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Districts constituted under "The Marriage Act, 1880."

(L.S.) ONSLOW, Governor.
A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in the Governor by "The Marriage Act, 1880," I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby abolish the existing marriage districts known as the Grey and Ahaura Districts, and do proclaim and declare that the territory heretofore comprised within the said districts is hereby divided anew into three marriage districts, the names and boundaries whereof shall be as follow:—

AHAURA DISTRICT.

All that area in the Counties of Buller, Grey, and Inangahua bounded towards the north-east by a right line running from a point on the Paparoa Range, near the source of the Totara River, to the saddle between the Mawhera-iti and the Inangahua Rivers; thence by the watershed between the Grey River and the Inangahua River; towards the south-east by the summit of the main range to the saddle between the Rivers Hurunui and Teremakau; thence towards the south-west by the Provincial District of Westland; and towards the west by the Arnold River, the Grey River, and Langdon's Creek to its source; thence by a right line to Sewell's Peak; and thence by the Paparoa Mountains to the place of commencement.

BRUNNER DISTRICT.

All that area in the Provincial District of Nelson, known as the Borough of Brunner, bounded towards the east generally by Langdon's Creek, the Grey River, and the Arnold River; towards the south by a right line bearing west 3° 30' south, being the southern boundary of the Westport Coal Company's leasehold, produced, 29500 links; towards the west by a right line bearing north 3° 30' west, 20000 links; and towards the north by a right line bearing east 3° 30' north, 28700 links.

GREY DISTRICT.

All that area in the Counties of Grey and Buller bounded towards the north-east by the watershed between the Pororari River (Razorback) and the Omonehu Creek, from the sea-coast to the Paparoa Range; towards the east generally by the Paparoa Range to Sewell's Peak; thence by a right line to the source of Langdon's Creek, and by that creek; towards the south, the east, and north by the Borough of Brunner; towards the north-east by the Arnold River; again towards the south generally by Lake Brunner to Dobson's Road; thence by the watershed of the southern tributaries of the New River, and by the summit of the range leading to Blackwater Creek about half a mile north of the confluence of Armstrong's Creek with the said Blackwater Creek; thence by a line due west to the Marsden Road;

thence by that road to the Greenstone Road; thence by the latter road to the Teremakau River; and by the southern bank of that river to the sea; and towards the west by the sea.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop; Viscount Cranley, of Cranley in the County of Surrey; Baron Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop, and of West Clandon in the County of Surrey; Baron Cranley, of Imbercourt; Baronet; Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at Auckland, this twenty-eighth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

W. R. RUSSELL.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Districts constituted under "The Registration of Births and Deaths Act, 1875."

(L.S.) ONSLOW, Governor.
A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in the Governor by "The Registration of Births and Deaths Act, 1875," I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby abolish the existing registration districts known as the Grey and Ahaura Districts; and do proclaim and declare that the territory heretofore comprised within the said districts is hereby divided anew into three registration districts, the names whereof shall be the Ahaura, Brunner, and Grey Districts, and the boundaries whereof shall be coterminous with the boundaries of the marriage districts bearing the same names as are set forth in a Proclamation of even date herewith, made under the provisions of "The Marriage Act, 1880."

And I hereby declare that this Proclamation shall come into operation on the twenty-eighth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop; Viscount Cranley, of Cranley in the County of Surrey; Baron Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop, and of West Clandon in the County of Surrey; Baron Cranley, of Imbercourt; Baronet; Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Com-

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A PROCLAMATION.

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AWITU DISTRICT.

Bounded towards the north and east and again towards the north by the waters of Manukau Harbour; again towards the east generally by Karaka Parish and Pukekohe Parish; towards the south generally by the left bank of the Waikato River; and towards the south-west by the sea.

DRURY DISTRICT.

Bounded towards the north generally by the Waikato River, from its mouth to a point in line with the south-eastern boundary of Puni Parish; thence towards the west generally by a right line to and by that parish and by the Waiiau Parish; again towards the north and west generally by the waters of the Manukau Harbour to the southern boundary of the Parish of Manurewa; again towards the north generally by that parish, Sections Nos. 94, 91, and 153, Parish of Manurewa aforesaid, Sections Nos. 178, 131, and 132, Pakuranga Parish, Sections Nos. 33, 55, 57, 63, 61, 64, 71, 72, and 46, Maraetai Parish, and the north-eastern boundary to Wairoa Parish; towards the north and east generally by the Hauraki Gulf, the Frith of Thames, and the Piako River to its intersection by a right line joining Te Aroha and Putakauere on the Waikato River; thence towards the south generally by that line to Putakauere aforesaid; thence by a right line to the northern corner of Section No. 22, Parish of Whangape; thence by the eastern shore of Whangape Lake to its southernmost point; and thence by a right line running west-south-west to the sea; and again towards the west by the sea.

AUCKLAND DISTRICT.

Bounded towards the north-east generally by the sea, from the Okura River to the north-eastern boundary of the Wairoa Parish; towards the south generally by that parish, Sections Nos. 68, 67, 52, 56, 51, and 27, Wairoa Parish aforesaid, Section No. 136, Pakuranga Parish, Section No. 64, Papakura Parish, Sections Nos. 96 and 95, Manurewa Parish, and by Papakura Parish aforesaid to the Manukau Harbour; towards the west generally by the waters of the Manukau Harbour to the Great South Road, where it crosses the Manukau Harbour near Hamlin's Hill; towards the south generally by the Great South Road, Allotments Nos. 1 and 13 of Section No. 12 of the Suburbs of Auckland, school endowment, and Allotment No. 12 of Section No. 12 aforesaid; towards the east by said Allotment No. 12, a road, and Allotments Nos. 59 and 40 of Section No. 10 of the Suburbs of Auckland; again towards the south by a road and Allotments Nos. 41 and 56 of Section No. 10 aforesaid; again towards the east by Allotments Nos. 56, 55, 54, and 53 of Section No. 10 aforesaid, a road, and Allotments Nos. 5, 4, and 6 of Section No. 13 of the Suburbs of Auckland; again towards the south by the waters of the Manukau Harbour; towards the south-west by the sea; and towards the north-west by the north-western boundary of the Taupaki Block and a right line in a north-easterly direction to and by the Parish of Ararimu, and the southern and eastern boundaries of the Pukeatua Block, the southern boundary of Dacre's Claim to the Okura River, and by that river to the place of commencement: including Waiheke, Ponui, and adjacent islands, and also the Little Barrier Island.

And I hereby declare that this Proclamation shall come into operation on the thirty-first day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop; Viscount Cranley, of Cranley in the County of Surrey; Baron Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop, and of West Clandon in the County of Surrey; Baron Cranley, of Imbercourt; Baronet; Knight Grand

Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

W. R. RUSSELL.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Districts constituted under "The Registration of Births and Deaths Act, 1875."

(L.S.)

ONSLow, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

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And I hereby declare that this Proclamation shall come into operation on the thirty-first day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

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W. R. RUSSELL.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Proclaiming Quarantine-ground for Stock under "The Diseased Cattle Act, 1881," at Motuihi Island, Auckland.—Notice No. 294.

(L.S.)

ONSLow, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

BY virtue and in pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by the twentieth section of "The Diseased Cattle Act, 1881," and of all other powers and authorities enabling me in that behalf, I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the island described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby set apart as a quarantine-ground for cattle, camels, deer, horses, goats, sheep, and dogs imported into the Port of Auckland.

This Proclamation shall come into force on the first day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

SCHEDULE.

PORT OF AUCKLAND.

THE whole of Motuihi Island, in the Harbour of Waitemata.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop; Viscount Cranley, of Cranley in the County of Surrey; Baron Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop, and of West Clandon in the County of Surrey; Baron Cranley, of Imbercourt; Baronet; Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this fourteenth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

G. F. RICHARDSON.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land declared open for Sale in Auckland Land District.

(L.S.) ONSLOW, Governor.
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by the ninety-seventh section of "The Land Act, 1885," it is enacted that the Governor, by Proclamation, may from time to time declare any Crown lands within any mining district, not held under license or lease at the date of such Proclamation, or over which the license or lease has been cancelled, to be open for sale or selection, in sections of such size and form, and on such date, as he may determine; and any land so proclaimed may hereafter be sold at a like price, and subject to the like terms and conditions, or as near thereto as may be, as Crown lands of the same class not within a mining district; and the Governor may from time to time alter, amend, or revoke any such Proclamation:

Now, therefore, I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the land specified in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale or selection under the provisions of the third section of "The Land Act Amendment Act, 1887," after a lapse of a period of not less than forty-five days from the date hereof, in the manner and upon the conditions mentioned in the said Act, and at the prices per acre stated in the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

No. on Plan.	Area.	Cash Price per Acre.	No. on Plan.	Area.	Cash Price per Acre.
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FIRST-CLASS LANDS.
BAY OF ISLANDS COUNTY.

Parish of Kawakawa.

A.	R.	P.
178	27 0 20	20/
190	89 0 19	30/

Description of Land: Lot 178, northern part agricultural land and drainable swamp, soil very rich, southern part undulating fern land; 190, broken pastoral land, about half covered with mixed bush. Both lots well watered, fronting the Kawakawa-Whangae Road, the greater portion of which has been formed.

WHANGAREI COUNTY.

Opuawhanga Survey District.

Block II.

6 | 191 0 0 | 20/

Description of Land: About 5 acres flat land, 20 acres flat land, 160 acres bush, which is of a mixed description, soil in bush medium in quality, fronting newly-made Government road.

SECOND-CLASS LANDS.

BAY OF ISLANDS COUNTY.

Parish of Ruapekapeka.

59	20 0 0	10/
67	30 2 9	10/
69	39 2 0	15/
70	24 2 30	10/
73	158 1 0	10/
79	96 3 0	5/
88	160 0 12	10/

Description of Land: Lot 59, open, undulating land, suitable for agriculture; 67, partially good soil, remainder rather broken fern hills; 69, about two-thirds flat land, good soil; 70, 8 acres mixed bush, remainder pastoral fern land; 73, undulating fern land, nearly all ploughable, one-third swamp; 79, undu-

lating pastoral land; 88, undulating pastoral land, about one-half mixed bush, the rest fern land, medium soil.

Parish of Kawakawa.

A.	R.	P.	Cash Price per Acre.
166	62 3 35	10/	
168	109 2 32	10/	
169	124 0 0	10/	
170	101 0 0	10/	
171	30 0 38	15/	
174	42 0 0	15/	
177	29 2 0	15/	
179	25 1 24	10/	
180	29 3 0	10/	
181	35 0 33	10/	
186	30 1 34	7/6	
187	30 2 16	10/	
188	101 1 10	17/6	
189	96 0 0	10/	

Description of Land: Lots 166 to 170 inclusive, broken pastoral lands, half fern, half bush, well watered, accessible by Great North Road and branch road from it; 171, about half flat and drainable swamp, remainder undulating fern land, soil good; 174, about one-third flat, agricultural land, part swampy, remainder open fern land, good soil; 177, two-thirds open undulating pastoral land, one-third flat, covered with high tea-tree, soil of the best description; 179, about 10 acres swamp, remainder undulating agricultural land, good soil; 180 and 181, small portion of flat land in each section, remainder open pastoral land, good soil, about 10 acres mixed bush on 181; 186, about 8 acres flat land and swamp, remainder broken pastoral land, about one-third covered with mixed bush, the rest fern; 187, broken pastoral land, half covered with mixed bush, the remainder with fern, inferior soil on ridges, but of better

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quality lower down near the gullies; 188, broken pastoral land, nearly all covered with mixed bush, valuable for mining purposes, containing good puriri, tea-tree, and some kauri; 189, broken pastoral land, one-half mixed bush, the remainder fern land, soil poor. All the above lots are well watered, and fronting the Kawakawa-Whangae Road, the greater portion of which has been formed.

Hukerenui Survey District.

Block V.

A.	R.	P.	Cash Price per Acre.
13	50 0 0	15/	
15	50 0 0	15/	
23	37 3 20		
24	25 3 37		
25	21 3 21		
26	23 0 20		
27	21 2 12		
28	19 0 5		
29	23 3 3		
30	16 2 14		
31	50 0 0		
32	50 0 0		
33	50 0 0		
34	50 0 0		
35	50 0 0		
36	42 1 0	10/	
37	49 2 0		
38	50 0 0		
39	50 0 0		
45	50 0 0		
47	50 0 0		
48	50 0 0		
49	50 0 0		
51	38 2 0		
63	50 0 0		
69	50 0 0		
72	50 0 0		
73	50 0 0		

Description of Land: These lands are situated about twelve miles from Kawakawa; soil fair, surface undulating, mostly bush; a few sections partly bush, partly open.

Block VI.

8	19 3 10	10/
15	50 0 0	
16	25 0 0	
18	22 0 0	
21	50 0 0	5/
22	25 0 0	
23	25 0 0	
24	50 0 0	
25	25 0 0	10/
26	25 0 0	
27	25 0 0	
28	25 0 0	
29	25 0 0	
30	25 0 0	5/
31	25 0 0	
34	20 0 0	
35	20 0 0	
36	20 0 0	
37	25 0 0	
17	50 0 0	12/6

Block X.

1	31 1 34	5/
21	27 0 0	5/
13	40 0 4	10/
15	43 0 31	10/

Description of Land: Open gum lands, near main road, a little bush on some of the sections; 13, open level land, well watered; 15, about one-third good, level, open land, remainder undulating

Block XIII.

A. R. P.

1	148 0 16	12/6
2	98 2 16	10/

Description of Land: Section 1, all light bush, one-fourth flax, remainder undulating, soil good; 2, all bush, one-fourth flat, one-half undulating, remainder broken, soil good.

Motatau Survey District.

Block VIII.

3	50 0 0	15/
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Description of Land: Open gum land, near main road, a little bush.

Russell Survey District.

Block VII.

2	110 3 0	10/
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Description of Land: Broken land, about two-thirds mixed forest, the remainder fern and tea-tree; watered by Te Papa Stream.

WHANGAREI COUNTY.

Hukerenui Survey District.

Block X.

19	50 0 0	5/
20	50 0 0	5/
24	20 0 0	10/
25	20 0 0	5/

Description of Land: Open gum lands, near main road. A little bush on some of the sections. Section 24 open, with a little mixed bush, watered by two streams.

Block XII.

24	62 0 0	10/
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Description of Land: Open land on main Opuawhanga Road; about 5 acres mixed bush.

Block XIII.

3	251 3 0	11/
4	252 0 0	10/
5	303 0 0	15/
6*	441 0 0	10/
7	308 2 0	10/
8	338 2 0	13/
9	357 0 0	11/

* Subject to £40 for improvements.

Description of Land: Section 3, about 190 acres bush, remainder burnt bush and scrub, 57 dead kauris, soil fair; 4, about 160 acres bush, with 23 dead kauris, soil fair; 5 and 6, about two-thirds bush, some green and dead kauris, soil fair; 7, 8, and 9, about one-half bush, remainder burnt bush and scrub, with a few green and burnt kauris, soil fair.

Block XIV.

1	197 0 0	10/
6	415 0 0	11/
7	213 2 0	11/

Description of Land: Section 1, rather broken, but good soil, mixed bush; 6 and 7, about one-half bush, remainder burnt bush, fern, and scrub, some green and dead kauris, soil fair.

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Block XV.					
	A. R. P.		<i>Opuawhanga Survey District.</i>		
2	309 1 8	} 10/	Block VI.		
12	306 0 18		A. R. P.		
Description of Land: Forest and open lands, situated on the Wairua River. These lands, though undulating, are in some parts liable to floods.			16	50 0 0	} 12/6
			17	50 0 0	
			22	50 0 0	
Parish of Parahaki.					
W. p.n. 73	48 0 0	} 10/	Block VIII.		
Description of Land: All open land of fair quality.			6	75 0 0	} 7/6
Parish of Ruatangata.					
S.E. M. pn. 8	34 1 30	} 10/	Description of Land: Good land, covered with fern and tea-tree.		
N.W. M. pn. 12	40 2 18	} 12/6	Block IX.		
Description of Land: Undulating, fern and tea-tree, and some burnt bush.			8	40 2 16	} 15/
			14	46 0 25	} 12/6
			16	50 0 0	} 10/
			Description of Land: Lots 8 and 14, bush and open lands, of fair quality, near Whananaki River; 16, about two-thirds mixed bush, remainder open.		
Parish of Owhiwa.					
45	16 2 36	} 15/	Description of Land: Mixed bush, containing a good deal of puriri, rather broken, well watered, close to Whangarei Harbour, on main road between Whangarei and Parua Bay; land of fair quality.		
230	45 1 0	} 10/	Parish of Parahaki.		
Whangarei Survey District.					
(Waiparera Patatau.)					
Block XI.					
1	49 0 0	} 10/	Description of Land: Open land of medium quality, near cemetery.		
Description of Land: Bush land at Waiparera Settlement.			67A	22 2 28	} 12/6
Tangihua Survey District.					
Block I.					
W. pn. 8	57 3 6	} 10/	Parish of Manaia.		
Description of Land: Heavy timber, rather broken, excellent soil, dark loam.			S.E. pn. 52	48 3 24	} 10/
Purua Survey District.					
(Near Whangarei.)					
Block I.					
59	40 0 0	} 10/	Description of Land: Section 82, small quantity of bush, remainder fern, &c., undulating, part light volcanic, soil fair; 83, small quantity of bush, 20 acres level, remainder broken, fern, &c., soil good; 84, about 7 acres bush, level land, remainder undulating and broken, soil patchy.		
63	48 0 0				
Parish of Hikurangi.					
82	78 3 0	} 10/	Whangarei Survey District.		
83	82 0 0		Block XI.		
84	115 2 27		3	50 0 0	} 10/
			8*	50 0 0	
Description of Land: Section 82, small quantity of bush, remainder fern, &c., undulating, part light volcanic, soil fair; 83, small quantity of bush, 20 acres level, remainder broken, fern, &c., soil good; 84, about 7 acres bush, level land, remainder undulating and broken, soil patchy.			* Subject to £32 10s. for improvements.		
Parish of Kaitara.					
31	94 0 16	} 10/	Description of Land: Lot 3, all mixed bush, rather broken, situate at Parua Bay; 8, nearly all mixed bush and tea-tree, frontage to Parua-Ngunguru Road.		
34	233 3 37				
35	213 0 36				
36	244 2 31				

THIRD-CLASS LANDS.

BAY OF ISLANDS COUNTY.

Parish of Ruapekapeka.

Block.	Section.	Area.	Cash Price per Acre.		
		A. R. P.	£	s.	d.
	51	23 3 8	} 0	5	0
	52	23 3 18			
	54	62 2 32			
	57	25 3 9			
	65	20 3 18	} 0	8	0
	72	182 3 12			
	75	468 1 10	} 0	5	0
	77	54 0 0			
	78	65 0 0	} 0	8	0
	82	296 2 0			
	83	226 1 10	} 0	8	0
	84	360 0 0			

Description of Land: Broken lands, open and mixed forest, situated close to or on the Kawakawa River.

Parish of Kawakawa.

182	113 0 0	} 0	8	0
191	35 0 5			

Description of Land: Open and broken forest lands, close to Kawakawa.

WHANGAREI COUNTY.

Purua Survey District.

I.	28	33 0 0	} 0	8	0
	29	107 0 0			
	52	42 0 0			
	54	69 3 0			
II.	8	180 0 0	} 0	5	0
	9	80 0 0			
	10	167 0 0			
	11	196 0 0			
	12	180 0 0			
	13	178 0 0			
	15	86 0 0			
	16	73 0 0			
	17	40 0 0			
	18	80 0 0			

Mangakahia Survey District.

IV.	14	100 0 0	} 0	7	6
	15	97 0 0			
	16	100 0 0			
	18	140 0 0			
	19	115 0 0			
	20	68 0 0			
	21	140 0 0			
	22	200 0 0			
	23	208 0 0			
	26	41 3 0			
	27	33 0 0			
	28	130 0 0			

Description of Land: In Purua and Mangakahia Districts, undulating, with fair soil, covered with mixed forest, and most of the sections contain some kauri. Lots 20 and 21 have a good deal of open land, fern, and tea-tree.

VIII.	1	200 0 0	} 0	5	0
	2	200 0 0			
	3	134 0 0			
	4	126 0 0			

Description of Land: Good soil, with alluvial along stream, containing a small quantity of bush.

Parish of Owhiwa.

N.W. pn. 199	34 0 0	} 0	5	0
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Parish of Waikare.

N.E. pn. 39	40 2 0	} 0	5	0
N.W. pn. 84	15 0 0			

Parish of Maungatapere.

76	64 2 32	} 0	5	0
77	65 2 24			

UNSURVEYED LANDS.

Parish.	Survey District.	Area.	Cash Price per Acre.	Gazette in which Description appears.
Kawakawa	..	A. R. P. 889 0 0	10/	No. 26, April 26, 1888.
Description of Land: Open broken land, fronting on Kawakawa Railway, soil medium.				
	Kawakawa, Block XVI.	700 0 0	10/	No. 26, April 26, 1888.
Kaitara	..	1,050 0 0	10/	No. 4, Jan. 24, 1889.
Description of Land: Open, much broken, soil medium; suitable only for pastoral purposes.				
Hikurangi	..	2,370 0 0	10/	No. 7, Feb. 7, 1889.
	Whangarei, Blocks V., VI., VII.,	1,500 0 0	10/	No. 26, April 26, 1888.
Description of Land: Undulating forest and open, soil medium, clayey; a formed bridle-road runs through it.				
	Hukerenui, Block XI.	1,000 0 0	10/	No. 26, April 26, 1888.
Description of Land: Generally flat, somewhat swampy; all forest on the Wairua River.				
	P u r u a, Block X.	160 0 0	10/	No. 26, April 26, 1888.
Description of Land: Open and undulating, soil medium, fronts on formed road.				

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop; Viscount Cranley, of Cranley in the County of Surrey; Baron Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop, and of West Clandon in the County of Surrey; Baron Cranley, of Imbercourt; Baronet; Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twelfth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

G. F. RICHARDSON,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land declared open for Sale in Auckland Land District.

