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*Revoking the Setting-apart of Land for Leasing as Small Grazing Runs.*

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the sixth section of "The Land Act, 1885," I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby declare that, from and after the day of the date hereof, the Proclamation of the tenth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, by His Excellency the Governor, setting apart the sections of land enumerated in the Schedule hereto for leasing as small grazing runs shall be and the same is hereby revoked.

SCHEDULE.

CAIRN HILL DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.		
		A.	R.	P.
11, 12, 17	II.	431	1	34
13, 14, 15, 16	"	642	2	16
8, 9, 19	"	546	1	4
10, 18	"	449	2	0

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

Jos. A. TOLE,  
(For the Minister of Lands.)

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Land withdrawn from the Deferred-payment System in Otago.*

(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 specified in the Schedule hereto was, with other lands, by Proclamation dated the twelfth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, proclaimed as set apart for sale on deferred payments: And whereas it is expedient to withdraw the said land from the deferred-payment system:

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 revoke the Proclamation above referred to, so far as it relates to the sections therein mentioned and included in the Schedule hereto, and do proclaim and declare that the said sections are hereby withdrawn from the operation of the deferred-payment system.

SCHEDULE.

BLACKSTONE SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block.	Section.	Area.		
		A.	R.	P.
XIII.	8	175	3	1
	9	28	0	2

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

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

Jos. A. TOLE,  
(For the Minister of Lands.)

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Land withdrawn from the Deferred-payment System in Southland.*

(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 specified in the Schedule hereto was, with other lands, by Proclamation dated the nineteenth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, proclaimed as set apart for sale on deferred payments: And whereas it is expedient to withdraw the said land from the deferred-payment system:

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 revoke the Proclamation above referred to, so far as it relates to the section therein mentioned and included in the Schedule hereto, and do proclaim and declare that the said section is hereby withdrawn from the operation of the deferred-payment system.

SCHEDULE.

HOKONUI SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Area.
645	A. R. P. 198 0 23

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

Jos. A. TOLE,  
(For the Minister of Lands.)

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Land set apart on Deferred Payments in Southland.*

(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 Southland 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 third day of August, 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.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
TARINGATURA DISTRICT.			
365	..	A. R. P. 204 0 0	£ s. d. 1 0 0*
MABEL HUNDRED.			
31	IV.	57 0 0	1 0 0
31A	"	49 0 0	1 0 0
10	"	89 1 29	1 0 0

\* Also cost of survey, £13 10s.

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(For the Minister of Lands.)

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Licensing Districts defined.*

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Licensing Act, 1881," and "The Licensing Act Amendment Act, 1882," it is enacted that the Governor shall from time to time define districts to be licensing districts under the said Acts, and from time to time may alter and redefine the boundaries of the same and may abolish any district:

Now, therefore, I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the said Acts, do hereby abolish, from and after the eighteenth day of July next, the Licensing Districts of Matakoho, Paparoa, and Wairau, and do hereby alter and redefine the boundaries of the Albert and Mangapai Licensing Districts, which shall, from and after the eighteenth day of July next, be those described in the First Schedule hereto; and do hereby proclaim and define the part of the colony mentioned and described in the Second Schedule hereto to be, from and after the said eighteenth day of July next, ordinary licensing districts for the purposes of the said Act.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

RODNEY COUNTY.

*Albert Licensing District.*—Comprises all that area in the County of Rodney bounded towards the North-west generally by the Oruawhoro and the Topuni Rivers, and by the Kaiwaka Licensing District, as described in the Second Schedule to this Proclamation; towards the North-east by the ocean; and towards the South-east and South-west generally by the Licensing Districts of Mahurangi and Tauhoa, as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 11, 28th January, 1884.

WHANGAREI COUNTY.

*Mangapai Licensing District.*—Comprises all that area in the County of Whangarei bounded towards the North-west generally by the Licensing District of Dargaville, as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 4, 21st January, 1886, and the Licensing District of Hikurangi, as described

in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 5, 18th January, 1888; towards the East generally by the Licensing District of Waipu, as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 5, 20th January, 1882; towards the South-east by the Licensing District of Wairau, as described in the Second Schedule; and towards the South-west and South by the Licensing Districts of Matakoho and Tokatoka, as described in the Second Schedule to this Proclamation, and the Licensing District of Okahu, as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 11, 28th January, 1884.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

OTAMATEA COUNTY.

*Kaiwaka Licensing District.*—Comprises all that area known as the Kaiwaka Riding, as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 9, 10th February, 1887.

*Wairau Licensing District.*—Comprises all that area known as the Ridings of Wairau and Mareretu, as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 9, 10th February, 1887.

*Paparoa Licensing District.*—Comprises all that area known as the Ridings of Paparoa and Whakapirau, as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 9, 10th February, 1887.

*Matakoho Licensing District.*—Comprises all that area known as the Matakoho Riding, as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 9, 10th February, 1887.

*Tokatoka Licensing District.*—Comprises all that area known as the Tokatoka Riding, as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 9, 10th February, 1887.

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

Jos. A. TOLE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Proclaiming Woodville a Borough under "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1886."*

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1886," the Governor is empowered, by Proclamation, to declare any portion of the Colony of New Zealand to be a borough under the said Act from and after a day to be named in such Proclamation:

Now, therefore, I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the said Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the said Act, do hereby proclaim and declare that the district described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby constituted, as from the first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, a borough under the said Act; and I do further proclaim and declare that the name of such borough shall be the Borough of Woodville, and that the boundaries thereof shall be those described in the said Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

BOROUGH OF WOODVILLE.

ALL that area in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay bounded towards the North-east by the road forming the northern boundary of Rural Sections Nos. 175, 6, 7, 8, and 9, Suburban Sections Nos. 24, 23, 18, and 17, and Rural Sections Nos. 10, 11, 12, and 13; towards the South-east by the road forming the eastern boundary of said Section No. 13; again towards the North-east by the road from Napier to Palmerston North; again towards the South-east by Rural Section No. 70; towards the South generally by the Manga-atua River; and towards the North-west by the road forming the western boundary of Rural Sections Nos. 123, 124, and 175.

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

and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-eighth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Proclaiming the Taking and Laying-off of a Road over Land in the Wellington Provincial District.*

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and in exercise of all powers and authorities enabling me in this behalf, I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim that the road described in the Schedule hereto has been duly taken and laid off through the land specified in a warrant of the date given in the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece of land, 100 links wide, the centre of which commences at a point marked A, distant 3248 links from the south-east corner of Section No. 127 (Native reserve), in Block IX., Ongo Survey District; and proceeds thence through Section No. 28 in a north-easterly direction to a point marked B, distant about 1050 links from the north-west corner of said section.

Also all that other piece of land, 100 links wide, the centre of which commences at a point marked C on the south-western boundary of Section No. 27, distant about 250 links from the south-east corner of said section; and proceeds thence through same section in a north-easterly direction to a point marked D, distant about 110 links from the north-western corner of Section No. 29.

Also all that other piece of land, 100 links wide, the centre of which commences at a point marked E, distant 50 links from the south-western corner of Section No. 33; and proceeds thence through same section in a parallel line to its north-western boundary to a point marked F, distant about 1250 links from the starting-point E.

Also all that other piece of land, 100 links wide, the centre of which commences at a point marked G, distant 50 links from the south-western corner of Section No. 34; and proceeds thence generally in a north-easterly direction through said Section No. 34 and Section No. 35 to a point marked H, distant about 13 chains along a public road from the north-east corner of Section No. 26.

As the same pieces of land are more particularly delineated on the plan marked S.O. 1227/203, deposited in the office of the Chief Surveyor, Wellington.

Date of warrant, 11th February, 1880.

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

J. BALLANCE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and in exercise of all powers and authorities enabling me in this behalf, I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim that the road described in the Schedule hereto has been duly taken and laid off through the land specified under warrant of the date given in the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece of land, 100 links wide, the centre of which commences at a point marked A on the eastern boundary-line of Section No. 3, Block XIII., Belmont Survey District, distant 1115 links from the north-eastern corner of said section; thence proceeding in a north-westerly direction

through Subdivision No. 7 to a point marked B, 975·6 links, at the intersection of a private road on the western boundary of Subdivision No. 7 aforesaid, 399 links from junction of said road with the main line of road from Wellington to the Hutt: as the same piece of land is more particularly delineated on the plan marked S.O. 2595/1, deposited in the office of the Chief Surveyor, Wellington.

Date of warrant, 22nd February, 1887.

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

J. BALLANCE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Setting apart Land in the Hawke's Bay 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 sections 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.

Section.	Block.	Area.
RUATANIWAHUA SURVEY DISTRICT.		
1	V.	A. R. P. 380 2 0
2	"	489 0 0
3	"	432 0 0
4	"	506 2 0
7	"	71 2 0
11	"	99 2 0
12	"	108 2 0
MAKARETU SURVEY DISTRICT.		
1	I.	532 0 0
2	"	324 2 0
5	"	109 2 0
1	II.	517 3 0
2	"	471 0 0
5	"	305 0 0
6	"	554 0 0
1	III.	514 3 0
4	"	473 3 0
8	"	113 0 0

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J. BALLANCE,  
Minister of Lands.

Approved in Council.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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 sections 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.

BLACKSTONE SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block.	Section.	Area.
XIII.	8	A. R. P. 175 3 1
	9	28 0 2

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

Jos. A. TOLE,  
(For the Minister of Lands.)

Approved in Council.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land set apart on Deferred Payments in Otago.

(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 Otago 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 Jervis, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the above-named Act, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is set apart for sale on deferred payments; and that Wednesday, the twenty-seventh day of July, 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.

SCHEDULE.

SIXTY acres, adjoining Section 12, Block IV., Catlin's District.

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

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

J. BALLANCE,  
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Setting apart Land in the Southland 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 section 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.

HOKONUI SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Area.		
	A.	R.	P.
645	198	0	23

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

*Declaring State Forests in the Land District of Auckland.*

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

A PROCLAMATION.

BY virtue and in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by "The New Zealand State Forest Act, 1885," and of every other power and authority enabling me in that behalf, I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, do hereby set apart the forest lands described in the Schedule hereto, forming part of the Crown lands of New Zealand, as and for State forests within the provisions of the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

CLASS I.—CLIMATAL OR MOUNTAIN RESERVES.

*County of Whangarei.*—All that piece or parcel of land situate in the Mangakahia Survey District, Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 2,720 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North-east by a forest reserve, 8300 links; towards the North-west by the Aponga Stream; again towards the North-east by the road which forms the south-western boundary of Section No. 4 of Block VIII., Mangakahia Survey District, 550, 1162, 705, 1054, 706, 450, 305, and 570 links, to its junction with the road which forms the eastern boundary of the same section; thence towards the South-east by a right line to the north-western angle of the Waitomotomo No. 3 Block, 32600 links;

towards the South and West by the Mangakahia River; towards the North by the Aponga Stream; and towards the West generally by the Rotokanae Block, 213, 113, 343, 283, 478, 205, 168, 256, 167, 274, 268, 322, 345, 525, 537, 513, 390, 167, 376, 239, and 774 links, to the north-eastern angle of the said block; thence by a right line to Trig. Station 609, 4457 links; thence by a right line to Trig. Station H, 14711 links; thence by a right line to the southernmost angle of the Turipukunui Block 2287 links, and by the Turipukunui Block aforesaid 1679 links to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

*County of Hobson.*—All that piece or parcel of land situate in the Provincial District of Auckland, being portions of Blocks XIII. and XIV., Mangakahia Survey District, and containing by admeasurement 3,710 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by a forest reserve, 18650 links; towards the East by said reserve, 13100 links; towards the South-east by the Maungaru Block (No. 311), 4000 links; towards the South by a line, 21400 links; towards the West generally by the Tangowahine Stream; and towards the North-west by the Te Karaka Block (No. 282), 9100 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

*Counties of Hobson and Whangarei.*—All that piece or parcel of land situate in the Mangakahia Survey District, Provincial District of Auckland, and containing by admeasurement 7,830 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North-west generally by the Pareotane Block 2146 and 2399 links, and by Section No. 1, Block V., Mangakahia Survey District aforesaid, 1019 and 669 links, and by a public road 1344 links; towards the North-east generally by unsurveyed Native land 5002 links, by the Mangakahia River, and by the Oue No. 2 Block 18900 links; towards the North by the last-named block, 7180 links; towards the West generally by a public road 4008 links, by the Oue No. 2 Block 588 and 222 links, and by the Parakau Stream; again towards the North-east by a public road, 550, 860, and 2330 links; again towards the West generally by the Oue Block, 2264, 3402, 480, and 120 links; again towards the North generally by the Mangakahia River, by unsurveyed Native land 216, 1031, 354, and 410 links, by the Mangakahia River, by unsurveyed Native land 1122 links, again by the Mangakahia River, again by unsurveyed Native land 1030 links, and again by the Mangakahia River; towards the East generally by unsurveyed Native land, 1272 and 1908 links; again towards the North by unsurveyed Native land, 9981 links; towards the South-east generally by the Rauhuia Stream, the Otarao Stream, and a public road 4000 links; towards the West by a forest reserve, 800 links; towards the South by the said forest reserve, 6000 links; again towards the West by the said reserve, 8000 links; and again towards the South by the said reserve, 9300 links; and towards the North-west and South-west by the Te Karaka Block, 1300 and 34277 links respectively, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

*County of East Taupo.*—All that piece or parcel of land situate in the Tatua Survey District, Provincial District of Auckland, formerly known as the Pokuru North Block, and containing by admeasurement 252 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North generally by the Te Hukui South Block and by Native land, 5157 and 612 links; towards the East by Native land, 4681 links; towards the South by the Pokuru South Block, 4949 links; and towards the West by Native land, 1096, 1900, and 1881 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

*County of Tauranga.*—All that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 3,050 acres, more or less, situate in Blocks XII. and XVI., Otane Wainuku Survey District, Provincial District of Auckland. Bounded towards the North by Block VIII., Otane Wainuku Survey District aforesaid, 6050 links; towards the East by Block IX., Maketu Survey District 340 links, by Section No. 10 of the same block 12655 links, by the termination of a public road 118 links, and by Section No. 13 of Block IX., Maketu Survey District aforesaid, 11570 links; towards the South generally by the Mangatoti Stream and by unsurveyed Native land, 6450 links; and towards the North-east generally by the Waoku No. 2 Block, 28730 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

*County of Rodney.*—All that piece or parcel of land situate in the Pakiri Survey District, Provincial District of Auckland, and containing by admeasurement 1,550 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North by a line due east from Trig. Station J to the sea-coast, 11300 links; towards the North-east by the sea; towards the South-east by the Pakiri No. 1 Block, 19000 links; towards the South-west by a line, 7000 links; towards the West by the eastern boundary of Block V., Pakiri Survey District, 3000 links; again towards the North by a line, 4800 links; and again towards the West by a line, 5500 links, due north to Trig. Station J, the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

*County of Rodney.*—All that piece or parcel of land situate in the Pakiri Survey District, Provincial District of

Auckland, containing by admeasurement 425 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the East by the western boundary of Block VI., Pakiri Survey District, 1000 links; towards the North by a line, 4800 links; again towards the East by a line due south to Trig. Station J, 4000 links; towards the South by a line due west from Trig. Station J aforesaid, 11600 links; towards the North-west by Sections Nos. 5, 4, and 3 of the Parish of Arai, 3000 and 880 links; towards the South-west by the south-western portion of Section No. 3 aforesaid, 3025 links; again towards the North-west by a public road, 1320 links; towards the North-east by the north-eastern portion of Section No. 3 aforesaid, 3200 links; and again towards the North-west by the south-eastern boundaries of the section last mentioned and of Section No. 2, Parish of Arai aforesaid, 3200 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

#### CLASS II.—FOREST RESERVES.

*County of Waitemata.*—All that piece or parcel of land situate in the Kaipara Survey District, Provincial District of Auckland, called or known as Section No. 36 of the Parish of Ararimu, and containing by admeasurement 175 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North-east by a public road, 1540 and 452 links; towards the East by Section No. 4 of the Parish of Pukeatua and a right line, 3491 links, to the northernmost angle of Section No. 98 of the Parish of Ararimu; towards the South-east by that section, 3980 links; towards the South-west by Section No. 35 of the Parish of Ararimu aforesaid, 6120 links; and towards the North-west by Section No. 37 of the same parish, 2300 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

