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*Land taken for Further Portion of Waimea-Switzers Railway (Riversdale Section).*

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

A PROCLAMATION.

**W**HEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken for further portion of the Waimea-Switzers Railway, namely, Riversdale Section:

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. 2 0 16	Railway Reserve	III.	Hokonui, Township of Riversdale.
0 0 2	6	"	Ditto.
0 0 3	5	"	"
0 0 20	1	"	"
0 0 29	Road ..	"	"
5 3 21	Railway Reserve	"	"
1 3 1	49	Subdivision of Sections 31 and 115	Hokonui.
2 0 0	48		
2 0 23	47		
3 3 2	46		
77 2 3	Crown lands	IV.	Wendonside.
13 3 28	1		Wendon.

All in the Provincial District of Otago; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 12809, deposited in the office for the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington.

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

**EDWARD RICHARDSON,**  
Minister for Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Lands declared to be Waste Lands of the Crown.*

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

A PROCLAMATION.

**W**HEREAS the lands described in the Schedule hereto have been purchased out of the sums authorized under "The Immigration and Public Works Act, 1870," and Acts amending the same, to be issued and expended in the purchase of lands in the North Island of New Zealand, and it is expedient that the said lands should be declared to be waste lands of the Crown:

Now, therefore, I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, being satisfied that the lands described in the Schedule hereto are free from Native claims and all difficulties in connection therewith, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the seventeenth section of "The Waste Lands Administration Act, 1876," and the twenty-eighth section of "The Land Act 1877 Amendment Act, 1879," and all other authorities enabling me in that behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare the said lands to be waste lands of the Crown, subject, except as in the first-mentioned Act provided, to be sold and dealt with according to the provisions of the laws regulating the sale and disposal of waste lands of the Crown in force in the land districts in which they are respectively situated.

**E**RRATUM.—In *New Zealand Gazette* No. 39, of the 18th June, 1885, page 777, in Notice of Appointment of Members of Examination Board, Otago District, for "Captain Robert Smith," Dunedin Naval Artillery Volunteers, read "Captain George Roberts Smith."

## SCHEDULE.

## HUKATERE A.

ALL that parcel of land in the Hukaterere Survey District, in the Auckland Provincial District, known by the name of Hukaterere A, containing by admeasurement 6,246 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North and North-east by the Ruatuna and Okorako branches of the Arapaone River, by the Ohauora Block 720 links and 2602 links, and by the Kirikiri Creek (a branch of the aforesaid Arapaone River): towards the South-east by the Hukaterere B Block; towards the South-west by the Waieora River; and towards the North-west by the Waihangarua Stream, the Unwhiao Block 5060 links, and by the Ruatuna Creek aforesaid to the point of commencement: save and excepting the Hukaterere C Block, containing 294 acres, more or less, included in the boundaries, but not in the area of 6,246 acres, hereinbefore described.

## WAIHARAKEKE EAST No. 5.

All that parcel of land in the Wairere Survey District, in the Auckland Provincial District, known by the name of Waiharakeke East No. 5, containing by admeasurement 6,672 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North-west by the Waiharakeke East No. 1 Block, 23362 links; towards the North-east by the Maurihiro Block, 41524 links; towards the South-east and South-west by the Wairere River; and towards the West generally by the Waihou River: save and excepting the Waiharakeke East Nos. 2, 3, and 4 Blocks, containing 35 acres, 45 acres, and 35 acres each respectively, more or less, included in the boundaries, but not in the area of 6,672 acres, hereinbefore described.

## WAIHARAKEKE WEST No. 1.

All that parcel of land in the Wairere Survey District, in the Auckland Provincial District, known by the name of Waiharakeke West No. 1, containing by admeasurement 1,122 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by Sections Nos. 9 and 13, Block VI, and Section No. 15, Block VII, Wairere, 2360 and 4360 links, to the Waihou River; towards the East by the Waihou River; towards the South by the Waiharakeke West No. 2 Block, 11154 links; and towards the West by the Hungahunga No. 4. Block, 13805 links.

## PUKEHOU No. 5L, No. 6.

All that parcel of land in the Waiopahu and Taungata Survey Districts, Horowhenua County, Wellington Provincial District, known by the name of Pukehou No. 5L, No. 6, containing by admeasurement 100 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by the Pukehou No. 5A Block; towards the East by the Pukehou Nos. 5B, 5C, and 5D Blocks; towards the South by Waihoanga No. 3D Block; and towards the West by other part of the Pukehou No. 5L Block.

## WAHA-O-TE-MARANGAI No. 1A.

All that parcel of land in the Kaitawa Survey District, Horowhenua County, Wellington Provincial District, known by the name of Waha-o-te-Marangai No. 1A, containing by admeasurement 120 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by Waha-o-te-Marangai No. 1F Block; towards the East by the Waiarapa Block; and towards the South and West by the Ngakaroro No. 1A Block.

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

J. BALLANCE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*County of Ohinemuri constituted.*(L.S.) WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,  
Governor.

## A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS a petition was presented to the Governor, signed by not less than three-fifths of the county electors contained within that portion of the County of Thames included within the boundaries particularly set forth in the First Schedule hereto, and which said portion comprises in the whole an area of more than two hundred thousand acres in extent, and contains more than one hundred county electors: And whereas the said petition prayed the Governor to constitute the said portion of the County of Thames a new county, and to set forth the boundaries of the

proposed new county: And whereas such petition has been publicly notified as by law required:

Now, therefore, I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Counties Act, 1876," do hereby proclaim and declare that the aforesaid portion of the County of Thames shall, as from the first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, constitute a new county, to be called the County of Ohinemuri; and that the boundaries of the said new county so constituted shall be those particularly set forth in the First Schedule hereto; and the said new county is hereby constituted accordingly.

And I do further proclaim and declare that the said County of Ohinemuri shall be divided into four ridings, to be called the Waitekauri Riding, the Karangahake Riding, the Paeroa Riding, and the Waitoa Riding, the boundaries whereof shall be those particularly set forth in the Second Schedule hereto.

And, in exercise of the like power, and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, I do further proclaim and declare that the number of members of the County Council of the said County of Ohinemuri shall be: For the Waitekauri Riding, two members; for the Karangahake Riding, two members; for the Paeroa Riding, three members; and for the Waitoa Riding, one member.

## FIRST SCHEDULE.

THE County of Ohinemuri is bounded towards the East by the ocean from the mouth of the Otahuru River to the Waihi River; thence towards the South-east and South by the Counties of Tauranga and Piako respectively; towards the West by the County of Waikato to a point due west of the confluence of the Waihou River with the Hikutaia River; and thence towards the North by a right line to the confluence of the said rivers; thence by a line along the middle of the said Hikutaia River to the source nearest to the source of the Otahuru River aforesaid; thence by a right line to the source of the said Otahuru River; and thence by a line along the middle of that river to the ocean.

## SECOND SCHEDULE.

WAITEKAURI Riding comprises all that area bounded towards the North and North-west generally by a line along the middle of the Hikutaia River from the Waihou Survey District to source of the said Hikutaia River nearest to the source of the Otahuru River; thence by a right line to the source of the said Otahuru River, and thence by a line along the middle of that river to the ocean; thence towards the East by the ocean; towards the South-east by the County of Tauranga to the main Tauranga Road; thence towards the South-west by that road to the Ohinemuri River; thence by a right line to the southernmost corner of Section No. 37, Ohinemuri Survey District; thence by the Owharoa Block (1790) to Section No. 65 of the said survey district; thence by the said Section No. 65 and Section No. 70 to the northernmost corner of the last-mentioned section; thence by a right line to the southernmost corner of Te Awaatukuao No. 1 Block at the Ohinemuri River; thence towards the South-west and West by a line along the goldfields boundary-lines to Kurere; thence by the Kaiamanawa Block to the Waihou Survey District aforesaid; and thence by that survey district to the middle of the Hikutaia River.

Karangahake Riding comprises all that area bounded towards the North-east generally by the Waitekauri Riding, hereinbefore described; towards the South-east by the County of Tauranga; towards the South-west by a right line from Te Aroha Trig. Station to the intersection of the goldfields boundary-line by the production of the eastern boundary-line of the timber reserve in Block V., Aroha Survey District; thence again towards the South-east, South-west, and North-west generally by a line along the goldfields boundary to the Ohinemuri River; and thence by a line along the middle of that river to the Waitekauri Riding aforesaid.

Paeroa Riding comprises all that area bounded towards the North by a line along the middle of the Hikutaia River; towards the East generally by the Ridings of Waitekauri and Karangahake, hereinbefore described; towards the South by the County of Piako; and towards the West generally by a line along the middle of the Waihou or Thames River.

Waitoa Riding comprises all that area bounded towards the North by a line due east from the County of Waikato to the confluence of the Waihou or Thames River with the Hikutaia River; thence towards the East generally by the Paeroa Riding, hereinbefore described; towards the South by the County of Piako; and towards the West generally by the County of Waikato aforesaid.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir William Francis Drummond Jervois, Lieutenant-General in Her Majesty's Army, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

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

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*County of Patangata (Hawke's Bay) constituted.*

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS a petition was presented to the Governor, signed by not less than three-fifths of the county electors contained within that portion of the County of Waipawa included within the boundaries particularly set forth in the First Schedule hereto, and which said portion comprises in the whole an area of more than two hundred thousand acres in extent, and contains more than one hundred county electors: And whereas the said petition prayed the Governor to constitute the said portion of the County of Waipawa a new county, and to set forth the boundaries of the proposed new county: And whereas such petition has been publicly notified as by law required:

Now, therefore, I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Counties Act, 1876," do hereby proclaim and declare that the aforesaid portion of the County of Waipawa shall, as from the first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, constitute a new county, to be called the County of Patangata; and that the boundaries of the said new county so constituted shall be those particularly set forth in the First Schedule hereto; and the said new county is hereby constituted accordingly.

And I do further proclaim and declare that the said County of Patangata shall be divided into five ridings, to be called the Oero Riding, the Patangata Riding, the Tamumu Riding, the Eparaima Riding, and the Porangahau Riding, the boundaries whereof shall be those particularly set forth in the Second Schedule hereto.

And, in exercise of the like power, and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, I do further proclaim and declare that the number of members of the County Council of the said County of Patangata shall be: For the Oero Riding, one member; for the Patangata Riding, one member; for the Tamumu Riding, one member; for the Eparaima Riding, two members; and for the Porangahau Riding, two members.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay bounded towards the North generally by the County of Hawke's Bay; towards the East and South-east by the ocean; towards the South-west by the County of Wairarapa East to Wahatuara (Trig. Station No. 52c); thence towards the North-west by a right line to Oporae (Trig. Station No. 51); thence by a right line to the easternmost corner of the Mangatoro Block; thence by a right line to the southernmost corner of the Mangatarara No. 3 Block; thence towards the South-west by a right line to Trig. Station No. 27, Mangatoro Survey District; thence by a right line to the south-western corner of Block LXXVII., in the Mangatoro Survey District aforesaid; thence by a line along the middle of the Mangapuaka Stream to the Wangai Stream; thence again towards the North-west by a line along the middle of the said Wangai Stream and of the Taurekaitai Stream to a point in line with the south-eastern boundary of Block LXXX., in the Takapau Survey District; thence to and by that block to the Purimu Stream; thence towards the South by a line along the middle of the said Purimu Stream to a point in line with the south-eastern boundary-line of Block LXXXI.; thence again towards the North-west by a line to and by the said Block LXXXI. to the Ngahapa Stream; thence towards the North and again towards the North-west by a line along the middle of that stream to a point in line with the south-western boundary-line of Block XLII., in the Motuotaraia Survey District; thence towards the North-east by a right line to and by the said Block XLII. and Blocks XXXIX. and XL. respectively, and by the production of the south-western boundary-line of the last-mentioned block until it intersects a line being the

production of the south-western boundary-line of Block LXXXVII., in the said Motuotaraia Survey District; thence by the latter line to the middle of the Tangatupuru Stream; thence again towards the North-west by a line along the middle of the said Tangatupuru Stream and of the Mangatarata Stream to the Tukituki River; thence again towards the South-west by a line along the middle of the said Tukituki River to the new course of the Waipawa River; thence again towards the North-west by a line along the middle of the new course of the Waipawa River aforesaid to the Waipawa and Tamumu Road; thence again towards the South-west by a line along the middle of that road to the junction of the Tamumu and Patangata Roads; thence by a right line to the easternmost corner of Block XIV., in the Waipukurau Survey District; thence by the said Block XIV. to its northernmost corner; and thence again towards the North-west by a line along the middle of Te Aute Road to the County of Hawke's Bay aforesaid.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

Oero Riding comprises all that area bounded towards the North-west and North-east generally by the County of Hawke's Bay; towards the South-east by the ocean; towards the South-west generally by Blocks XL., XXXIX., XXXVIII., XXXVII., and XXXVI. respectively, in the Porerere Survey District, and Blocks XXIV., XXV., XXVI., XXVII., XXVIII., and XXIX. respectively, Oero Survey District, to the Mangarara Stream; thence by a line along the middle of that stream to the Tukituki River; and thence towards the West by a line along the middle of the said Tukituki River to Hawke's Bay County aforesaid.