(L.S.) ONSLOW, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by the ninety-seventh section of "The Land Act, 1885," it is enacted that the Governor, by Proclamation, may from time to time declare any Crown lands within any mining district, not held under license or lease at the date of such Proclamation, or over which the license or lease has been cancelled, to be open for sale or selection, in sections of such size and form, and on such date, as he may determine; and any land so proclaimed may hereafter be sold at a like price, and subject to the like terms and conditions, or as near thereto as may be, as Crown lands of the same class not within a mining district; and the Governor may from time to time alter, amend, or revoke any such Proclamation:

Now, therefore, I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the land specified in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale on such day as may be fixed by the Land Board of the Land District of Auckland.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND MUSEUM ENDOWMENTS.

THESE lands can be dealt with under "The Land Act, 1885," on application to the Land Board:—

	Block.	Section.	Area.
Waiomio Village	VI.	26	A. R. P. 0 3 32
		27	0 3 6
Tihitihi Block, Whangarei Survey District	3,492	..	2,769 0 0

UNDER THE HOMESTEAD SYSTEM.

County.	Block.	Acreeage for Selection.
Whangarei	.. Otakairangi	A. R. P. 1,350 0 0

By auction on such date as may be fixed by the Land Board:—

Section.	Area.	Cash Price per Section.
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TOWN LANDS.—GRAHAMTOWN.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
120	0 1 1	7 10 6

RURAL LANDS.

Hukerenui Survey District.

Block XVI.

3	169 0 30	169 5 0
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Description of Land: About one-half bush, remainder fern, &c.; about 30 acres good alluvial flat. This section contains 261 kauri trees.

Opuarwhanga Survey District.

Block V.

1	244 0 0	91 10
2	254 3 23	159 7 6
3	294 0 20	277 7 6

Description of Land: Section 1, all forest, broken land, soil fair, contains about 40,000ft. of kauri; 2, about 40 acres open, remainder broken forest land of fair soil, contains about 250,000ft. of kauri; 3, all forest broken land, fair soil, contains about 600,000ft. of kauri.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop; Viscount Cranley, of Cranley in the County of Surrey; Baron Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop, and of West Clandon in the County of Surrey; Baron Cranley, of Imbercourt; Baronet; Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twelfth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

G. F. RICHARDSON,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Setting apart Land in the Marlborough Land District for Leasing as a Small Grazing Run under "The Land Act, 1885."

(L.S.) ONSLOW, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

BY virtue and in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the one hundred and ninety-seventh section of "The Land Act, 1885," and of every other power and authority enabling me in that behalf, I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the land enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall be subject to the provisions of sections one hundred and ninety-eight to two hundred and nineteen of Part VII. of "The Land Act, 1885," relating to small grazing runs.

SCHEDULE.

ABOUT 570 acres at Clova Bay, in Blocks II. and III., Gore Survey District.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop; Viscount Cranley,

of Cranley in the County of Surrey; Baron Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop, and of West Clandon in the County of Surrey; Baron Cranley, of Imbercourt; Baronet; Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twelfth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

G. F. RICHARDSON,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land set apart for the Marshall Village Settlement, in the Wellington Land District.

(L.S.) ONSLOW, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one hundred and sixty-sixth section of "The Land Act, 1885," I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby set apart the lands enumerated in the Schedule to an Order in Council of even date herewith, and made under the one hundred and sixty-seventh section of the said Act, for sale as a village settlement, upon such terms and conditions as are set forth in the said Order in Council.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop; Viscount Cranley, of Cranley in the County of Surrey; Baron Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop, and of West Clandon in the County of Surrey; Baron Cranley, of Imbercourt; Baronet; Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

G. F. RICHARDSON,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Village-homestead Special-settlement Land in Wellington withdrawn and opened as an Ordinary Village Settlement.

(L.S.) ONSLOW, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the sixth section of "The Land Act, 1885," I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby declare that, from and after the day of the date hereof, the Proclamations of the sixth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, the seventh day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, the fifteenth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, and the fifth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, so far as they relate to the sections mentioned in the Schedule to an Order in Council of even date herewith, shall be and the same are hereby revoked; and do proclaim and declare that the said sections are hereby withdrawn from the village-homestead special-settlement system; and, in pursuance of the provisions of section one hundred and sixty-six of the said Act, I do hereby set apart the said sections as a village settlement, upon the terms and conditions set forth in the said Order in Council, and made under the one hundred and sixty-seventh section of the said Act and the fourteenth section of "The Land Acts Amendment Act, 1888."

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop; Viscount Cranley, of Cranley in the County of Surrey; Baron Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop, and of West Clandon in the County of Surrey; Baron Cranley, of Imbercourt; Baronet; Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal

of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

G. F. RICHARDSON,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Licensing Districts abolished and defined.

(L.S.) ONSLOW, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

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

Now, therefore, I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the said Acts, do hereby abolish, from and after the fifteenth day of May instant, the Licensing District of Kaiwarrawarra; do hereby alter and redefine the boundaries of the Porirua Licensing District, which shall, from and after the said fifteenth day of May instant, be those described in the First Schedule hereto; and do hereby proclaim and define the part of the colony mentioned and described in the Second Schedule hereto to be, from and after the said fifteenth day of May instant, an ordinary licensing district for the purposes of the said Act.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

HUTT COUNTY.

Porirua Licensing District. — Comprises all that area known as the Ridings of Porirua and Horokiwi, of the County of Hutt, as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 63, 28th November, 1876, exclusive of the Borough of Onslow and the Town District of Johnsonville.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

Onslow Licensing District. — Comprises all that area known as the Borough of Onslow, as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 12, 13th March, 1890.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop; Viscount Cranley, of Cranley in the County of Surrey; Baron Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop, and of West Clandon in the County of Surrey; Baron Cranley, of Imbercourt; Baronet; Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twelfth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

W. R. RUSSELL.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Vesting Control of Scott's Ferry in Manawatu County Council.

(L.S.) ONSLOW, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section four of "The Public Works Acts Amendment Act, 1887" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor may, upon the terms and conditions in the said section mentioned, by Proclamation publicly notified, direct that any ferry or ford already established, or which may hereafter be established, over or across any river or arm of the sea respectively, shall, from and after a date to be fixed in such Proclamation, be under the exclusive care, control, and management of such local authority as shall be mentioned in that behalf in such Proclamation:

And whereas it is expedient that the control and management of the ferry described in the Schedule hereto should be vested in the manner hereinafter described:

Now, therefore, I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities in me vested by the said Act, and of every other power and authority in any-wise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby direct that the ferry mentioned in the Schedule hereto, and known as Scott's Ferry, shall, from and after the nineteenth day

of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety, be under the exclusive care, control, and management of the Manawatu County Council; and I do hereby fix and determine that the Manawatu County Council shall itself provide out of its own funds one-half of the actual cost of managing and maintaining the said ferry; and that the Rangitikei County Council shall, on demand in writing from the said Manawatu County Council, pay to the said Council from time to time one-half of the actual cost of managing and maintaining the said ferry: Provided, however, that the "actual cost" hereinbefore mentioned shall mean the cost of managing and maintaining the said ferry less any profits made in working the ferry, and less any rents collected by or paid to the Manawatu County Council in respect of the whole or any portion of the Ferry Reserves at the mouth of the Rangitikei River.

SCHEDULE.

THE ferry known as Scott's Ferry across the Rangitikei River, near the mouth of that river, and partly in the County of Manawatu and partly in the County of Rangitikei, as shown on plan marked S.G. 12125, deposited in the General Survey Office, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon marked in red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop; Viscount Cranley, of Cranley in the County of Surrey; Baron Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop, and of West Clandon in the County of Surrey; Baron Cranley, of Imbercourt; Baronet; Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twelfth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

G. F. RICHARDSON,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Vesting the Control of a Road in Turanga Road Board.

(L.S.) ONSLOW, Governor.
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section twenty of "The Public Works Acts Amendment Act, 1887," it is enacted, *inter alia*, that the Council of any county may, by special order, declare that all or any part of any district road shall, from and after a date to be fixed therein, be under the exclusive control of such local authority within the county as shall be mentioned in such special order, and may, by the same special order, direct that the cost of constructing and maintaining any such road or part of a road shall be borne either by the local authority to which the exclusive control thereof is given, or that a proportion of such cost, to be fixed in and by such special order, shall be borne by any other local authority or local authorities; and that wherever the operation of "The Counties Act, 1876," or of any Act repealing or amending the same, is suspended, the Governor shall have and may exercise all the functions vested in a County Council under this section:

And whereas the road described in the Schedule hereto is a district road, and is situated in the County of Manukau, in which county the operation of "The Counties Act, 1886" (an Act repealing "The Counties Act, 1876"), is suspended; and it is desirable that the said road should be placed under the exclusive control of the Turanga Road Board:

Now, therefore, I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers vested in me in this behalf, do hereby order and declare that the road described in the Schedule hereto shall, from and after the twenty-third day of May next ensuing, be under the exclusive control of the Turanga Road Board; and I do hereby further direct that one-half the actual cost of constructing and maintaining such road shall be borne by the said Turanga Road Board, and that one-half the actual cost of constructing and maintaining such road shall be borne by the East Tamaki Road Board: Provided, however, that the actual cost as aforesaid shall not, in any one year, exceed the sum of eight pounds, and any excess beyond the sum of eight pounds per annum shall be borne by the Turanga Road Board.

SCHEDULE.

THAT part of the road known as Ridge Road, situated in the Parish of Pakuranga, in the County of Manukau, the western side of which commences at a point on the south-eastern

boundary-line of Section No. 80 of the said parish, due west of the north-western corner of Section No. 235 of the said parish, and proceeds southerly to a point in line with the northern boundary-line of Section No. 174 of the Parish of Pakuranga aforesaid: as the said road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked S.G. 12352, deposited in the General Survey Office, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop; Viscount Cranley, of Cranley in the County of Surrey; Baron Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop, and of West Clandon in the County of Surrey; Baron Cranley, of Imbercourt; Baronet; Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twelfth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

G. F. RICHARDSON,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land taken for a Road in Akaroa County.

(L.S.) ONSLOW, Governor.
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken, under "The Public Works Act, 1882," and its amendments, for a certain work, to wit, the construction of a road in Akaroa County:

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

Now, therefore, I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities in me vested by "The Public Works Act, 1882," and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in that behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of the construction of the said road.

SCHEDULE.

THE parcel of land mentioned hereunder:—

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of Reserve No.	Situated in Block No.	Survey District of
A. R. P. 3 2 9	1220	XIV.	Pigeon Bay.

In the Provincial District of Canterbury; as the said parcel of land is more particularly delineated on the plan marked S.G. 12281, deposited in the Survey Office, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop; Viscount Cranley, of Cranley in the County of Surrey; Baron Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop, and of West Clandon in the County of Surrey; Baron Cranley, of Imbercourt; Baronet; Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twelfth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

G. F. RICHARDSON,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land taken for a Road in Waihemo County.

(L.S.) ONSLOW, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken, under "The Public Works Act, 1882," and its amendments, for a certain work, to wit, the construction of a road in Waihemo County:

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

Now, therefore, I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities in me vested by "The Public Works Act, 1882," and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in that behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of the construction of the said road.

SCHEDULE.

THE parcel of land mentioned hereunder:—

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of Section No.	Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of
A. R. P. 3 0 8	10	VII.	Waihemo.

In the Provincial District of Otago; as the said parcel of land is more particularly delineated on the plan marked S.G. 12773, deposited in the General Survey Office, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop; Viscount Cranley, of Cranley in the County of Surrey; Baron Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop, and of West Clandon in the County of Surrey; Baron Cranley, of Imbercourt; Baronet; Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twelfth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

G. F. RICHARDSON,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land taken for a Road in Maniototo County.

(L.S.) ONSLOW, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken, under "The Public Works Act, 1882," and its amendments, for a certain work, to wit, the construction of a road in Maniototo County:

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

Now, therefore, I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities in me vested by "The Public Works Act, 1882," and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in that behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of the construction of the said road.

SCHEDULE.

THE parcel of land mentioned hereunder:—

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of Section	Situated in Block	Situated in the Survey District of
A. R. P. 4 0 25	3	X.	Blackstone.

In the Provincial District of Otago; as the said parcel of land is more particularly delineated on the plan marked S.G. 12687, deposited in the General Survey Office, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop; Viscount Cranley, of Cranley in the County of Surrey; Baron Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop, and of West Clandon in the County of Surrey; Baron Cranley, of Imbercourt; Baronet; Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twelfth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

G. F. RICHARDSON,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Protecting Stoats, Weasels, and Mongoose.—Notice No. 293.

ONSLOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of May, 1890.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred upon him by the twenty-eighth section of "The Rabbit Nuisance Act, 1882," His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby declare that stoats, weasels, and mongoose are natural enemies of the rabbit, in addition to ferrets, as declared by Order in Council issued on the fourteenth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two; and, with the like advice and consent, doth hereby further order and declare that such animals shall be deemed to be protected under the above-mentioned Act.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.*Terms and Conditions of the Sale or Selection of Sections in the Mangatainoka, Hastwell, and Hunterville Village Settlements.*

ONSLOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of May, 1890.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand has, by Proclamation issued under the provisions of section one hundred and sixty-six of the said Act and the fourteenth section of "The Land Acts Amendment Act, 1888," set apart the lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto as village settlements:

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

1. The lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall be open as small-farm allotments for sale or selection either for cash, or on deferred payments, or on perpetual lease.

2. The day upon which the lands shall be open for sale or selection shall be Wednesday, the eighteenth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

3. The purchaser for cash of any of the lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto must deposit with the Receiver of Land Revenue for the land district one-fifth of the purchase-money at the time of application, and shall pay the whole remainder of the purchase-money within thirty days of the granting of his application; and if not paid within thirty

days his deposit shall be forfeited, and the lands shall be again open for sale or occupation forthwith; and upon full payment of the purchase-money and £1 Crown-grant fee he will be entitled to a Crown grant, to be issued in the usual way.

4. If any of the lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto are selected upon deferred payments, the selector shall be subject to the provisions relating to Part III. of "The Land Act, 1885."

5. If any of the lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto are selected under the perpetual-leasing system, the selector shall be subject to the provisions of Part IV. of "The Land Act, 1885."

6. No person shall be allowed to apply for or select more than one allotment.

7. The prices stated in the Schedule hereto shall be the prices at which the lands shall be open for sale for cash, or for selection on deferred payment, or on perpetual lease.

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

9. Each applicant for a deferred-payment section will be required to make the declaration prescribed by section one hundred and thirteen of "The Land Act, 1885," and shall at the time of application deposit with the Receiver of Land Revenue for the land district one-tenth of the price of the allotment (such payment shall be deemed to be a discharge of the license-fee for the six months due on the next first day of January or July following the date of the license, as the case may be); and, upon fulfilment of the terms and conditions prescribed by the said Act relating to land on deferred payments, will be entitled to the Crown grant, to be issued in the usual way.

10. Each applicant for any of the allotments on perpetual leasing shall be required to deposit with the Receiver of Land Revenue for the land district a sum equal to one half-year's rent of the allotment included in the application, and such payment shall be in discharge of the half-year's rent due on the first day of January or July which shall first ensue after the commencement of the term, together with the sum of thirty shillings for the lease and registration thereof.

11. Each applicant for a section for cash will be required to make a statutory declaration that he is applying for the land solely for his own use and benefit, and not for the use and benefit of any other person or persons whomsoever.

SCHEDULE.
WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Price per Acre.	Deferred-payment Price per Acre.	Perpetual-lease Rent per Acre.
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MANGAHAO DISTRICT.

	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
14	IV.	29	0	16	2	12	0	3	5	0	0	2	7½
25	"	11	2	19	3	12	0	4	10	0	0	3	7½

Description of Land: Section 14 is situated in the Mangatainoka Village-homestead Special Settlement, about three miles north of Pahiatua Township, on the Mangatainoka North Dray-road, and comprises hilly land of good quality, about 20 acres being in grass, the remainder is standing bush, and is fairly-well watered. This section is weighted with £17, value of improvements. Section 25 is situated in the Mangatainoka Village-homestead Special Settlement, about three miles north of Pahiatua Township, on the Waitapu Road, which has not been formed; the area is all flat land of good quality. The bush has been felled and burnt, but grass-seed has not been sown. There is no running stream in this section, but water will probably be obtained by sinking.

HUNTERVILLE.

230, 233, and 234	..	12	1	11	3	0	0	3	15	0	0	3	0
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Description of Land: These sections are situated in Hunterville, on the north boundary of the settlement, and comprise rough hilly land, cleared and laid down in grass.

MANGAONE DISTRICT.

36	XIV.	6	1	37	3	7	0	4	3	9	0	3	4½
54	"	20	0	0	2	0	0	2	10	0	0	2	0
55	"	10	0	0	3	0	0	3	15	0	0	3	0

Description of Land: Section 36 is situated in the Hastwell Village-homestead Special Settlement, about one and a half miles north of Mangamahoe Railway-station, fronting the Forty-mile Bush main coach-road, and comprises good flat land, well watered. The bush has all been felled and burnt off, but not sown down in grass. Section 54 is situated in the Hastwell Village-homestead Special Settlement, and comprises good flat land, well watered; about four acres of bush have been felled and burnt, but not sown in grass; the

remainder is covered with mixed bush. Section 55 is situated in the Hastwell Village-homestead Special Settlement, and comprises good flat land, well watered. The bush has been felled and burnt off, but the land has not been sown in grass.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Terms and Conditions of Sale or Selection of the Marshall Village Settlement.

ONSLOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of May, 1890.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand has, by Proclamation issued under the provisions of section one hundred and sixty-six of the said Act and the fourteenth section of "The Land Acts Amendment Act, 1888," set apart the lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto as a village settlement:

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

1. The lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall be open as small-farm allotments for sale or selection either for cash, or on deferred payments, or on perpetual lease.

2. The day upon which the lands shall be open for sale or selection shall be Wednesday, the eighteenth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

3. The purchaser for cash of any of the lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto must deposit with the Receiver of Land Revenue for the land district one-fifth of the purchase-money at the time of application, and shall pay the whole remainder of the purchase-money within thirty days of the granting of his application; and if not paid within thirty days his deposit shall be forfeited, and the lands shall be again open for sale or occupation forthwith; and upon full payment of the purchase-money he will be entitled to a Crown grant, to be issued in the usual way.

4. If any of the lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto are selected upon deferred payments, the selector shall be subject to the provisions relating to Part III. of "The Land Act, 1885."

5. If any of the lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto are selected under the perpetual-leasing system, the selector shall be subject to the provisions of Part IV. of "The Land Act, 1885."

6. No person shall be allowed to apply for or select more than one allotment.

7. The prices stated in the Schedule hereto shall be the prices at which the lands shall be open for sale for cash, or for selection on deferred payments, or on perpetual lease.

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

9. Each applicant for a deferred-payment section will be required to make the declaration prescribed by section one hundred and thirteen of "The Land Act, 1885," and shall at the time of application deposit with the Receiver of Land Revenue for the land district one-tenth of the price of the allotment (such payment shall be deemed to be a discharge of the license-fee for the six months due on the next first day of January or July following the date of the license, as the case may be); and, upon fulfilment of the terms and conditions prescribed by the said Act relating to land on deferred payments, will be entitled to the Crown grant, to be issued in the usual way.

10. Each applicant for any of the allotments on perpetual leasing will be required to deposit with the Receiver of Land Revenue for the land district a sum equal to one half-year's rent of the allotment included in the application, and such payment shall be in discharge of the half-year's rent due on the first day of January or July which shall first ensue after the commencement of the term, together with the sum of thirty shillings for the lease and registration thereof.

11. Each applicant for a section for cash will be required to make a statutory declaration that he is applying for the land solely for his own use and benefit, and not for the use and benefit of any other person or persons whomsoever.

SCHEDULE.
MARSHALL VILLAGE SETTLEMENT.

Section.	Area.	Cash Price per Allotment.	Deferred-payment Price per Allotment.	Perpetual-lease Rent per Allotment.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.
2	1 2 30	5 0 0	6 5 0	5 0
3	2 1 29	7 10 0	9 7 6	7 6
4	1 0 33	3 0 0	3 15 0	3 0
5	2 1 12	5 0 0	6 5 0	5 0
6	1 2 25	4 0 0	5 0 0	4 0
8	1 0 0	4 0 0	5 0 0	4 0
9	2 0 37	4 0 0	5 0 0	4 0
10	2 0 18	4 0 0	5 0 0	4 0
11	3 1 3	5 0 0	6 5 0	5 0
12	1 0 10	5 0 0	6 5 0	5 0
13	2 0 2	7 10 0	9 7 6	7 6
14	1 1 12	5 0 0	6 5 0	5 0
16	0 3 31	5 0 0	6 5 0	5 0
17	0 3 20	5 0 0	6 5 0	5 0
18	0 2 32	5 0 0	6 5 0	5 0
20	1 0 0	5 0 0	6 5 0	5 0
21	1 0 33	5 0 0	6 5 0	5 0
22	1 1 36	5 0 0	6 5 0	5 0
23	1 0 32	5 0 0	6 5 0	5 0
24	4 0 11	8 0 0	10 0 0	8 0
25	5 3 22	10 0 0	12 10 0	10 0
26	1 1 20	5 0 0	6 5 0	5 0
27	1 0 0	5 0 0	6 5 0	5 0
28	1 0 0	5 0 0	6 5 0	5 0
29	1 0 0	5 0 0	6 5 0	5 0
30	1 0 0	5 0 0	6 5 0	5 0
31	1 0 0	5 0 0	6 5 0	5 0
32	0 3 26	5 0 0	6 5 0	5 0
39	1 2 7	10 0 0	12 10 0	10 0
40	1 0 0	5 0 0	6 5 0	5 0
41	1 0 0	5 0 0	6 5 0	5 0
42	1 2 2	5 0 0	6 5 0	5 0
43	1 1 33	5 0 0	6 5 0	5 0
44	1 1 20	5 0 0	6 5 0	5 0
45	1 0 11	5 0 0	6 5 0	5 0
46	1 1 28	5 0 0	6 5 0	5 0
48	1 1 0	5 0 0	6 5 0	5 0
49	3 2 0	7 0 0	8 15 0	7 0

The Village of Marshall is situated at Curl's Clearing, in the Otamakapua Block, about thirty-two miles from Feilding and eight miles from the projected main trunk railway, Marton-Te Awamutu; the road has been partly formed to within two miles of the village. The area comprises flat and undulating open land of fair quality, well watered by the KIWITEA; ample provision has been made for reserves for public purposes, including school, recreation, public buildings, and cemetery. The elevation of the land is about 1,300ft. above the sea-level; the climate is favourable for agricultural and pastoral pursuits. As the position is central to a large area of country, the sections are suitable for occupation by a working-man or small settler.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Burke's Pass Recreation-ground brought under "The Public Domains Act, 1881."

ONSLOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of May, 1890.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

BY virtue of the powers and authorities vested in me by the twenty-fourth section of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, do hereby order and declare that the reserve made for public recreation in the Land District of Canterbury, and known as the Burke's Pass Recreation-ground, and described in the Schedule hereto, shall be and the same is hereby brought under the operation of and declared to be subject to the provisions of "The Public Domains Act, 1881;" and such domain shall hereafter be managed, administered, and dealt with in manner directed by the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 45 acres and 3 perches, more or less, being Section No. 1595 (in red), situate in Block VIII., Burke Survey District. Bounded north-

eastward by a road-line, 2236.5 links; south-eastward by a road-line 1736.5 links, also by Reserve No. 2334, 500 links; south-westward by Reserve No. 2334, 1000 links, and also by Reserve No. 1264A, 1236.5 links; north-westward by Section No. 35668, 2236.5 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the District Survey Office, Christchurch.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Powers delegated to the Burke's Pass Domain Board under "The Public Domains Act, 1881."

ONSLOW, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of May, 1890.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the twelfth section of "The Public Domains Act, 1881," it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor, by Order in Council, may from time to time delegate all or any of the powers by the said Act conferred, save as is therein mentioned, to any person or persons for any period, and subject to such stipulations as may be specified in such order, and that every such delegation may from time to time in like manner be altered or revoked: And whereas, pursuant to "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," by an Order in Council of even date herewith, the land described in the Schedule thereto is declared to be brought under the operation of and to be subject to the provisions of the said "Public Domains Act, 1881:"

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony of New Zealand, doth, by this present order, delegate all the powers conferred by the Act first above mentioned, except the powers under or conferred by sections five and twelve, to the under-mentioned persons, who shall be known as the Burke's Pass Domain Board, namely,—

JOHN MCGREGOR,
JAMES O'KEEFE,
JOHN ANNIS, and
JOHN W. COULSON

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

1. The Board shall meet for the transaction of business on the second Wednesday in each month, at eight o'clock p.m., at Burke's Pass, or at such other time or place as may from time to time be fixed by the Board. The first meeting shall be held on Wednesday, the eleventh day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

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

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

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

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

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

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

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

ONSLOW, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of May, 1890.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by "The Public Domains Act, 1881," His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by

and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby revoke certain Orders in Council, dated the seventh day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, and the fifth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, making delegation of certain powers in manner as therein appears; and doth, with the like advice and consent, by this present order, delegate, but only with respect to the pieces or parcels of land described in the Schedule hereto, all the powers conferred by the Act aforesaid, except the powers under or conferred by sections five and twelve thereof, to the under-mentioned persons, who shall be known as the Tamuka Park Public Domain Board, namely,—

JOHN MEYER,
KEITH FORBES GRAY,
MICHAEL QUINN,
JOHN TURNBULL MURRAY HAYHURST, and
WILLIAM GRIGSON ASPINALL.

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

1. The Board shall meet at such times and places as shall be from time to time appointed by the Chairman; and the business shall be conducted under such regulations as shall be determined by the Board.
2. Special meetings may be convened by the Chairman or by any two members of the Board, provided that two days' notice of such meeting be given to each member, specifying the business to be transacted at such special meeting, and no other business than that so specified shall be transacted at such meeting.
3. Any three of the said Board shall form a quorum. Any meeting may be adjourned from time to time.
4. The members of the Board shall, at their first meeting, and thereafter at an annual meeting to be held on the second Monday in December in every succeeding year thereafter, elect one of themselves to be Chairman, who may join in the discussion, and shall have an original as well as a casting vote. The Chairman shall hold office until the election of his successor.
5. If at any meeting the Chairman is not present at the time appointed for holding the same, the members present shall choose some one of their number to be Chairman of such meeting.
6. If, by resignation, death, or incapacity, or otherwise, the office of Chairman shall be or become vacant, the members may at any monthly or special meeting appoint a Chairman.
7. All questions shall be determined by the majority of votes of the members of the Board present at a meeting.

SCHEDULE.

DESCRIPTION of Reserve 307 (in red), being a reserve for public gardens and recreation-ground in the Township of Arowhenua: 133 acres, in the Township of Arowhenua. Bounded on the north by High Street and by Reserve No. 277 (in red); on the west by the said reserve, and also by the reserve for railway; on the east by Taumatahahu Creek; and on the south by the bank of the River Tumuku.

All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 50 acres, more or less, being Section No. 1561 (in red), situate in the Opihi Survey District. Bounded towards the north by Section No. 19012, 3580 links; towards the east by same section, 1250 links; towards the west by a road-line, 1499 links; and towards the south by Section No. 19010, 4400 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the District Survey Office, Christchurch.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Vesting Reserves in the Hawke's Bay County Council.

ONSLOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of May, 1890.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto were reserved for river-conservation: And whereas it is expedient that the said lands should be vested in the Hawke's Bay County Council:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, and in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the fourth section of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," doth hereby declare that, from and after the day of the date hereof, the reserves mentioned in the Schedule hereto shall become vested in the Chairman, Councillors, and inhabitants of the Hawke's Bay County, in trust, for river-conservation.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 15 acres 3 roods 38 perches, more or less, being Suburban Section No. 76, Meanee, Here-taunga Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by a public road, 1149 and 1364.9 links; towards the south by a line, 574.5 links; towards the south-west by a line, 1485 links; and towards the north-west by a line, 802.8 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the office of the Chief Surveyor, Napier.

All that parcel of land in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre 1 rood 10 perches, more or less, being Suburban Section No. 74, Meanee, Here-taunga Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by a public road, 200 and 531.3 links; towards the south by lines, 100 and 528.8 links; and towards the north-west by a public road, 455.5 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the office of the Chief Surveyor, Napier.

All that parcel of land in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 5 acres 3 roods 14 perches, more or less, being Suburban Section No. 75, Meanee, Here-taunga Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by a public road, 75, 1052.7, 578.3, and 299.6 links; towards the south-east by a public road, 560.2 links; and towards the south-west by lines, 146.1, 1436.3, and 621.6 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the office of the Chief Surveyor, Napier.

All that parcel of land in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 18 acres 2 roods 26 perches, more or less, being Section No. 51, Block XII., Heretaunga Survey District. Bounded on the north by the Meanee River and a public road, 270 links; towards the east by a public road, 148.4 links; towards the south-east by a public road, 1272.5 and 3318.4 links; and towards the north-west by a public road, 694.5 and 2580 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the office of the Chief Surveyor, Napier.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Removal of Restrictions on Alienation of Native Land.

ONSLOW, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of May, 1890.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS application has been made to the Governor in Council by Pirihiira te Tia, the Native owner of the land described in the second column of the Schedule hereto, praying that the restrictions on the alienation of such land contained in the Crown grant, bearing date the first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, described in the first column of the said Schedule, may be removed: And whereas inquiry has been duly made by the Native Land Court, and the said Court has reported that the provisions of the law in that behalf have been complied with: And whereas it appears expedient to grant such application:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Right Honourable William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on him by "The Native Land Act, 1883," and acting with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby order and declare that all restrictions imposed by the said Crown grant on the alienation of the said lands are hereby removed.

SCHEDULE.

FIRST COLUMN.	SECOND COLUMN.
Particulars of Grant or Instrument containing Restrictions.	Description of Lands.
Crown grant No. 6731, W. 33, folio 220, in favour of Pirihiira te Tia, dated 1st April, 1882, under "The Crown Grants Act (No. 2), 1862," and containing the following restrictions: "Inalienable by sale, or by lease, or by mortgage for a longer period than twenty-one years, without the consent of the Governor being previously obtained."	All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Wellington, containing 60 acres, and known as Section 94, Terawhiti District.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Removal of Restrictions on Alienation of Native Land.

ONSLow, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of May, 1890.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS application has been made to the Governor in Council by Harihona Pataka, successor to Hera Hinerae, the Native owner of the land described in the second column of the Schedule hereto, praying that the restrictions on the alienation of such land contained in the Crown grant, bearing date the seventh day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, described in the first column of the said Schedule, may be removed: And whereas inquiry has been duly made by the Native Land Court, and the said Court has reported that the provisions of the law in that behalf have been complied with: And whereas it appears expedient to grant such application:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Right Honourable William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on him by "The Native Land Act, 1888," and acting with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby order and declare that all restrictions imposed by the said Crown grant on the alienation of the said lands are hereby removed.

SCHEDULE.

FIRST COLUMN.	SECOND COLUMN.
Particulars of Grant or Instrument containing Restrictions.	Description of Lands.
Crown grant No. 5267, T. 19, p. 130, dated 7th October, 1884, in favour of Hera Hinerae, and containing the following restrictions: "Inalienable by sale, lease, or mortgage for a longer period than twenty-one years, except with the consent of the Governor previously obtained."	All that parcel of land in the Waitara Survey District, Provincial District of Taranaki, known as Section No. 68, Block X., Mimi, containing 250 acres.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Removal of Restrictions on Alienation of Native Land.

ONSLow, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of May, 1890.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS application has been made to the Governor in Council by Waipua, successor to Riwai te Ahu, the Native owner of the lands described in the second column of the Schedule hereto, praying that the restrictions on the alienation of such lands contained in the Crown grant, bearing date the second day of February, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, described in the first column of the said Schedule, may be removed: And whereas inquiry has been duly made by the Native Land Court, and the said Court has reported that the provisions of the law in that behalf have been complied with: And whereas it appears expedient to grant such application:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Right Honourable William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on him by "The Native Land Act, 1888," and acting with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby order and declare that all restrictions imposed by the said Crown grant on the alienation of the said lands are hereby removed.

SCHEDULE.

FIRST COLUMN.	SECOND COLUMN.
Particulars of Grant or Instrument containing Restrictions.	Description of Lands.
Crown grant No. 5351, T. 19, p. 214, in favour of Riwai te Ahu, dated 2nd February, 1885, and containing the following restrictions: "Inalienable by sale, lease, or mortgage for a longer period than twenty-one years, except with the consent of the Governor previously obtained."	All those pieces of land in the Waitara Survey District, Provincial District of Taranaki, known as Section No. 67, Block VII., and containing 25 acres, and Section No. 30, Block XI., containing 75 acres.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Extension of Time for Elections, Ruataniwha Road District, County of Waipawa.

ONSLow, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of May, 1890.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it has been made to appear that the necessary steps have not been taken for holding the annual election of members of the Board of the Ruataniwha Road District during the first week of the present month of May, and it is expedient to extend the time for holding such elections:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, and in pursuance of the powers vested in him by "The Road Boards Act, 1882," doth hereby order and declare that the time for holding the annual election of members of the Board of the Ruataniwha Road District is hereby extended, and that such election may take place on or before the thirty-first day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Vaccination Districts constituted.

ONSLow, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in the Governor by "The Public Health Act, 1876," I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby abolish the existing vaccination districts known as the Grey and Ahaura Districts; and do declare that the territory heretofore comprised within the said districts is hereby divided anew into three vaccination districts, the names whereof shall be the Ahaura, Brunner, and Grey Districts, and the boundaries whereof shall be coterminous with the boundaries of the marriage districts bearing the same names as are set forth in a Proclamation of even date herewith, made under the provisions of "The Marriage Act, 1880."

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

W. R. RUSSELL.

Vaccination Districts constituted.

ONSLow, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in the Governor by "The Public Health Act, 1876," I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby abolish the existing vaccination districts known as the Awitu, Drury, and Auckland Districts; and do declare that the territory heretofore comprised within the said districts is hereby divided anew into three vaccination districts, the names whereof shall be the Awitu, Drury, and Auckland Districts, and the boundaries whereof shall be coterminous with the boundaries of the marriage districts bearing the same names as are set forth in a Proclamation of even date herewith, made under the provisions of "The Marriage Act, 1880."

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this thirteenth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

W. R. RUSSELL.

Dissolving the Native Committee for the District of Opotiki, and appointing a New Election to be held.

ONSLow, Governor.

WHEREAS by subsection six of section seven of "The Native Committees Act, 1883," it is provided that the Governor may at any time, if he shall think fit, dissolve any Committee, and appoint a new election to be held:

And whereas it is expedient to dissolve the existing Committee for the District of Opotiki, and that a new election should be held:

Now, therefore, I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise of the power and authority vested in me in that behalf, do hereby dissolve the Native Committee for the District of Opotiki, and appoint a new election of a Committee for the said district as follows:—

The Returning Officer appointed to conduct the election shall, in terms of section four of the said Act, publicly notify on Monday, the nineteenth day of May next, that nominations will be received of Native persons to be members of the Committee on Friday, the thirteenth day of June next, at the Courthouse at Opotiki.

ROBERT SMELT BUSH, Esquire, shall be the Returning Officer to conduct the election in terms of the said Act.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this eleventh day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

EDWIN MITCHELSON,
Native Minister.

Duty to be levied on Ground Olive Stones.

ONSLow, Governor.

IN exercise of the powers in me for that purpose vested by "The Customs and Excise Duties Act, 1888," I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby direct that, from and after the date hereof, there shall be levied upon olive stones, ground, which is apparently a substitute for a dutiable article, viz., pepper, and which possesses properties in the whole or in part which can be used for a similar purpose as such dutiable article, a duty of fourpence the pound.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this eleventh day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

EDWIN MITCHELSON.

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

ONSLow, Governor.

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

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

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND.

ALL that parcel of land in the Land District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 8 acres 3 roods 30 perches, more or less, being Section No. 58c, in the Parish of Awhitu. Bounded on the north by a road, 942 links; on the east by a road, 490 and 397 links; on the south by the north-eastern portion of Section No. 58, 1272 links; and on the west by Section No. 58b, 738 links; all in the Parish of Awhitu: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. For recreation.

All that parcel of land in the Land District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 3 acres and 10 perches, more or less, being Section No. 58b, in the Parish of Awhitu. Bounded on the north-west by a road, 709 links; on the east by Section No. 58c of the Parish of Awhitu aforesaid, 738 links; on the south by the north-eastern portion of Section No. 58 of the Parish of Awhitu aforesaid, 328 links; and on the south-west by Section No. 58a of the Parish of Awhitu aforesaid, 532 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. For a site for a cemetery.

All that parcel of land in the Land District of Auckland,

containing by admeasurement 270 acres 2 roods, more or less, and called or known as Section No. 18 of Block II., Waihi South Survey District. Bounded towards the north by Section No. 19 of the same block, 4766 links; towards the south-east by the Pongakawa River; towards the south by Section No. 14 of Block V., Waihi South Survey District, 4638 links; and towards the north-west by a public road, 80, 3895, 1186, and 570 links to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. For primary education.

All that parcel of land in the Land District of Auckland, being the south-western portion of Section No. 281 of the Parish of Kirikiriroa, and containing by admeasurement 20 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the north-east by the north-eastern portion of Section No. 281 aforesaid, 4000 links; towards the south-east by a public road, 500 links; towards the south-west by Section No. 282 of the Parish of Kirikiriroa aforesaid, 4000 links; and towards the north-west by a public road, 500 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. For a school-site.

NELSON.

All that parcel of land containing 1 rood, more or less, situate in the Land District of Nelson, being part of Section No. 2, Block XV., Oparara Survey District. Bounded on the northward, 158.2 links, and eastward, 135.7 links, by other part of said Section No. 2; on the southward, 164.4 links, by a public road along the bank of the River Karamea; and on the westward, 180.7 links, by Section No. 1. For a school-site.

All that parcel of land in the Land District of Nelson, containing by admeasurement 1,000 acres, more or less, in the Maungatapu Survey District. Bounded on the north-eastward by Sections Nos. 24 and 23, Square 18; on the south-eastward by Sections Nos. 6 and 5, Block IV., Maungatapu Survey District; on the south-westward by Crown lands; and on the north-westward by Section No. 14, Square 18: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the office of the Chief Surveyor, Nelson. For a waterworks reserve.

CANTERBURY.

All that parcel of land in the Land District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 38,000 acres, more or less, being Section No. 2652 (in red), situate in the Mueller Survey District. Bounded eastward by the summit of the Mount Cook Range and a line drawn from Trig. Q to the wire rope on the Hooker River, and by the Hooker and Tasman Rivers; southward by Birch Hill Creek and a line in continuation thereof to the summit of Ben Ohau Range; south-westward by Ben Ohau Range to Barron's Saddle; and north-westward by the summit of the Moorhouse Range, being the dividing-line between the Land Districts of Canterbury and Westland: save and excepting thereout Sections Nos. 35556, 35557, 34950, 34706, and 34490, which are included within the above-described boundaries; as the same is delineated on the map deposited in the District Survey Office, Christchurch. For recreation.

NOTE.—Portions of the area above described were reserved on the 10th January, 1885 (*Gazette* No. 5, of the 15th January, 1885, page 96).

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this eleventh day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

G. F. RICHARDSON,
Minister of Lands.

Shooting Season for Imported Game, License Fees, &c., Hawera District.

ONSLow, Governor.

IN exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and the Acts amending the same, I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby notify that cock-pheasants and quail may be taken or killed within the Hawera District, consisting of the Counties of Hawera and Patea, from the first day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety, to the thirty-first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety, 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 game and native game shall be issued on payment of the sum of five pounds each; and the Postmasters at Hawera and Patea are hereby appointed to sign and issue the said licenses.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twelfth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

W. R. RUSSELL,
Colonial Secretary.

Rural Lands in the Auckland Land District open for Sale or Selection.

ONSLOW, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the third section of "The Land Act Amendment Act, 1887" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, having received the report of the Surveyor-General in this behalf, as in the said section is provided, do hereby declare that the rural lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale or selection, after the lapse of a period of not less than forty-five days from the date of the first public notification hereof, in the manner and upon the conditions mentioned in the said Act, and at the price per acre stated in the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Area.	Cash Price per Acre.
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FIRST-CLASS LANDS.

HOKIANGA COUNTY.

Waipoua Survey District.

Block I.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
12	50 0 0	1 0 0

Subject to £50 for improvements.

Description of Land: Nearly level, covered with bush, containing about twenty-eight kauri trees; soil medium.

Waikou Survey District.

Block IV.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
19	271 0 0	1 0 0

Description of Land: Undulating land, about one-third bush, about 100 acres flat alluvial land; soil good.

MANUKAU COUNTY.

Opapeke Parish.

Section 2.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
153	10 2 6	2 0 0

Description of Land: Poor land, covered with short fern, &c.

RODNEY COUNTY.

Pakiri Parish.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
49	53 3 20	1 0 0

Description of Land: Mixed puriri bush land, broken, sandstone soil, well watered, accessible by road.

SECOND-CLASS LANDS.

HOKIANGA COUNTY.

Hokianga Survey District.

Block III.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
2	21 0 30	0 10 0

Description of Land: Undulating, one-third mixed bush, remainder high tea-tree; soil good.

Block VII.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
1	50 0 0	0 10 0

Description of Land: Undulating, covered with mixed bush, soil rather stony.

Whangape Survey District.

Block XVI.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
1	30 1 0	0 10 0
2	40 3 0	0 10 0

Description of Land: Section 1, rather broken, covered with mixed bush, clay soil, well watered; 2, undulating, covered with high tea-tree, about one-half fairly good soil.

MANUKAU COUNTY.

Tuakau Parish.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
99	76 2 0	0 15 0
100	113 3 0	0 15 0

Description of Land: Lot 99, all open, soil good; 100, open land, soil poor. Lot 99 is situated on the Waikato River.

RODNEY COUNTY.

Hoho Parish.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
90	148 0 0	0 15 0

Description of Land: Broken bush land, well watered, soil of sandstone formation, about 20 acres roughly grassed. Proposed Helensville North Railway passes through this section.

Section.	Area.	Cash Price per Acre.
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Tauhoa Parish.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
162	182 3 0	0 5 0
163	183 3 0	0 7 6
164	340 2 0	0 9 0
165	218 0 0	0 6 6
166	176 0 0	0 5 0

Description of Land: All broken bush land, except Lot 166, which is gum land, accessible by road; Lot 164 contains about 150,000ft. of kauri timber.

TAURANGA COUNTY.

Maketu Survey District.

Block IX.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
12	180 1 12	0 10 0

Description of Land: Open fern land of good quality, rather broken; few acres of bush on stream.

Te Papa Parish.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
576	153 2 32	0 10 0
577	77 1 0	0 10 0

Description of Land: All broken land of poor quality, covered with fern and scrub.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twelfth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

G. F. RICHARDSON,
Minister of Lands.

Rural Lands in the Wellington Land District open for Sale or Selection.

ONSLOW, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the third section of "The Land Act Amendment Act, 1887" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, having received the report of the Surveyor-General in this behalf, as in the said section is provided, do hereby declare that the rural lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale or selection, after the lapse of a period of not less than forty-five days from the date of the first public notification hereof, in the manner and upon the conditions mentioned in the said Act, and at the price per acre respectively stated in the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

UNSURVEYED LANDS.

MIDDLE MAKURI-PUKETOI BLOCK.

BLOCKS VI., VII., X., XI., XIV., and XV., Makuri Survey District, comprising 13,500 acres. First-class land. Cash price, £1 to £1 15s.; deferred-payment price, £1 5s. to £2 3s. 9d.; and perpetual-lease rental, 1s. to 1s. 9d. per acre.

Description of Land: This block is situated between Tiraumea-Makuri Block and the summit of the Puketoi Range. It lies north of and adjacent to the Makuri-Puketoi Block, and comprises the Makuri Valley, the western slopes of the Puketoi Range, the country westward to the Waewaepa Range, and includes in the eastern part easy slopes, round-topped hills, flats, and narrow valleys; the western portion comprises high hills and spurs of a rougher character. The whole area is generally well watered by the Makuri and its tributaries and by excellent springs on the limestone area. The formation is limestone with a belt of papa along the western side; the soil is good throughout—indeed, that on the limestone formation is excellent, being apparently similar in character to that splendid country known as the Rangitumau and Maungaraki Hills. The forest growth includes tawa, rimu, rata, totara, with tawhero on the higher lands; the undergrowth consists of supplejacks, kawakawa, karamu, rangiora, konini, &c.; the bush in the eastern part is generally light. There are generally good flats and ample totara for homestead purposes. The access from Pahiatua is by the Toritea dray-road to the Tiraumea River; thence by a horse-road to the Makuri Township Reserve, a distance of about nineteen miles from Pahiatua, or by the Tiraumea and Te Anupapa dray-roads to a junction with the first-mentioned line, a total distance of about seventeen miles from Pahiatua. The general elevation of the country ranges from 900ft. to 2,500ft. The climate is mild, the rainfall plentiful and well distributed throughout the year. These advantages, combined with the central position and rich character of the land, render it eminently well adapted for pastoral pursuits.

