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**NEW ZEALAND GAZETTE.**

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*Lake Takapuna, Auckland, and Lake Grassmere, Marlborough, closed for Native Game.*

JAMES PRENDERGAST,  
Administrator of the Government.

WHEREAS by a warrant dated the sixteenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, and published in the *Gazette* of the twenty-first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, it was notified that native game might be taken or killed in the Colony of New Zealand except in certain specified districts: And whereas it is expedient that native game should not be taken or killed on or around Lake Takapuna, in the County of Waitemata, and on or around Lake Grassmere, in the County of Marlborough:

Now, therefore, I, James Prendergast, the Administrator of the Government of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and the Acts amending the same, do hereby notify that native game shall not be taken or killed on or around Lake Takapuna, in the County of Waitemata, and on or around Lake Grassmere, in the County of Marlborough.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Administrator of the Government, this seventeenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine.

EDWIN MITCHELSON,  
(In the absence of the Colonial Secretary.)

*Shooting Season for Imported Game, License Fee, &c., Tauranga District.*

JAMES PRENDERGAST,  
Administrator of the Government.

IN exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and the Acts amending the same, I, James Prendergast, the Administrator of the Government of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby notify that cock-pheasants and Californian and Australian quail may be taken or killed within the Tauranga District, consisting of the Counties of Tauranga and Rotorua, and so much of the Counties of East Taupo and Rotorua as lies to the north of the Rangitaiki River, from the first day of May, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, to the thirty-first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, both inclusive (subject nevertheless to the restrictions in the said Acts mentioned). And I do further notify that licenses to take or kill such game within the said district shall be issued on payment of the sum of twenty shillings each, and that licenses to sell such game shall be issued on payment of the sum of

five pounds each; and the Postmaster at Tauranga is hereby appointed to sign and issue the said licenses.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Administrator of the Government, this seventeenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine.

EDWIN MITCHELSON,  
(In the absence of the Colonial Secretary.)

*Shooting Season for Imported Game, License Fee, &c., Opotiki District.*

JAMES PRENDERGAST,  
Administrator of the Government.

IN exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and the Acts amending the same, I, James Prendergast, the Administrator of the Government of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby notify that cock-pheasants may be taken or killed within the Opotiki District, consisting of so much of the Counties of East Taupo and Whakatane as lies to the south of the Rangitaiki River, from the first day of May, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, to the thirty-first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, both inclusive (subject nevertheless to the restrictions in the said Acts mentioned). And I do further notify that licenses to take or kill such game within the said district shall be issued on payment of the sum of ten shillings each, and that licenses to sell such game shall be issued on payment of the sum of five pounds each; and the Postmaster at Opotiki is hereby appointed to sign and issue the said licenses.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Administrator of the Government, this seventeenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine.

EDWIN MITCHELSON,  
(In the absence of the Colonial Secretary.)

*Shooting Season for Imported Game, License Fee, &c., Wanganui District.*

JAMES PRENDERGAST,  
Administrator of the Government.

IN exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and the Acts amending the same, I, James Prendergast, the Administrator of the Government of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby notify that cock-pheasants and quail may be taken or killed within the Wanganui District, consisting of the Counties of Wanganui

and Waitotara, and the Ridings of Okakapu, Porewa, Wangaehu, Makohau, and Paraekaretu, in the County of Rangitikei, from the first day of May, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, to the thirty-first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, both inclusive (subject nevertheless to the restrictions in the said Acts mentioned). And I do further notify that licenses to take or kill such game within the said district shall be issued on payment of the sum of twenty-one shillings each, and that licenses to sell such game shall be issued on payment of the sum of five pounds each; and the Chief Postmaster at Wanganui, and the Postmasters at Waverley, Waitotara, and Marton, are hereby appointed to sign and issue the said licenses.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Administrator of the Government, this seventeenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine.

EDWIN MITCHELSON,  
(In the absence of the Colonial Secretary.)

*Medical Superintendents appointed, Auckland and Seacliff Lunatic Asylums.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 6th April, 1889.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to appoint

THOMAS RADFORD KING, Esq., M.D. Univ. Edin., to be Medical Superintendent of the Lunatic Asylum, Auckland, under "The Lunatics Act, 1882," vice Dr. Cremonini, resigned. Appointment to date from the 1st May, 1889. Also to appoint

FREDERICK TRUBY KING, Esq., B.M., M.S., Univ. Edin., to be Medical Superintendent of the Lunatic Asylum, Seacliff, under "The Lunatics Act, 1882," vice Dr. T. R. King, transferred. Appointment to date from the 15th April, 1889.

EDWIN MITCHELSON,  
(In the absence of the Colonial Secretary.)

*Rangers under Animals Protection Acts, Hawke's Bay and Hawera, appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 6th April, 1889.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to appoint

A. H. PARKINSON

to be a Ranger under "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," for the District of Hawke's Bay; and also to appoint

FREDERICK PEPPERELL

to be a Ranger under the said Act for the Hawera District.

EDWIN MITCHELSON,  
(In the absence of the Colonial Secretary.)

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 16th April, 1889.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned gentlemen to be Registrars of Marriages and of Births and Deaths, and also to be Vaccination Inspectors, for the Districts respectively set opposite their names, viz. :—

Name.	District.
WILLIAM ALFRED BARTON .. .. .	Grey.
ALEXANDER MILLAR EYES .. .. .	Riverton.

EDWIN MITCHELSON,  
(In the absence of the Colonial Secretary.)

*Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 16th April, 1889.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned gentlemen to be Deputies of the Registrars of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the districts respectively set opposite their names, viz. :—

Name.	District.
FRANK TRUMAN .. .. .	Waipara.
THOMAS YOUNGER .. .. .	Picton.

EDWIN MITCHELSON,  
(In the absence of the Colonial Secretary.)

*Resident Magistrates appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 17th April, 1889.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to appoint

HERBERT WILLIAM BRABANT, Esq., R.M., to be a Resident Magistrate for the District of Wanganui, with extended jurisdiction to £100; and

Lieut.-Colonel JOHN MACINTOSH ROBERTS, N.Z.C., R.M., to be a Resident Magistrate for the District of Wairarapa, with extended jurisdiction to £100.

THOS. FERGUS.

*Member of Napier Harbour Board appointed.*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 15th April, 1889.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased, in pursuance of the provisions of section 41 of "The Harbours Act, 1878," and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, to appoint

FREDERICK WANKLYN WILLIAMS

to be a Member of the Napier Harbour Board, the rate-payers of the Borough of Napier having, on the second Monday in February last, elected only two members instead of three, as required by the said Act.

H. A. ATKINSON.

*Member of Napier Harbour Board appointed.*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 15th April, 1889.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased, in pursuance of the provisions of section 40 of "The Harbours Act, 1878," to appoint

WILLIAM JAMES WILLCOCKS

to be a Member of the Napier Harbour Board, in place of John Gibson Kinross, resigned.

H. A. ATKINSON.

*Volunteer Officer appointed.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 17th April, 1889.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to approve of the under-mentioned appointment :—

*1st Westland Rifle Volunteers.*

Reverend John Edwin Blackburn to be Honorary Chaplain. Date of commission, 14th March, 1889.

G. F. RICHARDSON,  
(For the Minister of Defence.)

*Volunteer Officer promoted, and to command Militia and Volunteer District.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 17th April, 1889.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to approve of the under-mentioned promotion and appointment :—

Captain William Wood, Napier High School Cadet Rifle Volunteers, to be Major in the New Zealand Volunteer Force, and to take command of the Napier Volunteer District. Date of commission, 20th March, 1889.

G. F. RICHARDSON,  
(For the Minister of Defence.)

*Volunteer Officer transferred and promoted.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 17th April, 1889.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to approve of the under-mentioned transfer and promotion :—

*Sydenham Rifle Volunteers.*

Lieutenant Ernest Rhind Anderson, from the Canterbury Scottish Rifle Volunteers, to be Captain. Date of commission, 27th March, 1889.

G. F. RICHARDSON,  
(For the Minister of Defence.)

*Officer of New Zealand Militia resigned.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 17th April, 1889.

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

*New Zealand Militia.*

Captain John Taylor Marshall. Date of resignation, 3rd April, 1889.

G. F. RICHARDSON,  
(For the Minister of Defence.)

*Volunteer Officer resigned.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 17th April, 1889.

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

*1st Westland Rifle Volunteers.*

Honorary Chaplain the Reverend Henry George Gould. Date of resignation, 13th March, 1889.

G. F. RICHARDSON,  
(For the Minister of Defence.)

*Special Order made by Mongonui County Council.—Merging Mongonui Township Road District.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 11th April, 1889.

THE following special order, made by the Mongonui County Council, is published in accordance with "The Counties Act, 1886."

EDWIN MITCHELSON,  
(In the absence of the Colonial Secretary.)

SPECIAL ORDER.

THAT the Mongonui Township Road Board be now merged in the county.

I certify that the above special order has been duly passed as required by law.

Mongonui County Council,  
Mongonui, 29th March, 1889.

W. J. HARRIS,  
County Clerk.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 11th April, 1889.

THE following special order, made by the Manawatu Road Board, is published in accordance with "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1886."

EDWIN MITCHELSON,  
(In the absence of the Colonial Secretary.)

SPECIAL ORDER.

THAT, to provide for the payment of interest and other annual charges on a loan of £400 for works on Andrewartha's Road, a special rate of a halfpenny in the pound be levied on the rateable value of the following properties: Sections 224, 234, 290 to 294, 297 to 304, all inclusive, Fitzherbert East.

To provide for the payment of interest and other annual charges on a loan of £200 for works on Fitzherbert East Road, a special rate of one-seventh of a penny in the pound be levied on the rateable value of the following properties: Sections 223 to part 234, 235 to 254, 360 to 367, all inclusive, Fitzherbert East.

To provide for the payment of interest and other annual charges on a loan of £250 for works on portions of No. 4 Line and Tiritea Road, Fitzherbert West, a special rate of one and three-sixteenths of a penny in the pound be levied on the rateable value of the following properties: Sections 275A to 277, 282, 284, 331, 332, 264, 265, all inclusive, Fitzherbert West.

Each of the above rates to be an annually-recurring rate for a period of twenty-six years, payable in two instalments on the 1st day of May and the 1st day of November in each year.

I hereby certify that the foregoing special order has been duly passed by the Manawatu Road Board.

Manawatu Road Board Office,  
Palmerston North, 9th April, 1889.

A. CLARKE,  
Clerk to the Board.

*Result of Poll for Proposed Loan, Borough of Kaitangata.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 13th April, 1889.

THE following notice, received from the Kaitangata Borough Council, is published in accordance with "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1886."

EDWIN MITCHELSON,  
(In the absence of the Colonial Secretary.)

BOROUGH OF KAITANGATA.—KAITANGATA LAKE DRAINAGE EXTENSION.

RESULT of poll on proposal to borrow £250 under "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1886," for the purpose of constructing new channel from Molyneux River to the Kaitangata Lake, taken in the Borough Chambers, Kaitangata, on Thursday, the 7th day of March, 1889:—

Total number of ratepayers on roll, 18; representing 22 votes. Votes recorded in favour of the proposal, 14; votes against, nil; votes not recorded, 8.

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

W. M. SHORE,  
Chairman of the Borough of Kaitangata.

*Application for Registration of a Trade Mark.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 16th April, 1889.

NOTICE is hereby given that ALFRED HENRY HART, of 258, Colombo Street, Christchurch, in the Colony of New Zealand, Consulting Engineer and Patent Agent, has applied, on behalf of WILLIAM RAINBOW AND SONS, of Ferry Road, Christchurch, aforesaid, Manufacturers of Medicines, &c., to register, under "The Trade Marks Act, 1886," the trade mark of which the following is a description:—

*Description of Trade Mark.*

A paper label having a representation of a pineapple, over which the word "Hop" is printed, and underneath same the word "Bitters" is printed, and also the following, viz., "In order to guard against counterfeits we have adopted the above trade mark, all persons are expressly forbidden to use the same," and also the words "Hop Bitters, Manufactured by Rainbow and Sons, Christchurch, N.Z." An autograph signature "Rainbow & Sons" is printed across the label, the said label being used in conjunction with a filigree-paper capsule for covering the cork, having the words "Rainbow & Sons" printed thereon in duplicate, and also the word "Genuine" at each end, and an angular paper label having the words "A1 quality" printed thereon.

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

Hop bitters.

E. MITCHELSON,  
(In the absence of the Colonial Secretary and Registrar of Trade Marks.)

*Revocation of Appointment of Bonding Warehouse.*

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

*Port of Lyttelton.*

The warehouse known as

THE ALBERT BOND,

as appointed and described in Commissioner's Order No. 197. of the 29th April, 1884.

Given under my hand at Wellington, this twelfth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine.

H. A. ATKINSON,  
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.  
Commissioner's Order No. 326.]

*Customs Regulations, and Conditions approved by the Hon. the Commissioner of Trade and Customs, for the Custody and Control of Exhibits in the New Zealand Exhibition, 1889.*

1. THE promoters, with two approved sureties, to enter into the usual bond for a bonded warehouse. On the bond being duly executed, the Exhibition Building will be approved and appointed to be a bonded warehouse under

the Crown lock. Goods to be received into and delivered from the Exhibition Building on conditions prescribed by the Customs Regulations.

2. Duplicate invoices, containing detailed description and value of exhibits, to be produced, which invoices will be stamped by the Customs. One copy will be returned to the exhibitor, and one copy retained by the Customs.

3. Exhibits to be unpacked in the presence of the Customs officers, and checked against stamped invoices.

4. Before goods are removed from the importing vessel to the Exhibition Building, exhibitors to indicate the particular packages which contain goods intended for sale. These to be placed in a separate compartment of the Exhibition Building, or in an examining shed or ordinary bonded warehouse, for examination by the Customs.

