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As to Recruiting for the Permanent Forces.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

UNDER "THE DEFENCE ACT, 1886."

THE Proclamation published in *Gazette* No. 47, of the 9th September, 1886, relative to recruiting for the Police and Permanent Forces, is hereby cancelled, and the following substituted in lieu thereof:—

The Artillery, Engineers, and Torpedo Corps, with the exception of special artificers, engineers, or electricians, shall be selected from the Rifle Branch of the Permanent Militia.

Appointments to the Permanent Militia, Rifle Branch, are to be exclusively given to efficient Volunteers of not less than one year's efficient service, nor over twenty-five years of age, at the date of their application.

The following regulations are published for the guidance of Volunteers desirous of entering the Rifle Branch of the Permanent Militia:—

Applicants for appointments to the Permanent Militia, Rifle Branch, will send in their applications to and wait, if possible, on the Officer Commanding Permanent Militia at Dunedin, Lyttelton, Wellington, or Auckland, with their addresses, ages, medical certificates of fitness, and certificates of character, one of which must be from the Commanding Officer of the corps in which they are serving.

As vacancies arise, appointments will be made from the list of applicants from each part of the colony in turn. On his being informed that he has been so appointed, the candidate will report himself for enrolment at Mount Cook Barracks, Wellington, within one month, otherwise the vacancy will be offered to the next on the list, and he will be held to have forfeited his appointment, unless in case of certified sickness, when he may be replaced at the head of the list within three months, if then fit for service.

The minimum height for the Artillery is 5ft. 8in.
" " Engineers is 5ft. 8in.
" " Torpedo is 5ft. 4in.
" " Rifles is 5ft. 7in.

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 Dunedin, this third day of March,

in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

J. BALLANCE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Setting apart Land in the Otago Land District for Perpetual Leasing under "The Land Act, 1885."

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

A PROCLAMATION.

BY virtue and in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the one hundred and thirty-fifth section of "The Land Act, 1885," and of every other power and authority enabling him in that behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby declare that the area of land enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall be set apart for lease, with right of renewal, under the provisions of Part IV. of "The Land Act, 1885."

SCHEDULE.

WOODLANDS SURVEY DISTRICT.

ALL that area of land containing about 150 acres, more or less, adjoining Section No. 9, Block I., Woodlands Survey District.

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 Dunedin, this ninth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

J. BALLANCE,
Minister of Lands.

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

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land set apart for a Village Homestead Special Settlement for Perpetual Leasing in the Canterbury Land District.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one hundred and sixty-second section of "The Land Act, 1885," I William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the sections of land described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same are hereby set apart and declared open for application as a village homestead special settlement for perpetual leasing, upon the terms and conditions fixed by an Order in Council issued on the first day of September, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, and made under the one hundred and sixty-third section of the said Act.

SCHEDULE.
HINDS TOWNSHIP.

Section.	Area.	Section.	Area.
	A. R. P.		A. R. P.
1	12 2 0	18	12 2 0
2	12 2 0	19	12 2 0
3	12 2 0	20	12 2 0
4	12 2 0	21	12 2 0
5	8 3 33	22	12 2 0
6	12 2 0	23	12 2 0
7	12 2 0	24	12 2 0
8	12 2 0	25	12 2 0
9	8 3 8	26	12 2 0
10	12 2 0	27	12 2 0
11	12 2 0	28	12 2 0
12	12 2 0	29	12 2 0
13	12 2 0	30	7 0 0
14	12 2 0	31	10 0 0
15	12 2 0	32	10 2 20
16	12 2 0	33	14 2 0
17	12 2 0		

RESERVE No. 1371, HINDS SURVEY DISTRICT.

1	50 0 0	10	50 0 0
2	48 1 19	11	50 0 0
3	50 0 0	55	50 0 0
4	50 0 0	56	50 0 0
5	50 0 0	57	34 2 36
6	50 0 0	58	12 0 38
7	50 0 0	59	50 0 0
8	39 1 34	60	50 0 0
9	24 0 38	61	50 0 0

RESERVE No. 1381, HINDS SURVEY DISTRICT.

1	50 0 0	42	50 0 0
2	50 0 0	43	50 0 0
3	50 0 0	44	50 0 0
4	50 0 0	45	50 0 0
5	38 0 17	46	50 0 0
6	40 0 0	47	50 0 0
7	50 0 0	48	50 0 0
8	50 0 0	49	50 0 0

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

J. BALLANCE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land set apart on Deferred Payments in Taranaki.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by the one hundred and fourth section of "The Land Act, 1885," it is enacted that the Governor, by Proclamation in the *Gazette*, may from time to time set apart out of any suburban or rural lands such blocks or allotments of land as he shall think fit, and set

the same aside for sale on deferred payments, and in such Proclamation may fix a day on which the land shall be open for application; and that he may also in like manner set apart for sale on deferred payments such blocks or allotments as may be recommended by any Land Board, and may also from time to time alter, amend, or revoke any such Proclamation:

And whereas the Land Board of Taranaki has passed a resolution recommending that the land described in the Schedule hereto annexed should be set apart for sale on deferred payments:

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

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

And, in pursuance of the one hundred and tenth section of "The Land Act, 1885," I do hereby fix the price at which the land so described shall be sold to be the price stated in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

NGAIRE SURVEY DISTRICT.—STRATFORD SUBURBAN.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Total Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
II.	53	A. R. P. 2 2 0	A. R. P. 10 0 0	£ s. d. 4 10 0
	54	2 2 0		
	55	2 2 0		
	58	2 2 0		

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

ROBERT STOUT,
(For the Minister of Lands.)

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Additional Land taken in Hawera Survey District for the Purposes of an Approach Road to Foxton-New Plymouth Railway.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it has been found desirable, for the use, convenience, and enjoyment of the Foxton-New Plymouth Railway, to take further land in Hawera Survey District, in addition to land previously acquired for the purposes of the said railway:

Now, therefore, I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by "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 purposes above mentioned.

SCHEDULE.

THE parcel of land mentioned hereunder:—

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block No.	District.	Situated in the Survey District of
A. R. P. 2 0 35	350	XIV.	Patea	Hawera.

In the Provincial District of Taranaki; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D.

14509, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

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

EDWARD RICHARDSON,
Minister for Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Lands taken for a Road in Block IX., Reefton Survey District, Provincial District of Nelson.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken, under "The Public Works Act, 1882," and its amendments, for a certain work, to wit, the construction of a road in Block nine, Reefton Survey District, Provincial District of Nelson:

And whereas the Minister for Public Works has laid before the Governor the memorial, accompanied by a map, as required by the said Act and the amendments thereof:

Now, therefore, I, William Francis Drummond Jervis, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities in me vested by "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, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto are hereby taken for the purposes of the construction of the said road.

SCHEDULE.

THE several parcels of land mentioned in list hereunder:—

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land required to be taken.	Being Portions of Sections Nos.	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of
A. R. P. 4 2 4	248, 249, and 250	IX. (Square 131)	Reefton.
1 1 16.1	..	IX. River Reserve	Reefton.
0 3 28.4	96 ..	IX. (Square 131)	Reefton.

All in the Provincial District of Nelson; as the said parcels of land are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 14083, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured green, pink, and burnt umber.

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

EDWARD RICHARDSON,
Minister for Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Lands taken for a Road in Coromandel County, Provincial District of Auckland.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken, under "The Public Works Act, 1882," and its amendments, for a certain work, to wit,

the construction of a road in Coromandel County, Provincial District of Auckland:

And whereas the Coromandel County Council has laid before the Governor the memorial, accompanied by a map, and also the statutory declaration required by the said Act and the amendments thereof:

Now, therefore, I, William Francis Drummond Jervis, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities in me vested by "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, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto are hereby taken for the purposes of the construction of the said road.

SCHEDULE.

THE several parcels of land mentioned in list hereunder:—

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the
A. R. P. 2 1 8	3	II.	} Parish of Hahei, Survey District of Whitianga.
2 1 25	2	II.	
6 1 19	1	II. and III.	

All in the Provincial District of Auckland; as the said parcels of land are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 14557, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

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

EDWARD RICHARDSON,
Minister for Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land taken for Further Portion of the North Island Main Trunk Line of Railway, from a Point at or near Marton to Te Awamutu, via Murimotu, Taumarunui, and the Ongarue River Valley (Portion of Porewa Section).

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken for a further portion of the North Island Main Trunk Railway, from a point at or near Marton to Te Awamutu, via Murimotu, Taumarunui, and the Ongarue River Valley (portion of Porewa 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 Jervis, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me 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 line of railway hereinbefore specified.

SCHEDULE.

THE parcel of land mentioned hereunder:—

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of
A. R. P. 1 3 4	12 (part of Subsection No. 10)	IV.	Rangitoto.

In the Provincial District of Wellington; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 14266, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured pink.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir William Francis Drummond Jeroois, 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 Dunedin, this eleventh day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

EDWARD RICHARDSON,
Minister for Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Police Gaol proclaimed.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled "The Prisons Act, 1882," it is provided that the Governor may, by Proclamation published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, declare that such police stations as he shall name therein shall be police gaols:

Now, therefore, I, William Francis Drummond Jeroois, the Governor of the said colony, in pursuance of the above-recited power, do hereby declare that the police station at Herbertsville shall be a police gaol.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir William Francis Drummond Jeroois, 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 Dunedin, this eleventh day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

Jos. A. TOLE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Police Gaol closed.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled "The Prisons Act, 1882," it is enacted that the Governor may, by Proclamation published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, declare that any prison or police gaol shall no longer be a prison or police gaol, and, upon the gazetting of such Proclamation, or from and after any later date fixed in such Proclamation for the purpose, such prison or police gaol respectively shall cease to be a prison or police gaol:

Now, therefore, I, William Francis Drummond Jeroois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance of the above-recited power and authority, do hereby declare that, from and after the gazetting of this Proclamation, the police gaol at Porangahau, in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, shall cease to be a police gaol.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir William Francis Drummond Jeroois, 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 Dunedin, this eleventh day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

Jos. A. TOLE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Extending the Jurisdiction of the Native Land Court so as to ascertain the Ownership of certain Lands in the North Island.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this fourth day of March, 1887.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE THE PREMIER PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the ownership of the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto requires to be ascertained, and it is also necessary to determine to whom and in what manner Crown grants, if any, or other evidence of title should be issued in respect of the said lands: And whereas it is expedient that the said several matters and the determination of the titles to the said lands should be brought within the jurisdiction of the Native Land Court, in order that the same may be finally decided and dealt with:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by "The Native Land Court Act, 1886" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby order and declare that the investigation and determination of the ownership of the Native lands described in the Schedule hereto, and also the determination and individualization of titles to the said lands and mode of granting the same as aforesaid, and all matters incidental thereto respectively, shall be and the same are hereby brought within the jurisdiction of the Native Land Court established under the said Act.

And it is hereby further declared that this order shall take effect as from the fourth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

SCHEDULE.

Number or Name of Reserve.	Sectional No.	District or Borough.	Area.	
			A.	R. P.
No. 1, part Moturoa ..	..	Fitzroy ..	110	0 0
No. 2, part Araripi ..	..	Grey ..	203	3 21
No. 3, Puketotara ..	..	" ..	560	0 0
No. 4, Rutahangae ..	..	" ..	50	0 0
No. 5, pt. Ratahipihi ..	..	Omata ..	156	3 23
No. 6 ..	..	" ..	10	0 0
No. 14, part Pukenui ..	..	Borough of New Plymouth ..	17	3 2
No. 15, Henui ..	..	Ditto ..	3	0 0
No. 17 ..	..	Fitzroy ..	86	0 0
No. 18, part Pukaka ..	..	" ..	5	0 0
No. 20, Pukewarangi ..	..	" ..	17	0 0
No. 23, part Raiomiti ..	..	" ..	6	0 0
No. 24 ..	..	Part 30 ..	0	2 0
"a," Puia ..	159	" ..	50	0 0
A, Purakau ..	..	Hua ..	49	1 25
B, Raupiu ..	..	" ..	100	0 0
C ..	..	" ..	200	0 0
E ..	..	Hua and Waiwakaiho ..	75	0 0
G ..	..	Ditto ..	75	0 0
H ..	..	" ..	54	0 0
L ..	..	" ..	55	0 0
K ..	..	" ..	50	0 0
L ..	..	" ..	200	0 0
M, Arahehe ..	..	" ..	464	0 0
N, Mangorei ..	9	" ..	50	0 0
Upokotauaki ..	151	Hua ..	50	0 0
Hoehoe ..	152	" ..	50	0 0
Paraiti ..	153	" ..	51	0 0
Ruatangata ..	154	" ..	5	0 0
Tapuirau ..	155	" ..	50	0 0
Hua ..	156	" ..	97	0 0
Rirongia ..	27	Tarurutangi ..	10	0 0
Mangati ..	22	Bell ..	165	0 0
Raiomiti ..	158	Fitzroy ..	15	0 0
Waiwakaiho ..	..	Hua ..	435	0 0
Manganaha ..	149	" ..	55	0 0

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this fourth day of March, 1887.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE THE PREMIER PRESIDING 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 thirteenth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, 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 Kawakawa Public Domain Board, namely,—

JOHN KEATLY,
FRANCIS MACKENZIE,
DAVID J. KIRKPATRICK,
JOHN A. L. HALL,
WILLIAM WARD,
EDWARD HASTINGS, and
THOMAS MCCLINTOCK

(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 Monday in each month, at half-past seven o'clock p.m., at the Public Hall, Kawakawa, 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 fourth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

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 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 situate in the Kawakawa Survey District, Provincial District of Auckland, containing 14 acres 3 roods, being Lot No. 47, Parish of Ruapekapeka. Bounded towards the North-east by the Kuranui and Te Kapa Blocks and Awahi Tapu, 1499 links; towards the South-east by a railway-line, 1192 links; towards the South-west by a road-line, 605 links; and towards the West and North-west by a road-line, 1960 links: save and excepting a road, 100 links wide, which intersects the area hereby described; be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Native Land taken for a Road in the Omapere Survey District, Provincial District of Auckland.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this first day of February, 1887.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE THE PREMIER PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

powers in anywise enabling him in that behalf, His Excellency Sir 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, doth hereby order that the Government work known as a road in the Omapere Survey District, Provincial District of Auckland, shall and may be constructed on or through the parcels of land mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land containing approximately 650 acres, situate in the Omapere Survey District, Provincial District of Auckland. Bounded towards the North generally by the Whakanekeneke River; towards the South generally by the Pataikoka Block (No. 252), 598, 362, 238, 536, 233, and 1173 links; towards the East generally by the same block, 833, 770, 477, 504, and 535 links; towards the South generally by Section No. 36, Parish of Okaihau, 1205 links, by Section No. 37 of the same parish 2910 and 903 links, by Section No. 38 211 and 3396 links, by Section No. 39 2654, 670, and 610 links, and by Section No. 40, all of the Parish of Okaihau aforesaid, 1646 and 1403 links; and towards the South-west by Section No. 2, Block V., Omapere Survey District, 700 and 63 links, by the crossing of a public road 100 links wide, and again by Section No. 2 aforesaid 47, 473, 57, and 363 links to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

All that piece or parcel of land containing approximately 60 acres, more or less, situate in the Omapere Survey District, Provincial District of Auckland. Bounded towards the North generally by the Whakanekeneke River; towards the East generally by Section No. 70 of the Parish of Okaihau 55 links, by the crossing of a public road 100 links wide, and by a public road 1230 links; towards the South generally by a public road 179 links, and by Section No. 35, Parish of Okaihau aforesaid, 4083 links; and towards the West by the Pataikoka Block (No. 252), 676 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Native Land taken for Portion of Hurunui-Waitaki Railway, Branch from Racecourse to Southbridge, with a Sub-branch to Little River and thence to Akaroa (Portion of Sub-branch to Little River and thence to Akaroa).