SOUTH PUKETOI BLOCK.

Blocks II., III., V., VI., VII., IX., and X., Puketoi Survey District, comprising 16,500 acres. First- and second-class lands. Cash price, 17s. 6d. to £1 15s.; deferred-payment

price, £1 1s. 10½d. to £2 3s. 9d.; and perpetual-lease rental, 10½d. to 1s. 9d. per acre.

Description of Land: This block is situated at and includes the southern end of the Puketoi Range and all the country in the great bend of the Tiraumea, at the back of Messrs. Napier's, Saunders's, and Burling's estates; and in the northern part comprises generally good flats, table-lands, and high round-topped limestone hills; and in the southern and eastern parts, which are generally of papa and sandstone formation, high hills with easy or steep faces and small flats. The forest on the limestone formation is generally very light, comprising rata, rimu, hinau, scattered totara with tawhero on the higher lands, and an undergrowth consisting of rangiora, konini, mahoe, kaiwhiria, karamu, &c. On the southern and south-eastern part of the block the bush is generally fairly heavy, comprising rata, rimu, hinau, scattered totara, and on the flats kihikatea. There are also in this part some clearings and patches of manuka and high mixed bush extending back to Mr. Burling's property. The limestone area is generally well watered by streams and excellent springs; the other part of the block is fairly well watered by the Tiraumea and its branches. The soil on the limestone formation is generally of excellent quality, being apparently similar in character to the famous Rangitumau and Maungaraki Hills; that on the papa and sandstone varies from inferior clay to good loamy soil. The access to the southern part of the block is from the railway-station at Eketahuna via the Alfredton-Tiraumea dray-road, eighteen miles to Mount Saunders; the northern and western parts can be reached from Pahiata by the Tiraumea Road and surveyed lines, the distance being about fourteen miles, half the distance being over formed roads. The general elevation of the country ranges from 400ft. to about 2,000ft. on the Puketoi. The climate is mild, the rainfall plentiful and well distributed throughout the year; the land is well situated, and as a considerable area is covered with rich deep soil the block is well adapted for pastoral pursuits.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twelfth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

G. F. RICHARDSON,
Minister of Lands.

Trustees appointed for the Maintenance of the Wrey's Bush Public Cemetery.

ONSLOW, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the sixth section of "The Cemeteries Act, 1882," I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the several persons whose names are specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto to be Trustees to provide for the maintenance of the public cemetery specified in the second column of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Names of Trustees.	Name of Public Cemetery, and Description of Land.
Timothy Chamberlain. Michael Egan. George Officer. Archibald Miller. John Newton. Thomas Power.	WREY'S BUSH. All that parcel of land in the Land District of Southland, containing 5 acres, more or less, being Section No. 175, Wairio District. Bounded on the west by Section No. 41 of said district, 500 links; on the north by Sections Nos. 41 and 39 of said district, 1000 links; on the east by Crown lands, 500 links; and on the south by Crown lands, 1000 links.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twelfth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

G. F. RICHARDSON,
Minister of Lands.

Trustee appointed for the Arapohue Cemetery.

ONSLOW, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the sixth section of "The Cemeteries Act, 1882," I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint

HENRY THORNTON SMITH

to be a Trustee, in the place of Duncan McGregor, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Arapohue Ceme-

tery, in conjunction with the other persons appointed by warrant under the hand of His Excellency the Governor on the sixth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twelfth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

G. F. RICHARDSON,
Minister of Lands.

Postmaster appointed to take and receive Statutory Declarations.

PURSUANT to the authority conferred upon me by the eighth section of "The Justices of the Peace Act Amendment Act, 1888," I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby notify and declare that

GAVIN MCINTYRE PARK,

being a person holding the office of Postmaster under "The Post Office Act, 1881," at Taupo, is authorised to take and receive statutory declarations under the two hundred and thirty-fourth section of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

As witness my hand, at Wellington, in the colony aforesaid, this twelfth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

ONSLOW,
Governor.

Levéé in honour of the Queen's Birthday.

Government House,

Wellington, 15th May, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified that, in order not to interfere with the enjoyment of the usual holiday, he will hold a Levée at Government House, on Friday, the 23rd day of May, at 5 p.m., in honour of Her Majesty's Birthday.

Gentlemen attending the Levée will wear uniform or morning dress, and are requested to bring with them two visiting-cards, with their names legibly inscribed thereon; one card to be left at the entrance-hall, and the other to be given to the Aide-de-Camp.

Gentlemen having cards for the private entrée are requested to be at Government House not later than 4.45 p.m.

By command of His Excellency.

RIVERSDALE WALROND,
Private Secretary.

Holiday on Monday, the 26th May, in honour of Her Majesty's Birthday.

Colonial Secretary's Office,

Wellington, 15th May, 1890.

THE Government Offices in New Zealand will be closed on Monday, the 26th instant, in honour of Her Majesty's Birthday.

W. R. RUSSELL.

Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,

Wellington, 28th April, 1890.

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

Name.	District.
FREDERICK HENRY IBBETSON	Ahaura.
WILLIAM ALFRED BARTON	Grey.
FREDERICK WILLIAM PATTLE	Brunner.

W. R. RUSSELL.

Rangers under Animals Protection Acts appointed, Wellington.

Colonial Secretary's Office,

Wellington, 12th May, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES PEARCE,
CHARLES SEAGER, and
RICHARD THOMPSON

to be Rangers under "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and the Acts amending the same, for the District of Wellington.

W. R. RUSSELL.

Rangers under Animals Protection Acts appointed, Otago.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 12th May, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN AMBROSE KIRKE,
MILTON W. FLEMING,
JAMES PATERSON,
JAMES HOWELL,
WILLIAM BRIGGS McMEIKAN,
JAMES ALEXANDER PATERSON, and
ROBERT DUNSTAN SMITH

to be Rangers under "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and the Acts amending the same, for the District of Otago.

W. R. RUSSELL.

Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 13th May, 1890.

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

Name.	District.
JOHN OWEN LORD	Auckland.
JOHN MELLISOP	Awitu.
SAMUEL WALKER	Drury.

W. R. RUSSELL.

Clerk of Resident Magistrate's Court appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 12th May, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable MATTHEW O'BRIEN

to be Clerk of the Resident Magistrate's Court at Helensville, from the 5th instant, *vice* Constable A. McConnell.

W. R. RUSSELL.

Member of Licensing Committees appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 12th May, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ROBERT ADAMS

to be a Member of the Licensing Committees for the Special Licensing Districts of East Taupo and West Taupo, *vice* C. J. Norton.

W. R. RUSSELL.

Clerks of Licensing Committees appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 12th May, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

MICHAEL PHILLIPS

to be Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Grey; and

OWEN JAMES HODGE

to be Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Peninsula, *vice* W. O. Duthie.

W. R. RUSSELL.

Members of Licensing Committees appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 14th May, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ALEXANDER W. INGLES

to be a Member of the Licensing Committee for the District of Kaikoura, *vice* A. S. Collins, resigned; and

JOHN DOBSON

to be a Member of the Licensing Committee for the District of Oxford, *vice* R. H. Parish, resigned.

W. R. RUSSELL.

Clerk of Licensing Committee appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 14th May, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

GEORGE MOORE

to be Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Pahiatua County, *vice* A. W. Sedcole, resigned.

W. R. RUSSELL.

Licensing Committees appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 14th May, 1890.

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

Committee.	District.
William C. Cochran	Queenstown.
Frederick Finch	
Arthur Ford	
Francois St. Omer	
George Woodrow	
William Butler	Arrow.
George Heller	
Luke H. Preston	
George H. Romans	
Bernard Rushton	

W. R. RUSSELL.

Public Auditors under "The Friendly Societies Act, 1882," appointed.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 14th May, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ARTHUR NICHOLAS BATCHELOR, of Nelson;
PHILIP TOPLISS, of Nelson; and
FREDERICK HENRY HOUNSELL, of Nelson,

to be Public Auditors under "The Friendly Societies Act, 1882."

G. F. RICHARDSON,
(For the Colonial Treasurer.)

Vice-President of New Plymouth Savings Bank re-elected.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 12th May, 1890.

IT is hereby notified for public information that

THOMAS KING, Esq.,

having resigned the office of Vice-President of the New Plymouth Savings Bank, has been re-elected to that office by the Trustees of the bank.

G. F. RICHARDSON,
(For the Colonial Treasurer.)

Manager of New Plymouth Savings Bank reappointed.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 12th May, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to signify his approval of the reappointment, by the Trustees of the New Plymouth Savings Bank, of

PAUL CHAMPION MORTON, Esq.,

to be the Manager of the said bank.

G. F. RICHARDSON,
(For the Colonial Treasurer.)

Members of Land Boards reappointed.

General Crown Lands Office,
Wellington, 14th May, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the under-mentioned reappointments, viz. :—

To the Auckland Land Board.

RICHARD JOHN GILL, Esq., as from the 2nd March, 1890.

To the Nelson Land Board.

FRANCIS HAMILTON, Esq., as from the 11th March, 1890.

G. F. RICHARDSON,
Minister of Lands.

Receiver of Land Revenue appointed.

General Crown Lands Office,
Wellington, 14th May, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

R. W. S. BALLANTYNE, Esq.,

to be a Receiver of Land Revenue to act within the Land District of Hawke's Bay. Date of appointment, 6th May, 1890.

G. F. RICHARDSON,
Minister of Lands.

Assistant Medical Officer, Seacliff Lunatic Asylum, appointed.

Charitable Aid Department,
Wellington, 14th May, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ERNEST EDWARD FOOKS, Esq., M.B. Univ. N.Z.,

to be Assistant Medical Officer of the Seacliff Lunatic Asylum, from the 1st instant.

T. W. HISLOP.

Engineer-in-Chief for the Colony appointed.

Public Works Office,
Wellington, 13th May, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM NEWSHAM BLAIR, Esq., M.Inst.C.E.,

to be Engineer-in-Chief and Under-Secretary for Public Works for the Colony of New Zealand. Appointment to date from the 31st instant.

THOS. FERGUS,
Minister for Public Works.

Marine Engineer for the Colony appointed.

Public Works Office,
Wellington, 13th May, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

CHARLES YELVERTON O'CONNOR, Esq., M.Inst.C.E.,

to be the Marine Engineer for the Colony of New Zealand. Appointment to date from the 31st instant.

THOS. FERGUS,
Minister for Public Works.

Deputy Cattle Inspector appointed.—Notice No. 295.

Head Office, Live Stock Department,
Wellington, 12th May, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the following appointment under "The Diseased Cattle Act, 1881:—

JAMES E. THOMSON,

Christchurch, to be a Deputy Cattle Inspector for the Canterbury Cattle District, from the 1st March, 1890, *vice* T. T. W. Mackay.

G. F. RICHARDSON,
Minister of Lands.

Officers under "The Fisheries Conservation Act, 1884," Otago Acclimatisation District, appointed.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 8th May, 1890.

IT is hereby notified that, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by section 9 of "The Fisheries Conservation Act, 1884,"

JOHN AMBROSE KIRKE, of Kelso,
MILTON W. FLEMING, of Henley,
JAMES PATERSON, of Waikaka,
JAMES HOWELL, of Hamilton's,
WILLIAM BRIGGS McMEIKAN, of Brockville,
JAMES ALEXANDER PATERSON, of White Swamp, and
ROBERT DUNSTAN SMITH, of Roslyn,

have been appointed Officers for the purposes of that Act within all that area in the Provincial District of Otago bounded on the east and south by the ocean, from Shag Point to the mouth of the Mataura River; on the north-west by Lake County; on the west and south-west by the Mataura River; and on the north, north-west, and north-east by the Counties of Westland and Waitaki.

EDWIN MITCHELSON,
(For the Minister having charge of the Marine Department.)

Officers under "The Fisheries Conservation Act, 1884," Geraldine Acclimatisation District, appointed.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 8th May, 1890.

IT is hereby notified that, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by section 9 of "The Fisheries Conservation Act, 1884,"

GEORGE ARTHUR RENNISON,
THOMAS RUSSELL ROBERTS, and
GEORGE VELVIN

have been appointed Officers for the purposes of that Act within that part of the County of Geraldine lying between and including the Rangitata River on the north, the Opihi River on the south, the sea-coast on the east, and the Mackenzie County on the west.

EDWIN MITCHELSON,
(For the Minister having charge of the Marine Department.)

Appointment to Medical Board.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 14th May, 1890.

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

FRANCIS WILLIAM INNES, Esq., B.M., M.S., Edin.,
to be a Member of the Napier Medical Board, as provided for by "The Military Pensions Act, 1866," *vice* Alfred Chevalier Preston, Esq., M.R.C.S.E., who has left the district.

W. R. RUSSELL.

Officers transferred to Unattached Active List.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 14th May, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the transfer of the under-mentioned officers to the Unattached Active List, New Zealand Volunteers:—

M Battery, Artillery Volunteers.
Captain Ernest Herbert Wilmot.
Lieutenant John Mehaffey.

Arrow Rifle Volunteers.
Lieutenant George Stoddart.

Cromwell Rifle Volunteers.
Captain David Anderson Jolly.
Lieutenant Spencer Hardy Turton.

Ashburton Guards Rifle Volunteers.
Captain William Sparrow.
Lieutenant Robert Moncrieff Cuthbertson.
Lieutenant Edwin James Paul.

W. R. RUSSELL.

Volunteer Corps disbanded.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 14th May, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the disbandment of the under-mentioned Artillery and Rifle Volunteer Corps, on being formed into Rifle Clubs:—

M Battery, Artillery Volunteers.
Date of disbandment, 1st May, 1890.

Arrow Rifle Volunteers.
Date of disbandment, 1st May, 1890.

Cromwell Rifle Volunteers.
Date of disbandment, 1st May, 1890.

Ashburton Guards Rifle Volunteers.
Date of disbandment, 2nd May, 1890.

W. R. RUSSELL.

Cadet Corps disbanded.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 14th May, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the disbandment of the under-mentioned Cadet Rifle Volunteer Corps:—

Arrow School Cadet Rifle Volunteers.
Date of disbandment, 1st May, 1890.

Cromwell School Cadet Rifle Volunteers.
Date of disbandment, 1st May, 1890.

Queenstown Main School Cadet Rifle Volunteers.
Date of disbandment, 1st May, 1890.

W. R. RUSSELL.

Commission of Volunteer Officer cancelled.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 14th May, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to cancel the commission held by Sub-Lieutenant Thomas John Duder, Ponsonby Naval Artillery Volunteers, for absence from the colony without leave.

W. R. RUSSELL.

Volunteer Officers resigned.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 14th May, 1890.

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

H Battery, Artillery Volunteers.

Captain Alfred John Leggatt. Date of resignation, 9th May, 1890.

Oamaru Naval Artillery Volunteers.

Lieutenant Commanding David Cossgrove. Date of resignation, 25th April, 1890.

East Taieri Rifle Volunteers.

Surgeon Hugh McCaw, and Surgeon on the General Medical List, New Zealand Volunteers. Date of resignation, 29th April, 1890.

Westport School Cadet Volunteers.

Captain John Kay. Date of resignation, 15th April, 1890.

W. R. RUSSELL.

Despatch.—Certain Provisions of Imperial Patents, Designs, and Trade Marks Act to apply to New Zealand.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 7th May, 1890.

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

W. R. RUSSELL.

(New Zealand.—General.)

Downing Street, 13th March, 1890.

MY LORD,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Lordship's Despatch No. 56, of the 10th October, stating that the necessary provisions having been made by the New Zealand Patents, Designs, and Trade Marks Act, No. 12 of 1889, it was the desire of your Government that an Order in Council be issued, applying to the colony section 103 of the Imperial Patents, Designs, and Trade Marks Act of 1883.

An Order in Council has accordingly been prepared and submitted for Her Majesty's approval, and I now transmit, for the information of your Lordship's Government, copies received from the Board of Trade of the order as passed, applying to the colony the provisions therein specified of "The Patents, Designs, and Trade Marks Act, 1883," as amended by "The Patents, Designs, and Trade Marks (Amendment) Act, 1885."

I have, &c.,

KNUTSFORD.

Governor the Right Hon. Lord Onslow,
G.C.M.G., &c.

At the Court at Osborne House, Isle of Wight, the 8th day of February, 1890.

Present:

THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY,
LORD CHANCELLOR, LORD PRESIDENT, LORD ARTHUR HILL,
SIR JAMES FERGUSSON, BART., SIR JOHN LUBBOCK, BART.,
SIR JOHN GORST.

WHEREAS by the provisions of "The Patents, Designs, and Trade Marks Act, 1883," as amended by "The Patents, Designs, and Trade Marks (Amendment) Act, 1885," it is, amongst other things, provided that, if Her Majesty is pleased to make any arrangement with the Government or Governments of any foreign State or States for mutual protection of inventions, designs, and trade marks, or any of them, then any person who has applied for protection for any invention, design, or trade mark in any such State shall be entitled to a patent for his invention, or to registration of his design or trade mark (as the case may be) under the said Act in priority to other applicants, and such patent or registration shall have the same date as the date of the application in such foreign State: Provided that his application is made in the case of a patent within seven months, and in the case of a design or trade mark within four months, from his applying for protection in the foreign State with which the arrangement is in force: Provided that nothing in the aforesaid provision contained shall entitle the patentee or pro-

prietor of the design or trade mark to recover damages for infringements happening prior to the date of the actual acceptance of his complete specification or the actual registration of his design or trade mark in this country, as the case may be.

The publication in the United Kingdom or the Isle of Man, during the respective periods aforesaid, of any description of the invention or the use therein during such periods of the invention, or the exhibition or use therein during such periods of the design, or the publication therein during such periods of a description or representation of the design, or the use therein during such periods of the trade mark, shall not invalidate the patent which may be granted for the invention or the registration of the design or trade mark.

The application for the grant of a patent, or the registration of a design, or the registration of a trade mark under the said provisions must be made in the said manner as an ordinary application under the said Act: Provided that, in the case of trade marks, any trade mark the registration of which has been duly applied for in the country of origin may be registered under the said Act.

And it is further provided that, where it is made to appear to Her Majesty that the Legislature of any British possession has made satisfactory provision for the protection of inventions, designs, and trade marks patented or registered in this country, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty from time to time, by Order in Council, to apply the provisions first recited, with such variations or additions, if any, as to Her Majesty in Council may seem fit, to such British possession:

And whereas it has been made to appear to Her Majesty that the Legislature of the Colony of New Zealand has made satisfactory provision for the protection of inventions, designs, and trade marks patented or registered in this country:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of her Privy Council, and by virtue of the authority committed to her by the said first-mentioned Act, doth declare, and it is hereby declared, that the provisions of the said Acts hereinbefore specified shall apply to the Colony of New Zealand; and it is further ordered and declared that this order shall take effect, so far as regards patents, at the expiration of seven months, and so far as regards designs and trade marks at the expiration of four months, from the day and date first above written.

C. L. PEEL.

Special Order made by Mackenzie County Council.—Re-dividing Ridings, &c.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 12th May, 1890.

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

W. R. RUSSELL.

SPECIAL ORDER.

THAT, in order to have the ratepayers represented in a more satisfactory manner than at present, it is desirable to divide the Fairlie Riding of the Mackenzie County into two ridings. That on and after the 12th day of November, 1890, Fairlie Riding be divided into two ridings, as per schedule of boundaries at foot hereof; the said ridings to be called and represented as follows: Fairlie Riding, two members; Albury Riding, two members.

*SCHEDULE OF BOUNDARIES.**Albury Riding.*

BOUNDED northerly, commencing at Mackenzie Pass, by the Mackenzie Stream to the south-easternmost corner of Section 32452; thence westerly by said Section 32452 and Section 32071 to the north-westernmost corner of Section 32070; thence northerly by the north-western boundary of said Section 32070 to its north-easternmost corner; thence by a right line to the north-westernmost corner of Section 31248; thence by centre of public road running through Section 31143 to its junction with main road, Fairlie Creek to Albury; thence easterly by centre of main road to the southernmost corner of Section 20518; thence north-easterly by the county boundary; thence towards the south-east and south-west by the county boundary, and again towards the south-west and towards the west by the Tekapo Riding to the place of commencement.

Fairlie Riding.

Commencing at the Mackenzie Pass. Bounded generally westerly by the Tekapo Riding; thence north-easterly, south-easterly, and easterly by the county boundary; south-westerly and south-easterly by Albury Riding, hereinbefore described, to the commencing-point.

The above special order was made by the Mackenzie County Council, at a special meeting on the 31st day of March, 1890, and confirmed at a subsequent meeting held on the 5th May, 1890.

I hereby certify that the above special order was made in accordance with the provisions of "The Counties Act, 1886."
R. L. BANKS,
County Clerk.

Special Order made by Waitemata County Council.—Making Special Rate, Mairatahi.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 12th May, 1890.

THE following special order, made by the Waitemata County Council, is published for general information.
W. R. RUSSELL.

SPECIAL ORDER made by the Waitemata County Council, on the 3rd of April, 1890, and confirmed on the 2nd of May, 1890.

THAT, for the purpose of providing for the interest and sinking fund of a loan of £1,000, to be raised under "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1886," for public works in the Mairatahi Outlying District, Helensville Riding, there be made and levied, by special order, a special rate of four farthings in the pound on all the rateable property in the said Mairatahi Outlying District; and that such rate shall be an annually-recurring rate, dating from the 1st of April, 1890, and shall be payable to the County Treasurer, at the County Office, Auckland, on the 2nd of August in each and every year until the loan in respect of which such special rate is made has been paid off.

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

OLIVER MAYS,
County Office, Auckland,
7th May, 1890. County Clerk.

Special Order made by the Whataupoko Road Board, County of Cook.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 14th May, 1890.

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

W. R. RUSSELL.

SPECIAL ORDER.

