
W. pn. 131	40 1 38	55 13 9

Description of Land : Middle part Lot 125, contains some mixed bush and some kauri, accessible by road, well watered, clayey subsoil ; south-west part Lot 127, contains some mixed bush, accessible by road, clayey subsoil, level ground ; west part Lot 128, contains some kauri, but chiefly mixed bush, accessible by road, well watered, clayey subsoil, undulating ground ; south part Lot 129, and south-east part Lot 130, open gum land, accessible by road, clayey subsoil, undulating ; west part Lot 131, contains a good deal of kauri timber, accessible by road, clayey subsoil, undulating.

Parish of Paparoa.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
E. pn. 105	43 3 29	22 0 0
N. pn. 186	47 2 0	23 15 0

Description of Land : East part Lot 105, partly mixed bush and tea-tree, undulating, clayey subsoil, accessible by road ; north part Lot 106, mixed bush, undulating, clayey soil, accessible by road.

Parish of Kaiwaka.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
S.W. pn. 46	40 1 10	50 12 6
S.E. pn. 94A	71 0 0	35 10 0
126	23 0 0	5 15 0

Description of Land : South-western part Lot 46, undulating land, limestone soil ; south-eastern part Lot 94A, and Lot 126, open land, accessible by road.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
<i>Opuawhanga Survey District</i>			
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
I.	4	99 3 0	99 15 0

Description of Land : About three-fourths of this section is covered with bush containing puriri and rata. The land is mostly broken and the soil poor on the ranges. There is, however, in the north-eastern corner about 20 acres of first-class land, level, well watered, and suitable for fruit growing.

BAY OF ISLANDS COUNTY.

Parish of Kawakawa.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
S.W. pn. 59	38 1 25	28 17 6
150	21 3 0	10 17 6*
154	24 1 15	18 7 6
155	24 1 36	18 7 6
156	24 2 2	18 11 3
157	23 0 22	17 18 9
158	24 2 0	18 7 6
159	26 0 0	19 10 0
160	25 3 32	19 10 0
161	25 2 4	19 6 3
162	20 3 35	15 15 0
163	15 1 22	11 12 6
164	21 3 24	11 0 0
166	65 0 0	32 10 0
167	112 2 0	56 5 0
168	109 2 32	54 17 6
169	124 0 0	62 0 0
170	101 0 0	50 10 0

* Subject to £60 for improvements.

Description of Land: South-western portion Lot 59, undulating agricultural land, nearly all mixed bush, well watered and accessible by road; 150, open undulating land; 154, 155, 156, flat scoria land, covered with fern. By sinking wells a permanent supply of water can be obtained within 10 feet; 157 to 163 inclusive, flat scoria land covered with fern, abutting on to Waiharakeke and Otiria Streams, accessible by a branch road from the Great North Road; 164, undulating pastoral land, clay soil, fern, frontage to Great North Road; 166 to 170 inclusive, broken pastoral lands, half fern, half bush, except Lot 167, which is nearly all fern, soil medium, well watered and accessible by Great North Road and branch road from it.

HOKIANGA COUNTY.
Whangape Survey District.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
I.	31	A. R. P. 53 0 0	£ s. d. 26 10 0
	32	49 1 0	24 12 6
	33	50 1 0	25 2 6
	34	60 2 0	30 5 0

Description of Land: Section 31, 10 acres flat land; 32, 20 acres flat land; 33, 14 acres flat land; 34, 20 acres flat land; remainder of sections very broken. All the above sections are covered with heavy mixed bush, well watered, soil of fair quality, and are accessible by a newly-formed bridle-track which passes through Section 34, and connects with the Hokianga Harbour, opposite Herd's Point Township, about thirteen miles distant.

MONGONUI COUNTY.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
Parish of Mongonui.		
6	A. R. P. 87 0 0	£ s. d. 54 7 6
7	92 0 0	46 0 0
51	18 2 16	37 4 0*

* Subject to £95 for improvements.

Description of Land: Lots 6 and 7, broken fern land, accessible by road and river, about 40 acres rush swamp on Lot 7; Lot 51, tea-tree and fern lands, watered, accessible by road.