5. Duty to be paid by deposit on articles intended for sale before they can be permitted to be exhibited.

6. Jewellery and other valuable dutiable goods intended for exhibition only, and not for sale, may be exhibited in show-cases secured under the Customs seal.

7. At the close of the Exhibition all dutiable goods to be packed, in the presence of a Customs officer, who will be required to certify that they agree with the invoice tendered with them on importation, before they can be delivered for exportation from the colony.

8. An enclosed separate office for the exclusive use of the Customs, with necessary office-furniture, to be provided in the Exhibition Building. The Customs officers will not have custody of, or be in any way responsible for, goods in the Exhibition Building: they will be present simply as revenue officers.

*Quarterly Returns under Section 19 of "The Sheep Act, 1878."—Notice No. 273.*

The Minister's Office, Live Stock Branch,  
Wellington, 13th April, 1889.

THE following quarterly returns of runs or farms on which there were infected sheep on the 31st March, 1889, are published in accordance with section 19 of "The Sheep Act, 1878."

G. F. RICHARDSON,  
Minister of Lands.

Name of Owner and Run or Farm.	Class.	No.	Date of Out-break.
<b>MIRANDA SHEEP DISTRICT.</b>			
Porter, W. F., Miranda ..	Cross-bred	680	31 Mar., 1889.
B. P. BAYLY.			
<b>MARLBOROUGH SHEEP DISTRICT.</b>			
<i>Blenheim Subdivision.</i>			
New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Company (Limited), Mount Patriarch	Merino	2,572	27 Nov., 1888.
T. G. RICHARDSON.			
<i>Kaikoura Subdivision.</i>			
Gibson, Walter, Bui Bui ..	Merino	5,000	18 Feb., 1889.
R. FOSTER.			

*Governor of Auckland College and Grammar School elected.*

Board of Education,  
Auckland, 5th April, 1889.

NOTICE.—In accordance with "The Auckland College and Grammar School Act, 1877," and with the regulations thereunder for the election of Governors by the Education Board of the District of Auckland, I hereby certify that, at a meeting of the said Board, held this day,

THEOPHILUS COOPER, Esq.,

was duly re-elected a Governor of the Board of Governors constituted by the said Act.

J. H. UPTON,  
Chairman of Meeting.

*Centennial International Exhibition, Melbourne, 1888.—Jurors' Awards (Additional).*

Wellington, 15th April, 1889.

THE following awards are in addition to the schedule published in the *Gazette* of the 4th April, 1889, page 347.

JAMES HECTOR,  
Executive Commissioner.

**JURY 1.—WORKS OF ART.**

First Order of Merit: L. J. Steele, Auckland.

**JURY 5.—PHOTOGRAPHY.**

First Order of Merit: F. A. Coxhead, Dunedin; G. D. Valentine, Auckland.

**JURY 9.—FURNITURE.**

Third Order of Merit: W. Norrie, Auckland.

**JURY 12.—JEWELLERY.**

Honourable Mention: S. Danneford and Co., Auckland.

**JURY 17.—FIBRES.**

First Order of Merit: C. Chinnery, Woodend; L. D. Nathan and Co., Auckland; D. Thompson and Co., Tuarua.

*Notice of Hearing of Applications for Patents.*

Patent Office,  
Wellington, 11th April, 1889.

NO. 3626.—JAMES FOSTER, of Caversham, Otago, New Zealand, Painter, has deposited at this office a specification of an invention for scolloped flange-iron ridging.

No. 3627.—WILLIAM LEGRAND CARD, residing at La Crosse, State of Wisconsin, United States of America, Mining Engineer, has deposited at this office a specification of an invention for a machine for eliminating metals from their matrices.

No. 3628.—WILLIAM LEGRAND CARD, of Saint Louis, Missouri, United States of America, Mining Engineer, has deposited at this office a specification of an invention for improvements in dry concentrators for the treatment of ores.

No. 3629.—CHARLES JOSEPH VAN DEPOELE, residing at No. 57, Center Street, Lynn, Essex, Massachusetts, United States of America, Electrician, has deposited at this office a specification of an invention for improvements in, and relating to a system of suspended bare wires, travelling connections between the wires and the motor and switches, &c., in and for electric railways.

No. 3630.—JOHN STEWART MACARTHUR, of 15, Princes Street, Pollokshields, Renfrew, North Britain, Analytical and Technical Chemist, has deposited at this office a specification of an invention for improvements in obtaining cyanides from residuary liquors formed in chemical processes.

No. 3631.—JOHN STEWART MACARTHUR, of Princes Street, Pollokshields, Renfrew, North Britain, Analytical and Technical Chemist, has deposited at this office a specification of an invention for improvements in obtaining cyanides from residuary liquors formed in chemical processes.

And I have appointed Wednesday, the 26th day of June next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at this office, to hear the said applications and all objections thereto; and I require all persons having an interest in opposing the grant of any such Letters Patent to leave, on or before the 11th day of June next, at this office, particulars in writing of their objections to any of the said applications, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

C. J. A. HASELDEN,  
Patent Officer.

*Land reserved under "The Education Reserves Act, 1877."*

IN exercise of the powers and authorities vested in them by "The Education Reserves Act, 1877," the School Commissioners for the Otago Provincial District have, by resolution dated the 17th day of July, 1888, appropriated and set apart the parcel of land hereinafter described as a site for a public school.

J. P. MAITLAND,  
Chairman.

ALL that parcel of land in the Land District of Otago, containing by admeasurement 10 acres, more or less, situate in the Inch-Clutha District, and being part of Section No. 11, Block II., of said district. Description of boundaries: Commencing at the north-east corner of said section, and bearing from thence in a south-westerly direction (along the north-western boundary of said section) for a distance of 1000 links; thence at a right angle for a distance of 1000 links; thence at a right angle along the south-eastern boundary of said Section No. 11 for a distance of 1000 links; thence at a right angle along road-line for a distance of 1000 links to the starting-point: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

*Land reserved under "The Education Reserves Act Amendment Act, 1882."*

IN exercise of the powers and authorities vested in it by "The Education Reserves Act Amendment Act, 1882," (section 7), the Board of Governors of the Otago Boys' and Girls' High School has, by resolution dated the 1st day of October, 1888, appropriated and set apart the piece of land hereinafter described as a site for a public school.

D. M. STUART,  
Chairman.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Otago, containing by admeasurement 10 acres 1 rood 11 perches, more or less, situate in the Strath-Taieri District, and being Section No. 75 of Block IX., Strath-Taieri District. Bounded towards the north and north-west by St. Asaph Street (Town of Arden), 1326 and 561 links; also by Sections Nos. 1 and 2 of Block XXIV. (Town of Arden), 500 links; towards the south-east by Swansea Street (Town of Arden), 1116 links; towards the south by Section No. 74 of Block IX., Strath-Taieri, 980 links; and towards the south-west by Aberafon Street (Town of Arden), 900 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

**Native Land Court Notices.**

*Survey Fees under "The Native Land Court Act, 1886."*

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

NOTICE is hereby given that it has, under section 81 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1886," been certified to this Court that there had become owing to each certified Surveyor named in the first column in the Schedule herein the sum set opposite his name in the second column, by the Native owners of the land mentioned in the third column, for a survey of such land made by the said Surveyor.

First Column. Name of Surveyor.	Second Column. Amount.	Third Column. Name of Block.
1. D. H. Bayldon ..	£ s. d. 7 0 0	Te Poho.
2. D. H. Bayldon ..	6 2 10	Toetoskino.

And further notice is hereby given that, at a sitting of the Court to be held at Shortland Thames, on the 1st day of May, 1889, orders will, unless cause be then shown to the Court to the contrary, be made in favour of the said Surveyors respectively, charging the estate and interest of the respective Native owners of the said lands with the whole or such part of the said cost of survey so made for them as the Court may deem fit.

Edw. HAMMOND,  
Registrar.

"The Native Lands Frauds Prevention Act, 1881," and  
"The Native Lands Frauds Prevention Act 1881 Amendment Act, 1888."

Native Land Court Office,  
Wellington, 10th April, 1889.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Trust Commissioner will, under the authority and for the purposes of the said Acts, hold a Court at the Native Land Court Office, Wellington, on Tuesday, the 16th day of April, 1889, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for investigating the cases mentioned in the Schedule hereunder, at which time and place all persons interested in the said cases, and having objections to any of the dealings, are hereby notified to attend.

W. BRIDSON,  
Registrar.

**SCHEDULE.**

ORANGIKAUPAPA No 1.

89-52. TRANSFER dated the 28th March, 1889, from Arena Kuamo, as Trustee for Toheroa Hapara, to Frederick Mitchell.

MOMI No. 4.

89-40. Transfer dated the 9th February, 1889, from Huhana te Mui to Edward Joshua Riddiford.

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

Native Land Court Office,  
Auckland, 27th March, 1889.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a sitting of the Native Land Court of New Zealand, to be holden at Shortland, in the District of Thames, on the 1st day of May, 1889, will be heard the applications of the persons whose names appear in the first column of the Schedule hereunder for the partition of the lands the names of which appear in the second column, and which are situate in the respective districts named in the third column.

Edw. HAMMOND,  
Registrar.

**SCHEDULE.**

No.	Names of the Persons applying for the Partition of the Land.	Name of the Block to be partitioned.	District in which the Land is situate.
1	Aihe Pepene, Maata Paekau, and Reha Aperahama	Te Aroha Native Reserve No. 27	Te Aroha.
2	Mata te Kura and others	Wairakau ..	Te Aroha.
3	Te Reweti Kohika and Maraea Merepeka	Omahu No. 5 ..	Te Aroha.
4	W. H. Taipari ..	Te Aroha No. 9	Te Aroha.
5	Aihe Pepene, Mata Paekau, and Reha Aperahama	Omahu No. 27	Te Aroha.
6	Meri H. Taipari ..	Te Hore No. 1 ..	Te Kirikiri, Hauraki.
7	W. H. Taipari ..	Taparahi No. 3	Hauraki.
8	W. H. Taipari ..	Taparahi No. 2	Hauraki.
9	Matiu Poono and Wiremu te Huia	Taumatawahine	Kauaeranga.
10	Arani Watana ..	Rauhinahina ..	Te Puriri, Hauraki.
11	Wana Matene ..	Hurumoimoi ..	Hauraki.
12	Terire Hirini Ngapapaka	Karakiarau No. 1	Hauraki.
13	Hori Tuati (George Stewart)	Waihi No. 1 ..	Hauraki.
14	Hori Tuati (George Stewart)	Waihi No. 2 ..	Hauraki.
15	Hori Tuati (George Stewart)	Waihi No. 4 ..	Hauraki.
16	Hori Tuati (George Stewart)	Waihi No. 5 ..	Hauraki.
17	Hakipene Hura ..	Te Awakawai No. 2	Hauraki.
18	Hakipene Hura ..	Hikutaiia ..	Hauraki.
19	Hakipene Hura ..	Te Kopua No. 1	Hauraki.
20	Tini te Marau ..	Kauaeranga No. 7	Hauraki.
21	Hori Ngakapa Whanauanga, Kapihana te Tuihi, and Reihana Poto	Tuitahi No. 1 ..	Hauraki.
22	Henry Driver ..	Okere ..	Waihou, Hauraki.
23	Henry Driver ..	Tuitahi No. 1 ..	Hauraki.
24	Henry Driver ..	Tuitahi No. 2 ..	Hauraki.
25	H. Ngakapa Whanauanga, Hemi te Ahipu, Ncha Tukaramaene, and Wiremu te Aramoana	Taumatini ..	Hauraki.
26	Pare Watana ..	Pakirarahi ..	Te Puriri, Hauraki.
27	Heeni Hirini ..	Tikorangi No. 2	Te Puriri, Hauraki.

**Crown Lands Notices.**

*Rural Lands open for Application.*

Crown Lands Office,  
Auckland, 19th March, 1889.

THE under-mentioned Crown lands will be open for selection, for cash only, in terms of section 92 of "The Land Act, 1885," at the Land Office, Auckland, on and after Wednesday, the 24th April, 1889.

E. F. F. ETHERIDGE,  
(For the Commissioner of Crown Lands.)

**SCHEDULE.**

Section.	Area.	Cash Price per Section.
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BAY OF ISLANDS COUNTY.

*Block IX., Omapere Survey District.*

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
7A	51 0 0	38 5 0

Description of Land: Mixed bush land, on the Utakura River and main Okaihau-Horeke Road.

*Block VII., Russell Survey District.*

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
2	110 3 0	55 7 6

Description of Land: Broken land, about two-thirds mixed forest, the remainder fern and tea-tree; watered by Te Papa Stream.

Section.	Area.	Cash Price per Section.
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COROMANDEL COUNTY.

Block III., Harataunga Survey District.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
2	520 0 0	255 0 0
4	232 0 0	433 0 0

Description of Land: Section 2, broken forest land, about 500,000ft. of kauri; 4, broken forest land, about 1,500,000ft. of kauri; situate at Cabbage Bay.

HOKIANGA COUNTY.

Block IX., Omapere Survey District.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
9*	135 2 0	103 12 6
10A	153 2 0	115 2 6
13	82 0 0	51 10 0
17	38 1 26	28 17 6
18	125 2 25	104 0 0

\* Subject to £17 8s. 9d. for improvements.

Description of Land: Section 10A, mixed bush land, on Utakura River and main Okaihau-Horeke Road; 13, 17, and 18, mixed bush and open, not far from main road, fair land.

MANUKAU COUNTY.

Maratai Parish.

73	159 2 11	39 17 6
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Description of Land: All open undulating land, poor soil; about ten miles from Howick.

Pukekohe Parish.

58A	12 0 0	60 0 0
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Description of Land: Lot 58A, forest and open land, near Pukekohe; land of rich quality.

Tuakau Parish.

