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Land set apart on Deferred Payments in Hawke's Bay.

(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 Hawke's Bay 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 seventeenth 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. |
|-----------------------|--------|----------|-----------------------|
| WOODVILLE DISTRICT. | | | |
| | | A. R. P. | £ s. d. |
| 1 | XV. | 144 0 21 | 270 0 0 |
| 2 | " | 193 1 37 | 241 17 6 |
| 3 | " | 158 3 13 | 297 13 0 |
| RUATANIWAHA DISTRICT. | | | |
| 96 | II. | 52 2 0 | 65 12 6 |
| 180 | " | 52 2 0 | 65 12 6 |

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 July, 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 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 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.

WOODVILLE SURVEY DISTRICT.

| Section. | Block. | Area. |
|----------|--------|----------------------|
| 4 | XV. | A. R. P. 328 0 20 |

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 July, in the

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

P. A. BUCKLEY,
(For the Minister of Lands.)

Approved in Council.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Setting apart Land in the Canterbury 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.

WAIPARA SURVEY DISTRICT.

SECTION No. 35822, containing 58 acres.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY,
(For the Minister of Lands.)

Approved in Council.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land set apart for the Waimatua Village Settlement in Block XXIII., Invercargill Hundred, Southland Land District.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one hundred and sixty-sixth section of "The Land Act, 1885," I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby set apart the land described in the Schedule hereto for sale as a village settlement, upon such terms and conditions which are to be set forth in an Order in Council to be made under the one hundred and sixty-seventh section of the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

WAIMATUA VILLAGE SETTLEMENT, BLOCK XXIII., INVERCARGILL HUNDRED.

| Section. | Area. | Section. | Area. |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| | A. R. P. | | A. R. P. |
| 1 | 4 1 34 | 11 | 13 1 8 |
| 2 | 4 2 29 | 13 | 12 0 16 |
| 3 | 4 3 9 | 14 | 12 0 16 |
| 4 | 4 3 17 | 15 | 11 2 14 |
| 5 | 11 2 11 | 16 | 14 1 16 |
| 6 | 11 2 2 | 17 | 14 2 22 |
| 7 | 4 3 36 | 18 | 14 2 8 |
| 8 | 4 3 20 | 19 | 14 1 25 |
| 9 | 5 1 2 | 20 | 14 3 5 |
| 10 | 5 0 30 | 21 | 16 0 19 |

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

J. BALLANCE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Revoking the Setting-apart of Education Reserves in the Otago Land District for Perpetual Leasing.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

BY virtue and in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the sixth 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, and at the request of the Otago Boys' and Girls' High School Board, in whom the lands are vested, doth hereby revoke the Proclamation dated the thirtieth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, in so far as it relates to the sections of land enumerated in the Schedule hereto, which were, with other lands, set apart for leasing under the provisions of Part IV. of "The Land Act, 1885."

SCHEDULE.

STRATH TAIERI DISTRICT.

| Section. | Block. | Area. |
|----------|--------|----------|
| | | A. R. P. |
| 1 | II. | 85 1 10 |
| 5 | " | 52 1 25 |
| 11 | " | 348 1 29 |
| 30 | V. | 53 1 26 |
| 38 | " | 52 0 4 |
| 39 | " | 57 0 0 |
| 41 | " | 49 3 30 |
| 42 | " | 53 1 9 |
| 46 | " | 51 1 2 |
| 47 | " | 48 1 7 |
| 48 | " | 52 3 33 |

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

ROBERT STOUT,
(For the Minister of Lands.)

Approved in Council.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Proclaiming Kaitangata, County of Bruce, 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 town district described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby constituted, as from the first day

of August, 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 Kaitangata, and that the boundaries thereof shall be those described in the said Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

BOROUGH OF KAITANGATA.

THE Town District of Kaitangata, County of Bruce, as described in a Proclamation dated the 29th March, 1882, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 6th April, 1882, page 548.

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 third day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

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

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the one hundred and sixty-seventh section of "The Land Act, 1885," it is enacted that the Governor in Council may fix the terms and conditions upon which the lands comprised in any village settlement shall be disposed of, and the mode of payment for the same:

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

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

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

2. The day upon which the lands shall be open for application shall be Wednesday, the thirty-first day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, at the Land Office, Invercargill.

3. The lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall be sold on deferred payments.

4. The lands which are disposed of by sale upon deferred payments shall be subject to the provisions relating to suburban lands of Part III. of "The Land Act, 1885."

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

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

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

8. Each applicant for a deferred-payment section in the Schedule will be required to make the declaration prescribed by section one hundred and thirteen of "The Land Act, 1885," and shall at the time of application deposit with the Receiver of Land Revenue for the Southland Land District one-tenth of the price of the allotment. Such payment shall be deemed to be a discharge of the license-fee for the six months due on the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

9. The purchaser of any lands described in the Schedule, upon the fulfilment of the terms and conditions prescribed by "The Land Act, 1885," relating to land on deferred payments, will be entitled to his Crown grant, to be issued in the usual way upon payment of the fees prescribed by law.

SCHEDULE.

SMALL-FARM ALLOTMENTS ON DEFERRED PAYMENTS.

Waimatua Village Settlement in Block XXIII., Invercargill Hundred.

| Section. | Area. | Upset Price per Acre. |
|----------|----------|-----------------------|
| | A. R. P. | £ s. d. |
| 1 | 4 1 34 | 3 0 0 |
| 2 | 4 2 29 | 3 0 0 |
| 3 | 4 3 9 | 3 0 0 |
| 4 | 4 3 17 | 3 0 0 |
| 5 | 11 2 11 | 2 0 0 |
| 6 | 11 2 2 | 2 0 0 |
| 7 | 4 3 36 | 3 0 0 |
| 8 | 4 3 20 | 3 0 0 |
| 9 | 5 1 2 | 3 0 0 |
| 10 | 5 0 30 | 3 0 0 |
| 11 | 13 1 8 | 2 0 0 |
| 13 | 12 0 16 | 2 0 0 |
| 14 | 12 0 16 | 2 0 0 |
| 15 | 11 2 14 | 2 0 0 |
| 16 | 14 1 16 | 2 0 0 |
| 17 | 14 2 22 | 2 0 0 |
| 18 | 14 2 8 | 2 0 0 |
| 19 | 14 1 25 | 2 0 0 |
| 20 | 14 3 5 | 2 0 0 |
| 21 | 16 0 19 | 2 0 0 |

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Terms and Conditions of Sale of a Village Settlement Southland Land District.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the one hundred and sixty-seventh section of "The Land Act, 1885," it is enacted that the Governor in Council may fix the terms and conditions upon which the lands comprised in any village settlement shall be disposed of, and the mode of payment for the same:

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

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

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

2. The day upon which the lands shall be open for application shall be Wednesday, the thirty-first day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven at the Land Office, Invercargill.

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

4. The lands which are disposed of by sale upon deferred payments shall be subject to the provisions relating to suburban lands of Part III. of "The Land Act, 1885."

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

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

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

8. Each applicant for a deferred-payment section in the Second Schedule will be required to make the declaration prescribed by section one hundred and thirteen of "The Land Act, 1885," and shall at the time of application deposit with the Receiver of Land Revenue for the Southland Land District one-tenth of the price of the allotment. Such payment shall be deemed to be a discharge of the license-fee for the six months due on the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

9. The purchaser of any lands described in the First Schedule, upon the full payment of the purchase-money, and the purchaser of any lands described in the Second Schedule, upon the like payment, and also the fulfilment of the terms and conditions prescribed by "The Land Act, 1885," relating to land on deferred payments, will be entitled to his Crown grant, to be issued in the usual way upon payment of the fees prescribed by law.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

SMALL-FARM ALLOTMENTS FOR CASH.

Village Settlement in Blocks II. and XXII., Invercargill Hundred.

| Section. | Block. | Area. | | | Upset Price per Acre. | | |
|----------|--------|-------|----|----|-----------------------|----|----|
| | | A. | R. | P. | £ | s. | d. |
| 74 | II. | 5 | 2 | 16 | 2 | 10 | 0 |
| 76 | " | 7 | 1 | 15 | 2 | 10 | 0 |
| 86 | XXII. | 40 | 1 | 35 | 1 | 10 | 0 |
| 87 | " | 14 | 1 | 20 | 1 | 0 | 0 |

SECOND SCHEDULE.

SMALL-FARM ALLOTMENTS ON DEFERRED PAYMENTS.

Village Settlement in Blocks II. and XXII., Invercargill Hundred.

| Section. | Block. | Area. | | | Upset Price per Acre. | | |
|----------|--------|-------|----|----|-----------------------|----|----|
| | | A. | R. | P. | £ | s. | d. |
| 73 | II. | 6 | 2 | 26 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| 75 | " | 6 | 1 | 35 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| 77 | " | 9 | 2 | 20 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| 82 | XXII. | 14 | 3 | 11 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| 83 | " | 21 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| 84 | " | 27 | 2 | 19 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| 85 | " | 33 | 3 | 33 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| 88 | " | 49 | 0 | 35 | 1 | 5 | 0 |
| 89 | " | 32 | 1 | 22 | 1 | 10 | 0 |
| 90 | " | 33 | 2 | 7 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| 91 | " | 49 | 3 | 31 | 1 | 10 | 0 |
| 92 | " | 38 | 2 | 35 | 1 | 5 | 0 |
| 93 | " | 37 | 0 | 31 | 1 | 5 | 0 |
| 94 | " | 48 | 2 | 9 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 95 | " | 48 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 96 | " | 39 | 1 | 16 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 97 | " | 30 | 3 | 9 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 98 | " | 32 | 1 | 15 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 99 | " | 46 | 2 | 36 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 100 | " | 39 | 1 | 26 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 101 | " | 36 | 0 | 14 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 102 | " | 36 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Extension of Time for Preparation of Hokianga County Rolls.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it has been made to appear that, owing to unavoidable circumstances, the preparation of the rolls for the County of Hokianga, and the taking of certain steps consequent on such preparation, cannot be made and taken within the times limited by "The Counties Act, 1866," and it is expedient to extend the said times respectively:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers conferred upon him by the said Act, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby order and declare that the several dates mentioned in the second column of the Schedule hereto shall be the respective dates for taking the several steps set opposite such times in the first column of the said Schedule respectively.

SCHEDULE.

| First Column. | Second Column. |
|---|---------------------------------|
| 1. Revision Courts may sit for hearing applications with reference to the rolls for ridings in the County of Hokianga, and adjourn: | 1. Until the 20th August, 1887. |
| 2. Time when the said rolls, having been duly corrected and signed, shall come into force: | 2. On the 1st September, 1887. |

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Delegating Powers under "The Cemeteries Act, 1882," to the Corporation of the Borough of Tapanui.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-eighth day of July, 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 Tapanui 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 Tapanui Cemetery; and doth declare that this Order in Council shall take effect as from the first day of August next.

SCHEDULE.

TAPANUI.

GLENKENICH District, being Section No. 2, Block IV., on the map of the said district, containing by admeasurement 4 acres and 20 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the North by Crown lands, 550 links; towards the East by Crown lands, 750 links; towards the South by Crown lands, 550 links; and towards the West by Crown lands and a road-line, 750 links.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Otago, containing by admeasurement 16 acres, more or less, situate in the Glenkenich District, and being Section No. 11 of Block IV. of the said district; commencing at the north-west corner of Section No. 2 of the said block and district, and bearing from thence by a line due north for a distance of 364 links to the starting-point; thence due east for a distance of 1227 links; thence due south for a distance of 1478 links; thence due west for a distance of 1363 links; thence due north for a distance of 1478 links; thence due east for a distance of 136 links to the starting-point: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

NOTE.—This Order in Council will supersede that issued on the 19th July, 1887, and published in *Gazette* No. 48, of the 21st July, 1887.

Provisions of "The Public Bodies' Leaseholds Act, 1886," further modified as regards the Taranaki School Commissioners.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council bearing date the second day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the seventh day of April then instant, it was ordered and declared that the provisions of Part IV. of "The Land Act, 1885," should be modified in their application to the School Commissioners for the Taranaki Provincial District in the manner therein set forth: And whereas it is expedient to amend the said Order in Council in the manner hereinafter appearing:

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 Public Bodies' Leaseholds Act, 1886," and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling him in this behalf, doth hereby order and declare that the said Order in Council of the second day of April last shall be and the same is hereby amended as follows, namely: The expression "the School Commissioners" shall be substituted for the words "Board of School Commissioners" wherever the latter occur in the said order; and such Order in Council shall henceforth be read and construed accordingly.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Powers delegated to the Templeton 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 July, 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 fourteenth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, 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 Templeton Public Domain Board, namely,—

SAMUEL BAILEY,
JAMES JONES,
WILLIAM HENRY TAYLOR,
JOHN TAYLOR,
GEORGE HOPWORTH,
RICHARD W. HAWKINS, and
GEORGE FREDERICK CARPENTER

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

1. The Board shall meet for the transaction of business on the third Monday in each month, at five o'clock p.m., at the Templeton Road Board Office, Yaldhurst, or at such other time or place as may from time to time be fixed by the Board. The first meeting shall be held on Monday, the fifteenth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

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

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

4. The members of the Board shall, at their first meeting, and thereafter at an annual meeting to be held on the second Monday in January in every succeeding year thereafter, elect one of themselves to be Chairman, who may join in the discussion, and shall have an original as well as a casting vote. The Chairman shall hold office until the election of his successor.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 122 acres 3 roods, more or less, being Section No. 2418 (in red), situate in the Christchurch Survey District. Bounded towards the North-east by Section No. 9248 2750 links, also by Section No.

3201; towards the North-west by a road-line, 2651 links; towards the South-east by a road-line 2457 links, also by Reserve No. 327 (in red) 851 links; and towards the South-west by Reserve No. 327 (in red) 1000 links, and also by Sections Nos. 2773 and 2819: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the District Survey Office, Christchurch.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Declaring a certain Road in the County of Waimea to be a County Road.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in him by "The Public Works Act, 1882," and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency Sir William Francis Drummond 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 road in the County of Waimea described in the Schedule below shall, on and after the date above mentioned, become a county road, under the charge and control of the Waimea County Council.

SCHEDULE.

THAT portion of the Nelson to Westport Road, *via* Belgrove and Hope Saddle, where it crosses the Motueka and Motupiko Rivers, at or near their junction, including the bridge known as the Motueka-Motupiko Bridge, and the approaches thereto, in the County of Waimea.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

License to practise Anatomy.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the fourth section of "The Anatomy Act, 1875" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), it is, amongst other things, enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council to grant a license to practise anatomy to any legally-qualified medical practitioner who shall be engaged at a school of anatomy, established under the said Act, as a teacher of medicine in such school, on application from any such person for such purpose, countersigned by two Justices of the Peace acting for the district at or nearest which such person resides, certifying to their knowledge or belief that such person so applying is about to carry on the practice of anatomy; and it is enacted that every such license shall state the school at which it shall be lawful for the licensee to practise anatomy:

And whereas there has been established a School of Anatomy at Dunedin in connection with the University of Otago:

And whereas William Brown, Bachelor of Medicine and Master of Surgery of the University of Edinburgh, engaged at the said School of Anatomy at Dunedin, has made application for a license to practise anatomy, and has complied with the provisions of the above-recited section 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, in exercise and in pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by the said Act, doth hereby license and authorise William Brown, Bachelor of Medicine and Master of Surgery of the University of Edinburgh, to practise anatomy at the School of Anatomy in connection with the University of Otago.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Licensing Charles Georgeson to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore of the Otago Harbour.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this second day of August, 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 purpose of any local enterprise or object which the Governor in Council may approve: 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 Charles Georgeson, 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, in order to construct and maintain thereon a smokehouse for the curing of fish, in Otago Harbour, and, in accordance with the one hundred and fifty-sixth section of "The Harbours Act, 1878," has deposited a plan in the office of the Marine Department, at Wellington (marked M.D. 1349), showing the place in the said harbour where it is intended to construct such smokehouse, 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 plan has, prior to the making of this Order in Council, been approved by the Governor in Council: And whereas there is no Harbour Board empowered to grant such license, and it is expedient that a license should be granted and issued to the said Charles Georgeson under the said Act, for the purpose aforesaid, on the terms and conditions hereinafter expressed:

Now, therefore, His Excellency 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 said Charles Georgeson 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 said Charles Georgeson 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 plan so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of constructing or erecting thereon a smokehouse for the curing of fish, such license to be held and enjoyed by the said Charles Georgeson 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 construction of the smokehouse, Otago Harbour, which is shown on the said plan marked M.D. 1349.