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this twenty-fourth day of February, 1887.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE THE PREMIER PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in him by "The Public Works Act, 1882," and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in that behalf, His Excellency Sir 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, doth hereby order that the Government work known as the Hurunui-Waitaki Railway, branch from Racecourse to Southbridge, with a sub-branch to Little River and thence to Akaroa (portion of sub-branch to Little River and thence to Akaroa), shall and may be constructed on or through the parcel of land more particularly mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

THE parcel of land mentioned hereunder:—

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of Reserve No.	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of
A. R. P. 0 1 20	385	I.	Akaroa.

In the Provincial District of Canterbury; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 14506, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured green.

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 Buildings, at Wellington, this fourth day of March, 1887.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE THE PREMIER PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS 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 real estate described or referred to in the fifth column, for estates therein derived as mentioned in the sixth 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.	Names, Sex, and Age of Persons under Disability.	Lands in respect of which Trustees are appointed.	Derivation of Estate of <i>Cestui que Trust</i> .
1886. 19 Nov.	L. O'Brien ..	Jules George Wilson	Maata Huriiana Wilson, f., 20 yrs.; Thomas Wilson, m., 17 yrs.	Puahue, 8,612 acres, Waikato	Succession order for interest of Kewene Whakataha.
3 Dec.	E. W. Puckey	Rahera Manahi ..	Taitumu Kitua, f., 7 yrs.	Ohiwa, Lot 305, 5 acres, Bay of Plenty	Succession order for interest of Te Kitua.
"	"	Wiremu Hotene te Huruuru	Nepia te Kaiotu, m., 11 yrs.; Ngaroma te Huruuru, f., 7 yrs.	Rangiruru No. 2A, Bay of Plenty	Succession order for interest of Te Wharepu W. Hotene.
6 Dec.	"	Riria Wi Paki and Rotorua Hororiri	Wiremu Reweti, m., 10 yrs.	Ditto	Succession order for interest of Wiremu Paki
"	"	Timoti Reone ..	Te Rangitepikitia, f., 6 yrs.	Okarito No. 2, Bay of Plenty	Succession order for interest of Terenui Ngahana.
"	"	Ngatipehi ..	Te Umunui, m., 1 yr. ..	Ditto	Ditto.
"	"	Riria Wi Paki and Rotorua Hororiri	Wiremu Reweti, m., 10 yrs.	Awaawaroa, 19 acres 1 rood 11 perches, Bay of Plenty	Succession order for interest of Wiremu Paki.
"	"	Ditto	Ditto	Tumu Kaituna No. 1, Bay of Plenty	Ditto.
2 Dec.	"	Eru Paora ..	Wiremu Pererika Herehuka, m., 11 yrs.	Ditto	Succession order for interest of Mere Eru Paora.
1 Dec.	"	Mikaere Ngatai ..	Ngaparete, m., 10 yrs.; Te Wera te Konui, m., 13 yrs.	"	Succession order for interest of Rawiri Taotu.
6 Dec.	"	Ngatipehi ..	Te Umunui, m., 1 yr. ..	Tumu Kaituna No. 2, Bay of Plenty, 5,900 acres	Succession order for interest of Terenui Ngahana.
1 Dec.	"	Taimona Hapimana	Hamiara Hemara Poramati, m., 5 yrs.	Ditto	Succession order for interest of Waipoua te Hemara.
"	"	Thomas Holden and Matire Hapimana	Annetta Holden, f., 20 yrs.; James Holden, m., 17 yrs.; Ann Holden, f., 15 yrs.; Sarah Holden, f., 13 yrs.; George Holden, m., 12 yrs.; Mary Holden, f., 10 yrs.; Robert Holden, m., 8 yrs.; Kereru Holden, m., 6 yrs.; Richard Holden, m., 4 yrs.; Thomas Holden, m., 2 yrs.	"	Succession order for interest of Hiria Horana.
6 Dec.	"	Wiremu Ngawhika	Te Ahoaho Ngawhika, m., 5 yrs.	"	Succession order for interest of Kamau Ngawhitea.
1 Dec.	"	Retimana Poramati	Taikehu Utiku, m., 10 yrs.; Aporo Utiku, m., 8 yrs.; Raukopakopa Utiku, m., 5 yrs.	"	Succession order for interest of Atiraira Utiku.
"	"	Timoti Reone ..	Te Rangitepikitia, f., 6 yrs.	"	Succession order for interest of Terenui Ngahana.
6 Dec.	E. W. Puckey	Rahera Manahi ..	Taitumu Kitua, f., 7 yrs.	Paengaroa North A, No. 2, 386 acres, Bay of Plenty	Succession order for interest of Te Reretonga Kitua.

SCHEDULE—continued.

Dates of Orders.	Judges by whom made.	Trustees hereby appointed.	Names, Sex, and Age of Persons under Disability.	Lands in respect of which Trustees are appointed.	Derivation of Estate of <i>Cestui que Trust</i> .
1886. Dec.	E. W. Puckey	Ratema te Aweko-tuku	Atareta Ratema, f., 14 yrs.	Paengaroa North B, 1,719 acres, Bay of Plenty	Succession order for interest of Ngangaru te Rina.
2 Dec.	"	Wiremu Ngawhika	Te Ahoaho Ngawhika, m., 5 yrs.	Ditto	Succession order for interest of Kamau Ngawhika.
1 Dec.	"	Retimana Porau-mati and Utiku Paora	Taikehu Utiku, m., 10 yrs.; Aporo Utiku, m., 8 yrs.; Te Raukopa-kopa Utiku, m., 5 yrs.	"	Succession order for interest of Te Whare-pouri Tangatahaerewa.
6 Dec.	"	Iraia Tikapa ..	Te Pakuru te Ranapia, m., 14 yrs.	"	Succession order for interest of Rangikauariro.
1 Dec.	"	Taimona Hapimana	Hamiora Hemara Porau-mati, m., 5 yrs.	Paengaroa North C, No. 2, 450 acres, Bay of Plenty	Succession order for interest of Retimana Waipoua.
2 Dec.	"	Wiremu Ngawhika	Patara Ngawhika, m., 6 yrs.	Ditto	Succession order for interest of Ngamahirau Ngawhika.
3 Dec.	"	Rahera Manahi ..	Taitimu Monita, m., 7 yrs.	Paengaroa North C, No. 3, 369 acres, Bay of Plenty	Succession order for interest of Kitua te Monita.
1 Dec.	"	Ratema te Aweko-tuku	Atareta Ratema, f., 14 yrs.; Tirita Ratema, f., 9 yrs.; Ruihi Ratema, f., 6 yrs.	Ditto	Succession order for interest of Nawaina te Arakau.
2 Dec.	"	Anaha te Rahui ..	Maungarongo Retihia, f., 13 yrs.; Ngamanuhiri Retihia, m., 11 yrs.; Hone Papeta Retihia, m., 9 yrs.; Ngamotu Retihia, f., 7 yrs.; Re-reiwaho Retihia f., 5 yrs.	Paengaroa North F, No. 2, 200 acres, Bay of Plenty	Succession order for interest of Retihia Kingi.
6 Dec.	"	Taekata te Tokoihi	Rihi Karenga Taekata, f., 16 yrs.; Waireti te Aohinga Taekata, f., 6 yrs.	Paengaroa South, 3,475 acres, Bay of Plenty	Succession order for interest of Niramona Pini.
29 Dec.	W. G. Mair..	"	Tauwehe Taro, f., 13 yrs.; Atiraia Taro, f., 12 yrs.	Te Koutu No. 2, 10 acres, Rotorua	Order defining owners.
"	" ..	Te Purei Tanira ..	Hare Wirikake Pinenga, m., 7 yrs.; Iharaia Pinenga, m., 9 yrs.; Ngatau Pinenga, f., 7 yrs.; Ruihi Pinenga, f., 13 yrs.	Ditto	"
"	" ..	Petera Tautari ..	Kowharawhara Tautari, m., 15 yrs.	"	"
"	" ..	Haehaetu Taekata..	Pini te Rangiharau, m., 1 yr.; Rihi Karenga, f., 17 yrs.; Waireti te Aohinga, f., 8 yrs.	"	"
"	" ..	Rotohiko Haupapa	Ru Kingi Tangonui, m., 17 yrs.	"	"
"	" ..	Merania te Tiwara ..	Rinaha Matene, f., 17 yrs.; Te Wiremu Matene, m., 15 yrs.; Te Pomana te Potikai, m., 2 yrs.	"	"
"	" ..	Hemi Kokiri te Wharepurangi	Wi Kingi Atetini, m., 19 yrs.	"	"
15 Nov.	J. A. Wilson..	Te Hemara te Whetu and Ahenata Tamaru	Ani Ratima, f., 10 yrs.; Tamihana Wereta, m., 7 yrs.; Tiripa Ratima, f., 7 yrs.; Kirihitini Ratima, f., 5 yrs.	Aorangi No. 3.	
16 Nov.	" ..	Tamihana te Hoia..	Paora Tamihana, m., 15 yrs.; Hirama Tamahana, m., 14 yrs.	Ngakaroro No. 3b.	
"	" ..	" ..	Ditto	Ngakaroro No. 2F, Section No. 35.	
"	" ..	" ..	Ditto	Manawatu Kukutauaki No. 7D, or Ngahakiahiamoe No. 1.	
17 Nov.	" ..	Hare Reweti Rongorongo	Te Wiki Patorapa, f., 15 yrs.; Ramiapaha, f., 12 yrs.	Ohau No. 1.	
20 Nov.	" ..	Natana te Hiwi and Mikaere te Papa	Manuriki te Hiwi, m., 18 yrs.	Mangamahoe No. 3b.	
"	" ..	Mikaera te Papa ..	Apia Mikare, f., 6 yrs.; Mere Mikaere, f., 5 yrs.	"	
"	" ..	" ..	Ditto	Ohau No. 3.	
"	" ..	Natana te Hiwi ..	Manuriki Natana, m., 18 yrs.	"	
"	" ..	Mikaere te Papa and Hare Hemi Taharape	Apia Mikaere, f., 6 yrs.; Mere Mikaere, f., 5 yrs.	"	
"	" ..	Waata Tohu and Mohi Rangimauriora	Takana Rangimauriora, m., 20 yrs.; Koete Rangimauriora, m., 7 yrs.	Hokowhitu No. 4.	

Native Land taken for Portion of Maungakawa-Waiorongomai Road, Waitoa Road District.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this twenty-fourth day of February, 1887.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE THE PREMIER PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in him by "The Public Works Act, 1882," and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency Sir William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby order that the Government work known as the Maungakawa-Waiorongomai Road, in the Waitoa Road District, shall and may be constructed on or through the parcel of land mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

THE parcel of land mentioned hereunder:—

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in the Survey District of
A. R. P. 1 0 37·3	Avapikopiko Block, No. 1590	Maungakawa.

In the Provincial District of Auckland; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 14516, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Fixing Shooting Season for Imported Game, License Fee, &c., Taranaki District.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

IN exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and the Acts amending the same,

I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby notify that cock-pheasants and hares may be taken or killed within the Taranaki District, consisting of the Counties of Taranaki and Clifton, from the first day of May, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, to the thirty-first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, both inclusive (subject nevertheless to the restrictions in the said Acts mentioned). And I do further notify that licenses to take or kill such game within the said district shall be issued on payment of the sum of twenty shillings each, and that licenses to sell such game shall be issued on payment of the sum of five pounds each; and the Chief Postmaster at New Plymouth is hereby appointed to issue and sign the said licenses. And I do further notify that native game (excepting tuis) may be taken or killed within the said district from the first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, to the thirty-first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, both inclusive.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Shooting Season for Deer, Wellington and Wairarapa District.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

IN exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and "The Animals Protection Act Amendment Act, 1881," I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby notify that deer (bucks or stags only) may be taken or killed within the boundaries of the Wellington and Wairarapa District Acclimatisation Society's District, from the first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, till the tenth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, both days inclusive, subject, however, to the restrictions in the said Acts mentioned. And I do further notify that licenses to take or kill such game may be obtained from the Chief Postmaster at Wellington on payment of the sum of one pound each; and that the said Postmaster is hereby appointed to issue and sign the said licenses: Provided nevertheless that nothing herein contained shall extend to authorize any person to sell any deer or portion thereof under any license so obtained as aforesaid.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Vaccination Stations appointed, Onehunga, Patea, Masterton, Hampden, and Blueskin Districts.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Public Health Act, 1876," I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the several places mentioned in the second column of the Schedule hereto as and to be the places at which the Public Vaccinators appointed for the respective districts mentioned in the first column of the said Schedule shall attend for the performance of vaccination, as required by the said Act; and I do hereby give notice that each such Public Vaccinator will attend at the respective places aforesaid, for the purpose of performing such vaccination, on the days and at the hours set forth in the third column of the said Schedule opposite the name of each such place; and, further, that at each such place as last aforesaid the Public Vaccinator will attend, for the purpose of inspecting the progress of such vaccination in the persons so vaccinated, on the days and at the hours respectively set forth in the fourth column of the said Schedule opposite the name of each such place.

SCHEDULE.