99 and 100	190 1 0	285 7 6
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Description of Land: Open, covered with fern and scrub, except a little bush in the gullies, well watered, and accessible by road from Whangarata Railway-station; has frontage to Waikato River.

RODNEY COUNTY.

Block X., Tauhoa Survey District.

10	70 2 0	70 10 0
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Description of Land: Six acres mixed bush, remainder tall manuka, undulating land; situate on main road, near mouth of Hoteo River.

WHANGAREI COUNTY.

Ruakaka Parish.

N.W. pt. 36	126 0 0	126 0 0
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Description of Land: Very broken forest land, with scattered kauri trees, about 225 in number.

Terms cash, or one-fifth cash; balance within thirty days, with the usual Crown-grant fee.

Lease of Small Grazing-runs.

Crown Lands Office,

Auckland, 29th March, 1889.

IT is hereby notified that the lands included in the Schedule hereunder will be offered for lease by public auction, as provided for by "The Land Act, 1885" (sections 197 to 219 inclusive, Part VII.), "The Land Act Amendment Act, 1887 (section 25), at the Crown Lands Office, Tauranga, on Tuesday, the 30th April next, at 11 a.m.

A. F. F. ETHERIDGE,

(For the Commissioner of Crown Lands.)

SCHEDULE.

MATATA, BAY OF PLENTY.

Run No.	Approximate Area.	Upset Annual Rental.
	A.	£ s. d.
4	8,540	53 7 6
5	5,640	35 5 0
6	6,260	38 17 6
7	9,050	56 5 0
8	8,510	53 4 0
9	11,450	71 5 0
10	16,180	101 2 6

Conditions: Absolute lease for 21 years, with right of renewal after valuation; full valuation for improvements at end of lease; right to cultivate in addition to pasturage; no right of purchase. Existing roads and tracks remain in force, and the Government has the right at any time to take roads required for public purposes, excepting over 150 acres in each run round selector's homestead. No one can lease

more than one section. Residence compulsory within twelve months, and thereafter for six years, except by consent of Land Board as provided for by Act. Improvements equalling four years' rental by the end of first six years. One-fourth of rents for first fifteen years is expended in opening roads, &c., to benefit the lands. The first half-year's rent to be paid on the day of sale, which will represent that due on the 1st September following; thereafter rent to be paid on the 1st March and 1st September.

Rural Lands for Sale and Lease by Public Auction.

Crown Lands Office,

Auckland, 20th March, 1889.

THE under-mentioned Crown lands will be offered for sale and lease, by public auction, at the Crown Lands Office, Auckland, at 11 o'clock a.m., on Tuesday, the 30th April, 1889.

Plans, &c., may be seen at this office.

A. F. F. ETHERIDGE,  
(For the Commissioner of Crown Lands.)

SCHEDULE.

Section.	Area.	Cash Price per Section.
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FOR SALE.

EDEN COUNTY.

Suburbs of Auckland.

Section.	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
Allotment 17B, Section 12	0 1 3	13 10 0

WAIKATO COUNTY.

Suburbs of Newcastle South.

160	12 1 28	37 5 6
161	12 1 9	35 18 9
162	2 2 24	7 19 0
163	2 3 20	8 12 6
164	2 2 31	8 1 8
165	2 1 27	7 5 2

WAIKATO COUNTY.

Parish of Whangamarino.

176A	37 0 0	27 15 0
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Description of Land: Flax swamp and high manuka, adjoining Great South Road and railway, near mouth of Whangamarino River.

FOR LEASE (FOR SEVEN YEARS).

MANUKAU COUNTY.

Parish of Manurewa.

Section.	Area.	Annual Rental.
199	9 1 36	5 0 0

Description of Land: At Otahuhu, being canal reserve.

Crown Lands open for Selection.

Crown Lands Office,

Auckland, 8th April, 1889.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned lands will be open for selection, for cash only, under section 92 of "The Land Act, 1885," on and after Friday, the 10th day of May next, at 11 a.m.

A. F. F. ETHERIDGE,

(For Commissioner of Crown Lands.)

SCHEDULE.

TAURANGA COUNTY.—MAKETU SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Price per Section.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
7	I.	29 2 32	15 0 0
8	"	23 0 32	11 15 0
11	"	17 2 16	9 0 0
12	"	14 2 16	7 10 0
13	"	87 2 32	44 0 0
14	"	74 3 8	37 10 0
15	"	51 0 16	25 15 0
15	IX.	25 3 3	13 0 0
19	"	26 0 11	13 5 0
21	"	25 0 23	12 15 0
22	"	35 3 14	18 0 0
23	"	27 0 33	13 15 0
24	"	25 0 32	12 15 0

Description of Land: Block I., all the sections in this block are broken and forest lands of fair quality, except 13 and 14, which have half the area of each open fern lands; they are well watered, and near Te Puke Settlement.

Block IX., all sections forest and undulating forest and open lands of good quality, in Te Puke Settlement.

Terms: One-fifth cash; balance, together with £1 Crown-grant fee, within thirty days.

*Auction Sale of Crown Lands, Tauranga.*

Crown Lands Office,  
Auckland, 8th April, 1889.

IT is hereby notified that the town and rural lands included in the Schedule hereunder will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Land Office, Tauranga, on Wednesday, the 15th day of May next, at 11 a.m.

A. F. F. ETHERIDGE,  
(For Commissioner of Crown Lands.)

SCHEDULE.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Section.
TOWN LANDS.—TOWN OF RICHMOND.		
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
59	0 1 0	7 10 0
60	0 1 0	7 10 0
61	0 1 0	7 10 0
62	0 1 0	7 10 0
RURAL LANDS.—PARISH OF TE PUNA, TAURANGA COUNTY.		
215	91 1 0	91 10 0
216	33 1 8	33 10 0
217	42 0 15	42 5 0
218	56 0 0	56 0 0
219	56 2 0	56 10 0
220	48 0 0	48 0 0
221	51 0 16	51 5 0
222	51 0 32	51 5 0
223	48 0 20	48 5 0
224	68 1 20	102 15 0
225	81 2 0	163 0 0

Description of Land: Open fern land, good soil; about three-fourths of Lot 224 and all Lot 225 have been in cultivation; 217 has frontage to Te Puna River; 220 to 225 have frontage on Tauranga Harbour; 224 has frontage to Te Puna River.

Terms: One-fifth cash; balance, together with £1 Crown-grant fee, within thirty days.

*Auction Sale of Crown Lands, Auckland.*

Crown Lands Office,  
Auckland, 8th April, 1889.

IT is hereby notified that the lands contained in the Schedule hereunder will be offered for sale by public auction at the Crown Lands Office, Auckland, on Wednesday, the 15th day of May next, at 11 a.m.

A. F. F. ETHERIDGE,  
(For Commissioner of Crown Lands.)

SCHEDULE.

WAIKATO COUNTY.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Section.
<i>Taupiri Parish.</i>		
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
14	12 2 0	37 10 0
14b	10 3 10	22 0 0
23A	28 2 24	28 15 0
28	43 1 32	21 15 0
30	61 0 8	22 17 6
31	50 0 0	12 10 0
32	56 2 9	14 2 6
33	50 0 19	12 12 6
34	29 3 23	7 10 0
389	102 3 0	38 12 6
397	44 0 22	13 7 6
473	50 0 33	12 15 0

Description of Land: Sections 14 and 14b are flat alluvial land near Huntly; 23A, flat land, good soil, liable to be flooded by Waikato River; 28, about half fern hills, remainder swamp; the two last-named lots are between Ohinewai and Huntly; 30 to 473 inclusive, open and swamp land, poor soil, near Ohinewai Lake. Coal is supposed to underlie all this country.

*Whangamarino Parish.*

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
435A	103 2 0	25 17 6
436	168 0 20	42 2 6

Description of Land: Section 435A, about 20 acres swamp remainder a fern spur, soil very poor; 436, near Ohinewai, supposed to have coal underlying.

Terms: One-fifth cash; balance, together with £1 Crown-grant fee, within thirty days.

*Tenders for Occupation of Reserve 461, Canterbury Land District.*

Crown Lands Office,  
Christchurch, 25th March, 1889.

NOTICE is hereby given that tenders for the yearly occupation, for grazing purposes only, under section 25 of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," of the under-mentioned reserve, will be received at this office up to 5 p.m. on Wednesday, the 1st May, 1889:—

Reserve 461, 200 acres, upset annual rental £15, situated in the fork of the Kowai and Waimakariri Rivers, about two and a half miles from Springfield.

Every tender must be accompanied by marked cheque or post office order for five months' rent up to the 1st October, 1889, at the rate tendered.

Plans may be seen at the Lands Office, Christchurch.

JOHN H. BAKER,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Pastoral Lands, Westland, for Sale on Application.*

Crown Lands Office,  
Hokitika, 26th March, 1889.

IN accordance with section 173 of "The Land Act, 1885," I hereby give notice that the under-mentioned runs, which have been submitted to auction and not sold, will be open for sale on application, at the upset annual rental, after the 30th April next:—

No. of Run.	Area.	Annual Rental.	Term of Years.	Locality.
13	A. 20,000	£ 20	10	Poerua (Little Wanganui) River Valley.
36	15,000	15	10	Oinamaka or Black River Valley.
50	10,000	10	10	Abbey Rocks and Paringa Lake.
56	17,000	17	10	Wataroa and Rotokino Rivers, and Saltwater Lagoon.
87	7,000	7	10	Haast River, between Clarke River and Haast Pass.

GERHARD MUELLER,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Small Grazing Runs open for Application.*

Crown Lands Office,  
Napier, 20th March, 1889.

THE under-mentioned runs having been offered by public auction, and not having been disposed of, will be open for application on and after the 28th April next, at the Napier and Gisborne Land Offices, in terms of section 213 of "The Land Act, 1885":—

- Run No. 53; area, 3,259 acres; annual rental, £20 7s. 4d.
- Run No. 57; area, 4,300 acres; annual rental, £26 17s. 6d.
- Run No. 58; area, 2,893 acres; annual rental, £72 6s. 6d.
- Run No. 59; area, 2,986 acres; annual rental, £74 13s.
- Run No. 60; area, 3,155 acres; annual rental, £78 17s. 6d.

G. W. WILLIAMS,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.



*Sale of Canterbury Runs.*

Crown Lands Office,  
Christchurch, 30th March, 1889.

THE under-mentioned runs will be offered for sale by public auction at the Land Office, Timaru, at 11 o'clock a.m. on Thursday, the 30th May, 1889:—

## PASTORAL LICENSES.

*Lithograph 3.*

RUN 20, about 3,400 acres, part THREE SPRINGS STATION, Mackenzie County; 9 years and 10 months, with right of resumption; upset rental, £110 per annum.

RUN 22, about 2,800 acres, part ALBURY STATION, Mackenzie County; 9 years and 10 months, with right of resumption; upset rental, £85 per annum.

RUN 23, about 5,400 acres, part ALBURY STATION, Mackenzie County; 9 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £150 per annum.

RUN 24, about 3,500 acres, part ROLLESBY STATION, Mackenzie County; 9 years and 10 months, with right of resumption; upset rental, £110 per annum.

RUN 25, about 18,500 acres, ROLLESBY STATION, Mackenzie County; 13 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £370 per annum.

RUN 26, about 4,600 acres, part OPAWA STATION, Mackenzie County; 9 years and 10 months, with right of resumption; upset rental, £160 per annum.

RUN 27, about 9,700 acres, OPAWA STATION, Mackenzie County; 13 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £300 per annum.

RUN 28, about 15,000 acres, MOUNT NESSING STATION, Mackenzie County; 13 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £425 per annum.

RUN 37, about 2,700 acres, CANNINGTON STATION, Waimate County; 9 years and 10 months, with right of resumption; upset rental, £105 per annum.

RUN 41, about 14,000 acres, part PAREORA STATION, Waimate County; 13 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £435 per annum.

RUN 44, about 17,000 acres, part BLUECLIFFS STATION, Waimate County; 13 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £460 per annum.

RUN 47, about 15,500 acres, part OTAIO STATION, Waimate County; 13 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £485 per annum.

RUN 48, about 4,350 acres, part WAIMATE STATION, Waimate County; 9 years and 10 months, with right of resumption; upset rental, £135 per annum.

RUN 49, about 4,800 acres, part WAIMATE STATION, Waimate County; 9 years and 10 months, with right of resumption; upset rental, £130 per annum.

RUN 50, about 6,300 acres, part WAIMATE STATION, Waimate County; 13 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £175 per annum.

RUN 61, Educational Reserve, about 15,500 acres; RUN 61A, about 7,000 acres: total, 22,500 acres; part HAKATERAMEA STATION, Waimate County; 13 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £485 per annum.

RUN 62, Educational Reserve, about 5,400 acres; RUN 62A, about 9,700 acres: total, 15,100 acres; part HAKATERAMEA STATION, Waimate County; 13 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £320 per annum.

RUN 64, about 11,000 acres, part HAKATERAMEA STATION, Waimate County; 13 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £210 per annum.

RUN 65, about 11,800 acres, HAKATERAMEA DOWNS STATION, Waimate County; 13 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £275 per annum.

RUN 66, about 48,900 acres, WAITANGI STATION, Waimate County; 9 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £1,225 per annum.

RUN 67, about 29,200 acres, AKATAREWA STATION, Waimate County; 9 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £900 per annum.

RUN 68, about 20,800 acres, BLACK FOREST STATION, Waimate County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £460 per annum.

RUN 69, Educational Reserve, about 19,238 acres, HALDON STATION, Waimate County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £350 per annum.

RUN 70, about 37,200 acres, part HALDON STATION, Waimate County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £690 per annum.

RUN 71, Educational Reserve, about 29,862 acres, GRAY'S HILLS STATION, Mackenzie County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £600 per annum.

RUN 72, about 45,000 acres, GRAMPAINS STATION, Mackenzie County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £630 per annum.