2. In consideration of the concessions and privileges granted by this Order in Council, the said Charles Georgeson shall, on being supplied with a copy thereof, pay to the Minister the sum of three pounds, and thereafter an annual sum of two pounds ten shillings, to be paid on the thirty-first

day of December, the first of such payments to be made on the thirty-first day of December next ensuing.

3. 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 said Charles Georgeson shall not assign, charge, or part with any such right, power, or privilege without the previous written consent of the Minister first obtained.

4. That the said rights, powers, and privileges may be at any time resumed by the Governor, and the said Charles Georgeson may be required to remove the smokehouse from the foreshore of Otago Harbour at his own cost, without payment of any compensation whatever, on giving to the said Charles Georgeson three 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 said Charles Georgeson.

5. In case the said Charles Georgeson shall—

- (1.) Commit or suffer a breach of the conditions hereinbefore set forth, or any of them;
- (2.) Cease to use or occupy the said smokehouse;
- (3.) Fail to pay the sums specified in clause two of these conditions; or
- (4.) Become bankrupt or be in any manner brought under the operation of any Act for the time being in force relating to bankruptcy,

then and in any 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 said Charles Georgeson 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 said Charles Georgeson, and to all persons concerned or interested, that this Order in Council and the rights and privileges thereby conferred have been revoked and determined; and upon such revocation the Minister may cause the said smokehouse, and all other erections or buildings thereto belonging, to be removed, and may recover the cost incurred by any such removal from the said Charles Georgeson, his heirs, executors, administrators, or assigns.

6. 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.

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 |
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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.

Land temporarily reserved in the Land Districts of Auckland and Canterbury.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

WHEREAS by the two hundred and twenty-seventh section of "The Land Act, 1885," it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, either by general or particular description, and whether the same has been surveyed or not, reserve from sale temporarily, notwithstanding that the same may be then held under pastoral license, any Crown lands which in his opinion are required for any of the purposes in the said section mentioned:

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

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND.

ALL that piece or parcel of land being situate in Block VIII., Waipu Survey District, Provincial District of Auckland, being called or known as Section No. 38A, Parish of Wairau, and containing by admeasurement 7 acres 3 roods, more or less. Bounded towards the North-west and North generally by a public road-line, 100 links wide and varying in width, 69, 191, 147, 95, 261, 65, 167, 74, 170, 146, 173, 57, 127, 200, 225, 146, 185, and 158 links; and towards the South-east by a public road-line, 100 links wide, 2150 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As a site for county buildings.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Town of Hamilton West, containing by admeasurement 1 rood, more or less, being Section No. 407B. Bounded towards the North-east by Section No. 407A, 100 links; towards the South-east by Richmond Street, 250 links; towards the South-west by Anglesea Street, 100 links; and towards the North-west by said Section No. 407A, 250 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the plan in the Survey Office, Auckland. For police purposes.

All that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 3 roods 24 perches, more or less, and being known as Allotment No. 178A, Wade Village, Parish of Waiwera, Provincial District of Auckland. Bounded towards the North by Allotment No. 178, 473 links; towards the East by Allotment No. 179, 156 links; towards the South by the Weiti River; and towards the West by a road-line, 251 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. For a landing-place.

CANTERBURY.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 5 acres, more or less, being Section No. 2451 (in red), situate in the Four Peaks Survey District. Bounded towards the North-west by a road-line, 912 links; towards the North-east by a road-line and a line in continuation of the south-west side thereof, 530 links; towards the South-east by a line bearing 245° 14', 1087 links; and towards the South-west by a line at right angles to the north-west boundary, 500 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the official map in the District Survey Office, Christchurch. For a gravel-pit.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 5 acres, more or less, being Section No. 2452 (in red), situate in the Four Peaks Survey District. Bounded towards the South by a road-line, 835 links; towards the West, North, and East by Section No. 31197, distances respectively of 663, 789, and 500 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the official map in the District Survey Office, Christchurch. For a gravel-pit.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 5 acres, more or less, being Section No. 2453 (in red), situate in the Four Peaks Survey District. Bounded towards the North by a road-line, 1137 links; towards the West and South by Section No. 31197, 436 and 1094 links; and towards the East by Section No. 6693 and a line in continuation of the west boundary thereof, 537 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the official map in the District Survey Office, Christchurch. For a gravel-pit.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 5 acres, more

or less, being Section No. 2192 (in red), situate in the Orari Survey District. Bounded towards the North-east by a road-line, 1000 links; towards the North-west, South-west, and South-east by Lot No. 40, Subdivision of Reserve No. 349, 500, 1000, and 500 links respectively: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the District Survey Office, Christchurch. For a gravel-pit.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 29 acres 2 roods, more or less, being Section No. 2755 (in red), situate in the Tengawai Survey District. Bounded towards the North-west by the Annandale Road, 333 links; towards the North-east by the River Ophihi; towards the South-east by Section No. 35416, 569 links; and towards the South-west by Sections Nos. 20810, 22280, and 21121: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the District Survey Office, Christchurch. For a recreation-ground.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 10 acres, more or less, being Section No. 2758 (in red), situate in the Orari Survey District. Bounded towards the North-east by a road-line, 1918 links; towards the North-west by a road-line, 1389 links; and towards the South-west by a line bearing 123° 31', 1285 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the District Survey Office, Christchurch. For a school-site.

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

J. BALLANCE,
Minister of Lands.

Returning Officers for Waikato, New Plymouth, and Waimea-Picton appointed.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

WHEREAS by "The Regulation of Elections Act, 1881," it is enacted that the Governor may appoint such Returning Officers, clerks, and other officers as may be required to carry the provisions of the said Act into execution, and that every person so appointed shall hold office during the Governor's pleasure:

Now, therefore, I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance of the power and authority vested in me by the said Act, do hereby appoint

WILLIAM NICHOLAS SEARANCKE, Esquire,
to be the Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Waikato, in the place of Henry William Northcroft; I do also appoint

WILFRED RENNELL, Esquire,
to be the Returning Officer for the Electoral District of New Plymouth, in the place of Clarence Rennell; and I appoint

JOHN ALLEN, Esquire,
to be the Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Waimea-Picton, in the place of Alfred Greenfield. Such appointments to take effect as from the sixteenth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Additional Public Vaccinator, Wellington District, appointed.

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

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

GRAY HASSELL, Esq., B.M. M.S. Univ. Aberdeen,
to be an additional Public Vaccinator, under "The Public Health Act, 1876," for the District of Wellington.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Ranger under Animals Protection Acts appointed, Grey District.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 30th July, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

RICHARD BODDY,
of Greymouth, to be a Ranger under "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," for the District of Greymouth.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Native Land Court Assessor appointed.

Native Office,
Wellington, 1st August, 1887.
HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint
WINETI PARANAHI,
of Taupo, to be an Assessor under "The Native Land Court Act, 1886."
J. BALLANCE.

Native Land Court Assessors appointed.

Native Office,
Wellington, 2nd August, 1887.
HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint
MEIHA KEEPA RANGIHIWINUI,
POARI KURAMATE,
KARENA TE MANA-O-TAWHAKI, and
RATANA NGAHINA,
of Wanganui, to be Assessors under "The Native Land Court Act, 1886."
J. BALLANCE.

Commissioner of Christchurch Drill-shed appointed.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 19th July, 1887.
HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint
Captain ROOKWOOD COMFORT BISHOP,
Christchurch City Guards Volunteers, to be a Commissioner under clause 3 of "The Christchurch Drill-shed Act, 1879," vice Henry Alan Scott, resigned.
ROBERT STOUT,
(For the Minister of Defence.)

Quartermaster to Battalion appointed.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 3rd August, 1887.
HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the under-mentioned appointment:—
West Coast (North Island) Battalion Rifle Volunteers.
James Thain to be Quartermaster, with the rank of Captain, from the 26th July, 1887.
J. BALLANCE.

Volunteer Officers appointed.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 27th July, 1887.
HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the under-mentioned appointments:—
N Battery Artillery Volunteers,
George Alfred Lewis to be Honorary Surgeon. Date of commission, 16th June, 1887.
Thames Rifle Rangers.
William Henry Lucas to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 7th July, 1887.
J. BALLANCE.

Volunteer Officer resigned.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 27th July, 1887.
HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation of the commission held by the under-mentioned officer:—
N Battery Artillery Volunteers.
Honorary Surgeon William Atkinson Harrison. Date of resignation, 11th June, 1887.
J. BALLANCE.

Volunteer Officer resigned.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 3rd August, 1887.
HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation of the under-mentioned officer:—
Devonport Naval Artillery.
William Henry Fenton. Date of resignation, 2nd August, 1887.
ROBERT STOUT,
(For the Minister of Defence.)

Letters of Naturalisation issued.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 30th July, 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. |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|
| Arnold Laurenthim Larsen | Farmer .. | The Cust, Ashley County. |
| Thomas Hansen | .. Millwright .. | Danevirke. |
| Martin Laurson | .. Carpenter .. | Napier. |
| Alexander Hanson | .. Settler .. | Whangarei. |
| Andrew Petersen | .. Settler .. | Whangarei. |
| Anders Jensen | .. Farmer .. | Carterton. |
| Pierre Clolus | .. Farm-labourer .. | Waiau, Amuri. |
| Jozef Koce | .. Settler .. | Eketahuna. |
| Frank Albert August Kurth | Farm-labourer | Fordell, Wanganui. |
| Jacob Broyska | .. Labourer .. | Masterton. |
| Michael Hoffmann | .. Labourer .. | Masterton. |
| Heinerich Christian Steffert | .. Settler .. | Featherston. |
| Charles Nelson | .. Labourer .. | Greytown, Wairarapa. |
| Alberto D'Iseppi | .. Miner .. | Ross. |
| George William Frederick Schroder | .. Miner .. | Dillman's Town, Kumara. |
| Carl Petter Carlsson | .. Miner .. | Dillman's Town, Kumara. |
| Antonio Devescovi | .. Gold-miner .. | Dillman's Town, Kumara. |
| Dominic Marchesi | .. Miner .. | Ross. |
| William Holsted | .. Settler .. | Carterton. |
| Carl Jensen | .. Farmer .. | Carterton. |
| Otto Arnoldt | .. Labourer .. | New Plymouth. |
| Hans Wilde | .. Labourer .. | Carterton. |
| John Gotfried Dudeck | .. Settler .. | Otakeho. |
| Edward Wichman | .. Settler .. | Otakeho. |
| Johann Wilhelm Otto Kutzner | .. Engineer .. | Masterton. |
| Johann Ferdinand Julius Kutzner | .. Engineer .. | Masterton. |
| Gunnerius Mathisen | .. Farmer .. | Carterton. |

P. A. BUCKLEY.

New Electoral Rolls formed under "The Representation Act, 1887."

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 4th August, 1887.
WHEREAS by the 9th section of "The Representation Act, 1887," it is provided that, upon the new electoral rolls being formed in manner provided by the said Act, every Registrar appointed under "The Registration of Electors Act, 1879," shall give notice thereof to the Colonial Secretary, who shall publish the fact in the *Gazette*:
Now, therefore, I, the Colonial Secretary, do hereby publish that I have received such notice from the Registrars of the under-mentioned electoral districts, that is to say,—

For the Electoral Districts of—

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| Marsden. | Nelson. |
| Eden. | Waimea-Picton. |
| Newton. | Wairau. |
| Ponsonby. | Buller. |
| Auckland North. | Kumara. |
| Auckland West. | Hokitika. |
| Auckland Central. | Kaiapoi. |
| Parnell. | Avon. |
| Manukau. | Linwood. |
| Franklin North. | Heathcote. |
| Franklin South. | St. Albans. |
| Coromandel. | Christchurch North. |
| Thames. | Christchurch South. |
| Tauranga. | Sydenham. |
| Taranaki. | Timaru. |
| New Plymouth. | Gladstone. |
| Wanganui. | Port Chalmers. |
| Waitotara. | Mount Ida. |
| Napier. | Bruce. |
| Masterton. | Tuapeka. |
| Wairarapa. | Wakaia. |
| Hutt. | Mataura. |
| Wellington South and Suburbs. | Hokonui. |
| Thorndon. | Wakatipu. |
| Te Aro. | Invercargill. |
| Wellington East. | Awarua. |

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Despatch.—Amendment in Extradition Treaty with Belgium.

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

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Downing Street, 31st May, 1887.

SIR,—With reference to the Earl of Carnarvon's circular despatch of the 2nd of August, 1876, I have the honour to transmit to you, for information and publication in the colony under your Government, an extract from the *London Gazette*, containing an Order of the Queen in Council of the 13th instant, for carrying into effect the declaration concluded on the 21st of April last for amending Article I. of the treaty between Great Britain and Belgium of the 20th of May, 1876, for the mutual surrender of fugitive criminals. The declaration came into operation on the 30th instant, in conformity with Article III.

I have, &c.,
H. T. HOLLAND.

The Officer Administering the Government of
New Zealand.

[Extract from the *London Gazette* of Friday, 20th May, 1887.]
At the Court, at Windsor, the thirteenth day of May, 1887.

Present:

THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY,
LORD PRESIDENT, EARL OF COVENTRY, EARL OF KINTORE.