Patangata Riding comprises all that area bounded towards the North-east and North-west by the County of Hawke's Bay; towards the East, South-east, and South-west by a line along the middle of the Tukituki River to the new course of the Waipawa River; thence towards the North-west by a line along the middle of the new course of the Waipawa River to the Waipawa and Tamumu Road; thence again towards the South-west by a line along the middle of that road to the junction of the Tamumu and Patangata Roads; thence by a right line to the easternmost corner of Block XIV., in the Waipukurau Survey District; thence by the said Block XIV. to its northernmost corner; and thence again towards the North-west by a line along the middle of Te Aute Road to the County of Hawke's Bay aforesaid.

Tamumu Riding comprises all that area bounded towards the North-west and North-east by the Patangata and the Oero Ridings respectively, hereinbefore described; towards the South-east by the ocean to Blackhead; thence towards the South-west by Blocks XXXVI., XXXIII., I., IV., II., and XXVII. respectively, in the Blackhead Survey District, Blocks XXVI., II. aforesaid, LXXV., and LXXIV. respectively, in the Porerere Survey District, and Blocks LXXI., XL., XV., LXXXIV., and LXXXV. respectively, in the Motuotaraia Survey District, to the Tangatupuru Stream; thence again towards the North-west by a line along the middle of the said Tangatupuru Stream and of the Mangatarata Stream to the Tukituki River.

Eparaima Riding comprises all that area known as the Road Districts of Wanstead and Wallingford, as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 42, 18th May, 1883.

Porangahau Riding comprises all that area known as the Road District of Porangahau, as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 42, 18th May, 1883.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

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

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Extending Jurisdiction of the Resident Magistrate's Courts, Kaipara and Whangarei.*

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority in me vested in this behalf by "The Resident Magistrates

Act, 1867," I, William Francis Drummond Jerovis, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the fifteenth day of September instant, the jurisdiction of the Resident Magistrate's Courts for the Kaipara and Whangarei Districts shall be extended to one hundred pounds.

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

Jos. A. TOLE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Abolishing and altering Licensing Districts.*

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by "The Licensing Act, 1881," and "The Licensing Act Amendment Act, 1882," I, William Francis Drummond Jerovis, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby, from and after the first day of October next, abolish the Special Licensing District of Mahinapua, and alter and redefine the boundaries of the Licensing District of Kaniéri, which shall, from and after the said first day of October, be those described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

*Kaniéri Licensing District.*—Commencing at the mouth of the Arathura River; thence up the southern bank of the said river to its source; thence southerly along the dividing range to the source of the Pass River (a branch of the Hokitika River); thence down the southern branch of the said river to its junction with the Hokitika River; and thence down the south bank of the last-mentioned river to the H.O. line; thence westerly along the H.O. line to Mahinapua Lake, and by a line touching the northern bank of the said lake to the sea-coast; and thence northerly along the coast to the commencing point: excepting the Borough of Hokitika.

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

Jos. A. TOLE.

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*, partially to remove the said restrictions on the alienation of the said land, so as to admit of the leasing of the said lands for twenty-one years.

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

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

J. BALLANCE,

Minister for Native Affairs.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece of land in the Parish of Puniu, County of Waikato, containing 33 acres, be the same a little more or less, being part of Allotment No. 14 of the said parish, and part of the land described in Vol. xxiv., folio 239, of the Register-book, and fully delineated upon those parts of a subdivision of the said Lot No. 14, marked respectively D and E upon such plan. Bounded towards the North-east by Allotment No. 344, 900 links; towards the South-east and East by a road-line, 1331 links; towards the South by a road-line, 745 links; towards the South-west by a road-line, 1085 links; and towards the North-east by a road-line, 2085 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

*Native Land taken for Portion of Kawakawa Railway.*

Wm. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,  
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this first day of September, 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 Jerovis, the Governor of the Colony of Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby order that the Government work known as the Kawakawa Railway shall and may be constructed on or through the parcels of land more particularly described in the Schedule hereto, and delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 13126, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, in the said colony.

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 Survey District of
A. R. P. 4 2 30 (Ef to Gh)	Native land, Ngamahanga	IX.	Russell.
6 2 35 (MN to OP)	Te Raupo .. ..	V.	"
0 1 16	Naturahi, 185 .. ..	XII.	Kawakawa.
0 0 3	Awake, Lot No. 1 of 174	"	"
0 0 3	Awake, Lot No. 2 of 174	"	"
0 0 5	Awake, Lot No. 3 of 174	"	"
0 0 16	Awake, Lot No. 4 of 174	"	"
0 0 3	Awake, Lot No. 5 of 174	"	"
0 0 16	Awake, Lot No. 6 of 174	"	"
0 0 27	Awake, Lot No. 7 of 174	"	"

All in the Provincial District of Auckland; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 13126, 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.

*Powers delegated to the Maitauro Town Board under "The Public Domains Act, 1881."*

Wm. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,  
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eighth day of September, 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 eleventh day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, 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 Maitara Public Domain Board, namely,—

THE MATARA TOWN BOARD

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

1. The Board shall meet for the transaction of business on the first Friday in each month, at three o'clock p.m., at the Town Board Offices, Maitara, 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 Friday, the second day of October, 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 second Friday in January in every succeeding year thereafter, elect one of themselves to be Chairman, who may join in the discussion, and shall have an original as well as a casting vote. The Chairman shall hold office until the election of his successor.
5. If at any meeting the Chairman is not present at the time appointed for holding the same, the members present shall choose some one of their number to be Chairman of such meeting.
6. If, by resignation, death, or incapacity, or otherwise, the office of Chairman shall be or become vacant, the members may at any monthly or special meeting appoint a Chairman.
7. All questions shall be determined by the majority of votes of the members of the Board present at a meeting.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Otago, situate in the Town of Maitara Bridge, being Sections Nos. 39, 40, and 41, Block XVII., on the map of the said town, containing by admeasurement 13 acres 1 rood 24 perches, more or less. Bounded on the North by Section No. 42, 1275 links; towards the East by a road-line, 1201.4 links; towards the South-west by a road-line, 1312.2 links; and towards the West by Section No. 38, 897 links.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,  
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eighth day of September, 1885.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

**I**N 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-third day of February, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, 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 Darfield Public Domain Board, namely,—

GEORGE GUNY,  
ALEXANDER NICHOL,  
HECTOR GILLANDERS,  
WILLIAM CLINTON, and  
WILLIAM LONG

(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 third Monday in each month, at half-past seven o'clock p.m., at the Schoolroom, Darfield, 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 Monday, the twenty-first day of September, 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 third Monday 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 Hawkins Survey District, Provincial District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 10 acres, more or less, being part of Reserve No. 1751 (in red). Bounded—North-east by the continuation of Creyke Street, in the Horndorn Township, 692 links; South-east by Maxwell Street, 1050 links; South-west by the continuation of Railway Terrace North, 1212.8 links; and North-west by a line at right angles to south-west boundary, 1050 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; and numbered 2635 (in red) on the official map in the Survey Office, Christchurch.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Trustees under Maori Real Estate Management Acts, 1867 and 1877, appointed.*

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,  
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eighth day of September, 1885.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

**W**HEREAS by "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), it is enacted that, if any title to or interest in any hereditaments shall accrue to any Maoris, who or any of whom shall be infants, lunatics, or under legal disability, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, if he think fit, to order that such hereditaments, or any part thereof or interest therein, as shall to the Governor in Council be shown to belong to such infant or lunatic or other person under legal disability shall be vested in trustees, as the Governor in Council shall think fit:

And whereas by "The Maori Real Estate Management Act Amendment Act, 1877," it is provided that, in all cases in which no trustee of such estate of any infant Maori prior to the passing of the said last recited Act has been appointed, the Governor may appoint such trustee only on the recommendation of a Judge of the Native Land Court:

And whereas, in pursuance of orders bearing dates as contained in the first column of the Schedule hereto, made by the Judges named in the second column thereof, the persons named in the third column were recommended to the Governor as trustees under the said Acts on behalf of the persons named and under the disability described in the fourth column, in respect of the lands described or referred to in the fifth column:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by the said Acts, doth hereby order that the interests and shares of the persons under disability named in the Schedule hereto in the several blocks of land referred to therein shall be and remain vested in the several persons named in the third column thereof as trustees within the meaning and for the purposes of the said Acts for the said persons respectively during the term or terms of their minority or other disability; the said parcels of land having the areas and boundaries set forth in the Crown grants, certificates of title, and memorials of ownership affecting the same, and in the record maps in the office of the Surveyor-General.

## SCHEDULE.

Dates of Orders.	Judges by whom made.	Trustees hereby appointed.	Namos, Sex, and Age of Persons under Disability.	Lands in respect of which Trustees are appointed.	Derivation of Estate of <i>Cestui que Trust</i> .
1885. 22 July	John Edwin Macdonald and Richard John Gill	Rangituhia te Tewe and Moihite Kootu	To Naere te Kootu, f., 16 yrs.; Te Mata Kino te Kootu, f., 13 yrs.; Ria te Kootu, f., 11 yrs.; Pipi te Kootu, f., 9 yrs.; Akapita te Kootu, m., 8 yrs	Pukehou No. 4c, Otaki	Succession order for interest of Perenara te Tewe.
	Ditto	Rititia te Putu and Raureti te Putu	Pirihima te Putu, f., 15 yrs.	Pukehou No. 4f, Otaki	Succession order for interest of Mere Ta- niera.
		Ditto	Ditto	Pukehou No. 4g, Otaki	Ditto.
				Pukehou No. 5c, Otaki	
				Pukehou No. 4e, Sec- tion 3	
		Henari Roera	Kipa Roera, m., 17 yrs.	Muhunua No. 3a, Otaki	Succession order for interest of Te Roera Hukiki.
		Karanama te Wha- kaneke and Arihia Wekipitana	Hamahona Ruihi, m., 12 yrs.; Irena Ruihi, f., 10 yrs.; Tamihana Ruihi, m., 8 yrs.; Ka- ranama Ruihi, m., 6 yrs.; Te Rauoterangi, f., 5 yrs.	Pukehou No. 4d, Otaki	Succession order for in- terest of Pipi Ruihi.
		Natana te Hiwi and Akapita Tahita- ngata	Aneta Tahitangata, f., 16 yrs.; Tarei Tahita- ngata, m., 18 yrs.; Meropa te Raika, f., 7 yrs.	Pukehou No. 4b, Otaki	Succession order for interest of Haukema Rakaupahi.
		Ditto	Ditto	Ditto	Succession order for interest of Eru Tahit- tangata.
					Succession order for interest of Hoani Ta- hitangata.
				Pukekeraka No. 4b, Otaki	Ditto.
23 July		Ranginui te Pehe and Hipora Eruera	Eruera Tawhairao, m., 10 yrs.; Iwi Eruera, f., 3 yrs.	Himatangi No. 3, Otski	Succession order for interest of Eru te Whioi.
		Hema te Ao and Hipora Eruera	Ditto	Muhunua No. 1, Otaki	Succession order for interest of Eruera te Whioi.
		Hipora Eruera and Ranginui te Pehe		Ngakaroro	Ditto.
		Hipora Eruera and Hema te Ao		Ohanu No. 3, Otski	Ditto.
		Maaka Pukehi and Hohaia te Pokai- tera	Ringi te Kotua, m., 12 yrs.; Mate Paearo, f., 9 yrs.; Whakarau te Kotua, m., 7 yrs.	Tutaeparakete	Succession order for interest of Hemi Pae- aro.
		Ditto	Ditto	Takapuahia, Porirua	Ditto.
				Ramaroa, Porirua	Ditto.
		Natana te Hiwi and Akapita Tahita- ngata	Aneta Tahitangata, f., 16 yrs.; Tarei Tahita- ngata, m., 18 yrs.	Pukehou No. 4h, Otaki	Succession order for interest of Mere Whiua.
24 July		Raureti te Putu and Rititia te Putu	Pirihima te Putu, f., 18 yrs.	Pukehou No. 4g, Otski	Succession order for interest of Hohepa te Putu.
		Maaka Pukehe and Pene Koti	Ringi te Kotua, m., 12 yrs.; Mata te Kotua, f., 9 yrs.; Whakarau Hipirini, m., 7 yrs.	Takapuahia, Porirua	Succession order for interest of Hipirini te Kotua.
		Ditto	Ditto	Wairere, Porirua	Ditto.
25 July		Miriana Reone and Heira te Puhe	Tame Reone, m., 18 yrs.	Pukekeraka, Otaki	Succession order for interest of Hamuea Reone