RUN 73, about 26,000 acres, part GRAY'S HILLS and WHALE'S BACK FLAT STATIONS, Mackenzie County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £240 per annum.

RUN 74, about 32,500 acres, WHALE'S BACK RUN STATION, Mackenzie County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £400 per annum.

*Lithograph 4.*

RUN 1, about 42,500 acres, MOUNT PEEL STATION, Geraldine County; 13 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £1,050 per annum.

RUN 2, about 58,000 acres (42,000 acres grass), part MOUNT PEEL STATION, Geraldine County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £900 per annum.

RUN 3, about 2,700 acres, part MOUNT PEEL STATION, Geraldine County; 9 years and 10 months, with right of resumption; upset rental, £90 per annum.

RUN 4, about 4,000 acres, PEEL FOREST STATION, Geraldine County; 9 years and 10 months, with right of resumption; upset rental, £150 per annum.

RUN 5, about 24,200 acres, ORARI STATION, Geraldine County; 13 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £770 per annum.

RUN 6, about 22,600 acres, ORARI STATION, Geraldine County; 13 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £580 per annum.

RUN 8, about 10,300 acres, FOUR PEAKS STATION, Geraldine County; 13 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £330 per annum.

RUN 14, about 46,800 acres, CLAYTON STATION, Geraldine County; 13 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £980 per annum.

RUN 15, about 44,500 acres (22,500 acres grass), SHERWOOD DOWNS STATION, Geraldine County; 13 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £420 per annum.

RUN 16, about 32,900 acres, ASHWICK STATION, Mackenzie County; 13 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £500 per annum.

RUN 75, about 27,100 acres, SAWDON STATION, Mackenzie County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £350 per annum.

RUN 76, about 27,900 acres, TEKAPO STATION, Mackenzie County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £275 per annum.

RUN 77, about 87,000 acres (57,000 acres grass), RICHMOND STATION, Mackenzie County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £440 per annum.

RUN 78, about 70,000 acres (20,000 acres grass), LILLYBANK STATION, Mackenzie County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £220 per annum.

RUN 80, about 62,000 acres (32,000 acres grass), MISTAKE STATION, Mackenzie County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £350 per annum.

*Lithograph 5.*

RUN 79, about 53,000 acres (40,000 acres grass), GLENMORE STATION, Mackenzie County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £470 per annum.

RUN 81, about 29,000 acres, BALMORAL STATION, Mackenzie County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £260 per annum.

RUN 82, about 40,000 acres, part BALMORAL STATION, Mackenzie County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £340 per annum.

RUN 83, about 25,000 acres (10,000 acres grass), MOUNT COOK STATION, Mackenzie County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £150 per annum.

RUN 84, about 23,500 acres, IRISHMAN CREEK STATION, Mackenzie County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £320 per annum.

RUN 85, about 42,300 acres, WOLDS STATION, Mackenzie County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £550 per annum.

RUN 86, about 30,600 acres, SIMONS PASS STATION, Mackenzie County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £400 per annum.

RUN 87, about 54,700 acres, BEN OHAU STATION, Mackenzie County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £475 per annum.



RUN 88, about 65,000 acres, RHOBORO' DOWNS STATION, Mackenzie County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £400 per annum.

RUN 89, about 58,000 acres (26,000 acres grass), GLENTANNER STATION, Mackenzie County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £225 per annum.

RUN 90, about 3,250 acres, part TASMAN ISLAND STATION, Mackenzie County; 9 years and 10 months, with right of resumption; upset rental, £20 per annum.

RUN 91, about 1,000 acres, part TASMAN ISLAND STATION, Mackenzie County; 9 years and 10 months, with right of resumption; upset rental, £15 per annum.

*Lithograph 7.*

RUN 92, about 24,000 acres (12,000 acres grass), part BENDMORE STATION, Waitaki County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £100 per annum.

RUN 93, about 200,000 acres (50,000 acres grass), LAKE OHAU STATION, Waitaki County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £500 per annum.

RUN 94, about 60,000 acres (15,000 acres grass), BIRCHWOOD STATION, Mackenzie County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £75 per annum. Subject to valuation for improvements; see note at foot.

RUN 95, about 75,000 acres (20,000 acres grass), HAWEA FLAT STATION, Vincent County; 20 years, and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £60 per annum. Subject to valuation for improvements; see note at foot.

RUN 96, about 50,000 acres (20,000 acres grass), UPPER WANAKA STATION, Lake County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £75 per annum. Subject to valuation for improvements; see note at foot.

RUN 97, about 56,000 acres (5,000 acres grass), UPPER WILKIN STATION, Lake County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £10 per annum. Subject to valuation for improvements; see note at foot.

RUN 98, 95,000 acres (10,000 acres grass), STEWART'S RIVER, Vincent County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £25 per annum.

RUN 99, 52,000 acres (15,000 acres grass), MAKARORA PEAK STATION, Vincent County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £25 per annum.

RUN 99A, 63,000 acres (15,000 acres grass), HUNTER RIVER STATION, Vincent County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £40 per annum.

The runs which are to be disposed of with right of resumption will be subject to valuation for improvements in the event of the Government deciding to resume possession after twelve months' notice, in terms of "The Land Act, 1885." The said valuation will be payable one month before possession is taken, and shall in no case exceed three times the annual rent, or five times the annual rent when such rent does not exceed £50.

Runs 94, 95, 96, and 97 are subject to valuation for improvements existing on such part of them as are occupied under licenses at present held as Nos. N 29, N 42, N 92, N 104, and N 105, issued under "The Land Act, 1885." The said valuation will be payable one month before possession is given, as provided by section 180 of "The Land Act, 1885," and shall in no case exceed five times the amount of the present annual rental.

Six months' rent must be paid at the time of sale, and possession will be given on the 2nd May, 1890. Conditions as to further payment of rent, date of leases, &c., may be obtained at the Land Office, Christchurch, and will also be announced at the time of sale.

The Education Reserves are liable to be purchased at any time at £2 an acre.

The purchase or removal of any existing fences on the Crown lands offered for license, whether at the date of sale or before the determination of the present license, will be matter of arrangement between the present licensee and the purchaser during the currency of the present license. No liability is accepted by or on behalf of the Crown in respect of any such fencing.

Where fences form the boundary between Crown lands offered for license and freehold land, the purchaser of such license will be liable to the provisions of any law now or hereafter in force relating to boundary fences.

Posters and plans can be seen at the principal railway stations and post offices throughout Canterbury, and may be obtained at the Land Offices at Christchurch and Timaru, and at the Crown Lands Office, Wellington.

J. H. BAKER,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Sale of Canterbury Runs.*

Crown Lands Office,  
Christchurch, 30th March, 1889.

THE under-mentioned runs will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Land Office, Christchurch, at 11 o'clock a.m. on Tuesday, the 4th June, 1889:—

PASTORAL LICENSES.

*Lithograph Sheet No. 6.*

RUN 100, about 35,000 acres (24,000 acres grass), BLACKFORD STATION, Ashburton County; 13 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £600 per annum.

RUN 102, about 30,000 acres (22,000 acres grass), ALFORD STATION, Ashburton County; 13 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £330 per annum.

RUN 103, about 1,800 acres, McCRAE'S STATION, Ashburton County; 9 years and 10 months, with right of resumption; upset rental, £35 per annum.

RUN 104, about 12,700 acres, MOUNT SOMERS STATION, Ashburton County; 13 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £200 per annum.

RUN 106, about 7,000 acres, ANAMA STATION, Ashburton County; 9 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £235 per annum.

RUN 107, about 7,300 acres, SHEPHERD'S BUSH STATION, Ashburton County; 9 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £230 per annum.

RUN 108, Educational Reserve, about 29,500 acres, MOUNT POSSESSION STATION, Ashburton County; 13 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £600 per annum.

RUN 109, Educational Reserve, about 15,400 acres, MOUNT POSSESSION STATION, Ashburton County; 13 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £300 per annum.

RUN 110, Educational Reserve, about 37,900 acres, and RUN 110A, about 44,000 acres (20,000 acres grass), MESOPOTAMIA STATION, Ashburton County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £530 per annum.

RUN 110B, about 14,000 acres (about 1,200 acres grass), MESOPOTAMIA STATION, Ashburton County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £10 per annum.

RUN 111, about 18,500 acres (6,500 acres grass), MESOPOTAMIA STATION, Ashburton County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £60 per annum.

RUN 112, about 17,000 acres (10,000 acres grass), McCRAE'S STATION, Ashburton County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £85 per annum.

RUN 113, about 54,700 acres (37,700 acres grass), HAKATERE STATION, Ashburton County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £520 per annum.

RUN 114, about 26,500 acres (15,600 acres grass), HAKATERE No. 2 STATION, Ashburton County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £230 per annum.

RUN 115, about 52,600 acres (46,600 acres grass), CLENT HILLS STATION, Ashburton County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £640 per annum.

RUN 116, about 25,000 acres, DUNBAR'S STATION, Ashburton County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £220 per annum.

RUN 117, about 37,500 acres (23,700 acres grass), LAKE HERON STATION, Ashburton County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £270 per annum.

RUN 118, about 64,000 acres (47,000 acres grass), DOUBLE HILL No. 1 STATION, Ashburton County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £710 per annum.

RUN 119, about 49,500 acres (37,000 acres grass), DOUBLE HILL No. 2 STATION, Ashburton County; 20 years and 10 months, fixed tenure; upset rental, £370 per annum.

The run which is to be disposed of with right of resumption will be subject to valuation for improvements in the event of the Government deciding to resume possession after twelve months' notice, in terms of "The Land Act, 1885." The said valuation will be payable one month before possession is taken, and shall in no case exceed three times the annual rent, or five times the annual rent when such rent does not exceed £50.

Six months' rent must be paid at the time of sale, and possession will be given on the 2nd May, 1890. Conditions as to further payment of rent, date of leases, &c., may be obtained at the Land Office, Christchurch, and will also be announced at the time of sale.

The Education Reserves are liable to be purchased at any time at £2 an acre.

The purchase or removal of any existing fences on the Crown lands offered for license, whether at the date of sale

or before the determination of the present license, will be matter of arrangement between the present licensee and the purchaser during the currency of the present license. No liability is accepted by or on behalf of the Crown in respect of any such fencing.

Where fences form the boundary between Crown lands offered for license and freehold land, the purchaser of such license will be liable to the provisions of any law now or hereafter in force relating to boundary fences.

Posters and plans can be seen at the principal railway stations and post offices throughout Canterbury, and may be obtained at the Land Offices at Christchurch and Timaru, and at the Crown Lands Office, Wellington.

JOHN H. BAKER,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

#### Sale of Otago Runs.

Crown Lands Office,  
Dunedin, 8th April, 1889.

THE under-mentioned runs will be offered for sale by public auction at the Crown Lands Office, Dunedin, at noon on Thursday, the 9th May, 1889:—

#### PASTORAL LICENSES.

Run 36, about 2,500 acres, Wakatipu Pastoral District, Lake County; term, 7 years; upset rental, £15 per annum.

Run 330B (Class I.), about 41,130 acres, Kawarau Station, Vincent County; term, 21 years; upset rental, £200 per annum.

Run 424A (Class I.), about 5,550 acres, Southland County; term, 21 years; upset rental, £12 10s. per annum.

Run 425B (Class I.), about 14,200 acres, Vincent, Southland, and Tuapeka Counties; term, 21 years; upset rental, £15 per annum.

Run 428 (Class I.), about 9,770 acres, Tuapeka and Southland Counties; term, 21 years; upset rental, £12 10s. per annum.

Run 433 (Class I.), about 7,100 acres, Vincent County; term, 21 years; upset rental, £10 per annum.

Run 458 (Class I.), about 23,100 acres, Lake County; term, 21 years; upset rental, £5 per annum.

Possession of the foregoing runs will be given on day of sale.

Run 221, about 11,020 acres, Moutere Station, Vincent County; term, 10 years; upset rental, £200 per annum.

Run 221E, about 8,923 acres, Moutere Station, Vincent County; term, 14 years; upset rental, £200 per annum.

Run 226, about 14,000 acres, Lauder Station, Maniototo and Vincent Counties; term, 14 years; upset rental, £105 per annum.

Run 226A, about 13,440 acres, Lauder Station, Maniototo and Vincent Counties; term, 14 years; upset rental, £270 per annum.

Run 226B, about 15,800 acres, Lauder Station, Maniototo and Vincent Counties; term, 14 years; upset rental, £330 per annum.

Run 226C, about 8,280 acres, Lauder Station, Maniototo and Vincent Counties; term, 14 years; upset rental, £175 per annum.

Run 233, about 13,140 acres, Waitaki County; term, 14 years; upset rental, £50 per annum.

Run 335A, about 23,950 acres, Vincent County; term, 14 years; upset rental, £75 per annum.

Possession will be given on 1st September, 1889.

Run 203B (Class I.), about 5,950 acres, Longlands Station, Maniototo County; term, 3 years; upset rental, £150 per annum.

Run 209 (Class I.), about 5,200 acres, Kureheka Station, Waitaki County; term, 10 years; upset rental, £60 per annum.

Runs 203B and 209 are subject to valuation for improvements to an amount not to exceed three times the present annual rental, to be paid one month before the 1st March, 1890, the date on which possession will be given.

Purchasers of any of the foregoing runs will require to pay a half-year's rent and £1 1s. license-fee on fall of hammer. Tenure of runs marked "Class I." is certain for terms stated. Government not reserving any right of resumption. The remainder are subject to the provisions of "The Land Act, 1885."

#### SMALL GRAZING RUN.

Rock and Pillar District; Section 7, Block XI., 4,624 acres; term, 21 years; upset rental, £115 12s.; valuation for improvements, £1,821 5s.