WHEREAS by the Extradition Acts, 1870 and 1873, it was, amongst other things, enacted that, where an arrangement has been made with any foreign State with respect to the surrender to such State of any fugitive criminals, Her Majesty may, by Order in Council, direct that the said Acts shall apply in the case of such foreign State; and that Her Majesty may, by the same or any subsequent order, limit the operation of the order, and restrict the same to fugitive criminals who are in or suspected of being in the part of Her Majesty's dominions specified in the order, and render the operation thereof subject to such conditions, exceptions, and qualifications as may be deemed expedient; and that if, by any law made after the passing of the Act of 1870 by the Legislature of any British possession, provision is made for carrying into effect within such possession the surrender of fugitive criminals who are in or suspected of being in such British possession, Her Majesty may, by the Order in Council applying the said Acts in the case of any foreign State, or by any subsequent order, suspend the operation within any such British possession of the said Acts, or of any part thereof, so far as it relates to such foreign State, and so long as such law continues in force there and no longer:

And whereas in accordance with section 18 of "The Extradition Act, 1870," the Legislature of the Dominion of Canada has, by laws passed in the years 1877 and 1882, and respectively styled "The Extradition Act, 1877," and "An Act to amend the Extradition Act, 1877," made provision for carrying into effect within the Dominion the surrender of fugitive criminals who are in or are suspected of being in the Dominion:

And whereas a treaty was concluded on the twentieth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, between Her Majesty and the King of the Belgians, for the mutual extradition of fugitive criminals, in the case of which treaty the above-mentioned Acts of Parliament were applied by an Order in Council of the twenty-first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six:

And whereas a declaration was concluded on the twenty-third day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, between the Government of Her Majesty and the Government of His Majesty the King of the Belgians, extending the provisions of the above-mentioned treaty to certain additional crimes in the case of which declaration the above-mentioned Acts of Parliament were applied by an Order in Council of the thirteenth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven:

And whereas a declaration was concluded on the twenty-first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, between the Government of Her Majesty and the Government of His Majesty the King of the Belgians, for amending Article I. of the above-mentioned treaty, which declaration is in the terms following:—

The Government of Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Empress of India, and the Government of His Majesty the King of the Belgians, being desirous to provide for the more effectual repression of crimes and offences in their respective territories, have agreed as follows:—

ARTICLE I.

The words "except as regards Great Britain, native-born

or naturalised subjects of Her Britannic Majesty, and except as regards Belgium, those who are by birth, or who may have become, citizens of Belgium," which occur in Article I. of the extradition treaty of the 20th May, 1876, are suppressed.

ARTICLE II.

The following paragraph is added to Article I. of the said treaty:—

"In no case, nor on any consideration whatever, shall the high contracting parties be bound to surrender their own subjects, whether by birth or naturalisation."

ARTICLE III.

The present declaration shall come into force ten days after its publication in the manner prescribed by law in the respective countries.

In witness whereof the undersigned have signed the same, and have affixed thereto the seal of their arms.

Done at London, the 21st day of April, 1887.

(L.S.) SALISBURY.
(L.S.) SOLVYNS.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, and in virtue of the authority committed to her by the said recited Acts, doth order, and it is hereby ordered, that, from and after the thirtieth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, the said Acts shall apply in the case of the said declaration of the twenty-first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, with the Government of His Majesty the King of the Belgians, as fully, to all intents and purposes, as in the case of the said recited treaty of the twentieth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, and of the aforesaid declaration of the twenty-third day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven:

Provided always, and it is hereby further ordered, that the operation of the said Acts shall be suspended within the Dominion of Canada so far as relates to the Kingdom of Belgium and to the said declaration of the twenty-first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, and so long as the provisions of the Canadian Acts aforesaid continue in force, and no longer.

C. L. PEEL.

Despatch.—Revised Regulations for Examination, &c., of Naval Cadets.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 30th July, 1887.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Downing Street, 1st June, 1887.

SIR,—With reference to Lord Kimberley's circular despatch of the 18th April, 1882, I have the honour to transmit to you, for information in the colony under your Government, copies of revised regulations governing the examination and entry of naval cadets.

I have, &c.,
H. T. HOLLAND.

The Officer Administering the Government of
New Zealand.

REGULATIONS RESPECTING NAVAL CADETS.—FOR THE INFORMATION OF CANDIDATES.

1. APPOINTMENTS to naval cadetships will be made by limited competition, with the under-mentioned exceptions:—

Four cadetships given annually to sons of gentlemen in the colonies, on the recommendation of the Secretary of State for the Colonies.

Service cadetships, the total number of which is not to exceed five in any one year. Service cadets will be selected by the Board of Admiralty from (a) sons of officers of the army, navy, or marines who have been killed in action, or who have been lost at sea on active service, or killed on duty, or who have died of wounds received in action or injuries received on duty within six months from the date of such action or injury; (b) sons of officers of the navy who have performed long or distinguished service, and who hold or have held rank or relative rank on the active list not lower than that of commander. Not more than two such latter service cadets will be nominated annually.

Applications for service cadetships should be addressed to the Military Secretary, Horse Guards, if the candidate is the son of an officer of the army; to the Secretary of the Admiralty, if the candidate is the son of an officer of the navy or marines; and to the Military Secretary, India Office, if the candidate is the son of an officer of the Indian army.

Colonial and service cadets will be entered on passing the test examination as specified in paragraphs 9 and 10, and will in all other respects be subject to these regulations.

The educational examination of all candidates will be conducted by the Civil Service Commissioners (address, Cannon Row, Westminster), who will deal with all questions connected with such examination, and will announce the results. A fee of 10s. will be required from each candidate.

2. Except in special circumstances, not more than one-third of the number of candidates actually presenting themselves before the Civil Service Commissioners will be entered.

3. The nomination of candidates for naval cadetships will be made by the First Lord, by individual members of the Board, and by the Secretaries to the Board of Admiralty.

A flag officer or a commodore first class appointed to the chief command of a station, or to a separate command, and a captain, on first appointment as such to the command of a ship, will be allowed to nominate one candidate, provided the privilege is exercised within six months of appointment.

No captain will be entitled to nominate more than one candidate during the time he holds the rank of captain, but a flag officer or a commodore first class may claim the privilege each time he is appointed to a command as above.

In the event of a candidate's nomination being cancelled before he has commenced the examination, the officer who nominated him will be allowed to select another candidate for the same or following examination.

4. The nominations will be made half-yearly, as soon as convenient after the report of the last examination has been received from the Civil Service Commissioners.

5. The examinations will be held in London and at Portsmouth, and will commence on the second Wednesday in June and the last Wednesday in November in each year, and the appointments will date from the 15th July and the 15th January following respectively.

6. No candidate will be eligible for examination whose age will not be within the following limits on the 15th January following the November examination, and on the 15th July following the June examination, viz., for the examinations in November, 1887, to June, 1888, not less than twelve and a half nor more than fourteen years of age, and at subsequent examinations not less than thirteen nor more than fourteen and a half years of age.

7. Every candidate must be in good health, and free from any physical defect of body, impediment of speech, defect of sight or hearing, and also from any predisposition to constitutional or hereditary disease or weakness of any kind, and in all respects well developed and active in proportion to his age. Before being examined by the Civil Service Commissioners he will be required to pass the medical examination according to the prescribed regulations, and must have been found physically fit for the navy. Rejection at such examination will finally exclude him from the navy.

8. The candidate will be required to produce (1) a certificate of the date of his birth,* or a declaration thereof made before a magistrate; (2) a certificate of good conduct from the masters of the school or schools at which he may have been educated during the two previous years, or, if educated at home, from his tutor or the clergyman of the parish in which he resides; and (3) proofs of good health.

9. Candidates will be tested by examination in the following subjects:—

| | Marks. |
|---|--------|
| i. Arithmetic: Including proportion, vulgar and decimal fractions. | 250 |
| ii. Algebra: Including fractions, simple equations and problems, and quadratic equations of one unknown quantity | 200 |
| iii. Geometry: Euclid, Book I., with exercises and questions | 200 |
| iv. English: Handwriting, dictation, reading with intelligence, and composition | 150 |
| v. French: Translating French into English, and English into French; grammatical questions, speaking, and dictation | 250 |
| (No dictionary will be allowed, but the equivalents of the less usual words in either language will be given.) | |
| vi. Scripture | 100 |
| Candidates will be required to obtain half marks in arithmetic, and 40 per cent. in each of the other subjects. | |
| Candidates will be further examined in— | |
| vii. Mathematics: Harder questions in arithmetic, algebra, and geometry, as above defined | 300 |
| viii. Latin: Translation, grammar, and prose composition | 300 |
| (No dictionary will be allowed, but the equivalents for the less usual words will be given.) | |
| ix. Geography: Including the subjects treated of in Grove's Primer, and an elementary knowledge of the principal places in the British isles and dependencies | 150 |
| x. English history: A short selected period. (A text-book to be named) | 150 |
| xi. Drawing: Freehand and simple rectangular model | 100 |

* A certificate of baptism will not be accepted.

The final order of merit will be determined by the sum of the marks obtained in the test and in the further examination.

10. Colonial and service cadets will be appointed on passing the test examination. They must, however, obtain 660 marks in the aggregate, as well as the proportion of marks in arithmetic and other subjects required from the candidates who compete.

11. A candidate who passes the test examination, but does not succeed in the competition, will be entitled to compete at the next examination, provided he is within the limits of age at that time. No candidate will be allowed to compete more than twice. A candidate who fails to pass the test will not be entitled to another trial, but he will be allowed to compete at the next examination if he receives a fresh nomination and is still within the limits of age.

12. A candidate who, owing to illness, fails to appear at the examination for which he has obtained his nomination may receive a second nomination, provided he is still within the limits of age.

13. For all cadets entered under these regulations the payment will be at the rate of £70 per annum for the period in the "Britannia," to be paid half-yearly in advance to the Accountant-General of the Navy. But the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty reserve the power of selecting, from among the cadets entered at each half-yearly examination, a number not to exceed ten, being sons of officers of the navy, army, or marines, or of Civil officers under the Board of Admiralty, with respect to whom the annual payment will be £40 only. In this selection their Lordships will have regard solely to the pecuniary circumstances of the cadet.

14. The period of training on board the "Britannia" will be four terms; there will be two terms in each year. The first term of each year will be from February to July, the second from September to December.

The vacations will be five weeks at Christmas, two weeks at Easter, and six weeks at Midsummer.

15. There will be examinations in seamanship and study at the end of each term.

Cadets who pass unsatisfactory examinations, or who are reported for unsatisfactory conduct, will be "warned," and they will be liable to be discharged at the end of the following or any subsequent term should they again be reported as failing to attain the proper number of marks at the examinations, or for unsatisfactory conduct.

If a cadet is reported for unsatisfactory conduct during his final term he will be discharged without being allowed to present himself at the examination for passing out of the "Britannia."

Any cadet who shall at any time appear to their Lordships to be unfit for the naval service, for any reason whatever, will be removed from the "Britannia;" and it must be understood that this rule will apply to those who are considered unfit from insufficient physical development or weakness of constitution, although no actual organic disease may have been developed.

16. It is to be distinctly understood that the period of training on board the "Britannia" is a time of probation, and the parent or guardian of every cadet will be required to sign a declaration (on the admission of the cadet to the "Britannia") to the effect that he shall be immediately withdrawn on the receipt of an official intimation of his being considered unfit for the navy.

17. Cadets will, on passing out of the "Britannia," rank according to the amount of sea-time they obtain at their final examination, and those who obtain equal amounts of sea-time will rank in the order of merit in which they pass out of the "Britannia."

18. The parent or guardian of every cadet will be required to provide outfit under the regulations in force.

19. No pay or pocket-money will be allowed by Government to cadets in the "Britannia."

* By command of their Lordships.

EVAN MACGREGOR.

Admiralty, May, 1887.

Amended Special Order made by Waiwakaiho Road Board, County of Taranaki.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 3rd August, 1887.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

NEW SPECIAL ORDER.

RESOLVED, That a special rate of seven farthings in the pound be made and levied on all rateable property within the Alfred Road Special Rating Subdistrict (Crown and Native lands excepted), as described in the Schedule hereto, to pay interest and management on loan of £100.

Alfred Road Special Rating District: Bounded towards the North by the junction of the Waiwakaiho and Kaiarau Streams; towards the East by the Waiwakaiho Stream; towards the South by the northern boundary of Section 164, the Alfred Road, and the southern boundary of Section 146; and towards the West by Sections 135, 134, 122, and the Kaiarau Stream.

Resolved, That a special rate of three farthings in the pound be made and levied on all rateable property within the Albert Road Special Rating Subdistrict (Crown and Native lands excepted), as described in the Schedule hereto, to pay interest and management on loan of £300.

Albert Road Special Rating District: Bounded towards the North by the Junction Road and Section 55; towards the East by the Maude Road to northern boundary of Section 77; thence by the said boundary-line to the Kaiarau Stream; thence by the said stream to the south boundary of Section 137; thence by Sections 137, 138, 139, 146, and Crown lands to the south-east corner of Section 136; towards the South by the south boundaries of Sections 136, 132, 131, and 147; and towards the West by the Kent and Albert Roads to the boundary-line between Sections 108 and 109; thence by the said boundary to the Mangamahoe Stream, and by the said stream to the south-west corner of Section 55.

Resolved, That a special rate of three farthings in the pound be made and levied on all rateable properties in the Kent Road Special Rating Subdistrict (Crown and Native lands excepted), as described in the Schedule hereto, to pay interest and management on loan of £400.

Kent Road Special Rating District: Bounded towards the North by the Junction Road and the line dividing the northern and southern moieties of Section 22; towards the East by the Mangamahoe Stream to the boundary between Sections 108 and 109, by the said boundary to Albert Road; thence by the Albert and Kent Roads to the south-east corner of Section 127; towards the South by the southern boundaries of Sections 127, 157, and 156; and towards the West by the Mangakarewarewa and Mongarei Streams.

That the foregoing special rates be made for the repayment of the above-mentioned loans, to be borrowed under the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1886," and "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886," payable in half-yearly instalments on the 1st May and the 1st November in each year, commencing in 1887, and to run for twenty-six years, until the loan is paid off.

I hereby certify that the foregoing special order was duly made by the Waiwakaiho Road Board on the 30th July, 1887, in conformity with sections 15, 75, and 76 of "The Road Boards Act, 1882," and section 21 of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1886."

JOHN CREAM,
Chairman, Waiwakaiho Road Board.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan, County of Hobson.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 3rd August, 1887.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

RESULT of Poll for Proposed Loan of £6,000 for Road Construction, Metalling, and Stone-crusher.

I, FREDERICK WILLIAM MATTHEWS, Chairman of the Hobson County Council, do hereby notify that the result of the poll is as follows:—

Number of ratepayers entitled to vote, 398; voters for proposal, 282; ratepayers who did not vote, 91; voters against the proposal, 10; majority in favour, 272.

Number of votes that could be exercised, 520; votes for the proposal, 293; votes against the proposal, 14; votes not recorded, 213; majority in favour, 66.

I therefore declare the proposal has been carried by an absolute majority of votes and voters entitled to poll.

F. W. MATTHEWS,
Aratapu, 18th July, 1887. County Chairman.

Application for Registration of a Trade Mark.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 3rd August, 1887.

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

Description of Trade Mark.

A life-buoy having the words "Use me and be saved" printed on flat edge of same, with a cross between each word.

Line on outside edge attached in eight places, forming eight distinct loops. Inside line attached in four places to buoy, and in four places to small coil of rope in centre of same; the loops thus made containing the following letters: "W. R. N. Z." Words "Trade Mark" at foot of buoy, one word on either side; word "registered" at top of buoy. All above printed in black ink. On left-hand side of buoy, at centre, the signature of "William Robertson;" on right-hand side, at centre, his address, "Woodlands, Southland, New Zealand." Signature and address a facsimile of his own handwriting, in black ink. Trade mark, signature, and address enclosed in oblong square with cut corners, also in black ink.

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

Medicinal preparations, namely, Unguentum, an ointment; Entera pulvis, a powder; and Gargaron, a gargle.

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

Sufferance Wharf, Auckland.

IN exercise of the power in me vested for this purpose by "The Customs Laws Consolidation Act, 1882," I, the Commissioner of Trade and Customs, do hereby appoint that the wharf known as the Hobson Street Wharf, as the same is shown on the plan marked M.D. 1176, deposited in the office of the Marine Department, shall be a sufferance wharf for the loading and unloading of free and duty-paid goods and New Zealand produce.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY,
(For the Commissioner of Trade and Customs.)