Parish of Mongonui East.

79	1 3 19	9 7 0
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Description of Land: Fern and tea-tree, broken land, accessible by road.

GREAT BARRIER ISLAND.

Parish of Harataonga.

14	876 1 10	657 7 6
15	273 2 19	186 17 6
16	79 2 0	29 16 3
17	133 2 25	33 8 9

Description of Land: Lot 14, all forest, very broken, about 400 acres first-class kauri, which may be got out by Owana Stream; 15, all forest, very broken, about 80 acres scattered kauri; 16, all forest or scrub tea-tree, about 30 acres tea-tree suitable for firewood, very broken; 17, all scrub, with tall manuka in the gullies, land very poor and broken.

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.

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.

Rural Lands open for Application on Deferred Payments, Patea and Hawera.

Crown Lands Office,
Patea, 1st June, 1885.

THE under-mentioned rural lands will be open for application, on deferred payments, at the Land Offices, Patea and Hawera, on Wednesday, the 1st July, 1885.

Residence not compulsory.

In the event of more than one application being received for any one section, the right to occupy the same will be decided by public auction at Patea, on Saturday, the 4th July, at 11 o'clock a.m.

Section.	Block.	District.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
7	II.	Wairoa	A. R. P. 288 0 0	£1 0 0
7	III.	"	138 3 0	
13	"	"	107 2 0	
35	"	"	187 3 0	
37	"	"	253 1 0	
38	"	"	231 0 0	
6	IV.	"	317 1 0	
12	"	"	283 0 0	
11	IX.	"	270 2 36	
1	III.	Omahine	260 0 0	
2	"	"	232 0 0	
1	IV.	"	90 0 0	
2	"	"	262 0 0	
3	"	"	192 0 0	
Part 5	"	"	320 0 0	
6	"	"	287 0 0	
8	"	"	313 0 0	

C. A. WRAY,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Sale of Leases by Public Auction.

Crown Lands Office,
Patea, 18th May, 1885.

IT is hereby notified that the unsold sections in the Town of Richardson, Wairoa Survey District, about eight miles from the Momahaki Railway Station, and subdivided into allotments as under, will be offered for lease by public auction, for a term of fourteen years, at the upset rental of 6s. an acre, at the Land Office, Patea, on Saturday, the 27th June next, at 10.30 a.m.

No compensation will be allowed for improvements at the end of the term.

For conditions and further particulars apply to the undersigned.

Allotment.	Area.	Allotment.	Area.
1	A. R. P. 5 0 37	6	A. R. P. 3 0 0
2	6 2 0	7	6 3 0
3	7 0 24	8	6 3 0
4	6 3 0	9	5 3 4
5	1 3 28	10	5 3 4

C. A. WRAY,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Sale of Leases by Public Auction.

Crown Lands Office,
Patea, 16th May, 1885.

IT is hereby notified that part of Section 45, Hawera Survey District, known as the "Waihi Reserve," situate about three quarters of a mile from Normanby, and subdivided into allotments as under, will be offered for lease by public auction, for a term of fourteen years, at the upset rental of 10s. an acre, at the Land Office, Hawera, on Wednesday, the 24th June next, at 10.30 a.m.

No compensation will be allowed for improvements at the end of the term.

For conditions and further particulars apply to the undersigned.

Allotment.	Area.	Allotment.	Area.
1	A. R. P. 5 0 0	8	A. R. P. 6 0 8
2	5 0 0	9	8 0 0
3	9 0 0	11	7 0 1
4	4 1 0	12	6 1 33
5	6 3 12	13	*2 1 25
7	10 0 0		

C. A. WRAY,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

* Subject to £70 for improvements.

Sale of Crown Lands by Auction, Marlborough.

Crown Lands Office,
Blenheim, 1st June, 1885.

THE Marlborough Land Board notifies that, at noon on Tuesday, the 7th July, 1885, at the Survey Office, Blenheim, the under-mentioned sections will be offered for sale by public auction, for cash, at the upset prices stated:—

KAIKOURA SUBURBAN.