District for which Public Vaccinator appointed.	Place where Vaccination to be performed.	Days and Hours fixed for Performance of Vaccination.	Days and Hours fixed for inspecting the Progress of Vaccination.
Onehunga..	The residence of Dr. Scott, Onehunga	Every Thursday, from 1 p.m. until 2 p.m.	Every Thursday, from 1 p.m. until 2 p.m.
Patea ..	The residence of Dr. Buckley, Egmont Street, Patea	First Tuesday in each month, at 2 p.m.	Second Tuesday in each month, at 2 p.m.
Masterton..	The residence of Mr. H. E. Elton, Queen Street, Masterton	Every Wednesday, from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m.	Every Wednesday, from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m.
Hampden	The Schoolroom at Hampden	The first Saturday in May and November, from 2.30 to 3 p.m.	The second Saturday in May and November, from 2.30 to 3 p.m.
Blueskin ..	The residence of Mr. Davidson, Waitati	First Wednesday in each month, from 12.30 p.m. until 1.30 p.m.	Second Wednesday in each month, from 12.30 p.m. until 1.30 p.m.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this tenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Trustees appointed for the Maintenance of the Campbelltown Public Cemetery.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the sixth section of "The Cemeteries Act, 1832," I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the several persons whose names are specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto to be Trustees to provide for the maintenance and care of the public cemetery specified in the second column of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Names of Trustees.	Name of Public Cemetery, and Description of Land.
Vincent Christopher Ransom. Samuel Knight. John Robert Harper. Wilson Douglas. John Dalton. William Hunt. Frederick Costall. John Hoban. William Tucker.	CAMPBELLTOWN. All that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 4 acres 3 roods 29 perches, more or less, situate in the Douglas Block, Block VIII., Te Kawan Survey District, in the Provincial District of Wellington, being part of Section No. 384. Bounded towards the North, East, and South by other portion of said Section No. 384; commencing at a point where the production across a public road of the northern boundary-line of Section No. 24 of Selection Block No. 2 strikes the western boundary of Section No. 384 aforesaid; the boundary proceeds thence Easterly on a bearing of 112° 42', true meridian, 500 links; thence Southerly by a line bearing 13° 27', 1000 links; thence Westerly by a line bearing 112° 42', 500 links, to a public road; thence Northerly by said public road to the starting-point, 1000 links: be the aforesaid linkages a little more or less.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this eleventh day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

ROBERT STOUT,
(For the Minister of Lands.)

Trustees appointed for the Maintenance of the Moutere Public Cemetery.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the sixth section of "The Cemeteries Act, 1832," I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the several persons whose names are specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto to be Trustees to provide for the maintenance and care of the public cemetery specified in the second column of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Names of Trustees.	Name of Public Cemetery, and Description of Land.
William Drummond. James Harvey. Sydney Cook. Charles Teece. Joseph Hewetson, jun.	MOUTERE HILLS. All that parcel of land containing by admeasurement 28 acres, more or less, situate in the Land District of Nelson, being Section No. 115, Moutere Hills. Bounded on the North-eastward by a public road; on the Eastward by a stopped road; on the South-westward by Section No. 35; and on the North-westward by a public road.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this eleventh day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

ROBERT STOUT,
(For the Minister of Lands.)

Members of Boards under "The Hospitals and Charitable Institutions Act, 1885," appointed.

Premier's Office,
Wellington, 15th March, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance of section 7 of "The Hospitals and Charitable Institutions Act, 1885," been pleased to appoint the gentlemen hereinafter named to be Members of the Boards for the borough and road and town districts set before their names respectively:—

Board.	District.	Name of Member.
Wairarapa Hospital Board	Greytown Borough	Hart Udy.
Pictou Hospital and Charitable Aid Board	Pelorus Road District and Havlock Town District, combined	John Hornby, John Alison Lambert, and William Kenington.

ROBERT STOUT.

Health Officer at Port Chalmers appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 10th March, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

RANDALL THOMAS MACDONNELL, Esq., to be a Health Officer, under section 105 of "The Public Health Act, 1876," for the Port of Dunedin, *vice* D. McCullum, Esq.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Public Vaccinators, Onehunga, Masterton, and Blueskin Districts, appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 10th March, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM GEORGE SCOTT, Esq., M.R.C.S.E., to be a Public Vaccinator, under "The Public Health Act, 1876," for the District of Onehunga; also to appoint

HENRY EDGAR ETON, Esq.,

to be a Public Vaccinator, under the said Act, for the District of Masterton; and also to appoint

HERBERT MACANDREW, Esq., M.B. M.S. Univ. Edin., to be a Public Vaccinator, under the said Act, for the District of Blueskin.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Inspectors of Weights and Measures appointed, Hauraki, Tauranga, and Waitaki.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 11th March, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable RICHARD STAPLETON

to be an Inspector of Weights and Measures, under "The Weights and Measures Act, 1868," for the District of Hauraki, *vice* Constable Stanton, transferred; also to appoint

Constable ALFRED STANTON

to be an Inspector of Weights and Measures, under the said Act, for the Counties of Tauranga and Rotorua and the Borough of Tauranga, *vice* Sergeant Cahill, transferred; also to appoint

Constable WILLIAM BETHEL

to be an Inspector of Weights and Measures, under the said Act, for the Counties of Waitaki and Waihemo and the boroughs therein, *vice* Constable Pascoe, resigned.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Registrar of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 15th March, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WYNAND GERRARDUS ANDRIES BOERS

to be Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths, and to be Vaccination Inspector, for the District of Pelorus, *vice* George Empson, transferred.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Licensing Committees appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 16th March, 1887.

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

Committee.	District.
George William Gane	Opunake.
Donald McGregor	
Henry James Newman	
Joseph Pennington	
John Stitt	
Thomas Clare	Moa.
James Baxter Connett	
Edward Olson	
Richard Price	
William Whitehouse	Picton.
Alfred Thomas Card	
Thomas Galloway	
Joseph Rowe Gard	
John Godfrey	Idaburn.
Peter Reid Sommerville	
William A. Johnstone	
William McDevitt	
Watson C. Turner	
George Turnbull	
William Wade	

Jos. A. TOLE.

Deputy-Sheriff appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 16th March, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint
EDWARD RAWSON
to be Deputy-Sheriff for the District of Poverty Bay.

Jos. A. TOLE.

Clerks of Courts appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 16th March, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint
Constable JOHN HADDOCK
to be Clerk of the Resident Magistrate's Court at Warkworth, and Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Mahurangi, *vice* Constable Neil McLeod, transferred; and
Constable NEIL McLEOD
to be Clerk of the Resident Magistrate's Court at Dargaville, and Clerk of the Licensing Committees for the Districts of Aratapu, Dargaville, and Okahu, *vice* Constable J. Haddock, transferred.

Jos. A. TOLE.

Police Gaoler appointed.

Department of Justice (Prisons Branch),
Wellington, 7th March, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint
Constable FRANK SCHULTZ
to be Police Gaoler at Herbertville.

Jos. A. TOLE.

Notice of Appointment of Licensed Interpreter under "The Native Land Court Act, 1886."

Native Office,
Wellington, 10th March, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to license
THOMAS WILLIAM LEWIS, Jun.,
of Wellington, to act as an Interpreter under "The Native Land Court Act, 1886."

J. BALLANCE.

Notice of Appointment of Assessor under "The Native Land Court Act, 1886."

Native Office,
Wellington, 11th March, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HORI TE TAURI,

of Tauranga, Taupo, to be an Assessor under "The Native Land Court Act, 1886."

J. BALLANCE.

Receiver of Gold Revenue and Mining Registrar appointed.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 10th March, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES McENNIS,

of Kumara, to be a Receiver of Gold Revenue and Mining Registrar for Goldsborough and Greenstone, in the Westland Mining District, as from the 20th January, 1887.

W. J. M. LARNACH.

Members of Timaru Harbour Board appointed.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 10th March, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased, in pursuance of the provisions of "The Harbours Act, 1878," and "The Timaru Harbour Board Act, 1882," to appoint

THOMAS TESCHEMAKER

to be a Member of the Timaru Harbour Board, the ratepayers of the Pareora District having failed to elect a member; and also to appoint

JOHN MANCHESTER

to be a Member of that Board, the ratepayers of the Maki-kiki District having failed to elect a member.

W. J. M. LARNACH.

Member of Wanganui Harbour Board appointed.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 10th March, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased, in pursuance of the provisions of section 41 of "The Harbours Act, 1878," to appoint

DAVID BLYTH

to be a Member of the Wanganui Harbour Board, the ratepayers of the County of Wanganui having elected only one member instead of two, as required by the Second Schedule to that Act.

W. J. M. LARNACH.

Member of Auckland Harbour Board appointed.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 14th March, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased, in pursuance of the provisions of "The Harbours Act, 1878," and "The Auckland Harbour Board Act, 1885," to appoint

CHARLES EDWARD BUTTON

to be a Member of the Auckland Harbour Board, the Northcote and Birkenhead Road Boards having neglected to elect a member.

W. J. M. LARNACH.

Members of Greymouth Harbour Board appointed.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 12th March, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor in Council has been pleased, in pursuance of the provisions of "The Harbours Act, 1878," and "The Greymouth Harbour Board Act, 1884," to appoint

MARTIN KENNEDY,
JAMES KERR, and
RICHARD JOHN SEDDON

to be Members of the Greymouth Harbour Board.

W. J. M. LARNACH.

Forest Ranger appointed.

General Crown Lands Office,
(State Forest and Agricultural Department),
Wellington, 12th March, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HENRY FRETWELL,

First-class Police Constable at Gore, to be an Assistant Forest Ranger under section 12 of "The New Zealand State Forests Act, 1885." The appointment to date from the 1st instant.

J. BALLANCE,
Commissioner of State Forests.

Appointment in New Zealand Militia.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 24th February, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the under-mentioned appointment:—

New Zealand Militia.

Major Alfred Edward Isaacs, New Zealand Volunteers, to be Major.

J. BALLANCE.

Volunteer Officer promoted.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 2nd March, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the under-mentioned promotion:—

Victoria Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant Edward Cooper to be Captain. Date of commission, 18th February, 1887.

J. BALLANCE.

Justice of the Peace resigned.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 16th March, 1887.

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

ALEXANDER GROVES DUFF, Esq.,

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

Jos. A. TOLE.

Wellington Sheep District declared clean.—Notice No. 226.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 9th March, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to declare the Wellington Sheep District to be a clean sheep district under "The Sheep Act, 1878."

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Oahanga Sheep District, County of Wairarapa North, declared infected.—Notice No. 227.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 9th March, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to declare the Oahanga Sheep District to be an infected sheep district under "The Sheep Act, 1878."

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Importation into Victoria of Cattle suffering from Tuberculosis prohibited.—Notice No. 225.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 12th March, 1887.

THE following letter respecting the importation into Victoria of cattle suffering from tuberculosis is published for general information.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Office of Chief Inspector of Sheep and Stock,
Melbourne, 18th February, 1887.

SIR,—I have the honour to direct your attention to the fact that the disease "tuberculosis in cattle" has, by an order of the Governor in Council dated the 25th January, 1887, been placed on the Second Schedule to the regulations dated the 19th March, 1880, under "The Diseases in Stock Act, 1872," of this colony. The result of this step will be that cattle suffering from tuberculosis will be dealt with in Victoria in the same manner as cattle suffering from pleuro.

You will perhaps deem it desirable to disseminate this information amongst stockowners in New Zealand.

I have, &c.,

EDWARD M. CURR,
Chief Inspector of Stock.

The Chief Inspector of Stock, New Zealand.

[Extracts from Notification published in *New Zealand Gazette*, 10th January, 1884.—Notice No. 150.]

REGULATIONS UNDER "THE DISEASES IN STOCK ACT, 1872."

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the nineteenth day of March, 1880.

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5. *Prohibition of the Introduction of Stock found to be diseased.*—The introduction of any stock mentioned in the Third Schedule hereto into the colony, either by sea or land, found to be suffering from any of the diseases mentioned in the Second Schedule hereto, is prohibited.

Second Schedule.

Catarrh, Cumberland disease, foot-and-mouth disease, glanders, small-pox in sheep, scab, pleuro-pneumonia, rinderpest, murrain, typhoid fever in pigs.

Third Schedule.

Bull, cow, ox, calf, bison, buffalo, mare, gelding, foal, stallion, ass, mule, ram, ewe, wether, lamb, pig.

Application for Registration of a Trade Mark.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 16th March, 1887.

NOTICE is hereby given that J. KITCHEN & SONS & APOLLO COMPANY, LIMITED, of Wellington, in the Colony of New Zealand, has applied to register, under "The Trade Marks Act, 1866," the trade mark of which the following is a description, viz:—

Description of Trade Mark.

A white-paper label, in the centre of which is printed, in blue ink, the representation of a steamer with full sails set, and going at full speed through the water. At the ends of the label are the words "British sperm candles."

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

Candles.

P. A. BUCKLEY,

Colonial Secretary and Registrar of Trade Marks.

Application for Registration of a Trade Mark.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 15th March, 1887.

NOTICE is hereby given that RICHARD WOORTON, of Upper Queen Street, Auckland, in the Colony of New Zealand, has applied to register, under "The Trade Marks Act, 1866," the trade mark of which the following is a description, viz:—

Description of Trade Mark.

The words "Newton Baking Powder."

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

Baking powder.

P. A. BUCKLEY,

Colonial Secretary and Registrar of Trade Marks.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan, Mount Eden Road District, County of Eden.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 12th March, 1887

THE following notice of the result of the poll for a proposed loan, Mount Eden District, is published in accordance with "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1886."

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Mount Eden Road District,
Auckland, 7th March, 1887.

SIR,—I have the honour to forward, for insertion in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the result of the poll taken in the Mount Eden Special Water-supply District on the proposals as advertised in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1886."

I have, &c.,

J. STICKLEY,

The Hon. the Colonial Secretary.

Clerk.

MOUNT EDEN WATER-SUPPLY SPECIAL DISTRICT.

RESULT of poll of ratepayers, taken on the 5th March, 1887, on the proposals to raise a loan for the following purposes:—

Subsection 1. To provide a water-supply for the district.

Subsection 2. The sum proposed to be borrowed is £7,500; cost of raising loan or interest for one year during construction not to be paid out of loan.

Subsection 5. A special annual recurring rate of three-eighths of a penny in the pound on the rateable value of the property in the special district to be supplied with water.

Number of ratepayers on the special roll, 554; entitled to 638 votes.

Number who voted for proposals.. 353, entitled to 407 votes.

Number against proposals .. 1, entitled to 1 vote.

Informal 1, entitled to 2 votes.

Number of ratepayers who voted.. 355, entitled to 410 votes.

Number who did not record their votes, 199; representing 225 votes.

Total number against the proposals, 201; representing 228 votes.

Majority of ratepayers in favour of proposals, 152.