Commissioner's Order No. 271.]

Registrars of Brands appointed.—Notice No. 237.

The Minister's Office, Live Stock Branch,
Wellington, 27th July, 1887.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments under "The Brands and Branding Act, 1880":—

JOHN DRUMMOND to be a Registrar of Brands for the Auckland Branding District, comprising the Auckland Subdivision of the Auckland Sheep District, as constituted under "The Sheep Act, 1878;" and also to be Chief Registrar of Brands for the Auckland, Marsden, Bay of Islands, Waikato, and Bay of Plenty Branding Districts; from the 1st July, 1887.

REGINALD FOSTER to be a Registrar of Brands for the Christchurch Branding District, comprising the Christchurch Subdivision of the Canterbury Sheep District, as constituted under "The Sheep Act, 1878;" and also to be Chief Registrar of Brands for the Westland, North Canterbury, Christchurch, and South Canterbury Branding Districts; from the 1st July, 1887.

EDMUND CLIFTON to be a Registrar of Brands for the Dunedin Branding District, comprising the Dunedin and Port Chalmers Subdivisions of the Otago Sheep District, as constituted under "The Sheep Act, 1878;" and also to be Chief Registrar of Brands for the Dunedin, Oamaru, Dunstan, Tapanui, and Southland Branding Districts; from the 1st July, 1887.

WILLIAM MATRAVERS to be a Registrar of Brands for the Bay of Plenty Branding District, comprising the Bay of Plenty Subdivision of the Auckland Sheep District, as constituted under "The Sheep Act, 1878;" from the 1st July, 1887.

EDWARD ORBELL to be a Registrar of Brands for the Wairarapa Branding District, comprising the North and South Wairarapa Subdivisions of the Wellington Sheep District, as constituted under "The Sheep Act, 1878;" from the 1st July, 1887.

JOHN MOORE to be a Registrar of Brands for the Kaikoura Branding District, comprising the Kaikoura Subdivision of the Marlborough Sheep District, as constituted under the Sheep Act, 1878;" from the 1st July, 1887.

ROBERT FITZROY HOLDERNESS to be a Registrar of Brands for the North Canterbury Branding District, comprising the Waiata and Northern Subdivisions of the Canterbury Sheep District, as constituted under "The Sheep Act, 1878;" from the 1st July, 1887.

WILLIAM ARETAS PARRY SUTTON to be a Registrar of Brands for the South Canterbury Branding District, comprising the Ashburton and Timaru Subdivisions of the Canterbury Sheep District, as constituted under "The Sheep Act, 1878;" from the 20th May, 1887.

WILLIAM GILBERT REES to be a Registrar of Brands for the Buller Branding District, comprising the Buller and Grey Subdivision of the Nelson Sheep District, as

constituted under "The Sheep Act, 1878;" and also for the Westland Branding District, comprising the Westland Subdivision of the Canterbury Sheep District; from the 23rd May, 1887.

W. J. M. LARNACH.

Declaring Forest Hill Tramway reopened for Goods Traffic.

IN pursuance of the powers vested in me by "The Public Works Act, 1882," and amending Acts, I, Patrick Alphonsus Buckley, a member of the Executive Council of the colony, holding the office of Colonial Secretary, and acting in the absence of the Minister for Public Works, do hereby notify that the line known as the Forest Hill Tramway, in the County of Southland, will be reopened for traffic from and after the 15th day of August instant, and that the following charges will be made for the conveyance of goods thereon:—

| Merchandise (consisting of all goods enumerated under Classes A, B, C, D, in the Scale of Fares, Rates, and Charges on the New Zealand Railways published in the Supplement to the <i>New Zealand Gazette</i> of the 16th September, 1886), at per ton, per mile | s. | d. |
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| Minimum rate, per ton | 2 | 6 |
| Minimum charge | 0 | 6 |
| Timber, at per 100 superficial feet, per mile | 0 | 1 |
| Minimum charge | 2 | 6 |
| Wool, per bale, per mile | 0 | 1½ |
| Minimum charge | 1 | 0 |
| Agricultural produce, minerals, and all other goods, at per ton, per mile | 0 | 3 |
| Minimum rate, per ton | 2 | 0 |
| Minimum charge | 0 | 6 |
| For each loading or unloading— | | |
| Merchandise, per ton | 0 | 6 |
| Grain, per ton | 0 | 6 |
| Wool, per bale | 0 | 3 |
| Other goods, per ton | 0 | 6 |

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

P. A. BUCKLEY,
(Acting for the Minister for Public Works.)

Bonus for Canned and Cured Fish for Export.

Treasury Department,
Wellington, 10th November, 1885.

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

JULIUS VOGEL.

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

- (1.) In respect of the first 200 tons avoirdupois of fish canned with or without oil, the sum of 1d. per pound, the weight of the cans not to be included in the tonnage upon which such bonus is paid;
- (2.) In respect of every ton avoirdupois of fish canned as aforesaid beyond the first 200 tons, the sum of ½d. per pound, the weight of the cans not to be included in the tonnage upon which such bonus is paid;
- (3.) In respect of cured fish the bonus to be paid shall be respectively ½d. and ¼d. 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. 16.

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

PURSUANT to the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, passed in the forty-fourth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, and intitled "The Marriage Act, 1880," the following name of an Officiating Minister within the meaning of the said Act is published for general information:—

Primitive Methodist Connexion.
The Reverend Walter Harris.

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

Officiating Ministers for 1887.—Notice No. 17.

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

NOTICE having been given that the Reverend James Miller Killen has ceased to be an Officiating Minister of the Presbyterian Church of New Zealand, his name has been withdrawn from the list at the request of the Moderator.

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

Government Life Insurance Department.—Agency opened at Waimangaroa, Westport.

Government Life Insurance Department,
Wellington, 26th July, 1887.

AN Agency of the above department has been opened at the
POST OFFICE, WAIMANGAROA, WESTPORT,
as from the 1st August, 1887.

D. M. LUCKIE,
Commissioner.

Application for a Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 27th July, 1887.

PATENT for an Invention for Improved Appliances for conveying Railway Carriage-lamps to and from the Lamp-room and the Train.

ERNEST MALTRAVERS BOLGER, of Myrtle Villa, Evelina Road, Toorak, near Melbourne, Victoria, Gentleman, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Tuesday, the 17th day of April 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 2nd day of April 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. 2448.

Application for a Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 27th July, 1887.

PATENT for an Invention for Improvements in Motor Engines, operated by the Combustion of Hydro-carbon Vapour.

WILLIAM DENT PRIESTMAN and SAMUEL PRIESTMAN, of Holderness Foundry, Hull, in the County of York, England, Engineers, have deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Thursday, the 13th day of October 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 28th day of September 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. 2449.

Application for a Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 29th July, 1887.

PATENT for an Invention for Improvements in Lamps for burning Combustible Oils.

ISAIAH DE ZOUCHE, M.D., of Dunedin, New Zealand, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Thursday, the 13th day of October 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 28th day of September 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. 2450.

Application for a Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 30th July, 1887.

PATENT for an Invention for an Instrument for castrating Lambs.

THOMAS MANN, Farmer, and ADOLPHUS HARRY MOORE, Commission Agent, both of Opunake, Taranaki, New Zealand, have deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Tuesday, the 18th day of October 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 3rd day of October 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. 2451.

Application for a Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 1st August, 1887.

PATENT for an Invention for a Process to be used in the smelting of the Titaniferous Ironsand of New Zealand, to be called "Hipkins's Process."

JOSIAH HIPKINS, of Repton Villa, Grafton Road, Auckland, New Zealand, Ironmaster, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Tuesday, the 18th day of October 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 3rd day of October 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. 2452.

Application for a Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 1st August, 1887.

PATENT for an Invention for Improvements in Wire Measures, to be known as "Brookes's Patent Wire Measure."

EDWIN STANLEY BROOKES, of Wharehine, Auckland, New Zealand, Land Surveyor, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Tuesday, the 18th day of October 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 3rd day of October 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. 2453.

Application for a Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 1st August, 1887.

PATENT for an Invention for an Improvement in Waterproof Leggings.

WILLIAM COOPER, of Karangahape Road, Auckland, New Zealand, Waterproof Clothing Manufacturer, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Tuesday, the 18th day of October 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 3rd day of October 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. 2454.

Application for a Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 1st August, 1887.

PATENT for an Invention for Improvements in a certain Wool-drying Machine, called "Bowen's Patent Improved Wool-drying Machine."

WILLIAM NELSON, Manager of the Tomoana Freezing Works, and EUGENE BOWEN, Wool-classer, both of Tomoana, Hawke's Bay, New Zealand, have deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Tuesday, the 18th day of October 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 3rd day of October next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

No. 2455. C. J. A. HASELDEN,
Patent Officer.

Application for a Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 2nd August, 1887.

PATENT for an Invention for Greig's Patent Sway Beater Screen.

ALEXANDER GREIG, of Amberley, Canterbury, New Zealand, Builder, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Thursday, the 20th day of October next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at this office, to hear the said application and all objections thereto; and I require all persons having an interest in opposing the grant of such Letters Patent to leave, on or before the 5th day of October next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

No. 2456. C. J. A. HASELDEN,
Patent Officer.

Application for a Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 2nd August, 1887.

PATENT for an Invention for a Combined Collar and Hames, styled "Stevenson's Combined Collar and Hames."

WILLIAM STEVENSON, of Christchurch, New Zealand, Farmer, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Thursday, the 20th day of October next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at this office, to hear the said application and all objections thereto; and I require all persons having an interest in opposing the grant of such Letters Patent to leave, on or before the 5th day of October next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

No. 2457. C. J. A. HASELDEN,
Patent Officer.

Application for a Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 2nd August, 1887.

PATENT for an Invention for the Solway Wire-strainer.

DONALD DONALD, of Solway, Masterton, Wairarapa, New Zealand, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Thursday, the 20th day of October next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at this office, to hear the said application, and all objections thereto; and I require all persons having an interest in opposing the grant of such Letters Patent to leave, on or before the 5th day of October next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

No. 2458. C. J. A. HASELDEN,
Patent Officer.

Application for a Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 3rd August, 1887.

PATENT for an Invention for an Escape from Fire, to be called "Aldis's Patent Eclipse Fire-escape."

ELIJAH ALDIS, of Jervois Road, Ponsonby, Auckland, New Zealand, Artist, has deposited at this office a specification of the said invention; and I have appointed Thursday, the 20th day of October next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at this office, to hear the said application and all objections thereto; and I require all persons having an interest in opposing the grant of such Letters Patent to leave, on or before the 5th day of October next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

No. 2459. C. J. A. HASELDEN,
Patent Officer.

Tenders for Insulator-bolts.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 25th July, 1887.

The Commissioner of Telegraphs is prepared to receive tenders for the supply and delivery of 10,000 insulator-bolts, more or less.

Specifications can be seen at the Telegraph Offices, Dunedin, Christchurch, Wellington, and Auckland.

Tenders must be in not later than the 10th day of August, and addressed to the Superintendent, New Zealand Postal Telegraphs, Wellington.

By order. C. LEMON,
Superintendent.

STATEMENT of the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of New Zealand, within the Colony of New Zealand, during the Quarter ended 27th June, 1887.

| LIABILITIES. | | £ | s. | d. |
|-----------------------------|-------|------------|----|----|
| Notes in circulation | .. .. | 456,773 | 9 | 5 |
| Bills in circulation | .. .. | 18,547 | 4 | 11 |
| Balances due to other Banks | .. .. | 3,734 | 11 | 10 |
| Government deposits | .. .. | 577,595 | 16 | 8 |
| Other deposits— | | | | |
| Not bearing interest | .. .. | 1,470,290 | 1 | 1 |
| Bearing interest | .. .. | 2,865,798 | 6 | 7 |
| Total average liabilities | | £5,392,739 | 10 | 6 |

| ASSETS. | | £ | s. | d. |
|--|-------|------------|----|----|
| Coined gold and silver and other coined metals | .. .. | 576,738 | 19 | 7 |
| Gold and silver in bullion or bars | .. .. | 58,564 | 11 | 1 |
| Notes and bills of other Banks | .. .. | 24,209 | 13 | 4 |
| Balances due from other Banks | .. .. | 1,932 | 18 | 8 |
| Landed property | .. .. | 89,235 | 6 | 7 |
| Amount of all other securities— | | | | |
| 1. Notes and bills discounted | .. .. | 1,496,046 | 5 | 10 |
| 2. Colonial Government securities | .. .. | .. | .. | .. |
| 3. Other funded securities | .. .. | .. | .. | .. |
| 4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of debts abandoned as bad) | .. .. | 6,109,339 | 9 | 0 |
| 5. Securities not included under the above heads | .. .. | 208,449 | 19 | 6 |
| Total average assets | | £8,564,516 | 13 | 7 |

Amount of the capital stock paid up at the close of the quarter ended 27th June, 1887, £1,000,000.

Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders, 12½ per cent. per annum.

Amount of the last dividend declared, £62,500.

Amount of the reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend, £577,094 11s. 3d.

Dated at Wellington, this 15th day of July, 1887.

GEORGE E. TOLHURST, Manager, Wellington.
R. B. RIGG, Accountant.

STATEMENT of the amount of the average Liabilities and Assets of the Union Bank of Australia, Limited, at the Branches in the Colony of New Zealand, during the Quarter ended 30th June, 1887.

| LIABILITIES. | | £ | s. | d. |
|-----------------------------|-------|------------|----|----|
| Notes in circulation | .. .. | 109,198 | 1 | 7 |
| Bills in circulation | .. .. | 11,940 | 18 | 6 |
| Balances due to other Banks | .. .. | 180 | 2 | 3 |
| Government deposits | .. .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Other deposits— | | | | |
| Not bearing interest | .. .. | 524,743 | 2 | 5 |
| Bearing interest | .. .. | 1,548,755 | 6 | 6 |
| Total average liabilities | | £2,194,817 | 11 | 3 |

| ASSETS. | | £ | s. | d. |
|--|-------|------------|----|----|
| Coined gold and silver and other coined metals | .. .. | 463,508 | 5 | 11 |
| Gold and silver in bullion or bars | .. .. | 7,813 | 15 | 8 |
| Notes and bills of other Banks | .. .. | 2,870 | 4 | 7 |
| Balances due from other Banks | .. .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Landed property | .. .. | 115,138 | 1 | 6 |
| Amount of all other securities— | | | | |
| 1. Notes and bills discounted | .. .. | 595,785 | 4 | 8 |
| 2. Colonial Government securities | .. .. | .. | .. | .. |
| 3. Other funded securities | .. .. | .. | .. | .. |
| 4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of debts abandoned as bad) | .. .. | 1,091,853 | 18 | 6 |
| 5. Securities not included under the above heads | .. .. | 46,475 | 18 | 8 |
| Total average assets | | £2,323,445 | 9 | 6 |

Amount of the capital stock paid up at the close of the quarter ended 30th June, 1887, £1,500,000.

Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders, 14 per cent.

Amount of the last dividend declared, £105,000.

Amount of the reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend, £1,102,367 14s.

Dated at Wellington, this 20th day of July, 1887.

JOHN H. KERR, Acting Manager.
W. H. TYLER, Acting Accountant.