Section.	Area.			Upset Price.		
	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
331	50	0	0	150	0	0
332	50	0	0	150	0	0
333	50	0	4	150	1	6

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

HENRY G. CLARK,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Sale of Forfeited Deferred-payment Sections in Marlborough.

Crown Lands Office,
Blenheim, 1st June, 1885.

UNDER section 71 of "The Land Act, 1877," and section 16 of "The Land Act Amendment Act, 1884," the under-mentioned forfeited deferred-payment sections, with improvements thereon, will be offered for sale by public auction at the Survey Office, Blenheim, at noon on Tuesday, the 7th July, 1885, the improvements for cash, and the land on deferred payments:—

PELORUS SOUND, WET INLET.

Section.	Area.			Upset Price.			Value of Improvements.		
	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Part 2 of 78	121	1	35	242	18	9	25	0	0
180, 181	146	1	10	147	0	0	25	0	0

A deposit of 5 per cent. on the price of the land, and the full amount for improvements, must be paid at the auction.

HENRY G. CLARK,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Sale of Reserve at Christchurch.

Crown Lands Office,
Christchurch, 5th March, 1885.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned reserve will be submitted to public auction, as land of special value, at the Land Office, Christchurch, on Wednesday, the 1st July, 1885, at 12 o'clock noon:—

Reserve 785, situate on north bank of south branch of Rangitata River. Area: 108 acres 3 roods. Upset price per acre: £2.

Terms: One-fourth of purchase-money on the fall of the hammer, balance within one calendar month thereafter, when if balance is not paid the one-fourth referred to will be forfeited, and the sale declared null and void. Crown-grant fee to be paid on completion of purchase.

WALTER KITSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Sale of Crown Lands, Canterbury.

Crown Lands Office,
Christchurch, 30th April, 1885.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned Crown lands will be open for application upon deferred payments at the Land Offices, Christchurch and Timaru, on Wednesday, the 5th August, 1885:—

RESERVE 736, PIG-HUNTING CREEK.

Section.	Area.			Price per Acre.		
	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
1	11	1	30	10	0	0
2	11	3	6	10	0	0

JOHN H. BAKER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

West Coast Settlement Reserves.

SALE OF LEASES FOR A TERM OF THIRTY YEARS. Compensation for Improvements up to £5 per Acre will be allowed at End of Term of Lease.

West Coast Settlement Reserves Office,
New Plymouth, 30th April, 1885.

WRITTEN tenders (in sealed covers) are invited for the under-mentioned sections, in accordance with the provisions of "The West Coast Settlement Reserves Act, 1881," and the regulations issued thereunder.

The tenders, accompanied by the statutory declaration and deposit of six months' rent at the rate tendered, in accordance with the regulations, will be received at my office up to noon of Monday, the 15th June, 1885, when the highest tender for each lease (if the tenders shall equal or exceed the upset fixed annual rental per acre) will be declared the lessee.

Plans and schedules of the sections, and copies of the regulations under which leases will be sold and issued, also forms of tender and declaration respectively, can be obtained at the District Land Offices, New Plymouth, Patea, and Hawera, or at any of the other Land Offices in the colony; also at the office of the Collector of Customs, Wanganui, and at the Post Offices, Manaia, Opunake, Thames, Wanganui, Reefton, Westport, Greymouth, Ashburton, and Oamaru, on and after the 11th proximo.

Survey District.	Block.	Section.	Area.			Upset Rental per Acre per Annum.			
			A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	
Waitara	V.	95	106	1	30	0	7	6	
		96	108	2	21	0	7	6	
		97	74	0	0	0	6	0	
		98	82	3	37	0	6	0	
		99	75	0	0	0	6	0	
		100	100	0	0	0	5	6	
		101	72	2	20	0	6	0	
		102	125	0	0	0	5	6	
		VI.	2	75	3	32	0	6	0
			3	72	2	0	0	6	0
	4		95	0	0	0	5	0	
	5		137	0	0	0	5	0	
	7		55	0	0	0	7	6	
	8		129	2	36	0	6	0	
	9		125	2	7	0	6	0	
	10		190	0	0	0	5	0	
	21		200	0	0	0	5	6	
	22		148	0	0	0	5	6	
	23		112	0	0	0	5	0	
	29		100	0	0	0	5	0	
	32		159	2	30	0	5	6	
	33		115	0	0	0	5	0	
	42	153	2	10	0	5	0		
	44	98	3	0	0	5	0		
45	133	3	0	0	5	0			
46	110	2	0	0	4	6			
47	92	0	0	0	4	0			
48	110	0	0	0	4	0			