#### CLASS III.—TIMBER RESERVES.

*County of Waitemata.*—All that piece or parcel of land situate in the Titirangi and Waitakerei Survey Districts, Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 2,940 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North-west by Sections Nos. 75 and 76 of the Parish of Karangahape, 6950 links; towards the North-east by Section No. 78 of the same parish, 1960 links; towards the North-west by the north-western portions of Sections Nos. 78 and 79 of the said parish, 7560 links; towards the South-west by the road which forms the north-eastern boundary of the section last named, 3860 links; again towards the North-west by Section No. 80 of the said parish, 1950 links; towards the North-east generally by the Nihotupu Stream, by Section No. 31 of the Parish of Karangahape aforesaid 3470, 1180, and 1000 links, by Sections Nos. 29 and 30 2448 and 2700 links, by Section No. 7 of the said parish 4056 links, by the stream which forms the south-eastern boundary of the said section, and by Section No. 6 of the said parish 4400 links; towards the South-east by Sections Nos. 1 and 25 of the aforesaid parish, 7637 and 5792 links respectively; towards the South-east and South-west by Section No. 8a of the same parish, 2880 and 5515 links respectively; and towards the South-west by the Huia Stream; towards the South-east generally by Section No. 110 1843, 1850, and 1808 links, by Section No. 109 1200 links, by the termination of a public road 100 links wide, by Section No. 16 3075, 2050, and 1920 links, by Section No. 15 2350 links, by a public road 530 and 100 links, and by Section No. 18, all of the Parish of Karangahape aforesaid, 2070 and 2520 links; and towards the South-west by Sections Nos. 67, 68, 71, and 72 of the Parish of Karangahape aforesaid, 15220 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

*County of Waitemata.*—All that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 400 acres, more or less, situate in the Waitemata, Kumeu, and Waitakerei Survey Districts, Provincial District of Auckland. Bounded towards the North-west by Section No. 16 of the Parish of Waipareira, 3260 links; towards the North-east by Section No. 31 of the said parish, 3120 links; again towards the North-west by Sections Nos. 31 and 26 of the Parish of Waipareira aforesaid, 7230 links; towards the East generally by Section No. 9 of the parish last named, 4116 and 595 links; towards the South-east generally by the road which forms the north-western boundary of Section No. 128 of the Parish of Waipareira aforesaid, 9349 links; and towards the South-west generally by the road which forms the north-eastern boundary of Sections Nos. 86, 87, and 88 of the Parish of Waitakerei, 8420 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

*County of Raglan.*—All that piece or parcel of land situate in the Newcastle Survey District, Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 2,270 acres, more or less, and called or known as Section No. 27 of the Parish of Waipa. Bounded towards the North generally by Section No. 166 of the Parish of Pepepe 4200 links, by Section No. 114 of the same parish 4440 links, by the termination of a road 100 links wide, and again by Section No. 114 aforesaid 1574 links; towards the East generally by Section No. 44 of the Parish of Waipa 1583 links, by Sections Nos. 34, 35, 36, 37, the crossing of a road, the other part of Section No. 37, and Section No. 38, of the parish last named, 6304 links, by

Section No. 39 2360 links, and by Sections Nos. 40, 41, 42, and 43, all of the Parish of Waipa aforesaid, 5298 links; towards the North-east by Section No. 43 aforesaid 3050 links, and a public road 300 links; towards the South generally by the Mangaohē Stream; and towards the West generally by Section No. 77 of the Parish of Waipa 2670 and 8300 links, and by lines 1550 and 10100 links to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

*County of Raglan.*—All that piece or parcel of land situate in Block IV., Karioi Survey District, Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 3,050 acres, more or less, and being Section No. 118 of the Parish of Karioi. Bounded towards the North by a right line running due east from the easternmost angle of Section No. 2 of Block IV., Karioi Survey District, to the western boundary of Section No. 11, Parish of Karioi, 14800 links; towards the East generally by Section No. 11 aforesaid 1430 links, by Section No. 10 3320 and 3370 links, and by the road which forms the western boundary of Sections Nos. 48, 29, 28, and 27, all of the Parish of Karioi aforesaid, 15850 links; towards the South generally by Section No. 16 of the last-mentioned parish 2890 links, and by a line running due west from the north-western angle of that section to the eastern boundary of Section No. 101 of the same parish 10900 links, and by Section No. 101 aforesaid 1300 and 3393 links; towards the West by Section No. 102 of the aforesaid parish 1563 links to its north-eastern angle, and by a right line running thence to the southernmost angle of Section No. 2 of Block IV., Karioi Survey District aforesaid, 14400 links; and towards the North-west by said Section No. 2, 2951 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

*County of Rodney.*—All that piece or parcel of land situate in the Tauhoa Survey District, Provincial District of Auckland, and containing by admeasurement 1,500 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North-west generally by the Hoteo River to its confluence with the Matangao Stream; thence towards the East by a right line running due south, 17400 links; thence towards the South by a right line running due west, 9000 links; thence towards the West and again towards the South by the Mataia Block, 1000 and 1500 links respectively; and towards the West by a right line running due north, 10400 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

*County of Rodney.*—All that piece or parcel of land situate in the Mahurangi Survey District, Provincial District of Auckland, and containing by admeasurement 925 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North-east by Sections Nos. 79, 71, and 72 of the Parish of Hoteo, 4167, 3100, and 6380 links respectively; towards the North-west generally by Section No. 73 4578 links, by Section No. 74 3920 and 2180 links, by Section No. 75 1200 and 1040 links, by Section No. 76 1220 and 540 links, and by Section No. 77 1220 links, all of the Parish of Hoteo aforesaid; towards the East generally by Section No. 80 of the Parish of Matakana 3570 and 2000 links, and by Section No. 71 of the same parish 2550 links, and by the termination of a public road 100 links; thence towards the South generally by a right line to the northernmost angle of Section No. 182 of the Parish of Mahurangi 3240 links, by said Section No. 182 880 links, by Section No. 186 of the Parish of Mahurangi aforesaid 1600 and 5090 links, by a right line from the north-western angle of the last-named section to the northernmost angle of Section No. 135 of the Parish of Mahurangi 2080 links, by said Section No. 135 1230 links, by Section No. 31 of the Parish of Hoteo 2404 and 1749 links, and by Section No. 83 of the same parish 2232 and 3511 links; and towards the South-west generally by the road which forms the north-eastern boundary of Sections Nos. 3 and 5, the eastern boundary of Section No. 7, and the south-eastern boundary of Section No. 49, all of the Parish of Hoteo aforesaid, 14220 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

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

Jos. A. TOLE,

(For the Commissioner of State Forests.)

Approved in Council.

FORSTER GORING,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!



*Division of the Borough of Newton into Three Wards, under "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1886."*

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1886," section twenty-seven, it is enacted that, if not less than one-fourth of the burgesses of a borough petition the Governor, praying him to divide such borough into wards, the Governor may, by Proclamation, divide such borough into not more than six wards, and shall in such Proclamation assign such names and boundaries to each ward as he thinks fit: And whereas not less than one-fourth of the burgesses of the Borough of Newton have petitioned me to divide such borough into wards:

Now, therefore, I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the hereinbefore recited authority, do hereby proclaim and declare that the Borough of Newton shall be and the same is hereby divided into three wards, with the names and boundaries set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

*Surrey Ward.*—Bounded towards the North by the City of Auckland; towards the South-east and South-west by the south-eastern and south-western sides of the Old Great North Road to a point in line with the middle of Williamson Avenue; and thence towards the North-west by a line to and along the middle of the said Williamson Avenue.

*Sussex Ward.*—Bounded towards the North generally by the City of Auckland; towards the South-east by Surrey Ward, hereinbefore described, to Allotment No. 20 of Section No. 7 of the Suburbs of Auckland; and thence towards the South-west and North-west generally by Allotments Nos. 16 and 3 of Section No. 9 of the Suburbs of Auckland, and Allotments Nos. 45 and 43 of Section No. 8 of the Suburbs of Auckland.

*Richmond Ward.*—Bounded towards the North-east generally by Sussex Ward, hereinbefore described; towards the South-east by the south-eastern side of the Old Great North Road to a point in line with the south-western boundary-line of Allotment No. 14 of Section No. 9 of the Suburbs of Auckland; thence towards the South-west generally by a right line to the southernmost corner of the said Allotment No. 14; thence by Allotments Nos. 17 and 13 of Section No. 9 of the Suburbs of Auckland to Motion's Creek, and by that creek to Waitemata Harbour; and thence towards the North generally by the said Waitemata Harbour, Cox's Creek, and the City of Auckland.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Borough of Masterton to be subject to Provisions of "The Public Bodies' Leaseholds Act, 1886."*

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,  
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-eighth day of June, 1887.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section three of "The Public Bodies' Leaseholds Act, 1886" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is provided that His Excellency the Governor may, by Order in Council, from time to time declare that any leasing authority shall be subject to the provisions of the said Act, but that no such order shall be issued except at the request or on the recommendation of the leasing authority on whose behalf such order is to be issued:

And whereas it has been made to appear that the Council of the Borough of Masterton is a leasing authority within the meaning of the said Act, and has recommended to His Excellency the Governor that the Council of the said borough may be brought under the provisions of the said Act:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, and in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by the said Act, doth hereby order and declare that, from and after the date hereof, the Council of the Borough of Masterton shall be subject to the provisions of "The Public Bodies' Leaseholds Act, 1886."

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Certain Provisions of "Public Bodies' Leaseholds Act, 1886," not to apply to Taranaki School Commissioners.*

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,  
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-eighth day of June, 1887.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council dated the first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, the School Commissioners for the Taranaki Provincial District were declared to be subject to the provisions of "The Public Bodies' Leaseholds Act, 1886" (hereinafter called "the said Act"): And whereas the said Commissioners have requested that the provisions of sections four, six, and eighteen of the said Act should no longer apply to the said Commissioners or to the reserves vested in them, and it appears expedient to grant the said request and to make the order hereinafter contained:

Now, therefore, 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, and in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the said Act, doth hereby order and declare that the provisions of sections four, six, and eighteen of the said Act shall not, after the day of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, apply to the said School Commissioners, or to the reserves vested in them, and that so much of the hereinbefore recited Order in Council as is inconsistent with this present order shall from the day last aforesaid be deemed to be revoked.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Licensing the Akaroa Borough Council to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore of Akaroa Harbour.*

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,  
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-eighth day of June, 1887.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Harbours Act Amendment Act, 1883" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), it is, among other things, enacted that, where the foreshore has been legally vested in any Harbour Board or other local governing body, it may from time to time, subject to the provisions of the one hundred and fifty-sixth section of "The Harbours Act, 1878," license and permit any part of the foreshore to be used or occupied, *inter alia*, for the erection and use of any landing-place or wharf: And whereas by the said Act it is also provided that every licensee shall, subject to the provisions of the said Act, have power to make and construct any necessary reclamation for the purpose of erecting on the foreshore comprised in his license, or upon any land below low-water mark immediately contiguous to such foreshore which shall be specified in such license, any building, structure, erection, or other works to enable him to obtain the full benefit of such license: And whereas by the said Act it is further provided that every such license shall be in writing under the seal of the Board or body granting the same, and may be for any period not exceeding fourteen years from the date thereof, and may prescribe a sum of money to be payable either at stated periods or on or before the granting thereof for the use of the foreshore so granted, and may prescribe any other terms or conditions, general or particular, to be observed or performed by the person to whom the same is granted: And whereas by the said Act it is also enacted that, in any case where there is no Harbour Board, or no Harbour Board empowered to grant any such license as aforesaid, the Governor in Council may in his discretion grant and issue a license for all or any of the purposes hereinbefore mentioned, and all the provisions of the said Act in respect of such licenses shall, *mutatis mutandis*, apply accordingly:

And whereas the Akaroa Borough Council (hereinafter called "the Council") has applied for a license under the said Act to occupy a part of the foreshore and the land below low-water mark immediately contiguous to such foreshore at Akaroa, in Akaroa Harbour, in order to erect and maintain thereon a wharf; and, in accordance with the one hundred and fifty-sixth section of "The Harbours Act, 1878," has deposited plans in the office of the Marine Department, at Wellington (marked M.D. 1333, 1334, 1335, and 1336), showing the manner in which it is proposed to construct such wharf, the place in the said harbour where it is intended to erect the same, and the area of foreshore or land below low-water mark intended to be occupied for such purpose: And whereas it has been made to appear to the Governor in Council that the proposed work will not be or tend to the injury of navigation; and the said plans have prior to the making of this Order in Council, been approved by the Governor in Council, with the modifications noted on the plan marked M.D. 1334: And whereas there is no Harbour Board having jurisdiction in the said harbour, and it is expedient that a license should be granted and issued to the Council under the said Act, for the purpose aforesaid, on the terms and conditions hereinafter expressed:

Now, therefore, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby approve of the purpose or object for which the said license is required by the Council as aforesaid; and in further pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, doth hereby license and permit the Council to use and occupy that part of the foreshore and of the land below low-water mark immediately contiguous thereto which is particularly shown and delineated on the plans so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of constructing or erecting thereon a wharf, such license to be held and enjoyed by the Council upon and subject to the following terms and conditions, that is to say,—

1. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to the parts of the foreshore and of the land below low-water mark necessary for the erection of such wharf, which are shown on the plan marked M.D. 1333.

2. That all Her Majesty's subjects shall at all reasonable times, upon payment of the proper dues, have free and full liberty to use the wharf, and of ingress and egress thereon.

3. That Her Majesty, or the Governor, and all officers in the Government service, acting in the execution of their duty, shall at all times have free ingress, passage, and egress into, through, and out of the wharf without payment.

4. The Council shall maintain the above-mentioned wharf in good order and repair; and shall at all times exhibit therefrom, and maintain at his own cost, suitable and necessary lights for the guidance of vessels: Provided that no light shall be exhibited until after it has been approved of by the Minister.

5. Any person authorized by the Minister may, at all reasonable times, enter upon the said wharf and view the state of repairs thereof; and that upon such Minister leaving at or posting to the last known address of the Council a notice in writing of any defect or want of repair in such wharf, requiring it, within a reasonable time to be therein prescribed, to repair the same, it shall with all convenient speed cause such defect to be removed or such repairs to be made.

6. That nothing herein contained shall authorize the Council to do or cause to be done anything repugnant to or inconsistent with any law relating to the Customs, or any regulation of the Commissioner of Trade and Customs, or with any provisions of "The Harbours Act, 1878," or its amendments, or any regulations made thereunder, and that are now or may hereafter be in force.

7. That the ballast of all vessels loading at the said wharf shall be taken away by the Council and deposited above high-water mark, or at such place as may be approved of by the Minister or by any person appointed by the Minister for that purpose.

8. That the rights, powers, and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall continue in force for fourteen years, computed from the date of this Order in Council, unless in the meantime such rights, powers, and privileges shall be altered, modified, or revoked by competent authority; and the Council shall not assign, charge, or part with any such right, power, or privilege without the previous written consent of the Minister first obtained.

9. That the said rights, powers, and privileges may be at any time resumed by the Governor, without payment of any compensation whatever, on giving to the Council six calendar months' previous notice in writing. Any such notice shall be sufficient if given by the Minister, and delivered at or posted to the last known address of the Council.

10. The Council shall be liable for any injury which the said wharf may cause any vessel or boat to sustain through any default or neglect on its part.

11. In case the Council shall—

(1.) Commit or suffer a breach of the conditions hereinbefore set forth, or any of them; or

(2.) Cease to use or occupy the said wharf;

then and in either of the said cases this Order in Council, and every right, power, or privilege, may be revoked and determined by the Governor in Council without any notice to the Council or other proceeding whatsoever, and publication in the *New Zealand Gazette* of an Order in Council containing such revocation shall be sufficient notice to the Council, and to all persons concerned or interested, that this Order in Council, and the rights and privileges thereby conferred, have been revoked and determined.

12. In these conditions the term "Minister" means the Minister having charge of the Marine Department, as defined by "The Shipping and Seamen's Act, 1877," and includes any officer, person, or authority acting by or under the direction of such Minister.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,  
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-eighth day of June, 1887.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

WILLIAM CAMPBELL WALKER,  
EDWARD GEORGE WRIGHT,  
JOHN GRIGG, and  
JOSEPH CLARK

(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 Tuesday in each month, at half-past two o'clock p.m., at the County Council Office, 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 Tuesday, the fifth day of July, 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 first Monday in December in every succeeding year thereafter, elect one of themselves to be Chairman, who may join in the discussion, and shall have an original as well as a casting vote. The Chairman shall hold office until the election of his successor.