STATEMENT of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of New South Wales, in New Zealand, during the Quarter ended 27th June, 1887.

| LIABILITIES. | | £ | s. | d. |
|--|-------|-------------------|-----------|----------|
| Notes in circulation | .. .. | 93,313 | 17 | 9 |
| Bills in circulation | .. .. | 819 | 13 | 5 |
| Balances due to other Banks | .. .. | 3,103 | 2 | 8 |
| Government deposits | .. .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Other deposits— | | | | |
| Not bearing interest | .. .. | 297,617 | 10 | 10 |
| Bearing interest | .. .. | 1,010,919 | 11 | 11 |
| Total average liabilities | | £1,405,767 | 16 | 7 |
| ASSETS. | | £ | s. | d. |
| Coined gold and silver and other coined metals | .. .. | 469,174 | 3 | 3 |
| Gold and silver in bullion or bars | .. .. | 14,427 | 5 | 4 |
| Notes and bills of other Banks | .. .. | 1,261 | 16 | 11 |
| Balances due from other Banks | .. .. | 23,663 | 7 | 4 |
| Landed property | .. .. | 98,479 | 5 | 2 |
| Amount of all other securities— | | | | |
| 1. Notes and bills discounted | .. .. | 240,619 | 7 | 9 |
| 2. Colonial Government securities | .. .. | 2,119 | 4 | 7 |
| 3. Other funded securities | .. .. | .. | .. | .. |
| 4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of debts abandoned as bad) | .. .. | 1,432,249 | 11 | 7 |
| 5. Securities not included under the above heads | .. .. | 49,452 | 19 | 1 |
| Total average assets | | £2,331,446 | 1 | 0 |

Amount of the capital stock paid up at the close of the quarter, £1,240,960.

Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders, 15 per cent. and bonus 2½ per cent. = 17½ per cent.

Amount of last dividend declared, including bonus, £105,980 5s. 6d.

Amount of the reserved profits after declaring such dividend, £872,835.

Dated at Christchurch, this 18th day of July, 1887.

W. G. RHIND, Inspector.
A. C. BENNETT, Inspector's Accountant.

GENERAL ABSTRACT showing the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of Australasia, within the Colony of New Zealand, taken from the several weekly statements during the Quarter, from the 1st April to the 30th June, 1887.

| LIABILITIES. | | £ | s. | d. |
|--|-------|-------------------|----------|----------|
| Notes in circulation | .. .. | 60,129 | 4 | 7 |
| Bills in circulation | .. .. | 5,244 | 9 | 11 |
| Balances due to other Banks | .. .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Government deposits | .. .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Other deposits— | | | | |
| Not bearing interest | .. .. | 261,673 | 18 | 5 |
| Bearing interest | .. .. | 626,989 | 9 | 4 |
| Total average liabilities | | £954,037 | 2 | 3 |
| ASSETS. | | £ | s. | d. |
| Coined gold and silver and other coined metals | .. .. | 195,032 | 1 | 4 |
| Gold and silver in bullion or bars | .. .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Notes and bills of other Banks | .. .. | 2,007 | 4 | 8 |
| Balances due from other Banks | .. .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Landed property | .. .. | 60,108 | 5 | 8 |
| Amount of all other securities— | | | | |
| 1. Notes and bills discounted | .. .. | 463,877 | 16 | 7 |
| 2. Colonial Government securities | .. .. | .. | .. | .. |
| 3. Other funded securities | .. .. | .. | .. | .. |
| 4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of debts abandoned as bad) | .. .. | 316,086 | 15 | 0 |
| 5. Securities not included under the above heads | .. .. | 1,554 | 6 | 5 |
| Total average assets | | £1,538,666 | 9 | 8 |

Amount of the capital stock paid up at this date, £1,600,000.
Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders, 15 per cent. per annum.

Amount of the last dividend declared, £120,000.

Amount of the reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend, £800,000.

Dated at Wellington, this 9th day of July, 1887.

E. W. MORRAH, Inspector.
J. W. PICKERSGILL, pro Accountant.

STATEMENT of the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the Colonial Bank of New Zealand, at all branches, during the Quarter ended 30th June, 1887.

| LIABILITIES. | | £ | s. | d. |
|--|-------|-------------------|-----------|----------|
| Notes in circulation | .. .. | 101,257 | 17 | 1 |
| Bills in circulation | .. .. | 7,890 | 3 | 6 |
| Balances due to other Banks | .. .. | 571 | 10 | 6 |
| Government deposits | .. .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Other deposits— | | | | |
| Not bearing interest | .. .. | 342,793 | 12 | 6 |
| Bearing interest | .. .. | 674,419 | 13 | 7 |
| Total average liabilities | | £1,126,932 | 17 | 2 |
| ASSETS. | | £ | s. | d. |
| Coined gold and silver and other coined metals | .. .. | 239,663 | 10 | 3 |
| Gold and silver in bullion or bars | .. .. | 7,020 | 9 | 3 |
| Notes and bills of other Banks | .. .. | 2,180 | 11 | 3 |
| Balances due from other Banks | .. .. | 47,768 | 13 | 2 |
| Landed property | .. .. | 91,057 | 15 | 7 |
| Amount of all other securities— | | | | |
| 1. Notes and bills discounted | .. .. | 477,297 | 6 | 1 |
| 2. Colonial Government securities | .. .. | .. | .. | .. |
| 3. Other funded securities | .. .. | .. | .. | .. |
| 4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of debts abandoned as bad) | .. .. | 1,127,947 | 5 | 7 |
| 5. Securities not included under the above heads | .. .. | 27,047 | 8 | 4 |
| Total average assets | | £2,019,982 | 19 | 6 |

Amount of the capital stock paid up at the close of the quarter ended 30th June, 1887, £400,000.

Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders, 7 per cent. per annum.

Amount of the last dividend declared, £14,000.

Amount of the reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend, £66,642 7s. 2d.

Dated at Dunedin, this 8th day of July, 1887.

H. MACKENZIE, General Manager.
G. W. GREENWOOD, pro Accountant.

STATEMENT of the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the National Bank of New Zealand, Limited, in the Colony of New Zealand, during the Quarter ended 30th June, 1887.

| LIABILITIES. | | £ | s. | d. |
|--|-------|-------------------|-----------|----------|
| Notes in circulation | .. .. | 100,237 | 4 | 5 |
| Bills in circulation | .. .. | 3,198 | 11 | 2 |
| Balances due to other Banks | .. .. | 12,421 | 0 | 4 |
| Government deposits | .. .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Other deposits— | | | | |
| Not bearing interest | .. .. | 291,832 | 1 | 10 |
| Bearing interest | .. .. | 543,069 | 1 | 9 |
| Total average liabilities | | £950,757 | 19 | 6 |
| ASSETS. | | £ | s. | d. |
| Coined gold and silver and other coined metals | .. .. | 272,518 | 8 | 2 |
| Gold and silver in bullion or bars | .. .. | 16,251 | 9 | 3 |
| Notes and bills of other Banks | .. .. | 2,921 | 13 | 11 |
| Balances due from other Banks | .. .. | 34,320 | 4 | 10 |
| Landed property | .. .. | 84,377 | 14 | 10 |
| Amount of all other securities— | | | | |
| 1. Notes and bills discounted | .. .. | 346,266 | 4 | 11 |
| 2. Colonial Government securities | .. .. | .. | .. | .. |
| 3. Other funded securities | .. .. | .. | .. | .. |
| 4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of debts abandoned as bad) | .. .. | 1,003,325 | 3 | 11 |
| 5. Securities not included under the above heads | .. .. | 11,523 | 11 | 8 |
| Total average assets | | £1,771,504 | 11 | 6 |

Amount of the capital stock paid up at the close of the quarter ended 30th June, 1887, £250,000.

Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders, 5 per cent. per annum.

Amount of the last dividend declared, £6,250.

Amount of the reserved profits at the 31st March, 1886, £8,641 16s. 5d.

Dated at Dunedin, this 30th day of June, 1887.

W. DYMOCK, General Manager

STATEMENT of the LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the under-mentioned BANKS in the Colony of NEW ZEALAND, for the QUARTER ended 30th JUNE, 1887.

LIABILITIES.

| BANKS. | Notes in Circulation. | Bills in Circulation. | Balances due to other Banks. | Deposits. | | | Total Liabilities. |
|---|-----------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|--------------|-----------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| | | | | Government. | Not bearing Interest. | Bearing Interest. | |
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| Bank of New Zealand | 456,773 9 5 | 18,547 4 11 | 3,734 11 10 | 577,595 16 8 | 1,470,290 1 1 | 2,865,798 6 7 | 5,392,739 10 6 |
| Union Bank of Australia, Limited | 109,198 1 7 | 11,940 18 6 | 180 2 3 | .. | 524,743 2 5 | 1,548,755 6 6 | 2,194,817 11 3 |
| Bank of New South Wales.. .. . | 93,313 17 9 | 813 13 5 | 3,103 2 8 | .. | 297,617 10 10 | 1,010,919 11 11 | 1,405,767 16 7 |
| Bank of Australasia | 60,129 4 7 | 5,244 9 11 | .. | .. | 261,673 18 5 | 626,989 9 4 | 954,037 2 3 |
| National Bank of New Zealand, Limited | 100,237 4 5 | 3,198 11 2 | 12,421 0 4 | .. | 291,832 1 10 | 543,069 1 9 | 950,757 19 6 |
| Colonial Bank of New Zealand | 101,257 17 1 | 7,890 3 6 | 571 10 6 | .. | 342,793 12 6 | 674,419 13 7 | 1,126,932 17 2 |
| Totals | 920,909 14 10 | 47,635 1 5 | 20,010 7 7 | 577,595 16 8 | 3,188,950 7 1 | 7,269,951 9 8 | 12,025,052 17 3 |

ASSETS.

| BANKS. | Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metals. | Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars. | Notes and Bills of other Banks. | Balances due from other Banks. | Landed Property. | Notes and Bills Discounted. | Colonial Government Securities. | Other Funded Securities. | Debts due to Bank, exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad. | Securities not included under other Heads. | Total Assets. |
|---|---|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------|---|--|----------------|
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| Bank of New Zealand | 576,738 19 7 | 58,564 11 1 | 24,209 13 4 | 1,932 8 8 | 89,235 6 7 | 1,496,046 5 10 | .. | .. | 6,109,339 9 0 | 208,449 19 6 | 8,564,516 13 7 |
| Union Bank of Australia, Limited | 463,508 5 11 | 7,813 15 8 | 2,870 4 7 | .. | 115,138 1 6 | 595,785 4 8 | .. | .. | 1,091,853 18 6 | 46,475 18 8 | 2,323,445 9 6 |
| Bank of New South Wales | 469,174 3 3 | 14,427 5 4 | 1,261 16 11 | 23,662 7 4 | 98,479 5 2 | 240,619 7 9 | 2,119 4 7 | .. | 1,432,249 11 7 | 49,452 19 1 | 2,331,446 1 0 |
| Bank of Australasia | 195,032 1 4 | .. | 2,007 4 8 | .. | 60,108 5 8 | 463,877 16 7 | .. | .. | 816,086 15 0 | 1,554 6 5 | 1,538,666 9 8 |
| National Bank of New Zealand, Limited | 272,518 8 2 | 16,251 9 3 | 2,921 13 11 | 34,320 4 10 | 84,377 14 10 | 346,266 4 11 | .. | .. | 1,003,325 3 11 | 11,523 11 8 | 1,771,504 11 6 |
| Colonial Bank of New Zealand | 239,663 10 3 | 7,020 9 3 | 2,180 11 3 | 47,768 13 2 | 91,057 15 7 | 477,297 6 1 | .. | .. | 1,127,947 5 7 | 27,047 8 4 | 2,019,982 19 6 |
| Totals | 2,216,635 8 6 | 104,077 10 7 | 35,451 4 8 | 107,633 14 0 | 538,396 9 4 | 3,619,892 5 10 | 2,119 4 7 | .. | 11,580,802 3 7 | 344,504 3 8 | 18,549,562 4 9 |

CAPITAL AND PROFITS.

| BANKS. | Capital paid up | Rate per Annum of Last Dividend. | Amount of Last Dividend declared. | Amount of the Reserve Profits at Time of declaring such Dividend. |
|---|-----------------|---|-----------------------------------|---|
| | £ | | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| Bank of New Zealand | 1,000,000 | Twelve and a half per cent. | 62,500 0 0 | 577,094 11 3 |
| Union Bank of Australia, Limited | 1,500,000 | Fourteen per cent. | 105,000 0 0 | 1,102,367 14 0 |
| Bank of New South Wales | 1,240,960 | Fifteen per cent. and two and a half per cent. bonus=seventeen and a half per cent. | 105,980 5 6 | 872,835 0 0 |
| Bank of Australasia | 1,600,000 | Fifteen per cent. | 120,000 0 0 | 800,000 0 0 |
| National Bank of New Zealand, Limited | 250,000 | Five per cent. | 6,250 0 0 | 8,641 16 5 |
| Colonial Bank of New Zealand | 400,000 | Seven per cent. | 14,000 0 0 | 66,642 7 2 |

Treasury, Wellington, 2nd August, 1887.

JAMES C. GAVIN, Secretary to the Treasury.

Goldfields Notices.

Agricultural Lease cancelled.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 28th July, 1887.

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to pronounce the under-mentioned agricultural 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. 1618c. Francis Tubman; Section 10, Block XIII., 319 acres 1 rood 11 perches, Bengier, Otago Mining District.

P. A. BUCKLEY,
(For the Minister of Mines.)

Agricultural Lease cancelled.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 28th July, 1887.

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to pronounce the under-mentioned agricultural 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. 1616c. Edward Tubman; Section 2, Block XIII., 310 acres 2 roods 28 perches, Bengier, Otago Mining District.

P. A. BUCKLEY,
(For the Minister of Mines.)

Gold-mining Lease cancelled.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 28th July, 1887.

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

No. 865c. John Aspinall; Section 75, Block XI., 1 acre, Skipper's Creek, Otago Mining District.

P. A. BUCKLEY,
(For the Minister of Mines.)

Gold-mining Leases cancelled.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 26th July, 1887.

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

No. 1. William Price; Block II., 16 acres 2 roods, Davie Survey District.

No. 7. Moa Creek Gold-mining Company; 16 acres 2 roods, Mathias Survey District.

No. 13. William Henry Spackman; 16 acres 2 roods, Mathias Survey District.

No. 4. Duncan Campbell Macdonald; 16 acres 2 roods, Mathias Survey District.

All in the Canterbury District.

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

Crown Lands Notices.

Crown Lands for Sale, Wellington Land District.

Crown Lands Office,
Wellington, 27th July, 1887.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of "The Land Act, 1885," that the lands enumerated hereunder will be submitted to public auction, for cash, at this office, on Wednesday, the 7th September, 1887, at the upset price per acre stated in the Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

| Section. | Block. | Survey District. | Area. | Upset Price per Acre. |
|----------|--------|------------------|----------|-----------------------|
| | | | A. R. P. | £ s. d. |
| 537 | VIII. | Waiohine .. | 220 2 0 | 1 0 0 |
| 538 | " | " .. | 299 3 17 | 1 0 0 |

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

Notice of Intention to cancel the License of a Deferred-payment Selector in the Wellington Land District.

Crown Lands Office,
Wellington, 29th July, 1887.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Land Board has resolved to cancel the license to occupy the under-mentioned section unless the arrears of payments are paid to the Receiver of Land Revenue, Wellington, on or before the 13th September next.