*Vesting a Reserve in the Maitara Town Board.*

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,  
Governor.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eighth day of September, 1885.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto was reserved for a site for an athenæum: And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to vest the said land in the Maitara Town Board:

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 Maitara Town Board, in trust, for a site for an athenæum.

## SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Otago, situate in the Town of Maitara Bridge, being Sections Nos. 1 and 15, Block V., on the map of the said town, containing by admeasurement 1 rood 24 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the North-west by Wyndham Road, 205 links; towards the North-east by a street-line, 128.8 links; towards the South-east by Kana Street, 235 links; towards the South by Section No. 2, 116 links; and towards the South-west by Section No. 14, 116 links.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Temporarily reserving Lands in the Land Districts of Auckland, Hawke's Bay, Wellington, Canterbury, Otago, and Westland.*

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,  
Governor.

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

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

## SCHEDULE.

## AUCKLAND.

ALL that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 136 acres and 28 perches, more or less, called or known as Lot No. 419, Borough of Hamilton, Provincial District of Auckland. Bounded towards the North-east by the Town Belt and the crossing of a road, 100 links wide, 3436 links; towards the South-east by Clyde Street and the crossings of two roads, each 100 links wide, 3650 links; towards the South-west by Lot No. 20, 546 links; again towards the South-east by Lots Nos. 20 aforesaid, 19, and 18, 550 links; again towards the South-west by Firth Street 646 links, and by Lots Nos. 420 and 419 2344 links; thence towards the North-west by Lots Nos. 220, 223, 223A, and the crossing of a road, 100 links wide, 4200 links, to the point of commencement: intersected by two roads, each 100 links wide; be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As an endowment for secondary education.

Also Block XII., Maungatautari Survey District: Section No. 1, 60 acres 3 roods 35 perches; Section No. 3, 72 acres; Section No. 7, 240 acres 2 roods 16 perches; Section No. 10, 126 acres; Section No. 11, 208 acres; Section No. 12, 137 acres; Section No. 13, 276 acres; Section No. 14, 178 acres; Section No. 15, 154 acres; Section No. 16, 251 acres 3 roods 30 perches. Also Town of Hamilton West; Section No. 452, containing 28 perches; Sections Nos. 473 and 474, containing 2 roods 28 perches each. As an endowment for secondary education.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 22 acres 2 roods 32 perches, more or less, being Section No. 17 of Block IV., Opuahango Survey District. Bounded towards the East

by Section No. 10, 900 links; towards the South-east by the Maitara River; towards the South by Section No. 1, 2140 links; and towards the North-west by a road-line, 45, 476, 444, 343, 511, 264, and 1070 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. For a school site.

## HAWKE'S BAY.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, being Section No. 11A of Block V., Woodville Survey District (Bush Mills Special Settlement), and containing by admeasurement 13 acres 3 roods 33 perches. For a gravel reserve.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, being Section No. 21, Block V., Woodville Survey District (Bush Mills Special Settlement), and containing by admeasurement 4 acres. For a gravel reserve.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, being Section No. 21A, Block V., Woodville Survey District (Bush Mills Special Settlement), and containing by admeasurement 5 acres. For a school reserve.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, containing 23 acres 3 roods 10 perches, being Section No. 42, Block X (Victoria Special Settlement), Woodville Survey District. As a recreation-ground.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, containing 7 acres, being Section No. 43, Block X. (Victoria Special Settlement), Woodville Survey District. As a school site.

## WELLINGTON.

All that area in the County of Hutt, containing 6,500 acres, more or less, being parts of Belmont and Rimutaka Survey Districts. Bounded towards the North-east by land reserved for the Manawatu Railway and forest reserve; towards the South-east by forest reserve; towards the South-west by Crown land; and towards the North-west by J. Sinclair and others' selection of 640 acres, Sections Nos. 38 and 73, Block VIII., Rimutaka Survey District, land reserved for the Manawatu Railway, and Sections Nos. 282, 64, 66, 67, and 97, Block VIII., Rimutaka Survey District: as the same is delineated on the plan in the Survey Office, Wellington. For the growth and preservation of timber and for water-supply.

## CANTERBURY.

All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 220 acres 3 roods, more or less, being Section No. 2670 (in red), situate in the Westerfield Survey District. Bounded towards the North-east by Section No. 29852, 8351 links; towards the North-west by Sections Nos. 29851, 33101, and 32627, 4337 links; towards the South-west by the Upper Ashburton Railway-line, 8927 links; and towards the South-east by railway reserve, 933 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the District Survey Office, Christchurch. For a plantation.

All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 98 acres 3 roods, more or less, being Section No. 2671 (in red), situate in the Westerfield Survey District. Bounded towards the North-west by Section No. 29852, 4000 links; towards the North-east by Sections Nos. 28490 and 34633, 2490 links; towards the South-east by Section No. 34633, 3127 links; and towards the South-west by railway reserve 700 links, also by the Upper Ashburton Railway-line 2327 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the District Survey Office, Christchurch. For a plantation.

All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 81 acres 1 rood, more or less, being Section No. 2672 (in red), situate in the Westerfield Survey District. Bounded towards the North-west by a road-line, 2491 links; towards the North-east by Section No. 28492, 6562 links; and towards the South-west by the Upper Ashburton Railway-line, 6806 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the District Survey Office, Christchurch. For a plantation.

All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 126 acres 2 roods, more or less, being Section No. 2673 (in red), situate in the Westerfield Survey District. Bounded towards the North-west by Reserve No. 2075 (in red), Sections Nos. 32584 and 28492, 7683 links; towards the North-east by the Upper Ashburton Railway-line, 1679 links; towards the South-east by Section No. 32999 4053 links, and by Section No. 32998 4000 links; and towards the South-west by a road-line 1503 links, also by Section No. 32998 261 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the District Survey Office, Christchurch. For a plantation.

All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 242 acres 1 rood, more or less, being Section No. 2674 (in red), situate in the Westerfield Survey District. Bounded towards the North-



east by a road-line 5873 links, also by Section No. 28495 1936 links; towards the South-east by Section No. 28495 4000 links, also by Sections Nos. 28515 and 34629 3595 links; towards the South-west by a road-line, 9439 links; and towards the North-west by a road-line, 123 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the District Survey Office, Christchurch. For a plantation.

All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 32 perches, more or less, being Section No. 2675 (in red), situate in the Township of Geraldine, Geraldine Survey District. Bounded towards the North-west by Talbot Street, 450 links; towards the North by Reserve No. 421 (in red); towards the South-east by the continuation of the terrace forming the north-eastern and south-eastern boundaries of said reserve; and towards the South-west by Reserve No. 1373 (in red), 95 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the District Survey Office, Christchurch. For an extension of site for drill-shed.

All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 22 acres 1 rood 4 perches, more or less, being Section No. 2676 (in red), situate in the Oxford and Kowai Survey Districts. Bounded towards the North-west by a road-line, 5347 links; towards the North-east by a road-line, 400 links; towards the South-east by a road-line, 5510 links; and towards the South-west by a road along the northern bank of the River Hawkins, 400 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the District Survey Office, Christchurch. For a plantation.

All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 5 acres 1 rood 13 perches, more or less, being Section No. 2677 (in red), situate in the Oxford Survey District. Bounded towards the North-west by a road-line, 502 links; towards the North-east by a line bearing 127° 38', 1075 links; towards the South-east by Lot No. 15, subdivision of Reserve No. 424 (in red), 500 links; and towards the South-west by Lot No. 16, subdivision of said reserve, and also by a road-line, 1100 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the District Survey Office, Christchurch. For a plantation.

#### OTAGO.

All that parcel of land in the County of Lake containing by admeasurement 30 acres and 18 perches, more or less, being Section No. 7, Block III., Kawarau Survey District. For a plantation.

#### WESTLAND.

All that parcel of land containing 5 acres, more or less, being Reserve No. 258 (in red) on the map of the Town of Dobson, Block X., Arnold Survey District. Bounded towards the North-west by Omapere Street, 1000 links; towards the North-east by Maori Street, 500 links; towards the South-east by Mawhera Street, 1000 links; and towards the South-west by Herald Street, 500 links. For a recreation-ground.

All that parcel of land containing 2 acres, more or less, being Reserve No. 259 (in red) on the map of the Town of Dobson, Block X., Arnold Survey District. Bounded towards the North-west by Omapere Street, 400 links; towards the North-east by Herald Street, 500 links; towards the South-east by Mawhera Street, 400 links; and towards the South-west by Sections Nos. 107 and 96, 500 links. For a school site.

All that parcel of land containing 1 acre, more or less, being Reserve No. 260 (in red) on the map of the Town of Dobson, Block X., Arnold Survey District. Bounded towards the North-west by Mawhera Street, 400 links; towards the North-east by Herald Street, 250 links; towards the South-east, 400 links, and South-west, 250 links, by other part of Coal Reserve No. 274. For a school site.

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

J. BALLANCE,  
Minister of Lands.

#### Vesting Reserves in the Town of Maitaura.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,  
Governor.

WHEREAS by section thirty-eight of "The Land Act 1877 Amendment Act, 1884," it is provided that the reserves to be made for any borough or town district under such section shall be made only in cases where no such reserves for the purpose of sections three, five, and six of "The Plans of Towns Regulation Act, 1875," exist therein, or, if existing, do not equal or exceed the amount of reserves authorized to be made under such last-mentioned Act:

And whereas the existing reserves for the Town of Maitaura do not equal the amount of reserves authorized to be made under "The Plans of Towns Regulation Act, 1875," and it appears expedient to make the reserves hereinafter mentioned:

Now, therefore, I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon me by the thirty-seventh and thirty-eighth sections of "The Land Act 1877 Amendment Act, 1884," and of all other powers enabling me in this behalf, do hereby declare that the lands enumerated in the first column of the Schedule hereto shall be and the same are hereby reserved for the purpose stated opposite to the description of such lands in the second column hereto, for the benefit of the Town of Maitaura, as constituted under the provisions of "The Town Districts Act, 1881," on the twenty-fourth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

#### SCHEDULE.

First Column.	Second Column.
TOWN OF MATAURA. Sections 9 to 13, Block XI., containing 1 acre and 33 perches. Sections 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, Block XII., containing 1 acre 1 rood 5 perches.	Endowment in aid of the Town Board funds.
TOWN OF MATAURA BRIDGE. Section 5, Block XVI., containing 2 acres.	