RESOLVED, That a special rate of 2½d. in the pound be made upon all No. 1, Mangapapa, and Sections No. 1 to 51, Mangapapa, for a period of twenty-six years, commencing on the 1st May, 1890, and ending on the 30th April, 1916, for the purpose of providing interest on a sum of £400 to be obtained in terms of "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886," for the purpose of erecting bridges and culverts and formation and gravelling of streets in Mangapapa Block. The rate to be due on the 1st October and the 1st May in each year.

29th April, 1890. JOHN WARREN,
Clerk.

I certify that the foregoing special order was made in accordance with law, and that all the provisions of the Road Boards Act and the Loans to Local Bodies Act have been complied with.

Dated this 29th April, 1890. JOHN WARREN,
Clerk.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 14th May, 1890.

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

W. R. RUSSELL.

THE following is the result of a poll taken by the Masterton Road Board on the 10th instant, under "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886," on the proposal to raise the sum of £250 for the purpose of the formation of a road from Te Ore Ore and Rangitumau Roads, and what is known as Stuckey's Road, to Section 13, Block X., Kouparanga:—
Number of votes exercisable, 3; number of votes recorded for proposal, 2; number of votes not recorded, 1; number of votes recorded against proposal, nil.

As a majority of the number of ratepayers, having a majority of the number of votes exercisable, voted for the proposal, I hereby declare the same to be duly carried.

R. WILSONE,
Road Board Office, Masterton, 13th May, 1890. Returning Officer.

Notice to Mariners, No. 13 of 1890.

KAIPARA HARBOUR.—TORY SHOAL EXTENDING WESTWARD.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 13th May, 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Tory Shoal, Kaipara Harbour, is now extending to the westward of the line of upper beacons. Masters of vessels bound in should therefore pick up the white beacons on low sandhills before nearing the shoal, and steer in with those in line until abreast of Tory Shoal, paying careful attention to the lead whilst in this vicinity.

EDWIN MITCHELSON,
(For the Minister having charge of the Marine Department.)

Notice to Mariners, No. 14 of 1890.

DREDGING OPERATIONS, GREYMOUTH HARBOUR.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 14th May, 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given that, while dredging operations are proceeding at the Port of Greymouth, the following signals will be shown on the dredge: On the side of the dredge that all vessels should pass, a red flag will be shown by day, and a red light by night. A white light will also be shown on the side opposite to the red light.

Masters of steamers passing the dredge at night are requested to stop their engines, when practicable, in order to avoid fouling the moorings.

EDWIN MITCHELSON,
(For the Minister having charge of the Marine Department.)

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

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

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

NOTEMEA kua tukua mai he tono ki ahau Te Minita Whakahaere i nga Moni o Niu Tireni, e mau nei toko ingoa i raro iho nei, e nga poari takiwa e tetahi tangata ranei mo te taha ki a ratou, i raro i nga tikanga o "Te Ture Reiti i nga Whenua o te Karauna me nga Whenua Maori, 1882," kia utua nga reiti e meingatia ana kia utua i runga i nga tikanga o aua rooru mo te tau i oti atu 31 Maehe, 1889, me te tau oti atu i te 31 o nga ra o Maehe, 1890:

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

Na he tono tenei ki a koutou ki ia tangata ki ia tangata hoki o koutou nga tangata na ratou aua whenua kia utua e koutou aua reiti a te 28 o nga ra o Mei, 1890, i mua mai ranei o taua ra, me utu e koutou aua moni reiti i te tari o te poari o te takiwa i takoto ai aua whenua, tena te whakaaturanga kei te Kupu Apiti.

KUPU APITI.

Te Ingoa o te Poari Takiwa.	Te Tari o te Poari Takiwa e utua ai nga Moni Reiti.
Kaute Kaunihera o Mongonui ..	Mongonui.
Rori Poata o Okawa ..	Hastings, Hawke's Bay.
Poari awa wai o Pukaka ..	Tuamarina, Blenheim.
Rori Poata o Riwaka ..	Riwaka.
Rori Poata o Whakatane ..	Whakatane.
Kaute Kaunihera o Whangarei ..	Whangarei.
Kaute Kaunihera o Whangaroa ..	Whangaroa North.
Kaute Kaunihera o Hokianga ..	Rawene, Hokianga.

He mea tuhi nei toku ingoa i tenei te 14 o Mei, 1890.

H. A. ATKINSON,
Minita Whakahaere i nga Moni o te Koroni.

[TRANSLATION.]

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

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

WHEREAS demand having been made to me, the undersigned Colonial Treasurer of the Colony of New Zealand, in accordance with the provisions of "The Crown and Native Lands Rating Act, 1882," by or on behalf of the said local bodies, for payment of the rates appearing to be payable under or by virtue of the said rolls for the years ended the 31st March, 1889 and 1890 :

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

And you and each and every of you, the owners of the said lands, are hereby required and directed to pay the said rates on or before the 28th May, 1890, such payment to be made by you at the office of the local body in whose district the lands affected are respectively comprised, and as noted in the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Name of Local Body.	Office of Local Body where Payment is to be made.
Mongonui County Council ..	Mongonui.
Okawa Road Board ..	Hastings, Hawke's Bay.
Pukaka River Board ..	Tuamarina, Blenheim.
Riwaka Road Board ..	Riwaka.
Whakatane Road Board ..	Whakatane.
Whangarei County Council ..	Whangarei.
Whangaroa County Council ..	Whangaroa North.
Hokianga County Council ..	Rawene, Hokianga.

As witness my hand, this fourteenth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

H. A. ATKINSON,
Colonial Treasurer.

Despatch.—*Engineer Students and Students in Naval Construction.*

Defence Office,
Wellington, 7th May, 1890.

THE following regulations for the entry of engineer students in Her Majesty's navy, and for the entry of students in naval construction, with a view to their being trained in Her Majesty's dockyard at Devonport, are published for general information.

W. R. RUSSELL.

Admiralty, 25th January, 1890.

REGULATIONS FOR THE ENTRY OF ENGINEER STUDENTS IN HER MAJESTY'S NAVY, AND FOR THE ENTRY OF STUDENTS IN NAVAL CONSTRUCTION, with a view to their being trained in Her Majesty's Dockyard at Devonport.

[The engineer students to be trained for service afloat as engineer officers. The students in naval construction to be trained with a view to their joining the Royal Corps of Naval Constructors.]

1. VACANCIES for appointments as engineer students in Her Majesty's navy will be filled principally by means of competitive examinations open to all sons of British subjects, being of the prescribed age and of good moral character, but their Lordships will reserve to themselves the right to nominate a few candidates at each entry who will be appointed on passing the examination specified in paragraph 11.

The candidates to be nominated will be selected by the Board of Admiralty from sons of officers of the navy, army, or Royal marines who have been killed in action, or who have been lost at sea on active service, or killed on duty, or who have died of wounds received in action, or injuries received on duty within six months from the date of such action or injury, or sons of officers of the navy or Royal marines who have performed long and meritorious service. The number to be so nominated will not exceed one-fifth of the total number of engineer students to be entered. Except as provided in paragraph 11, the candidates will be subject

to the same regulations as the candidates for appointment by open competition.*

Three engineer studentships will be given annually to sons of gentlemen in the colonies on the recommendation of the Secretary of State for the Colonies, provided they pass the required examination. These candidates will be subject to precisely the same regulations as herein laid down for nominated service candidates.†

2. The number of appointments to be made in each year will be fixed by their Lordships.

3. The list of candidates for the appointments by open competition will be kept at the office of the Civil Service Commissioners. All applications for the forms to be filled up by persons who wish to compete must be sent to the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, London, S.W., on or after the 1st January in each year, and care must be taken that the forms when filled up are returned so as to reach the Civil Service Commissioners on or before the 15th March following, as no notice will be taken of forms received after that date. The list of nominated candidates will be kept at the Admiralty.

4. Candidates must not be less than fourteen nor more than sixteen years of age on the 1st May in the year in which they are examined.

5. Evidence of age and character will not be required before the examination, but candidates successful in it will not be eligible for appointment unless they satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners on these points.

6. The medical examination of the successful candidates will be held under the authority of their Lordships as soon as possible after the result of the educational examination is made known. No candidate will be entered as an engineer student unless he is pronounced to be physically fit. Candidates in or near London will be medically examined by the Medical Director-General of the Navy at the Admiralty. Those residing near one of Her Majesty's dockyards, or one of the first reserve-ships or drill-ships of the Royal Naval Reserve, or the flag-ship at Queenstown will be examined by the medical officers attached thereto. The medical examinations will be conducted in all respects in strict accordance with the instructions for the examination of persons for admission into the naval service. All candidates at the time of their medical examination must produce certificates to the satisfaction of the examining officers that they have been revaccinated, or they must be revaccinated before they can be considered eligible for entry as engineer students in Her Majesty's navy.

7. The educational examination will be held by the Civil Service Commissioners in London, Liverpool, Portsmouth, Devonport, Bristol, Leeds, Newcastle-on-Tyne, Edinburgh, Glasgow, and Dublin, and will take place in the month of April of each year. The exact date may be ascertained by application to the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, on or after the 1st January in each year.

8. The following will be the subjects of the competitive examination, and the maximum number of marks for each subject:—

Arithmetic*	300
<i>English</i> —	
Handwriting*	40
Accuracy and intelligence in writing from dictation*	60
Composition*	100
Grammar	150
	350
<i>French or German or Italian</i> —	
Translation into English	150
<i>Latin</i> —	
Translation into English	150
Very elementary physics and chemistry‡	100
Geography (including physical geography)	200
Algebra (up to and including quadratic equations)	300
Euclid's Elements (Books I. to IV. and Book VI., and the definitions of Book V.)	300
Freehand drawing	100
Total	1,950

All candidates will be tested as to their ability to read aloud with clearness, distinctness, and accuracy, and without hesitation. Stammering, or any imperfection of utterance, will be regarded as a disqualification.

* Applications for nominations must be made so as to arrive at the Admiralty before the 1st February in each year, and should be addressed to the Secretary of the Admiralty, if the candidate is the son of an officer of the navy or marines; to the Military Secretary, Horse Guards, if the candidate is the son of an officer of the army; and to the Military Secretary, India Office, if the candidate is the son of an officer of the Indian army.

† The names of the colonial candidates are to be received at the Admiralty from the Colonial Office on or before the 1st February in each year.

‡ The examination in physics and chemistry will be easy questions in—Chemistry: Oxygen, hydrogen, nitrogen, carbon, the nature of combustion. Physics: Mechanics, hydrostatics, pneumatics, electricity, and magnetism.

9. A fee of 10s. will be required from every candidate attending an examination.

10. Candidates in the competitive examination who fail to pass in the first four subjects (those marked with an asterisk), or in reading aloud, will be disqualified, and their other papers will not be examined. Successful candidates will be entered as engineer students in Her Majesty's navy, according to the number of appointments which it may be decided to make each year; they will be taken according to their position on the examination list. Candidates who obtain less than 880 marks in the aggregate will not be placed upon the list.

11. Candidates who are nominated by their Lordships and by the Secretary of State for the Colonies will be required to pass the same test examination in the first four subjects and in reading aloud as the candidates who enter for the competitive examination. They will also be examined in the other subjects to ascertain the extent of their knowledge and to determine their order of merit, and no nominated candidate will be appointed as an engineer student who obtains less than 880 marks in the aggregate.

12. Candidates will be informed by letter from the Civil Service Commission of the result of their examination as soon as it has been ascertained.

13. The successful candidates will be entered as engineer students in Her Majesty's navy on the 1st July in each year, and will be borne on the books of the guardship of the reserve at Devonport for disciplinary purposes. The period of training of Her Majesty's dockyard at Devonport will be for five years, but it will be reduced to four years in the case of engineer students of the latter service who pass the examination described in paragraph 29, clause 1, and also pass very creditably in practical workmanship, professional subjects, and knowledge of engineering duties referred to in paragraph 32.

14. Students in naval construction, not exceeding two in number annually, will be appointed from among engineer students who have shown special ability at the end of their second year of service. The students in naval construction, on appointment, must join with their parents or guardians in a bond for £500 to enter, if required, into Her Majesty's service as assistant constructors, if at the expiration of their training they should obtain certificates of good conduct and efficiency for entry in that capacity. They will continue to be under naval discipline until their entry as assistant constructors. (See paragraph 45.)

An assistant constructor will not be permitted to leave the service until seven years have expired after the completion of his term at the Royal Naval College at Greenwich, unless he shall pay the sum of £500. This payment is for the purpose of defraying the charges incurred by the public for his education.

15. Students in naval construction will complete five years' service at Devonport in the training school for engineer students, and will be subject to the same conditions as to fees, pay, uniform, and other details as may be prescribed from time to time for engineer students. Their course of instruction will be laid down from time to time. (See also paragraphs 40 to 48.)

16. The parent or guardian of each engineer student entered will be required to pay the sum of £40 per annum for each year the student may be under training—four, five, or six* years, as the case may be. It will, however, be at the discretion of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty to select from among the students entered at each yearly examination a number not to exceed five, being sons of officers of the navy, army, or marines, or of Civil officers under the Board of Admiralty, with respect to whom the annual payment will be £25 only. Their Lordships also reserve the power to further reduce this latter sum in the case of sons of officers killed or drowned, or who have otherwise lost their lives on service. In making their selection, my Lords will have regard solely to the pecuniary circumstances of the parents or guardians of the students.

17. The payments are to be made half-yearly, in advance, to the Cashier of Her Majesty's dockyard at Devonport; the first payment is to be made on or before the 1st July, the date of entry of the student, and the subsequent payments on or before the 1st January and 1st July, during the remainder of the student's training. Should a student leave from any cause or be dismissed from the service, not any portion of the payments that have been made in his behalf will be refunded.

18. The parents or guardians of the students will also be required to provide the uniform (see paragraph 51) or other clothing, washing, and necessaries of each student. Board and lodging, and medical attendance, will be provided by the Admiralty. The students will be required to reside in the training school at Keyham.

19. The weekly pay of students during their training will be as follows, provided they are well reported on by the officers:—

First year	1s. a week.
Second year	2s. "
Third year	3s. "
Fourth year	5s. "
Fifth year	8s. "

20. Five weeks' leave (thirty working-days) on full pay will be granted each year to all students whose conduct and progress have been satisfactory. This leave is to be taken during the school vacations at midsummer and Christmas.

21. The students are not to be checked pay while on leave, nor when hurt on duty. When sick or sent to hospital from causes beyond their own control, they are not to be checked of their pay until they have been absent for six months in the aggregate during any period of twelve months; at the expiration of this time a special report is to be made to their Lordships. When sick, or sent to hospital from causes within their own control, they are to be checked from their pay. Students pronounced at the end of twelve months' absence on account of sickness or hurt to be permanently unfit or unlikely to be capable of entering Her Majesty's service as assistant engineers or as assistant constructors will be discharged. Should any student in the course of his training develop physical unfitness for the service, he will be discharged.

22. The students will be under the supervision of the Superintendent of the dockyard and a staff of officers, and subject to such rules and regulations as their Lordships may deem necessary.

23. Students will receive practical training in the workshops, and instructions in iron shipbuilding at Her Majesty's dockyard at Devonport. While the engineer students are being instructed in iron shipbuilding they are to be under the direction of the Chief Constructor. They will attend the engineer students' school in the dockyard for such periods, and to pursue such studies, as may from time to time be determined on; they will also pass a portion of their time in the drawing office. Means will be afforded them of acquiring the groundwork of the knowledge required by a naval engineer respecting the working of marine engines and boilers, including those repairs which can be carried out afloat, the practical use of the various instruments used in the engine-room, also of the construction and working of electric light, torpedo and gun machinery, and of becoming generally acquainted with the duties of a naval engineer.

24. Students will be examined once a year under the direction of the President of the Royal Naval College, Greenwich.

Those who fail in making satisfactory progress and give no hope of becoming efficient officers, or are guilty of persistent misconduct, will be considered annually with reference to discharge from the service.

25. The preliminary examination at the end of the second year of service will be as follows; subject to modification at any future period, if considered desirable:—

	Marks.
Arithmetic and mensuration	600
Algebra	500
Euclid, I. to IV., VI., XI.	500
Trigonometry	500
Chemistry	300
Physics	600
History and geography	500
Required for passing, 1,400.]	
Total	3,500

Additional Subjects.

French	400
Elementary statics and hydrostatics	500

26. Students who fail to pass the examination will be discharged, unless for satisfactory reasons their Lordships sanction their remaining on the lower division for another year.

27. Students will also be examined in practical engineering at the end of their second year of service, and be required to reach a standard of 90 per cent. Those failing to attain this standard will be liable to dismissal. They will also be examined as to their practical acquirements and knowledge of steam machinery and shipbuilding respectively at the end of the third, fourth, and fifth years of their service by officers of the Admiralty. Prizes will be given annually at the dockyard to the students most highly reported on as regards their skill as workmen. A certain degree of proficiency in practical engineering and shipbuilding respectively will be considered essential at examinations.

28. The final examination of engineer students at the end of the fifth year will be as follows, subject to modification at any future time if considered desirable:—

I. Obligatory Subjects.

	Marks.
Statics, hydrostatics, and graphical statics	600
Hydraulics, pneumatics, and dynamics	600
Elementary theory of mechanism and machinery	600
Physics I. (heat and light)	500
" II. (electricity and magnetism)	600
Chemistry	500
Heat and combustion	400

* See paragraphs 30 and 31.

	Marks.
Steam and the steam-engine	600
Practical engineering, I.	600
II.	600
Workshop appliances and practice	600
Mechanical drawing	400
Total	6,600
<i>II. Optional Subjects.</i>	
Advanced algebra and trigonometry	500
Conics and differential calculus	600
Applied mechanics and strength of material	600
Metallurgy	500
Design of machinery—details	600
Elementary thermo dynamics	600
Total	3,400
Grand total	10,000

29. The following are the regulations for passing at the final examinations, subject to modifications at any future time, if considered advisable:—

- (1.) The standard for admission to the Royal Naval College will be 60 per cent., or above, on the combined total of the obligatory and optional subjects.
- (2.) The standard for passing with a second-class certificate will be at least 50 per cent. on the total of obligatory subjects, but less than 60 per cent. on the combined total of obligatory and optional subjects.
- (3.) The standard for passing with a third-class certificate will be 30 per cent. or above, but less than 50 per cent. on the total of obligatory subjects.
- (4.) Students who obtain less than 30 per cent. of the total number of marks for obligatory subjects will be ineligible for appointment as probationary assistant engineers.

30. Engineer students who fail to pass the examinations at the end of their fifth year referred to in paragraph 29, clause 4, will be discharged unless their Lordships see fit to allow them to continue another year serving at Devonport. A second year's failure at the end of the sixth year will involve dismissal from the service. In no case will the limit of six years be exceeded.

31. The pay of a student in the sixth year will be the same as during the fifth year, and the payment to be made by the parent or guardian of the student in the sixth year will also be the same as for the fifth year of service.

32. The examination of candidates for appointment as probationary assistant engineers in professional subjects and knowledge of engine-room duties will be held by the officers of the Steam Reserve in time for the necessary certificate, D. 455, to be forwarded to the Admiralty by the 23rd June in each year. Certificates of proficiency in practical workmanship, signed by the chief engineer of the dockyard, should also be forwarded by the same date.

These practical certificates from steam reserve and dockyard should be marked "Very creditable," "Creditable," or "Ordinary," in accordance with the proficiency of the candidates.

33. Students will not be entered as probationary assistant engineers or probationary assistant constructors until they have learned to swim.

34. Engineer students who pass the examinations described in paragraph 29, clauses 1, 2, and 3, and paragraphs 32 and 33, will be arranged in three classes, in the order of merit according to the marks which they obtain in the subjects above mentioned. They will be entered as probationary assistant engineers on the 1st July of the year of examination, and will be appointed to the reserve guard-ship at Devonport on that date. Those referred to in paragraph 29, clause 1, will join the Royal Naval College on the 1st October of the year of examination for further study, and the others referred to in paragraph 29, clauses 2 and 3, will not proceed to the Royal Naval College, but will remain in the Steam Reserve at Devonport, to be appointed to Her Majesty's ships as their services are required.

35. All the probationary assistant engineers will be confirmed at the end of their twelve months' probationary time if their conduct and qualifications are reported satisfactory, and those at the Royal Naval College who pass in the first class at the examination at the end of the first session will receive first-class certificates, and those who fail to secure first-class certificates at the examination at the college will be granted second-class certificates. Probationary assistant engineers referred to in paragraph 29, clause 2, will also be granted second-class certificates, and those mentioned in paragraph 29, clause 3, will be granted third-class certificates.

36. Those who obtain first- and second class certificates will be allowed to count twelve months and six months of their probationary time respectively for promotion, and those who obtain third-class certificates and pass very creditably in practical workmanship, professional subjects, and knowledge of engine-room duties will be allowed to count

three months of their probationary time for promotion. (See paragraph 32.)

37. In the event of the conduct and qualifications of any probationary assistant engineer not being reported satisfactory during his twelve months' probation, or of his failing to pass satisfactorily at the final examination at the Royal Naval College, his commission will be withheld for six months, or for such other period as may be determined on by their Lordships.

38. The pay of probationary assistant engineers will be 6s. a day, and they will receive 1s. 4d. a day in lieu of provisions, &c. While at the Royal Naval College at Greenwich they will be provided with quarters.

39. Two assistant engineers will be selected annually from those who take the highest place at the examination on the completion of their first course at Greenwich, to pass through a further course of scientific instruction, if they desire it. These two will be allowed to study at the college for a second and third session. They will receive 7s. 6d. a day and 1s. 4d. a day towards the mess. On the completion of the third session at the college they will be sent to sea as assistant engineers, and after one year's service at sea they will be considered eligible to fill vacancies occurring in the Civil appointments at the dockyards and at the Admiralty.

40. The final examination of students in naval construction at the end of their fifth year will be as follows, subject to modification at any time if considered desirable:—*

A.	Marks.
Statics, hydrostatics, and graphical statics	600
Hydraulics, pneumatics, and dynamics	600
Descriptive geometry	600
Physics—I. Heat and light	500
II. Electricity and magnetism	600
Chemistry	500
Advanced algebra and trigonometry	500
Conics and differential calculus	600
Heat and combustion	400
Applied mechanics and strength of materials	600
Elementary thermodynamics	600
Total	6,100
B.	
Laying-off and mould-practice	800
Practical shipbuilding (I.)	800
(II.)	800
Shipyard machinery, appliances, and practice	500
Ship-drawing	500
Metallurgy	500
Total	3,900
Grand total	10,000

41. Students in naval construction who obtain 50 per cent. or above on each group of subjects (A and B) will be eligible for entry as probationary assistant constructors on the 1st July of the year of examination, and to proceed to the Royal Naval College on the 1st October following for study.