Majority of votes in excess of the half the number to which the whole of the ratepayers were entitled, 88.

The proposals were therefore carried.

R. UDY,
Chairman, Mount Eden Road District.
Auckland, 7th March, 1887.

Result of Polls for Proposed Loans, Featherston Road District, County of Wairarapa South.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 12th March, 1887.

THE following notice of the results of polls for proposed loans, Featherston Road District, are published in accordance with "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1886."
P. A. BUCKLEY.

Featherston Road Board Office,
Featherston, 5th March, 1887.

SIR,—I have the honour to forward herewith, for publication in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the result of polls taken under the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1886," in Nos. 5 and 6 Subdistricts of this Board:—

No. 6 SUBDISTRICT SPECIAL RATING DISTRICT.

Poll taken on the 2nd day of March, 1887, on the proposal to borrow £2,000 for the construction of a bridge over the Ruamahunga River at Kahautara, and to levy a special rate of three-sixteenths of a penny in the pound to meet the repayments of such loan:—

For the proposal .. 6 ratepayers, with 22 votes.
Against the proposal .. None.

Votes not recorded .. 4 ratepayers, with 16 votes.

As a majority of the number of ratepayers, having a majority of the total number of votes exercisable, voted in favour of the proposal, I declare the same duly carried.

JOHN TULLY,
Chairman, Featherston Road Board.

5th March, 1887.

No. 5 SUBDISTRICT SPECIAL RATING DISTRICT.

Poll taken on the 3rd day of March, 1887, on the proposal to borrow £500 for the formation of roads in such special rating district:—

For the proposal .. 2 ratepayers, with 2 votes.
Against the proposal .. 5 ratepayers, with 16 votes.

As a majority of the total number of ratepayers, having a majority of the total number of votes, did not vote in favour of the proposal, I declare the same rejected.

JOHN TULLY,
Chairman, Featherston Road Board.

5th March, 1887.

The Hon the Colonial Secretary.

Revocation of Appointment of Bonding Warehouses.

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

Port of Nelson.

The warehouse known as

SCLANDERS AND Co's. BOND,

as appointed and described in Commissioner's Order No. 89, of the 1st March, 1876.

Port of Kaipara.

The warehouse known as

MITCHELSON'S BOND,

as appointed and described in Commissioner's Order No. 110, of the 6th July, 1878.

Given under my hand, at Wellington, this eighth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

JULIUS VOGEL,
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

Commissioner's Order No. 260.]

Approving and appointing a Bonding Warehouse.

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

Port of Nelson.

A two-storey building, constructed of wood and iron, situated on reclamation near Railway Wharf, Nelson, to be known as

SCLANDERS AND Co's. BOND.

Given under my hand, at Wellington, this eleventh day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

JULIUS VOGEL,
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.
Commissioner's Order No. 261.]

Recorders under "The Native Land Court Act, 1886," appointed.

Native Office,
Wellington, 15th March, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has, under powers conferred by section 15 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1886," been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned Resident Magistrates to be Recorders of the Native Land Court for the districts specified opposite the name of each respectively, from the 1st instant, viz. :—

HELYAR WEDDERBURN BISHOP	THE BAY OF ISLANDS RECORDER'S DISTRICT: All that area in the Provincial District of Auckland known as the Bay of Islands Resident Magistrate's District, as described in the <i>New Zealand Gazette</i> No. 13, 3rd March, 1868.
JAMES STEPHENSON CLENDON	THE KAIPARA RECORDER'S DISTRICT: All that area in the Provincial District of Auckland known as the Whangarei Resident Magistrate's District, as described in the <i>New Zealand Gazette</i> No. 42, 2nd June, 1881; and the Kaipara Resident Magistrate's District, as described in the <i>New Zealand Gazette</i> No. 34, 17th June, 1886.
ROBERT SMELT BUSH	THE OPOTIKI RECORDER'S DISTRICT: All that area in the Provincial District of Auckland known as the Opotiki Resident Magistrate's District, as described in the <i>New Zealand Gazette</i> No. 78, 12th August, 1880.
GEORGE AUGUSTUS PREECE	THE HAWKE'S BAY RECORDER'S DISTRICT: All that area in the Provincial Districts of Auckland, Hawke's Bay, and Wellington known as the Napier and Waipukurau Resident Magistrates' Districts, as described in the <i>New Zealand Gazette</i> No. 19, 14th February, 1884.
JAMES BOOTH	THE POVERTY BAY RECORDER'S DISTRICT: All that area in the Provincial Districts of Auckland and Hawke's Bay known as the Waipapu Resident Magistrate's District, as described in the <i>New Zealand Gazette</i> No. 44, 17th May, 1877; and the Poverty Bay and the Wairoa Resident Magistrates' Districts, as described in the <i>New Zealand Gazette</i> No. 78, 12th August, 1880.
SPENCER WILLIAM VON STURMER	THE WAIRARAPA RECORDER'S DISTRICT: All that area in the Provincial District of Wellington known as the Wairarapa Resident Magistrate's District, as described in the <i>New Zealand Gazette</i> No. 19, 14th February, 1884.
CHARLES ALLEN WRAY	THE TARANAKI RECORDER'S DISTRICT: All that area in the Provincial Districts of Auckland, Taranaki, and Wellington known as the Taranaki Resident Magistrate's District, as described in the <i>New Zealand Gazette</i> No. 103, 11th September, 1884; and the Patea Resident Magistrate's District, as described in the <i>New Zealand Gazette</i> No. 103, 11th September, 1884.

J. BALLANCE,
Native Minister.

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

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

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

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

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

Na he tono tenei ki a koutou ki ia tangata ki ia tangata hoki o koutou nga tangata na ratou aua whenua kia utua e koutou aua reiti a te 25 o nga ra o Maehe, 1887, i mua mai ranei o taua ra, me utu e koutou aua moni reiti i te tari o te poari o te takiwa i takoto ai aua whenua, tena te whakaaturanga kei te Kupu Apiti.

KUPU APITI.

Te Ingoa o te Poari Takiwa.	Te Tari o te Poari Takiwa e utua ai nga Moni Reiti.
Rori Poata o Castlepoint ..	Te Nui.
Rori Poata o Clive ..	Hastings, Hawke's Bay.
Rori Poata o Egmont ..	New Plymouth.
Rori Poata o Elliott ..	Elliott.
Rori Poata o Havelock ..	Havelock, Hawke's Bay.
Kaute Kaunihera o Hawke's Bay	Napier.
Poata o te Taone o Lower Hutt ..	Lower Hutt.
Rori Poata o Okahu ..	Mititai.
Rori Poata o Patea ki te Rawhiti	Patea.
Rori Poata o Patea ki te Hauauru	Patea.
Rori Poata o Pirongia ..	Harapepe.
Rori Poata o Rangiaohia ..	Te Awamutu.
Kaute Kaunihera o Taieri ..	Mosgiel.
Rori Poata o Maungakaramea ..	Maungakaramea.

He mea tuhi nei toku ingoa i tenei te 16 o nga ra o Maehe, 1887.

JULIUS VOGEL,
Minita Whakahaere i nga Moni o te Koroni.

[TRANSLATION.]

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

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

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

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

And you and each and every of you, the owners of the said lands, are hereby required and directed to pay the said rates on or before the 25th day of March, 1887, 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.
Castlepoint Road Board ..	Te Nui.
Clive Road Board ..	Hastings, Hawke's Bay.
Egmont Road Board ..	New Plymouth.
Elliott Road Board ..	Elliott.
Havelock Road Board ..	Havelock, Hawke's Bay.
Hawke's Bay County Council ..	Napier.
Lower Hutt Town Board ..	Lower Hutt.
Okahu Road Board ..	Mititai.
Patea East Road Board ..	Patea.
Patea West Road Board ..	Patea.
Pirongia Road Board ..	Harapepe.
Rangiaohia Road Board ..	Te Awamutu.
Taieri County Council ..	Mosgiel.
Maungakaramea Road Board ..	Maungakaramea.

As witness my hand this sixteenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

JULIUS VOGEL,
Colonial Treasurer.

Additional Regulations for Examination of Candidates for Engineers' Certificates of Competency.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 14th March, 1887.

IN pursuance of the power vested in me by the 24th and 25th sections of "The Shipping and Seamen's Act, 1877," I do hereby make the following additional regulations for the examination of candidates for engineers' certificates of competency, the same being identical with regulations recently issued by the Board of Trade; and I do hereby order that they shall come into force on the 1st day of April next.

W. J. M. LARNACH:

SERVICE ON A LAKE OR RIVER.

IN addition to the required workshop-time, service on a lake or river, in a steamer in which the aggregate piston-area of the propelling engines proper amounts to at least 2,000 circular inches, will be accepted towards qualifying a candidate to be examined for a certificate of competency, as follows :—

Two months of river or lake service, in a capacity not lower than that of third engineer, may be deemed equivalent to one month of sea service, provided that—

For a second-class certificate, not less than three months of the qualifying service must be actual sea service, and that

For a first-class certificate, at least six months of the qualifying service must have been at sea in a grade not below that of third engineer, where an engineer of a lower grade is carried.

During the last eighteen months of this service the candidate must have been in possession of a second-class engineer's certificate of competency.

Tenders.

Public Works Office,
Wellington, 15th March, 1887.

THE following list of successful and unsuccessful tenders is published for general information.

EDWARD RICHARDSON,
Minister for Public Works.

OTAGO CENTRAL RAILWAY.—SILVER PEAK BRIDGES, MASONRY CONTRACT.

	Accepted.	£	s.	d.
W. J. A. Sanderson, Oamaru	18,410	17	9
<i>Declined.</i>				
Hamilton and Barclay, Oamaru	21,175	0	0
J. Whittaker and Co., Dunedin	21,534	12	0
G. Sangster and Co., Dunedin	24,539	0	0
Black and Allison, Dunedin	25,200	6	9
D. McIntyre and Co., Dunedin	25,605	8	0
T. H. Downes, Dunedin	26,050	0	0

Tenders.

Public Works Office,
Wellington, 15th March, 1887.

THE following list of successful and unsuccessful tenders is published for general information.

EDWARD RICHARDSON,
Minister for Public Works.

NORTH ISLAND MAIN TRUNK RAILWAY.—WAITETI
CONTRACT.

<i>Accepted.</i>		£	s.	d.
J. and A. Anderson, Christchurch ..	..	57,858	17	0
<i>Declined.</i>				
W. G. Bassett, Auckland ..	..	58,638	0	0
John Briton and Co., Auckland ..	..	61,100	0	0
Alexander and McFarlane, Wanganui ..	..	63,018	3	0
Foughey and Darrell, Auckland ..	..	63,773	10	2
Edgar and Co., Auckland ..	..	69,583	8	6
D. Fallon, Auckland ..	..	69,645	7	5
Coates and Metcalfe, Te Awamutu ..	..	74,289	2	0
H. Reid and Co., Auckland ..	..	78,823	0	0
Lovett, White, and Co., Auckland ..	..	..	..	..

[Messrs. Lovett and White were the lowest tenderers, but declined to take up the contract.]

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

IN accordance with section 144 of "The Public Works Act, 1882," I, Edward Richardson, the Minister for Public Works, do hereby make the following alterations in and additions to the scale of charges, to come into force from and after the 21st day of March, 1887:—

PART IV.—LOCAL RATES.

HURUNUI—BLUFF.—LYTTELTON.

Goods for Transhipment.

When goods are landed ex ship and taken into shed for delivery, they will be charged 8s. per ton according to ships' manifest, or by weight or measurement, at the option of the department, including one week's storage. If examined by the Customs, 1s. per ton in addition will be charged where an extra removal of the goods from the examination shed is entailed. If left on the railway premises more than one week, storage will be charged at the following rates:—

For each additional week or fraction of a week up to the sixth week inclusive, for each ton or fraction of a ton 6d.

For each additional week or fraction of a week, for each ton or fraction of a ton 3d.

As witness my hand this eighteenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

EDWARD RICHARDSON,
Minister for Public Works.

Bonus for Canned and Cured Fish for Export.

Treasury Department,
Wellington, 10th November, 1885.

IT is hereby notified that bonuses under "The Fisheries Encouragement Act, 1885," as set forth in the following sections (Nos. 8, 9, and 10) of that Act, will be paid subject to the conditions named therein, and in the regulations contained in the Order in Council of even date herewith.

JULIUS VOGEL.

8. In order to encourage the production and curing of fish for export, the Colonial Treasurer shall during the next seven years after the passing of this Act, without further appropriation by Parliament, pay out of the Consolidated Fund to any person who shall prepare canned and cured fish for export, and actually export the same from the colony, a bonus or bonuses upon the quantity of canned and cured fish prepared and exported by such person as hereinafter mentioned, that is to say,—

(1.) In respect of the first 200 tons avoirdupois of fish canned with or without oil, the sum of 1d. per pound, the weight of the cans not to be included in the tonnage upon which such bonus is paid;

(2.) In respect of every ton avoirdupois of fish canned as aforesaid beyond the first 200 tons, the sum of ½d. per pound, the weight of the cans not to be included in the tonnage upon which such bonus is paid;

(3.) In respect of cured fish the bonus to be paid shall be respectively ½d. and ¾d. a pound under similar conditions, as far as the same are applicable to those contained in the two last subsections.

9. The total tonnage upon which the Treasurer may grant bonuses as aforesaid under this Act shall not exceed 6,000 tons.

10. Every person intending to apply for the grant of a bonus shall register a special trade-mark under the laws for the time being in force in New Zealand providing for the registration of trade-marks, such trade-mark to be used for all cured and canned fish to be prepared for export by such person, and shall, within six years after the passing of this Act, give notice to the Treasurer of his intention to export canned and cured fish with a view to applying for a bonus, and shall append to such notice a copy of such trade-mark; and all cases, barrels, or cans containing fish cured and

canned for export by any such person shall, before exportation, be marked with the trade-mark so registered by him, and no part of any such bonus shall be payable except in respect of cases, barrels, or cans so marked.

Progress-payments for Exported Fish.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Wellington, 24th September, 1886.

WITH reference to the notification in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 12th November, 1885, respecting the payment of bonuses to persons who prepare canned and cured fish for export under regulations published on the same date, it is hereby notified that progress-payments on account of such bonuses, claimed in accordance with those regulations, will now be made by this department. Claims to be for quantities not less than one ton net weight, and to be sent through the Collector of Customs at the port from which the fish was exported.

JULIUS VOGEL.

Rewards offered for the Discovery of New Goldfields.—Amended Conditions.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 16th March, 1885.