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

J. BALLANCE,  
Minister of Lands.

#### Conditions for Trout-fishing in Lakes District.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,  
Governor.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by "The Salmon and Trout Act, 1867," and "The Salmon and Trout Act 1867 Amendment Act, 1884," His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand doth hereby make the following regulations for the County of Lake :-

1. Any holder of a license may fish with rod and line for trout in all the rivers, streams, and waters into which trout have been placed within and forming the boundaries of the County of Lake, from the first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, to the thirty-first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, both inclusive.

2. Licenses to fish in the above-described district will be issued under the hand of the Secretary of the Lakes District Acclimatisation Society, at Oenestown, and for every license a fee of twenty shillings will be charged.

3. No license shall authorize any person other than the person named therein to fish, and that only with rod and line, end between the hours of midnight on Sunday and midnight on Saturday in each week.

4. Any person fishing without a license, or any person who shall, on demand of any person holding and showing a license, or on the demand of any ranger, police officer, or constable, fail to Produce and show to such person, ranger, police officer, or constable his license, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds.

5. All trout not exceeding eight inches in length, taken by any person fishing as aforesaid, shall be immediately returned alive to the water, and any person convicted of infringing this regulation shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds sterling, and his license shall thereupon become void.

6. Except as aforesaid, no person shall fish or use any net or other engine, instrument, or device for taking fish in any river or stream within the above-described district; and all persons offending against this regulation shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds.

7. Any person who puts, throws, or places, or allows to be put, thrown, or placed, into any river or stream in the said district, any dynamite or other explosive substance or any matter or liquid deleterious to fish, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY,



*Authorizing Sale of Reserves by the Manawatu Road Board.*

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,  
Governor.

BY virtue of the power and authority conferred upon me by "The Special Powers and Contracts Act, 1884," I, William Francis Drummond Jervis, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby authorize the Manawatu Road Board to sell by public tender the gravel reserves, being parts one and two of Section number four hundred and forty-eight, Manawatu Survey District, containing respectively sixteen acres three roods thirty-one perches and six acres; also Section number four hundred and thirty-eight, in the same survey district, containing three acres.

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

J. BALLANCE,  
Minister of Lands.

*Returning Officers, &c., County of Ohinemuri, appointed.*

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

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

THOMAS EDWARD SHAW

to be the person to prepare new electoral rolls for the new County of Ohinemuri; also to appoint the under-mentioned persons to be Returning Officers to conduct the first elections of Councillors for the ridings of the said county:—

*For the Waitekauri Riding.*

ROBERT REID.

*For the Karangahake Riding.*

JOHN PHILLIPS.

*For the Paeroa Riding.*

FRANCIS LIPSEY.

*For the Waitoa Riding.*

CHARLES JOHN DEARLE.

Also to appoint Saturday, the 17th October, 1885, to be the day for holding such first elections; and also to appoint Tuesday, the 20th October, 1885, at noon, to be the time, and the Public Hall, Paeroa, to be the place, for holding the first meeting of the Council of the said county.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

*Returning Officers, &c., County of Patangata, appointed.*

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

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ALEXANDER ST. CLAIR INGLIS

to be the person to prepare new electoral rolls for the new County of Patangata; also to appoint the said

ALEXANDER ST. CLAIR INGLIS

to be the Returning Officer to conduct the first elections of Councillors for the Ridings of Patangata, Oero, and Tamumu, in the said county; and also to appoint

MICHAEL CROPP

to be the Returning Officer to conduct the said elections for the Ridings of Eparaima and Porangahau. Also to appoint Saturday, the 17th October, 1885, to be the day on or before which the said elections shall be held; and also to appoint Saturday, the 24th October, 1885, at noon, to be the time, and the Public Hall, Waipukurau, to be the place, for the first meeting of the Council of the said county.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

*Public Vaccinator, Opotiki District, appointed.*

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

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ISAAC WILLIAM DALZELL, Esq., L.R.C.P. Edin.,

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

*Ranger under "Animals Protection Act, 1880," Canterbury, appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 7th September, 1885.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ALEXANDER MOLLRAITH

to be a Ranger under "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," for the Canterbury District.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

*Clerk of Resident Magistrate's Court, &c., appointed.*

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

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES ROLAND COLYER

to be Clerk of the Resident Magistrate's Court at South Rakaiia, and Clerk of the Licensing Committees for the Districts of South Rakaiia and Mount Hutt, *vice* Arthur Makeig, resigned.

Jos. A. TOLE.

*Member of Licensing Committee appointed.*

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

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ARTHUR VAUGHAN KIRKBY

to be a Member of the Licensing Committee for the District of Opunake, *vice* E. J. Allen, resigned.

Jos. A. TOLE.

*Interpreter licensed.*

Native Office,  
Wellington, 3rd September, 1885.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to license

EDWARD KENNY,

of Picton, to act as an Interpreter under "The Native Land Court Act, 1880."

J. BALLANCE.

*Appointment in the Survey Department.*

General Survey Office,  
Wellington, 26th August, 1885.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

CHARLES WILLIAM ADAMS, Esq.,

to be Chief Surveyor of the Otago Provincial District, *vice* William Arthur, Esq., deceased. The appointment to date from the 1st September, 1885.

J. BALLANCE,  
Minister of Lands.

*Agent of Public Trustee appointed.*

Public Trust Office,  
Wellington, 8th September, 1885.

IT is hereby notified for general information that

ROOPE BROOKING, Esq.,

has been appointed an Agent of the Public Trustee at Napier, *vice* Thomas Scully, Esq., resigned.

R. C. HAMERTON,  
Public Trustee.

*Letters of Naturalisation issued.*

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

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

Name.	Occupation.	Residence.
Ah Wing .. ..	Miner ..	Round Hill Orepuki.
Wilhelm Carl Louis Demel	Merchant ..	Dunedin.
Gustav John Friedrich Lublow	Tailor ..	Ashburton.
Henric Gustav Wilhelm Silvius	Telegraphist ..	Kekerangu.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

*Additional Office at which Franklin North Electoral Roll can be inspected.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 7th September, 1885.

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

The POST OFFICE, OTAHUHU,  
to be an office at which the Franklin North Electoral Roll can be inspected.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

*Date for First Meeting of Council of County of Taranaki extended.*

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

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to extend the date for holding the first meeting of the newly elected Council of the County of Taranaki from Saturday, the 12th September, 1885, at 2 o'clock p.m., to Monday, the 12th October, 1885, at 2 o'clock p.m. The place of meeting to be the office of the Taranaki County Council, New Plymouth.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

*Arrangements for First Elections, Town District of Danevirke, County of Waipawa.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 7th September, 1885.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN MIDDLETON NELSON

to be the Returning Officer to conduct the first elections of five Commissioners for the Town District of Danevirke, as constituted under "The Town Districts Act, 1881;" also to appoint Saturday, the 10th day of October, 1885, to be the time, and the Schoolhouse, Danevirke, to be the place, for holding such first elections; also to appoint Saturday, the 17th day of October, 1885, at noon, to be the time, and the office of Duncan McCallum, Danevirke, to be the place, for the first meeting of the Commissioners of the said town district.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

*Application for Registration of a Trade Mark.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 25th August, 1885.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that AUGUSTUS F. DES VEAUX, of Christchurch, in the Colony of New Zealand, Patent Agent, has applied, on behalf of NINTAN HYSLOP AND COMPANY, of Cashel Street, Christchurch, in the said colony, Tea Merchants, to register, under "The Trade Marks Act, 1866," the trade mark of which the following is a description, viz. :—

*Description of Trade Mark.*

A device or figure of a tea bush, above which are the words "Pure Indian Teas," below it the word "Registered," on the left-hand side of it the words "Hyslop's Tea Bush," and on the right-hand side of it the words "Trade Mark."

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

Tea.

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

*Bonus for Kerosene.*

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

**N**OTICE 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.

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

Mines Department,  
Wellington, 16th March, 1885.

**R**EWARDS 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.

**O**NE 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."*

**W**HEREAS 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 Tangatakinu, 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 Mariners, No. 32 of 1885.

EAST CAPE ISLET, NORTH ISLAND.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, N.Z., 3rd September, 1885.

OWING to several casualties to vessels having occurred in the vicinity of East Cape, the attention of masters of vessels is specially called to the under-mentioned directions in "The New Zealand Pilot," viz. :—

"There is a channel nearly one mile wide between the cape and the islet, but, as the winds here are liable to die away suddenly, leaving a vessel at the mercy of the tides and swell, it cannot be recommended. There are several shoal patches off East Cape, which, together with the strong tides, make the passage between the cape and the islet not a desirable one. A shoal patch, with  $3\frac{1}{2}$  fathoms water on it, on which the sea would break in heavy weather, lies off the north-east point of the cape, about two-thirds of a mile; this is the line of breakers reported by H.M.S. 'Eclipse' in 1864. There is another patch, nearly a mile S.E.  $\frac{3}{4}$  S. of the former, with  $2\frac{1}{2}$  fathoms water on it, at the entrance to the passage between East Cape and the islet."

Masters are advised to avoid the passage between the islet and the mainland as unsafe.

W. J. 41. LARNACH.

Notice to Mariners, No. 33 of 1885.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 4th September, 1885.

THE following Notices to Mariners, received from the Hydrographer to the United States Hydrographic Office, and the Portmaster, Brisbane, are published for general information.

W. J. M. LARNACH.

"SOUTH AMERICA PILOT," PART II., SUPPLEMENT, 1885.

Notice No. 2.

MAGELLAN STRAITS: SANDY POINT LIGHTS.—Sandy Point Road is lighted by—

1. A fixed white light, elevated 26 feet above the sea, and visible ten miles, at the end of the new pier.

2. A fixed white light, elevated 78 feet above the sea, and visible three miles, on the blockhouse.

3. A fixed red light, elevated 68 feet above the sea, and visible three miles, showing from a position to seaward of the blockhouse. These two lights in line lead a quarter mile eastward of the wreck of the "Doterel."

By order of the Bureau of Navigation.

J. R. BARTLETT,  
Commander, U.S.N., Hydrographer.

Washington, D. C., 17th July, 1885.

SUNKEN REEF OFF ACHERON ISLAND, HALIFAX BAY.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sunken reef extends W.S.W. to a distance of one-third of a mile from the west end of Acheron Island.

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

Department of Ports and Harbours,  
Brisbane, 11th August, 1885.

GUADALCANAR, SOLOMON ISLANDS.—SUNKEN ROCK IN POPAU HARBOUR.

NOTICE is hereby given that a rock, upon which there is a depth of 9 feet at low water, is reported by Mr. Robertson, master of the "Flora," to lie  $6\frac{3}{4}$  cables N. by E.  $\frac{1}{4}$  E. from the south-west point of Popau Harbour.

Vessels entering the harbour, which affords facilities for obtaining wood and water, must, with south-easterly winds, be careful to haul close up round the reef off the S.W. point, and anchor as near to the shore at the S.E. end of the bay as practicable.

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

Department of Ports and Harbours,  
Brisbane, 16th August, 1885.

Report of Court of Inquiry into Stranding of s.s. "Ino" confirmed.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 7th September, 1885.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to confirm the following report of the Court of Inquiry into the stranding of the s.s. "Ino," whereby the New Zealand Certificate of Competency as Master Ordinary, No. 312, held by James Anderson, the mate of the vessel, is suspended for two months from the 25th August, 1885. The casualty occurred at Waikawa Bay on the 18th July last.

W. J. M. LARNACH.

1. THAT the mate, James Anderson, who holds a certificate of competency, issued at Wellington, New Zealand, and numbered 312, was ignorant of the vessel's position long previous to the vessel stranding.

2. That he showed ignorance of, or a neglect of due consideration of, the action of the tide on the vessel when he altered the course from west-south-west to west by north.

3. That he neglected the ordinary precaution of examining the compass from time to time to ascertain whether the vessel was steered the course he gave to the helmsman; and when the fog came on, and he ordered the course to be changed, to keep the vessel off the land and thus out of danger, from west by north to west-south-west, he was especially negligent in not looking at the compass to see whether the new course was made and kept.