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

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

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

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Canterbury, being portion of Reserve No. 350 (in red), containing by admeasurement 230 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the North-east by Section No. 3936; towards the



South-east by Sections Nos. 6022 and 6023, and also by Reserves Nos. 2064 and 2275, and by a road; towards the South-west by Reserve No. 350 (in red); and towards the North-west by the north-west boundary of Reserve No. 350 (in red).

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Delegating Powers under "The Cemeteries Act, 1885," to the Corporation of the Borough of Greytown.*

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,  
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-eighth day of June, 1887.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN exercise and pursuance of the powers vested in him by "The Cemeteries Act 1882 Amendment Act, 1885," and of all other powers 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 delegate to the Corporation of the Borough of Greytown the powers conferred upon him by section six of "The Cemeteries Act, 1882," as to the appointment and removal of Trustees for the cemetery described in the Schedule hereto, and known as the Greytown Cemetery; and doth declare that this Order in Council shall take effect as from the first day of August next.

SCHEDULE.

GREYTOWN CEMETERY.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Wellington, containing by admeasurement 15 acres, more or less, being part of Section No. 38 on the plan of the Moroa Block. Bounded towards the North-east by Section No. 50, 750 links; towards the South-east by other part of Section No. 38, and the abutments of two public roads, each 50 links wide, 2000 links; and towards the South-west and North-west by Section No. 50, 750 links and 2000 links respectively: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the office of the Chief Surveyor, Wellington.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Vesting a Reserve in the Contributors to the Gisborne Hospital (Incorporated).*

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,  
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-eighth day of June, 1887.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto was reserved for hospital purposes: And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to vest the said lands in the contributors of the Gisborne Hospital, incorporated under "The Hospital and Charitable Institutions Act, 1885."

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby declare that, from and after the day of the date hereof, the land described in the Schedule hereto shall become vested in the contributors of the Gisborne Hospital (Incorporated), in trust, for general hospital purposes.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land situate in the Town of Gisborne, in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 1 acre, more or less, and being Section No. 34A of the Town of Gisborne; commencing at a point on Carnarvon Street, being the south-western corner of Section No. 353. Bounded towards the North-east by Sections Nos. 353, 354, 355, 356, and 357, 500 links; towards the South-east by Section No. 26A, 200 links; towards the South-west by Section No. 33A, 500 links; and towards the North-west by Carnarvon Street, 200 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Appointing Trustees, to be called "The Moeraki Sea-bathing Trust."*

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,  
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-eighth day of June, 1887.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is provided by section twenty-seven of "The Harbours Act 1878 Amendment Act, 1886" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), that, for the purpose of giving effect to the foregoing section of the said Act, the Governor in Council may appoint three persons to be Trustees, to be called "The Moeraki Sea-bathing Trust:"

And whereas it is provided by section thirty of the said Act that sections twenty-six, twenty-seven, twenty-eight, and twenty-nine thereof shall not come into operation except upon a petition signed by a majority of the ratepayers in the Moeraki Riding of the Waitaki County, and of the ratepayers of the Borough of Hampden:

And whereas a majority of the ratepayers of the said riding and borough respectively have signed a petition praying that the said sections twenty-six, twenty-seven, twenty-eight, and twenty-nine may come into operation:

And whereas it is desirable to appoint the persons hereinafter named to be such Trustees as aforesaid:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers conferred by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby appoint Joseph Culling, of Hillgrove, Settler, Robert Ewing, of Hampden, Banker, and Andrew McKerrow, of Moeraki, Settler, to be Trustees, to be called "The Moeraki Sea-bathing Trust."

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Native Land proposed to be taken on the Opaki Section of the Wellington-Napier Railway.*

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,  
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fourteenth day of June, 1887.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken for a public work authorized to be constructed by the Government, to wit, the Opaki Section of the Wellington-Napier Railway: And whereas the said land is held or occupied by Native owners:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by "The Public Works Act, 1882," and the amendments thereof, 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 Opaki Section of the Wellington-Napier Railway 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 Section or Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of
A. R. P. 8 2 8	60	IX.	Kopuaranga.

In the Provincial District of Wellington; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 14762, 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.

*Native Land proposed to be taken at Sentry Hill for the Purposes of the Foxton-New Plymouth Railway.*

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,  
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eleventh day of May, 1887.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken for a public work authorized to be constructed by the Government, to wit, the Foxton-New Plymouth Railway: And whereas the said land is held or occupied by Native owners:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in him by "The Public Works Act, 1882," and the amendments thereof, 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 Foxton-New Plymouth Railway shall and may be constructed on or through the parcels of land more particularly mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

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 the Survey District of
A. R. P. 22 2 14	97	Waitara West District	Paritutu.
1 3 6	98	Waitara West District	Paritutu.

All in the Provincial District of Taranaki; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 14707, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured green and red.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Cancelling Reservation of Land in Taranaki.*

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,  
Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by "The Special Powers and Contracts Act, 1884," I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby cancel the reservation of Section thirty-six, Block six, Huiroa Survey District, which was proclaimed an endowment for primary education by Proclamation dated the eighteenth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, and published in *Gazette* number eighty-nine, of the nineteenth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, and by Proclamation dated the first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, and published in *Gazette* number forty-six, of the tenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

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

J. BALLANCE,  
Minister of Lands.

*Land vested in the Taranaki County Council.*

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,  
Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by "The Special Powers and Contracts Act, 1884," I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby vest in the Taranaki County Council Lot one hundred and twenty-six, Hua and Waiwakaiho District, containing sixty acres, subject to the conditions of reservation mentioned in "The Taranaki County Reserves Act, 1877."

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

J. BALLANCE,  
Minister of Lands.

*Altering Times of Meeting of the Land Board of the Land District of Auckland.*

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,  
Governor.

WHEREAS by the first subsection of section forty-three of "The Land Act, 1885," it is provided that the Land Boards of the respective land districts shall sit at the land office in the principal town of the land district, at certain times to be determined by the Board and approved of by the Governor, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette*:

And whereas by a warrant under the hand of His Excellency the Governor, dated the twenty-third day of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the thirtieth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, it was appointed that the Land Board of Auckland should sit on every alternate Thursday at two o'clock p.m.:

And whereas the Land Board of Auckland did, on the second day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, pass a resolution recommending that the time of sitting should be altered, and it is expedient to give effect to the said recommendation:

Now, therefore, I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise of the power and authority vested in me in that behalf, do hereby fix and determine that the ordinary meetings of the Land Board of the Land District of Auckland shall be held every three weeks, at two o'clock p.m., commencing on Thursday, the thirtieth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, instead of every alternate Thursday as heretofore appointed.

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

Jos. A. TOLE,  
(For the Minister of Lands.)

*Altering Times of Meeting of the Land Board of the Land District of Southland.*

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,  
Governor.

WHEREAS by the first subsection of section forty-three of "The Land Act, 1885," it is provided that the Land Boards of the respective land districts shall sit at the land office in the principal town of the land district, at certain times to be determined by the Board and approved of by the Governor, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette*:

And whereas by a warrant under the hand of His Excellency the Governor, dated the twenty-fourth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the fourth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, it was appointed that the Land Board of Southland should sit on every alternate Thursday at half-past one o'clock p.m.:

And whereas the Land Board of Southland did, on the second day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, pass a resolution recommending that the time of sitting should be altered, and it is expedient to give effect to the said recommendation:

Now, therefore, I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise of the power and authority vested in me in that behalf, do hereby fix and determine that the ordinary meetings of the Land Board of the Land District of Southland shall be held on the first Thursday of every month, at eleven o'clock a.m., commencing on Thursday, the seventh day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, instead of every alternate Thursday, as heretofore appointed.

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

J. BALLANCE,  
Minister of Lands.

*Returning Officer, Hokonui Electoral District, appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 18th June, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM RUSSELL, Esq.,

to be the Returning Officer for the election of Members of the House of Representatives for the Hokonui Electoral District, under "The Regulation of Elections Act, 1881."

P. A. BUCKLEY.

*Member of Board of Trustees, Ashburton Racecourse Reserve, appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 24th June, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM PURNELL, Esq.,

to be a Member of the Board of Trustees under "The Ashburton Racecourse Reserve Act, 1882," *vice* Dr. Ross, resigned.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

*Inspector of Weights and Measures appointed, Ashburton.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 24th June, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Sergeant HENRY WILLIAM FELTON

to be an Inspector of Weights and Measures, under "The Weights and Measures Act, 1868," for the Borough of Ashburton and County of Ashburton.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

*Registrar of Marriages, &c., appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 25th June, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN GRAY

to be Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths, and to be Vaccination Inspector, for the District of Waipara, *vice* James B. Chisholm.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

*Deputy-Registrar of Marriages, &c., appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 25th June, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES MARSHALL

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

*Clerk of Licensing Committees appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 23rd June, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM RUSSELL

to be Clerk of the Licensing Committees for the Districts of Winton and Borough of Winton, *vice* J. K. Lea.

Jos. A. TOLE.

*Resident Magistrate appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 27th June, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN OLLIVIER, Esq., R.M.,

to be a Resident Magistrate for the Districts of Ashburton, Geraldine, and Timaru, with extended jurisdiction to £100.

Jos. A. TOLE.

*Acting Actuary and Statist appointed.*

Wellington, 29th June, 1887.

IT is hereby notified that JOSEPHUS HARGREAVES RICHARDSON, A.I.A., F.I.A.V., has been appointed Acting Actuary and Statist to the Government of New Zealand, during the absence on leave of Frederick William Frankland, Esq., the Actuary and Statist.

JULIUS VOGEL,  
Colonial Treasurer.

*Cadet in the Land Office, Dunedin, appointed.*

General Crown Lands Office,  
Wellington, 29th June, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM JOHN McCORMICK

to be a Cadet in the Land Office, Dunedin. Appointment to date from the 14th October, 1885.

J. BALLANCE.

*Cadet in the Survey Department appointed.*

General Survey Office,  
Wellington, 28th June, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN MOUAT, Jun.,

to be a Cadet in the Survey Department of New Zealand; the appointment dating from the 1st April, 1887.

J. BALLANCE.

*Member of Lyttelton Harbour Board appointed.*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 29th June, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ALBERT PARSONS

to be a Member of the Lyttelton Harbour Board, the Council of the County of Ashley having refused or neglected, on the second Monday in February last, to elect one member as required by subsection 8 of section 4 of "The Lyttelton Harbour Board Act, 1882."

W. J. M. LARNACH.

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

Native Office,  
Wellington, 29th June, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has, under powers conferred by section 15 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1886," and all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, 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 MANGONUI RECORDER'S DISTRICT: Comprising all that area in the Provincial District of Auckland bounded towards the South-west, North, and East generally by the sea; and towards the South-east by a right line from Ninepin Rock over Trig. J to Omapiere Lake, by the southern shore of that lake to Block No. 2623, and thence by a right line to Maungani Bluff.

JAMES STEPHENSON  
CLENDON

THE WHANGAREI RECORDER'S DISTRICT: Comprising all that area in the Provincial District of Auckland bounded towards the North-west by the Mangonui Recorder's District; towards the East generally by the sea; towards the South and South-east by the Resident Magistrate's District of Auckland, as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 34, 17th June, 1886; and towards the South-west generally by the sea.

THOMAS JACKSON

THE LOWER WAIKATO RECORDER'S DISTRICT: Comprising all that area in the Provincial District of Auckland known as the Papakura Resident Magistrate's District, as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 13, 26th February, 1885.

The appointments of Helyar Wedderburn Bishop and James Stephenson Clendon are made in lieu of their appointments of the 1st March, 1887, to the Bay of Islands and Kaipara Recorders' Districts respectively.

J. BALLANCE.

*Services of Volunteer Corps accepted.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 7th June, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the services of the

*Hastings (Napier) Rifle Volunteers.*

Date of acceptance, 6th June, 1887.

J. BALLANCE.

*Volunteer Officers appointed.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 15th June, 1887.

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

*Te Aro Rifle Volunteers.*

Arthur Hamilton Renwick, late Lieutenant, 2nd Middlesex Artillery Volunteers, to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 2nd June, 1887.

*1st Battalion Canterbury Rifle Volunteers.*

Surgeon Charles Morton Anderson to be Surgeon.

ROBERT STOUT,  
(For the Defence Minister.)

*Volunteer Officers appointed.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 29th June, 1887.

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

*Onehunga Naval Artillery Volunteers.*

Eugene Hulse to be Captain. Date of appointment, 1st June, 1887.

*Woodville Rifle Volunteers.*

Karl Gustav Theodor Branting to be Honorary Surgeon. Date of commission, 31st March, 1887.

*Hastings Rifle Volunteers.*

William Russell Russell, late Captain, Her Majesty's 14th Regiment, to be Captain. Date of commission, 6th June, 1887.

J. BALLANCE.

*Services of Volunteer Corps accepted.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 29th June, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the services of the

*Auckland Royal Irish Rifle Volunteers.*

Date of acceptance, 24th June, 1887.

J. BALLANCE.

*Volunteer Officer resigned.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 15th June, 1887.

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

*Wellington Rifle Volunteers.*

Captain James Tait. Date of resignation, 6th June, 1887.

ROBERT STOUT,  
(For the Defence Minister.)

*Volunteer Officers resigned.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 29th June, 1887.

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

*East Taieri Rifle Volunteers.*

Captain Charles Lord Russell. Date of resignation, 25th May, 1887.

*Naseby Rifle Volunteers.*

Lieutenant Richard Bourchier. Date of resignation, 23rd April, 1887.

J. BALLANCE.

*County Councils Elections.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 8th June, 1887.

NOTICE has been received at this office that the following persons have been elected members of the under-mentioned County Councils:—

County of Mongonui:

Mongonui Riding—James Switzer.

County of Amuri:

Thomas Chapman.

G. S. COOPER,  
Under-Secretary.

*Application for Registration of a Trade Mark.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 29th June, 1887.

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM FRANCIS BAR-RAUD, of Wellington, in the Colony of New Zealand, Chemist, has applied to register, under "The Trade Marks Act, 1866," the trade mark of which the following is a description, viz:—

*Description of Trade Mark.*

The representation of a tui (parson-bird, *Prothemadera Novæ-Zealandiæ*).

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

Pharmaceutical preparations, proprietary medicines, toilet preparations, perfumery, cordials, essences, horse cattle and dog medicines, chemical preparations, and drugs.

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

*Special Order made by Waitemata County Council.—  
Altering Ridings, &c.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 24th June, 1887.

THE following special order, made by the Waitemata County Council, is published in accordance with "The Counties Act, 1866."

P. A. BUCKLEY.

COUNTY OF WAITEMATA.

SPECIAL ORDER made by the Waitemata County Council on the 3rd day of June, 1887, readjusting the Representation of the different Ridings in the County.

THAT on and after the second Wednesday in November, 1887, the county shall be divided into eight ridings, with one member for each, as follows:—

1. *Takapuna Riding.*—Comprising the Lake Road District. One member.
2. *Northcote Riding.*—Comprising the Northcote Road District. One member.
3. *Birkenhead Riding.*—Comprising the Birkenhead Road District. One member.
4. *Wainui Riding.*—Comprising the Pukeatua Road District, the Wainui Road District, and the Whangaparoa Road District. One member.
5. *Waikomiti Riding.*—Comprising the Waikomiti Outlying District, the Waitakerei South Outlying District, and the Titirangi-Manukau Outlying District. One member.
6. *Waitakerei Riding.*—Comprising the Waitakerei East Outlying District, the Waitakerei West Outlying District, and the Waipareira Outlying District. One member.
7. *Helensville Riding.*—Comprising the Helensville Town

District, the Mairatahi Road District, the Woodhill Outlying District, and the Waioneke Outlying District. One member.

8. *Kaukapakapa Riding*.—Comprising the Kaukapakapa Road District and the Ararimu Outlying District. One member.

I certify that the foregoing special order has been duly made.

County Office,  
Auckland, 7th June, 1887.

OLIVER MAYS,  
Chairman.

*Special Order made by Manawatu Road Board, County of Oroua.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 24th June, 1887.

THE following special order, made by the Manawatu Road Board, is published in accordance with "The Road Boards Act, 1882."

P. A. BUCKLEY.

COPY of SPECIAL ORDER passed by the Manawatu Road Road Board, Thursday, 9th June, 1887.