REWARDS are offered for the discovery of new goldfields, 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 goldfield 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 goldfield, 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 goldfield 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 approved 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 goldfields, and will forfeit all claim to reward.

Additional Regulation as to Payment of Rewards for Discovery of New Goldfields.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 23rd June, 1886.

THE following additional regulation for the payment of rewards for the discovery of new goldfields, recommended by the Goldfields Committee on the 22nd June, 1886, having been adopted by the Government, is published for general information.

This regulation applies to the notifications published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 19th March and 29th October, 1885, offering rewards for gold discoveries.

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

ADDITIONAL REGULATION.

No claim for a reward for the discovery of gold will be considered by the Goldfields Committee unless such claim be made within one year from the date of the discovery.

Authority to frank.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 15th March, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to authorize

The INSPECTOR OF MINES, DUNEDIN,
to frank letters and parcels on the public service.

JULIUS VOGEL,
Postmaster-General.

Authority to frank.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 15th March, 1887.
HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to authorize
The CLERK TO THE NATIVE LAND COURT, AUCKLAND,
to frank letters, telegrams, and parcels on the public service.
JULIUS VOGEL,
Postmaster-General.

Money Order and Savings Bank Office opened.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 15th March, 1887.
IT is hereby notified for general information that a Money
Order and Savings Bank Office will be opened at
PAHIATUA (Chief Office, Wellington),
from the 24th instant.
W. GRAY,
Secretary.

Money Order Office opened.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 15th March, 1887.
IT is hereby notified for general information that a Money
Order Office will be opened at
HYDE (Chief Office, Dunedin),
from the 24th proximo.
W. GRAY,
Secretary.

Officiating Ministers for 1887.—Notice No. 5.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 11th March, 1887.
PURSUANT to the provisions of an Act of the General
Assembly of New Zealand, passed in the forty-fourth
year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, and intitled
"The Marriage Act, 1880," the following names of Offi-
ciating Ministers within the meaning of the said Act are
published for general information:—
*Church of the Province of New Zealand, commonly called
the Church of England.*
The Reverend Edward Andrew Phillips, B.A.
The Reverend George Grantham Collins, B.A.
Hebrew Congregations.
The Reverend Isaac Zachariah.
Casper Joseph Leven, Esq.

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

[In the above notice the name "Casper Joseph Leven" is
published in substitution for the name "Charles Joseph
Leven," given in *Gazette* No. 5, of the 20th January, 1887.]

Branch of Friendly Society registered.

Friendly Societies' Registry Office,
Wellington, 9th March, 1887.
THE Loyal Mercury Bay Lodge, No. 6602, situated at
Mercury Bay, is registered as a branch of the Auck-
land District of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, Man-
chester Unity, under "The Friendly Societies Act, 1882,"
this 9th day of March, 1887.
EDMUND MASON,
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

"The Native Land Administration Act, 1886."

Native Office,
Wellington, 4th December, 1886.
To Persons having dealings with Natives for Land in-
complete on the 1st day of January, 1887.

ATENTION is hereby called to the provisions of
sections 1, 24, and 25 of "The Native Land Adminis-
tration Act, 1886," which said sections are set out in
Schedule A herein.

A printed form of the notification mentioned in the said
section 24 may be obtained on application to a Registrar of
the Native Land Court.

The notification should be signed in duplicate by the
person making it, and should contain such particulars of the
purchase or lease intended to be notified as will show clearly
the nature of the transaction alleged.

One of such duplicates should be delivered to a Commis-
sioner under the above Act, and the other to the Chief Judge
of the Native Land Court. Such delivery may be personal
or by post in a registered letter.

The burden of proving delivery will be upon the party
asserting it.

Notifications under section 24 must be so delivered as to
reach the Commissioner and the Chief Judge of the Native
Land Court respectively before the 1st day of April, 1887.

SCHEDULE A.

SECTION 1. The Short Title of this Act is "The Native Land
Administration Act, 1886." It shall come into operation on
the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and
eighty-seven.

Section 24. A person who may claim to have heretofore
purchased or leased the share or interest of some out of
several owners of land (the title whereto was not at the time
of such purchase or lease subject to any restriction preclud-
ing such purchase or lease) may, within three months after
the coming into operation of this Act, notify the fact of such
purchase or lease to the Commissioner and also to the Chief
Judge of the Court, and it shall thereupon be a duty of a
Judge to inquire into the circumstances thereof, and who, if
satisfied that there had been a purchase or lease as alleged,
and that the transaction was *bonâ fide*, and that a fair value
or rent was given or reserved, may give his certificate to that
effect to the person alleging himself to be such purchaser or
lessee, who shall transmit the same to the Commissioner.

Section 25. Upon the grant of such certificate the person
therein named,—

- (a.) If a purchaser, shall be the owner of the share of his
vendor in the land the subject of such purchase, and
shall be entitled to have partitioned to him in severalty
such part of the land as the Court may deem just;
- (b.) Or he may within one month after the date of the
certificate give notice to the Commissioner that he is
desirous of purchasing the shares or interests which
he has not already acquired, and in such case he
may, on obtaining a certificate from a Judge that
such Judge is satisfied that he had, before the first
day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-
six, obtained the signature of one or more owner or
owners to a writing purporting or agreeing to convey
the share or interest of the persons signing, at any
time within twelve months from the said first day of
July, but not afterwards, purchase all or any of such
shares or interests.

If all such outstanding shares or interests are not pur-
chased, he shall be entitled to have partitioned to him
such part of the land as the Court may deem just;

- (c.) If a lessee, shall be entitled to have the share of his
lessors in the land comprised in his lease ascertained,
and partition made thereof to such lessors, and shall
be entitled to hold his lease subject to the terms
thereof until its expiry;

- (d.) Or he may, within one month after the date of the
certificate, give notice to the Commissioner that he is
desirous of obtaining a lease of all or some of the
owners who have not already granted him a lease, and
in such case he may, on obtaining a certificate from a
Judge that such Judge is satisfied that he had, before
the first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and
eighty-six, obtained the signature of one or more
owner or owners to a writing purporting to be or agree-
ment to grant a lease of the land or of the share or
interest of the person signing, at any time within
twelve months from the first day of July, one thousand
eight hundred and eighty-six, but not afterwards,
obtain a lease of all or any of such shares or interests
for the same term as he holds the shares or interests
acquired before the coming into operation of this Act.

If a lease of all such outstanding shares or interests is
not acquired within the said twelve months, he shall
be entitled to have the shares of his then lessors
ascertained and partition made thereof, and shall be
entitled to hold his lease subject to the terms thereof
until its expiry; and

It shall be a duty of the Court to effect such partitions as
aforesaid, the purchaser or lessee in whose interest it is made
paying all Court fees and the charges for survey in respect of
the land the subject of such purchase or lease.

T. W. LEWIS,
Under-Secretary.

Application for a Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 10th March, 1887.
PATENT for an Invention for an Improved Washing-
machine, to be known as "The Perfection Washing-
machine."
HENRY EDWARDS, of Ghuznee Street, Cabinet-maker, and
GEORGE EDWARDS, of Hanson Street, Laundry Engineer,
both of Wellington, New Zealand, have deposited at this
office a specification of the said invention; and I have

appointed Tuesday, the 31st day of May 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 May next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

No. 2252.

F. WALDEGRAVE,
Deputy Patent Officer.

Application for a Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 11th March, 1887.

PATENT for an Invention for an Improved Gum Spear, to be called "Smith's Patent Gum Spear."

JOHN SMITH, of Kyber Pass, Auckland, New Zealand, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Tuesday, the 31st day of May 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 May next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

No. 2253.

F. WALDEGRAVE,
Deputy Patent Officer.

Application for a Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 11th March, 1887.

PATENT for an Invention for an Improved Means for creating an Even and Regular Draught through the Tubes or Flues of Steam Boilers.

MARIE AUGUSTIN DESPERISSIS, of Barkly Street, St. Kilda, Victoria, Sugar Manufacturer, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Thursday, 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.

No. 2254.

F. WALDEGRAVE,
Deputy Patent Officer.

Application for a Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 11th March, 1887.

PATENT for an Invention for Improvements in the Construction of Spring Mattresses.

ARCHIBALD MCFARLAND, of No. 2, Hotham Street, East Melbourne, Victoria, Gentleman, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Tuesday, the 31st day of May 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 May next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

No. 2255.

F. WALDEGRAVE,
Deputy Patent Officer.

Application for a Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 12th March, 1887.

PATENT for an Invention for Improvement in Rock-drills (being a communication from abroad by HENRY CLARK SERGEANT, of New York, in the United States of America, Engineer).

HENRY SHAW SMITH, a Member of the Firm of H. P. GREGORY AND COMPANY, of Sydney, New South Wales, Machinery Merchants, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Tuesday, the 31st day of May 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 May next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

No. 2256.

F. WALDEGRAVE,
Deputy Patent Officer.

Application for a Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 12th March, 1887.

PATENT for an Invention for the Better and More Efficacious Distribution of Poisoned Grain or other Poison for the Destruction of Birds.

BARTHOLOMEW HUGHES, of Ashburton, New Zealand, Accountant, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Tuesday, the 31st day of May 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 May next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

No. 2257.

F. WALDEGRAVE,
Deputy Patent Officer.

Application for a Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 14th March, 1887.

PATENT for an Invention for Mechanical Circus Riders' Trainer.

DANIEL JOHN FITZGERALD, of Christchurch, New Zealand, Circus Proprietor, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Thursday, the 2nd day of June 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 18th day of May next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

No. 2258.

F. WALDEGRAVE,
Deputy Patent Officer.

Application for a Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 16th March, 1887.

PATENT for an Invention for Improvements in the Manufacture and Production of a new Washing-machine, to be called and known as "Vine's Turbine Steam-washer."

HENRY GRAFTON VINE, of Dunedin, Otago, New Zealand, Salesman, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Thursday, the 2nd day of June 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 18th day of May next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

No. 2260.

F. WALDEGRAVE,
Deputy Patent Officer.

Application for a Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 16th March, 1887.

PATENT for an Invention for filtering Water, to be called "Roberts's Patent Automatic Filter."

ROBERT JONES ROBERTS, of Victoria Arcade, Auckland, New Zealand, Architect, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Thursday, the 2nd day of June 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 18th day of May next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

No. 2261.

F. WALDEGRAVE,
Deputy Patent Officer.

Rule under "The Supreme Court Act, 1882."

WE, three of the Judges of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, in pursuance of the powers vested in us by "The Supreme Court Act, 1882," do hereby make the following rule respecting the times for holding sittings of the Supreme Court in the several judicial districts:—

The expression "public holiday," where used in any rule heretofore made appointing sittings of the Supreme Court in the said judicial districts, shall be deemed to mean such days as are holidays in the Supreme Court or the offices thereof.

Given under our hands, at Christchurch, this tenth day of March, 1887.

JAMES PRENDERGAST.
ALEXANDER J. JOHNSTON.
C. W. RICHMOND.

Annual Balance-sheet of the Invercargill Savings Bank.

STATEMENT of the Receipts and Payments of the Invercargill Savings Bank for the Year 1886.

RECEIPTS.		£	s.	d.
Cash in hand, 1st January, 1886	..	1,731	0	3
Amount lodged by depositors	..	6,247	12	8
Interest added during the year	..	18	16	10
Interest added, 31st December, 1886	..	412	4	4
Interest on mortgages, &c.	..	612	4	10
Interests on deposits in National Bank	..	87	8	3
Mortgages repaid	..	1,225	0	0
		<u>£10,334</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>2</u>
PAYMENTS.		£	s.	d.
Repaid depositors	..	6,120	8	2
Interest credited depositors	..	431	1	2
Charges account	..	238	15	6
Invested on mortgage	..	640	0	0
Cash in bank	..	582	8	5
Deposits in bank	..	2,200	0	0
Cash in hand	..	121	13	11
		<u>£10,334</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>2</u>

THOMAS BRODRICK, Manager.

We hereby certify that we have examined the above statement of the receipts and expenditure of the Invercargill Savings Bank, and that, to the best of our belief, it contains a true and correct statement of all the transactions of the bank during the year, and that the balance in the bank and cash in hand amount to £2,904 2s. 4d.

Wm. P. GRIGOR, Vice-President.
ROBT. TAPPER,
J. WALKER BAIN,
P. L. GILKISON, } Trustees.
J. S. MARTIN,
M. INSTONE,
D. L. MATHESON, } Auditors.

STATEMENT of the Assets and Liabilities on the 31st December, 1886.

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
To Amount invested on mortgage	..	7,565	0	0
Cash in National Bank	..	2,782	8	5
Cash in hand	..	121	13	11
		<u>£10,469</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>4</u>
Balance	..	£274	3	2
LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
By Amount due 407 depositors	..	10,194	19	2
Balance	..	274	3	2
		<u>£10,469</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>4</u>

THOMAS BRODRICK, Manager.

We hereby certify that, to the best of our belief, the above is a true and correct statement of the assets and liabilities of the Invercargill Savings Bank on the 31st December, 1886.

M. INSTONE,
D. L. MATHESON,
J. WALKER BAIN,
P. L. GILKISON, } Trustees.
J. S. MARTIN,
ROBT. TAPPER, }

We hereby certify that the balance at the credit of the Invercargill Savings Bank on the 31st December, 1886, was £2,782 8s. 5d.

W. R. ROBERTSON, Manager.
J. WOLFERSTAN, Acting-Accountant.
Wm. P. GRIGOR, Vice-President.

Annual Balance-sheet of Dunedin Savings Bank.

STATEMENT of the Receipts and Payments of the Dunedin Savings Bank for the year ending 31st December, 1886.

RECEIPTS.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance from 1885	..	..	..	..	1,806	3	8
Lodged by depositors	..	..	..	..	42,162	13	10
Interest on loans	..	4,909	17	6	..	..	..
Interest on bank deposit and current account	..	457	17	4	..	..	..
Interest on Equitable Investment Company	..	20	19	2	..	..	..
					<u>5,388</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>0</u>
Insurance premiums	..	..	..	..	57	12	9
Rent	..	..	..	..	150	0	0
Fines	..	..	..	..	0	9	10
Bank deposit	..	..	..	..	6,000	0	0
Equitable Investment Company	..	..	..	..	1,000	0	0
Loans repaid	..	..	..	..	4,682	16	3
					<u>£60,748</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>4</u>
PAYMENTS.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Withdrawn by depositors	..	40,471	6	4	..	..	..
Charges	..	760	17	4	..	..	..
Loans granted	..	11,560	2	8	..	..	..
Fire insurance premiums advanced	..	55	16	9	..	..	..
Bank deposit	..	5,500	0	0	..	..	..
Cheque dishonoured	..	27	2	4	..	..	..
Rates advanced	..	27	12	11	..	..	..
Balance in bank	..	2,345	12	0	..	..	..
					<u>£60,748</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>4</u>

We hereby certify that we have examined the above statement of receipts and payments of the Dunedin Savings Bank, have compared the same with the books of the bank, and that, to the best of our knowledge and belief, it contains a true and correct account of all transactions of the bank. We have also seen securities for the investments, and compared the depositors' ledger balances and cash account with the bank pass-book.