4. The evidence leaves no doubt in our minds that the course last given was not kept, and this was the direct cause of the vessel being stranded. If the mate had observed the common precaution of checking the vessel's steering, it is doubtless she would have kept out of the danger she was actually steered into.

5. The evidence shows that the vessel's reckoning was kept by the master in a very unskilled and careless manner, that is, by observation of the land when practicable, and the estimated speed of the engines when not so. No log was used to ascertain the distance run, and no chart appears to have been consulted when the mate found himself uncertain of the vessel's position, and no lead was used when the fog set in.

This appears to have been the ordinary manner of navigating the vessel, and, although not the direct cause of the vessel stranding, careless navigation by the master would tend to careless navigation by those under him. We are of opinion that the master, Peter Andrew Lyders, is deserving of censure for not navigating his vessel with more care.

The certificate of the mate, James Anderson, to whose negligence and careless performance of his duties the stranding of the vessel is directly attributable, is suspended for two calendar months.

Given under my hand this twenty-fifth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, at Dunedin, New Zealand.

E. H. CAREW,  
Resident Magistrate.

I concur in the above report.

WM. THOMSON,  
Nautical Assessor.

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 Whakakatika 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 Momi o Niu Tirenī, 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 roo 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 12 o nga ra o Hepetema, 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  
o utua ai nga Moni Reiti.

Kamihera o te Kaute o Kaikoura, Kaikoura.

He mea tuhi nei toku ingoa i tenei te 8 o nga ra o  
Hepeitema, 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 under-  
signed 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 12th day of September, 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.
Kaikoura County Council	Kaikoura.

As witness my hand this eighth day of September,  
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 addi-  
tions to the scale of charges, to come into force on and  
after the 14th day of September, 1885:—

PART IV.—LOCAL RATES.

WANGANUI SECTION.

Water pipes, cast iron, will be charged at classified rates  
for Class D.

HURUNUI-BLUFF SECTION.

Storage at Lyttelton Station. s. d.

For all goods of Class E not taken delivery of by the consignees within five working hours after arrival, and kept in the railway wagons or stored at the risk of the owner, and, at the option of the department, for receiving and delivering to the ship and storage thereon, for the first week or fraction of a week, at per ton or fraction of a ton	2 6
For each additional week or fraction of a week, up to the seventh week inclusive, for each ton or fraction of a ton	0 2
For each additional week or fraction of a week, for each ton or fraction of a ton	0 1

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

EDWARD RICHARDSON,  
Minister for Public Works.

Notice of Intention to take Land for a Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the  
provisions of "the Public Works Act, 1882," to  
execute a certain public work, to wit, the construction of a  
road through Section No. 5295, Block IV., Waitaki Survey  
District, in the County of Waimate, and for the purposes of

such public work the lands described in the Schedule hereto  
are required to be taken; and notice is further given that  
the plans of the said road, and of the lands so required to be  
taken, are deposited in the Survey Office, Timaru, and the  
Public Works Office, Wellington, and are there open for  
inspection: And notice is hereby given that all persons  
affected by the execution of the said public work or by  
the taking of the said lands shall, if they have any well-  
grounded objections to the execution of the said public  
work or to the taking of such lands, set forth the same in  
writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the  
first publication of this notice, to the Minister for Public  
Works, Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

THE parcel of land mentioned in list hereunder:—

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land required to be taken.	Being Part of Section No.	Situated in Block No.	Name of Survey District.	Situated in the County of
A. R. P. 0 1 32	5295	IV.	Waitaki	Waimate.

In the Provincial District of Canterbury; as the same is  
more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D.  
13444, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public  
Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wel-  
lington, and thereon coloured red.

EDWARD RICHARDSON,  
Minister for Public Works.

Notice of Intention to take Land for a Road in the Kai-  
tuna District, Pelorus Road District, Provincial District  
of Marlborough.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the  
provisions of "The Public Works Act, 1882," to  
execute a certain public work, to wit, the construction of a  
road in Kaituna District, Pelorus Road District, in the  
County of Marlborough, and for the purposes of such public  
work the land described in the Schedule hereto is required  
to be taken; and notice is further given that the plan of  
the said road, and of the land so required to be taken, is  
deposited in the Post Office at Havelock, and is there open  
for inspection: And notice is hereby given that all persons  
affected by the execution of the said public work or by  
the taking of the said land shall, if they have any well-  
grounded objections to the execution of the said public  
work or to the taking of such land, set forth the same in  
writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the  
first publication of this notice, to the Minister for Public  
Works, Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

THE parcel of land mentioned in list hereunder:—

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land required to be taken.	Portion of Section No.	Crown-grant District.	On map of Survey District of
A. R. P. 3 1 34	32 of Sq. 22	Kaituna Valley	Onamalutu.

In the Provincial District of Marlborough; as the same  
is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D.  
13351, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public  
Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wel-  
lington, and thereon coloured pink.

Given under my hand this twenty-ninth day of August,  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

EDWARD RICHARDSON,  
Minister for Public Works.

Tenders for Inland Mail Services.

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

SEPARATE tenders will be received at the several Chief  
Post Offices in the colony until Saturday, the 10th  
October proximo, for the conveyance of mails between the  
under-mentioned places, for a period of one and also for  
two years from the 1st January, 1886.

POSTAL DISTRICT OF WANGANUI.

1. Hawera and Opunake, daily.
2. Normanby and Opunake, via Okaiawa, daily.

POSTAL DISTRICT OF WELLINGTON.

- \*1. Masterton and Woodville, thrice weekly.
- \*2. Masterton and Woodville, daily.
- \*3. Palmerston and Takoraita, daily.
- \*4. Wellington and Foxton, daily.

POSTAL DISTRICT OF WESTPORT.

- 1. Ngukawau and Seatonville (Mokihinui Reefs), *via* Sweets, weekly.

POSTAL DISTRICT OF DUNEDIN.

- 1. Cromwell and Bendigo, weekly.
- 2. Cromwell and Pembroke, *via* Bendigo and Hawea Flat, weekly.
- 3. Cromwell and Pembroke, *via* Luggate, weekly.
- 4. Cromwell and Queenstown, thrice weekly.
- 5. Lawrence and Cromwell, thrice weekly.
- 6. Naseby and Clyde, *via* St. Bathans and Cambrian, twice weekly.
- 7. Palmerston and Naseby, *via* Macrae's Flat and Hyde, weekly.
- 8. Palmerston and Naseby, *via* Waihemo, twice weekly.

The attention of intending tenderers is directed to the following clause of the terms and conditions of contract printed at the back of the tender-forms: "The days and hours of arrival and departure to be fixed from time to time as the Postmaster-General may direct. For services performed by coach, no stage shall exceed twelve miles, except by special permission from the Postmaster-General, who shall determine whether or not longer stages are unavoidable."

Contractors whose tenders may be accepted must be prepared to carry out the services for which they tender according to the time-tables framed by the department.

Forms of tender, with the terms and conditions of contract, may be procured at any post office.

No tender will be considered unless made on the printed form.

Tenders, indorsed "Tender for Mail Service, No. \_\_\_\_\_," to be addressed to the Postmaster-General, Wellington, and enclosed to the Chief Postmaster of the postal district to which the tender may specially refer.

\* Services may be affected by railway extension, and subject to a mileage reduction, or may be terminated by the Postmaster-General on his giving one month's notice in writing.

W. GRAY,  
Secretary.

Tenders.

Railway Department,  
Wellington, 8th September, 1885.

THE following successful and unsuccessful tenders for supply and delivery of ironbark timber for the Hurunui-Bluff Railway are published for general information.

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

Place of Delivery.	Tenderer.	Rate.
Lyttelton	<i>Accepted.</i> Dunedin Iron and Woodware Co.	Hewn timber, 23s. 10d. per 100 sup. ft.
	<i>Declined.</i> James Fox .. W. H. Hargreaves	Hewn timber, 24s. per 100 sup. ft. Hewn timber, 23s. 4d. per 100 sup. ft.
Dunedin	<i>Accepted.</i> James Fox ..	Hewn timber, 24s. per 100 sup. ft.
	<i>Declined.</i> Dunedin Iron and Woodware Co.	Hewn timber, 24s. 10d. per 100 sup. ft.
Bluff	<i>Accepted.</i> James Fox ..	Hewn timber, 25s. per 100 sup. ft.; piles, 2s. 8d. per lin. ft.
	<i>Declined.</i> Dunedin Iron and Woodware Co. A. Tapper ..	Hewn timber, 25s. 10d. per 100 sup. ft.; piles, 2s. 11d. to 3s. 2d. per lin. ft. Hewn timber, 26s. 11d. per 100 sup. ft.; piles, 2s. 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. per lin. ft.

Road Board Elections.

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

Mangawai Road District, County of Rodney:  
William Bond.

Thomas Fyfe.  
Ngairu Road District, County of Hawera:  
Patrick Fitzpatrick.

Pangatotara Road District, County of Waimea:  
George Rose.

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

Property-Tax Office,  
Wellington, 1st September, 1885.

IN accordance with the above Acts, public notice is hereby given that the 21st day of October next is the time, and my office, Government Buildings, Wellington, is the place, at which all persons in the colony are required to furnish statements of all real and personal property belonging to them, in accordance with the said Acts.

J. SPERREY,  
Property-Tax Commissioner.

N.B.—Forms of statement will be delivered by Assessors as far as practicable, but, as the duty of procuring such forms is cast upon the public, no person is excused from neglecting to provide himself therewith.

Forms may be obtained from any Postmaster, or from the local Assessor.

Application for a Patent.

Patent Office,  
Wellington, 3rd September, 1885.

PATENT for an Improved Machine for extracting Ores or Metals from Metalliferous Material.

CARL WAGEMANN, of Melbourne, Victoria, Civil Engineer, temporarily residing at Brisbane, Queensland, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Thursday, the 19th day of November next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at this office, to hear the said application and all objections thereto; and I require all persons having an interest in opposing the grant of such Letters Patent to leave, on or before the 4th day of November next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

C. J. A. HASELDEN,  
Patent Officer.  
No. 1537.

Application for a Patent.

Patent Office,  
Wellington, 4th September, 1885.

PATENT for Improvements in Apparatus for making Cheese.

Ironmonger, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Thursday, the 26th day of November next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at this office, to hear the said application and all objections thereto; and I require all persons having an interest in opposing the grant of such Letters Patent to leave, on or before the 11th day of November next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

C. J. A. HASELDEN,  
Patent Officer.  
No. 1538.

Application for a Patent.

Patent Office,  
Wellington, 5th September, 1885.

PATENT for Armstrong's Unfailing Pneumatic Gripper.

WALTER ARMSTRONG, of Wanganui, New Zealand, Machinist, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Thursday, the 26th day of November next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at this office, to hear the said application and all objections thereto; and I require all persons having an interest in opposing the grant of such Letters Patent to leave, on or before the 11th day of November next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

C. J. A. HASELDEN,  
Patent Officer.  
No. 1539.

*Application for a Patent.*

Patent Office,  
Wellington, 5th September, 1885.

**P**ATENT for a Graving Dock.  
DANIEL CLIMIE, of Wellington, New Zealand, Civil Engineer, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Thursday, the 26th day of November next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at this office, to hear the said application and all objections thereto; and I require all persons having an interest in opposing the grant of such Letters Patent to leave, on or before the 11th day of November next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

C. J. A. HASELDEN,  
Patent Officer.

No. 1540.

*Application for a Patent.*

Patent Office,  
Wellington, 7th September, 1885.

**P**ATENT for an Underground Draining-plough.  
ROBERT COCKERELL, of Invercargill, New Zealand, Blacksmith, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Thursday, the 26th day of November next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at this office, to hear the said application and all objections thereto; and I require all persons having an interest in opposing the grant of such Letters Patent to leave, on or before the 11th day of November next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

C. J. A. HASELDEN,  
Patent Officer.

No. 1541.

*Application for a Patent.*

Patent Office,  
Wellington, 9th September, 1885.