These sections are part of the block commonly known as the Waihi Block, and are all first-class, open, level lands, situate in the County of Clifton and Provincial District of Taranaki, and are only from one and a half to five miles from the Port of Waitara. Some of the sections are on the Main North Road, and none are more than a mile from it or the inland main road. Not more than 200 acres of this land will be leased to one person.

Attention is specially called to the fact of these being the last of the open lands of any extent likely to be in the market in this district.

Survey District.	Block.	Section.	Area.			Upset Rental per Acre per Annum.			
			A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	
Waitara	VI.	50	94	0	0	0	2	6	
		51	91	0	0	0	2	6	
		52	79	0	0	0	2	0	
	XI.	Ngatirahiri	36	308	0	0	0	1	0
			Part 9	285	0	0	0	1	0
			10	101	0	0	0	0	9
			10	440	0	0	0	0	9
			11	150	0	0	0	0	9
			11	617	0	0	0	0	9
			12	606	0	0	0	0	6
			13	394	0	0	0	0	6
			14	505	0	0	0	0	6

These sections form part of the Waihi Block, and are forest land, some very good and some broken.

This block comprises lands belonging to seven distinct grants. Lands being portions of more than one grant will not be included in the same lease. Separate leases will, therefore, be prepared for any lease of two or more sections in different grants.

Other lands to be leased but not included in plan :—

Survey District.	Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Rental per Acre per Annum.
Opunake ..	X.	7	A. B. P. 50 0 0	£ s. d. 0 3 0
Waimate ..	IV.	140	63 0 0	0 7 0*
Waitara West	..	Part of No. 50, rural	214 0 0	0 4 0†
		Part of No. 1, suburban		

* There are improvements to the value of £20 on this section.
† Close to the Town of Waitara; open land.

CONDITIONS AS TO OCCUPATION AND IMPROVEMENTS.

The maximum quantity any lessee can hold is 640 acres of rural land of the West Coast Settlement Reserves.

Each lessee shall within two years from the date of his lease bring into cultivation not less than one-tenth of the land leased by him, and within four years of the said date not less than one-fifth of the said land, and within six years from the date of his lease, in addition to the cultivation of one-fifth of the land, shall place on such land substantial

improvements of a permanent character to the value of £1 for every acre of such land.

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

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

CONDITIONS AS TO TENDERS.

Tenderers may offer for any number of sections, but no tender will be accepted for more than 640 acres in the aggregate. Such sections must, however, be contiguous, and not more than 200 acres of the open Waihi land will be let to one person.

After the declaration of tenders any sections not tendered for will be open for application at the upset rent. The first applicant to be declared the lessee, but, if there should be two or more applicants at the same time for any lease, the right to the lease shall be decided by lot.

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

Coloured lithographic plans of the Waihi Block will be on view in the several Land Offices throughout the colony.

W. RENNELL,
Reserves Trustee.

Appointments in Postal-Telegraph Service.

General Post Office, Wellington, 1st June, 1885.

IN virtue of the powers delegated to the Postmaster-General by His Excellency the Governor, the following appointments have been made in the Postal-Telegraph Service of the colony.

JULIUS VOGEL,
Postmaster-General.

Name.	Date.	Position.	Office.	Salary.
Olothier, J. J. ..	24 Feb., 1885	Mechanician	Auckland	£ 200
Scully, J. C. ..	1 May, ..	Lineman	Naseby ..	110

Postmasters appointed.

General Post Office, Wellington, 1st June, 1885.

IN virtue of the powers delegated to the Postmaster-General by His Excellency the Governor, the following appointments have been made in the Postal-Telegraph Service of the colony.

JULIUS VOGEL,
Postmaster-General.