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

SCHEDULE.

| Section. | Block. | District. | Payments in Arrear. | Selector's Name. |
|----------|--------|-----------|---------------------|-------------------|
| 47 | X. | Mangaone | £ s. d. 25 4 6 | William Lidstone. |

Pastoral Lands for Lease, Westland Land District.

Crown Lands Office,
Hokitika, 21st July, 1887.

NOTICE is hereby given that the leases of the under-mentioned runs, which have been submitted to auction and not sold, will be open for sale on application at the upset annual rentals, on and after the 1st September, 1887.

SCHEDULE.

| No. of Run. | a. | Upset Annual Rental. | Locality. | For the Term expiring 1st March. |
|-------------|--------|----------------------|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| | Acres. | £ s. d. | | Year. |
| 80 | 6,000 | 6 0 0 | Mount Argentine Range .. | 1898 |
| 57 | 7,500 | 7 10 0 | Mariner's Peak Range .. | 1898 |
| 64 | 15,000 | 15 0 0 | Blue River South and Waka-pohai River | 1894 |
| 21 | 13,500 | 13 10 0 | Waita River and Ship Creek | 1895 |
| 53 | 13,000 | 13 0 0 | Okuru Matakotaki 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 |

Plans and further particulars on application at Land Office, Hokitika.

GERHARD MUELLER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Sale of Leaseholds, Grey Coal Reserve.

Crown Lands Office,
Hokitika, 25th July, 1887.

NOTICE is hereby given that the leaseholds of the sections of land situated in the Grey Coal Reserve, No. 274, and described in the Schedules A, B, and C, given below, will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Railway Goods-station, Brunner, on Tuesday, the 30th August, at 2 p.m., subject to the rents and conditions hereunder set out.

Maps of the sections may be seen at the District Land Office, Hokitika; the Public Works Office, Greymouth; and the Railway-station, Brunner.

Term of leaseholds enumerated on Schedules A, B, and C, fourteen years. Right of re-entry reserved to Government, for coal-mining purposes only, at any time during the currency of the lease, or at the termination thereof, by paying compensation for improvements not exceeding £200.

At the same time and place the leasehold for coal-mining purposes of Section No. 734 (see Schedule D), within Grey Coal Reserve, east of and adjoining the Wallend Coal Company's lease, will be offered for sale at public auction, subject to rents and conditions as under:—

Term of leasehold, twenty-one years. First three years' rent, £20 per annum; next four years' rent, £100 per annum; next seven years' rent, £200 per annum; next seven years' rent, 250 per annum. Royalty, 6d. per ton on all coal raised; rent to merge in royalty.

Output for the first two years, nil; for the next five years, not less than 4,000 tons per annum; for the next seven years, not less than 8,000 tons per annum; and for the remainder of term, not less than 10,000 tons per annum.

In addition to those stated above, the leases will contain the ordinary conditions of leases of that description, full particulars of which will be given at sale.

Conditions of Sale: The highest bidder (for rental or bonus, as the case may be) to be the purchaser. The purchase-money in the case of Dobson Town sections, one year's rental, lease-fee, and value of improvements (if any), and in the case of the Wallsend and Dobson Suburban sections and the coal-mining lease, Section No. 734, one year's rental, lease-fee, the full amount of bonus (if any), and value for improvements (if any), to be paid on the fall of the hammer. In cases where the person entitled to valuation for improvements purchases, payment for rental, bonus, and lease-fee only will be required. If any dispute occurs as to who is entitled for improvements, the question will be decided by the Land Board; and, if any dispute arises as to any bidding, the auctioneer may put the lot up again.

SCHEDULE A.

DOBSON TOWN SECTIONS.—LEASEHOLDS.

| Section. | Area. | Upset Annual Rental. | Section. | Area. | Upset Annual Rental. |
|----------|----------|----------------------|----------|----------|----------------------|
| 136* | A. R. P. | £ s. d. | 200* | A. R. P. | £ s. d. |
| 137* | 0 1 2 | 1 5 0 | 201 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 |
| 138 | 0 0 32 | 1 5 0 | 202 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 |
| 140 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 203 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 |
| 141 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 204 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 |
| 142 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 205 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 |
| 143 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 206 | 0 1 2 | 1 5 0 |
| 144 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 207 | 0 0 39 | 1 5 0 |
| 145 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 208 | 0 0 36 | 1 5 0 |
| 146 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 209 | 0 0 33 | 1 5 0 |
| 147 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 210 | 0 0 31 | 1 5 0 |
| 148 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 211 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 |
| 149 | 0 1 2 | 1 5 0 | 212 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 |
| 150 | 0 0 39 | 1 5 0 | 213 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 |
| 151 | 0 0 36 | 1 5 0 | 214 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 |
| 152 | 0 0 32 | 1 5 0 | 215 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 |
| 153 | 0 0 29 | 1 5 0 | 216 | 0 0 27 | 1 5 0 |
| 154 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 217 | 0 1 4 | 1 5 0 |
| 155 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 218 | 0 1 6 | 1 5 0 |
| 156 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 219 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 |
| 157 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 220 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 |
| 158 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 221 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 |
| 159 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 222 | 0 0 38 | 1 5 0 |
| 160 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 223 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 |
| 161 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 224 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 |
| 162 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 225 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 |
| 163 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 226 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 |
| 164 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 227 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 |
| 165 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 228 | 0 0 37 | 1 5 0 |
| 166 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 229 | 0 0 34 | 1 5 0 |
| 167 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 230 | 0 0 30 | 1 5 0 |
| 168 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 231 | 0 0 26 | 1 5 0 |
| 169 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 232 | 0 0 27 | 1 5 0 |
| 170 | 0 1 8 | 1 5 0 | 233 | 0 0 27 | 1 5 0 |
| 171 | 0 0 36 | 1 5 0 | 236 | 0 0 39 | 1 5 0 |
| 172 | 0 0 33 | 1 5 0 | 237 | 0 0 19 | 1 5 0 |
| 173 | 0 0 29 | 1 5 0 | 238 | 0 0 26 | 1 5 0 |
| 174 | 0 1 2 | 1 5 0 | 239 | 0 1 3 | 1 5 0 |
| 175 | 0 0 39 | 1 5 0 | 240 | 0 1 1 | 1 5 0 |
| 176 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 241 | 0 1 6 | 1 5 0 |
| 177 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 242 | 0 1 1 | 1 5 0 |
| 178 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 243 | 0 1 1 | 1 5 0 |
| 179 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 244 | 0 1 1 | 1 5 0 |
| 180 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 245 | 0 1 1 | 1 5 0 |
| 181 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 246 | 0 1 1 | 1 5 0 |
| 182 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 247 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 |
| 183 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 248 | 0 0 26 | 1 5 0 |
| 184 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 249 | 0 1 4 | 1 5 0 |
| 185 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 250 | 0 1 4 | 1 5 0 |
| 186 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 251 | 0 1 4 | 1 5 0 |
| 187 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 252 | 0 1 4 | 1 5 0 |
| 188 | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 253 | 0 1 3 | 1 5 0 |
| 189 | 0 1 8 | 1 5 0 | 254 | 0 1 14 | 1 5 0 |
| 190* | 0 0 30 | 1 5 0 | 255 | 0 1 10 | 1 5 0 |
| 191* | 0 0 27 | 1 5 0 | 256 | 0 1 4 | 1 5 0 |
| 192 | 0 0 24 | 1 5 0 | 257 | 0 1 4 | 1 5 0 |
| 193 | 0 0 37 | 1 5 0 | 258 | 0 1 4 | 1 5 0 |
| 194* | 0 0 34 | 1 5 0 | 259 | 0 1 4 | 1 5 0 |
| 195* | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 260 | 0 1 4 | 1 5 0 |
| 196* | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 261 | 0 1 4 | 1 5 0 |
| 197* | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 262 | 0 1 4 | 1 5 0 |
| 198* | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 263 | 0 1 4 | 1 5 0 |
| 199* | 0 1 0 | 1 5 0 | 264 | 0 1 4 | 1 5 0 |

* Improvements: Sections Nos. 136, £130; 137, £25; 190, £200; 191, £40; 194, £9; 195, £18; 196, £3; 197, £3; 198, £3; 199, £3; 200, £9.

SCHEDULE B.

WALLSEND AND BRUNNERTON TOWNSHIPS.—RESIDENTIAL ALLOTMENTS.—LEASEHOLDS.

| Section. | Area. | Fixed Annual Rental. | Section. | Area. | Fixed Annual Rental. |
|--------------------|----------|----------------------|--------------------------|----------|----------------------|
| WALLSEND TOWNSHIP. | | | WALLSEND TOWNSHIP—contd. | | |
| 13 | A. R. P. | £ s. d. | 18 | A. R. P. | £ s. d. |
| 14 | 0 2 0 | 2 10 0 | 19 | 0 2 8 | 2 10 0 |
| 15 | 0 1 34 | 2 10 0 | 28* | 0 1 5 | 1 5 0 |
| 16 | 0 1 29 | 2 10 0 | BRUNNERTON TOWNSHIP. | | |
| 17 | 0 2 0 | 2 10 0 | 29* | 0 0 5 | 1 5 0 |
| | 0 2 8 | 2 10 0 | | 0 0 14 | 1 5 0 |

* Improvements: Sections Nos. 28, £30; 29, £30.

SCHEDULE C.

DOBSON SUBURBAN SECTIONS.—LEASEHOLDS.

| Section. | Area. | Fixed Annual Rental. | Section. | Area. | Fixed Annual Rental. |
|----------|----------|----------------------|----------|----------|----------------------|
| 1 | A. R. P. | £ s. d. | 30 | A. R. P. | £ s. d. |
| 2 | 1 1 38 | 1 0 0 | 31 | 2 0 0 | 1 0 0 |
| 3 | 2 0 0 | 1 0 0 | 32 | 2 0 0 | 1 0 0 |
| 4 | 2 0 0 | 1 0 0 | 33 | 2 0 0 | 1 0 0 |
| 5 | 2 0 0 | 1 0 0 | 34 | 1 1 14 | 1 0 0 |
| 6 | 2 0 0 | 1 0 0 | 35 | 1 2 1 | 1 0 0 |
| 7 | 2 0 0 | 1 0 0 | 36 | 1 3 10 | 1 0 0 |
| 8* | 2 0 0 | 1 0 0 | 37 | 1 3 13 | 1 0 0 |
| 9* | 2 0 6 | 1 10 0 | 38 | 1 3 16 | 1 0 0 |
| 10* | 2 0 0 | 1 0 0 | 39 | 1 3 27 | 1 0 0 |
| 11 | 2 0 0 | 1 0 0 | 40 | 1 3 34 | 1 0 0 |
| 12 | 2 0 0 | 1 0 0 | 41 | 2 0 0 | 1 0 0 |
| 13 | 2 0 0 | 1 0 0 | 42 | 1 3 15 | 1 0 0 |
| 14 | 2 0 0 | 1 0 0 | 43 | 2 0 26 | 1 10 0 |
| 15 | 0 1 23 | 0 10 0 | 44 | 2 0 22 | 1 10 0 |
| 16 | 0 3 9 | 0 10 0 | 45 | 2 2 20 | 1 10 0 |
| 17 | 1 2 27 | 1 0 0 | 46 | 2 0 12 | 1 10 0 |
| 18 | 2 1 3 | 1 10 0 | 47 | 1 3 34 | 1 0 0 |
| 19 | 1 2 16 | 1 0 0 | 48 | 1 3 16 | 1 0 0 |
| 20 | 1 1 16 | 1 0 0 | 49 | 1 2 34 | 1 0 0 |
| 21 | 1 1 38 | 1 0 0 | 50 | 1 2 27 | 1 0 0 |
| 22 | 1 1 8 | 1 0 0 | 51 | 1 3 32 | 1 0 0 |
| 23 | 1 1 20 | 1 0 0 | 52 | 4 3 39 | 2 10 0 |
| 24 | 1 3 5 | 1 0 0 | 53 | 5 0 0 | 2 10 0 |
| 25 | 2 0 0 | 1 0 0 | 54 | 2 0 0 | 1 0 0 |
| 26 | 2 0 0 | 1 0 0 | 55* | 2 0 12 | 1 10 0 |
| 27 | 2 0 0 | 1 0 0 | 56* | 2 0 0 | 1 0 0 |
| 28 | 2 0 0 | 1 0 0 | 57 | 2 0 0 | 1 0 0 |
| 29 | 2 0 0 | 1 0 0 | 58* | 2 0 0 | 1 0 0 |

* Improvements: Sections Nos. 8, £4; 9, £34; 10, £44; 55, £4; 56, £4; 58, £4.

SCHEDULE D.

ARNOLD SURVEY DISTRICT.—COAL-MINING LEASE.

| Section. | Block. | Area. |
|----------|------------|---------------------|
| 734 | X. and XI. | A. R. P. 640 0 0 |

GERHARD MUELLER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Otago Land District.

Crown Lands Office,
Dunedin, 9th July, 1887.

LAND under Perpetual Lease.—Tenders must be lodged on Tuesday, the 9th August, to be opened at a meeting of the Land Board to be held on Wednesday, the 10th.

Districts.

Blackstone: Sections 4, 8, 9, 12, 13, 14, 17, and 19, Block XIII., from 28 to 175 acres; upset rental, 1s. per acre.
Chatton: Section 3, Block XIII., 97 acres; upset rental, 1s. per acre; improvements, £79 13s. Section 19, Block XIV., 92 acres, at 1s. 6d.; improvements, £124 10s. Section 45, Block XIV., 112 acres, at 1s. 3d.; improvements, £212 5s. Section 46, Block XIV., 95 acres, at 1s.; improvements, £165 10s.

Catlin's: Section 3, Block III., 314 acres; upset rental, 1s. per acre.

Greenvale: Section 9, Block XI., 320 acres; upset rental, 1s. 3d. per acre; improvements, £350 10s. Section 10, Block XI., 320 acres, at 1s. 3d.; improvements, £206 9s. Section 4, Block XVII., 110 acres, at 1s. per acre.

Glencamaru: Section 12, Block V., about 60 acres (unsurveyed); upset rental, 1s. per acre.

Lauder: Section 49, Block III., 281 acres; upset rental, 1s. per acre; improvements, £235 10s. Section 7, Block V., 295 acres, at 1s.; improvements, £265 10s. Section 8, Block V., 295 acres, at 1s.; improvements, £236 15s.

Lower Hawea: Sections 4, 7, 9 to 12, 15, 16, 24, and 24A, Block IV., from 51 to 154 acres; 1s. per acre.

Lower Wanaka: Section 6, Block VI., 51 acres; upset rental, 1s. per acre.

Maniototo: Sections 11 and 12, Block XIV., 320 acres each; upset rental, 1s. per acre; improvements, £473 8s.

Rock and Pillar: Section 36, Block VII., 189 acres; upset rental, 1s. per acre. Section 37, Block VII., 80 acres, at 1s. Section 8, Block X., 200 acres, at 1s.; improvements, £300 3s. Section 3, Block XI., 199 acres, at 1s.; improvements, £103 1s.

Straith-Taieri: Section 9, Block V., 214 acres; upset rental, 3s. 9d. per acre; improvements, £458 11s. 8d.

Sutton: Section 2, Block XIII., 118 acres; upset rental, 2s. 6d. per acre; improvements, £338 19s.