Possession on day of sale. Purchaser must deposit statutory declaration required by section 200 of "The Land Act, 1885," and pay the first half-year's rent on fall of hammer. Valuation for improvements payable within fourteen days from day of sale.

#### HOMESTEAD ON RUN 433.

Mid Hawea District: Section 2, containing 88 acres; upset price, £1 per acre; valuation for improvements, £120.

Terms: 20 per cent. deposit on fall of hammer; balance, with valuation for improvements and Crown-grant fee (£1), to be paid within thirty days from day of sale.

#### RURAL, VILLAGE, AND SUBURBAN DEFERRED-PAYMENT LANDS (REOPENED).

Dunback District (rural): Section 14, Block V., 269 acres 2 roods 14 perches; upset price, £1 10s. per acre; valuation for improvements, £59 5s.

Greenvale District (rural): Section 8, Block XV., 46 acres and 10 perches; upset price, £1 5s. per acre.

Otepopo District (village): Section 60, Block I., 1 acre 3 roods 20 perches; upset price, £8 per acre.

Tuapeka West District (village): Section 7, Block XIV., 4 acres 3 roods 34 perches; upset price, £1 10s. per acre; valuation for improvements, £11 12s. Section 22, Block XIV., 5 acres and 5 perches; upset price, £1 10s. per acre.

Waikoikoi Township (suburban): Section 13, 1 acre; upset price, £5; valuation for improvements, £3 4s. Section 20, 1 acre 1 rood 39 perches; upset price, £5 per acre.

Purchasers must deposit statutory declaration required by section 113 of "The Land Act, 1885," and pay the first half-year's instalment, together with £1 1s. license-fee and valuation for improvements (if any) at time of sale.

#### TOWNSHIPS.

Roxburgh Town: Section 5, Block I., containing about 27 perches, on which is erected the old Courthouse; upset price, £10; valuation, £25.

Moeraki Town: Suburban Sections 4, 5, and 6, Block X., 2, Block XI., 5, Block XIII., 3, Block XIV., 31, 32, and 33, Block XVI., containing from 3 roods to 2 acres each; upset price, £10 per acre.

Etrick Township, Suburban Sections 20, Block VIII., 3, 4, 5, 6, and 10, Block XI., containing from 2 roods to 4 acres each; upset price, £3 per acre.

Terms: 20 per cent. deposit on fall of hammer; balance, with Crown-grant fee (£1) and valuation (if any), to be paid within thirty days from day of sale. In cases of Sections 5, Block XIII., and 3, Block XIV., Moeraki, purchasers will have to pay cost of transfer, £2 12s.

Plans and further information can be obtained at this office.

J. P. MAITLAND,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

#### Goldfields Notices.

Reward of £10,000 offered for the Discovery of New Goldfields.—Amended Conditions.

Mines Department,  
Wellington, 30th April, 1888.

REWARDS of £10,000 are offered for the discovery of new goldfields, upon the amended conditions set forth hereunder.

G. F. RICHARDSON,  
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 £5,000 for the North Island, and £5,000 for the Middle Island.

2. The newly-discovered goldfield must be situated not less than forty miles from any existing goldfield or any existing workings.

3. No reward shall be payable until 50,000 ounces of gold have been produced from the newly-discovered goldfield within three years from the date of its being registered.

4. Any person discovering new gold-workings, and being desirous of obtaining the 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 will be allowed upon Native land without a prospecting license authorising the person therein named, with the consent of the owner of the land, to prospect, in accordance with the provisions of sections one hundred and thirty-five to one hundred and thirty-seven of "The Mining Act, 1886," inclusive.

No reward shall be paid for any discovery that may be made upon Native land without the consent of the Native owners and the approval of the Minister of Mines.

RETURN of the CUSTOMS REVENUE at the several Ports of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 31st MARCH, 1889.

HEADS OF REVENUE.	Rates of Duty.																					TOTALS.		Corresponding Quarter, 1888.				
		Auckland.	Thames.	Russell.	Kaipara.	Tauranga.	Poverty Bay.	New Plymouth.	Patea.	Wanganui.	Foxton.	Wellington.	Napier.	Wairau.	Pictou.	Nelson.	Westport.	Greymouth.	Hokitika.	Lyttelton.	Timaru.	Oamaru.	Dunedin.		Invercargill.	Quantities.	Revenue.	
Spirits, $\text{p}$ gal.	14s. 6d.	£ 5862	£	£	£	£ 53	£ 677	£ 223	£ 68	£ 830	£	£ 5881	£ 1871	£ 592	£ 12	£ 1344	£ 518	£ 1240	£ 645	£ 7107	£ 956	£ 1466	£ 10038	£ 1625	54677 gal.	£ 41008	£ 69289	
" "	15s.	3615		2		22	104	27		69		2786	615	65		390	201	232	106	1048	33	79	1411	196	13751 "	11001		
" "	21s.	94								7		76				1				20	1		98		283 "	297	356	
Cigars and Snuff, $\text{p}$ lb.	6s.																										7547	
" "	7s.	2006			2		108	8	17	27		1981	486			261	83	84	48	875	9		2886	65	25560 lb.	8946		
Tobacco, $\text{p}$ lb.	3s. 6d.	10361		117	6	21	439	326	128	671		7868	2364	412		1855	700	1378	795	7118	679	765	10594	1187	273051 "	47784	48469	
" Unmanufactured, $\text{p}$ lb.	2s.	551																							5510 "	551	415	
" Sheepwash, $\text{p}$ lb.	3d.																											3
Wine, $\text{p}$ gal.	5s. 6d.																											4646
" "	6s.	749				3	29	29	8	65		993	279	30		153	32	48	15	1135	89	148	699	137	15470 gal.	4641		
" "	6s. 6d.																										401	
" "	9s.	113					5			5		116	29			9				97	18	3	170	4	1264 gal.	569		
" "	4s. 6d.																										1173	
" "	5s.	180					21	7				280	76	61	12	108	18	78	78	351	92	72	291	94	7276 gal.	1819		
Ale, Beer, &c., $\text{p}$ gal.	1s. 6d.	829					36					1465	138	3		586				785			1449	42	71106 "	5333	4490	
" in Wood, $\text{p}$ gal.	1s. 3d.																										552	
Tea, $\text{p}$ lb.	4d.																										14535	
" "	6d.	3152				41	47	12	29	74		2668	499			591	40	183	219	8867	99	80	4309	247	846280 lb.	21157		
Coffee, Cocoa, &c., $\text{p}$ lb.	3d.	360				1	2					428	3	7		110	4		56	168			358		119840 "	1498	1449	
" Roasted, $\text{p}$ lb.	5d.	23										6				4									1584 "	33		
Sugar and Molasses, $\text{p}$ lb.	3d.	12185					51	5				2114	202		359	33	402	341	5444	52	22	7384	606	14016000 "	29200	27236		
" Glucose, $\text{p}$ lb.	1d.	21										97	47		8					49			134		85440 "	356		
" Saccharine, $\text{p}$ oz.	5s.	4																							16 oz.	4		
Opium, $\text{p}$ lb.	20s.																										1477	
" "	40s.											672														962 lb.	1925	
Goods by Weight		5912				2	157	24	62	331		7527	609	28		872	2	441	94	5119	144	49	8150	576		30099	22549	
" ad valorem		33259		15		30	363	107	72	828		22527	3061	468	3	3609	233	1327	310	21824	1515	1183	33991	2130		126861	82982	
Other Duties not specified above		2907		4		41	81	54	76	88		5829	708	16		279	23	78	24	1729	186	133	6870	113		19239	14917	
Customs Revenue..		82183		138	8	214	2121	822	460	2995		63314	10987	1682	27	10539	1893	5491	2731	61736	3873	4000	90085	7022		352321		
Primage Duty ..		4104		1	3	6	58	20	16	109		2657	336	52	1	379	25	125	36	2707	194	125	4365	340		15659		
Totals ..		86287		139	11	220	2179	842	476	3104		65971	11323	1734	28	10918	1918	5616	2767	64443	4067	4125	94450	7362		367980		
Corresponding Quarter, 1888		72680	842	112	1	222	1850	865	130	1951	2	47835	10400	1699	47	9756	2148	6026	3251	50899	3898	2610	79185	6077			302486	
Customs Revenue for Financial Year ended 31st March, 1889		306168		506	19	1088	10048	3788	1992	12033		244679	46721	7584	133	54807	10453	28056	14239	247244	15226	14643	363336	32990			1415753	
Primage Duty, ditto		10689		1	4	14	190	96	58	323		7994	1146	152	3	1364	83	416	138	8680	618	343	12842	978			46132	
Totals, ditto		316857		507	23	1102	10238	3884	2050	12356		252673	47867	7736	136	56171	10536	28472	14377	255924	15844	14986	376178	33968			1461885	

Excise Duty—

	For Quarter, 1889.	For Quarter, 1888.
Tobacco ..	3600lb., at 1s., £180*	.. at 1s., £173
Cigars ..	2106lb., at 1s. 6d., 158†	.. at 1s., 95
Beer ..	1151760 gals., at 3d., 14397	.. at 3d., 13976

Foreign Parcels Post Duties .. £351 18s. 11d.

\* Auckland, £113; Dunedin, £67.

† Auckland, £155; Dunedin, £3.

RETURN of the QUANTITY and VALUE of GOLD ENTERED for DUTY for EXPORTATION from NEW ZEALAND, from 1st APRIL, 1887, to 31st MARCH, 1889.

ENTERED FOR DUTY AT	PRODUCE OF THE GOLDFIELDS IN	DURING THE QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1889.		ENTERED FOR EXPORTATION TO THE 31ST DECEMBER, 1888.		TOTAL ENTERED FOR EXPORTATION FROM NEW ZEALAND TO THE 31ST MARCH, 1889.	
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Auckland .. ..	Auckland .. ..	Oz. 6,413	£ 25,398	Oz. 1,578,957	£ 5,833,522	Oz. 1,585,370	£ 5,903,920
Wellington .. ..	Wellington .. ..	..	..	188	706	188	706
Auckland .. ..	Marlborough {	1	4	55,673	214,634	57,450	221,472
Blenheim .. ..		1,009	3,995				
Picton .. ..		691	2,547				
Nelson .. ..		43	160				
Greymouth .. ..		33	132				
		1,777	6,838				
Nelson .. ..	Nelson .. ..	985	3,680	1,647,941	6,538,079	1,648,926	6,541,759
Nelson .. ..	West Coast {	193	733	3,482,884	13,831,987	3,512,910	13,952,052
Westport .. ..		3,539	14,156				
Greymouth .. ..		18,653	74,610				
Hokitika .. ..		7,641	30,566				
		30,026	120,065				
Christchurch .. ..	Various .. ..	..	..	24	96	24	96
Dunedin .. ..	Canterbury .. ..	..	..	24	96	24	96
Dunedin .. ..	Otago {	20,373	80,630	4,656,126	18,374,522	4,677,316	18,458,418
Invercargill .. ..		817	3,266				
		21,190	83,896				
Totals .. ..	.. ..	60,391	239,877	11,421,817	44,843,642	11,482,268	45,083,519

Department of Trade and Customs,  
Wellington, 11th April, 1889.

H. S. McKELLAR,  
Secretary and Inspector.

COMPARATIVE RETURN of the QUANTITY and VALUE of GOLD ENTERED for DUTY for EXPORTATION from NEW ZEALAND for the QUARTERS ended 31st MARCH, 1889, and 31st MARCH, 1888.

DISTRICT OF	QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1889.		QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1888.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Auckland .. ..	Oz. 6,413	£ 25,398	Oz. 10,953	£ 43,449
Marlborough .. ..	1,777	6,838	..	..
Nelson .. ..	985	3,680	367	1,365
West Coast .. ..	30,026	120,065	23,652	106,565
Otago .. ..	21,190	83,896	14,736	57,657
Totals .. ..	60,391	239,877	52,708	209,036

Department of Trade and Customs,  
Wellington, 11th April, 1889.

H. S. McKELLAR,  
Secretary and Inspector.

RETURN of REVENUE collected at the General Post Office and in the several Postal Districts of New Zealand for the Quarter ended 31st March, 1889.

APRIL 18.]

THE NEW ZEALAND GAZETTE.