Name.	To be Postmaster at	In what Postal District.	Date.
Kitchen, T. ..	Aratapu	Auckland	16 May, 1885.
Farr, Ann ..	Bennett'	Christchurch	1 April, ..
Hintze, Louis ..	Crofton	Wanganui	1 May, ..
Pyemont, A. B. P. ..	Eltham	Wanganui	1 May, ..
Brown, W. A. ..	Greatford	Wanganui	15 April, ..
Lambert, C. C. ..	Halcombe	Wellington	12 April, ..
Gorton, H. ..	Kyle	Christchurch	1 July, ..
Sloans, W. J. ..	Loburn	Christchurch	1 May, ..
White, A. W. ..	Maerewhenua	Oamaru	1 May, ..
Applegate, G. ..	Ngairi	Wanganui	1 May, ..
Ryan, Edward ..	Okarito	Hokitika	1 June, ..
Mills, H. P. ..	Okehu ..	Wanganui	1 April, ..
Guy, J. ..	Orepuki	Invercargill	1 June, ..
Jones, E. ..	Otiake	Oamaru	1 April, ..
Jones, Edwin ..	Ponsonby	Auckland	1 May, ..
Cudworth, C. W. ..	Pukekura	Auckland	1 May, ..
Brown, J. ..	Waikaia	Dunedin	1 May, ..

Post Offices opened.

General Post Office, Wellington, 1st June, 1885.

THE following list of additional post offices which have been opened in the colony is published for general information.

JULIUS VOGEL,
Postmaster-General.

Name of Office.	In what Postal District.	Circulating Office
Maerewhenua ..	Oamaru ..	Oamaru.

Post Offices closed.

General Post Office, Wellington, 1st June, 1885.

THE following list of post offices which have been closed in the colony is published for general information.

JULIUS VOGEL,
Postmaster-General.

Name of Office.	In what Postal District.	Circulating Office.
Woodstock	Hokitika	Hokitika.

Land Transfer Act Notices.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same in each case on or before the 13th day of July next.

THOMAS BUDDLE and the Rev. GEORGE BROWN.—Allotments 2, 3, and part of 1, 42, and 43 of Section 49 of the City of Auckland. Occupied by Applicants and another. 2369.

ALEXANDER GRANT CLOW.—Part of Allotment 97 of the Parish of Takapuna, containing 58 acres 2 roods. Part occupied by B. H. Clow. 2374.

ROBERT CHISENHALL HAMERTON, as PUBLIC TRUSTEE.—Middle portion of Allotment 61 and northern Portion of Allotment 71 of the Parish of Mangataniwha, containing 80 acres. Unoccupied. 2382.

MICHAEL RAFFERTY.—Allotment 11 of Section 38 of the Town of Onehunga. In Applicant's occupation. 2383.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.
Dated this 4th day of June, 1885, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

THEO. KISSLING,
District Land Registrar.

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NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN EDWARD WELD, of Oxford, Gentleman, claiming as Devisee under the will of JOHN PAUL, late of Oxford, Chemist, deceased, has applied to be registered as Proprietor of part of Rural Section 1952, Oxford District, containing 2 roods, comprised in certificate of title, Vol. xvi., folio 31; and that he will be so registered unless a caveat forbidding the same be lodged within one month from date of Gazette containing this notice.

Dated this 6th day of June, 1885, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

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 month from date of Gazette containing this notice.

5652. HORACE DANIEL PINE.—34 perches, part of Rural Section 136, Borough of St. Albans. Occupied by Applicant.

5653. HORACE DANIEL PINE.—33 perches, part of Rural Section 148, Borough of St. Albans. Unoccupied.

5657. RICHARD EVANS.—7 acres 3 roods 11 perches, part of Rural Section 374, Rangiora Survey District. Occupied partly by Joseph Turner and partly by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.
Dated this 6th day of June, 1885, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

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 month from the date of the gazetting of this notice.

ANDREW ATKIN.—2 acres 2 roods, being part of Section 31, Block I., Hundred of Invercargill. Occupied by Applicant. No. 2188.