**P**ATENT for an Incubator, to be called "Francis's Patent Automatic Incubator."

HENRY WILLIAM FRANCIS, of Archhill, Auckland, New Zealand, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Tuesday, the 1st day of December 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 16th day of November next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

C. J. A. HASELDEN,  
Patent Officer.

No. 1542.

*Application for a Patent.*

Patent Office,  
Wellington, 9th September, 1885.

**P**ATENT for Perfect Self-adjusting Lead-headed Nails.

HENRY DAVENPORT, of Wellington, New Zealand, Plumber and Gasfitter, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Tuesday, the 1st day of December 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 16th day of November next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

C. J. A. HASELDEN,  
Patent Officer.

No. 1543.

*Application for a Patent.*

Patent Office,  
Wellington, 9th September, 1885.

**P**ATENT for the Manufacture of News-paper, White and Coloured Printing-paper, and Compressed Paper Goods, from native grasses, straw, or wood, together with the process in connection therewith.

FRANK JOSEPH NOBLE, of Timaru, New Zealand, Paper-makers' Engineer, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Tuesday, the 1st day of December 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 16th day of November next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

C. J. A. HASELDEN,  
Patent Officer.

No. 1544.

*Application for a Patent.*

Patent Office,  
Wellington, 9th September, 1885.

**P**ATENT for an Invention for a Combination of Asphaltum, Naphtha as a Solvent, and Oxide of Metals, and Sandstone or any Calcareous Substances.

WILLIAM BAMBRIDGE McCLURE, of Sydney, New South Wales, Manufacturer, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Tuesday, the 1st day of December 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 16th day of November next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

C. J. A. HASELDEN,  
Patent Officer.

No. 1545.

**Crown Lands Notices.**

*Sale of Crown Lands, Marlborough.*

Crown Lands Office,  
Blenheim, 28th August, 1885.

**T**HE Marlborough Land Board notifies that at noon on Tuesday, the 6th October, 1885, at the Survey Office, Blenheim, the under-mentioned sections of land will be offered for sale by auction for cash, and a license of the run under mentioned will also be offered by public auction, at the upset prices and rent respectively hereinafter set forth:—

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.	Cost of Survey.	Value of Improvements.
<b>RURAL LAND.</b>					
<i>Queen Charlotte Sound.</i>					
..	151	A. R. P. £ s. d. 35 0 13	£ s. d. 35 1 8	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..
<i>Kaikoura.</i>					
..	Part of 95	36 0 24	36 3 0	..	..
..	Part of 87	25 0 0	25 0 0	..	..
..	88	45 0 0	45 0 0	..	..
<b>PASTURE LAND.</b>					
<i>Cloudy Bay Survey District.</i>					
VI.	2	233 0	36,116 12 3	23 6 0*	..
<i>Whernside Survey District</i>					
(Under Section 90, Marlborough Waste Lands Act, 1867.)					
II.	1	890 0	0 440 0	0 25 6 0	40 0 0*
"	2	857 3	37 444 0	0 25 10 7	43 15 0*
III.	1	1,048 0	0 524 0	0 30 2 7	62 10 0*
"	2	1,050 0	0 525 0	0 30 3 9	161 5 0*

\*. Should any one but applicants become the purchasers, the cost of survey and value of improvements must be paid at the auction, to be handed to applicants.

Sections 1 and 2, Block II., and Sections 1 and 2, Block III., are pastoral country, limestone formation, 1,500 to 3,000 feet above the sea, hills steep, soil good, covered with tussocks and some native grass. Would take grass well by surface sowing, accessible by bridle-track only.

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

Run to be let under license, under "The Land Act, 1877," and amendments thereof, 1879, 1882, 1884:—

The Glenfield Run, situate in Kaituna Valley, Cloudy Bay Survey District; approximate area, 560 acres; upset annual rent, 1d. per acre. Term, ten years. There must be paid at the auction rent at the rate of the highest price bid from date of auction to the 1st March, 1886, and £3 for the license.

Plans can be seen, and further particulars obtained, at this office.

HENRY G. CLARK,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Sale of Town, Suburban, and Rural Lands, Auckland.*

Crown Lands Office,  
Auckland, 1st September, 1885.

**I** HEREBY notify that the town, suburban, and rural lands mentioned in the Schedule hereunder will be offered for sale by public auction, at this office, on Tuesday,

the 13th October, 1885, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

D. A. TOLE,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

SCHEDULE.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
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EDEN COUNTY.

Township of Wolesley (near Avondale).

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
1A	0 1 0	7 10 0
2A	0 1 0	7 10 0
4A	0 1 0	7 10 0
6	0 1 0	7 10 0
7	0 1 0	7 10 0
8	0 1 0	7 10 0
9	0 1 0	7 10 0
10	0 1 0	7 10 0
11	0 1 0	7 10 0
12	0 1 0	7 10 0
13	0 1 0	7 10 0
14	0 1 0	7 10 0
16	0 1 0	7 10 0
18	0 1 0	7 10 0
19	0 1 0	7 10 0
20	0 1 0	7 10 0
21	0 1 0	7 10 0
22	0 2 16	18 0 0
23	0 2 16	18 0 0
24	0 2 16	18 0 0
25	0 2 18	18 7 6
26	0 2 16	18 0 0
27	0 2 16	18 0 0
28	0 2 16	18 0 0
29	0 2 3	15 11 3
30	0 1 30	19 2 6
31	0 2 1	15 9 9
34	0 2 15	17 16 3
36	0 1 22	11 12 6
37	0 2 0	15 0 0
38	0 2 0	15 0 0
39	0 2 0	15 0 0
40	0 2 0	15 0 0
44	0 2 0	15 0 0
46	0 2 0	15 0 0
47	0 2 0	15 0 0
48	0 2 0	15 0 0
49	0 2 0	15 0 0
50	0 2 0	15 0 0
51	0 2 0	15 0 0
52	0 1 27	12 11 3
53	0 1 27	12 11 3
54	0 1 27	12 11 3
57	0 1 27	12 11 3
59	0 1 30	13 2 6
59	0 1 30	13 2 6
60	0 2 0	15 0 0
61	0 2 0	15 0 0
62	0 2 0	15 0 0
63	0 2 0	15 0 0
64	0 2 0	15 0 0
65	0 2 0	15 0 0
66	0 1 27	12 11 3
67	0 1 27	12 11 3
68	0 2 0	15 0 0
69	0 2 0	15 0 0
70	0 2 0	15 0 0
71	0 2 0	15 0 0
72	0 2 0	15 0 0
73	0 2 0	15 0 0
74	0 1 27	12 11 3
75	0 1 27	12 11 3
76	2 0 9	61 13 9

WAIPA COUNTY.

Town of Hamilton West.

47	0 3 17	500 0 0
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Town of Te Rore.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
III.	1	A. R. P. 0 1 0	£ s. d. 7 10 0

MANUKAU COUNTY.

Section.	Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
<i>Town of Howick.</i>			
1	6	A. R. P. 0 0 13	£ s. d. 2 8 9
Lot	Area.		Upset Price.

Suburbs of Weymouth.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
5	5 1 2	20 11 0
7	6 2 39	20 12 6
8	7 3 35	23 18 0
11	3 3 35	15 17 6
13		
14		
15	22 2 30	68 1 3
16		
17		
23	11 1 0	33 15 0
25	8 1 20	33 10 0
30	10 2 0	31 10 0
32	22 1 16	90 8 0
33	13 3 35	42 8 3
34	21 2 29	65 0 0
35	16 0 8	48 3 0

EDEN COUNTY.

Parish of Waikomiti (Avondale South).

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
305	3 3 36	19 17 6
310	2 3 13	11 6 6
311	3 3 18	15 9 0
317	1 0 29	7 1 9
320	3 2 11	17 17 0
321	1 1 37	7 3 6
322	1 1 4	7 13 0
344	3 0 10	15 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
351	0 3 20	5 5 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

Description of Land.—Open land.

WAITEMATA COUNTY.

Parish of Takapuna.

213	25 3 19	52 0 0
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Description of Land.—All open, slightly undulating, fronting Northcote and Lucas Creek main road.

Parish of Paremoremo.

163	831 0 0	690 10 0
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Description of Land.—About 400 acres forest, containing about 500,000 feet of kauri, remainder open land, very broken, situated close to Waikoukou, and on main road riverhead to Helensville.

Parish of Waipareira.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
28A	13 2 0	27 0 0
160	32 1 8	66 18 0
161	53 0 8	99 3 0
162	10 2 16	31 16 0

Description of Land.—Open fern land, undulating, access by road, and close to Swanson Railway Station.

COROMANDEL COUNTY.

Harataunga Survey District (Cabbage Bay).

	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
III.	1	A. R. P. 322 0 0	£ s. d. 80 10 0
	2	520 0 0	235 0 0
	3	235 0 0	108 15 0
	4	232 0 0	433 0 0
V.	5	176 0 0	44 0 0
	2	196 2 0	49 5 0
	3	355 0 0	88 15 0
	4	285 0 0	103 5 0



*Description of Land.*—Block III., Section No. 1, about one-quarter mixed forest, a few good puriri trees, remainder broken fern land, poor soil. Section No. 2, almost entirely covered with heavy forest, with patches of kauri, estimated to contain about 500,000 feet of kauri, poor soil, and very broken. Section No. 3, about one-third forest, estimated to contain about 200,000 feet of kauri. Section No. 4, almost entirely covered with heavy forest, estimated to contain about 1,500,000 feet of kauri. A road could easily be made to all these sections. Section No. 5, about one-third forest, a few puriri trees, broken land, soil very poor. There is a good track from Otautu near the western corner of this section. Block V., Section No. 2, about one-third forest, a few puriri trees, about 30 acres swamp, remainder broken fern land, soil poor. Section No. 3, about one-third forest, a few kauri trees, broken land, poor soil, small portion flat land. Section No. 4, a few patches of bush and about 150,000 feet of kauri, about 50 acres swamp, remainder broken fern land, poor soil. These sections are easily accessible from Cabbage Bay.

RODNEY COUNTY.  
*Parish of Mahurangi.*

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
192	49 2 0	37 2 6
193	76 0 5	23 10 6

*Description of Land.*—All tea-tree scrub, broken. Lot 192 sea frontage, accessible by road. Lot 193 faces branch of Mahurangi River, accessible by road and river at spring tides.

Block	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
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*Otamatea Survey District (Pakiri Block).*

XVI.	19	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
		134 1 8	67 5 0

*Description of Land.*—Mixed bush, undulating land, clay soil, well watered.

WHANGAREI COUNTY.

*Opaowhanga Survey District.*

VIII.	7	150 0 0	93 15 0
	9	150 0 0	93 15 0

*Description of Land.*—Very broken, all bush, containing a quantity of scattered kauri, accessible by road through Crown land.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
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BAY OF ISLANDS COUNTY.

*Parish of Ruapekapeka.*

42	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
	2 2 0	5 0 0*

\* Subject to £35 for improvements.

MANGONUI COUNTY.

*Parish of Kaiaka.*

37	113 2 18	56 17 6
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*Description of Land.*—Mixed forest, with a few totara and kauri trees, and some puriri suitable for fencing, about 4 acres fern flat along river. Accessible by new Great North Road.

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 fees 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.

*Sale of Crown Lands, Hunterville Village Settlement.*

Crown Lands Office,  
Wellington, 8th September, 1885.

IT is hereby notified that the above township will be disposed of in the following manner:—

98 village sections, comprising 64 acres, for cash.

35 small-farm sections, comprising 48 acres, for cash.

41 small-farm sections, comprising 350 acres, on deferred payments.

Applications will be received under the above-stated systems on Monday, the 5th day of October, 1885, at the Land Office, Wellington, and at the Temperance Hall,

Marton, between the hours of 9.30 a.m. and 4.30 p.m. The ownership of contested sections will be determined at Marton, on Thursday, the 8th October, 1885, at 10 o'clock a.m.