WILLIAM BROWN, } Auditors.
R. C. MOODIE, }

Dunedin, 28th January, 1887.

STATEMENT of Assets and Liabilities, 31st December, 1886.

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Cash in bank	..	2,373	2	10	..	..	..
Less outstanding cheques	..	27	10	10	..	..	..
					2,345	12	0
Bank deposit	..	6,000	0	0	..	..	..
Accrued interest thereon	..	151	18	9	..	..	..
Accrued current account	..	1	16	7	..	..	..
					<u>6,153</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>4</u>
Land and building	..	..	..	..	4,069	14	4
Rent due	..	..	..	..	37	10	0
Loans on mortgage	..	79,792	19	5	..	..	..
Accrued interest thereon	..	1,802	10	1	..	..	..
					<u>81,595</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>6</u>
Insurance premiums advanced	..	..	..	..	11	0	6
					<u>£94,213</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>8</u>
LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Due to depositors	..	84,625	6	1	..	..	..
Due to suspense account	..	2	10	0	..	..	..
Assets in excess of liabilities	..	9,585	5	7	..	..	..
					<u>£94,213</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>8</u>

We have seen the securities for the above assets, and compared the depositors' ledger balances, and found the above statement correct.

WILLIAM BROWN, } Auditors.
R. C. MOODIE, }

Dunedin, 28th January, 1887.

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT.

1886.		Dr.	£	s.	d.
Dec. 31. To Charges	760	17	4
Interest credited depositors	3,843	0	5
Balance	1,046	2	0
			<u>£5,649</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>9</u>

1886.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
Dec. 31. By Interest on investments	..	5,499	9	11
Rent	..	150	0	0
Fines	..	0	9	10
		<u>£5,649</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>9</u>

BALANCE ACCOUNT.

1886.	DR.	£	s.	d.
Dec. 31. To balance	..	9,585	5	7
1885.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
Dec. 31. By balance	..	8,539	3	7
1886.				
Dec. 31. By profit and loss	..	1,046	2	0
		<u>£9,585</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>7</u>
		£	s.	d.
By balance	..	9,585	5	7

Audited and found correct.

WILLIAM BROWN, }
R. C. MOODIE, } Auditors.

Dunedin, 28th January, 1887.

Annual Balance-sheet of the Hokitika Savings Bank.

STATEMENT of the Receipts and Payments of the Hokitika Savings Bank for the year ending 31st December, 1886.

RECEIPTS.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Cash on hand 31st December, 1885	..	..	..	1,500	15	6
Amount lodged by depositors	4,589	18	2			
Interest credited during year	..	21	7	0		
Interest credited on 31st December, 1886	..	443	3	6		
				<u>5,054</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>2</u>
Interest on mortgages	..	..	..	893	4	7
Interest on deposits with Union Bank of Australia, Limited	..	..	..	57	14	3
Mortgages repaid	..	..	..	2,896	11	8
				<u>£10,402</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>2</u>

PAYMENTS.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Repaid depositors	..	4,391	5	9		
Interest credited depositors	..	464	11	0		
				<u>4,855</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>9</u>
Charges	..	..	..	187	19	2
Invested on mortgage	..	..	..	3,903	11	3
Cash balance, namely,—						
In Union Bank of Australia (Limited) on fixed deposit	1,300	0	0			
In Union Bank of Australia (Limited) on open account	155	8	0			
				<u>1,455</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>0</u>
				<u>£10,402</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>2</u>

Audited and found correct.

W. DUNCAN, Manager.

W. A. SPENCE, Auditor.

22nd January, 1887.

We certify that we have examined the above statement of the receipts and payments of the Hokitika Savings Bank, and that, to the best of our belief, it contains a true and correct account of the transactions of the bank during the year, and that the balance of cash in hand (deposited with the Union Bank of Australia, Limited), amounts to £1,455 8s. sterling.

JAS. A. BONAR, Vice-President.
JAMES CHESNEY,
JOHN MANSON,
EDWIN F. RICH,
HENRY LEE ROBINSON, } Trustees.

STATEMENT of Assets and Liabilities, 31st December, 1886.

ASSETS.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Amount invested on mortgage	..	9,961	2	10		
Bank premises and furniture	..	137	18	0		
Cash in Union Bank of Australia—						
On fixed deposit	1,300	0	0			
On open account	155	8	0			
				<u>1,455</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>0</u>
				<u>£11,554</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>10</u>
To balance	..	1,533	2	0		

	LIABILITIES.	£	s.	d.
Amount due depositors	..	10,021	6	10
Balance	..	1,533	2	0
		<u>£11,554</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>10</u>

W. DUNCAN, Manager.

Audited and found correct.

W. A. SPENCE, Auditor.

22nd January, 1887.

We certify that, to the best of our belief, the above is a true and correct statement of the assets and liabilities of the Hokitika Savings Bank on the 31st day of December, 1886.
JAS. A. BONAR, Vice-President.
JAMES CHESNEY,
JOHN MANSON,
EDWIN F. RICH,
HENRY LEE ROBINSON, } Trustees.

Native Land Court Notice.

Partition of Land under "The Native Land Court Act, 1886."

Native Land Court Office,

Wellington, 10th March, 1887.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a sitting of the Native Land Court of New Zealand, to be held at Waikanae, in the District of Wellington, on the 25th day of March 1887, will be heard the applications of the persons whose names appear in the first column of the Schedule hereunder, for the partition of the lands the names of which appear in the second column, and which are situate in the district named in the third column.

W. BRIDSON,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

No.	Names of the Persons who have applied for Partition.	Names of the Blocks to be partitioned.	District in which the Land is situate.
1	Ihakara to Ngarara, Rihī Kapoata, Poharama, Epiha te Ngarara, Heni te Karoro, Reupena Takurua, Teira te Ngarara	Waikanae	Otaki.
2	Ihakara te Ngarara, Rihī Kapoata, Poharama, Epiha te Ngarara, Heni te Karoro, Reupena Takurua, Teira te Ngarara	Ngarara	Otaki.
3	Wi Perahama Putiki, Ematini, Merekai Putiki	Ngarara	Otaki.
4	Ihakara te Ngarara, Rihī Kapoata, Poharama, Epiha te Ngarara, Heni te Karoro, Reupena Takurua, Teira te Ngarara	Huruhi	Otaki.
5	Watene te Nehu	Te Ngarara	Otaki.
6	Eruini te Marau	Te Ngarara	Otaki.
7	Inia Tuhata	Waikanae	Otaki.
8	Inia Tuhata, Inia Rangianu Tuhata	Waikanae	Otaki.
9	Mere Ihairaira, Mate Kohuru	Te Ngarara	Otaki.
10	Enoka Hohepa, Emati Haretepuku	Te Ngarara	Otaki.

Crown Lands Notices.

Sale of Town, Suburban, and Rural Lands (including Land in Hobson County, containing 5,000,000ft. of Kauri Timber.—Auckland Land District.

Crown Lands Office,

Auckland, 5th March, 1887.

I HEREBY notify that the lands enumerated in the Schedule hereunder will be offered for sale by public auction, at this office, on Thursday, the 14th April next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

D. A. TOLE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands,

SCHEDULE.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
TOWN OF TE AWAMUTU.		
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
74	0 1 0	7 10 0
75	0 1 0	7 10 0
TOWN OF CAMBRIDGE EAST.		
353	1 0 0	40 0 0
TOWN OF KAMO.		
66	0 0 16	3 0 0
105	0 1 0	7 10 0
106	0 1 0	7 10 0
107	0 1 0	7 10 0
108	0 0 37	6 18 9

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
TOWN OF KOHUKOHU.		
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
4	0 0 13	24 7 6*
* Subject to £100 for improvements.		
SUBURBS OF KOHUKOHU.		
27	3 0 18	15 11 3*
* Subject to £200 for improvements.		
SUBURBS OF NEWCASTLE SOUTH.		
139	16 3 5	50 7 6
140	7 0 3	21 2 6
143	7 0 0	21 0 0

BAY OF ISLANDS COUNTY.—RUSSELL SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
I.	4	9 0 0	18 0 0

Description of Land: Undulating clay land, covered with fern and scrub, close to Russell.

BAY OF ISLANDS AND WHANGAREI COUNTIES.—HUKERENUI SURVEY DISTRICT.

VI.	5	40 1 27	40 10 0*
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* Subject to £15 for improvements.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
WHANGAREI COUNTY.—PARISH OF HIKURANGI.		
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
S.W. pn. 39	144 0 0	72 0 0
N. pn. 40		
S.W. pn. 41	37 0 26	23 0 0

Description of Land: About one-third swamp, remainder undulating fern country, soil rather poor, near to outcrop of coal, frontage to main road from Kawakawa to Whangarei.

HOBSON COUNTY.

Tokatoka Survey District.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
XV.	6	30 0 0	11 5 0

Description of Land: Partly swampy, partly broken, covered with fern.

Parish of Tatarariki.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
44	42 1 0	16 0 0
45	85 3 0	32 5 0
46	287 3 0	72 0 0

Description of Land: Open fern land, part broken, part undulating, good supply of water, suitable for agricultural or pastoral purposes.

Tutamoe North Survey District.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
XVI.	1	168 0 0	609 0 0
	2	36 0 0	111 0 0

Description of Land: All forest, estimated to contain approximately — Section 1, 4,536,000ft., and Section 2, 810,000ft. kauri. This timber is tapped by streams now being used for driving logs to the Tangaowahine Stream, communicating with the Wairoa River.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
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Parish of Matakoho.

53	233 0 0	101 10 0
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Description of Land: 35 acres good swamp land, 13 acres kahikatea bush, 13 acres old cultivations.

Parish of Kaiwaka.

S.W. pn. 85	34 0 0	17 0 0
121	4 3 37	15 0 0
122	4 3 37	15 0 0
124A	13 2 24	41 0 0

Description of Land: South-western portion Section 85, broken forest with a few kauri trees; 121, 122, and 124A, open land, adjoining the Town of Hakaru.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
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Parish of Omaru.

M. pn. 4	49 0 0	12 5 0
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Description of Land: Greater part kahikatea swamp, about 16 acres light bush and open land.

RODNEY COUNTY.

Parish of Waiwera.

193	28 3 8	7 5 0
195	48 1 13	12 2 6
262A	15 3 9	8 0 0
268	4 3 23	1 17 6
269	35 2 18	9 0 0
270	60 2 0	30 5 0
271	55 1 0	27 12 6

Description of Land: Lots 193, 195, 268 to 271, all poor gum land, broken, and accessible by road, about 3 acres swamp on 195; 262A, mixed bush, very broken, about six miles from Orewa.

Parish of Tauhoa.

89A	73 1 0	29 10 0
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Description of Land: Open land, poor quality, well watered.

Parish of Omaha.

132	50 0 0	50 0 0*
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* Subject to £150 for improvements.

Description of Land: Mostly in grass and under cultivation, soil very good, small quantity of bush on northern portion, fronts Whangateau Harbour and County Road.

GREAT BARRIER ISLAND.

Parish of Aotea.

81, N.E. pn. 82	84 0 0	31 10 0
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Description of Land: Poor tea-tree land, fronting Orua-wharo Bay, on east coast of Great Barrier Island.

WAITEMATA COUNTY.

Parish of Takapuna.

251	37 3 31	19 0 0
252	82 0 27	41 2 6
253	51 2 32	26 0 0
254	53 1 6	26 5 0
255	44 1 31	22 5 0
256	50 0 25	25 2 6
256A	43 1 12	22 0 0
257	104 1 4	52 5 0
258	80 2 8	40 7 6
259	84 1 23	42 5 0
260	9 3 2	5 0 0
261	3 2 7	2 0 0
262	10 0 25	5 2 6
263	10 2 18	5 7 6
265	29 1 33	14 15 0
266	27 0 13	13 12 6

Description of Land: Lot 251, about 1/3 acre scrub, 2 1/2 acres rush and flax swamp, remainder poor gum land, frontage to Great North Road; 252, about 1/2 acre scrub, 10 acres swamp, remainder poor gum land; 253, about 1/2 acre scrub, 2 acres swamp, remainder poor gum land, frontage to Great North Road; 254 to 259 inclusive are all lands of the same descrip-

tion as 253, with frontages to Great North Road; 260 to 263 inclusive, fern and tea-tree, undulating agricultural land; 265 and 266, about 1 acre swamp, remainder poor gum land. The above lands are situated on the Great North Road, about half-way between Lake Pupuke (Takapuna) and Okura.

Parish of Waipareira.

174 | 20 1 8 | 10 5 0

Description of Land: About one-half light mixed bush, remainder open tea-tree land, very broken, frontage to Swanson Creek, opposite Swanson Railway-station.

Parish of Waikomiti.

113 | 36 2 33 | 73 10 0
134 | 4 0 22 | 8 10 0

Description of Land: Poor land, accessible by road, about one and a half miles from Waikomiti Railway-station.

Parish of Okura.

59 | 56 3 0 | 42 10 0
60 | 57 2 11 | 43 5 0

Description of Land: Lot 59, about two-thirds open and broken, a little flat near Okura River, and some fair high tea-tree land; 60, open, with remains of small bushes along river, about three-fourths broken.

COROMANDEL COUNTY.

Parish of Hahei.

20 | 36 1 0 | 18 2 6
21 | 30 2 17 | 15 7 6
22 | 43 0 0 | 10 15 0
24 | 181 1 32 | 45 10 0
26 | 152 0 0 | 38 0 0

Description of Land: Lot 20, flat land, high scrub and manuka, about 5 acres swamp and kahikatea bush, good soil, accessible by made road; 21, level land, chiefly kahikatea forest, soil good, accessible by made road; 22, forest, some kauri, broken rocky soil, accessible by sea; 24, very broken, about 20 acres fern, remainder forest, consisting of kauri, tawa, manuka, tanekaha, and rimu, watered, and accessible by sea; 26, about 20 acres undulating, remainder rugged and broken, all forest, consisting of manuka, pohutukawa, tawa, &c., watered, accessible by sea and track.

Parish of Whenuakite.