MARIA HART and Others.—100 acres, being Section 17, Block I., Hundred of Invercargill. Unoccupied. No. 2210.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.
Dated this 30th day of May, 1885, 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 within one month from date of the gazetting of this notice.

THOMAS WATSON, THOMAS MORELL MACDONALD, and GEORGE MACKIE WILLIAMSON.—1,264 acres 3 roods 36 perches, being Sections 2, Block XIV., 6, Block VIII., 14, Block III., 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12, Block IX., Hundred of New River; Sections 10 and 11, Block IV., Hundred of Invercargill. Nos. 2196 to 2200. Also Section 6, Block II., 3 and 4, Block V., 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 16, 17, 20, and 21, Block VIII., 10 and 11, Block XVII., 1 and 2, Block XIX., 1, 2, 21, and 22, Block XXIX., and part of Section 5, Block II., Town of Invercargill. Nos. 2201 to 2209.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.
Dated this 30th day of May, 1885, 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 within one month from date of Gazette containing this notice.

5641. JOHN NEWTON COLERIDGE and ANNE ISABELLA COLERIDGE.—200 acres, Rural Sections 1152, 1985, and 2386, Christchurch District. Sections 1985 and 2386 occupied by Henry Vale, and Section 1152 by Henry Davis.

5660. THOMAS FISHER.—3 roods, Sections 385, 387, and 392, Town of Timaru. Unoccupied.

5661. THOMAS PLUMRIDGE.—1 acre 1 rood 29 perches, part of Rural Section 76, Christchurch District. Occupied by Applicant.

5662. WILLIAM DE LACY CAMERON.—3 roods 27 perches, parts of Rural Sections 40 and 266, Borough of Lyttelton. Unoccupied.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.
Dated this 22nd day of May, 1885, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

J. M. BATHAM,
District Land Registrar.

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Mining Notices.

STATEMENT of the Affairs of the Invincible Quartz-Mining Company (Limited), for the half-year ending the 30th May, 1885, in accordance with section 135 of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872."

Name of company: The Invincible Quartz-Mining Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: 8th September, 1880; 28th September, 1880.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Ballarat Street, Queenstown; Franz William Frederick Geisow.

Nominal capital: £21,000.

Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders: £14,000.

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 21,000.

Number of shares taken: 21,000.

Amount of calls made: 6s. per share on 7,000 contributing shares, and £390 11s. 8d. on 14,000 paid-up shares; total, £2,490 11s. 8d.

Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: Virtually £2,490 11s. 8d. and nominally £16,100.

Number of shareholders at time of registration: 7.

Amount of calls in hand: Nil.

Whether in operation or not: In operation.

Total amount of dividends declared: £2,975.

Number of shares unallotted: Nil.

FRANZ WILLIAM FREDERICK GEISOW,
Manager.

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

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

2. The place of operations is at Manuka Flat, near Lyell, in the County of Buller, in the Colony of New Zealand.

3. The registered office of the company will be situated in Cliff Street, Lyell, County of Buller.

4. The nominal capital of the company is sixteen thousand pounds sterling, in thirty-two thousand shares of ten shillings sterling each.