RESOLVED, That the following special rates be levied within the Manawatu Road District, viz.: To provide for the payment of interest and other annual charges on a loan of £2,200 for road construction in Fitzherbert West, a special rate of three-eighths of a penny in the pound on the rateable value of all the properties in No. 5 Ward, with the exception of the following, viz., Sections Nos. 179 to 188, 255, 257 to 259, 261, 263, 285 to 288, 208, 209, 138 to 155, 62, 63, 65 to 76, 78 to 84, 18 to 21, 47 to 57, all inclusive, the whole of the Townships of Fitzherbert and Linton, and all Crown and Native lands within the meaning of "The Crown and Native Lands Rating Act, 1882;" and, to provide for the payment of interest on a loan of £300 for the reconstruction of the Kohuterawa Bridge, a special rate of one-twentieth of a penny in the pound on the rateable value of the same properties. To provide for the payment of interest on a loan of £640 for the construction of Upper Longburn Road, a special rate of three-eighths of a penny in the pound on the rateable value of the following properties, viz., parts 2 and 22 of Section No. 14, parts 3 and 21 of Section No. 355, part 20 of Section No. 354 and Section No. 13, Karere, Sections Nos. 1546 to 1548, 1551 to 1557, 1570, 1574 to 1577, 1580 to 1587, 1604 to 1616, Kairanga, all inclusive. Each of the said rates to be an annually-recurring rate for a period of twenty-six years, and shall be payable at the office of the Board in two instalments, on the 1st day of May and the 1st day of November in each year.

I hereby certify that the above special order was duly passed as required by section 76 of "The Road Boards Act, 1882."

A. CLARKE,  
Clerk to the Manawatu Road Board.

*Special Order (amended) made by Upper Wangaehu Road Board, County of Wanganui.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 27th June, 1887.

THE following special order, made by the Upper Wangaehu Road Board, is published in accordance with "The Road Boards Act, 1882."

P. A. BUCKLEY.

**SPECIAL ORDER.**

THAT a special order be now made, levying a special rate of three-eighths of a penny in the pound on the capital value of all property within the Upper Wangaehu Road District liable to be specially rated under "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1886," and "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886;" such rate to be for the purpose of providing interest for a loan of £2,000 obtained under the said Acts, and shall be an annually-recurring rate, leviable, if required, year by year (payable in one sum), commencing on the 1st day of May, 1888, and on the same day of each year following until the loan in respect of which the said rate is made is paid off.

This is to certify that a special order, of which the above is a correct copy, was duly passed at a special meeting of the Upper Wangaehu Road Board, held this 21st day of June, 1887.

ALLAN ROBINSON,  
Clerk, Upper Wangaehu Road Board.  
Mangamahū, 21st June, 1887.

*Letters of Naturalisation issued.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 27th June, 1887.

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

Name.	Occupation.	Residence.
Peter Anton Beyer ..	Gold-miner ..	Kumara.
Felix Restano ..	Miner ..	Hokitika.
Philip Henry Amberger	Tinsmith ..	Hokitika.
Henry Swanson ..	Miner ..	Hokitika.
Wilhelm Schlomer ..	Miner ..	Hokitika.
Ernest William Schroder	Baker ..	Hokitika.
Christian Poulsen ..	Miner ..	Ross, Hokitika.
Peter Lausten Peterson	Miner ..	No Town, Grey-mouth.
William Lindeman ..	Cabinetmaker	Hokitika.
Karl Zander ..	Clerk ..	Ashburton.
André Sabot ..	Miner ..	Ross, Hokitika.
Frederick Nelson ..	Engineman ..	Westport.
Pietro Olsen ..	Labourer ..	Lyttelton.
Anton Emil Amundsen	Wharf-labourer	Wellington.
Hans Claudius Bertelsen	Labourer ..	Masterton.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

*Road Board Elections.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 28th June, 1887.

THE following notices of elections of Members of Road Boards have been received at this office, and are published in accordance with the provisions of "The Road Boards Act, 1882."

G. S. COOPER,  
Under-Secretary.

Tauhoa Road District, County of Rodney:

John Wilson.  
Joseph Levett.  
Aaron Pearson.

Maungakaramea Road District, County of Whangarei:

Herbert John James.  
Charles E. Hayward.

Mangapai Road District, County of Whangarei:

Ebenezer Carter.  
John Hall.

Hamilton Road District, County of Waipa:

John C. Booth.

Matamata Road District, County of Piako:

Samuel Higgins.  
Norman Anderson.

Arai Road District, County of Cook:

Edward O'Dwyer.  
William Jobson.

Poverty Bay Road District, County of Cook:

Thomas Finucane.  
Frederick Tietjens.

Ellesmere Road District, County of Selwyn:

John Robert Campbell.  
Robert Lochhead.

Portobello Road District, County of Peninsula:

James Macandrew.

Tuturau Road District, County of Southland:

James Pollock.  
Mathew Dickie.  
Alexander Dickie.  
William Stevenson.

*Result of Poll for Proposed Loan, Masterton Road District, County of Wairarapa North.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 28th June, 1887.

THE following notice, received from the Chairman of the Masterton Road Board, is published in accordance with "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1886."

P. A. BUCKLEY.

THE following is the result of a poll taken on the 22nd June, 1887, on the proposal to borrow the sum of £710, under "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886," for the purpose of forming a section of the Opaki to Rangitumau Road:—

Number of votes exercisable, 16.		
For proposal .. .. .	11	votes.
Against proposal .. .. .	2	"
Not exercised .. .. .	3	"

As the number of votes in favour of the proposal exceed the number against it and the number not exercised, I have declared the said proposal to be duly carried.

WILLIAM H. BEETHAM,  
Chairman, Masterton Road Board.

Road Board Office,  
Masterton, 23rd June, 1887.

*Result of Poll for Proposed Loan, County of Kaikoura.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 28th June, 1887.

THE following notice, received from the Chairman of the Kaikoura County Council, is published in accordance with "The Local Bodies Loans Act, 1886."

P. A. BUCKLEY.

COUNTY OF KAIKOURA.

NOTICE is hereby given that the result of the polls taken on the 1st, 2nd, 4th, and 6th days of June instant, in the respective ridings of the County of Kaikoura, under "The Local Bodies Loans Act, 1886," and "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886," on the proposal of the Kaikoura County Council to borrow the sum of £3,000 for various road purposes, as per published schedule, was as follows:—

Votes for the proposal .. .. .	122
Votes against the proposal .. .. .	1
Votes unrecorded .. .. .	72
Total number of votes on the roll, 195.	

As a majority of the total number of ratepayers voted in favour of the proposal, and the number so voting are entitled to more than half the number of votes which can be exercised by the whole number of ratepayers qualified to vote, I hereby declare the said proposal carried.

Dated this 10th day of June, 1887.

WALTER GIBSON,  
Chairman, Kaikoura County Council.  
County Office, Kaikoura, 10th June, 1887.

*Special Orders (3) made by Kaikoura County Council.—Adopting Local Bodies' Loans Acts.—Making Special Rate.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 28th June, 1887.

THE following special orders, made by the Kaikoura County Council, are published for general information.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

(1.) THAT the provisions of "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886," be adopted generally, to take effect from the date of its adoption. (2.) That "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1886," be adopted generally from the date of special order.

I hereby certify that the above resolutions were adopted by special order, in accordance with law, and that the said resolutions were passed at a special meeting of the Kaikoura County Council, on the 24th day of November, 1886.

GEO. RENNER,  
County Clerk.

THAT a special rate of three-sixteenths of a penny in the pound be struck, by special order, on all rateable property in the county, Crown and Native lands excepted, to secure the repayment of £150 annually on £3,000, to be borrowed from Government under the provisions of "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886," and "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1886." The rate to be an annually-recurring rate.

I hereby certify that the above special order was made, in accordance with law, at a special meeting of the Kaikoura County Council, on the 13th day of April, 1887.

GEO. RENNER,  
County Clerk.

*Result of Poll for Proposed Loan, Wirokino Road Board, County of Horowhenua.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 29th June, 1887.

THE following notice, received from the Chairman of the Wirokino Road Board, is published in accordance with "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1886."

P. A. BUCKLEY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the result of the poll taken under "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1886," in the Wirokino Road District, Horowhenua County, on Saturday, the 18th June, 1887, on the proposal to borrow the sum of £3,000 for the construction of a bridge across the Manawatu River, at the Wirokino Ferry, in conjunction with the Manawatu County, is as follows:—

Total number of ratepayers on roll, 18; representing 41 votes.

Votes recorded for the proposal .. .. .	26
Number of ratepayers voting for the proposal .. .. .	13
Number of ratepayers voting against the proposal .. .. .	Nil.
Votes not recorded .. .. .	8
Votes not exercisable .. .. .	7

As a majority in number of the ratepayers voted in favour of the proposal, and the number so voting are entitled to more than one-half of the votes which can be exercised by the whole number, I do hereby declare the proposal to be carried.

JOHN DAVIES,  
Chairman, Wirokino Road Board.

Foxton, 22nd June, 1887.

*Arrangements for First Elections, &c., Borough of Woodville.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 28th June, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

GEORGE MOORE, Esq.,

to be Town Clerk of the Borough of Woodville, as constituted under "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1886," and also to be Returning Officer to conduct the first elections of the Mayor and of nine Councillors of the said borough; also to appoint Wednesday, the 27th day of July, 1887, to be the day for holding the first election of Mayor, and Thursday, the 28th day of July, 1887, to be the day for holding the first election of nine Councillors, of the said borough; also to appoint Monday, the 1st day of August, 1887, at noon, to be the time, and the Town Board Office, Woodville, to be the place, at which the first meeting of the Woodville Borough Council shall be held.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

*Special Orders (2) made by Spring Grove Road Board, County of Wainaea.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 29th June, 1887.

THE following special orders (2), made by the Spring Grove Road Board, are published in accordance with "The Road Boards Act, 1882."

P. A. BUCKLEY.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

1. THAT a special rate of three-fourths of a penny in the pound be made and levied on the under-mentioned sections, being portions of the Spring Grove and Stoke Road Districts, and that the area affected be constituted a special district, to be described as the Roding District, for the purpose of providing funds for the payment of interest and sinking fund on a sum to be obtained under "The Government Loans to Local Bodies' Act, 1886;" the said rate to be an annual-recurring rate until the loan is paid off—viz.: Sections 1, 1 of B1, 2 of B1, 22, 23, XIV., 21, VIII., 32, 25, 24, 70, 78, 79, 80, 81, 1 of 4, 2 of 4, 4, 10 of 1, 25, 74, 75, part Sections 72, 28.

2. That this Board bring "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886," into operation in connection with the above-described special district, for the purpose of raising a loan for constructing a cart-bridge across the Wairoa River, near its junction with the Roding River. That the cost is estimated at £450, including interest for one year during construction of the said work.

I hereby certify that the above special orders were duly made by the Spring Grove Road Board on the 14th day of March, 1887.

ELIAB BAIGENT,  
Clerk, Spring Grove Road Board.

*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 Lyttelton.

The top storey of brick building situate on Section No. 1119, corner of Colombo and Tuam Streets, City of Christchurch, to be known as

THE NELSON BOND.

Given under my hand, at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

JULIUS VOGEL,  
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

Commissioner's Order No. 270.]



*Notice to Mariners, No. 24 of 1887.*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 29th June, 1887.

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

W. J. M. LARNACH.

GULF OF CARPENTARIA.—LEADING LIGHTS, ENTRANCE TO NORMAN RIVER.

NOTICE is hereby given that after this date the following leading lights will be exhibited at the entrance to the Norman River. These, in conjunction with the lightship, lead across the bar and up to Kimberley.

Two lights, the nearer being red, and 10ft. above high-water mark, and the back light white, and 30ft. above high-water, are placed on the bank to the westward of the Elbow Bank. They are 900 yards apart, N.E. by E.  $\frac{3}{4}$  E. easterly, and S.W. by W.  $\frac{3}{4}$  W. westerly, and the front light stands on the edge of the bank. These in line lead just to the southward of the Bar Buoy, and up the channel as far as the Elbow Bank.

Two similar lights, the same distance apart, but having the back light 50ft. above high-water mark, are placed on shore at Kimberley on a line bearing E. by S.  $\frac{3}{4}$  S. and W. by N.  $\frac{3}{4}$  N., and lead from the Elbow Bank up to the sandy beach on the western shore of the river.

*Directions.*—Vessels intending to enter the river by night should pass about  $\frac{1}{2}$  a cable west of the lightship, and then steer S.E. by E.  $\frac{1}{2}$  E., bringing the two leading lights which are placed above the Elbow Bank in line on a N.E. by E.  $\frac{3}{4}$  E. easterly bearing. These lights should be kept in this position until the leading lights at Kimberley are in line, when the latter should similarly be kept in line until abreast Alligator Point, whence a mid-channel course may be kept up the river.

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

Department of Ports and Harbours,  
Brisbane, 2nd June, 1887.

PORT PHILLIP BAY.

PILOTS, masters of vessels, and others are hereby informed that, on the 13th June, 1887, a new light-vessel will be moored, for test purposes, about two cables length inside the Gellibrand Lightship, bearing therefrom S.W. by W. This vessel will exhibit the usual anchor-light by night until the 30th June proximo, after which it will be removed.

*Caution.*—Mariners entering or leaving Hobson's Bay by day or night are cautioned to keep to the eastward or outside of the Gellibrand Lightship.

ALEXR. WILSON,  
Engineer in Charge, Ports and Harbours.  
Department of Ports and Harbours,  
Melbourne, 27th May, 1887.

*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  $\frac{1}{4}$ d. 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  $\frac{1}{4}$ d. and  $\frac{1}{8}$ d. 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 appointed by him in that behalf.

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

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

Mines Department,  
Wellington, 28th 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.

*Officiating Ministers for 1887.—Notice No. 13.*

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 2nd June, 1887.

**P**URSUANT to the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, passed in the forty-fourth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, and intituled "The Marriage Act, 1880," the following names of Officiating Ministers within the meaning of the said Act are published for general information:—

*Presbyterian Church of Otago and Southland.*

The Reverend John Dunlop, M.A., D.D.

*Lutheran Church.*

The Reverend Christopher Gaustad.

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

*Will accepted by the Public Trustee.*

Public Trust Office,  
Wellington, 25th June, 1887.

In the matter of the will of Martha Rowe, late of Fairlie Creek, Timaru, deceased.

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

R. C. HAMERTON,  
Public Trustee.

*Will accepted by the Public Trustee.*

Public Trust Office,  
Wellington, 25th June, 1887.

In the matter of the will of David Lyall, late of Queenstown, deceased.

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

R. C. HAMERTON,  
Public Trustee.

*"Friendly Societies Act, 1882."—Cancelling of Registry.*

Friendly Societies' Registry Office,  
Wellington, 27th June, 1887.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Registrar of Friendly Societies has, pursuant to section 10 of "The Friendly Societies Act, 1882," by writing under his hand dated this 27th day of June, 1887, cancelled the registry of the Southland Benevolent Institute, Benevolent Society (Register No. 163), held at Invercargill, on the ground that the said society has ceased to exist.

EDMUND MASON,  
Registrar.

*Application for a Patent.*

Patent Office,  
Wellington, 23rd June, 1887.

**P**ATENT for an Invention for Locked and Curved Furnace-mountings.

HENRY ELY SHACKLOCK, of Dunedin, New Zealand, Iron-founder, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Thursday, the 8th day of September 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 24th day of August next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

C. J. A. HASELDEN,  
Patent Officer.

*Application for a Patent.*

Patent Office,  
Wellington, 23rd June, 1887.

**P**ATENT for an Invention for pressing Chaff into Sacks, or for any other purpose that requires tamping or pressing, to be called "The Jubilee Chaff-presser."

THOMAS PRYDE ADAMSON, of East Tamaki, Auckland, New Zealand, Farmer, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Thursday, the 8th day of September 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 24th day of August next, at this office, particulars

in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

C. J. A. HASELDEN,  
Patent Officer.

No. 2389.

*Application for a Patent.*

Patent Office,  
Wellington, 23rd June, 1887.

**P**ATENT for an Invention for cutting Chaff, to be called "The Improved Chaff-cutter Knife."

WILLIAM JAMES SIMPSON, of Kirwee, Canterbury, New Zealand, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Thursday, the 8th day of September 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 24th day of August next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

C. J. A. HASELDEN,  
Patent Officer.

No. 2390.

*Application for a Patent.*

Patent Office,  
Wellington, 23rd June, 1887.