41A. Successful candidates will remain in the training school until the 30th September, and the remainder until their Lordships' decision is communicated.

42. Those who fail to pass the above-mentioned examination will be liable to be discharged, or dealt with as may be determined by their Lordships.

43. Probationary assistant constructors who at the end of their first session at the Royal Naval College fail to obtain a satisfactory report of their qualification will be required to withdraw from the service, and forfeit a moiety of the bond unless the failure be due to sickness. The pay of the probationary assistant constructors until the completion of their training at the Royal Naval College will be the same as that of the probationary assistant engineers and assistant engineers of the same service.

44. Such probationary assistant constructors only as obtain first- or second-class professional certificates on their final examination at the Royal Naval College will be admitted to the corps of naval constructors, their first appointments being as assistant constructors, third class.

45. When appointed assistant constructors, third class, on leaving the college, the bond referred to in paragraph 14 will become operative, and they will cease to be under naval discipline, except that they will have to proceed to sea for a term, if so required.

46. Those who obtain third-class certificates will not be admitted to the corps, but will be eligible to receive appointments as draughtsmen in the dockyards.

47. Every student entering the Royal Corps of Naval Constructors will be liable to serve at any foreign naval establishment the Admiralty may direct.

48. The period of service in the third class for all assistant constructors to be four years. If favourably reported on at the end of this period as to character, ability, and industry, each officer will be eligible for promotion to the second class. Promotions from the second class to the first

* This examination to come into force in June, 1890.

class of assistant constructors will be by selection. Those officers who have taken first-class certificates on their final examination at the Royal Naval College will be eligible for promotion to first class if favourably reported on after five years' service reckoned from the date of leaving the college, and those who have obtained second-class certificates to be similarly eligible after seven years' service.

49. The assistant engineers who pass the second and third sessions at Greenwich will be attached during the vacations between the 30th June and 1st October to the dockyards or steam reserves, where they will be employed sketching machinery, attending trials of new and repaired engines, or gaining such professional information as will be most useful to them for the purposes of engine-design. The assistant constructors will also be attached to the dockyards during the vacations, and will be employed on duties appertaining to their position.

50. An assistant engineer who is selected at the end of the first session at the Royal Naval College to remain for two more sessions at the college will be required before commencing the second session to enter into a bond* with surety for the sum of £500 not to leave Her Majesty's service within seven years of the completion of the term at Greenwich. This is in reference to defraying the charges incurred by the public for his education. The resignation is in every case to be subject to their Lordships' approval.

Uniform, Books, &c.

51. Students are to be provided with two blue-cloth uniform tunics, two blue-cloth uniform trousers, two blue-cloth uniform waistcoats, one uniform overcoat (frock-coat, pilot cloth), one uniform pea-jacket, one uniform cap (peak half turn down, with usual device of the Civil Branch), two working uniform suits of blue serge, one working-cap, one waterproof coat.

Eight buttons placed by four to be worn on the breast of the tunic. The engineer students to have a single purple-velvet stripe round the sleeve of the tunic, and the students in naval construction to have a silver-grey stripe.

Estimated cost of uniform, to last three years with care, about £18.

Patterns of the several articles of uniform are kept, and can be seen, at the Admiralty, Whitehall, and at the offices of the Naval Commanders-in-Chief at Sheerness, Portsmouth, and Devonport.

List of Articles required as an Outfit for an Engineer Student on joining the Training School at Keyham. Estimated cost, about £15: Two white-flannel shirts, two white-flannel trousers, six white shirts, six coloured shirts, twelve collars, three nightshirts, six pairs merino socks, four pairs cotton or merino drawers, four merino vests, two neckties, two pairs braces, six white handkerchiefs, six coloured handkerchiefs, six towels, one clothes-brush, one sponge, one leather bag, one brush and comb, one tooth- and one nail-brush, three pairs boots, one pair slippers, two pairs gloves.

The probable annual expense attending renewals of uniforms and other clothes, washing, subscription to recreative fund, &c., is estimated to be about £25.

52. Students will be required to find their own books, and a list will be furnished to each on appointment. They will also be required to find their own stationery and drawing materials.

53. The foregoing regulations will be regularly followed, but my Lords will modify them from time to time as may be considered desirable.

Medical Examinations.

54. With a view to prevent parents and guardians from incurring the inconvenience and expense of preparing candidates for entrance as engineer students in Her Majesty's navy who may be physically unfit for the service, it is suggested that the candidates be submitted to examination by the medical adviser of the family, or any other qualified medical practitioner, to whom the following points may be submitted as those upon which they will be physically examined by naval medical officers. It is to be understood that this private examination is merely suggested as a guide to parents and guardians, and to lessen the chances of disappointment, and that it is by no means intended to take the place of, or to influence in any way, the regular official physical examination:—

A weak constitution, arising from imperfect development or weakness of the physical powers of the body, either hereditary, or from chronic disease, wounds, or injuries:

Chronic eruptions on the skin or scalp:

Malformation of the head, with a dry, harsh, divergent state of the hair of the scalp, fracture or depression of the bones of the skull, disordered intellect, imbecility, epilepsy, paralysis, or impediment of speech:

Blindness or defective vision, as tested by Snellen's test types, in one or both eyes, fistula lachrymalis, and ptosis:

Impaired hearing, or discharge from one or both ears, disease or thickening of the lining membrane of the external ear:

Disease of the bones of the nose or of its cartilages, and polypos:

Disease of the throat, palate, or tonsils; unsound teeth, offensive breath from constitutional causes, unhealthy gums, scrofulous diseases of the glands of the throat or neck, external cicatrices from scrofulous sores:

Functional or organic disease of the heart or blood-vessels, deformity or contraction of the chest, flattening of the sub-clavicular regions, phthisis, hæmoptysis, bronchitis, dyspnoea, aphonia, chronic cough, or other symptoms of tubercular exudation into the pulmonary tissues:

Swelling or distension of the abdomen, undue obesity; disease or enlargement of the liver, spleen, or kidneys; rupture, weakness, or distension of the abdominal rings; vesical weakness, or incontinence:

The existence of any congenital defect, or of varicoele:

Any disease of or pertaining to the alimentary canal:

Paralysis, weakness, impaired motion, or contraction of the upper or lower extremities, from whatever cause; aneurism, a varicose state of the veins, especially of the leg; bunions, distortion, malformation of the feet, or malposition of the fingers or toes:

Distortion of the spine, of the bones of the chest, or pelvis, from injury or constitutional defect.

By command of their Lordships.

EVAN MACGREGOR.

NOTE.—Appended to these regulations is a memorandum of the several grades of engineer officers of the Royal navy, together with the scales of full and half pay and other information, and also information as to the pay, &c., of the officers of the Royal Corps of Naval Constructors.

The papers set at the examination of April, 1889, have been published by the Civil Service Commissioners, and are sold, price 6d., by Messrs. Eyre and Spottiswoode, East Harding Street, Fetter Lane, London, E.C.; Messrs. Adam and Charles Black, North Bridge, Edinburgh; and Messrs. Hodges, Figgis, and Co., 104, Grafton Street, Dublin.

MEMORANDUM AS TO THE PAY, ETC., OF ENGINEER OFFICERS OF ROYAL NAVY.

	Full Pay.		Half-pay.	
	Year of 365 Days.	One Day.	Year of 365 Days.	One Day.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.
Engineer Students* ...	See paragraph 19.		...	...
*Assistant Engineers—				
Under 1 year's service ...	109	0 0 6 0	...	...
After " " " " ...	136	17 6 0 7 6	...	...
Under 3 years' service ...	...	...	73	0 0 4 0
After " " " " ...	...	...	82	2 6 4 6
Engineers—				
On promotion ...	164	5 0 0 9 0	100	7 6 5 6
After 3 years' service ...	182	10 0 0 10 0	109	10 0 6 0
" 6 " " " ...	200	15 0 0 11 0	No increase.	
" 9 " " " ...	219	0 0 0 12 0	...	...
Fleet, Staff* and Chief Engineers—				
Under 5 years' service (including junior service allowed) ...	237	5 0 0 13 0	118	12 6 6 6
" 8 years' ditto ditto ...	255	10 0 0 14 0	127	15 0 7 0
" 11 " " " ...	273	15 0 0 15 0	146	0 0 8 0
" 14 " " " ...	292	0 0 0 16 0	164	5 0 9 0
" 17 " " " ...	310	5 0 0 17 0	191	12 6 10 6
" 20 " " " ...	328	10 0 0 18 0	219	0 0 12 0
Above 20 " " " ...	346	15 0 0 19 0	...	...
And for each additional year of service 1s. a day more until the maximum is reached, namely... ..	401	10 0 1 2 0	...	...
Under 25 years' service (including junior service allowed) ...	...	...	255	10 0 14 0
Above 25 years ditto ditto ...	...	...	292	0 0 16 0
Inspectors of Machinery ...	547	10 0 1 10 0	328	10 0 18 0
Chief Inspectors of Machinery ...	638	15 0 1 15 0	365	0 0 20 0

* The pay of probationary assistant engineers is 6s. a day.

Chief engineers are allowed to reckon junior service on the following scale for increase of full pay and half-pay and retirement:—

Under 11 years' service in senior rank, one-half junior service besides.

Above 11 years' service in senior rank, all junior service which is allowed to count.

Junior service is all confirmed time served as assistant engineer, and engineer from the age of 20.

Charge Pay.

Chief engineers and engineers when in charge of machinery of ships in commission are allowed—

* Assistant engineers appointed from engineer students, entered before the 1st July, 1887, come under the regulations under which they entered.

	Year of 365 Days.	One Day.
When in charge of engines under 1,000 indicated horse-power	£ s. d. 18 5 0	s. d. 1 0
Of 1,000 and under 2,000 indicated horse-power	27 7 6	1 6
Of 2,000 and under 3,000 indicated horse-power	36 10 0	2 0
Of 3,000 and under 6,000 indicated horse-power	54 15 0	3 0
Of 6,000 and upwards	73 0 0	4 0

Engineer officers in charge of engines of 3,000 indicated horse-power and upwards in the larger ships of modern construction will, in consideration of the increased responsibilities attaching to their position, be granted rates of charge-pay varying from 4s. to 9s. a day, according to the special circumstances of each case, in lieu of the above rates, which are for ships fitted with ordinary machinery. Engineers and assistant engineers in charge of engines of ships not in commission are allowed 1s. a day. Chief engineers in charge of machinery of an exceptional ship such as the "Hecla," though under 3,000 indicated horse-power, 4s. a day.

Extra Pay.

The senior engineer in ships in commission, having engines of 3,000 indicated horse-power and upwards, is allowed 1s. a day extra pay.

The chief inspectors and inspectors of machinery in the reserves, in consideration of their responsible duties, are allowed an additional 3s. a day.

Promotion.

Assistant engineers, qualified for advancement, are eligible for promotion to the rank of engineer after five years' service. Assistant engineers who obtain first-class certificates at the Royal Naval College count their twelve months' probationary time towards promotion, and those who obtain second-class certificates at the college, and those who obtain second-class certificates on entry in Her Majesty's navy, count six months of their probationary time, respectively, towards promotion. Those who obtain third-class certificates on entry in Her Majesty's navy, and pass very creditably in practical workmanship, &c., will be allowed to count three months of their probationary time towards promotion. (See paragraph 32.)

The promotion of engineers, chief engineers, and inspectors of machinery depends on the number of vacancies that occur in the several superior ranks.

Retired Pay.

The following table shows the age for retirement from active service of engineer officers, and the maximum retired pay of each rank.

Rank at Time of Retirement.	Age.		Maximum retired Pay per Year.
	Optional Retirement may be allowed at	Compulsory Retirement.	
Assistant engineers .. .. .	..	40	£ s. d. 50 0 0
Engineers .. .. .	..	45	*150 0 0 †130 0 0
" .. .. .	..	May be re- tained to 50	(187 10 0 162 10 0
Chief, staff, and fleet engineers	50	55	400 0 0
Inspectors of machinery	55	60	450 0 0
Chief inspector of machinery	55	60	500 0 0

* Qualified for promotion. † Not qualified for promotion.

On attaining the rank of chief engineer and afterwards, the amount of retired pay depends both on age and length of service, the maximum for each rank being as above, and the minimum rate the amount of half-pay of the officer as per scale previously given. Retirement would take place between the ages given in the above table, except in the following cases:—

- (1.) Five years' half-pay time in either of the ranks of engineer, chief, staff, or fleet engineer, or seven years' half-pay time in the ranks of inspector or chief inspector of machinery;
- (2.) Physical unfitness for service;
- (3.) Misconduct.

Pensions or gratuities for wounds or injuries can be granted by the Admiralty in addition to the ordinary retiring allowances.

Retired pay and half-pay are subject to deductions in case of misconduct.

Pensions to Widows.

The widows and children of engineer officers who had completed ten years' commissioned service are eligible, under stipulated conditions, to pensions and compassionate allowances.

The rates payable and the regulations governing their award are published in the Queen's Regulations and the Quarterly Navy List.

Relative Rank.

Engineer students rank with naval cadets according to date of entry.

Assistant engineers rank with sub-lieutenants according to date of commission.

Engineers of less than six years' seniority rank with, but after, lieutenants under eight years' seniority.

Engineers of six years' seniority rank with lieutenants of less than eight years' seniority according to date of commission.

Chief engineers rank with, but after, lieutenants of eight years' seniority.

Staff engineers rank with lieutenants above eight years' seniority.

Fleet engineers rank with commanders according to date of commission.

Inspectors of machinery, under eight years' service, on full pay as such, rank with captains under three years.

Inspectors of machinery, of eight years' service on full pay as such, rank with captains of three years. The captain to reckon his seniority from the date of completing three years in that rank. The inspector of machinery to reckon his seniority from the date of completing eight years' service as such.

Chief inspectors of machinery rank with captains of three years' seniority according to date of commission.

MEMORANDUM AS TO THE PAY, ETC., OF THE ROYAL CORPS OF NAVAL CONSTRUCTORS.

1. The number, the designation, and the salaries of the members of the corps are as follows:—

Admiralty.—Director of Naval Construction, £1,500 a year, rising to £1,800 after five years' service. Two Chief Constructors, £600 a year, rising to £850 by £25 a year, and a London allowance of £150 a year. Three Constructors, £400 a year, rising to £550 by £20 a year, and a London allowance of £120 a year. Five Assistant Constructors, first class, £300 a year, rising to £450 by £15 a year. Duty pay of £50 a year to Assistant Constructor in charge of foreign records. Duty pay of £50 a year to Assistant Constructor acting for Chief Constructor. One Assistant Constructor, first class (for scientific experiments), £250 a year, rising to £300 by £15 a year. Six Assistant Constructors, second class, £160 a year, rising to £240 by £10 a year, and a London allowance of £50 a year.

Dockyards.—Six Chief Constructors, Chatham, Portsmouth, Devonport, Sheerness, Pembroke, and Malta Dockyards, £600 a year, rising to £700 by £25 a year, and a house. Eight Constructors, £400 a year, rising to £550 by £20 a year, and a house. One Constructor, Hong Kong, £400 a year, rising to £550 by £20 a year; a house, or an allowance of £150 a year in lieu thereof; and a colonial allowance of £100 a year. One Constructor, Bermuda, £400 a year, rising to £550 by £20 a year, a house, and a colonial allowance of £100 a year. Ten Assistant Constructors, first class, £250 a year, rising to £300 by £15 a year. Eighteen Assistant Constructors, second class, £160 a year, rising to £240 by £10 a year. Nine Assistant Constructors, third class, £110 a year, rising to £150 by £10 a year.

All regulations as to pay, pension, retired pay, allowances, are subject to alterations.

Road Board Elections.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 14th May, 1890.

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

G. S. COOPER,
Under-Secretary.

Maungakarema Road District, County of Whangarei:

George William Funke.
Charles E. Hayward.

Herbert John James.

Waikiekie Road District, County of Whangarei:

Thomas Low.
Harry Hilford.

Wainui Road District, County of Waitemata :
Enos Bond.
William Thomas Moyes.

Mount Roskill Road District, County of Eden :
William Stevenson.
Joseph Greenwood.
William John Conelly.

Mount Wellington Road District, County of Eden :
Thomas Morrin.
Archibald Stewart.

Papatoitoti Road District, County of Manukau :
William McLaughlin.
Christopher Bailey.

East Tamaki Road District, County of Manukau :
Reuben Scarborough.
James Alexander Goodfellow.

Karaka Road District, County of Manukau :
John Glasson.
Robert Glasson.
A. V. Urquhart.
A. T. Urquhart.
James Clark.

Mangare Road District, County of Manukau :
Matthew M. Kirkbride.
William Fergusson Massey.

Opapeke North Road District, County of Manukau :
Luke Ballard.

Hunua Road District, County of Manukau :
Northern Subdivision—
George Hirst.
Southern Subdivision—
Daniel McNeil.

Pokeno Road District, County of Manukau :
Duncan C. Sheffield.
William Crosby.

Kirikiri Road District, County of Waikato :
Isaac Coates.
Benjamin John Maclean.

Tamahere Road District, County of Waikato :
Edward Rhodes.
Aston T. F. Wheeler.

Cambridge Road District, County of Waikato :
James Taylor.
Harry James Kallender.

Taotaoroa Road District, County of Piako :
James Forrest.
Harry James Kallender.

Hamilton Road District, County of Waipa :
Thomas Qualtrough.
John Livingstone.

Whaingaroa Road District, County of Raglan :
Samuel Picken.
Charles H. Moore.
William Potter.

Maharashtra Road District, County of Waipawa :
Charles Smith.
Patrick Nash.

Kumeroa Road District, County of Waipawa :
James Little.
Robert Gregory.

Whareama Road District, County of Wairarapa North :
No. 3 Subdivision—
John Montague Meredith.
George Moore.
Henry Toogood.

Mauriceville Road District, County of Wairarapa North :
Stephen Drew.
Charles Forsberg.
Gunder Gundersen.
Hugh Whiteman Jackson.
Jens Jepsen.

Te Horo Road District, County of Horowhenua :
Ernest H. Snow.

Wirokino Road District, County of Horowhenua :
John Kebbell.
Edward Gascoigne.

Manawatu Road District, County of Oroua :
No. 1 Ward—
Henry McEwen.
No. 2 Ward—
Robert Were.

Ngairu Road District, County of Hawera :
John Boles Godkin.
Alexander Micheli.

Henui Road District, County of Taranaki :
Robert Clemens.
George Alexander Colson.
John William Foote.

Mangorei Road District, County of Taranaki :
Francis Oliver.
Robert Snell.

Elliott Road District, County of Taranaki :
William Boland Davies.
Job Wills.

Egmont Road District, County of Taranaki
Frank Salway.
William Stanley.

Moa Road District, County of Taranaki :
Harry Peters.
William Whitehouse.
Alexander Baker.
Leonard Brownlow Horrocks.

Pokororo Road District, County of Waimea :
David Flett.
Thomas Heath.

Motupiko Road District, County of Waimea :
William Gibbs.
James W. Palmer.

Pangatotara Road District, County of Waimea :
Thomas Grooby.
James A. Haycock.

Cust Road District, County of Ashley :
William Anderson.
George Biddle.
Edward Chapman.

East Malvern Road District, County of Selwyn :
William Minehin.

Geraldine Road District, County of Geraldine :
John Kelland.
Anthony Metcalf.
Kyrán Brophy.

Mount Stuart Road District, County of Bruce :
Lovellsbrook Subdivision—
A. D. Crawford.
Alexander Lowery.
Adamsthorpe Subdivision—
John E. Palmer.
Glenore Subdivision—
Robert Craig.

Inch-Clutha Road District, County of Bruce :
George Anderson.
John Hastings.
George McDonald.

Oteramika Road District, County of Southland :
Lothian Subdivision—
Robert M. McCallum.
Donald McDonald.
One-Tree Point Subdivision—
James Munro.

Officiating Ministers for 1890.—Notice No. 12.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 14th May, 1890.

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

Roman Catholic Church.

The Reverend James Lynch.
The Reverend John Golden.

Presbyterian Church of Otago and Southland.
The Reverend Alexander Pringle Davidson, M.A.

Church of Christ.

Mr. John Franklin Floyd.
WM. R. E. BROWN,
Registrar-General.

Post Office Savings Bank opened.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 12th May, 1890.

IT is hereby notified for general information that a Savings Bank Office will be opened at HUME (Chief Office, Dunedin), from the 26th instant.

W. GRAY,
Secretary.

Civil Service Senior Examination.

Education Department,
Wellington, 21st January, 1890.

IN pursuance of regulations under "The Civil Service Reform Act, 1886," notice is hereby given that for the Senior Examination of January, 1891, the period of literature will be the period from 1800 to 1850, and the special books will be Milton's *Samson Agonistes*, and Shelley's *Prometheus Unbound*.

T. W. HISLOP,

Additional Land taken in North Harbour and Blueskin District for Purposes of the Waitaki-Bluff Railway.

A NOTIFICATION.

WHEREAS it has been found desirable, for the use, convenience, and enjoyment of the Waitaki-Bluff Railway, to take further land in North Harbour and Blueskin District, in addition to land previously acquired for the purposes of the said railway:

Now, therefore, we, the New Zealand Railway Commissioners, in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on us by "The Government Railways Act, 1887," and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling us in that behalf, do hereby notify and declare that the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is taken for the purposes above mentioned.

SCHEDULE.

THE several parcels of land mentioned in list hereunder:—

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of
A. R. P. 2 2 7	1	IV.	North Harbour and Blueskin.
0 1 22	1	IV.	North Harbour and Blueskin.
1 0 36	2	IV.	North Harbour and Blueskin.
0 0 34	1 of 3	IV.	North Harbour and Blueskin.
15 1 6	48 (Native reserve)	IV.	North Harbour and Blueskin.

All in the Provincial District of Otago; as the said parcels of land are more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R., P.W.D. 16461, deposited in the office of the New Zealand Railway Commissioners, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured red, green, and purple.