9 | 50 0 0 | 25 0 0
10 | 63 1 32 | 31 15 0
12 | 97 2 0 | 36 15 0

Description of Land: Lots 9 and 10, about 20 acres high tea-tree, good soil, remainder flax, swamp, both accessible by river; 12, open fern and tea-tree, with rewarewa scattered about, watered, undulating, and broken, poor soil, accessible by river.

Section.	Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
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MANUKAU COUNTY.

Parish of Opaheke (Maketu Settlement).

II.	Lot.	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
	29	5 0 0	30 0 0
	39	5 0 0	25 0 0
	76	5 0 0	30 0 0
	147	10 0 0	30 0 0
	153	10 2 16	31 16 0
	157	10 0 25	40 12 6

Description of Land: Lot 29, first-class land; 39, first-class land, covered with tall manuka, level, stream runs through one corner; 76, about 2 acres swamp, remainder in grass and crops; 147 and 153, rather poor soil, covered with short fern, manuka, &c., about 3 acres swamp on Lot 153; 157, fine alluvial soil, level, partially covered with light bush, a stream running through the lot.

Parish of Opaheke (Kirikiri Settlement).

I.	Lot.	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
	2	10 0 0	30 0 0
	8	10 0 0	30 0 0
	16	1 2 26	5 0 0
	116	1 1 5	4 0 0

Description of Land: Lots 2 and 8, level, clay soil, covered with manuka and fern, portion swampy; 16 and 116, level, clay soil, covered with tall manuka and fern. These allotments all front roads open for traffic, and are situated about a mile from Papakura Railway-station.

Parish of Opaheke.

Lot	Area.	Upset Price.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
199	121 2 26	61 0 0
199A	156 0 0	78 0 0
199B	100 3 0	50 7 6

Description of Land: All heavy mixed bush. Lot 199, generally broken, clay soil, well watered; 199A, about 20 acres fairly level, remainder broken, well watered; 199B, very broken, soil poor, a few good kauri and totara trees.

Parish of Opaheke (Williamson's Clearing).

Section.	Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
IV.	40	8 1 30	15 0 0
	41	10 0 25	18 0 0

Description of Land: Mixed forest, good soil, well watered.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
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Parish of Hunua.

S. pn. 171 | A. R. P. | £ s. d.
46 0 0 | 69 0 0

Description of Land: Heavy bush land, contains a number of good kauri trees, clay soil, rather broken, well watered, about three miles from Papakura Railway-station.

Parish of Waiuku East.

229 | 0 2 27 | 2 0 0

Parish of Maungatawhiri.

223 | 63 1 15 | 63 10 0

Description of Land: First-fourths low lying heavy manuka-scrub land, soil first-class, one-fourth swamp, good natural drainage into Waiponga Stream.

WAIKATO COUNTY.

Parish of Whangamarino.

399 | 151 1 0 | 33 0 0

Description of Land: About 25 acres kahikatea forest (swampy), 75 acres swamp, the remainder broken poor land, accessible by main road and Waikato River.

WAIPA COUNTY.

Parish of Horotiu.

163 | 157 1 35 | 118 2 6

Description of Land: About one-half open fern and manuka, level land, remainder swamp, soil poor on dry land, swamp easily drained, accessible by main road from Ngaruahia to Whatawhata.

Parish of Pakete.

100 | 20 0 0 | 10 0 0
100A | 21 1 6 | 10 15 0
100B | 8 1 10 | 4 5 0

Description of Land: Broken, fern-hills and swamp, soil fair, accessible by road.

Terms of Sale: One-fourth of purchase-money to be paid at time of sale, and the balance within two months 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 Town Lands, Gisborne.

Crown Lands Office,
Auckland, 5th March, 1887.

THE following lands will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Land Office, Gisborne, on Thursday, the 14th April next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

D. A. TOLE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
TOWN OF PATUTAHI.		
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
92	0 0 32	26 0 0
TOWN OF ORMOND.		
41	1 1 37	45 0 0
57	1 0 0	30 0 0
59	0 2 0	15 0 0

Terms of Sale: One-fourth of purchase-money to be paid at time of sale, and the balance within two months 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, and at the Land Office, Gisborne.

Pastoral Leases in the Wellington Land District.

Crown Lands Office,
Wellington, 21st February, 1887.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned runs will be offered at auction, on Thursday, the 31st March, 1887, at the Survey Office, Wanganui, at 11 a.m., on pastoral lease for a term of twenty-one years, at the upset annual rental stated opposite each run.

SCHEDULE.

SCHEDULE OF RUNS ALONG THE COAST BETWEEN PATEA AND THE MANAWATU RIVER.

No.	Area.	Value.	Annual Rental Per Acre.	Remarks.
1	A. R. P. s. d.	d.		Section 368, Block V., Wairoa. Section 367, Block X., Wairoa. Section 363, Block X., Wairoa. Pt. Sec. 465, Block XI., Wairoa.
2	1172 0 0 2 6	1½		
3	150 2 0 2 6	1½		
4	17 2 0 2 6	1½		
5	51 3 0 2 6	1½		
6	516 0 0 2 6	1½		Pt. Sec. 465, Block XII., Wairoa.
7	209 2 0 2 6	1½		
8	42 0 0 2 6	1½		
9	510 0 0 2 6	1½		
10	1595 0 0 2 6	1½		
11	1740 0 0 2 6	1½		Incl'des Secs. 74 & 75, Waitotara.
12	680 0 0 2 6	1½		Includes Section 72, Waitotara.
13	1030 0 0 2 6	1½		Being Secs. 70, 67, 71, Waitotara.
14	470 0 0 2 6	1½		Being Secs. 66 and 63, Waitotara.
15	160 0 0 2 6	1½		
16	980 0 0 2 6	1½		
17	2350 0 0 2 6	1½		
18	1245 0 0 2 6	1½		
19	2145 0 0 2 6	1½		
20	1800 0 0 2 6	1½		
21	405 0 0 2 6	1½		
22	217 0 0 2 6	1½		
23	1818 0 0 2 6	1½		
24	480 0 0 2 6	1½		
25	6360 0 0 2 6	2		

The leases of the above runs will be sold subject to the provisions contained in "The Land Act, 1885," relating to the sale of runs. Full particulars can be obtained at this office.

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

Land open for Application on Deferred Payments, Provincial District of Canterbury.

Crown Lands Office,
Christchurch, 19th February, 1887.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned sections, to be sold on deferred payments, and situate in the Arowhenua Village Settlement, will be open for application on Monday, the 21st March, 1887, at the Land Offices, Christchurch and Timaru:—

Nos. 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, and 830, containing an area of 1 rood each.

Price, £10 per quarter acre.

Plans may be seen and further particulars obtained at the Land Offices, Christchurch and Timaru.

JOHN H. BAKER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Small Grazing Runs, Maungakaretu Block, Wanganui District.

Crown Lands Office,
Wellington, 28th February, 1887.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of "The Land Act, 1885," Part VII., that leases of the runs enumerated hereunder will be submitted to public auction, at the Masonic Hall, Wanganui, on Thursday, the 31st March, 1887, at 11 a.m., at the upset rental per acre stated opposite each run:—

No. of Run.	Survey District.	Area.	Upset Rental per Acre.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
34	Mangawhero ..	520 0 0	0 0 6
35	" ..	1,560 0 0	0 0 6
36	" ..	790 0 0	0 0 6
37	" ..	1,400 0 0	0 0 6
38	" ..	780 0 0	0 0 6
39	" ..	920 0 0	0 0 6

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

Pastoral License for Sale by Auction.

Crown Lands Office,
Blenheim, 16th February, 1887.

NOTICE is hereby given that a pastoral license over portion of the late Raydale Run No. 2, estimated to contain 460 acres, as shown on the plan of the same in this office, will be offered by public auction, at the Survey Office, Blenheim, at noon, on Tuesday, the 29th March, 1887, at the upset annual rent of £2. Term of license, five years. The license will contain a special condition that the public shall at all times have free ingress and egress to any part of the land.

HENRY G. CLARK,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land under Perpetual Lease.

Crown Lands Office,
Dunedin, 21st February, 1887.

MOST of the following allotments are reopened at reduced upset rentals. Tenders must be lodged on Tuesday, the 29th March next, to be opened at a meeting of the Land Board to be held on Wednesday, the 30th.

DISTRICTS.

BLACKSTONE.—Section 50, Block II.; Sections 45 to 49, Block III.; Section 20, Block VII.; Section 3, Block X.; Sections 10, 11, and 30, Block XIII.; Sections 11 and 16, Block XV.; Sections 5, 9, and 10, Block XVI. From 42 to 320 acres. Upset rental, 1s. per acre.

BUDLE.—Sections 18 to 22, Block II. From 50 to 169 acres. Upset rental, 1s. per acre.

EARNSLAW.—Sections 42, 43, 49, 50, 53, 54, 55, 57, 60 to 94, Block II. From 23 to 67 acres. Upset rental, 1s. per acre.

GLENORCHY.—Sections 25 to 36, and 38 to 41, Block I. From 42 to 63 acres. Upset rental, 1s per acre.

KUROW.—Section 2, Block VII.; Section 22, Block VIII.; 468 and 203 acres respectively. Upset rental, 1s. per acre.

LAUDER.—Section 4, Block V., 309 acres (improvements, £1,677 5s); Section 5, Block V., 304 acres (improvements, £1,074); Section 6, Block V., 303 acres (improvements, £403); Section 14, Block V., 302 acres. Upset rental, 1s. per acre.

LOWER HAWEA.—Sections 2, 3, 4, 11, Block III.; Sections 27, 28, and 29, Block V.; Sections 1, 5, 6, 10, 12, 13, Block VI.; Sections 10, 12, 13, 14, 18, Block VII. From 175 to 320 acres. Upset rental, 1s. to 1s. 6d. per acre.

LOWER WANAKA.—Section 4, Block V.; Sections 2 and 3, Block VI.; Sections 2 and 3, Block XI. From 98 to 257 acres. Upset rental, 1s. to 1s. 6d. per acre.

MAUNGATUA.—Sections 3 and 4, Block XVI., 224 and 291 acres respectively. Upset rental, 1s. per acre.

MAREWENUA.—Section 23, Block X., 295 acres. Upset rental, 1s. per acre (improvements, £62 7s.).

MOUNT HYDE.—Section 1, Block I.; Sections 17 and 19, Block II.; Sections 20, 25, 30, 32, 33, and 34, Block IV.; Sections 11, 12, 14, 21, 22, 23, Block V.; Sections 6, 7, 8, Block X.; Sections 6 and 7, Block XI. From 124 to 319 acres. Upset rental, 1s. per acre.

POOLBURN.—Section 6, Block II.; Sections 4, 5, 8, Block III. From 124 to 313 acres. Upset rental, 1s. per acre.

STRATH-TAIERI.—Section 8, Block IX., 93 acres. Upset rental, 1s. 6d. per acre (improvements, £60 2s. 6d.).

SUTTON.—Sections 14 and 15, Block XIII., 271 and 221 acres respectively. Upset rental, 1s. per acre.

TARRAS.—Sections 1 and 2, Block XII.; Sections 1, 2, 8, 9, 11, 12, Block XIII. From 243 to 640 acres. Upset rental, 1s. per acre.

TIGER HILL.—Sections 5 to 9 and 12, Block IV. From 180 to 311 acres. Upset rental, 1s. per acre.

UPPER WAKATIPU.—Sections 2, 3, 10, 24, 25, 26, 37, and 38, Block I. From 42 to 122 acres. Upset rental, 1s. per acre.

WAREPA.—Section 27, Block IX., 193 acres. Upset rental, 1s. per acre.

WENDONSIDE.—Sections 15 and 16, Block II., 320 acres each. Upset rental, 1s. 3d. per acre.

WENDON.—Section 7, Block III., 320 acres. Upset rental, 1s. per acre (improvements, £106 4s.).

N.B.—Valuations for improvements payable within seven days after tender is accepted. Forms of tender and declaration, with conditions of occupation, can be had at the Crown Lands Office, Dunedin.

J. P. MAITLAND,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Runs liable to Forfeiture.

Crown Lands Office,
Dunedin, 10th February, 1887.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of section 188 of "The Land Act, 1885," to the under-mentioned occupiers of runs that the same are liable to forfeiture; and if the rent, together with the full amount of penalty, be not paid within three months from date the runs will be declared forfeited:—

Run 2b: Hector Fraser.

Run 457: Ward Robinson.

Sections 3 and 35, Block I., Wendon District: William Walker.

J. P. MAITLAND,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Sale of Leases, Township of Richardson.

Crown Lands Office,
Wellington, 24th December, 1886.

THE under-mentioned allotments in the Town of Richardson, Waitotara Land District, having been forfeited, are now open for application at the Land Office, Patea, on fourteen-year leases, at an upset rental of 6s. per acre. No compensation allowed for improvements.

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

For conditions and further particulars apply at Patea Land Office.

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

Runs liable to Forfeiture.—Notice to Occupiers.

Crown Lands Office,
Christchurch, 18th January, 1887.

IN pursuance of clause 188 of "The Land Act, 1885," I hereby give notice that the runs mentioned in the Schedule hereto will be declared forfeited if the amount of rent due, together with the penalty for non-payment, is not paid to the Receiver of Land Revenue, Christchurch, within three months of this date.

SCHEDULE.

No. of Run.	Lessee.	Area.	Locality.
		A. R. P.	
20N	Samuel Boyle	186 0 0	South bank of Rakaiia.
21N	Samuel Boyle	112 0 0	South bank of Rakaiia.

JOHN H. BAKER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Reserve for Auction, Provincial District of Canterbury.

Crown Lands Office,
Christchurch, 16th February, 1887.

NOTICE is hereby given that the lease of the under-mentioned reserve will be offered by public auction, in accordance with section 23 of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," at the Land Office, Christchurch, on Wednesday, the 23rd March, 1887, at 12 o'clock noon:—

BETWEEN ABNER'S HEAD AND WADDINGTON.

Reserve.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
1820	40 0 0	3 0 0

Term of lease, seven years. On the fall of the hammer, six months and eight days' rent to be paid, to the 1st October, 1887.

Plan may be seen and particulars obtained at the Land Office, Christchurch.

JOHN H. BAKER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Sale by Auction, Land District of Canterbury.

Crown Lands Office,
Canterbury, 17th February, 1887.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of the provisions contained in clause 96 of "The Land Act, 1885," the under-mentioned section of Crown land will be offered for sale by auction at the Land Office, Christchurch, on Wednesday, the 23rd March, 1887, at 12 o'clock noon:—

PART OF RESERVE 2332, OXFORD SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
23	36 3 23	110 13 3

Plan may be seen and further particulars obtained at the Land Office, Christchurch.