**P**ATENT for an Invention for preventing Chimneys from Smoking, and Promoting Ventilation, to be called "Stinnear's Smoke- and Ventilating-cone."

JOHN STEWART STINNEAR, of Christchurch, New Zealand, Plumber, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Thursday, the 8th day of September 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 24th day of August next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

C. J. A. HASELDEN,  
Patent Officer.

No. 2391.

*Application for a Patent.*

Patent Office,  
Wellington, 24th June, 1887.

**P**ATENT for an Invention for Improvements in Explosives, and in the Use of Explosives, especially in Shells and Torpedoes.

ALFRED NOBEL, of 53, Avenue Malakoff, Paris, France, Engineer, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Thursday, the 8th day of September 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 24th day of August next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

C. J. A. HASELDEN,  
Patent Officer.

No. 2392.

*Application for a Patent.*

Patent Office,  
Wellington, 27th June, 1887.

**P**ATENT for an Invention for Improvements in Mortising Machines for Timber.

CHARLES VALENTINE MCJENKINS, of Wellington, New Zealand, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Tuesday, the 13th day of September next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at this office, to hear the said application and all objections thereto; and I require all persons having an interest in opposing the grant of such Letters Patent to leave, on or before the 29th day of August next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

C. J. A. HASELDEN,  
Patent Officer.

No. 2393.

*Application for a Patent.*

Patent Office,  
Wellington, 27th June, 1887.

**P**ATENT for an Invention for an Improved Automatic Catch for holding open Doors, Windows, Gates, and the like.

JOHN CALLANDER, Engineer, and ROBERT THOMAS BARLOW, Insurance Agent, both of Sandhurst, Victoria, have deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have

appointed Tuesday, the 21st day of March 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 6th day of March next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

C. J. A. HASELDEN,  
Patent Officer.  
No. 2394.

*Application for a Patent.*

Patent Office,  
Wellington, 27th June, 1887.

**P**ATENT for an Invention for Improvements in Sheep-shearing Machines.

WILLIAM RYLEY, of No. 3, Wilson Street, South Yarra, Victoria, Engineer, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Tuesday, the 13th day of September next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at this office, to hear the said application and all objections thereto; and I require all persons having an interest in opposing the grant of such Letters Patent to leave, on or before the 29th day of August next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

C. J. A. HASELDEN,  
Patent Officer.  
No. 2395.

*Application for a Patent.*

Patent Office,  
Wellington, 29th June, 1887.

**P**ATENT for an Invention for Throp's Pendulum-acting Drain- and Sewer-valve.

BENJAMIN THROP, of Dunedin, Otago, New Zealand, Dentist, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Tuesday, the 13th day of September next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at this office, to hear the said application and all objections thereto; and I require all persons having an interest in opposing the grant of such Letters Patent to leave, on or before the 29th day of August next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

C. J. A. HASELDEN,  
Patent Officer.  
No. 2397.

*Tenders for Conveyance of Mails.*

General Post Office,  
Wellington, 18th June, 1887.

**S**EALD tenders will be received at the Chief Post Office, Nelson, till Saturday, 9th July proximo, for the conveyance by steamer of mails between Nelson and Motueka, Totaranui, Waitapu (Takaka), and Collingwood, six times monthly, and *vice versa*, from the 1st September next to the 31st December, 1888.

Tenders must be made on the proper form, to be obtained at any post office.

Tenders to be indorsed "Tender for Golden Bay Mail Service, Nelson District," and addressed to the Postmaster-General, Wellington.

W. GRAY,  
Secretary.

**Goldfields Notices.**

*Extension of Nelson Creek Water-race.—Deposit of Tailings, &c.*

**I**N the exercise of the powers vested in him by "The Mining Act, 1886," His Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified that application has been made to him to proclaim the watercourses known as Fox's, Black-sand, Irishman's, German Gully, Sullivan's, and O'Callaghan's, with all their tributaries and branches, in the Provincial District of Nelson, and also all creeks and watercourses situate within the area described in the Schedule hereto, to be watercourses into which tailings, mining *débris*, and waste waters of every kind used in, upon, or discharged from any claim or licensed holding adjacent thereto shall be suffered to flow or be discharged.

**SCHEDULE.**

ALL that parcel of land commencing at the most northern part of Lake Hochstetter at a spot about 186 chains bearing 70° north-east from north peg of Nelson Creek Dam. Starting from Lake Hochstetter at the spot indicated above, bearing north in a straight line 331°, 95 chains; thence 255°, 4814 links; thence 249°, 779 links; thence 278°, 1904 links;

thence 271°, 296 links; thence 296°, 3031 links; thence 289°, 2359 links; thence 286°, 3025 links; thence 282°, 3587 links; thence 286°, 3195 links; thence 276°, 3237 links; thence 263°, 1018 links; thence 290°, 982 links; thence 266°, 1847 links; thence 279°, 2402 links; thence 246°, 233 links; thence 309°, 299 links; thence 249°, 183 links; thence 298°, 649 links; thence 289°, 346 links; thence 328°, 852 links; thence 287°, 1494 links; thence 257°, 687 links; thence 287°, 652 links; thence 262°, 837 links; thence 272°, 863 links; thence 252°, 1120 links; thence generally, 274°, 500 links; thence 280°, 785 links; thence 296°, 2097 links; thence 281°, 379 links; and thence 289°, 2017 links, to a branch of Sullivan's Creek, which joins the Ahaura River below River View.

Dated at Wellington, this 23rd day of May, 1887.

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

*Application to proclaim Lee Stream and its Tributaries a Watercourse for the Deposit of Tailings, &c.*

**N**OTICE.—In pursuance of the powers vested in him by "The Mining Act, 1886," His Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified that application has been made to him to proclaim the watercourse known as the Lee Stream, in the Provincial District of Otago, and its tributaries, to be watercourses into which tailings, mining *débris*, and wash-water of every kind used in, upon, or discharged from any claim or licensed holding adjacent to such watercourses shall be suffered to flow or be discharged.

Dated at Wellington, this 23rd day of May, 1887.

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

*Gold-mining Lease cancelled.*

Mines Department,  
Wellington, 16th June, 1887.

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

No. 178. The Guiding Star Quartz-mining Company (Limited); 16 acres 2 roods, Marina, in the Karamca Mining District.

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

*Gold-mining Lease cancelled.*

Mines Department,  
Wellington, 18th June, 1887.

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

No. 1407. Henry Garbett and Pascal Fanconi; the Wheel of Fortune Gold-mining Company; Section 84, Block XIII., 16 acres 1 rood 15 perches, Lyell, in the Karamca Mining District.

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

*Special Claim cancelled.*

Mines Department,  
Wellington, 18th June, 1887.

**I**T 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. 1454. The Victor Emmanuel Quartz-mining Company (Limited); Section 90, Block XIII., 48 acres and 21 perches, Lyell, in the Karamca Mining District.

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

**Crown Lands Notices.**

*Deferred-payment License Transfer.*

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

**I**N accordance with section 117 of "The Land Act, 1885," notice is hereby given that it is proposed to transfer the interest of the estate of the late Alfred Harvey, of Pelorus Sound, deceased, in a deferred-payment license over 95 acres 3 roods 22 perches of land at Pelorus Sound, and being Section 1, Block II., Gore Survey District, unto William Harvey, the elder, of Clova Bay, farmer.

HENRY G. CLARK,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Sale of Deferred-payment and Perpetual-lease Land, Ruataniwha and Makaretu Survey Districts.*

Crown Lands Office, Napier, 24th June, 1887.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned Crown lands will be offered for sale and lease as follows:—

LANDS FOR SALE ON DEFERRED PAYMENTS.

Applications to purchase on deferred payments the sections enumerated in the Schedule hereunder will be received at this office, on Wednesday, the 20th July next. In event of more than one application being received for any one section, the right to purchase the same will be decided by tender, limited to the applicants.

Survey District.	Block.	Section.	Area.	Capital Value.
Ruataniwha .. ..	V.	6	A. R. P. 100 1 0	£ s. d. 93 19 8
" .. ..	"	8	59 2 0	74 7 6
" .. ..	"	9	70 0 0	87 10 0
" .. ..	IX.	1	106 1 16	99 14 0
Makaretu .. ..	I.	3	263 2 0	164 13 9
" .. ..	"	6	115 0 0	143 15 0
" .. ..	"	7	77 0 0	48 2 6
" .. ..	"	8	50 2 16	31 12 6
" .. ..	"	9	56 0 0	17 10 0
" .. ..	II.	3	164 1 0	205 6 3
" .. ..	"	4		
" .. ..	"	7		
" .. ..	"	8		
" .. ..	"	10	106 1 0	132 16 3
" .. ..	"	9	103 0 0	135 0 0
" .. ..	"	11	54 0 0	67 10 0
" .. ..	III.	2	173 3 0	162 17 10
" .. ..	"	5	40 3 0	50 13 9
" .. ..	"	7	291 2 0	273 5 7

PERPETUAL-LEASE LANDS.

Tenders will be received up till 2 p.m. on Monday, the 1st August next, for leasing for thirty years, with perpetual right of renewal, the under-mentioned sections:—

Survey District.	Block.	Section.	Area.	Capital Value.	Annual Rental.
Ruataniwha .. ..	V.	1	A. R. P. 380 2 0	£ s. d. 95 2 6	£ s. d. 4 15 0
" .. ..	"	2	489 0 0	183 7 6	9 3 6
" .. ..	"	3	432 0 0	162 0 0	8 2 0
" .. ..	"	4	506 2 0	189 18 9	9 10 0
" .. ..	"	7	71 2 0	71 10 0	3 11 6
" .. ..	"	11	99 2 0	99 10 0	4 19 6
" .. ..	"	12	108 2 0	27 2 6	1 7 0
Makaretu .. ..	I.	1	532 0 0	133 0 0	6 13 0
" .. ..	"	2	324 2 0	162 5 0	8 2 3
" .. ..	"	5	109 2 0	54 15 0	2 14 9
" .. ..	II.	1	517 8 0	388 6 3	19 8 3
" .. ..	"	2	471 0 0	353 5 0	17 13 3
" .. ..	"	5	305 0 0	228 15 0	11 8 9
" .. ..	"	6	554 0 0	415 10 0	20 15 6
" .. ..	III.	1	514 3 0	386 1 3	19 6 0
" .. ..	"	4	473 3 0	355 6 3	17 15 3
" .. ..	"	8	113 0 0	84 15 0	4 4 9

G. W. WILLIAMS,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Small Grazing Runs, East Coast and Wanganui Districts, Wellington Land District.*

Crown Lands Office,  
Wellington, 23rd June, 1887.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of "The Land Act, 1885, Part VII., that the sections of land enumerated below will be open for application at the Crown Lands Office, Wellington, on and after Saturday, the 30th July, 1887, at the upset rental per acre stated opposite each section.

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

SCHEDULE.

Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Area.	Upset Rental per Acre.
6	XII.	Wainuioru ..	A R. P. 618 0 0	s. d. 0 6
Run No. 29	..	Waipakura ..	967 0 0	0 6

*Land to be sold for Cash at Auction.*

Crown Lands Office,  
Napier, 24th June, 1887.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned section of land will be submitted for sale by public auction, at the Land Office, Napier, at 2 o'clock p.m., on Thursday, the 28th July, 1887.

G. W. WILLIAMS,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

RUATANIWHI SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
V.	10	A. R. P. 204 0 0	£ s. d. 204 0 0

*Small Grazing Run, Pohui District, and Pastoral Run, Kaweka and Kuripapanga Survey Districts.*

Crown Lands Office,  
Napier, 25th June, 1887.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of "The Land Act, 1885," that the runs enumerated below will be offered by public auction, at the Old Council Chamber, Napier, at 2 p.m., on Wednesday, the 6th July, 1887.

G. W. WILLIAMS,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

SCHEDULE.

No.	Survey District.	Block.	Section.	Area.	Annual Rental.
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SMALL GRAZING RUN.

No.	Survey District.	Block.	Section.	Area.	Annual Rental.	
24	Pohui	..	XII.	{ 136 187	{ 163 0 0 660 0 0	£ 10 s. 5 d.

PASTORAL RUN.

No.	Survey District.	Block.	Section.	Area.	Annual Rental.
13	Kuripapanga Kaweka	..	Pts. of II., III., Part of VII.	V., VI., IX., & X. 19,500 acres	20 6 3

Description of Land: The small grazing run is third-class land, open, with a growth of stunted fern, and at a considerable elevation. It is approached from the Pohui Settlement. The pastoral run is on the Kaweka Ranges, and at a high elevation, stony, and not capable of carrying a large proportion of stock. There are some patches of black-birch timber on it. It is approached from Napier by the Patea Road.

*Auction of Leases in Marlborough.*

Crown Lands Office,  
Blenheim, 26th May, 1887.

THE under-mentioned lands will be offered to be let by public auction, at the Survey Office, Blenheim, on Saturday, the 2nd July, 1887, at noon:—

PASTORAL LICENSES UNDER PART VI. OF "THE LAND ACT, 1885."

Locality, &c.	Survey District.	Area.
The late Waikakaho Run	Cloudy Bay	.. Acres. 2,500*
Mahakipaua (behind Section 71)	Linkwater	.. 500

\* License to contain special condition reserving a right-of-way to the public through the run.

Term, ten years; upset annual rent, 1d. an acre. Two months' rent and a license-fee of £1 ls. must be paid on the fall of the hammer.

LEASE UNDER SECTION 23 OF "THE PUBLIC RESERVES ACT, 1881."

Locality, &c.	Survey District.	Area.
Block A, Woodbank Run	Bui Bui	.. Acres. 300

Term, five years from the 4th July, 1887; upset annual rent, £5 10s. The lease will contain the same conditions as the lease now current. Six months' rent and £3 for the lease must be paid on the fall of the hammer.

Full particulars can be obtained at this office.

HENRY G. CLARK,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Sale of Runs, West Coast, Middle Island.*

Crown Lands Office,  
Hokitika, 17th May, 1887.

RUNS to be submitted to public auction, at the Land Office, Hokitika, on Wednesday, the 6th July, 1887, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

The licenses for runs will be for terms as set forth.

Purchasers will have to pay rent from date of sale to the 1st September, 1888, on the fall of the hammer.

Plans may be seen and particulars obtained at the Survey Office, Hokitika.

SCHEDULE.

No. of Run.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.	Locality.	For the Term expiring 1st March
80	Acres. 6,000	£ s. d. 6 0 0	Mount Argentine Range	Year. 1898
57	7,500	7 10 0	Mariners' Peak Range..	1898
65	15,000	15 0 0	Lake Paringa and Blue River North	1894
64	15,000	15 0 0	Blue River South and Wakapohai River	1894
21	13,500	13 10 0	Waita River and Ship Creek	1895
53	13,000	13 0 0	Okuru and Matakaitaki Range	1898
81	7,000	7 0 0	Thomas Range	.. 1898
72	12,000	12 0 0	North side Haast River	1898
76	9,000	9 0 0	Wills River ..	.. 1898

GERHARD MUELLER,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

**Native Land Court Notices.**

*The Native Land Court of New Zealand.*

In the matter of a Native reserve called Araheke, containing 464 acres.

NOTICE is hereby given that the inquiry into the ownership and other matters relative to the above-named reserve, opened at a sitting of the Court held at New Plymouth on the 7th day of June instant, and ordered to be adjourned for further hearing to the City of Wellington, will be resumed at a sitting of the Court to be held at Wellington aforesaid, on Tuesday, the 12th day of July, 1887, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated at Wellington, this 28th day of June, 1887.

J. E. MACDONALD,  
Chief Judge.

*Sitting of Court to determine Shares and Interests in the Ohaumoko Block.*

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT OF NEW ZEALAND:  
WANGANUI DISTRICT.

WHEREAS it has been referred by a Judge of the Supreme Court of New Zealand to this Court to determine what, as among the several persons who were on the 28th day of July, 1879, owners of the parcel of land situate in the said district, and known as the Ohaumoko Block, were the proportionate shares and interests of such owners respectively in the said parcel of land, and what have been such proportionate shares and interests of the owners of the said land from the said 28th day of July, 1879, up to the date of the sitting of this Court hereby notified, and what then are such proportionate shares and interests:

Notice is hereby given that at a sitting to be held at Wanganui, on the 19th day of July, 1887, this Court will proceed to inquire into and determine the questions so referred to it as aforesaid, and on such inquiry the said owners are hereby required to attend.