Given under the common seal of the New Zealand Railway Commissioners, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of (L.S.) May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

JAMES MCKERROW,
W. M. HANNAY.

Government Life Insurance Department.—Agency opened at Pembroke.

Government Life Insurance Department,
Wellington, 12th May, 1890.

AN agency of the above department will be opened at the

POST OFFICE, PEMBROKE,

as from the 26th May, 1890.

J. H. RICHARDSON,
Deputy Commissioner.

Trade Union registered.

Friendly Societies' Registry Office,
Wellington, 12th May, 1890.

THE Associated Iron and Brass Moulders of New Zealand, situated at Dunedin, is registered as a trade union, under "The Trade Union Act, 1878," this 12th day of May, 1890.

EDMUND MASON,
Registrar.

Application for Registration of a Trade Mark.

(No. 35.)

Patent Office,
Wellington, 15th May, 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given that the EGMONT BOOT AND SHOE COMPANY has applied to register, under "The Patents, Designs, and Trade Marks Act, 1889," the trade mark of which the following is a representation:—



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

Boots and shoes.

Class of Goods in connection with which the Applicant desires the Trade Mark to be registered.

Class No. 38.

Any person may, within two months of the date of this Gazette, give notice, in duplicate, at this office, of opposition to the registration of the trade mark.

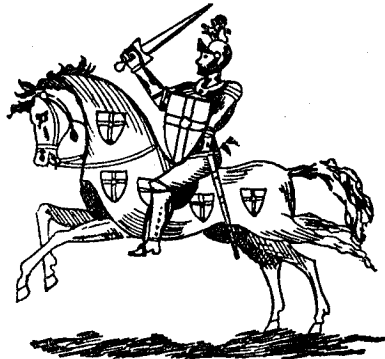
C. J. A. HASELDEN,
Registrar of Patents, Designs, and Trade Marks.

Application for Registration of a Trade Mark.

(No. 40.)

Patent Office,
Wellington, 15th May, 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given that E. B. CRESPIN, of Cuba Street, Wellington, New Zealand, Grocer and Tea-dealer, has applied to register, under "The Patents, Designs, and Trade Marks Act, 1889," the trade mark of which the following is a representation:—



CHAMPION

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

Tea.

Class of Goods in connection with which the Applicant desires the Trade Mark to be registered.

Class No. 42.

Any person may, within two months of the date of this Gazette, give notice, in duplicate, at this office, of opposition to the registration of the trade mark.

C. J. A. HASELDEN,
Registrar of Patents, Designs, and Trade Marks.

Application for Registration of a Trade Mark.

(No. 41.)

Patent Office,
Wellington, 15th May, 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given that TYZACK SONS AND TURNER, of Little London Works, Sheffield, York, England, Manufacturers, have applied to register, under "The Patents, Designs, and Trade Marks Act, 1889," the trade mark of which the following is a representation:—



NONPAREIL

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

Steel (in bars, sheets, rods, and wire), machine-knives of all kinds, hay-forks and riddles, cutlery, edge-tools (such as scythes, shears, files, and saws), engineers' hand-tools, chain, anvils, vices, springs, spades, shovels, and picks.

Class of Goods in connection with which the Applicant desires the Trade Mark to be registered.

Classes Nos. 5, 7, 12, and 13.

Any person may, within two months of the date of this Gazette, give notice, in duplicate, at this office, of opposition to the registration of the trade mark.

C. J. A. HASELDEN,
Registrar of Patents, Designs, and Trade Marks.

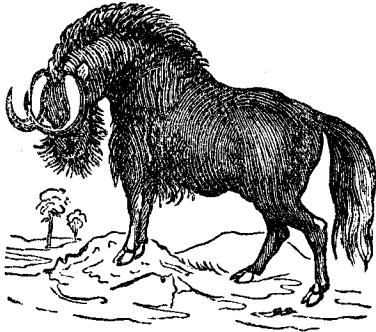
Application for Registration of a Trade Mark.

(No. 42.)

Patent Office,
Wellington, 15th May, 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given that RICHARD CLARKSON SCOTT, of Burlington House, Litherland Park, near Liverpool, Lancaster, England, Manufacturer, has applied to

register, under "The Patents, Designs, and Trade Marks Act, 1889," the trade mark of which the following is a representation:—



GNU

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

Common soap, starch, washing-blue, candles, matches, detergents, benzine, washing-powders, chloride of lime, bleaching-powders, and goods of a like kind for laundry and other purposes; also illuminating, heating, and lubricating oils.

Class of Goods in connection with which the Applicant desires the Trade Mark to be registered.

Class No. 47.

Any person may, within two months of the date of this *Gazette*, give notice, in duplicate, at this office, of opposition to the registration of the trade mark.

C. J. A. HASELDEN,

Registrar of Patents, Designs, and Trade-marks.

Application for Registration of a Trade Mark.

(No. 43.)

Patent Office,
Wellington, 15th May, 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given that the NEW ZEALAND LOAN AND MERCANTILE AGENCY COMPANY (LIMITED), Auckland, New Zealand, has applied to register, under "The Patents, Designs, and Trade Marks Act, 1889," the trade mark of which the following is a representation:—

ALPHA

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

Tea.

Class of Goods in connection with which the Applicant desires the Trade Mark to be registered.

Class No. 42.

Any person may, within two months of the date of this *Gazette*, give notice, in duplicate, at this office, of opposition to the registration of the trade mark.

C. J. A. HASELDEN,

Registrar of Patents, Designs, and Trade Marks.

Application for Registration of a Trade Mark.

(No. 44.)

Patent Office,
Wellington, 15th May, 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given that the NEW ZEALAND LOAN AND MERCANTILE AGENCY COMPANY (LIMITED), Auckland, New Zealand, has applied to register, under "The Patents, Designs, and Trade Marks Act, 1889," the trade mark of which the following is a representation:—



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

Tea.

Class of Goods in connection with which the Applicant desires the Trade Mark to be registered.

Class No. 42.

Any person may, within two months of the date of this *Gazette*, give notice, in duplicate, at this office, of opposition to the registration of the trade mark.

C. J. A. HASELDEN,

Registrar of Patents, Designs, and Trade Marks.

Notice of Applications for Patents.

Patent Office,

Wellington, 15th May, 1890.

COMPLETE specifications relating to the under-mentioned applications have been accepted, and are open to public inspection.

Any person may, at any time within two months from the date of this *Gazette*, give me notice in writing, in duplicate, of opposition to the grant of the patent, stating in such notice the particular grounds of his objection.

No. 4255.—ALFRED SCULTHORP MINETT, Gentleman, and ISAAC JONES, Railway Employé, both of Huntly, Auckland, New Zealand. An invention for treating ironsand, to be known as "Minett and Jones's Patent Fluxing Process for Ironsand."

No. 4366.—WILLIAM HETHERSAY, of Petersburg, South Australia, Blacksmith. An invention for an improved reversible share for ploughs, scarifiers, and cultivators.

No. 4368.—LUDOVICO VAN VESTRANT, Civil Engineer, and RICHARD WAKEHAM BAXTER, Export Merchant, of the Green, Southall, Middlesex, England. An invention for improvements in apparatus for charging inclined gas-retorts.

No. 4372.—WILLIAM EASDOWN SMITH, of Bridge Street, Sydney, New South Wales, Australia, Manufacturing Stationer and Printer. An invention for an automatic numbering and cheque-printing machine.

No. 4374.—ROBERT KENNARD, of Dunedin, New Zealand. An invention for a healing ointment, to be known as "Kennard's Ointment."

No. 4375.—THOMAS HENDERSON, of Stanley Street, North Adelaide, South Australia, Shipbuilder. An invention for an improved rotary digging machine.

C. J. A. HASELDEN,

Registrar of Patents, Designs, and Trade Marks.

Notice of Applications for Patents.

Patent Office,

Wellington, 15th May, 1890.

COMPLETE specifications relating to the under-mentioned applications have been accepted, and are open to public inspection.

Any person may, at any time within two months from the date of this *Gazette*, give me notice in writing, in duplicate, of opposition to the grant of the patent, stating in such notice the particular grounds of his objection.

No. 4376.—GEORGE FREDERICK STRAWSON, of Newbury, Berks, England, Chemical Manure Manufacturer. An invention for improved apparatus for distributing seeds, manure, and other solid or liquid substances over land or crops.

No. 4377.—CHARLES WILLIAM MACLEAN, of 276, Walsh Street, South Yarra, Melbourne, Victoria, Engineer. An invention for improved means for adjustably connecting two rotating objects in the same axial line, specially applicable for connecting the hoisting and opening drums of grab-cranes.

No. 4379.—CHARLES COOPER, of Parnell, Auckland, Saw-mill Proprietor. An invention for a universal belt-coupler for belts used in driving machinery.

No. 4380.—CHARLES EFFEY, Mattress-spring Manufacturer and Upholsterer, Ferry Road, Christchurch, New Zealand. An invention entitled "The Keelhorn Patent Double Mattress-spring."

No. 4381.—ADAM BURGESS, of Linwood, Christchurch, Selwyn, New Zealand, Blacksmith. An invention for an improvement in digger-ploughs, to be known as "The Burgess Patent Digger-plough."

No. 4382.—EDWIN ATKINSON, Slate and Artificial Stone Manufacturer, of Ponsonby Road, Auckland, New Zealand. An invention entitled "Atkinson's Patent Lettering and Ornamentation for Artificial Stone or other Composition."

C. J. A. HASELDEN,

Registrar of Patents, Designs, and Trade Marks.

Notice of Application for Amendment of Specification for Patent.

Patent Office,

Wellington, 15th May, 1890.

AN application to be allowed to amend the specification relating to the under-mentioned application has been received, and is open to public inspection.

Any person may, at any time within one month from the date of this *Gazette*, give me notice in writing, in duplicate, of opposition to the amendment, stating in such notice the particular grounds of his objection.

No. 4258.—ILLIUS AUGUSTUS TIMMIS, of No. 2, Great George Street, Westminster, London, S.W., England, Civil Engineer. An invention for improvements in the electric lighting of railway trains.

The applicant desires to amend his specification by inserting—

The following words before describing the invention: "Instead of using a dynamo driven by a special engine, I find it convenient sometimes to put a large or main battery in the guard's van or other vehicle, and use it to light the main lamps, and also to charge the small batteries. This main battery I charge either by a dynamo on the train or at a central station. I may charge the small batteries in the same way. I may use a primary battery for the main battery."

The following words just previous to the claim for novelty: "It is not necessary to insert a drawing to describe the arrangement of a main battery to light the main lamps instead of a dynamo as hereinbefore described."

And the following words in the first claim for novelty: "or main battery."

C. J. A. HASELDEN,
Registrar of Patents, Designs, and Trade Marks.

Native Land Court Notices.

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

Native Land Court Office,
Wellington, 9th May, 1890.

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 Resident Magistrate's Court, Wellington, on Wednesday, the 21st day of May, 1890, at 11 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.

RAHUI.

89-188. TRANSFER dated the 24th day of July, 1889, from Arapera te Umu to Messrs. Gear and Ling.

PUKEHOE No. 5L No. 5A.

90-60. Transfer dated the 22nd day of March, 1890, from Hori te Waru to Herbert Freeman.

WELLINGTON, SECTION No. 41.

90-61. Transfer dated the 12th day of March, 1890, from Ihaka te Rou to Mere Makirangi and Hori Ihaka te Rou.

HANGANOAHO No. 1.

90-62. Lease dated the 13th day of March, 1890, from Ngaraihe Kotua and others to Arthur O'Neil O'Donahoe.

AWAHOHONU A, No. 3.

90-65. Transfer dated the 23rd day of April, 1890, from Matire Kiriwehi and others to Hakaraia te Whena.

MOMI, SUBDIVISION 1 OF 4 OF SECTION 20.

90-67. Transfer dated the 17th day of April, 1890, from Huhana te Mui to Edward Joshua Riddiford.

MOMI, SUBDIVISION 3 OF SECTION 20.

90-68. Transfer dated the 29th day of March, 1890, from Toheroa Hapera, by his trustee Hapi Puketapu, to Edward Joshua Riddiford.

MOMI, SUBDIVISION 2 OF 4 OF SECTION 20.

90-69. Transfer dated the 17th day of April, 1890, from Hapi Puketapu to Edward Joshua Riddiford.

"The Native Land Court Acts Amendment Act, 1889."

TOKOMARU BLOCK, POVERTY BAY DISTRICT.

WHEREAS Alexander Creighton Arthur, of The Willows, in the District of Poverty Bay, has lodged with the Commissioners appointed under the 20th section of the above-mentioned Act an application pursuant to the provisions of the above-mentioned Act, and to the rules made by the said Commissioners thereunder, whereby the said Alexander Creighton Arthur alleges that he has purchased or acquired the interests of Hamiora Tikitiki, Petuere Kowhai, Te Naere Tauehe, Tu, Horomona Hapai, Himiona Awanui, Kereama Waihopi, and Mokaraka Waihopi (successors to Ihaja Waihopi), Tepora Waaka, Tuaho te Raha, *alias* Tuwaho, Hana Patu, Watarawai Rangī, Hori Kapekape or Tohungia, Wiremu Kahuhate, Parenara te Waharoa (successor to Eru

Rito), Katerina Kowhi, Hoani Ruru, Hare Pini, Miriana Tui, Mere Waimanuka, Matui Tai, Hotene Penoti, Mere Inoi, *alias* Haata or Piriware, Raniera Heuheu, Hoani Muhu, Hirini Whakataka, Maraea Toko, Reweti Rangī, Piripi Wanaunga, Apirana Toko, Horiara te Kaiwhaikaheke, Hoani Rukeruke, Paora te Whakatiki, Wi Hekopa (successor to Katerina Inanga), Hori Mokoera, Rewi Haapu, Apiata Tawai (successor to Katerina Inanga), Arapera Whaku, Mihi Rukeruke, Karepa Muhu, Hunia Karaka, Hamiora Kaiwhakata (successor to Rewanga Pipi, *alias* Maata Rewanga), Hotene Mihakai, Hapurona Konia, Harata Rukeruke, Hori Tarata, Nepia Tohunga, Te Awariki, Samuel Goldsmith, Robert Goldsmith, Pita Tamutu (successor to Pare Taranga), Herewaka Poata and Mere Karaka te Rerehorua (successors to Mereama Tongia), Te Koorā Katua, Te Wikiriwhi te Matehe, Henare Potae, Kakohanga, Mere Katea, Hoera te Anau or Akau, Hana Kaiwahie, Pirana Waipapa, Irihapeti te Wao, Heni Pahau, Hana Paku, Wharehinahina, Rewi Turanga, Makere Tipata, Hemi Kaipau, Harata Poiwa (successor to Turuhera Moko), Pita Houkamau (successor to Kararaina Turaki), Pini Tuhaka, Keriana te Kani, Minarapa te Riri and Nepia te Aku (successors to Hera Parakau), Tou Tou, *alias* Tautau, Tepora Tamararo, Ritihia Rewiti, Kararaina Hota, Horeana Meiha, Mere Porori, Hohaia te Wera, Ani Ahunuku (successor to Ahipene Makahuri), Paratene Tataa, Anaru Tauwate, Apikara Kauria, Arapeta Potae, Hamuiera Kaporo, Hone Paerata, Maraea Marotiri, Te Houpara, Te Rina Potae, Mokena te Kakari (successor to Karauria te Atahaea, successor to Katerina Inanga), Kereti Kare, Maora Paratene, Perenara te Waharoa, Hone Paerata (successor to Tepora Ahua), Wairua te Wao, Herewaka Poata and Mere Karaka te Rerehorua (successors to Mohi Ruatapu), of the District of Poverty Bay, in the Provincial District of Auckland and Colony of New Zealand, aboriginal natives, in all that parcel of land situated in the District of Poverty Bay and known by the name of the Tokomaru Block, and has applied to the said Commissioners to inquire into all the circumstances attending the said alleged alienation or acquisition of the said interests in the said land:

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that Tuesday, the 27th day of May, 1890, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, has been fixed by the said Commissioners as the time, and the building situate in Gladstone Road, in the Town of Gisborne, and known as Whinray's Hall, as the place, for the inquiry into all the circumstances attending the said alleged alienation or acquisition of the said interests in the said lands.

Dated at the City of Wellington, this 22nd day of April, 1890.

By order of the said Commissioners.

FRANK E. WILSON,
Secretary to the said Commissioners.

Crown Lands Notices.

Crown Lands for Sale, Wellington Land District.

Crown Lands Office,
Wellington, 31st March, 1890.

IT is hereby notified, in terms of "The Land Act, 1885," that the under-mentioned sections will be put up for sale by auction, for cash, at this office, on Thursday, the 29th May, 1890, at 3 o'clock p.m., at the upset prices noted opposite each section.

One-fifth of the purchase-money must be deposited on the fall of the hammer, and the balance within thirty days, or the deposit will be forfeited.

There are no limitations or restrictions incumbent upon purchasers of cash lands at auction.

Plans and particulars can be obtained at this office.

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

SCHEDULE.

Section.	Block.	District.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
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72	II.	Apiti	A. R. P. 404 0 0	£ s. d. 1 0 0
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Weighted with £157 10s. for improvements.

This section is situated at Curl's clearing, in the Otamakapua Block, at the north-east corner of Marshall's run, and is accessible from the Feilding-Rangiwahia Road by the Whare road-line. The distance from Feilding is about thirty-two miles, and eight miles from the proposed Main Trunk Railway, Marton-Te Awamutu, and the area comprises hilly, undulating, and flat land, of fair to good quality, 250 acres being open grass land, the balance of 154 acres being covered with a forest, including rimu, rata, kahikatea,

matai, hinau, maire, and usual undergrowth; there is also a good orchard; the section is well watered by the Kiwitea, and is suitable for immediate occupation and stocking. The general elevation above sea-level is about 1,300ft. The improvements comprise grassing of 250 acres, 10 chains of fencing, and an orchard of 1½ acres, planted with a variety of fruit trees.

Section.	Block.	District.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
491, lot 3	..	Bunynthorpe	A. R. P. 10 1 35	£ s. d. 6 0 0
" 4	..	"	7 3 2	6 0 0
" 5	..	"	11 1 33	6 0 0
" 6	..	"	10 1 29	6 0 0

These sections are situated in Bunynthorpe, and form part of the land hitherto reserved for railway purposes; the position is central as regards the Manawatu District, and is adjacent to the railway-station. The area consists of flat land of good quality, covered with mixed forest. The sections offer a favourable opportunity for a small settler or working-man to secure a suitable home.

170 | XIV. | Mangaone .. | 23 0 0 | 1 15 0
This section is situated at Hastwell Village, in a bend of the Kopuaranga, on both sides of the road-line laid off towards the Mangaone Valley, and at the back of Village Sections Nos. 25, 26, 28, and 29, and comprises flat land with low hills on the south-eastern part; the soil is fair and the forest is of mixed character; the section is well watered and well situated.

45 | XIII. | Makuri .. | 10 0 0 | 2 10 0
This section is situated at the junction of the Makuri Valley and Mount Marchant Roads, about twelve miles from Pahiatua, and comprises flat land of good quality, covered with mixed forest. The site will probably be suitable for a store and accommodation-house.

SMALL RUN. Upset Rental per Acre.
132 | XIII. | Mangaone .. | 602 0 0 | 0 0 6
Weighted with £21 for improvements.

This section is situated about four miles south of Eketahuna on the main coach-road, and comprises rough hills and a little flat land of inferior quality, the formation is papa; the whole area is covered with forest, including rimu, rata, tawa, tawhero, &c., and usual undergrowth; the section is fairly well watered.

FORFEITED DEFERRED-PAYMENT SECTIONS.

5 | XII. | Apiti .. | 109 3 0 | 1 0 0
Upset Price per Acre.

This section is situated in the Feilding Special Settlement Block, and comprises hilly land and a small flat, the soil is good; the forest includes rimu, kahikatea, rewa, matai, and dense undergrowth. The section is watered by a branch of Coal Creek.

42 | XII. | Makuri .. | 98 1 0 | 1 0 0
This section is situated in the Pahiatua-Puketoi Special-settlement Block, and comprises hilly and a little flat land of good quality, covered with mixed bush and usual undergrowth. The access is by the Tiramea Road; the distance from Pahiatua being about seven and a half miles.

35 | X. | Pohangina .. | 107 1 0 | 1 0 0
This section is situated in the Awahou-Pohangina Special-settlement Block, and comprises mixed bush lands of good quality, including some good flats; the section is well watered by a branch stream.

27 | X. | Pohangina .. | 100 2 0 | 1 0 0
This section is situated in the Awahou-Pohangina Special-settlement Block, and comprises hilly and flat lands covered with mixed bush and dense underscrub; the section is intersected by a branch stream.

PUBLIC RESERVE. Annual Rent per Acre.
11 | X. | Mangahao .. | 21 2 0 | 0 2 0

This section is situated in the Woodville-Mangahao Special-settlement Block, on the banks of the Mangahao River, and comprises flat land of good quality, covered with rimu and tawa bush and light undergrowth. The access is by the Bridge Road, the distance from the Forty-mile Bush Road being about four and a half miles.

Crown Lands to be offered for Sale by Public Auction.

Crown Lands Office,
Auckland, 11th April, 1890.

It is hereby notified that the lands enumerated in the Schedule hereunder will be offered for sale by public

auction, at this office, on Friday, the 23rd May next, at 11 a.m.

THOS. HUMPHRIES,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

SCHEDULE.

Section.	Area.	Cash Price per Section.
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TOWN LANDS.

TUAKAU SOUTH TOWN.

Sec.	Lot	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
7,	1	0 0 14	2 12 6
"	2	0 0 12	2 5 0
"	3	0 0 12	2 5 0
"	26	0 0 12	2 5 0
"	27	0 0 12	2 5 0
"	1	0 0 12	2 5 0
"	2	0 0 12	2 5 0
"	27	0 0 12	2 5 0
"	28	0 0 12	2 5 0

RURAL LANDS.

HOBSON COUNTY.

Arapohue Parish.

N.W. pn. 70 | 37 0 0 | 23 2 6
Description of Land: All mixed forest and kahikatea swamp, with a few acres of open land.

OTAMATEA COUNTY.

Mareretu Parish.