	Postage received from Foreign Offices.	Private Box and Bag Rents.	Money-order Commission.	Stamps sold and credited to Stamp Revenue.	Postal Guides.	Postal-note Commission.	Miscellaneous Receipts.	Total.	TELEGRAPH REVENUE.			
									Paid Telegrams, &c.		Government Telegrams.	
									Number.	Cash received.	Number.	Value.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
General Post Office .. .. .	6,597 2 5½	..	..	..	..	..	10,632 9 0	17,229 11 5½	..	132 4 3	..	..
Auckland .. .. .	..	374 0 0	346 9 2	5,142 13 1½	14 7 6	53 14 4½	1 5	5,932 9 8	65,509	4,468 8 11	7,346	1,351 4 4
Blenheim .. .. .	..	91 10 0	60 5 10	764 9 1	3 16 0	6 10 1½	0 10 6	927 1 6½	11,090	733 5 1	1,620	189 0 0
Christchurch .. .. .	..	579 10 0	251 4 8	4,632 13 5½	18 5 0	30 17 7½	57 7 3	5,569 18 0	51,097	3,880 7 9	5,726	649 10 11
Dunedin .. .. .	..	387 10 0	272 0 6	4,213 5 0½	16 12 6	38 2 4½	2 13 6	4,930 3 11	61,740	4,341 3 10	6,694	729 0 11
Gisborne .. .. .	..	60 10 0	33 3 6	2,053 11 10	0 15 0	1 9 1	0 0 6	2,149 9 11	7,042	435 4 8	1,800	233 15 4
Greymouth .. .. .	..	87 0 0	84 1 6	946 9 2	2 16 0	4 7 9	0 14 0	1,125 8 5	15,424	946 1 7	963	68 10 8
Hokitika .. .. .	..	54 0 0	34 15 6	458 14 4½	2 2 6	2 13 6	0 5 0	552 10 10½	6,716	306 15 11	866	106 6 3
Invercargill .. .. .	..	283 10 0	99 16 8	2,660 17 0	7 2 0	22 12 2½	0 13 0	3,074 10 10½	20,531	1,161 19 2	2,362	179 4 1
Napier .. .. .	..	315 0 0	138 12 2	2,242 5 5½	5 4 6	20 5 3	4 10 0	2,725 17 4½	26,291	1,988 8 11	3,724	386 13 5
Nelson .. .. .	..	75 0 0	47 5 4	867 11 6	4 8 0	7 5 6½	5 10 6	1,007 0 10½	18,068	846 11 11	1,665	156 11 3
New Plymouth .. .. .	..	52 10 0	35 11 4	202 1 5	0 19 0	10 14 4½	0 9 6	302 5 7½	11,577	511 7 2	1,642	170 19 1
Oamaru .. .. .	..	110 10 0	49 16 2	1,450 11 10½	5 2 6	6 1 11	0 3 9	1,622 6 2½	8,562	598 3 5	889	93 4 8
Thames .. .. .	..	58 0 0	57 7 6	1,207 19 11	2 10 0	9 14 11	0 7 0	1,335 19 4	11,790	664 14 8	1,496	172 5 4
Timaru .. .. .	..	171 10 0	60 14 4	2,421 4 9½	4 9 6	12 0 9	15 2 6	2,685 1 10½	13,973	866 2 11	979	178 2 6
Wanganui .. .. .	..	169 10 0	84 10 4	2,781 17 8	2 14 0	19 15 2	0 5 9	3,058 12 11	19,992	1,156 7 2	2,520	220 12 10
Wellington .. .. .	..	491 0 0	332 12 10	3,124 18 2½	2 11 0	37 7 4	57 13 9	4,046 3 1½	70,459	5,144 19 6	16,864	2,682 13 1
Westport .. .. .	..	44 10 0	56 15 0	519 16 3½	0 11 6	2 13 0	0 5 0	624 10 9½	9,225	482 10 8	1,598	176 13 5
Total first quarter in 1889	6,597 2 5½	3,405 0 0	2,045 2 4	35,691 0 2½	94 6 6	286 5 3½	10,780 6 0	58,899 2 9½	429,086	23,664 17 6	53,759	7,144 8 1
Total first quarter in 1888	10,725 0 5	3,575 0 0	2,052 19 10	37,597 18 5	78 3 0	246 11 10½	337 4 10	54,612 18 4½	397,875	26,554 17 5	60,344	6,539 12 7

General Post Office,  
Wellington, 15th April, 1889.

W. GRAY,  
Secretary.

STATEMENT showing the NUMBER, AMOUNT, &c., of MONEY ORDER and SAVINGS BANK TRANSACTIONS in the several Postal Districts of the Colony of New Zealand during the Quarter ended 31st March, 1889.

POSTAL DISTRICTS.	Money Order and Savings Bank Offices open.	MONEY ORDERS.				SAVINGS BANKS.									
		Issued.		Paid.		Accounts.		Number of Deposits.	Number of Withdrawals.	Amount of Deposits.	Amount of Withdrawals.	Excess of Deposits over Withdrawals.	Excess of Withdrawals over Deposits.		
		Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Opened.	Closed.								
			£ s. d.		£ s. d.					£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		
Auckland .. .. .	70	6,728	22,952 19 4	8,581	30,206 9 7	651	530	4,079	2,886	49,307 1 4	47,528 0 9	1,779 0 7	..		
Blenheim .. .. .	8	1,162	4,195 6 6	591	2,317 1 8	148	96	733	462	9,531 7 5	9,326 12 7	204 14 10	..		
Christchurch .. .. .	37	4,648	16,500 18 6	4,784	16,397 10 9	1,099	648	8,083	4,927	85,498 4 3	78,724 1 1	6,774 3 2	..		
Dunedin .. .. .	38	5,289	18,332 8 0	6,897	23,490 13 7	958	682	6,810	4,110	65,519 19 5	66,673 0 4	..	1,153 0 11		
Gisborne .. .. .	2	535	1,903 3 5	213	821 17 8	72	50	405	271	2,904 12 7	3,448 8 6	..	543 15 11		
Greymouth .. .. .	6	1,424	5,166 0 9	879	3,436 18 7	106	119	749	604	9,186 4 2	12,064 11 7	..	2,878 7 5		
Hokitika .. .. .	6	715	2,400 0 4	371	1,319 6 11	59	55	358	219	4,448 5 6	5,574 15 11	..	1,126 10 5		
Invercargill .. .. .	23	2,395	7,666 3 2	1,911	6,535 12 11	244	137	1,453	698	13,328 13 7	12,080 5 6	1,248 8 1	..		
Napier .. .. .	19	2,484	9,138 14 9	1,836	6,612 7 5	296	257	1,853	1,135	20,697 10 4	19,104 5 9	1,593 4 7	..		
Nelson .. .. .	9	964	3,378 19 10	1,246	4,711 18 10	129	99	972	588	8,430 13 8	10,462 4 6	..	2,031 10 10		
New Plymouth .. .. .	6	793	2,736 1 9	780	2,671 0 10	142	118	786	602	13,971 0 3	15,188 19 8	..	1,217 19 5		
Oamaru .. .. .	8	1,184	3,935 2 7	506	1,804 13 4	169	109	878	471	9,736 4 3	8,969 11 4	766 12 11	..		
Thames .. .. .	12	1,279	4,252 4 7	896	3,503 11 5	144	92	1,041	691	10,547 0 10	9,859 13 4	687 7 6	..		
Timaru .. .. .	9	1,225	4,086 3 10	744	2,739 5 6	197	144	1,156	656	11,007 2 10	12,973 0 0	..	1,965 17 2		
Wanganui .. .. .	12	1,828	6,528 16 7	1,200	4,290 19 9	262	168	1,497	916	16,942 16 5	14,777 13 9	2,165 2 8	..		
Wellington .. .. .	30	6,823	22,788 6 11	5,796	21,699 0 5	1,055	675	7,560	4,682	70,195 5 5	69,384 6 11	810 18 6	..		
Westport .. .. .	8	1,078	4,055 10 6	316	1,156 14 3	94	82	493	294	5,863 6 4	6,196 12 5	..	333 6 1		
Total first quarter in 1889 ..	303	40,554	140,017 1 4	37,547	133,715 3 5	5,825	4,061	38,906	24,212	407,115 8 7	402,336 3 11	4,779 4 8	..		
Total first quarter in 1888 ..	294	39,250	135,454 5 0	34,345	122,111 0 3	5,752	4,288	36,666	23,816	401,017 2 0	352,764 12 2	48,252 9 10	..		

General Post Office,  
Wellington, 15th April, 1889.

W. GRAY,  
Secretary.

STATEMENT showing the NUMBER, AMOUNT, &c., of POSTAL-NOTE TRANSACTIONS in the several Postal Districts of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 31st March, 1889.

POSTAL DISTRICTS.	No. of Offices which transact Postal-note Business.	NUMBER OF POSTAL NOTES SOLD.											Total Amount of Postal Notes sold.	Commis-sion on Postal Notes sold.	NUMBER OF POSTAL NOTES PAID.											Total Amount of Postal Notes paid.						
		At 1/0	At 1/6	At 2/6	At 5/0	At 7/6	At 10/0	At 12/6	At 15/0	At 17/6	At 20/0	Total.			At 1/0	At 1/6	At 2/6	At 5/0	At 7/6	At 10/0	At 12/6	At 15/0	At 17/6	At 20/0	Total.							
Auckland ..	70	1,375	1,169	710	1,017	485	1,036	296	390	179	904	7,561	£ 2,791	s. 2	d. 10½	£ 53	s. 14	d. 4½	1,705	1,307	879	1,161	532	1,367	397	442	197	1,104	9,091	£ 3,322	s. 8	d. 0
Blenheim ..	8	210	183	66	130	56	137	25	35	16	126	934	339	2	1½	6	10	1½	75	43	17	62	15	61	13	18	9	83	396	173	4	6
Christchurch ..	38	666	543	314	630	227	578	190	246	96	588	4,078	1,651	0	7½	30	17	7½	935	741	289	682	339	776	306	318	155	721	5,362	2,122	19	0
Dunedin ..	38	902	707	369	688	341	719	270	278	135	685	5,094	2,022	2	4½	38	2	4½	1,154	924	554	1,129	445	873	349	358	175	927	6,888	2,648	12	6
Gisborne ..	2	21	10	13	31	8	26	4	20	6	20	169	76	7	7	1	9	1	13	15	7	13	6	18	8	7	4	15	106	45	18	0
Greymouth ..	6	111	78	36	75	36	97	29	32	10	78	582	229	18	3	4	7	9	72	152	49	95	29	60	49	40	12	57	615	213	17	6
Hokitika ..	6	48	32	19	44	23	67	9	14	14	53	323	144	7	0	2	13	6	18	18	14	18	13	27	9	8	5	25	155	67	17	6
Invercargill ..	23	516	339	219	406	206	409	153	192	74	425	2,939	1,213	16	8½	22	12	2½	369	216	124	260	144	247	95	134	66	305	1,960	815	5	6
Napier ..	19	540	461	224	379	186	410	148	144	62	302	2,856	1,036	1	9	20	5	3	441	372	166	315	161	322	92	122	57	253	2,301	822	14	0
Nelson ..	9	166	149	75	116	55	143	74	47	20	126	971	382	5	0½	7	5	6½	212	155	95	129	60	109	39	47	29	125	1,000	353	7	0
New Plymouth ..	6	337	296	155	206	107	193	58	81	39	155	1,627	543	7	10½	10	14	4½	293	214	124	160	100	375	55	70	29	140	1,560	563	9	0
Oamaru ..	8	184	126	61	124	49	114	35	53	18	101	865	317	2	5	6	1	11	113	65	22	64	32	75	15	32	8	70	496	189	3	0
Thames ..	12	240	173	126	169	86	229	46	69	20	163	1,321	500	9	5	9	14	11	102	86	45	78	38	107	13	25	11	68	573	208	18	6
Timaru ..	9	289	220	89	195	99	231	89	81	41	243	1,577	650	14	9	12	0	9	156	97	66	89	36	119	35	35	20	130	783	314	4	0
Wanganui ..	12	558	462	208	364	176	394	129	139	70	310	2,810	1,018	8	8	19	15	2	358	268	142	296	119	267	71	93	33	185	1,832	635	17	6
Wellington ..	30	1,029	855	347	690	325	740	219	292	91	656	5,244	1,952	3	10	37	7	4	1,183	861	465	758	367	803	223	334	102	796	5,892	2,185	12	0
Westport ..	8	74	54	28	48	17	50	16	24	8	48	367	140	5	6	2	13	0	21	27	21	30	6	12	10	10	3	22	162	59	16	6
Total 1st quarter in 1889	304	7,266	5,807	3,059	5,312	2,482	5,583	1,790	2,137	899	4,983	39,318	15,008	16	9½	286	5	3½	7,220	5,561	3,179	5,339	2,442	5,618	1,779	2,093	915	5,026	39,172	14,743	4	0
Total 1st quarter in 1888	294	6,247	4,791	2,496	4,285	2,090	4,760	1,445	1,890	808	4,616	33,428	13,108	17	10½	246	11	10½	6,059	4,730	2,485	4,188	2,088	4,731	1,395	1,914	786	4,566	32,942	12,724	19	10

General Post Office,  
Wellington, 15th April, 1889.

W. GRAY,  
Secretary.



## Account of Land in Cultivation and Agricultural Produce, February, 1889.

Registrar-General's Office, Wellington, 17th April, 1889.

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

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

Counties.	Numbers of Holdings over One Acre in Extent.				Extent of Land broken up, but not under Crop. Acres.	In Wheat.		In Oats.			In Barley.		In Potatoes.		In Turnips or Rape.	In Other Crops.	Total Number of Acres under Crop, exclusive of Land under Grasses.	In Sown Grasses.				Grass Seed, Produce of.		In Garden.	In Orchard.	Dairy Cows.														
	Freehold.	Rented.	Part Freehold, part Rented.	Total Numbers of Holdings.		Acres.	Acres.	Estimated Gross Produce (in bushels).	Acres.		Estimated Gross Produce (in bushels).	Acres.	Estimated Gross Produce (in bushels).	Acres.				Estimated Gross Produce (in tons).	Acres.	Estimated Gross Produce (in tons).	In Hay.		In Grasses after having been broken up (including such as in Hay).				Grass-sown Lands not previously ploughed (including such as in Hay).	Cocks-foot.	Rye-grass.	Acres.	Acres.	Bshls.	Bshls.	Acres.	Acres.	No. of.				
									For Green Food or Hay.	For Grain.											Acres.	Estimated Gross Produce (in tons).															Acres.	Estimated Gross Produce (in tons).	Acres.	Estimated Gross Produce (in tons).
Mongonui ..	91	44	15	150	116	120	2,990	73	296	8,260	3	48	75	316	8	269	844	127	180	3,472	3,419	149	1,340	71	69	627														
Whangaroa ..	57	10	4	71	6	8	212	60	..	..	..	..	16	60	..	51	135	18	23	489	1,433	17	10	30	65	218														
Hekianganga ..	56	142	..	198	5	12	261	9	7	305	1	30	50	181	..	57	136	5	6	13	2,371	57	50	64	98	352														
Bay of Islands..	174	17	9	200	180	4	437	146	48	880	10	182	74	284	96	39	417	157	233	3,199	14,686	189	6	55	135	996														
Whangarei ..	725	41	16	782	1,532	230	5,640	703	479	11,651	4	63	219	964	32	365	2,032	791	808	14,613	28,386	1,389	3,480	119	744	4,263														
Hobson ..	77	6	6	89	54	2	50	129	5	87	..	..	36	154	5	37	214	80	146	576	5,322	120	40	16	116	734														
Rangitikei ..	261	62	31	354	259	3,022	83,577	13	2,548	96,264	155	5,910	140	954	4,343	10	10,231	433	760	48,212	112,065	2,467	4,195	35	212	1,733														
Manawatu ..	173	61	43	282	468	2,112	38,703	59	1,932	56,478	89	2,170	135	489	3,540	73	7,940	220	267	21,167	78,761	166	368	36	138	1,707														
Oroua ..	921	148	68	1,137	55	565	13,058	129	791	27,488	110	6,435	315	1,986	604	213	2,730	873	1,358	3,999	131,221	5,195	3,773	219	324	4,965														
Horowhenua ..	48	23	10	81	..	5	105	31	8	290	..	..	29	250	54	14	141	73	164	618	25,934	195	997	7	22	384														
Sounds ..	44	15	22	81	36	1	40	12	2	70	5	120	11	59	1	18	50	19	30	203	11,356	335	374	29	24	351														
Marlborough ..	346	147	104	597	1,800	5,659	117,384	1,542	3,206	97,909	6,290	152,284	555	3,517	1,804	748	19,804	395	579	25,735	45,181	150	1,358	110	307	1,916														
Kaikoura ..	89	31	28	148	424	217	6,700	516	483	16,860	26	970	133	795	1,121	11	2,507	441	712	22,735	43,025	304	50	15	41	477														

REGISTRAR-GENERAL'S Report on the Vital Statistics of the Principal Towns of New Zealand during the Month of March, 1889.