Dated this 24th day of June, 1887.

J. E. MACDONALD,  
Chief Judge.

*Sitting of the Native Land Court for the Subdivision of Hereditaments.*

Native Land Court Office,  
Wellington, 15th June, 1887.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a sitting of this Court to be held at Wellington, in the District of Wellington, on the 4th day of July next, will be heard the applications of the persons whose names appear in the first column for the subdivision of the hereditaments comprised in the Crown grants of the pieces of land the names of which appear in the second column, situated in the district named in the third column.

W. BRIDSON,  
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

No.	Names of the Persons applying for the Subdivision of Land.	Names of the Blocks to be subdivided.	District in which the Land is situate.
1	Harena Porutu ..	Pipitea Pa, No. 20	Wellington.
2	Mohi Puketapu ..	Pipitea Pa, No. 21	Wellington.
3	Rapana te Owhiro and others	Papanui ..	Wellington.
4	Mawene Hohua ..	Pitoone No. 1..	Wellington.
5	Henare te Puni ..	Hutt, Section 16	Wellington.
6	Te Urumata, Wi Tako, and others	Johnsonville ..	Wellington.
7	Harena Porutu ..	Naenae, Hutt, Section 36	Wellington.
8	Harena Porutu ..	Sections Nos. 633 and 634	Wellington.
9	Hapi Puketapu ..	Tinakori ..	Wellington.
10	Hapi Puketapu ..	Johnsonville ..	Wellington.
11	Hapi Puketapu ..	Orongorongo ..	Wellington.
12	Hapi Puketapu ..	Kaiwharawhara ..	Wellington.
13	Hori te Puni ..	Hutt, part of Section No. 1	Wellington.
14	Henare te Puni ..	Hutt, part of Section No. 16, Whaka huku-wai	Wellington.
15	Ruihi Tamatikiroa ..	Orongorongo ..	Wellington.
16	Raima Hone ..	Orongorongo ..	Wellington.
17	Wera te Teira ..	Mukamuka ..	Wellington.
18	Wera te Teira ..	Kaiwharawhara, No. 4	Wellington.
19	Wera te Teira ..	Kaiwharawhara	Wellington.
20	Akanihi Himiona and others	Ohiro ..	Wellington.
21	Taareruka Hohepa, Enoka Hohepa, and others	Johnsonville ..	Wellington.
22	Akanihi Himiona and others	Johnsonville ..	Wellington.
23	Akanihi Himiona and others	Ohariu ..	Wellington.
24	Akanihi Himiona and others	Polhill Gully ..	Wellington.
25	Akanihi Himiona, Tamati te Wera, Mohi Parai, Te Awhe Parai, Rapana Ohiro, and others	Te Aro, Sections Nos. 858, 864, 893, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1081, 1082, 1098, 1099, 1100	Wellington.
26	Akanihi Himiona, Tamati te Wera, Mohi Parai, Te Awhe Parai, Rapana Ohiro, and others	Back rents of Sections Nos. 858, 864, 893, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1081, 1082, 1098, 1099, 1100, at Te Aro	Wellington.
27	Raiha Puaha ..	Pukerua ..	Wellington.
28	Kerehi Putai and others	Pukerua ..	Wellington.
29	Kerehi Putai and others	Pukerua, railway-line	Wellington.
30	Riria te Kahurangi and Harota Hikoia	Pukerua ..	Wellington.
31	Riria te Kahurangi and Harota Hikoia	Pukerua, railway-line	Wellington.

Sitting of the Native Land Court for the Subdivision of Hereditaments.

Native Land Court Office,  
Wellington, 15th June, 1887.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a sitting of this Court to be holden at Otaki, in the District of Wellington, on the 29th day of June, 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 hereditaments comprised in the Crown grants of the pieces of land the names of which appear in the second column, situate in the district named in the third column.

W. BRIDSON,  
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

No.	Names of the Persons applying for the Subdivision of Land.	Names of the Blocks to be subdivided.	District in which the Land is situate.
1	Matiaha Heni te Kahui	Pukehou No. 5K, South	Otaki.
2	Hemi Kuti ..	Pukehou No. 5K, North	Otaki.
3	Ropata te Ao ..	Pukehou No. 5L, No. 2	Otaki.
4	Ropata te Ao ..	Pukehou No. 5L, No. 7	Otaki.
5	Ropata te Ao and Anawarihi Ropata	Pukehou No. 5L, No. 3	Otaki.
6	Ramari Patana ..	Pukehou No. 4B	Otaki.
7	Akapita Tahitangata ..	Pukehou No. 4B	Otaki.
8	Ropata te Ao and Hoani Taipua	Muhunoa No. 1	Otaki.
9	Ropata te Ao ..	Totaranui No. 1, Section 11	Otaki.
10	Rawiri Rota te Tahiwai, Nuna Taurei, and Mohi Hekiera	Awahohonu ..	Otaki.
11	Reweti Kohu and Karehana te Wheua	Manawatu - Kukurua No. 4C	Otaki.
12	Ihakara Ngapari and Hapimana Waiteti	Manawatu - Kukurua No. 4D	Otaki.
13	Henare te Hatete ..	Manawatu - Kukurua No. 4E	Otaki.
14	Rikihana te Tarure ..	Paruaaku No. 1	Otaki.
15	Hoani Taipua, and Piripi Arahora	Paruaaku No. 2	Otaki.
16	Ropata te Ao ..	Paruaaku No. 2	Otaki.

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

Native Land Court Office,  
Wellington, 23rd June, 1887.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a sitting of the Native Land Court of New Zealand, to be held at Wellington, in the District of Wellington, on the 5th day of July, 1887, will be heard the application of the persons whose names appear in the first column for the partition of the land the name of which appears in the second column, and which is situate in the district named in the third column.

W. BRIDSON,  
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

No.	Names of the Persons who have applied for Partition.	Name of the Block to be partitioned.	District in which the Land is situate.
1	Hooro Hawea and Raiha Puaha	Wairaka ..	Wellington.



Traffic Returns.

NEW ZEALAND RAILWAYS.—Traffic Returns for the four weeks ending the 28th May, 1887, and for the corresponding period, 1886.

KAWAKAWA SECTION.

1887.			1886.			
PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	81	114	195	111	74	185
2nd Class	94	180	274	116	194	310
<b>Total</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>294</b>	<b>469</b>	<b>227</b>	<b>268</b>	<b>495</b>
Season Tickets	..	..	0	..	..	11
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			
Parcels	..	..	265	..	..	328
Horses	..	..	2	..	..	3
Carriages	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dogs	..	..	5	..	..	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>272</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>334</b>
GOODS,—			No.			
Drays	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cattle	..	..	..	..	..	..
Calves	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sheep	..	..	..	..	..	..
Pigs	..	..	15	..	..	13
<b>Total</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>13</b>
Chaff, &c.			Tons.			
Wool	..	..	..	..	..	..
Firewood	..	..	..	..	..	..
Timber	..	..	9	..	..	22
Grain	..	..	31	..	..	43
Merchandise	..	..	112	..	..	92
Minerals	..	..	2,621	..	..	3,146
<b>Total</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>2,773</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>3,303</b>
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			
Passengers	..	..	23 16 6	..	..	26 6 0
Parcels and Luggage	..	..	5 14 9	..	..	7 7 5
Goods	..	..	395 10 7	..	..	465 14 0
Miscellaneous	..	..	0 3 6	..	..	0 5 6
Rents and Commission	..	..	4 6 4	..	..	4 6 4
<b>Total</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>£429 11 8</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>£503 19 3</b>

WHANGAREI SECTION.

1887.			1886.			
PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	67	112	179	88	170	258
2nd Class	285	330	615	351	726	1,077
<b>Total</b>	<b>352</b>	<b>442</b>	<b>794</b>	<b>439</b>	<b>896</b>	<b>1,335</b>
Season Tickets	..	..	0	..	..	0
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			
Parcels	..	..	1	..	..	9
Horses	..	..	1	..	..	..
Carriages	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dogs	..	..	5	..	..	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>15</b>
GOODS,—			No.			
Drays	..	..	2	..	..	..
Cattle	..	..	3	..	..	12
Calves	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sheep	..	..	..	..	..	..
Pigs	..	..	..	..	..	..
<b>Total</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>12</b>
Chaff, &c.			Tons.			
Wool	..	..	..	..	..	..
Firewood	..	..	..	..	..	..
Timber	..	..	5	..	..	15
Grain	..	..	..	..	..	..
Merchandise	..	..	225	..	..	196
Minerals	..	..	1,184	..	..	1,903
<b>Total</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>1,414</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>2,114</b>
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			
Passengers	..	..	19 11 8	..	..	32 4 0
Parcels and Luggage	..	..	0 11 8	..	..	0 8 8
Goods	..	..	164 14 3	..	..	234 18 11
Miscellaneous	..	..	..	..	..	..
Rents and Commission	..	..	1 12 0	..	..	2 8 0
<b>Total</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>£186 9 7</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>£269 19 7</b>

AUCKLAND SECTION.

1887.			1886.			
PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	1,930	2,976	4,956	2,518	3,210	5,728
2nd Class	10,130	11,690	21,820	11,304	12,412	23,716
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,110</b>	<b>14,666</b>	<b>26,776</b>	<b>13,822</b>	<b>15,622</b>	<b>29,444</b>
Season Tickets	..	..	86	..	..	81
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			
Parcels	..	..	3,572	..	..	2,686
Horses	..	..	32	..	..	72
Carriages	..	..	3	..	..	2
Dogs	..	..	438	..	..	421
<b>Total</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>4,045</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>3,181</b>
GOODS,—			No.			
Drays	..	..	8	..	..	5
Cattle	..	..	951	..	..	1,061
Calves	..	..	39	..	..	37
Sheep	..	..	2,432	..	..	2,532
Pigs	..	..	151	..	..	144
<b>Total</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>3,581</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>3,779</b>
Chaff, &c.			Tons.			
Wool	..	..	195	..	..	270
Firewood	..	..	5	..	..	13
Timber	..	..	595	..	..	585
Grain	..	..	934	..	..	890
Merchandise	..	..	861	..	..	473
Minerals	..	..	2,129	..	..	2,306
<b>Total</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>5,769</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>4,623</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>10,488</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>9,160</b>
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			
Passengers	..	..	2,898 8 8	..	..	3,174 10 0
Parcels and Luggage	..	..	291 2 9	..	..	285 5 2
Goods	..	..	4,745 1 11	..	..	4,373 11 7
Miscellaneous	..	..	36 1 10	..	..	5 12 10
Rents and Commission	..	..	104 8 6	..	..	107 3 9
<b>Total</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>£8,075 3 8</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>£7,946 3 4</b>

NAPIER SECTION.

1887.			1886.			
PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	1,838	3,458	5,296	2,667	1,874	4,541
2nd Class	5,322	8,698	14,020	5,868	5,626	11,494
<b>Total</b>	<b>7,160</b>	<b>12,156</b>	<b>19,316</b>	<b>8,535</b>	<b>7,500</b>	<b>16,035</b>
Season Tickets	..	..	13	..	..	14
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			
Parcels	..	..	2,189	..	..	1,831
Horses	..	..	79	..	..	103
Carriages	..	..	2	..	..	9
Dogs	..	..	197	..	..	150
<b>Total</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>2,467</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>2,093</b>
GOODS,—			No.			
Drays	..	..	3	..	..	..
Cattle	..	..	40	..	..	44
Calves	..	..	..	..	..	1
Sheep	..	..	2,668	..	..	206
Pigs	..	..	21	..	..	..
<b>Total</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>2,732</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>251</b>
Chaff, &c.			Tons.			
Wool	..	..	75	..	..	55
Firewood	..	..	95	..	..	67
Timber	..	..	600	..	..	1,220
Grain	..	..	1,009	..	..	2,973
Merchandise	..	..	329	..	..	312
Minerals	..	..	963	..	..	815
<b>Total</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>636</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>834</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>3,707</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>6,276</b>
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			
Passengers	..	..	2,141 14 5	..	..	1,754 10 5
Parcels and Luggage	..	..	201 19 7	..	..	187 18 2
Goods	..	..	2,294 16 5	..	..	2,761 3 3
Miscellaneous	..	..	7 19 5	..	..	23 6 0
Rents and Commission	..	..	22 19 0	..	..	13 5 0
<b>Total</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>£4,669 8 10</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>£4,740 2 10</b>

## WELLINGTON SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1887.			1886.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	1,097	4,396	5,493	1,121	2,902	4,023
2nd Class	4,815	14,692	19,507	4,027	13,096	17,123
Total	5,912	19,088	25,000	5,148	15,998	21,146
Season Tickets	..	..	61	..	..	46
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	2,748	..	..	2,050
Horses	..	..	28	..	..	14
Carriages	..	..	5	..	..	1
Dogs	..	..	136	..	..	91
Total	..	..	2,917	..	..	2,156
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays	..	..	3	..	..	1
Cattle	..	..	133	..	..	6
Calves	..	..	23	..	..	70
Sheep	..	..	8,618	..	..	11,912
Pigs	..	..	72	..	..	..
Total	..	..	8,849	..	..	11,989
Chaff, &c.	..	..	Tons.	..	..	Tons.
Wool	..	..	55	..	..	60
Firewood	..	..	21	..	..	10
Timber	..	..	645	..	..	715
Grain	..	..	1,834	..	..	1,795
Merchandise	..	..	287	..	..	131
Minerals	..	..	1,272	..	..	977
Total	..	..	527	..	..	296
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	..	..	1,952 8 7	..	..	1,671 3 4
Parcels and Luggage	..	..	224 3 8	..	..	160 3 3
Goods	..	..	2,737 10 8	..	..	2,553 17 4
Miscellaneous	..	..	36 10 10	..	..	13 3 5
Rents and Commission	..	..	36 18 3	..	..	31 3 1
Total	..	..	£4,987 12 0	..	..	£4,429 10 5

## WANGANUI SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1887.			1886.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	2,273	1,338	3,611	2,223	1,294	3,517
2nd Class	7,855	5,902	13,757	8,009	6,254	14,263
Total	10,128	7,240	17,368	10,232	7,548	17,780
Season Tickets	..	..	6	..	..	6
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	2,530	..	..	2,076
Horses	..	..	102	..	..	67
Carriages	..	..	5	..	..	5
Dogs	..	..	216	..	..	231
Total	..	..	2,853	..	..	2,379
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays	..	..	3	..	..	6
Cattle	..	..	396	..	..	82
Calves	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sheep	..	..	7,769	..	..	2,297
Pigs	..	..	1,062	..	..	703
Total	..	..	9,230	..	..	3,088
Chaff, &c.	..	..	Tons.	..	..	Tons.
Wool	..	..	70	..	..	60
Firewood	..	..	15	..	..	5
Timber	..	..	630	..	..	720
Grain	..	..	1,642	..	..	1,247
Merchandise	..	..	614	..	..	519
Minerals	..	..	1,598	..	..	1,412
Total	..	..	368	..	..	201
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	..	..	2,493 3 6	..	..	2,417 1 0
Parcels and Luggage	..	..	277 2 3	..	..	219 1 7
Goods	..	..	2,593 13 5	..	..	1,962 2 1
Miscellaneous	..	..	140 2 8	..	..	127 8 7
Rents and Commission	..	..	45 15 0	..	..	14 14 8
Total	..	..	£5,549 16 10	..	..	£4,740 7 11

## HURUNUI-BLUFF SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1887.			1886.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	9,783	20,874	30,662	11,409	23,534	34,943
2nd Class	38,274	73,074	111,348	39,142	70,726	109,868
Total	48,062	93,948	142,010	50,551	94,260	144,811
Season Tickets	..	..	472	..	..	359
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	17,291	..	..	15,634
Horses	..	..	446	..	..	533
Carriages	..	..	28	..	..	32
Dogs	..	..	1,057	..	..	1,138
Total	..	..	18,822	..	..	17,337
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays	..	..	34	..	..	34
Cattle	..	..	973	..	..	1,254
Calves	..	..	56	..	..	30
Sheep	..	..	36,389	..	..	34,025
Pigs	..	..	7,014	..	..	8,011
Total	..	..	44,466	..	..	43,354
Chaff, &c.	..	..	Tons.	..	..	Tons.
Wool	..	..	1,360	..	..	965
Firewood	..	..	1,089	..	..	1,031
Timber	..	..	2,400	..	..	2,325
Grain	..	..	5,539	..	..	5,586
Merchandise	..	..	43,001	..	..	39,094
Minerals	..	..	18,826	..	..	17,913
Total	..	..	28,542	..	..	23,697
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	..	..	14,912 8 1	..	..	15,212 7 7
Parcels and Luggage	..	..	1,702 17 10	..	..	1,775 8 10
Goods	..	..	32,523 8 2	..	..	31,138 8 3
Miscellaneous	..	..	915 19 11	..	..	878 9 7
Rents and Commission	..	..	488 16 11	..	..	381 0 2
Total	..	..	£50,543 10 11	..	..	£49,385 14 5