FIRST SCHEDULE.  
HUNTERVILLE VILLAGE SETTLEMENT.  
*Village Allotments for Cash.*

Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Allotment.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Allotment.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
1	0 3 19	12 0 0	149	1 0 0	10 0 0
2	0 1 12	15 0 0	150	1 0 0	10 0 0
4	0 1 6	10 0 0	151	1 0 0	10 0 0
5	0 1 22	20 0 0	153	1 0 0	10 0 0
6	0 0 33	40 0 0	165	0 0 32	20 0 0
7	0 3 34	30 0 0	166	0 0 32	30 0 0
8	0 3 8	12 0 0	167	0 0 31	20 0 0
9	1 0 0	12 0 0	168	0 0 27	16 0 0
10	1 0 0	12 0 0	169	0 0 31	16 0 0
11	0 3 20	12 0 0	170	0 0 29	16 0 0
12	0 3 0	30 0 0	171	0 0 32	16 0 0
13	0 2 5	25 0 0	172	0 2 19	25 0 0
14	0 2 35	20 0 0	173	0 3 18	25 0 0
16	0 3 33	12 0 0	174	0 3 37	25 0 0
21	0 3 26	20 0 0	174B	0 1 30	15 0 0
22	0 3 0	25 0 0	183	0 3 0	6 0 0
23	0 3 0	25 0 0	184	0 3 0	6 0 0
28	0 3 10	25 0 0	185	1 0 0	6 0 0
29	0 3 16	25 0 0	186	1 0 0	6 0 0
30	0 3 18	25 0 0	190	1 0 0	6 0 0
34	0 3 9	20 0 0	191	1 0 0	6 0 0
39	1 0 0	20 0 0	193	1 0 0	6 0 0
40	1 0 0	20 0 0	194	1 0 0	6 0 0
70	0 3 13	7 0 0	195	1 0 0	6 0 0
71	0 3 3	10 0 0	196	1 0 0	6 0 0
72	0 3 4	10 0 0	235	0 0 33	20 0 0
73	0 3 4	10 0 0	236	0 0 32	25 0 0
74	0 3 4	10 0 0	237	0 0 39	25 0 0
76	0 3 4	10 0 0	239	0 3 20	20 0 0
78	0 3 4	10 0 0	240	0 3 14	20 0 0
102	0 3 0	8 0 0	242	0 3 8	20 0 0
103	0 3 0	8 0 0	243	0 0 38	16 0 0
104	0 3 0	8 0 0	244	0 1 1	16 0 0
105	0 3 0	8 0 0	246	0 1 10	16 0 0
106	0 3 26	10 0 0	247	0 1 15	16 0 0
110	0 2 27	10 0 0	248	0 1 16	16 0 0
111	0 3 5	10 0 0	249	0 0 36	20 0 0
112	0 2 29	10 0 0	250	0 2 12	25 0 0
114	0 3 30	7 0 0	251		
115	0 3 15	7 0 0	252	0 3 1	30 0 0
119	0 2 29	10 0 0	253		
125	0 3 31	12 0 0	254	0 1 18	22 0 0
126	0 3 37	10 0 0	255	0 1 14	25 0 0
127	0 3 6	10 0 0	256	0 1 9	25 0 0
129	0 2 29	7 0 0	257	0 1 10	40 0 0
142	0 1 38	15 0 0	258	0 1 12	25 0 0
143	0 1 12	15 0 0	260	0 1 12	20 0 0
144	0 1 12	15 0 0	261	0 1 12	20 0 0
145	0 1 12	15 0 0	262	0 1 10	40 0 0
146	0 1 12	15 0 0	263	0 2 5	20 0 0

SECOND SCHEDULE.

HUNTERVILLE VILLAGE SETTLEMENT.  
*Small-farm Allotments for Cash.*

Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Allotment.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Allotment.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
19	1 0 5	12 0 0	120	1 0 3	10 0 0
24	1 0 17	12 0 0	123	1 0 4	12 0 0
27	1 0 29	12 0 0	128	1 0 25	12 0 0
31	1 0 27	28 0 0	147	1 0 15	10 0 0
32	2 0 18	20 0 0	148	1 0 19	10 0 0
35	1 0 8	20 0 0	154	1 0 18	10 0 0
36	1 0 10	20 0 0	174A	1 0 31	24 0 0
41	1 0 16	15 0 0	175	1 1 26	20 0 0
75	1 0 27	12 0 0	176	1 3 33	15 0 0
89	1 0 3	8 0 0	177	1 2 25	10 0 0
90	1 0 13	8 0 0	182	1 0 36	6 0 0
91	1 0 22	8 0 0	187	1 1 37	6 0 0
92	1 0 32	8 0 0	199	1 3 17	10 0 0
93	1 1 1	8 0 0	200	1 3 24	10 0 0
113	1 0 6	7 0 0	201	1 3 35	10 0 0
116	1 2 13	12 0 0	202	1 2 12	9 0 0
117	1 1 32	12 0 0	269	3 1 38	45 0 0
118	1 1 18	12 0 0			

THIRD SCHEDULE.

HUNTERVILLE VILLAGE SETTLEMENT.

Small-farm Allotments on Deferred Payments.—Residence compulsory.

Section n.	Upset Price per Acre.		Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.	
	£	s. a.			£	s. a.
42	4	3 3 5	100	5	2 12	5 0 0
44	5	2 4	121	4	2 36	6 0 0
45	6	0 1	190			
46	7	3 3 1	131	3	2 3 4	5 0 0
48			137			
49	12	2 1 4	132			
50			133			
51	8	1 5	134	5	0 2 4	4 0 0
52			135			
53	8	1 2 4	136			
55	4	2 3 4	138			
57	6	2 1 4	139	7	2 3 9	5 0 0
58			140			
59			141			
68			188			
69	19	3 4	189	12	1 10	3 0 0
265			267			
60			197			
61	10	3 2 3	268	11	1 13	3 0 0
62			203			
63	11	0 2 7	204	5	0 2 4	5 0 0
64			205			
83	8	2 1 5	206	5	1 2 0	5 0 0
66			208			
79	5	3 1 9	209			
79A			210	11	3 0	5 0 0
67	20	0 0	211			
80			212			
107			213			
108	4	2 3	214	11	3 1 4	4 0 0
109			215			
81			216			
82	6	1 2 5	217	10	0 3 6	5 0 0
83			218			
84			219			
179	13	0 8	220			
180			221	7	0 8	5 0 0
181			222			
85			225			
86	7	1 3 5	226	10	0 1 6	3 0 0
101			227	9	1 2 2	4 0 0
87			228			
224	7	0 2 3	230			
94			233	12	1 1 1	3 0 0
95	5	3 1 4	234			
96			231	7	1 1 3	3 0 0
97	4	a 5	232	13	0 6	3 0 0
99	5	3 1 5	264			

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

- The lands enumerated in the Schedules hereto shall be disposed of as village allotments for cash, and small-farm allotments for cash and upon deferred payments.
- The day upon which the lands shall be open for application shall be Monday, the fifth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, at the Land Office, Wellington, and at the Temperance Hall at Marton.
- The lands enumerated in the First and Second Schedules hereto shall be sold for cash immediately on purchase, and the lands enumerated in the Third Schedule hereto shall be sold on deferred payments.
- 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."
- No person shall be allowed to acquire more than one allotment upon either immediate or deferred payments.
- The prices stated in the Schedules hereto shall be the prices at which the lands shall be open for application.
- If there should be more than one application for any allotment in the First Schedule, offered for cash, the right to purchase the same shall be determined by auction amongst the applicants only; and if there should be more than one application for any allotment in the Second or Third Schedules, offered for cash or deferred payments, the right to occupy the same shall be determined by lot amongst the applicants.
- Each applicant for a deferred-payment section in the Third 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 Wellington 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 and Second Schedules, upon the full payment of the purchase-money, and the purchaser of my lands described in the Third 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.

The Hunterville Township comprises about 650<sup>1</sup> acres of forest land, and is situated in the Porewa Valley, about sixteen miles from Marton, on the Murimotu Road, and the projected North Island Main Trunk Railway. The Public Works Department having selected a site for a proposed railway station, sections have been laid off on the road leading to it. The quality of the land in Hunterville is generally very good, and it is the centre of a large and progressive district.

Plans, forms of application, &c., may be seen at post-offices and railway stations, and can be obtained at the land offices throughout the colony and at the principal post-offices in this district. Any additional particulars can be obtained at this office.

J. W. A. MARCHANT,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Forfeited Deferred-payment Sections for Sale by Tender.

Crown Lands Office,  
Napier, 1st September, 1885.

TENDERS to purchase on deferred-payments the sections enumerated in the Schedule hereunder will be received up to 2 p.m. on Friday, the 25th September, when tenders will be opened at a meeting of the Land Board.

Tenders must be addressed to the Commissioner of Crown Lands at Napier, and must be marked "Tender for Forfeited Deferred-payment Section."

Forms and further particulars can be obtained on application.

SCHEDULE.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
NORSEWOOD SURVEY DISTRICT.			
III.	16	A. R. P. 74 1 0	£ s. d. 111 17 6
KUMEROA VILLAGE.			
I.	1	3 2 5	20 2 6*
TAHOORAITE SURVEY DISTRICT.			
XIV.	35	118 0 35	120 14 5†
	45	66 0 20	82 13 2

\* £6 added for improvements. † £8 added for improvements.

HORACE BAKER,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Sale of Timber.

Crown Lands Office,  
Napier, 1st September, 1885.

NOTICE is hereby given that the right to cut timber on the under-mentioned sections will be offered by public auction, at the Council Chamber, Napier, at 2 p.m., on Thursday, the 1st October, 1885.

TAKAPAU SURVEY DISTRICT.

Norsewood Rural Section No. 61, 31 acres; upset rental, £23 5s.

Norsewood Rural Section No. 62, 34 acres; upset rental, £25 10s.

Norsewood Rural Section No. 83, 30 acres; upset rental, £22 10s.

Norsewood Rural Section No. 83A, 25 acres; upset rental, £18 15s.

NORSEWOOD SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block VI., Section No. 23, 150 acres; upset rental, £135.

On the Norsewood rural sections the right to cut timber to extend over two years, and on Section No. 23, Block VI., over five years.

HORACE BAKER,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Sale of Town, Suburban, and Rural Leaseholds, Auckland. Township of Rotorua.*

Crown Lands Office,  
Auckland, 3rd August, 1885.  
It is hereby notified that the town, suburban, and rural lands described in the Schedule hereunder will, in pursuance of "The Thermal-Springs District Act, 1881," and "The Thermal-Springs District Act 1881 Amendment Act, 1883," be offered for lease by public auction for the term of ninety-nine years, at this office, on Wednesday, the 16th September next, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon.  
D. A. TOLE,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

SCHEDULE.