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

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

7. The amount of capital paid up is eight thousand pounds sterling.

8. The name of the Manager is James Inglis.

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.
John Fennell, Lyell, Storekeeper	1,500
R. W. McCoy, Lyell, Draper	250
Thomas Quinlan, Lyell, Miner	250
Henry Garbett, Lyell, Miner	500
Laurence Larsen, Lyell Punt, Ferryman	500
Louis Carmine, Lyell, Bootmaker	250
Margaret W. Mason, Lyell, Domestic	250
Peter Ekland, Lyell, Tailor	250
Frederick Ullmer, Lyell, Baker	250
James Lowick, Lyell, Baker	500
Ellen Williams, Lyell, Hotelkeeper	250
Peter Mangos, Lyell, Hotelkeeper	500
F. G. Rotton, Lyell, Teacher	250
John McNiell, Lyell, Miner	250
John Page, Lyell, Miner	250
John Rodden, Lyell, Miner	250
John Breen, Lyell, Miner	250
Frederick Best, Lyell, Blacksmith	250
Frederick Feddersen, Lyell, Butcher	1,000
Martin Conradson, Lyell, Miner	1,000
James Edge, Lyell, Butcher	500
James Hart, Lyell, Miner	250
Hugh Kelly, Lyell, Miner	250
Alexander McCloy, Lyell, Miner	500
George Jackson, Lyell, Mill-sawyer	250
John Bray, Lyell, Miner	500
Peter John Armstrong, Lyell, Hotelkeeper	250
William O'Brien, Lyell, Miner	250
Frank Sheran, Lyell, Miner	250
Michael Dunn, Lyell, Miner	250
John De Filippi, Lyell, Farmer	250
Joseph Dollimore, Lyell, Miner	250
Samuel Chapman, Lyell, Miner	250
James Gibbs, Lyell, Miner	250
Frederick Sorensen, Lyell, Miner	250
Timothy Davies, Lyell, Miner	500
W. P. Smith, Lyell, Sawyer	250
Richard Fitten, Lyell, Miner	500
A. Horn, Westport, Stationer	1,000
Thomas Field, Westport, Ironmonger	1,000
John McDonnell, Westport, Contractor	500
Thomas Bailie, Westport, Merchant	1,000
John Gilmer, Westport, Hotelkeeper	1,000
John Rome, Westport, Speculator	1,000
S. J. Warren, Westport, Banker	1,000
Zoffany C. Horne, Westport, Sharebroker	1,000
Charles Woodward, Westport, Sharebroker	500
Robert Falla, Westport, Accountant	500
Arthur Brown, Westport, Teacher	1,000
W. H. Bryant, Westport, Teacher	250
J. Marx, Westport, Tailor	1,000
James Colvin, Westport, Butcher	500
James Powell, Westport, Merchant	1,000
Henri Paine, Westport, Cordial Manufacturer	500
P. Kelly, Westport, Blacksmith	500
R. W. Jenkins, Westport, Banker	250
William Nahr, Westport, Brewer	1,000
John Hughes, Westport, Hotelkeeper	1,000
Jules Simon, Westport, Merchant	1,000
Myles McPadden, Westport, Farmer	500
William Hanna, Westport, Carrier	250
W. H. Dencker, Westport, Teacher	250
	32,000

Dated at Lyell, this 26th day of May, 1885.

JAMES INGLIS,
Manager.

Witness to signature—Thomas Walsh.

I, James Inglis, 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."

JAMES INGLIS.

Taken before me this 28th day of March, 1885—John Fennell, J.P. 302

HALF-YEARLY Balance-sheet of the Invincible Quartz-Mining Company (Limited), at 30th May, 1885.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Capital paid up	2,490	11	8
Unpaid accounts	1,262	4	7
		£3,752	16	3
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ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Cash in Bank of New Zealand	422	16	7
Cash in Bank of New Zealand on deposit	370	0	0
About 150oz. gold on the claim in Mine .. .. .	..		
Manager's hands, at £3 15s. 3d. per ounce .. .. .	..	564	7	6
Bank of New Zealand still owes about 5s. 3d. per ounce on 484oz. 13dwt. gold .. .. .	..	127	4	5
Value of horses, saddles, tools, &c. .. .. .	..	117	14	10
Value of machinery, water-races, road, &c. .. .. .	..	2,091	8	3
Balance of Profit and Loss Account .. .. .	..	59	4	8
		£3,752	16	3

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT.

Debit.		£	s.	d.
To Balance from half-year ended 24th November, 1884 .. .. .	..	1,036	2	3
Dividends paid on 21,000 shares, at 2s. 10d. per share .. .. .	..	2,975	0	0
Incidental expenses .. .. .	..	43	3	6
Wages .. .. .	..	1,635	13	10
Goods .. .. .	..	269	12	10
Government rent on leases to 30th June, 1885	17	10	0
5 per cent. discount on machinery, horses, &c.	116	5	6
		£6,093	7	11
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Credit.		£	s.	d.
By Proceeds of gold during this half-year	6,034	3	3
Debit balance	59	4	8
		£6,093	7	11

F. W. F. GEISOW,
Legal Manager,

Queenstown, 30th May, 1885.