168	120 3 0	120 15 0
169	182 1 0	182 5 0
S.W. 179	21 2 0	10 15 0
217	168 2 0	159 0 0
218	156 0 0	228 0 0

Description of Land: Lot 168, very broken bush land, containing about 225,000ft. of kauri; 169, broken bush land, containing about 225,000ft. of kauri, and about 15 acres of open fern land, undulating, soil fair; both sections are well watered and accessible by road.

Section.	Area	Cash Price per Section.
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Omaru Parish.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
119	114 0 0	114 0 0

Description of Land: All mixed forest with scattered clumps of kauri, totara, and puriri; soil good, but section not very accessible.

WAIIPA COUNTY.

Te Rapa Parish.

79	98 2 0	297 0 0
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Description of Land: Good land with some timber on it near Frankton Junction; the timber is only fit for firewood.

WAITEMATA COUNTY.

Ararimu Parish.

21A	5 3 0	11 10 0
21B	2 0 28	4 7 6

Description of Land: Open land, about three miles north of Helensville.

Makarau Parish.

129	79 0 0	158 0 0
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Description of Land: Broken land, about two-thirds mixed forest, with a good deal of kauri.

Waipareira Parish.

125A	0 2 0	1 0 0
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Description of Land: Small site between two roads near Swanson, suitable for building purposes.

HOKIANGA COUNTY.

Manganuka Survey District.

Block IX.

1	50 0 0	62 10 0
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Description of Land: Good but broken, all forest with some kauri.

Account of Land in Cultivation and Agricultural Produce, February, 1890.

Registrar-General's Office, Wellington, 12th May, 1890.

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 Orchard.	Horned Cattle (including Calves). No. of.	Breeding Cows (included in fore-foing). No. of.		
	Freehold.	Rented.	Part Freehold, part Rented.	Total Numbers of Holdings.		Acres.	Estimated Gross Produce (in bushels).	Acres.		Estimated Gross Produce (in bushels).	Acres.	Estimated Gross Produce (in bushels).	Acres.	Estimated Gross Produce (in tons).				In Hay.		Cocks-foot.	Rye-grass.	In Garden.	In Orchard.					
								For Green Food or Hay.	For Grain.									Acres.	Estimated Gross Produce (in tons).								In Grasses after having been broken up (including such as in Hay).	Grass-sown Lands not previously ploughed (including such as in Hay).
Wairarapa South	437	160	71	668	1,817	986	28,307	1,202	2,253	100,117	123	1,930	300	1,660	4,884	271	10,019	1,355	1,866	29,651	213,651	1,718	437	193	221	29,995	10,154	
Waimea ..	875	210	214	1,299	879	2,649	67,199	6,082	2,294	62,096	4,599	136,170	880	3,155	454	795	17,753	1,477	1,542	18,197	63,644	867	779	127	925	9,903	4,553	
Collingwood ..	179	20	35	234	52	31	709	241	9	130	24	373	199	1,097	17	106	627	514	634	1,785	14,401	466	252	17	168	4,523	1,478	
Grey ..	111	64	49	224	343	1	..	489	6	150	..	..	121	646	32	12	661	329	743	8,003	5,038	30	..	31	98	4,944	1,830
Westland ..	218	36	13	267	83	..	..	371	..	..	3	..	281	1,551	82	16	753	213	271	3,897	9,848	..	..	4	60	5,267	1,710

Members of Hospital and Charitable Aid Boards elected.

Charitable Aid Department, Wellington, 9th May, 1890.

THE following Schedule, showing the names of the Members elected to represent various local authorities on the Boards of the respective districts, as constituted by "The Hospitals and Charitable Institutions Act, 1885," and "The Hospitals and Charitable Institutions Act 1885 Amendment Act, 1886," is published for general information.

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SCHEDULE.

Name of Member.	Local Authority.	Board.	
Charles Atkin	Auckland City Council	Auckland Hospital and Charitable Aid Board.	
Peter Dignan			
James Marshall Lennox			
John Swales			
Oliver Mays	(Rodney County Council Waitemata County Council Devonport Borough		
John Bollard	Boards of Road Districts in Eden County		
Richard Udy			
William Frank Buckland	Boards of Road and Town Districts in Manukau County, and Onehunga Borough Council		
Alfred Kidd	Parnell, Newmarket, and Newton Borough Councils		
Charles Matthew Gray	Christchurch City Council		North Canterbury Hospital Board.
William Prudhoe			
Robert Martindale			
William Derisley Wood			
William Moor	Akaroa County and Borough Councils Amuri and Kaikoura County Councils St. Albans, Lyttelton, Kaiapoi, and Rangiora Borough Councils		
William Dunlop	Selwyn County Council	Ashburton and North Canterbury United Charitable Aid Board.	
David McMillan			
Frederic Jones			
Richard Westenra			
Henry Blackett, sen.	Road and Town Boards in Ashley County		
Richard Holman Parish			
Henry Crooks	Christchurch City Council		
William Prudhoe			
Robert Martindale	Akaroa County and Borough Councils Amuri and Kaikoura County Councils		
William Derisley Wood			
Chairman of County Council and Mayor of the borough for the time being	Ashburton County and Borough Councils		
Harry Allwright	Kaiapoi, Lyttelton, Rangiora, and St. Albans Borough Councils		
William Dunlop	Selwyn County Council	Ashburton and North Canterbury United Charitable Aid Board.	
Frederic Jones			
David McMillan			
Richard Westenra			
Henry Blackett	Road and Town Boards in Ashley County		
Richard Holman Parish			
William Dawson	Dunedin City Council		
Henry F. Hardy			
James Robin	Bruce County Council, and Milton and Kaitangata Borough Councils		
Abraham Solomon			
Henry Clark	Clutha County Council, and Balclutha Borough Council		
Francis W. Mackenzie	Clutha County Council, and Balclutha Borough Council	Otago District Hospital Board.	
William Snow			
William Thomson	Taieri County Council, and Mosgiel and Green Island Borough Councils		
James Green			
Roland Wilson	Waikouaiti and Waihemo County Councils		
Alexander Campbell Begg	Caversham and Mornington Borough Councils		
James Stenhouse	North-east Valley, Maori Hill, and Roslyn Borough Councils		
John Robert Monson	Peninsula and Portobello Road Boards, and St. Kilda and South Dunedin Borough Councils		
Vincent Pyke	Palmerston, Port Chalmers, West Har- bour, and Hawkesbury Borough Councils		
Mackay John S. Mackenzie	Vincent County Council, and Alex- andra, Cromwell, Roxburgh, and Tapanui Borough Councils		
Henry Clark	Maniototo County Council, and Naseby Borough Council		
Francis W. Mackenzie	Bruce County Council, and Milton and Kaitangata Borough Councils		
William Snow	Clutha County Council, and Balclutha Borough Council		
James Green	Taieri County Council, and Mosgiel and Green Island Borough Councils		
Robert Wilson	Waikouaiti and Waihemo County Councils		
Alexander Campbell Begg	Caversham and Mornington Borough Councils		
James Stenhouse	North-east Valley, Maori Hill, and Roslyn Borough Councils		
John Robert Monson	Peninsula and Portobello Road Boards, and St. Kilda and South Dunedin Borough Councils		
John Robert Monson	Palmerston, Port Chalmers, West Har- bour, and Hawkesbury Borough Councils		

Postmasters appointed.

General Post Office, Wellington, 1st May, 1890.

IN virtue of the powers delegated to the Postmaster-General by His Excellency the Governor, the following appointments have been made in the Postal-Telegraph Service of the colony.

EDWIN MITCHELSON,
Postmaster-General.

Name.	To be Postmaster at	Postal District.	Date.
Avery, A.	Awatere	Blenheim	18 April, 1890.
Doar, J.	Blackburn	Napier	1 April, "
Fowler, J.	Bunnythorpe	Wellington	1 April, "
Allison, W.	Eltham	Wanganui	26 Mar., "
Judd, W.	Harben	Westport	1 April, "
Jeffries, H.	Helensville	Auckland	27 Feb., "
Ross, A.	Kaitawa	Wellington	24 Mar., "
Reading, W.	Longburn	Wellington	1 April, "
Hollyoak, E.	Manurewa	Auckland	6 Mar., "
Roberts, V.	Mercer	Auckland	29 Mar., "
Ayrton, E. M.	Seafield	Christchurch	11 Jan., "
Ryan, M.	Tawa Flat	Wellington	1 April, "
Hyde, E. G.	Tuparoa	Gisborne	16 Mar., "
Lindsay, R. C.	Waianiwa	Invercargill	15 Mar., "
Woodhead, A.	Waiongona	New Plymouth	10 April, "

Post Offices opened.

General Post Office, Wellington, 1st May, 1890.

THE following names of additional post offices which have been opened in the colony are published for general information.

EDWIN MITCHELSON,
Postmaster-General.

Name of Office.	Postal District.
Harben (reopened)	Westport.
Waiongona	New Plymouth.

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 three months from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

1034. WILLIAM DOUGLAS, Applicant.—3,896 acres 3 roods 30 perches, more or less, portion of Kaokaoroa Block. In occupation of Applicant.

1035. WILLIAM DOUGLAS, Applicant.—3,105 acres 1 rood 28 perches, more or less, being Te Mahanga North Block, as shown on deposited Plan 391. In occupation of Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 8th day of May, 1890, at the Lands Registry Office, Napier.

253 THOS. HALL,
Deputy 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 month after the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

1033. WILLIAM YOUNG DENNETT, Applicant.—10/3 perches, more or less, being Lot 3 on deposited Plan 655, part of Section 305, Town of Napier. Unoccupied.

1041. JAMES WREN CARLILE, ARTHUR JAMES COTTERILL, and JASPER LUCAS HERRICK, Applicants.—14 acres and 36 perches, more or less, being Subdivision 4 of Rural Section 24, West Clive. Unoccupied.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 8th day of May, 1890, at the Lands Registry Office, Napier.

259 THOS. HALL,
Deputy 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 in each case within one calendar month next after the date of publication hereof.

Section 3, Block VI., Town of Queenstown.—JAMES BODKIN, Applicant. Occupied by John Robertson. No. 3921.

Allotments 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 16, Block XII., Township of Ascotvale.—MURIEL BERRET BROWN, Applicant.—Occupied by Applicant. No. 3923.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 10th day of May, 1890, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

260 G. G. BRIDGES,
Deputy 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 after the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

6566. HALL ROKEBY PRICE and WILLIAM KESWICK.—2 acres 2 roods, with a right-of-way, part Rural Section 37, Block XV., Christchurch Survey District. Occupied by F. W. Delamain.

6586. GEORGE THOMAS SEFTON.—1 acre 2 roods, part Rural Section 4259, Block I., Akaroa Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

6588. GEORGE PHILIP KISSEL.—2 roods, part Rural Section 3124, Block XIII., Christchurch Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

6589. GEORGE GATONBY STEAD.—10 acres and 38 perches, part Rural Section 299, Borough of St. Albans. Occupied by Applicant.

6590. HILARY MAINDONALD.—1 rood 30 perches, part Rural Section 304, Block VII., Christchurch Survey District. Occupied by T. Stevens and T. Gunter.

6593. JAMES FEATHER.—280 acres, Rural Sections 9721, 9722, 9723, 10365, 10385, 10607, Blocks IX. and XIII., Grey Survey District. Occupied by Edwin Feather.

6602. JAMES LYALL.—2 acres 1 rood 36 perches, parts Rural Section 11476, Block XV., Pigeon Bay Survey District. Occupied as to part by J. and G. Pettigrew, and as to remainder as a public road.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 12th day of May, 1890, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

268 J. M. BATHAM,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that a statutory declaration of the destruction by fire of Crown grant in favour of WILLIAM OSBORNE, for Section 9, Block IV., in the Village of Waiomio, in the Kawakawa Survey District, and being the whole of the land comprised in Vol. xviii., folio 100, of the Register-book, having been filed in this office, and application having been made for the issue of a provisional certificate for the same, it is my intention to issue such certificate unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 30th day of May, 1890.

Dated this 6th day of May, 1890, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

THEO. KISSLING,
District Land Registrar.

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IN the matter of a Lease, No. 693, JOHN COLDWELL to RICHARD HICKS SUISTED, of Sections 299 and 300, Town of Inglewood.—Notice of re-entry and determination of above lease, on the ground of non-fulfilment of covenant, will be entered on the register, on the application of the registered Proprietor, unless caveat be lodged at this office within one calendar month after the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 12th day of May, 1890, at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth.

W. STUART,
District Land Registrar.

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NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN MIDFORD, claiming under the will of WILLIAM RICHARDS, late of Auckland, Gentleman, deceased, and as Administrator of the estate of ELEANOR MARIA MIDFORD, deceased, has made an application to be registered as Proprietor of an estate in fee-simple in those pieces of land containing together 2 roods, more or less, being Allotments 216 and 311 of the Township of Gisborne, which lands are comprised in certificates of title issued to the said William Richards, registered in Vol. ii., folios 111 and 280; and, further, that the applicant will be registered accordingly at the expiration of one month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice, unless in the meantime a caveat be lodged forbidding the same.

Dated this 8th day of May, 1890, at the Lands Registry Office, Napier.

THOS. HALL,
Deputy District Land Registrar.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1885," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 16th day of June, 1890.

2075. ANNIE MCCARTHY.—Sections 31 and 33, City of Wellington (Epuni Street). In occupation of Applicant.

2082. JOHN SHIEL.—Section 7, Township of Waverley. In occupation of John Milne.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 14th day of May, 1890, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

GEO. B. DAVY,
District Land Registrar.

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Mining Notices.

THE GOLDEN GATE GOLD-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that the registered office of the above company has been changed to Connew's Gully, near Clyde; and that Mr. JOHN CRAWFORD has been appointed Manager thereof.

Dated at Clyde, this 30th day of April, 1890.

JAMES CAMPBELL,
BENJAMIN NAYLOR, } Directors.

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ZEALANDIA QUARTZ-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

To the Registrar, Supreme Court, Dunedin.

SIR,—The resignation of Mr. John J. Ramsay, of his position as Legal Manager of the Zealandia Quartz-mining Company (Limited), Nenthorn, has been accepted, and Mr. LAURENCE MATHEWSON appointed in his stead; the office also being removed from Springfield, Hyde, to Mr. Laurence Mathewson's residence, Hyde.

JOHN COGAN,
FREDERICK ABELSTED.

Springfield, Hyde, 15th April, 1890.

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THE HIBERNIAN EXTENDED GOLD-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED), PICTON.

REGISTERED UNDER "THE MINING COMPANIES ACT, 1886."

NOTICE is hereby given that, at a meeting of the Directors of the above-named company, held on the 3rd May, 1890, Mr. W. A. COLLINS was appointed Secretary and Legal Manager, in place of Mr. Arthur Fisk, resigned; and the registered office of the said company was changed from Wellington Street, Picton, to Allen Street, Cullensville.

Dated this 8th day of May, 1890.

A. G. FELL,
WILLIAM DARVILL, } Directors.

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Private Advertisements.

IN PARLIAMENT.

In the matter of a Bill intitled "The Wellington Chew's Lane Encroachment Act, 1890."

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to Parliament, at its next session, for leave to introduce a Bill to enable the Mayor, Councillors, and Citizens of the City of Wellington to sell to Jacob Joseph, of the City of Wellington, Esquire, a piece of land having a frontage of one and a half links to Victoria Street, and shown on the plan deposited in the Land Registry Office, at Wellington, No. 331, as forming part of the extension of the lane known as Chew's Lane, and to extinguish such rights as may have arisen over the said piece of land in consequence of the deposit of such plan.

Copies of the above Bill will be deposited in the Examiner's office on or before the 12th day of June, 1890.

Dated at Wellington, this 13th day of May, 1890.

A. AND C. BRANDON,

Parliamentary Agents for the said Bill.

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PRIVATE BILL INTITLED "THE CHURCH PROPERTY TRUSTEES (CANTERBURY) INDEMNITY ACT, 1890."

NOTICE is hereby given that the Church Property Trustees of Canterbury intend to present a petition to the General Assembly of New Zealand, at the ensuing session thereof, praying for leave to introduce a Bill enabling the said Trustees, out of any moneys for the time being in their hands forming part of, or arising from, the estate known as "General Church Property Estate" and "The Dean and Chapter Estate," to pay to the mortgagees nominated on behalf of the holders of the debentures for the loan of fifty thousand pounds borrowed by the said Trustees all moneys from time to time paid by them for property-tax on the said loan and interest thereon, together with the law-costs incurred by the said mortgagees in relation thereto, and to provide for the payment of future property-tax on the said loan out of the said estates.

Copies of the said Bill will be deposited at the office of the Examiner of Standing Orders on or before the commencement of the session, and may also be had upon application to Messrs. Chapman, FitzGerald, and Tripp, Solicitors, Wellington, or to the undersigned.

Dated this 1st day of May, 1890.

HARPER AND CO.,

Solicitors, Christchurch.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION.

"THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACTS AMENDMENT ACT, 1889."

NOTICE is hereby given that I, Alexander Creighton Arthur, of The Willows, sheep-farmer, claiming to have purchased or acquired the interests of Hamiora Tikitiki, Petuere Kowhai, Te Naere Tauhe, Tu, Horomona Hapai, Himiona Awanui, Kereama Waihopi and Mokaraka Waihopi (successors to Ihaia Waihopi), Tepora Waaka, Tuaho te Raha *alias* Tuwaho, Hana Patu, Watarawai Rangī, Hori Kapekape or Tohungia, Wiremu Kahuhate, Parenara te Waharoa (successor to Eru Rito), Katerina Kowhi, Hoani Ruru, Hare Pini, Miriana Tiu, Mere Waimanuka, Matui Tai, Hotene Peneti, Mere Inoi *alias* Haata or Piriware, Raniera Heuheu, Hoani Muru, Hirini Whakataka, Maraera Toko, Reweti Rangī, Piripi Wananga, Apirana Toko, Horiania te Kaiwhakaheke, Hoani Rukeruke, Paora te Whakatiki, Wi Hekopa (successor to Katarina Inanga), Hori Mokoera, Rewi Haapu, Apiata Tawai (successor to Katarina Inanga), Arapera Whaku, Mihi Rukeruke, Karepa Muhu, Hunia Karaka, Hamiora Kaiwhakata (successor to Rewanga Pipi *alias* Maata Rewanga), Hotene Mihakari, Hapurona Konia, Harata Rukeruke, Hori Tarata, Nepia Talunga, Te Awariki, Samuel Goldsmith, Robert Goldsmith, Pita Tau-

mutu (successor to Pare Taranga), Herewaka Poata and Mere Karaka te Rerehorua (successors to Mereama Tongia), Te Koorā Katua, Te Wikiriwhi te Matehe, Henare Potae, Kakohanga, Mere Katea, Hoera te Anau or Akau, Hana Kaiwahie, Erana Waipapa, Irihapeti te Wao, Heni Pahau, Hana Paku, Wharehinahina, Rewi Turanga, Makere Tipata, Hemi Kaipau, Harata Poiwa (successor to Turuhera Moko), Pita Houkomau (successor to Kararaina Turaki), Pini Tuhaka, Keriana te Kani, Minarapa te Riri and Nepia te Aku (successors to Hera Parakau), Tou Tou *alias* Tautau, Tepora Tamararo, Ritihia Rewiti, Kararaina Hoia, Horeana Meiha, Mere Porori, Hohaia te Wera, Ani Ahunuku (successor to Ahipene Makahuri), Paratene Tatae, Anaru Tauwate, Apikara Kauria, Arapeta Potae, Hamuiera Kaporo, Hone Paerata, Maraera Marotiri, Te Houpara, Te Rina Potae, Mokena te Kakari (successor to Karauria te Atahaea, successor to Katarina Inanga), Kereti Kare, Maora Paratene, Perenara te Waharoa, Hone Paerata (successor to Tepora Ahua), Wairua te Wao, Herewaka Poata and Mere Karaka te Rerehorua (successors to Mohi Ruatapu), in the parcel of land situated on the East Coast District of Poverty Bay and known as the Tokomaru Block; and also to have acquired by lease the interests of all the owners of the said land excepting Wiremu Karaka as successor to Heni Moera, Ani Ngahua, Hone Papatene, Hare Marau, Kauria Pata, and Eruera Tio, three of the six successors to Henerieta Tio and Ani Tuaramoi and Ahiwera te Hau, two of the five successors to Ahipene Makahuri, have, on the 7th day of April, 1890, left at the office in the Government Buildings, at the City of Wellington, of the Registrar of the Native Land Court for the District of Wellington, the place appointed on that behalf by the Commissioners appointed under section 20 of the above-mentioned Act, an application pursuant to the said Act, and to the rules made by the said Commissioners thereunder, that the said Commissioners shall inquire into all the circumstances attending the said alleged alienation or acquisition of the said interests in the said land.

And notice is hereby further given that certified copies of such application, and of every instrument in writing, order of the Native Land Court, and other document upon which I rely in support of the said claim, have been deposited by me with the Clerk of the Resident Magistrate's Court at Tologa Bay, where the same are open for public inspection without payment of any fee.

And notice is hereby further given that every person desiring to be heard in opposition to my said claim is required to file and serve notice of such opposition and of the grounds thereof fourteen days at least before the day which shall be appointed for hearing my said claim, and on the form and in manner prescribed by the rules made by the said Commissioners.

And notice is hereby further given that my address for service is at the office of Messrs. Nolan and Skeet, Solicitors, Gladstone Road, Gisborne.

Dated this 15th day of April, 1890.
228 A. C. ARTHUR.

"THE COMPANIES ACT, 1882."

THAMES VALLEY AND ROTORUA RAILWAY COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the members of the above-named company will be held on Tuesday, the 22nd day of July, 1890, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the undersigned, Shortland Street, Auckland, in order that there may be laid before the said company an account showing the manner in which the property of the company has been disposed of, and in order that the said company may hear any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator, and also in order that an extraordinary resolution may be passed for determining the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the company shall be disposed of.

Dated at Auckland, this 9th day of May, 1890.
263 GERALD O'HALLORAN, Liquidator.

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

Friendly Societies' Registry Office, Wellington, 14th May, 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Registrar of Friendly Societies has, pursuant to section 10 of "The Friendly Societies Act, 1882," by writing under his hand dated this 14th day of May, 1890, cancelled the registry of the Hamilton Branch, Register No. 198 (13), held at Hamilton, branch of the New Zealand District Hibernian Australasian Catholic Benefit Society, on the ground that the said branch has ceased to exist.

270 EDMUND MASON, Registrar of Friendly Societies.

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