HOT LAKES DISTRICT, TOWNSHIP OF ROTORUA.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Annum.
		A. a. p.	£ s. a.
IX.	5	0 2 0	10 0 0
	6		
	1	1 0	7 10 0
	4	0 1 0	7 10 0
	5	0 1 0	7 10 0
X.	9	0 1 0	6 0 0
	13	0 0 32	7 10 0
	14	0 0 32	7 10 0
	3	0 0 32	7 10 0
	4	0 0 32	7 10 0
XI.	6	0 1 0	5 0 0
	9	0 1 0	5 0 0
	3	0 a 0	10 0 0
XV.	7	0 a 0	10 0 0
	8		
XVI.	3	0 1 0	6 0 0
	5	0 1 0	6 0 0
	6	0 1 0	6 0 0
	8	0 1 0	6 0 0
	9	0 1 0	6 0 0
XVII.	11	0 0 32	7 10 0
	13	0 0 32	7 10 0
	14	0 0 32	7 10 0
	4	0 0 32	7 10 0
	5	0 0 32	7 10 0
XXI.	6	0 1 0	5 0 0
	2	0 2 0	10 0 0
XXII.	2	0 a 0	10 0 0
	2		
	5	0 2 0	10 0 0
XXVIII.	11	0 2 0	10 0 0
	12		
	1	0 2 0	10 0 0
XXIX.	2	0 2 20	10 0 0
	2		
	3	0 1 0	5 0 0
XXX.	3	0 1 0	5 0 0
	6	0 1 0	5 0 0
	11	0 1 0	5 0 0
XXXI.	3	0 1 0	7 10 0
	8	0 1 0	6 0 0
	9	0 1 0	6 0 0
XXXV.	3	0 0 32	7 10 0
	7	0 1 0	7 10 0
	1	0 1 0	5 0 0
XXXVI.	5	0 1 0	5 0 0
	7	0 1 0	5 0 0
	12	0 1 0	5 0 0
	13	0 1 0	5 0 0
	14	0 1 0	5 0 0
XXXVII.	1	0 1 0	6 0 0
	2	0 1 0	6 0 0
	4	0 1 0	6 0 0
	7	0 1 0	6 0 0
	11	0 0 32	7 10 0
XXXIX.	2	0 0 32	7 10 0
	9	0 1 0	5 0 0
	10	0 1 0	5 0 0
XL.	3	0 1 0	5 0 0
	4	0 1 0	5 0 0
	7	0 1 0	5 0 0
	8	0 1 0	5 0 0
	12	0 1 0	5 0 0
	13	0 1 0	5 0 0
	14	0 1 0	5 0 0
XLII.	11	0 0 32	7 10 0
	3	0 1 0	6 0 0

SUBURBS OF ROTORUA.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price per Annum.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
2	5 0 0	3 0 0
3	5 0 0	3 0 0
4	5 0 0	3 0 0
12	10 0 0	5 0 0
13	10 0 0	5 0 0
40	10 0 0	6 0 0
70	11 1 13	6 0 0

RURAL LANDS NEAR TOWNSHIP OF ROTORUA.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price per Annum.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
35	40 1 18	6 0 0
36	40 1 18	6 0 0
37	40 0 17	6 0 0
47	45 2 0	4 10 0
48	33 2 0	4 0 0
49	36 0 0	5 0 0

NOTE.—Plans, terms of sale, and further particulars can be seen and obtained on application at this office.

Sale of Forfeited Deferred-payment Sections in Marlborough.

Crown Lands Office,  
Blenheim, 23th August, 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 6th October, 1885. The land to be sold on defend payments:—

PELOBUS 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	0 1 0
180, 181	146 1 10	147 0 0	0 1 0

A deposit of 5 per cent. on the price of the land must be paid at the auction.

HENRY G. CLARK,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Native Land Court Notices.

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

I, JOHN EDWIN MACDONALD, Chief Judge of the Native Land Court, do hereby, in compliance with the duty imposed upon me by "The Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1883," give notice that on the 1st day of September, 1885, the title to the lands mentioned in the Schedule herein became, within the meaning of the said Act, ascertained; and, further, that dealings with the said lands will cease to be prohibited by the provisions of the said Act on the 11th day of October, 1885.

SCHEDULE.

NAME by which land is known: Urumatonga. Native Land Court District wherein situate: Thames. Area: 418 acres, by estimation.

Name by which land is known: Kapara No. 2a. Native Land Court District wherein situate: Thames. Area: 15 acres.

Name by which land is known: Kapara No. 2b. Native Land Court District wherein situate: Thames. Area: 15 acres.

Name by which land is known: Piripawa No. 2. Native Land Court District wherein situate: Thames. Area: 4 acres 2 roods 4 perches.

Name by which land is known: Pikiwahine. Native Land Court District wherein situate: Thames. Area: 51 acres.

Dated this 1st day of September, 1885.

J. E. MACDONALD,  
Chief Judge.

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

I, JOHN EDWIN MACDONALD, Chief Judge of the Native Land Court, do hereby, in compliance with the duty imposed upon me by "The Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1883," give notice that on the 30th day of August, 1885, the title to the land mentioned in the Schedule herein became, within the meaning of the said Act, ascertained; and, further, that dealings with the said land will cease to be prohibited by the provisions of the said Act on the 9th day of October 1885.

SCHEDULE.

NAME by which land is known: Motutapu, Native Land Court District wherein situate: Thames. Area: 40 acres 2 roods.

Dated this 30th day of August, 1885.

J. E. MACDONALD,  
Chief Judge.

Lankey's Creek Cold-Mining Company (Limited); Section 28, Block XIV., 39 acres and 24 perches, Reefton, No. 1096, Nelson South-West District.

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

Gold-Mining Lease cancelled.

Mines Department,  
Wellington, 2nd September, 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:—

Cresus Gold-Mining Company (Limited); Section 37, Block I., 5 acres, Marua, Westport, No. 1025, Nelson South-West District.

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

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

I, JOHN EDWIN MACDONALD, Chief Judge of the Native Land Court, do hereby, in compliance with the duty imposed upon me by "The Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1883," give notice that on the 3rd day of June, 1885, the title to the land mentioned in the Schedule herein became, within the meaning of the said Act, ascertained; and, further, that dealings with the said land will cease to be prohibited by the provisions of the said Act on the 14th day of October, 1885.

SCHEDULE.

NAME by which land is known: Pukeatua, Native Land Court District wherein situate: Manawatu. Area: 50 acres

Dated this 4th day of September, 1885.

J. E. MACDONALD,  
Chief Judge.

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

Objections to the granting of such lease, stating the grounds of objection, must be made in writing, and lodged with the Warden at Naseby on or before the 5th day of October, 1885.

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

Gold-Mining Lease to be granted.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICANT: Robert Strong. Style under which it is intended to conduct the business: "Naseby Hydraulic Mining Company." 6 acres, at Naseby, in the Mount Ida, Mining District.

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

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

Gold Fields Notices.

Special Claim cancelled.

Mines Department,  
Wellington, 2nd September, 1885.

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

Postmasters appointed.

General Post Office, Wellington, 1st September, 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
Stewart, R.	Colac Bay	Invercargill	17 July, 1885.
Westney, J.	Coves	Auckland	1 July, "
Smith, C.	Dobson	Auckland	27 July, "
Williams, W. P.	Ellerslie	Auckland	18 August, "
Fraser, W. G.	Evansdale	Dunedin	1 Sept., "
Hunter, Thomas	Flaxton	Christchurch	1 Sept., "
Waite, M.	Inangahua Junction	Westport	1 August, "
Pinder, E.	Kuri Bush	Dunedin	1 October, "
Learmonth, Robert	Malaghan's	Invercargill	1 August, "
Kerr, F. J.	Manaroa	<del>Invercargill</del>	1 August, "
Miller, Henry	Mangawai	Wanganui	1 August, "
McLaren, J.	Okioia		1 August, "
Simpson, E.	Oroua Bridge	Wellington	1 Sept., "
McIlwraith, W.	Pahi	Auckland	15 August, "
Tiffen, G. W.	Putatikutiko	Gisborne	1 August, "
Officer, J.	Ryal Bush	Invercargill	8 August, "
Grant, J. B.	S h a g Valley	Dunedin	1 "
Blackley, Peter	Silverstream	Timaru	1 August, "
Snodgrass, W. S.	Spring Grove	Nelson	1 Sept., "
Diprose, Thomas N.	Tawhere	Auckland	"
Brownell, T. W.	Tuakau	Auckland	18 August, "

Post Offices opened.

General Post Office, Wellington, 1st September, 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.
Dobson ..	Greymouth	Greymouth.
Manaroa ..	Blenheim	Blenheim.
Okoiia ..	Wanganui	Wanganui.
Oroua Bridge (reopened) ..	Wellington	Wellington.

Land Transfer Act Notices.

Mining Notices.

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

5701. ROBERT SMITH.--1,744 acres and 10 perches, Rural Sections 7160, 7864, 7865, 10824, 11125, 11229, 11230, and 12171, and part of 7137, Timaru District. O'pied partly by James Wilkinson and John Aitken and partly by Applicant.

5710. THOMAS CHIVERS.--20 perches, part of Lot 71, Christchurch Town Reserves. Occupied by Applicant. Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 8th day of September, 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 at this office forbidding the same on or before the 10th October, 1885.

1601. HOUSTON FRANCIS LOGAN.--Sections 672, 673, and 749, City of Wellington. In occupation of Mrs. Rutherford.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office. Dated this 9th day of September, 1885, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

Geo. B. DAVY,  
 District Land Registrar.

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I HEREBY give notice that, after the expiration of fourteen days from the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, it is my intention to proceed with the registration of certain dealings affecting the land included in certificate of title, Vol. xxxv., folio 34, being Lots 59 and 61 on deposited Plan No. 101, part of the Township of Petone, of which THOMAS RALPH is the registered Proprietor, without the production of the outstanding duplicate of such certificate, unless caveat be lodged at this office within the above-named period.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington, this 9th day of September, 1885.

Geo. B. DAVY,  
 District Land Registrar.

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

BERNARD EKENSTEEN.--31 perches, being part of Section 5, Block I., Hundred of Jacob's Riser. Occupied by E. Rogers. No. 2212.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office. Dated this 31st day of August, 1885, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

F. G. MORGAN,  
 District Land Registrar.

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APPLICATION having been made to me by THOMAS PALMER to register a dealing affecting Mortgage No. 3062, over Rural Section No. 21523, held under certificate of title, Vol. xcv., folio 274, of which JAMES WILSON is the registered Mortgagee, and evidence having been lodged with me of the loss of the said mortgage, I hereby give notice that I shall register such dealing at the expiration of fourteen days after the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice, unless in the meantime a caveat be lodged forbidding the same.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch, this 5th day of September, 1885.

J. M. BATHAM,  
 District Land Registrar.

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STAR OF THE EAST QUARTZ-MINING COMPANY (REGISTERED).

NOTICE is hereby given that the Registered Office of the above company has been changed from Manse Street, Dunedin, to Bond Street, Dunedin; and that Mr. C. S. REEVES has been appointed Manager of the company, in lieu of Mr. George Watson, resigned.

I Given under the common seal of the Star of the East Quartz-Mining Company (Registered), and dated at Dunedin, this 2nd day of September, 1885.

E. E. C. QUICK, } Directors.  
 JOB WAIN, }

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NOTICE.--Notice is hereby given that the Mokihinui Coal Company (Limited) propose to construct a Railway under "The District Railways Act, 1877," and amendments of the same, from a certain point upon the Mokihinui River-bank adjoining the company's lease to a point on the western bank of the said river, and has caused the middle line and direction thereof to be set forth on a plan and described in a book of reference showing the lands required to be taken for the same and the owners and occupiers of such lands; and that copies of such plan and book of reference have been deposited for inspection at the county Office of the Buller county at Westport, and also at the Public Works Office in the City of Wellington, Colony of New Zealand.

Dated the 24th day of August, 1885.  
 EUGENE O'CONNOR,  
 Chairman, } Directors,  
 (far and a" behalf of the Company.)

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Private Advertisements.

HUGH JOHNSTONE SPEER, M.D. of the Medical Department of Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts, America, in 1874, and licensed to practise medicine and surgery by the Board of the Medical Society of California in 1876, now residing in Auckland, having deposited evidence of my qualifications with the Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages at Auckland, hereby give notice that I intend to apply to be registered under "The New Zealand Medical Practitioners Act, 1869," on the 1st day of October, 1885.

HUGH JOHNSTONE SPEER,  
 Auckland, 27th August, 1885. 475

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership lately subsisting between us, the undersigned, under the style or firm of "Alexander Brothers," has this day been dissolved, by the retirement therefrom of the undersigned SAMUEL ALEXANDER. The business of the late firm will henceforth be carried on by the undersigned ROBERT ALEXANDER and JOHN ALEXANDER upon their own account, under the same style. All debts due and owing to or by the late firm will be received and paid by the undersigned Robert Alexander and John Alexander, trading as aforesaid.

Dated this 29th day of August, 1885.  
 ROBERT ALEXANDER,  
 JOHN ALEXANDER,  
 SAMUEL ALEXANDER,

Witness to the signatures of Robert Alexander, John Alexander, and Samuel Alexander-Henry D. Andrews, Solicitor, Christchurch. 476

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Geo. DIDSBURY,  
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Wellington, 1st July, 1884.

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