JOHN H. BAKER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Perpetual Lease of Crown Lands, under Section 143, "Land Act, 1885."—Provincial District of Canterbury.

Crown Lands Office,
Christchurch, 23rd February, 1887.

WRITTEN tenders, under sealed covers, will be received for the perpetual lease of the under-mentioned section under Part IV. of "The Land Act, 1885," up to 10 a.m. on Thursday, the 24th March, 1887, addressed to the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Christchurch.

Every tender must be accompanied by a declaration, six months' rent, and a fee of £1 10s. Should there be two or more tenders of the same amount for the same section, the right to occupy will be decided by lot. The tenders will be opened at the meeting of the Land Board on the above date:—

RESERVE 350, NEAR WINSLOW.

Section.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
51	117 1 18	11 15 0

Plans may be seen and tender-forms and particulars obtained at the Land Offices, Christchurch and Timaru.

JOHN H. BAKER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Crown Lands on Perpetual Lease as Village Homestead Special Settlements, under Section 163, "Land Act, 1885," and the Regulations issued by the Governor under the Authority of the said Section, and published in "Gazette" No. 45, of the 2nd September, 1886.—Land District of Canterbury.

Crown Lands Office,
Christchurch, 17th February, 1887.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned sections are opened for lease for a term of thirty years, with the right of renewal for further terms of twenty-one years, and

that applications will be received on Friday, the 25th March, 1887, for the said leases, at the Land Office, Christchurch, and also by Mr. March, on Wednesday, the 23rd March, at the Alford Forest School. The applications received by Mr. March will bear the same date as those received at the Land Office, Christchurch:—

RESERVE 2027, NEAR ALFORD FOREST.

Section.	Area.	Annual Rental.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
1	14 1 13	1 16 0
4	19 0 3	2 8 0

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned sections are opened for lease for a term of thirty years, with the right of renewal for further terms of twenty-one years, and that applications will be received on Wednesday, the 30th March, for the said leases, at the Land Offices, Christchurch and Timaru, and also by Mr. March, on Tuesday, the 29th March, at the Courthouse, Temuka. The applications received by Mr. March will bear the same date as those received at the Land Office, Christchurch:—

VILLAGE HOMESTEAD SPECIAL SETTLEMENT, AROWHENUA.

Section.	Area.	Annual Rental.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
865	1 0 0	1 10 0
866	1 0 0	1 10 0
867	1 0 0	1 10 0
868	1 0 0	1 10 0
869	1 0 0	1 10 0
870	1 0 0	1 10 0
871	1 0 0	1 10 0
872	1 0 0	1 10 0
873	1 0 0	1 10 0
874	1 0 0	1 10 0
875	1 0 0	1 10 0
876	1 0 0	1 10 0
877	1 0 0	1 10 0
879	1 0 16	1 13 0
880	0 3 34	1 9 0
881	0 2 21	0 19 0
884	1 0 0	1 10 0
885	1 0 0	1 10 0
886	1 1 37	2 4 6
887	1 0 37	1 17 0
888	1 1 20	2 1 0
889	0 2 22	0 19 0
890	1 0 0	1 10 0
891	1 2 24	2 9 6

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned sections are opened for lease for a term of thirty years, with the right of renewal for further terms of twenty-one years, and that applications will be received on Friday, the 1st April, 1887, for the said leases, at the Land Offices, Christchurch and Timaru, and also by Mr. March, on Wednesday, the 30th March, at the Town Board Office, Geraldine. The applications received by Mr. March will bear the same date as those received at the Land Offices, Christchurch and Timaru:—

TOWN OF GERALDINE.

Section.	Area.	Annual Rental.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
<i>Suburban Lands.</i>		
8	3 3 0	1 8 0
10	5 1 27	1 7 0
11 and 12	9 1 0	3 9 0
<i>Town Lands.</i>		
193	0 1 29	0 9 0
229	0 1 0	0 5 0

The only charge for the leases will be a fee of 10s. No selector shall take up more than one allotment. Plans may be seen at the Land Offices, Christchurch and Timaru, where also copies of the Village Homestead Special-settlement Regulations may be obtained.

JOHN H. BAKER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Small Grazing Runs to be leased.

Crown Lands Office,
New Plymouth, 24th February, 1887.

THE following Small Grazing Runs, situated four and a half miles from the Ball Road Railway-station, and between Manutahi and Patea, and west of the Patea River, will be offered for lease by auction, under Part VII. of "The Land Act, 1885," at the Land Office, Patea, at noon on Saturday, the 26th March next:—

No. of Run.	Area.	Upset Rental per Acre.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
1	640 0 0	} 0 0 6
2	670 0 0	
3	700 0 0	
4	880 0 0	
5	1,370 0 0	
6	2,640 0 0	
11	1,214 0 0	
12	1,225 0 0	
13	944 0 0	

Also the following small grazing runs between the Patea and Whenuakura Rivers, which are now being made accessible by the formation of a horse-track:—

7	1,100 0 0	} 0 0 6
8	1,020 0 0	
9	1,570 0 0	
10	2,750 0 0	

THOS. HUMPHRIES,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Goldfields Notices.

Gold-mining Leases cancelled.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 11th March, 1887.

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

No. 363c. Undaunted Gold-mining Company (Limited); Section 7, Block VII., Lauder, 9 acres 3 roods 39 perches, in the Otago Mining District.

No. 362c. Undaunted Gold-mining Company (Limited); Section 18, Block VII., Lauder, 2 acres 3 roods 8 perches, in the Otago Mining District.

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

Special Claim cancelled.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 11th March, 1887.

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 special claim of the said ground had ever been applied for:—

No. 223/384. Undaunted Gold-mining Company (Limited); Section 1, Block VII., Lauder, 6 acres 2 roods, in the Otago Mining District.

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

Account of Land in Cultivation and Agricultural Produce, February, 1887.

Registrar-General's Office, Wellington, 16th March, 1887.

THE results of the collection made in February last for the under-mentioned counties (as returned by the Superintendent Collectors) are published for general information. The figures are subject to revision.

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

Counties.	Numbers of Holdings over One Acre in Extent.				Extent of Land broken up, but not under Crop.	In Wheat.		In Oats.			In Barley.		In Potatoes.		In Turnips or Rape.	In Other Crops.	Total Number of Acres under Crop, exclusive of Land under Grasses.	In Sown Grasses.				Grass Seed, Produce of.		In Garden.	In Orchard.					
	Freehold.	Rented.	Part Freehold, part Rented.	Total Numbers of Holdings.		Acres.	Acres.	Estimated Gross Produce (in bushels).	Acres.		Estimated Gross Produce (in bushels).	Acres.	Estimated Gross Produce (in bushels).	Acres.				Estimated Gross Produce (in tons).	In Hay.		In Grasses after having been broken up (including such as in Hay).	Grass-sown Lands not previously ploughed (including such as in Hay).	Cocks-foot.			Rye-grass.	Acres.	Acres.		
									For Green Food or Hay.	For Grain.									Acres.	Estimated Gross Produce (in tons).									Acres.	Estimated Gross Produce (in tons).
Cook ..	128	135	41	304	7,735	2	20	411	277	10,070	142	1,837	199	758	110	225	1,366	1,139	1,291	15,223	139,444	4,090	79,816	86	156					
Clifton ..	49	27	33	109	141	148	2,250	80	172	4,318	2	30	108	368	83	41	634	193	217	5,991	10,597	2,986	749	35	48					
Taranaki ..	699	275	99	1,073	320	268	5,921	367	774	12,580	56	1,221	329	1,308	219	284	2,297	1,483	1,813	25,653	59,341	8,337	3,575	196	172					
Ashburton ..	524	144	71	739	8,394	50,765	1,090,439	5,737	36,052	853,635	2,319	48,804	272	1,102	30,505	1,596	127,246	1,035	1,118	269,444	19,028	4,050	69,389	366	205					
Selwyn ..	1,735	694	239	2,668	5,861	48,581	1,153,629	9,391	32,766	851,359	3,620	100,327	4,104	24,897	17,136	5,311	120,909	6,135	8,001	247,613	24,365	3,070	61,945	957	754					
Akaroa ..	346	83	51	480	1,086	521	14,350	254	427	14,071	397	11,920	96	531	880	135	2,710	540	756	8,204	107,934	178,777	2,762	123	157					
Ashley ..	771	358	232	1,361	7,057	22,371	548,288	2,707	22,095	614,608	1,222	32,165	1,922	11,420	13,990	3,203	67,510	3,147	3,864	167,330	17,238	205	50,034	364	368					
Mackenzie ..	47	40	3	90	1,442	2,133	51,700	1,220	2,946	101,530	81	1,630	43	157	7,909	14	14,346	84	99	43,324	1,085	..	1,705	18	26					
Geraldine ..	711	306	168	1,185	23,488	27,309	716,911	2,465	27,610	836,846	789	22,064	1,175	5,746	18,281	611	78,240	1,705	2,340	175,011	20,577	1,012	41,977	364	467					
Waimate ..	289	97	58	444	12,437	17,942	437,473	2,160	18,924	598,470	603	21,164	452	2,208	22,340	72	62,493	789	1,521	171,947	6,340	2,313	34,002	143	176					
Peninsula ..	144	136	57	337	16	1	75	468	226	7,112	..	..	134	717	346	144	1,319	804	1,697	1,854	15,211	607	..	42	90			
Taieri ..	528	246	94	868	1,541	3,696	133,928	5,219	8,793	344,148	85	2,949	789	5,265	8,025	584	27,191	565	956	54,634	14,514	453	3,518	380	215					

RETURN of IMMIGRATION to and EMIGRATION from the COLONY of NEW ZEALAND, during the MONTH of FEBRUARY, 1887, showing the Places from which Persons arrived and to which they departed, and the Ports of Arrival and Departure.

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES FROM AND TO DIFFERENT PLACES.

Countries.	ARRIVALS.					DEPARTURES.				
	Adults.		Children		Total Persons.	Adults.		Children.		Total Persons.
	M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.	M.	F.	
United Kingdom	179	50	19	12	260	76	52	15	16	159
Queensland .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	1	3
New South Wales	241	80	18	18	357	267	89	25	21	402
Victoria	355	143	32	22	552	232	143	30	20	425
South Australia .. ..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Western Australia .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tasmania	83	26	3	3	115	30	15	3	7	55
Other places	47	17	7	5	76	56	21	5	7	89
Totals	905	316	80	60	1,361	662	321	78	72	1,133

ARRIVALS AT AND DEPARTURES FROM DIFFERENT NEW ZEALAND PORTS.*

Ports.	Adults.	Children.	Males.	Females.	Total Persons.	Adults.	Children.	Males.	Females.	Total Persons.
Russell .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	3	2	4	1	5
Auckland	400	55	338	117	455	365	43	300	108	408
Wellington	200	20	162	58	220	138	33	99	72	171
Napier .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	1	2
Hokitika	7	..	4	3	7	..	..	..	..	..
Lyttelton .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	39	8	34	13	47
Timaru .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	1	2	3
Oamaru .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	1
Dunedin	14	5	12	7	19	13	3	6	10	16
Invercargill	600	60	469	191	660	420	60	295	185	480
Totals	1,221	140	985	376	1,361	983	150	740	393	1,133

* It is important to mention that, in the returns from which this table is made up, immigrants to the colony are all counted at the first port of arrival, and emigrants at the final port of departure.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 14th March, 1887.

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

Land Transfer Act Notices.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1885," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one month from date of Gazette containing this notice.

6033. CHARLES HENRY ORCHARD.—34 perches, parts of Lots 60 and 61, Christchurch Town Reserves. Occupied by Charles C. Sommers.

6034. HENRY CROCKER MARRIOTT WATSON.—1 acre, part of Rural Section 33, Christchurch District. Occupied by Mrs. Munyard, — Macintosh, and England Tyler.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 12th day of March, 1887, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

EDWARD DENHAM,
Deputy 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, 1885," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 17th day of April, 1887.

1742. ALBERT GEORGE HOWARD MOORE.—Part of Section 677, City of Wellington (Belfast Street). In occupation of under-tenant.

1757. WILLIAM KEAY BROWN.—Part of Section 10, Ohio District (Mitchelltown). Unoccupied.

1762. GEORGE JOHN SQUIRES.—110 acres 2 roods, Section 66, Hutt District. In occupation of Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 16th day of March, 1887, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

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, 1885," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one month from the date of the gazetting of this notice.

THE NEW ZEALAND LOAN AND MERCANTILE AGENCY COMPANY (LIMITED).—1 rood, being Section 22, Block XIV., Town of Invercargill. Occupied by Carlyle, Hislop, and McCarter. No. 2290.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 5th day of March, 1887, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

F. G. MORGAN,
District Land Registrar.

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Mining Notice.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The Dunstan Creek Water-race Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: 7th March, 1873.

Whether in active operation or not: In operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: St. Bathans, Otago; Patrick Talty.

Nominal capital: £1,800.

Amount of capital subscribed: £1,800.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £1,800.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same: Nil.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 32.

Number of shares allotted: 32.

Amount paid up per share: £22 5s.

Amount called up per share: £22 5s.

Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.

Number of shares forfeited: Nil.

Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 9.
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash at bankers: Nil.
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
 Amount of debts directly due to the company: Nil.
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of the company: Nil.

I, Patrick Talty, the Manager of the Dunstan Creek Water-race Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company at the present date; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

PATRICK TALTY,
 Manager.

Declared at St. Bathans, this 11th day of March, 1887, before me—W. McConnochie, J.P. 193

Private Advertisements.

In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1882," and in the matter of the Palmerston North Gas Company (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding-up of the above-named company by the District Court of Wanganui, holden at Palmerston North, was, on the fourteenth day of March, 1887, presented to the Supreme Court of New Zealand by John Waldegrave, a contributory of the said company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard on the twenty-fifth day of March, 1887, and any creditor or contributory of the said company, desirous to oppose the making of an order for the winding-up of the said company, should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said company requiring the same by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

OLLIVIER, BROWN, AND PENNEFATHER,
 of Wellington, Agents for J. HERBERT HANKINS, of Palmerston North, Solicitor for the Petitioner. 192

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

FRANCIS WALLACE MACKENZIE, Bachelor of Medicine and Master of Surgery of the University of Edinburgh, Scotland, now residing at Glenkenich, in the Provincial District of Otago, hereby give you notice that it is my intention to apply to you, on the 9th day of April, 1887, to have my name placed on the Medical Register of the Colony of New Zealand; and that I have deposited my evidence of qualification for public inspection in the office of the Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages in Dunedin.

FRANCIS WALLACE MACKENZIE.
 Dunedin, 9th March, 1887. 190

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