I hereby certify that I have examined the above balance-sheet, together with the books and vouchers of the company, for the six months ended 30th May, 1885, and have found the same correct.

PHILIP B. BOULT,
Auditor.

Queenstown, 2nd June, 1885.

I, Franz William Frederick Geisow, do solemnly and sincerely declare that the above statement is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, 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."

F. W. F. GEISOW.

Taken before me at Queenstown, the 3rd day of June, 1885—James Reid, J.P. 310

Private Advertisements.

In the matter of a Bill intituled "An Act to amend and consolidate the Laws relating to the Management of the Wellington College and Girls' High School."

NOTICE is hereby given that it is the intention of the Governors of the Wellington College to apply, at the next session of the General Assembly, for leave to introduce a Bill, the objects of which are as follows:—

1. To amend and consolidate the laws relating to the management of the Wellington College and Girls' High School.

Copies of the said proposed Bill will be deposited in the office of the Examiner of Standing Orders on or before the commencement of the next session of the General Assembly of New Zealand.

Dated this 12th day of May, 1885.

A. DE B. BRANDON, JUN.,
Solicitor to Governors of Wellington College.

EAST MALVERN ROAD DISTRICT.

"THE PUBLIC WORKS ACT, 1882."

IT is hereby notified that it is the intention of the East Malvern Road Board to take all that piece of land, being 3 roods 15 perches, part of Rural Section No. 10075, situate in the East Malvern Road District, owned by Harry Bell Johnstone, and at present unoccupied, and tinted yellow on the plan thereof, for the purpose of making a road to connect with the South Malvern Hills Road and the road passing railway goods-shed at Sheffield. Plans of the said land will be open for inspection at the East Malvern Road Board office, Sheffield, from the 9th day of June till the 20th day of July, 1885. And the said Board hereby call upon all persons affected to set forth in writing any well-grounded objection to the execution of such work or to the taking of such land, and to send such writing within forty days from the first publication of this notice to the East Malvern Road Board, Sheffield.

ROBERT COLTHART,
Clerk to the Board. 308

9th May, 1885.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned in the business of Timber Merchants, at Wanganui, and at the branch at Patea, and also trading in copartnership with ROBERT PALMER, at Manaia, as Sawmillers, in New Zealand, has been dissolved by mutual consent; and that all moneys owing to the said partnership are to be paid to the undersigned, William York, who will also discharge all sums owing to the late firm. Dated this 5th day of June, 1885.

WILLIAM YORK.
HENRY CORNFOT.

Witness—C. Burnett, Solicitor, Wanganui. 304

THE Partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned has been dissolved as on the 31st December, 1884. The business will be carried on by Mr. Edward Reeves, who will receive all moneys due to, and discharge all liabilities against, the old firm.

JOHN PLIMMER.
J. A. PLIMMER.
EDWARD REEVES.

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To A. R. Ure, Esq., Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, Dunedin.

I, HENRY TEEVAN, Member of the Royal College of Surgeons, England, Licentiate of the Society of Apothecaries, London, now residing in Dunedin, in the Provincial District of Otago, hereby give you notice that it is my intention to apply to you, on the 5th day of July, 1885, to have my name placed on the Medical Register for the Colony of New Zealand; and that I have deposited my evidence of qualification for public inspection in the Office for the Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, Dunedin.

HENRY TEEVAN. 303

Dunedin, 4th June, 1885.

In the matter of "The Foreign Companies Act, 1884."

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with the provisions of the above Act, that the HAMBURG MAGDEBURG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY proposes to continue to carry on business in the following towns in New Zealand, namely, Dunedin, Invercargill, Christchurch, Port Chalmers, Wellington, Napier, Nelson, Gisborne, Blenheim, New Plymouth, and Auckland; and that the office or place of business in the colony where legal proceedings of any kind may be served upon the said company, and to which notices of any kind may be addressed, is the office of Messrs. Neill Brothers, Merchants, at the corner of High Street and Macandrew Street, Dunedin.

NEILL BROTHERS,
Attorneys in New Zealand for the Hamburg
Magdeburg Fire Insurance Company.

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