## GREYMOUTH SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1887.			1886.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	103	670	773	108	290	398
2nd Class	695	5,324	6,019	3,717	2,482	6,199
Total	798	5,994	6,792	3,825	2,772	6,597
Season Tickets	..	..	9	..	..	10
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	172	..	..	125
Horses	..	..	..	..	..	..
Carriages	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dogs	..	..	6	..	..	3
Total	..	..	178	..	..	128
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays	..	..	1	..	..	..
Cattle	..	..	..	..	..	..
Calves	..	..	2	..	..	2
Sheep	..	..	..	..	..	..
Pigs	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	..	..	3	..	..	2
Chaff, &c.	..	..	Tons.	..	..	Tons.
Wool	..	..	..	..	..	..
Firewood	..	..	20	..	..	10
Timber	..	..	198	..	..	191
Grain	..	..	..	..	..	..
Merchandise	..	..	1,015	..	..	218
Minerals	..	..	13,903	..	..	9,241
Total	..	..	15,136	..	..	9,660
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	..	..	341 4 11	..	..	205 8 7
Parcels and Luggage	..	..	8 15 3	..	..	5 8 3
Goods	..	..	2,114 4 4	..	..	1,257 19 4
Miscellaneous	..	..	16 17 2	..	..	19 7 2
Rents and Commission	..	..	3 19 0	..	..	6 16 6
Total	..	..	2,485 0 8	..	..	1,494 19 10

WESTPORT SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1887.			1886.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	17	..	17	..	..	..
2nd Class	585	1,302	1,887	634	1,466	2,100
Total	602	1,302	1,904	634	1,466	2,100

Season Tickets	..	..	0	..	..	1
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PARCELS, ETC.,—	No.	No.
Parcels	209	186
Horses	..	..
Carriages	..	..
Dogs	4	10
Total	213	196

GOODS,—	No.	No.
Drays	..	..
Cattle	..	..
Calves	1	1
Sheep	20	..
Pigs	..	..
Total	21	1

	Tons.	Tons.
Chaff, &c.	..	..
Wool	..	..
Firewood	..	..
Timber	434	419
Grain	..	..
Merchandise	172	141
Minerals	11,168	9,665
Total	11,774	10,225

REVENUE,—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers	125	2	4	145	17	2
Parcels and Luggage	7	8	9	7	19	9
Goods	1,624	2	4	1,444	14	5
Miscellaneous	29	18	3	2	11	0
Rents and Commission	1	10	0	1	10	0
Total	£1,788	1	8	£1,602	12	4

NELSON SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1887.			1886.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	110	154	264	107	268	375
2nd Class	1,960	2,656	4,616	2,009	2,928	4,937
Total	2,070	2,810	4,880	2,116	3,196	5,312

Season Tickets	..	..	10	..	..	6
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PARCELS, ETC.,—	No.	No.
Parcels	399	288
Horses	..	..
Carriages	1	..
Dogs	7	10
Total	407	298

GOODS,—	No.	No.
Drays	..	..
Cattle	..	1
Calves	1	..
Sheep	..	..
Pigs	..	..
Total	1	1

	Tons.	Tons.
Chaff, &c.	55	25
Wool	..	5
Firewood	315	280
Timber	100	222
Grain	517	302
Merchandise	156	176
Minerals	119	244
Total	1,262	1,254

REVENUE,—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers	316	6	6	309	14	5
Parcels and Luggage	14	14	11	9	16	0
Goods	435	18	8	414	14	2
Miscellaneous	19	6	7	0	19	6
Rents and Commission	5	9	0	14	19	0
Total	£791	15	8	£750	3	1

PICTON SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1887.			1886.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	185	446	631	250	546	796
2nd Class	397	1,666	2,063	443	1,872	2,315
Total	582	2,112	2,694	693	2,418	3,111

Season Tickets	..	..	3	..	..	1
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PARCELS, ETC.,—	No.	No.
Parcels	94	104
Horses	..	2
Carriages	..	..
Dogs	8	14
Total	102	120

GOODS,—	No.	No.
Drays	..	1
Cattle	..	..
Calves	..	..
Sheep	..	6
Pigs	..	..
Total	..	7

	Tons.	Tons.
Chaff, &c.	105	25
Wool	3	2
Firewood	310	455
Timber	11	95
Grain	563	191
Merchandise	74	118
Minerals	215	50
Total	1,281	936

REVENUE,—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers	191	13	9	232	13	7
Parcels and Luggage	3	5	3	5	11	10
Goods	267	1	0	198	2	1
Miscellaneous	1	8	0	0	13	3
Rents and Commission	11	11	0	6	4	0
Total	£474	19	0	£443	4	9

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General Manager, New Zealand Railways.  
Railway Department, 29th June, 1887.

## N.Z.R.—FINANCIAL YEAR 1887-88.

RAILWAY WORKING ACCOUNT, showing the Revenue and Expenditure to the Termination of the Four-weekly Period ending 28th May, 1887.

Section.	Miles open for Traffic.	REVENUE.		EXPENDITURE.		FOR A TWELVE-MONTHLY PERIOD, AVERAGE TO DATE.		
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Per Cent. of Revenue.	Revenue per Mile of Railway.	Expenditure per Mile of Railway.
<b>NORTH ISLAND,—</b>								
Kawakawa ..	8	£ 429 11 8	£ 837 10 10	£ 254 5 3	£ 518 17 5	61·95	£ 680 10 0	£ 421 11 7
Whangarei ..	7	186 9 7	430 7 5	198 17 7	429 10 8	99·81	399 12 7	398 17 0
Auckland ..	236	8,075 3 8	18,361 17 0	7,469 11 9	14,556 8 2	79·28	505 14 7	400 18 4
Napier ..	97	4,669 8 10	10,831 19 10	2,745 11 0	6,234 2 0	57·55	725 17 2	417 15 0
Wellington ..	85	4,987 12 0	11,331 14 0	4,400 11 3	8,108 18 9	71·56	866 10 10	620 2 0
Wanganui ..	196	5,549 16 10	14,080 14 4	4,440 4 7	9,904 13 4	70·34	466 19 2	328 9 5
<b>Total ..</b>	<b>629</b>	<b>23,898 2 7</b>	<b>55,874 3 5</b>	<b>19,509 1 5</b>	<b>39,752 10 4</b>	<b>71·15</b>		
<b>MIDDLE ISLAND,—</b>								
Hurunui-Bluff ..	1,030	50,543 10 11	121,899 2 4	32,319 16 6	67,579 8 2	55·44	£ 769 5 4	£ 426 9 5
Greymouth ..	8	2,485 0 8	5,009 5 1	1,170 13 1	2,406 0 6	48·03	4,070 0 4	4,954 18 0
Westport ..	19	1,788 1 8	3,230 10 6	765 5 11	1,544 15 1	47·82	1,105 3 7	528 9 4
Nelson ..	23	791 15 8	1,814 12 2	597 13 7	1,174 17 6	67·75	512 16 5	332 0 7
Picton ..	18	474 19 0	1,060 4 10	680 16 9	1,241 13 4	117·11	382 17 4	448 7 7
<b>Total ..</b>	<b>1,098</b>	<b>56,083 7 11</b>	<b>133,013 14 11</b>	<b>35,534 5 10</b>	<b>73,946 14 7</b>	<b>55·59</b>		
<b>Grand total ..</b>	<b>1,727</b>	<b>79,981 10 6</b>	<b>188,887 18 4</b>	<b>55,043 7 3</b>	<b>113,699 4 11</b>	<b>60·19</b>		

## CORRESPONDING PERIOD LAST YEAR.

<b>NORTH ISLAND,—</b>								
Kawakawa ..	8	£ 503 19 3	£ 959 13 3	£ 335 5 2	£ 597 10 10	62·27	£ 779 14 7	£ 485 10 0
Whangarei ..	7	269 19 7	705 5 3	271 14 11	541 11 11	76·79	654 17 9	502 18 2
Auckland ..	211	7,946 3 4	17,997 8 5	7,903 11 0	15,252 19 5	84·76	554 8 5	469 17 7
Napier ..	82	4,740 2 10	10,512 9 10	2,696 0 11	5,805 9 5	55·22	833 6 2	460 3 9
Wellington ..	69	4,429 10 5	10,304 17 10	3,630 13 6	7,564 3 9	73·40	970 15 0	712 11 4
Wanganui ..	194	4,740 7 11	11,341 17 11	4,665 5 1	9,744 1 11	85·91	380 0 2	326 9 7
<b>Total ..</b>	<b>571</b>	<b>22,630 3 4</b>	<b>51,821 12 6</b>	<b>19,502 10 7</b>	<b>39,505 17 3</b>	<b>76·23</b>		
<b>MIDDLE ISLAND,—</b>								
Hurunui-Bluff ..	982	49,385 14 5	117,121 1 0	32,014 1 8	67,786 13 9	57·88	£ 775 4 10	£ 448 13 9
Greymouth ..	8	1,494 19 10	3,292 19 7	923 16 8	1,883 4 8	57·19	2,675 11 0	1,530 2 7
Westport ..	19	1,602 12 4	3,091 6 7	623 18 1	1,237 7 2	41·64	1,057 11 2	440 8 2
Nelson ..	23	750 3 1	1,713 4 0	551 6 1	1,138 11 3	66·46	484 3 4	321 15 4
Picton ..	18	443 4 9	1,039 12 7	519 19 5	1,099 11 10	105·77	375 8 5	397 1 5
<b>Total ..</b>	<b>1,050</b>	<b>53,676 14 5</b>	<b>126,258 3 9</b>	<b>34,638 1 11</b>	<b>73,195 8 8</b>	<b>57·97</b>		
<b>Grand total ..</b>	<b>1,621</b>	<b>76,306 17 9</b>	<b>178,079 16 3</b>	<b>54,140 12 6</b>	<b>112,701 5 11</b>	<b>63·29</b>		

Railway Department, 29th June, 1887.

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COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of TRAFFIC on ALL SECTIONS, from 1st April, 1887, to 28th May, 1887.

All Sections.	Passengers.					Season Tickets.	Number.					Number.					
	First Class.		Second Class.		Total.		Total.	Parcels.	Horses.	Carriages.	Dogs.	Total.	Drays, &c.	Cattle.	Calves.	Sheep.	Pigs.
1887	S. 38,183	R. 90,448	S. 150,571	R. 318,150	597,352	2,287	60,850	1,826	121	4,420	67,217	123	5,847	515	130,044	13,865	150,394
1886	43,870	88,042	160,949	302,553	595,419	2,178	53,531	1,888	114	4,686	60,219	98	5,066	415	151,585	13,556	170,720
Inc.	..	2,406	..	15,592	1,933	109	7,319	..	7	..	6,998	25	781	100	..	309	..
Dec.	5,687	..	10,378	..	..	..	..	62	..	266	..	..	..	..	21,541	..	20,326

All Sections.	Tons.															
	Chaff, &c.		Wool.		Firewood.		Timber.		Grain.		Merchandise.		Minerals.		Total.	
1887	Tons 4,085	c. qr. 0 0	Tons 5,385	c. qr. 0 0	Tons 12,085	c. qr. 0 0	Tons 26,485	c. qr. 16 0	Tons 118,202	c. qr. 17 2	Tons 55,918	c. qr. 18 2	Tons 125,658	c. qr. 4 0	Tons 347,815	c. qr. 16 0
1886	3,055	0 0	4,650	4 0	12,790	0 0	29,023	1 0	96,602	0 0	55,690	16 2	108,789	19 2	310,601	1 0
Increase	1,030	0 0	734	16 0	..	..	21,600	17 2	223	2 0	16,863	4 2	37,214	15 0	..	..
Decrease	..	..	..	..	705	0 0	2,537	5 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

APPROXIMATE COST of CONSTRUCTION of ALL LINES to 31st March, 1887, including Expenditure on Harbour Works forming part of the Railway System.

Section.	Gross Cost of Opened and Unopened Lines.		Cost of Opened Lines.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Kawakawa .. .. .	90,528	0 0	90,528	0 0
Whangarei-Kamo .. .. .	69,961	0 0	69,961	0 0
Auckland .. .. .	1,677,368	0 0	1,672,506	0 0
Waikato-Thames .. .. .	46,832	0 0	..	..
Main Trunk Line, North Island .. .. .	182,869	0 0	..	..
Napier .. .. .	635,972	0 0	628,669	0 0
Wellington .. .. .	980,107	0 0	961,871	0 0
Wanganui .. .. .	1,398,738	0 0	1,398,738	0 0
Wellington-Manawatu .. .. .	41,816	0 0	..	..
Surveys, North Island .. .. .	17,334	0 0	..	..
Miscellaneous .. .. .	5,169	0 0	..	..
Hurunui-Bluff .. .. .	7,848,348	0 0	7,428,562	0 0
Greymouth .. .. .	205,352	0 0	189,393	0 0
Greymouth-Hokitika .. .. .	54,549	0 0	..	..
Grey Harbour Works .. .. .	127,234	0 0	..	..
Westport .. .. .	214,804	0 0	214,804	0 0
Westport Harbour Works .. .. .	14,111	0 0	..	..
Nelson .. .. .	176,465	0 0	163,965	0 0
Picton .. .. .	226,700	0 0	198,570	0 0
Surveys, Middle Island .. .. .	37,095	0 0	..	..
Miscellaneous .. .. .	5,169	0 0	..	..
Stock .. .. .	162,595	0 0	..	..
Total .. .. .	14,219,116	0 0	13,017,567	0 0

Railway Department, 29th June, 1887.

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REGISTRAR-GENERAL'S Report on the Vital Statistics of the Principal Towns of New Zealand during the Month of May, 1887.

RETURN of the Number of Births, with the actual Mortality of Males and Females, and the Proportion of Deaths to Population, in the under-mentioned Boroughs, during the Month of May, 1887.

BOROUGH.	ESTIMATED POPULATION, JAN., 1887.	TOTAL BIRTHS.	DEATHS REGISTERED IN MAY, 1887.									Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population in the Year 1886.
			Males.			Females.			Total Deaths.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, May, 1887.		
			Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.				
Auckland .. ..	35,965	90	8	..	11	3	1	3	26	0.72	14.42	
Wellington .. ..	26,956	86	4	2	7	4	2	5	24	0.89	17.02	
Christchurch .. ..	15,684	43	2	1	9	1	1	6	20	1.28	13.31	
Dunedin .. ..	24,233	56	5	1	3	2	..	3	24	0.99	12.69	
Thames .. ..	4,829	15	..	2	3	2	..	1	8	1.66	8.72	
New Plymouth .. ..	2,970	6	..	..	2	2	..	1	5	1.68	14.45	
Napier .. ..	7,955	34	2	1	3	1	1	4	12	1.51	14.19	
Wanganui .. ..	4,336	15	1	1	2	2	..	3	9	2.08	10.53	
Blenheim .. ..	3,035	16	1	..	2	..	..	..	3	0.99	14.48	
Nelson .. ..	7,678	14	1	..	..	4	..	1	6	0.78	14.30	
Sydenham .. ..	10,273	33	..	..	1	..	..	1	2	0.19	13.13	
Lyttelton .. ..	4,155	13	..	..	..	2	..	..	2	0.48	12.67	
Timaru .. ..	3,794	22	2	..	..	2	..	2	6	1.58	10.34	
Oamaru .. ..	5,753	15	..	..	5	..	..	1	6	1.04	10.30	
Greymouth .. ..	3,169	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	16.86	
Hokitika .. ..	2,796	1	1	..	1	..	..	1	3	1.07	11.46	
Caversham .. ..	4,610	14	1	..	1	1	..	2	5	1.08	12.53	
Invercargill .. ..	5,204	14	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	0.19	10.42	
<b>Totals .. ..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>496</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	

The deaths of persons not residents of the boroughs, occurring at hospitals, have been excluded in all cases.