RETURN of the Number of Births, with the actual Mortality of Males and Females, and the Proportion of Deaths to Population, in the under-mentioned Boroughs, during the Month of March, 1889.

BOROUGH.	ESTIMATED POPULATION JAN., 1889.	TOTAL BIRTHS.	DEATHS REGISTERED IN MARCH, 1889.						Total Deaths.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, March, 1889.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population in the Year 1888.
			Males.			Females.					
			Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.			
Auckland† .. .. .	35,858	84	7	1	13	11	3	11	46	1.28	10.49
Wellington† .. .. .	29,075	92	16	..	10	12	2	10	50	1.72	13.12
Christchurch† .. .. .	16,455	31	8	2	7	3	..	6	26	1.58	11.36
Dunedin† .. .. .	23,546	42	9	2	5	3	2	4	25	1.06	11.40
Thames .. .. .	+	18	3	..	1	1	2	..	7	..	..
New Plymouth .. .. .	2,867	14	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	0.35	15.87
Napier .. .. .	8,597	39	..	1	3	2	..	1	7	0.81	13.87
Wanganui .. .. .	5,240	15	1	..	..	1	..	2	4	0.76	8.53
Blenheim .. .. .	3,260	14	1	..	..	2	..	..	3	0.92	10.70
Nelson .. .. .	7,733	13	..	..	2	..	..	2	4	0.52	11.95
Sydenham .. .. .	10,117	25	10	..	1	3	1	3	18	1.78	10.86
Lyttelton .. .. .	3,992	13	1	..	3	2	..	1	7	1.75	15.88
Timaru .. .. .	3,707	12	1	..	1	1	..	1	4	1.08	12.36
Oamaru .. .. .	5,637	17	2	..	..	2	..	1	5	0.89	9.95
Greymouth .. .. .	3,637	7	1	..	4	..	..	..	5	1.37	9.14
Hokitika .. .. .	2,666	7	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	0.75	12.30
Caversham .. .. .	4,962	9	2	..	3	2	1	2	10	2.02	11.04
Invercargill .. .. .	4,990	17	3	..	4	..	..	1	8	1.60	6.92
Totals .. .. .	..	469	65	6	57	45	11	48	232	..	..

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

The total births in the above boroughs amounted to 469, against 366 in February, an increase of 103. The deaths in March were 232, an increase of 58 on the number in February. Of the total deaths, males contributed 128; females, 104. One hundred and twenty-seven of the deaths were of children under 5 years of age, being 54.74 per cent. of the whole number; 110 of these were under 1 year of age.

† The information necessary for calculating the population has not yet been obtained from the Town Clerk.

‡ It must be understood that the numbers of the population above given refer only to those within the several borough boundaries. To estimate the relative importance of the principal boroughs as centres of population it is necessary in each case to take into consideration the number of the population in the adjacent boroughs, some of which are included in the above table, and other districts which are practically suburbs of the central borough. This can only be done with any degree of accuracy for census years.

The populations of the four principal boroughs and their suburbs in 1886 were as follows:—

Auckland Borough .. .. .	33,161	Christchurch Borough .. .. .	15,265
Adjacent boroughs and road districts .. .. .	23,887	Adjacent boroughs and other suburbs .. .. .	29,423
Total Auckland Borough and suburbs .. .. .	57,048	Total Christchurch Borough and suburbs .. .. .	44,688
Wellington Borough .. .. .	25,945	Dunedin Borough .. .. .	23,243
Suburbs .. .. .	1,888	Adjacent boroughs .. .. .	22,275
Total Wellington Borough and suburbs .. .. .	27,833	Total Dunedin Borough and suburbs .. .. .	45,518

The following Table shows the Causes of the Deaths of Persons of both Sexes under 5 Years of Age and 5 Years and upwards, and the Proportions per Cent. of Deaths from each Cause, in the Boroughs of Auckland, Wellington, Christchurch, and Dunedin, that were registered during the Month of March, 1889.

CLASSES.	CAUSES OF DEATH.	AUCKLAND.		WELLINGTON.		CHRISTCHURCH.		DUNEDIN.		TOTAL.	PROPORTIONS PER CENT.
		Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.		
I.	Specific Febrile or Zymotic Diseases	9	4	17	4	9	5	8	..	56	38.09
II.	Parasitic Diseases	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
III.	Dietetic Diseases	1	1	..	..	2	..	..	..	4	2.72
IV.	Constitutional Diseases	..	6	1	7	..	2	1	3	20	13.60
V.	Developmental Diseases	2	2	1	2	1	1	4	..	13	8.85
VI.	Local Diseases	6	11	4	7	1	5	3	4	41	27.90
VII.	Violence	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2	3	2.04
VIII.	Ill-defined and Not-specified Causes	4	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	10	6.80
	Totals	22	24	30	20	13	13	16	9	147	100.00

	AUCKLAND.		WELLINGTON.		CHRISTCHURCH.		DUNEDIN.		TOTAL.
	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	
CLASS I.—SPECIFIC FEBRILE OR ZYMOTIC DISEASES.									
ORDER 1:—									
<i>Miasmatic</i> —									
Diphtheria .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	3
Gastric Fever .. .. .	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Typhoid Fever .. .. .	..	2	..	2	..	1	..	..	5
ORDER 2:—									
<i>Diarrhoeal</i> —									
Cholera Infantum .. .. .	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Diarrhoea .. .. .	6	1	16	..	7	1	8	..	39
Dysentery .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
ORDER 5:—									
<i>Venereal</i> —									
Syphilis .. .. .	..	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	3
ORDER 6:—									
<i>Septic</i> —									
Septicæmia .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Poisoned by Mother's Milk .. .. .	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
CLASS III.—DIETETIC DISEASES.									
Want of Breast-milk .. .. .	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	3
Alcoholism .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
CLASS IV.—CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES.									
Rheumatic Fever .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Tubercular Meningitis, Hydrocephalus .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	3
Cancer .. .. .	..	1	..	2	..	1	..	..	4
Phthisis .. .. .	..	5	..	4	..	..	..	1	10
Tuberculosis, Tubercular Disease .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	2
CLASS V.—DEVELOPMENTAL DISEASES.									
Premature Birth .. .. .	..	..	1	..	1	..	4	..	6
Atelectasis .. .. .	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Malformation .. .. .	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Old Age .. .. .	..	2	..	2	..	1	..	..	5
CLASS VI.—LOCAL DISEASES.									
ORDER 1:—									
<i>Diseases of Nervous System</i> —									
Meningitis .. .. .	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	3
Apoplexy .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Paralysis .. .. .	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Epilepsy .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	2
ORDER 3:—									
<i>Diseases of Circulatory System</i> —									
Disease of Heart, Valvular .. .. .	..	3	..	2	..	2	..	2	9
Fatty Degeneration of Heart .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
ORDER 4:—									
<i>Diseases of Respiratory System</i> —									
Croup .. .. .	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
Bronchitis .. .. .	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	3
Pneumonia .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
ORDER 5:—									
<i>Diseases of Digestive System</i> —									
Teething .. .. .	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Gastro-enteritis .. .. .	3	..	1	1	..	..	3	..	8
Ulceration of Stomach .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Enteritis .. .. .	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	2
Obstruction of Bowels .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Peritonitis .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Hernia .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Hepatic Disease .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
ORDER 7:—									
<i>Diseases of Urinary System</i> —									
Chronic Nephritis .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
CLASS VII.—VIOLENCE.									
ORDER 1:—									
<i>Accident or Negligence</i> —									
Injuries at Birth .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Burnt .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Poisoned (Chloroform) .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
CLASS VIII.—ILL-DEFINED AND NOT-SPECIFIED CAUSES.									
Marasmus, Debility, Inanition .. .. .	4	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	10
Totals .. .. .	22	24	30	20	13	13	16	9	147

The following remarks apply only to the four principal boroughs:—  
The births in March were 249, against 204 in February, an increase of 45.  
The deaths amounted to 147, against 105 in February.

There were 14 deaths of persons of 65 years and upwards: 3 males of 90 and 70 (2), and 4 females of 83, 80, 79, and 78, died at Auckland; 1 male of 82, and 3 females of 82, 76, and 66, at Wellington; 2 males of 89 and 76, at Christchurch; and 1 female of 84, at Dunedin.

*Specific Febrile or Zymotic Diseases.*—The mortality from these diseases increased from 38 deaths in February to 56 in March. Deaths from diarrhoeal diseases, which numbered 7 in January and 36 in February, increased to 42 in March. Of these 42 deaths, 34 were of infants under 1 year of age: 16 of these occurred in Wellington. In March of the year 1887, the deaths from diarrhoeal complaints in the four boroughs amounted to 56. Diphtheria caused 3 deaths in Christchurch. There had not been any deaths in these boroughs from this cause in the previous three months.

*Constitutional Diseases.*—The deaths were 20 in number, against 18 in the previous month. Cancer caused 4 deaths and phthisis 10 out of the above number.

*Local Diseases.*—There were 41 deaths from these causes in March. In February the deaths were 32. Of the 41 deaths last month, diseases of the nervous system caused 8, against 5 in February; diseases of the circulatory system (heart disease, &c.) 10, against 5; and diseases of the respiratory system 5, against 6 deaths in the previous month. There was a large increase in the number of deaths from diseases of the digestive organs—viz., 8 in February and 17 in March, which included 8 from gastro-enteritis. Nine of these 17 deaths were of children under 1 year of age, of which 5 occurred in Auckland.

*Violent Deaths.*—A child died from injuries received at birth, a woman from accidental burns, and a boy of 11 years of age from chloroform administered for the purpose of an operation. These were all the violent deaths.

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

Towns.	SIX PRINCIPAL SPECIFIC FEBRILE OR ZYMOTIC DISEASES.												PRINCIPAL LUNG DISEASES.							
	Measles.		Scarlet Fever.		Typhoid and other Fever.		Diphtheria.		Whooping-cough.		Diarrhoeal Diseases.		Bronchitis.		Pleurisy.		Pneumonia.		Congestion of Lungs.	
	Mar.	Feb.	Mar.	Feb.	Mar.	Feb.	Mar.	Feb.	Mar.	Feb.	Mar.	Feb.	Mar.	Feb.	Mar.	Feb.	Mar.	Feb.	Mar.	Feb.
Auckland .. ..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	2	10	6	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..
Wellington .. ..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	16	11	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Christchurch .. ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	3	..	..	..	8	15	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dunedin .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	4	1	1	..	..	1	1	..	..
Totals .. ..	..	..	..	..	6	..	3	..	..	2	42	36	2	4	..	1	1	1	..	..

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 17th April, 1889.

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

PROVISIONAL METEOROLOGICAL RETURN FOR MARCH, 1889.

—	AUCKLAND.	WELLINGTON.	LINCOLN, CANTERBURY.	DUNEDIN.
Mean Temperature in shade for month ..	64.2	59.2	60.3	55.0
Average same month previous years ...	66.2	62.1	57.9	55.3
Maximum Temperature in shade, and date	79.0 on 7th	73.0 on 3rd	88.6 on 9th	80.0 on 9th
Minimum Temperature in shade, and date	46.0 on 27th	43.2 on 26th	36.8 on 14th	38.0 on 24th
Maximum Temperature in sun, and date	142.0 on 4th	131.0 on 3rd	154.4 on 4th	139.0 on 7th
Minimum Temperature on grass, and date	40.0 on 10th	35.0 on 31st	34.8 on 31st	34.0 on 14th
Mean Humidity (Saturation = 100) ..	76	73	58	75
Average same month previous years ...	73	74	..	72
Total Rainfall in inches .. ..	7.00	3.970	4.188	2.424
Average same month previous years ...	2.632	2.819	1.804	2.724
Number of Days of Rain .. ..	7	12	12	11
Average same month previous years ...	10	10	8	12

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

Meteorological Office, Wellington, April, 1889.

JAMES HECTOR,  
Inspector.