Tiger Hill: Section 31, Block II., 158, acres; upset rental, 1s. per acre. Section 1A, Block XII., 134 acres, at 1s.

Upper Taieri: Section 15, Block II., 269 acres; upset rental, 1s. per acre.

Upper Wakatipu: Sections 27 to 31 and 36, Block I., from 48 to 55 acres; upset rental, 1s. per acre.

Wendon: Section 6, Block VIII., 276 acres; upset rental, 1s. per acre; improvements, £159. Section 7, Block VIII., 320 acres, at 1s. per acre; improvements, £311. Section 11, Block VIII., 320 acres, at 1s. 3d. per acre; improvements, £156. Section 3, Block IX., 319 acres, at 1s. per acre; improvements, £367 18s. Section 2, Block IX., 319 acres, at 1s. per acre; improvements, £143 10s. Section 10, Block IX., 285 acres, at 1s. per acre; improvements, £250 10s. Section 13, Block IX., 265 acres, at 1s. per acre; improvements, £487 19s. Section 20, Block IX., 318 acres, at 1s. per acre; improvements, £142 8s. Section 9, Block X., 319 acres, at 1s. 6d. per acre; improvements, £229 10s.

Wendonside: Section 1, Block I., 317 acres; upset rental, 1s. per acre; improvements, £110.

Woodland: Section 10, Block I., about 150 acres (unsurveyed); upset rental, 1s. per acre.

Most of the above allotments are reopened at reduced upset rentals.

Valuations for improvements payable within seven days after tender accepted.

Forms of tender and declaration, with conditions of occupation, can be had at the Crown Lands Office, Dunedin.

J. P. MAITLAND,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

Crown Lands Office,
Christchurch, 14th July, 1887.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned sections are open for lease for a term of thirty years, with the right of renewal for further terms of twenty-one years, and that applications will be received on Monday, the 15th August, for the said leases, at the Land Office, Christchurch, and also by Mr. March, at the Courthouse, Ashburton, on Thursday, the 11th August, 1887. The applications received by Mr. March will bear the same date as those received at the Land Office, Christchurch:—

VILLAGE HOMESTEAD SPECIAL SETTLEMENT, MAYFIELD NORTH.

Section 35775: 40 acres 1 rood 34 perches. Annual rental, £2 10s.

Section 35780: 49 acres 3 roods 32 perches. Annual rental, £3 2s. 6d.

Sections 35776 to 35779, and 35781 to 35789: Each 50 acres. Annual rental, £3 2s. 6d. each.

The only charge for the lease will be a fee of 10s. No selector shall take up more than one allotment.

Plans may be seen at the Land Office, Christchurch, where also copies of the Village Homestead Special-settlement Regulations may be obtained.

JOHN H. BAKER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land District of Hawke's Bay.

Crown Lands Office,
Napier, 21st July, 1887.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned Crown lands will be submitted to public auction for CASH at the Crown Lands Office, Napier, on Thursday, the 18th August next, at noon:—

| District. | Block. | Section. | Area. | Upset Price |
|------------|--------|----------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Wakarara.. | XIV. | 184 | A. R. P. 50 0 0 | £ s. d. 37 10 0 |
| Tarawera | .. | 13 | 1 3 17 | 15 0 0 |
| Suburban | | | | |

Terms of Sale: One-fourth of purchase-money to be paid at time of sale, and the balance within two months thereafter, otherwise the part of the purchase-money paid by way of deposit shall be forfeited, and the contract for the sale of the land shall thenceforward be null and void. Crown-grant fees to be paid on completion of purchase.

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

G. W. WILLIAMS,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Native Land Court Notice.

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

Native Land Court Office,
Whanganui, 30th July, 1887.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a sitting of this Court to be held at Hawera, in the District of Whanganui, on the 5th day of September 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 districts named in the third column.

ELWIN B. DICKSON,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

| No. | Names of the Persons applying for the Subdivision of Land. | Names of the Block to be subdivided. | District in which the Land is situate. |
|-----|--|--|--|
| 1 | Ruawhiti, Matiu Wharematangi, Ani Heta, C. W. Hursthouse (as agent on behalf of Karo te Rapo, deceased), and of Harihona Tuhana (deceased) | Section 43, Block XIV., and Section 40, Block XV. Section 14, Block II. | Kaupokonui. Waimate. |

Land Transfer Act Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1885," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 4th day of September, 1887.

1379. CHARLES HART ASHFORTH.—Lot 912 of subdivision of Section 40, Town of Wanganui. Now or late in the occupation of W. S. Fleetwood.

1496. WILLIAM GEORGE CRAWFORD.—Parts of Section 207, City of Wellington (Farish Street and Customs Street). In occupation of Applicant.

1793. PATRICK ALPHONSUS BUCKLEY.—Section 858, City of Wellington. Unoccupied.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.
Dated this 3rd day of August, 1887, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

GEO. B. DAVY,
District Land Registrar.

PARTICULARS of the Estates of Deceased Persons which have been placed under the Charge of the PUBLIC TRUSTEE for Management during the Month of July, 1887.

| No. | Name of Deceased. | Colonial Residence. | Supposed British or Foreign Residence. | Date of Rule or Order. | Value or Estimated Value of Personal Estate. | Time of Deceased's Death. | Remarks. |
|-----|---|---------------------|--|------------------------|--|---------------------------|--------------|
| 1 | Adams, William .. | Dunedin .. | .. .. | .. | Under £2 .. | Dec. 8, 1886 | |
| 2 | Brown, William .. | Heriot .. | .. .. | July 8, 1887 | " £250.. | May 19, 1887 | |
| 3 | Colville, Eliza .. | Dunedin .. | .. .. | .. | " £50 .. | June 22, 1887 | |
| 4 | Cook, Walter Alfred | Auckland .. | .. .. | July 26, 1887 | " £450.. | Feb. 20, 1882 | |
| 5 | Duggan, Patrick .. | Winton .. | .. .. | July 8, 1887 | " £100.. | Dec. 12, 1886 | Will annexed |
| 6 | Dunn, Patrick .. | Westport .. | Ireland .. | .. | " £5 .. | Apr. 19, 1887 | |
| 7 | Felgentreter, <i>alias</i> Valiuntrator, C. L. F. | Wellington .. | .. .. | .. | " £30 .. | June 25, 1887 | |
| 8 | Harvey, William .. | Wellington .. | Essex .. | .. | " £10 .. | July 9, 1887 | |
| 9 | Jessop, Richard .. | Auckland .. | .. .. | July 2, 1887 | " £2,000 | May 23, 1887 | Will annexed |
| 10 | King, Charles .. | Marton .. | .. .. | July 8, 1887 | " £400.. | May 18, 1887 | |
| 11 | Kerr, John Black .. | Kingston .. | .. .. | .. | " £500.. | Mar. 13, 1887 | |
| 12 | Leahy, Thomas .. | Westport .. | Ireland .. | .. | " £5 .. | Apr. 19, 1887 | |
| 13 | Moules, Henry .. | Timaru .. | London .. | .. | " £10 .. | July 11, 1887 | |
| 14 | McDowell, David .. | Dunedin .. | .. .. | .. | " £3 .. | Nov. 16, 1886 | |
| 15 | McKenzie, Duncan | Greymouth .. | .. .. | July 12, 1887 | " £250.. | Apr. 18, 1887 | |
| 16 | Nicholl, John .. | Waikanae .. | .. .. | .. | " £1 .. | Dec. 28, 1886 | |
| 17 | Oswald, Sarah Eliza- beth | Christchurch | .. .. | .. | " £25 .. | May 9, 1887 | |
| 18 | Petersen, Charles .. | Dunedin .. | .. .. | .. | " £2 .. | Apr. 3, 1887 | |
| 19 | Ravenshall, Edward | Dunedin .. | .. .. | .. | " £2 .. | Mar. 12, 1887 | |
| 20 | Richardson, Wil- liam S. | Whangarei .. | London .. | .. | " £5 .. | May 15, 1887 | |
| 21 | Reynolds, Thomas | Dunedin .. | .. .. | .. | " £2 .. | Oct. 27, 1886 | |
| 22 | Sanderson, John .. | Moonlight .. | Dumfriesshire .. | .. | " £25 .. | July 4, 1887 | |
| 23 | Sherburd, William | Stewart Island | .. .. | .. | " £70 .. | Feb. 28, 1887 | |
| 24 | Slattery, Mary .. | Cromwell .. | London .. | .. | " £16 .. | June 21, 1887 | |
| 25 | Woodburn, John .. | Napier .. | .. .. | .. | " £5 .. | July 21, 1887 | |

R. C. HAMERTON,
Public Trustee.

Dated at Wellington, this 3rd day of August, 1887.

Land Transfer Act Notices.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land herein-
after described will be brought under the provisions
of "The Land Transfer Act, 1885," unless caveat
forbidding the same be lodged at this office within one
calendar month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this
notice.

Applicant: WILLIAM O'GRADY, of Patea, Coachbuilder.
Area: 2 roods. Description: Sections 5 and 9, Block VII.,
Town of Patea. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 1st day of August, 1887, at the Lands Registry
Office, New Plymouth.

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W. STUART,
District Land Registrar.

WHEREAS a declaration has been lodged with me of
the loss of the certificate of title, dated the 28th
November, 1886, Register-book, Vol. xxx., folio 247, for
Section 11, Block XVI., Town of Campbelltown: I hereby
give notice that I intend to issue a provisional certificate of
title to WILLIAM DANIEL, the registered Proprietor,
unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within fourteen
days from the date of the gazetting of this notice.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, at Invercargill, this
23rd day of July, 1887.

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F. G. MORGAN,
District Land Registrar.

Mining Notices.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The Lone Star Gold-mining Company
(Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: 19th October, 1886;
15th November, 1886.

Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager:
Reefton; Patrick Brennan.

Nominal capital: £24,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £800.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £735 0s. 2d.

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

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

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 24,000.

Number of shares allotted: 24,000.

Amount paid up per share: 7½d.

Amount called up per share: 8d.

Number and amount of calls in arrear: 1; £74 19s. 10d.

Number of shares forfeited: Nil.

Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for
same: Nil.

Number of shareholders at time of registration of com-
pany: 48.

Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.

Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.

Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.

Amount of cash at bankers: £34 1s. 2d.

Amount of cash in hand: Nil.

Amount of debts directly due to the company: £74 19s. 10d.

Amount of debts considered good: £74 19s. 10d.

Amount of contingent liabilities of the company: £67
13s. 4d.

I, Patrick Brennan, of Reefton, the Manager of the
Lone Star Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly
and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete state-
ment of the affairs of the said company at the present date;
and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously be-
lieving the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices
of the Peace Act, 1882."

PATRICK BRENNAN,
Manager.

Declared at Reefton, this 13th day of July, 1887, before
me—John B. Beeche, J.P. 522

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The Lord Edward Gold-mining Company
(Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: 13th October, 1883;
3rd November, 1883.

Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager:
Reefton; Patrick Brennan.

Nominal capital: £24,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £350.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £296 10s. 10d.

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

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

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 24,000.

Number of shares allotted: 24,000.
 Amount paid up per share: 3d.
 Amount called up per share: 3½d.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: 1; £53 9s. 2d.
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 13.
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash at bankers: £30 13s. 3d.
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
 Amount of debts directly due to the company: £53 9s. 2d.
 Amount of debts considered good: £53 9s. 2d.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of the company: £73 19s. 6d.

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

PATRICK BRENNAN,
 Manager.

Declared at Reefton, this 12th day of July, 1887, before me—John B. Beeche, J.P. 523

S STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The Progress Gold-mining Company (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration: 30th October, 1886; 26th November, 1886.
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Reefton; Patrick Brennan.
 Nominal capital: £12,000.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £600.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £600.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same: Nil.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 24,000.
 Number of shares allotted: 24,000.
 Amount paid up per share: 6d.
 Amount called up per share: 6d.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 41.
 Total amount of dividends declared: £2,400.
 Total amount of dividends paid: £2,400.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash at bankers: Nil.
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
 Amount of debts directly due to the company: Nil.
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of the company: £524 8s. 9d.

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

PATRICK BRENNAN,
 Manager.

Declared at Reefton, this 13th day of July, 1887, before me—John B. Beeche, J.P. 524

S STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The Phoenix Extended Gold-mining Company (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration: 15th March, 1879; 7th November, 1879.
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Reefton; Patrick Brennan.
 Nominal capital: £16,000.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £5,800.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £5,632 16s. 3d.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same: Nil.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 16,000.
 Number of shares allotted: 16,000.
 Amount paid up per share: 7s. 1d.
 Amount called up per share: 7s. 3d.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: 2; £167 3s. 9d.
 Number of shares forfeited: 465.
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 15.
 Total amount of dividends declared: £1,200.
 Total amount of dividends paid: £1,200.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash at bankers: Nil.
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
 Amount of debts directly due to the company: £167 3s. 9d.
 Amount of debts considered good: £167 3s. 9d.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of the company: £121 19s. 9d.

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

PATRICK BRENNAN,
 Manager.

Declared at Reefton, this 12th day of July, 1887, before me—John B. Beeche, J.P. 520

S STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The Hopeful Extended Gold-mining Company (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration: 26th April, 1882; 12th June, 1882.
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Reefton; Patrick Brennan.
 Nominal capital: £24,750.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £2,012 8s. 6d.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £2,012 8s. 6d.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same: Nil.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 24,750.
 Number of shares allotted: 24,750.
 Amount paid up per share: 1s. 7½d.
 Amount called up per share: 1s. 7½d.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 41.
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash at bankers: £146 16s. 11d.
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
 Amount of debts directly due to the company: Nil.
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of the company: Nil.

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

PATRICK BRENNAN,
 Manager.

Declared at Reefton, this 12th day of July, 1887, before me—John B. Beeche, J.P. 518

S STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The Big River Extended Gold-mining Company (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration: 29th December, 1881; 21st January, 1882.
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Reefton; Patrick Brennan.
 Nominal capital: £24,000.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £6,600.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £6,588 12s.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same: Nil.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 24,000.
 Number of shares allotted: 24,000.
 Amount paid up per share: 5s. 6d.
 Amount called up per share: 5s. 6d.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: £11 8s.
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 33.
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash at bankers: Nil.
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
 Amount of debts directly due to the company: £11 8s.
 Amount of debts considered good: £11 8s.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of the company: £1,114 14s. 10d.

I, Patrick Brennan, of Reefton, the Manager of the Big River Extended Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company at the present date; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

PATRICK BRENNAN,
 Manager.

Declared at Reefton, this 12th day of July, 1887, before me—John B. Beeche, J.P. 517

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The Welcome Gold-mining Company (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration: 24th April, 1875; 20th August, 1875.
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Reefton; Patrick Brennan.
 Nominal capital: £15,000.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £3,750.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £3,750.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same: Nil.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 15,000.
 Number of shares allotted: 15,000.
 Amount paid up per share: 5s.
 Amount called up per share: 5s.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 15.
 Total amount of dividends declared: £110,250.
 Total amount of dividends paid: £110,250.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash at bankers: Nil.
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
 Amount of debts directly due to the company: Nil.
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of the company: £1,899 12s. 8d.

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

PATRICK BRENNAN,
 Manager.

Declared at Reefton, this 12th day of July, 1887, before me—John B. Beeche, J.P. 525

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The Lyell Creek Extended Quartz-mining Company (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration: 22nd February, 1881; 25th May, 1881.
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Reefton; Patrick Brennan.