The total births in the above boroughs amounted to 496 against 440 in April, an increase of 56. The deaths in May were 162, a decrease of 13 on the number for April. Of the total deaths, males contributed 91; females, 71. Sixty-eight of the deaths were of children under 5 years of age, being 41.98 per cent. of the whole number; 55 of these were under 1 year of age.

The following Table shows the Causes of the Deaths of Persons of both Sexes under 5 Years of Age and 5 Years and upwards, and the Proportion per Cent. of Deaths from each Cause, in the Boroughs of Auckland, Wellington, Christchurch, and Dunedin, that were registered during the Month of May, 1887.

CLASSES.	CAUSES OF DEATH.	AUCKLAND.		WELLINGTON.		CHRISTCHURCH.		DUNEDIN.		TOTAL.	PROPORTIONS PER CENT.
		Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.		
I.	Specific Febrile or Zymotic Diseases	6	3	1	3	1	6	1	1	22	23.40
II.	Parasitic Diseases ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
III.	Dietetic Diseases ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1.06
IV.	Constitutional Diseases	1	2	4	3	2	1	1	3	17	18.09
V.	Developmental Diseases	1	1	..	..	2	..	2	1	7	7.45
VI.	Local Diseases ..	2	7	4	4	..	6	4	10	37	39.36
VII.	Violence ..	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	3	3.19
VIII.	Ill-defined and Not-specified Causes	1	..	3	1	..	1	..	1	7	7.45
	<b>Totals ..</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>100.00</b>

	AUCKLAND.		WELLINGTON.		CHRISTCHURCH.		DUNEDIN.		TOTAL.
	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	
<b>CLASS I.—SPECIFIC FEBRILE OR ZYMOTIC DISEASES.</b>									
<b>ORDER 1:—</b>									
<i>Miasmatic,—</i>									
Diphtheria .. ..	..	..	..	..	1	4	..	..	5
Typhoid Fever .. ..	..	..	1	..	3	..	1	..	5
<b>ORDER 2:—</b>									
<i>Diarrhoeal,—</i>									
Cholera .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Diarrhoea .. ..	..	5	1	1	..	..	1	1	9
Dysentery .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
<b>ORDER 6:—</b>									
<i>Septic,—</i>									
Puerperal Peritonitis .. ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
<b>CLASS III.—DIETETIC DISEASES.</b>									
Want of Breast-milk .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1



	AUCKLAND.		WELLINGTON.		CHRISTCHURCH.		DUNEDIN.		TOTAL.
	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	
<b>CLASS IV.—CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES.</b>									
Tubercular Meningitis .. ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	2
Tabes Mesenterica .. ..	1	..	3	..	1	1	..	..	6
Phthisis .. ..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	3	7
Tuberculosis .. ..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	2
<b>CLASS V.—DEVELOPMENTAL DISEASES.</b>									
Premature Birth .. ..	1	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	5
Old Age .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
<b>CLASS VI.—LOCAL DISEASES.</b>									
<b>ORDER 1:—</b>									
<i>Diseases of Nervous System,—</i>									
Apoplexy .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	2
Paralysis .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
Convulsions .. ..	1	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	4
Spinal Disease .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Brain Disease .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
<b>ORDER 3:—</b>									
<i>Diseases of Circulatory System,—</i>									
Disease of Heart .. ..	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	1	4
Senile Gangrene .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
<b>ORDER 4:—</b>									
<i>Diseases of Respiratory System,—</i>									
Laryngitis .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Croup .. ..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	3
Bronchitis .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	2
Congestion of Lungs .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
<b>ORDER 5:—</b>									
<i>Diseases of Digestive System,—</i>									
Disease of Stomach .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Gastritis .. ..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	2
Ulcer of Stomach .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Obstruction of Bowels .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
Peritonitis .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Cirrhosis of Liver .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Jaundice .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
Liver Disease .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
<b>ORDER 7:—</b>									
<i>Diseases of Urinary System,—</i>									
Bright's Disease .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	2
Uræmia .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
<b>ORDER 8:—</b>									
<i>Diseases of the Reproductive System,—</i>									
Pelvic Sarcoma .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Puerperal Phlebitis .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Puerperal Convulsions .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Retention of Placenta .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
<b>CLASS VII.—VIOLENCE.</b>									
<b>ORDER 1:—</b>									
<i>Accident or Negligence,—</i>									
Fall from Horse .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Found drowned .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
<b>ORDER 3:—</b>									
<i>Suicide,—</i>									
Cut Throat .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
<b>CLASS VIII.—ILL-DEFINED AND NOT-SPECIFIED CAUSES.</b>									
Marasmus, Debility, Inanition .. ..	..	..	3	1	..	..	..	1	5
Hæmorrhage .. ..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2
Totals .. ..	12	14	12	12	5	15	8	16	94

The following remarks apply only to the four principal boroughs:—  
 The births in May were 275 against 225 in April, an increase of 50. The deaths in May were 94 against 110 in April, a decrease of 16.

There were 8 deaths of persons of 65 years and upwards: 3 males of 86, 76, and 67 died at Auckland; 1 male of 75 and 1 female of 65 at Christchurch; and 2 males of 75 and 74 and 1 female of 79 at Dunedin.

*Specific Febrile or Zymotic Diseases.*—The deaths from these causes were 2 less in number in May than in April, although, on account of the decrease in the total number of deaths, they caused a larger percentage of the total deaths. Of these deaths in May diphtheria caused 5, all in Christchurch. This is almost an exceptionally large number for any one borough. In one instance only has the number been exceeded in any borough, viz., in September, 1885, when there were 6 deaths from diphtheria in Wellington. Typhoid fever caused 5 deaths, 3 of which were in Wellington, making 7 deaths in that borough from typhoid fever in the two months of April and May. Diarrhoeal diseases were unusually fatal for the month of May, having caused 10 deaths. Of these, 7, chiefly of children, occurred in Auckland.

*Constitutional Diseases.*—There was a considerable decrease in the mortality from these diseases in May as compared with April. Cancer, which caused 7 deaths in April, does not appear as a cause of death in May, and the deaths from phthisis were only 7 in number in May against 14 in the previous month.

*Local Diseases.*—These diseases caused an increased number of deaths from 28 in April to 37 in May. Of these the diseases of the circulatory system caused 5 deaths against 3, and diseases of the respiratory system 7 against 4, in

the previous month. The deaths from diseases of the reproductive system include 3 attributable to complaints incident to childbirth. Including 1 death from puerperal peritonitis in the zymotic class, there were 4 deaths ensuing from childbirth.

*Violent Deaths.*—There were only 3 deaths registered in this class in May. These included 1 case of drowning and 1 of suicide.

The subjoined table shows the mortality for the last two months at each of these four boroughs from six principal specific febrile or zymotic diseases, and also the deaths from certain inflammatory diseases of the lungs. These causes of death have been distinguished from the others of the classes to which they belong, as being the most important special diseases which give rise to sudden increases in the death-rates of towns, and the prevalence of which is closely connected with sanitary condition and climatic influence of the season on health.

TOWNS.	SIX PRINCIPAL SPECIFIC FEBRILE OR ZYMOTIC DISEASES.												PRINCIPAL LUNG DISEASES.							
	Measles.		Scarlet Fever.		Typhoid and Other Fever.		Diphtheria.		Whooping-cough.		Dysentery and Diarrhoea.		Bronchitis.		Pleurisy.		Pneumonia.		Congestion of Lungs.	
	May	Apl.	May	Apl.	May	Apl.	May	Apl.	May	Apl.	May	Apl.	May	Apl.	May	Apl.	May	Apl.	May	Apl.
Auckland .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	1	..	2	6	5	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Wellington .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	4	3	1	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Christchurch .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	..	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dunedin .. ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	1
Totals .. ..	..	1	..	1	..	5	5	4	..	3	10	9	2	..	..	1	..	1	1	1

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 23rd June, 1887.

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

PROVISIONAL METEOROLOGICAL RETURN FOR MAY, 1887.

	AUCKLAND.	WELLINGTON.	LINCOLN, CANTERBURY.	DUNEDIN.*
Mean Temperature in shade for month ..	57.2	51.3	46.5	..
Average same month previous years ...	57.0	52.0	48.0	..
Maximum Temperature in shade, and date	71.5 on 2nd	70.5 on 13th	59.8 on 11th	..
Minimum Temperature in shade, and date	42.5 on 30th	37.0 on 17th, 23rd	30.0 on 31st	..
Maximum Temperature in sun, and date	127.0 on 5th	120.0 on 13th	120.0 on 11th	..
Minimum Temperature on grass, and date	31.0 on 23rd	29.0 on 23rd	24.0 on 16th, 30th	..
Mean Humidity (Saturation = 100) ..	75	80	86	..
Average same month previous years ...	80	76	80	..
Total Rainfall in inches .. ..	5.300	9.608	2.658	..
Average same month previous years ...	4.083	4.707	2.238	..
Number of Days of Rain .. ..	22	21	24	..
Average same month previous years ...	20	4	9	..

\* Returns not reliable for statistical purposes, as the Observatory has been dismantled, and the observations are now taken in the North-east Valley, where the climate is exceptional.

NOTE.—This table is prepared from unchecked averages, transmitted by telegraph in anticipation of the full return and must not be entirely relied on for compiling Meteorological Statistics.

Meteorological Office, Wellington, June, 1887.

JAMES HECTOR,  
Inspector.

**Land Transfer Act Notices.**

**TRANSMISSION** No. 1369.—Notice is hereby given that **KATE EMILY HALL**, Wife of **THOMAS HALL**, claiming as a Devisee under, and as Administratrix of, the will of **JANE CAIN**, late of Timaru, deceased, has applied to be registered as Proprietor of the land included in certificate of title, Vol. v., folio 56; and that she will be so registered unless a caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 25th day of June, 1887, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

**J. M. BATHAM,**  
District Land Registrar.

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**TRANSMISSION** No. 1366.—Notice is hereby given that **MARIE LUISETTI**, of Merivale, Widow, claiming as Devisee under the will of **PIETRO LUISETTI**, late of Merivale, Music Teacher, deceased, has applied to be registered as Proprietor of the land included in certificate of title, Vol. xxxviii., folio 102; and that she will be so registered unless a caveat forbidding the same be lodged within one month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 25th day of June, 1887, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

**J. M. BATHAM,**  
District Land Registrar.

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

Sections 9 and 13, Block IV., Town of Queenstown.—The **OFFICIAL ASSIGNEE IN BANKRUPTCY** of the property of **WILLIAM JOHN POWELL**, Applicant. Unoccupied. No. 3768.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 27th day of June, 1887, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

**H. TURTON,**  
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 on or before the 1st day of August, 1887.

1749. **ALFRED JOHN READING** and **HENRY ALLINGTON**.—30 acres 2 roods 4 perches, part of Section 41, Karori District. In occupation of Mrs. Reading.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 29th day of June, 1887, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

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

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**APPLICATION** having been made to me to register a dealing affecting Mortgage No. 9326, **HENRY GREEN** to **NATIONAL BANK OF NEW ZEALAND**, and a statutory declaration of the loss of the said mortgage having been lodged with me, I hereby give notice that I shall register such dealing at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch, this 28th day of June, 1887.

**J. M. BATHAM,**  
District Land Registrar.

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**Mining Notice.**

I, the undersigned, hereby make application to register the **Empress Gold-mining Company** as a Limited Company, under the provisions of "The Mining Companies Act, 1886."

1. The name of the company is to be the **Empress Gold-mining Company (Limited)**.
2. The place of intended operations is at **Devil's Creek, Inangahua County**.
3. The registered office of the company will be situated at **Broadway, Reefton**.
4. The nominal capital of the company is £12,000, in 24,000 shares of 10s. each.
5. The number of shares subscribed for is 24,000.
6. The number of paid-up shares is nil.
7. The amount already paid up is nil.
8. The name of the Manager is **William Goodwin Collings**.
9. The names, addresses, and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follow:—

	No. of Shares.
George Casley, Reefton, Speculator .. .. .	1,600
William G. Collings, Reefton, Sharebroker .. .. .	1,600
B. H. Solomon, Dunedin, Commercial Traveller .. .. .	500
Jane Acolino, Reefton, Storekeeper .. .. .	250
Frederick Orpwood, Reefton, Miner .. .. .	500
Robert Robin, Reefton, Sharebroker .. .. .	700
Charles H. Edwards, Reefton, Brewer .. .. .	2,225
Alice Neville, Reefton, Hotelkeeper .. .. .	250
Thomas North, Reefton, Solicitor .. .. .	250
A. Power, Reefton, Speculator .. .. .	100
H. J. Hutchinson, Reefton, Speculator .. .. .	100
John McDonald, Reefton, Speculator .. .. .	250
F. H. Boase, Reefton, Draper .. .. .	250
Thomas J. Malloy, Reefton, Boot Importer .. .. .	200
C. B. King, Reefton .. .. .	2,000
Laurence Moncrieff, Reefton, Miner .. .. .	500
J. Martin, Reefton, Miner .. .. .	250
Thomas White, Reefton, Miner .. .. .	500
William Darcy, Reefton, Baker .. .. .	250
Thomas Halcrow, Reefton, Miner .. .. .	500
Joseph Lane, Reefton, Miner .. .. .	500
Charles E. Mirfin, Reefton, Compositor .. .. .	100
A. Singer, Hokitika, Jeweller .. .. .	250
Joseph Turner, Reefton, Miner .. .. .	250
Edward J. Scantlebury, Reefton, Stationer .. .. .	100
William Bremner, Black's Point, Miner .. .. .	500
Thomas Crumpton, Reefton, Blacksmith .. .. .	250
Francis Mannan, Boatman's, Miner .. .. .	250
James Nagle, Reefton, Boot Importer .. .. .	200
Ernest O. Nash, Reefton, Sharebroker .. .. .	500
M. Mirfin, Reefton, Speculator .. .. .	100
William C. Mirfin, Little Grey, Farmer .. .. .	100
John Humphreys, Reefton, Miner .. .. .	250
Daniel David, Reefton, Bricklayer .. .. .	250
F. C. Dupre, Greymouth, Watchmaker .. .. .	500
F. W. Lahman, Greymouth, Speculator .. .. .	500
F. J. Gleeson, Greymouth, Builder .. .. .	500
R. J. Johnston, Greymouth, Surveyor .. .. .	100
J. McMillan, Greymouth, Accountant .. .. .	200
H. C. Fricker, Greymouth, Clerk .. .. .	100
W. Hannan, Greymouth, Solicitor .. .. .	250
R. W. Parkinson, Greymouth, Stationer .. .. .	250
A. R. Guinness, Greymouth, Solicitor .. .. .	250
James Arnott, Greymouth, Carpenter .. .. .	100
T. B. Whitton, Reefton, Doctor .. .. .	250
Arthur Sweeney, Reefton, Miner .. .. .	250
William Eddy, Reefton, Butcher .. .. .	100
James Connolly, Reefton, Contractor .. .. .	100
Joseph Gardner, Reefton, Miner .. .. .	100
M. Medah, Reefton, Miner .. .. .	250
John Jeffs, Reefton, Storekeeper .. .. .	500
W. J. Shaw, Reefton, Boot Importer .. .. .	500
T. Plaskett, Reefton, Farmer .. .. .	200
J. Gannon, Reefton, Miner .. .. .	280
J. Lawry, Reefton, Livery-stable Keeper .. .. .	250
G. B. Shepherd, Reefton, Ironmonger .. .. .	500
W. G. Collings, in trust for absent shareholders .. .. .	1,595
24,000	

Dated this 22nd day of June, 1887.

**W. G. COLLINGS,**  
Manager.

Witness to signature—**J. I. Aiken.**

I, **William Goodwin Collings**, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

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

**W. G. COLLINGS,**

Taken before me, at Reefton, this 22nd day of June, 1887—  
**J. I. Aiken, J.P.** 295

**Private Advertisement.**

"**FRIENDLY SOCIETIES ACT, 1882.**"—**CANCELLING OF REGISTRY.**

Friendly Societies' Registry Office,  
Wellington, 27th June, 1887.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the Registrar of Friendly Societies has, pursuant to section 10 of "The Friendly Societies Act, 1882," by writing under his hand dated this 27th day of June, 1887, cancelled the registry of the **St. Mary's Branch, Register No. 193 (9)**, held at **Wanganui**, branch of the **New Zealand District of the Hibernian Australasian Catholic Benefit Society**, on the ground that the said branch has ceased to exist.

**EDMUND MASON,**  
Registrar.

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