## Land Transfer Act Notices.

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

6338. ALEXANDER LYON.—157 acres 2 roods 13 perches, Rural Sections 3140, 8911, 8912, 13728, 13729, and parts 9992 and 10202, Blocks I. and IV., Gough's Bay Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

6357. JANE WALLACE.—2 acres, part Rural Section 9143, Township of Sheffield. Unoccupied.

6372. JAMES BAIN.—1 rood, part Sections 257, 258, and 259, Town of Lyttelton. Unoccupied.

6388. GEORGE HERBERT WEARING.—4 acres and 17 perches, part Rural Section 320, Borough of Kaiapoi. Occupied by Applicant.

6389. WILLIAM LOCKWOOD.—1 rood, part Rural Section 79, Borough of Sydenham. Occupied by William Fabian.

6390. THE NEW ZEALAND AND AUSTRALIAN LAND COMPANY (LIMITED).—20 acres, Rural Section 7219, Block IV., Dalzell Survey District. Occupied by the New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Company (Limited).

6391. MICHAEL CUTHBERT STUDHOLME and EDWARD HUME CAMERON.—20 acres, Rural Section 10723, Block XV., Waimate Survey District. Occupied by J. Inkster and F. Brinkmann.

6392. JAMES WEST THE YOUNGER.—1 acre 2 roods 20 perches, part Rural Section 266, Borough of Lyttelton. Occupied by Applicant.

6393. FRANCIS HENRY BRITTAN.—2 roods, Lots 35 and 36, Plan 871, part Rural Section 300, Town District of Linwood. Unoccupied.

6394. HERBERT WILLIAM SHARMAN and CHARLES WILLIAM SHARMAN.—30 acres, Rural Section 3913, Block VIII., Oxford Survey District. Occupied by Applicants.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 13th day of April, 1889, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

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J. M. BATHAM,  
District Land Registrar.

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

No. 431. JOHN HENRY DALTON.—2 acres 1 rood, more or less, being Sections 200, 297, 707, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, and 1133, Borough of Picton.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 13th day of April, 1889, at the Lands Registry Office, Blenheim.

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JOHN ALLEN,  
District Land Registrar.

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 16th May, 1889.

JOHN HENRY HOOPER.—Lots 1 and 2 of the Sub-division of Allotments 15 and 16, Section 30, City of Auckland. In occupation of the Applicant. No. 2506.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 10th day of April, 1889, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

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THEO. KISSLING,  
District Land Registrar.

IN the matter of a Lease No. 805, THE MAYOR, COUNCILLORS, AND BURGESSES OF THE BOROUGH OF GLADSTONE to one ELIZABETH WALKER, of part of Section 24, Block I., Hundred of Invercargill: Notice of re-entry and determination of the above lease on the ground of default in payment of rent will be entered on the register, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one calendar month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 6th day of April, 1889, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

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F. G. MORGAN,  
District Land Registrar.

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 18th day of May, 1889.

1993. JOHN BERTIE.—Part of Section 343, City of Wellington (Austin Street). In occupation of tenants.

1994. JOHN BERTIE.—Part of Section 259, City of Wellington (Francis Place, off Tory Street). In occupation of tenants.

1995. JOHN NOTMAN and DONALD ROSS.—Sections 43, 44, and part of 55, Town of Wanganui. In occupation of Messrs. McArthur and Co., Selanders and Co., H. Potts, S. Wright, and H. Hurley.

2000. ARTHUR HYLTON BRISCO.—500 acres, part of Section 346, Township of Carnarvon. In occupation of Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 17th day of April, 1889, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

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GEO. B. DAVY,  
District Land Registrar.

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 be lodged forbidding the same within one calendar month next after the date of publication hereof.

Section 12, Block XIII., Town of Oamaru.—MARTIN McDONOUGH, Applicant. Occupied by Thomas Hastie. No. 3882.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 15th day of April, 1889, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

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H. TURTON,  
District Land Registrar.

## Mining Notices.

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

1. The name of the company is to be the Cresus Consolidated Quartz-mining Company (Limited).

2. The place of operations is at Nenthorne, Budle District, Otago.

3. The registered office of the company will be situated at Hyde.

4. The nominal capital of the company is fifty thousand pounds, in one hundred thousand shares of ten shillings each.

5. The number of shares subscribed for is one hundred thousand, being the whole and not less than two-thirds of the entire number of shares in the company.

6. The number of partly paid-up shares is eighty thousand, which are paid up to two shillings each.

7. The amount already paid up is eight thousand pounds, being two shillings per share on eighty thousand shares.

8. The name of the Manager is Leslie Athol Norman.

9. The names, addresses, and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follow:—

	No. of Shares.
Charles McGregor, Hyde, Miner .. .. .	11,200
John Laverty, Hyde, Hotelkeeper .. .. .	8,000
George B. Douglas, Dunedin, Miner .. .. .	8,000
Patrick Ryan, Naseby, Hotelkeeper .. .. .	11,200
John McGrath, Nenthorne, Miner .. .. .	6,000
David Barron, Naseby, Surveyor .. .. .	5,200
George P. Hilton, Mareburn, Mine Manager .. .. .	4,000
Alexander Kinney, Hyde, Contractor .. .. .	4,000
James Brown, Naseby, Storekeeper .. .. .	4,000
James Mitchell, Naseby, Builder .. .. .	4,000
M. Christensen, Nenthorne, Miner .. .. .	11,200
George W. Pogson, Cottessbrook, Runholder .. .. .	3,200
Leslie Athol Norman, Naseby, Sharebroker .. .. .	20,000
	100,000

Dated this 11th day of April, 1889.

LESLIE A. NORMAN,  
Manager.

Witness to signature—J. P. Hjorring.

I, Leslie Athol Norman, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

1. I am the Manager of the said intended company.

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

LESLIE A. NORMAN.

Taken at Naseby, this 11th day of April, 1889, before me—  
N. P. Hjorring, J.P.

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I, the undersigned, hereby make application to register the Perseverance Amalgamated Company as a Limited Liability Company, under the provisions of "The Mining Companies Act, 1886."

1. The name of the company is the Perseverance Amalgamated Company (Limited).
2. The place of intended operations is at Waikakaho, in the Provincial District of Marlborough, Colony of New Zealand.
3. The registered office of the company will be situated at the company's claim, Waikakaho, in the said colony.
4. The nominal value of the company's property, including licensed holding, is five hundred pounds.
5. The number of shares in the company is thirty-two, of twelve pounds fifteen shillings each.
6. The number of shares subscribed for is thirty-two.
7. The name of the Manager is William Gathercole, of Waikakaho.
8. The names, addresses, and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follow:—

	No. of Shares.
Thomas Travis, Waikakaho, Miner .. .. .	1
William Ching, Blenheim, Miner .. .. .	1
William Gathercole, Waikakaho, Miner .. .. .	1
Henry Humphries, Waikakaho, Miner .. .. .	1
Thomas Cook, Waikakaho, Miner .. .. .	1
Michael McElligott, Waikakaho, Miner .. .. .	1
Daniel McCurdy, Waikakaho, Miner .. .. .	1
James Duncan, Waikakaho, Miner .. .. .	1
Henry A. Mason, Blenheim, Plumber .. .. .	1
A. H. Jellyman, Blenheim, Storekeeper .. .. .	1
William Brewster, Waikakaho, Miner .. .. .	1
S. Woodfield, Blenheim, Miner .. .. .	1
William Flanders, Waikakaho, Miner .. .. .	1
Albert G. Lightband, Blenheim, Woolclasser .. .. .	1
Frederick W. Adams, Blenheim, Plumber and Gasfitter .. .. .	1
Edward Herrick, Blenheim, Farmer .. .. .	1
C. M. Brewster, Blenheim, Broker .. .. .	1
Frank Adams, Blenheim, Butcher .. .. .	1
T. H. Hanna, Blenheim, Agent, New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Company .. .. .	1
F. Redwood, Spring Creek, Miller .. .. .	1
W. Litchfield, Blenheim, Merchant .. .. .	1
W. Kibblewhite, Masterton, Miner .. .. .	1
J. H. Redwood, Spring Creek, Farmer and Miller .. .. .	1
Number of shares held by company .. .. .	9

W. GATHERCOLE,  
Manager.

I, William Gathercole, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

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

W. GATHERCOLE.

Declared before me, at Waikakaho, this 4th day of April, 1889—John Allen, R.M. 200

**STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.**

Name of company: The Mountain-race Gold-mining Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 2nd December, 1873; 6th December, 1873.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Tinkers Gully; William Greenbank.  
 Nominal capital: £6,400.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £5,600.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £5,600.  
 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: 32.  
 Number of shares allotted: 32.  
 Amount paid up per share: £175.  
 Amount called up per share: £175.  
 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: 8.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: £460.  
 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: £100.  
 Amount of debts considered good: £100.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of the company: £600.

I, William Greenbank, of Tinkers, the Manager of the Mountain-race 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."

WILLIAM GREENBANK,  
Manager.

Declared at Matakau, this 19th day of November, 1888, before me—William Laidlaw, J.P. 192

**THE OKARITO GOLD-DREDGING COMPANY (LIMITED), IN LIQUIDATION.**

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of "The Companies Act, 1882," a General Meeting of the members of the above-named company will be held at the Union Insurance Company's Buildings, No. 172, Hereford Street, Christchurch, New Zealand, on Wednesday, the 3rd day of July, 1889, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator; and also of determining, by extraordinary resolution, the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the company and of the Liquidator thereof shall be disposed of.

Dated at Christchurch, New Zealand, this 12th day of April, 1889.

JOHN CONNALL,  
Liquidator.

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**Private Advertisements.**

In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1882," and in the matter of the Dunedin City and Suburban Tramways Company (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given that the order of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, Otago and Southland District, made on the 15th day of March, 1889, confirming the reduction of the capital of the above-named company, and the minute (approved by the Court) showing, with respect to the capital of the company as altered, the several particulars required by the above Act, were registered by the Registrar of Joint-stock Companies at Dunedin, on the 13th day of April, 1889.

Dated the 13th day of April, 1889.

STOUT AND MOODY,  
Solicitors for the said company.

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**GREYMOUTH VOLUNTEER HALL COMPANY (LIMITED).—NOTICE.**

AT an extraordinary general meeting of shareholders of the above company, held in the company's office, on Friday, the 12th April, 1889, it was resolved that the Greymouth Volunteer Hall Company (Limited) be wound up voluntarily.

J. T. SKOGLUND,  
Secretary.

Greymouth, 12th April, 1889. 203

**IN THE MATTER OF "THE FOREIGN COMPANIES ACT, 1884."**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Badische Schiffahrts-Assecuranz-Gesellschaft, otherwise the Baden Marine Insurance Company (Limited), having its head office at Mannheim, Germany, proposes to carry on business in Wellington, in the Colony of New Zealand, and that its office will be situate at No. 22, Brandon Street, Wellington.

CUNNINGHAM, BADHAM, AND Co.,  
Attorneys for the said company for Wellington.

Wellington, 17th April, 1889. 205

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership lately existing between FRANCIS BLAKE and VINCENZO FAMA, Restaurant-keepers, Cullensville, Mahakapawa, was dissolved as from the 4th instant. All accounts due to that date must be sent in to Francis Blake, Ballance Street, Wellington, not later than 27th instant.

FRANCIS BLAKE.  
VINCENZO FAMA.

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THE Partnership hitherto existing between HARRY RAINY PARKER and JAMES EDWARD PARKER, as Sheep-farmers, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

HARRY R. PARKER.  
JAMES EDWARD PARKER.

Christchurch, 13th April, 1889. 198

NEW ZEALAND, } In the matter of a Bill intituled "An Act  
TO WIT. } to amend 'The New Zealand Bank Act,  
1861.' "

NOTICE is hereby given that the Bank of New Zealand intends to present a petition to the General Assembly of New Zealand, at its next session, praying for leave to introduce a Bill to be intituled "An Act to amend 'The New Zealand Bank Act, 1861.'" The objects of the said Bill are—(a) To confirm and validate certain resolutions passed at a special general meeting of the proprietors of the said bank held on the 11th day of October, 1888, and confirmed at a special general meeting of the said proprietors held on the 19th day of October, 1888; and (b) to declare that payments to reinstate shares to their original value, as provided by No. 2 of the said resolutions, should not increase a shareholder's original liability.

The following is a copy of the resolutions above referred to:—

1. "That £3 per share of the present paid-up capital of the bank be, and the same is, hereby cancelled, such capital having been lost or being unrepresented by available assets, and that henceforth dividends shall be paid on such shares as representing £7 each instead of £10 each, the original amount thereof. But such reduction shall not interfere with or in any way alter the liability of shareholders to contribute a further sum of £10 as provided by the bank's Act and deed of settlement in the event of the assets of the corporation being insufficient to meet its engagements."

2. "That the Directors be empowered, at their option, to receive, from shareholders willing to pay the same, £3 per share to reinstate their shares to the original amount of £10 per share, and on all shares so reinstated to pay dividends on the original amount of such shares: Provided that such payment to reinstate shares shall not render the shareholder liable to pay any further or larger amount than he would have been liable for if the shares had remained at £10 each as originally created."

3. "That the several assets and accounts held for realisation, and outside the category of what may be regarded as ordinary and current business, be liquidated by the Directors as speedily as may be, having regard to advantageous realisation thereof; and that in the meantime such assets be transferred to, and held and treated *in globo* in, a separate liquidation account, and so as that surplus in realising any one asset may be set against deficiency in realising any other without passing such surplus or deficiencies respectively through the ordinary profit and loss account."

4. "That the words beginning 'and if' in clause 102 of the deed of settlement, to the end of the clause, be, and the same are, hereby deleted."

5. "That, in disposing of the new shares created and authorised to be issued by the resolution of the special general meeting of proprietors held on the third day of October last, the Board of Directors may make it one of the conditions that payment for such new shares may be made by such instalments as the Board of Directors may think fit."

And notice is hereby further given that copies of the said Bill will be deposited at the office of the Examiner of Standing Orders at Wellington at or before the commencement of the session.

Dated this 11th day of April, 1889.

C. E. BUTTON,

202 Auckland, Solicitor for the Promoters of the Bill.

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GEO. DIDSBURY.

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