Nominal capital: £24,000.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £6,200.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £6,089 7s. 11d.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same: Nil.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 48,000.
 Number of shares allotted: 48,000.
 Amount paid up per share: 2s. 6½d.
 Amount called up per share: 2s. 7d.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: 2; £110 12s. 1d.
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 72.
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash at bankers: Nil.
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
 Amount of debts directly due to the company: £110 12s. 1d.
 Amount of debts considered good: £110 12s. 1d.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of the company: £191 12s. 5d.

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

PATRICK BRENNAN,
 Manager.

Declared at Reefton, this 12th day of July, 1887, before me—John B. Beeche, J.P. 519

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The Specimen Hill United Gold-mining Company (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration: June, 1884; 10th June, 1884.
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Reefton; Patrick Brennan.
 Nominal capital: £20,000.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £6,166 13s. 4d.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £6,038 12s. 11d.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same: Nil.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 20,000.
 Number of shares allotted: 20,000.
 Amount paid up per share: 6s.
 Amount called up per share: 6s. 2d.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: 1; £128 0s. 5d.
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 73.
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash at bankers: Nil.
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
 Amount of debts directly due to the company: £282 2s.
 Amount of debts considered good: £282 2s.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of the company: £741 6s. 11d.

I, Patrick Brennan, of Reefton, the Manager of the Specimen Hill United Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company at the present date; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

PATRICK BRENNAN,
 Manager.

Declared at Reefton, this 12th day of July, 1887, before me—John B. Beeche, J.P. 521

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The Red Queen Quartz-mining Company (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration: 9th October, 1882; 4th November, 1882.

Whether in active operation or not: Not in active operation.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager:
 Palmerston Street, Westport; Zoffany Claude Horne.
 Nominal capital: £48,000.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £29,700.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £5,284 7s. 5d.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of
 cash received for same: Nil.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no
 cash has been paid: Nil.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 48,000.
 Number of shares allotted: 48,000.
 Amount paid up per share: 12s. 4½d.
 Amount called up per share: 2s. 4½d.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: £515 12s. 7d.
 Number of shares forfeited: 6,180.
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for
 same: Nil.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of com-
 pany: 16.
 Total amount of dividends declared: £2,400.
 Total amount of dividends paid: £2,400.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash at bankers: Nil.
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
 Amount of debts directly due to the company: Nil.
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of the company: Nil.

I, Zoffany Claude Horne, of Westport, the Manager of the
 Red Queen Quartz-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly
 and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete state-
 ment of the affairs of the said company on the 30th June,
 1887; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously
 believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices
 of the Peace Act, 1882."

ZOFFANY C. HORNE,
 Manager.

Declared at Westport, this 27th day of July, 1887, before
 me—J. Powell, J.P. 505

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The Mokihinui Gold-mining Company
 (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration: 12th December,
 1882; 20th May, 1883.
 Whether in active operation or not: Not in active operation.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager:
 Palmerston Street, Westport; Zoffany Claude Horne.
 Nominal capital: £24,000.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £2,650.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £2,474 12s. 5d.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount
 of cash received for same: Nil.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no
 cash has been paid: Nil.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 24,000
 Number of shares allotted: 24,000.
 Amount paid up per share: 2s. 2½d.
 Amount called up per share: 2s. 2½d.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: £175 7s. 7d.
 Number of shares forfeited: 2,714.
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for
 same: Nil.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of com-
 pany: 20.
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash at bankers: Nil.
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
 Amount of debts directly due to the company: Nil.
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of the company: Nil.

I, Zoffany Claude Horne, of Westport, the Manager of
 the Mokihinui Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly
 and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete
 statement of the affairs of the said company on the 30th
 June, 1887; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously
 believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The
 Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

ZOFFANY C. HORNE,
 Manager.

Declared at Westport, this 27th day of July, 1887, before
 me—J. Powell, J.P. 506

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The Southern Light Quartz-mining
 Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: 17th December,
 1884; 5th January, 1885.
 Whether in active operation or not: Not in active operation.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager:
 Palmerston Street, Westport; Zoffany Claude Horne.
 Nominal capital: £25,000.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £13,912 10s.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £953 13s. 1d.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of
 cash received for same: Nil.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no
 cash has been paid: Nil.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 25,000.
 Number of shares allotted: 25,000.
 Amount paid up per share: 11s. 2d.
 Amount called up per share: 1s. 2d.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: £458 16s. 11d.
 Number of shares forfeited: 4,153.
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for
 same: 200; £7 10s.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of com-
 pany: 19.
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash at bankers: Nil.
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
 Amount of debts directly due to the company: Nil.
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of the company: Nil.

I, Zoffany Claude Horne, of Westport, the Manager of
 the Southern Light Quartz-mining Company (Limited), do
 solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and com-
 plete statement of the affairs of the said company on the
 30th June, 1887; and I make this solemn declaration con-
 scientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of
 "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

ZOFFANY C. HORNE,
 Manager.

Declared at Westport, this 27th day of July, 1887, before
 me—J. Powell, J.P. 507

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The Nile Quartz-mining Company
 (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration: 6th June, 1885;
 27th June, 1885.
 Whether in active operation or not: Not in active operation.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager:
 Palmerston Street, Westport; Zoffany C. Horne.
 Nominal capital: £24,000.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £13,100.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £887 2s. 8d.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of
 cash received for same: Nil.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no
 cash has been paid: Nil.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 24,000.
 Number of shares allotted: 24,000.
 Amount paid up per share: 10s. 11d.
 Amount called up per share: 11d.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: £212 17s. 4d.
 Number of shares forfeited: 8,350.
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for
 same: Nil.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of com-
 pany: 11.
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash at bankers: Nil.
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
 Amount of debts directly due to the company: Nil.
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of the company: Nil.

I, Zoffany Claude Horne, of Westport, the Manager of the
 Nile Quartz-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and
 sincerely declare that this is a true and complete state-
 ment of the affairs of the said company on the 30th June, 1887;
 and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously be-
 lieving the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices
 of the Peace Act, 1882."

ZOFFANY C. HORNE,
 Manager.

Declared at Westport, this 27th day of July, 1887, before
 me—J. Powell, J.P. 508

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The Venus Extended Gold-mining Company (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration: 28th July, 1885; 21st August, 1885.
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Reefton; Thomas Hubert Lee.
 Nominal capital: £24,000.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £24,000.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £1,265.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same: Nil.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £12,000.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 24,000.
 Number of shares allotted: 24,000.
 Amount paid up per share: 11s. 1d.
 Amount called up per share: 1s. 6d.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Part of 7th and 8th calls: £535.
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 16.
 Total amount of dividends declared: £2,100.
 Total amount of dividends paid: £2,100.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash at bankers: Nil.
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
 Amount of debts directly due to the company: £599 1s. 1d.
 Amount of debts considered good: £599 1s. 1d.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of the company: £1,558 7s. 7d.

I, Thomas Hubert Lee, of Reefton, the Manager of the Venus Extended Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company at the present date; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

THOMAS H. LEE,
 Manager.

Declared at Reefton, this 13th day of July, 1887, before me—J. I. Aiken, J.P. 513

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The Homeward Bound Extended Gold-mining Company (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration: 30th June, 1883; 3rd September, 1883.
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Reefton; Thomas Hubert Lee.
 Nominal capital: £24,000.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £24,000.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £3,264 1s. 5d.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same: Nil.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £12,000.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 24,000.
 Number of shares allotted: 24,000.
 Amount paid up per share: 12s. 8½d.
 Amount called up per share: 2s. 10d.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: 31st call and a part of 30th call; £135 18s. 7d.
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: 375; £16 2s. 9d.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 45.
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash at bankers: Nil.
 Amount of cash in hand: £2 9s. 1d.
 Amount of debts directly due to the company: £165 18s. 7d.
 Amount of debts considered good: £165 18s. 7d.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of the company: £196.

I, Thomas Hubert Lee, of Reefton, the Manager of the Homeward Bound Extended Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company at the present date; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

THOMAS H. LEE,
 Manager.

Declared at Reefton, this 13th day of July, 1887, before me—J. I. Aiken, J.P. 514

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The North Venus Quartz-mining Company (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration: 11th September, 1886; 23rd November, 1886.
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Reefton; Thomas Hubert Lee.
 Nominal capital: £24,000.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £24,000.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £188 6s. 8d.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same: Nil.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £12,000.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 24,000.
 Number of shares allotted: 24,000.
 Amount paid up per share: 10s. 2d.
 Amount called up per share: 2d.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: £16 13s. 4d.
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 17.
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash at bankers: £1 1s. 4d.
 Amount of cash in hand: £7 17s. 6d.
 Amount of debts directly due to the company: Nil.
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of the company: £8 10s.

I, Thomas Hubert Lee, of Reefton, the Manager of the North Venus Quartz-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company at the present date; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

THOMAS H. LEE,
 Manager.

Declared at Reefton, this 12th day of July, 1887, before me—J. I. Aiken, J.P. 509

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The Happy Valley Gold-mining Company (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration: 5th December, 1881; 22nd June, 1882.
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Reefton; Thomas Lee.
 Nominal capital: £24,000.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £24,000.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £1,260 5s. 10d.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same: Nil.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £12,000.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 24,000.
 Number of shares allotted: 24,000.
 Amount paid up per share: 11s. 0½d.
 Amount called up per share: 1s. 1½d.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: £89 14s. 2d.
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: 14,050; £41 8s.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 15.
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash at bankers: £10 13s. 9d.
 Amount of cash in hand: £14 9s.
 Amount of debts directly due to the company: Nil.
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of the company: £40 12s.

I, Thomas Lee, of Reefton, the Manager of the Happy Valley Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company at the present date; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

THOMAS LEE,
 Manager.

Declared at Reefton, this 11th day of July, 1887, before me—J. I. Aiken, J.P. 510

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The Bannockburn Gold-mining Company (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration: 8th August, 1882; 3rd April, 1884.
 Whether in active operation or not: Not in active operation.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Reefton; Thomas Lee.
 Nominal capital: £24,000.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £24,000.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £73 16s. 3d.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same: Nil.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £12,000.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 24,000.
 Number of shares allotted: 24,000.
 Amount paid up per share: 10s. 1d.
 Amount called up per share: 1d.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: £26 8s. 9d.
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 32.
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash at bankers: £1 2s. 3d.
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
 Amount of debts directly due to the company: Nil.
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of the company: £34 7s. 1d.

I, Thomas Lee, of Reefton, the Manager of the Bannockburn Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company at the present date; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

THOMAS LEE,
 Manager.

Declared at Reefton, this 11th day of July, 1887, before me—J. I. Aiken, J.P. 511

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The Eclipse Quartz-mining Company (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration: 22nd June, 1882; 28th July, 1882.
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Reefton; Thomas Lee.
 Nominal capital: £24,000.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £24,000.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £898 6s. 9d.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same: Nil.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £12,000.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 24,000.
 Number of shares allotted: 24,000.
 Amount paid up per share: 10s. 9d.
 Amount called up per share: 9d.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: £1 13s. 3d.
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: 5,014; £7 4s. 4d.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 20.
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash at bankers: £17 1s. 6d.
 Amount of cash in hand: £9 15s. 7d.
 Amount of debts directly due to the company: £7 16s. 6d.
 Amount of debts considered good: £7 16s. 6d.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of the company: £31.

I, Thomas Lee, of Reefton, the Manager of the Eclipse Quartz-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company at the present date; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

THOMAS LEE,
 Manager.

Declared at Reefton, this 14th day of July, 1887, before me—J. I. Aitken, J.P. 512

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The Nil Desperandum Quartz-mining Company (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration: 24th February, 1877; 5th April, 1877.
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Reefton; Thomas Lee.
 Nominal capital: £23,000.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £23,000.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £8,433 6s. 8d.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same: Nil.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £11,500.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 23,000.
 Number of shares allotted: 23,000.
 Amount paid up per share: 17s. 4d.
 Amount called up per share: 7s. 7d.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: 55th call, due 13th July; £287 10s.
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: 13,960; £167 18s. 7d.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 42.
 Total amount of dividends declared: £143 15s.
 Total amount of dividends paid: £143 15s.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash at bankers: Nil.
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
 Amount of debts directly due to the company: £287 10s.
 Amount of debts considered good: £287 10s.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of the company: £467 7s. 3d.

I, Thomas Lee, of Reefton, the Manager of the Nil Desperandum Quartz-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company at the present date; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

THOMAS LEE,
 Manager.

Declared at Reefton, this 13th day of July, 1887, before me—J. I. Aiken, J.P. 515

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The Captain Cook Quartz-mining Company (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration: 29th March, 1882; 31st May, 1882.
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Reefton; Thomas Lee.
 Nominal capital: £12,000.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £12,000.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £748 17s. 11d.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same: Nil.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 24,000.
 Number of shares allotted: 24,000.
 Amount paid up per share: 7½d.
 Amount called up per share: 8d.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: £51 2s. 1d.
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: 10,825; £19 2s. 10d.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 36.
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash at bankers: 10s. 5d.
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
 Amount of debts directly due to the company: Nil.
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of the company: £35 5s. 10d.

I, Thomas Lee, of Reefton, the Manager of the Captain Cook Quartz-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company at the present date; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

THOMAS LEE,
 Manager.

Declared at Reefton, this 11th day of July, 1887, before me—J. I. Aiken, J.P. 516

Private Advertisements.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND,
WELLINGTON DISTRICT.

In the matter of "The Leases and Sales of Settled Estates Act, 1865," and in the matter of "The Leases and Sales of Settled Estates Act 1865 Amendment Act, 1879;" and in the matter of a certain piece of land being part of Section No. 487 on the plan of the City of Wellington, bounded on the North, 208 feet, by other part of the same section; on the South 137 feet and 60 feet respectively, also by other part of the same section; on the East, 47 feet, by Lambton Quay; and on the West, 33 feet, by the Wellington Terrace, the northern boundary whereof is distant from Woodward Street 25 feet or thereabouts: be the same several measurements, and each and every of them, a little more or less; subject to a right of road 10 feet wide running through the said land from Woodward Street to the south portion of the said Section No. 487, now or late occupied by one William James, settled by a certain Crown grant bearing date the 19th day of July, 1853, whereby the said lands, *inter alia*, were granted to WI TAKO NGATATA for his life, with remainder to such of certain Natives named therein as should survive him.

BY direction of His Honour Mr. Justice RICHMOND, notice is hereby given that an application by petition has been made to this Honourable Court for powers to grant a building lease of the said lands for a term not exceeding forty-two years, and the Court has directed the application to be advertised once in the *Gazette* and also in the *New Zealand Times* newspaper once in each of three successive weeks, and by rule of Court the application is adjourned until three weeks after the last of such advertisements. Any person or body corporate, whether interested in the estate or not, may apply to the said Court for leave to be heard in opposition to or in support of such application. The petition may be inspected on application to Messrs. BELL, GULLY, AND ISAARD, Panama Street, Wellington, the Solicitors for the Petitioners. 529

MAKINO BUTTER AND CHEESE COMPANY
(LIMITED).

A GENERAL Meeting of the company will be held in the Makino Road Schoolroom, on Friday, the 7th day of October, 1887, to receive Liquidator's account of the winding up of the company.

JAMES H. FRY,
Chairman.

Makino, 30th July, 1887.

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