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Amending the Description of the Argyle-Charleston Water-Race.

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

WHEREAS errors have occurred in the description of the lands taken for the Argyle-Charleston Water-race, as set forth in the First Schedule to a Proclamation issued at Auckland, under the authority of "The Public Works Act, 1882," on the fourteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety:

And whereas it is desirable to amend the description of the said lands in manner hereinafter set forth:

Now, therefore, I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the hereinbefore-recited Act, and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby revoke the First Schedule to the said recited Proclamation of the fourteenth day of April aforesaid, and in lieu thereof do hereby proclaim and declare that the lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same are hereby declared to be a water-race, under the name of the Argyle-Charleston Water-race; and I do hereby further declare that, save as hereby specially amended, the said recited Proclamation shall remain and be of full force and effect.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 254 acres, more or less, being a strip of land 5 chains in width, viz., 2½ chains on each side of the centre line, shown by a full red line on the plan referred to below, situated in the Survey District of Waitakere, in the Provincial District of Nelson; commencing at a point on the Four-Mile River about 20 chains up the creek from the termination of the present county horse-track; proceeding thence generally in a north-westerly direction for a distance of about 6 miles 27 chains, and terminating at a point on, and distant about 5½ chains from, the head of the water-race known as the South Supply Race to Haine's Dam, which said South Supply Race to Haine's Dam is one of the water-races jointly registered as No. 598, in the District of Charleston, in the Provincial District of Nelson; including that before-mentioned stream of water called the Four-Mile River, and including also all other streams and drainage-courses which cross the said strip of land; save and excepting any lands, mining-rights, or privileges already granted in connection with water-races or other mining purposes at the time of this Proclamation, and which are included within the above-mentioned area of 254 acres: as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D.

16529, and deposited in the Warden's Court, at Charleston, in the said Karamea Mining 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 twenty-third day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

T. W. HISLOP,
(For the Minister of Mines.)
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Native Land proposed to be taken for a Road in Maungaru Survey District.

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 land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken for a public work authorised to be constructed by the Government, to wit, the construction of a road:

And whereas the said land is held or occupied by Native owners:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by "The Public Works Act, 1882," and the amendments thereof, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency 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, doth hereby order that the Government work known as a road shall and may be constructed on or through the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

A ROAD, 100 links wide or thereabouts, commencing at the north-eastern boundary-line of the Owhatia Block No. 154 (in red), Maungaru Survey District, Provincial District of Auckland, and proceeding in southerly and westerly directions through the said block to the south-western boundary-line.

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 twenty-first day of May, 1890.

Present:

His Excellency the Governor in Council.

WHEREAS application has been made to the Governor in Council by Taari Warahi, Mohi Parai, and Te Awhe Parai, comprising a majority in number of the Native owners 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 partition order of the Native Land Court, bearing date the twelfth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, 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 partition order on the alienation of the said lands are hereby removed.

SCHEDULE.

FIRST COLUMN. Particulars of Grant or Instrument containing Restrictions.	SECOND COLUMN. Description of Lands.
Partition order of the Native Land Court, dated 12th June, 1889, in favour of Mohi Parai, Te Awhe Parai, Taari Warahi, and Rapana Ohiro: "Restricted."	All that parcel of land in the District of Wellington, known as Subdivision No. 2 of Section 37, Polhill's Gully, containing 2 roods 37.5 perches.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Deputy Registrar of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 21st May, 1890.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES CROW

to be Deputy of the Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the District of Black's.

W. R. RUSSELL.

Resident Magistrate and Warden appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 24th May, 1890.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HARRY EYRE KENNY, Esq., J.P.,

to be a Resident Magistrate for the Districts of Nelson and Westland, with extended jurisdiction to £100; and to be a Warden for the Westland and Karamea Mining Districts.

W. R. RUSSELL.

Coroner appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 24th May, 1890.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HARRY EYRE KENNY, Esq., J.P.,

to be a Coroner within the Colony of New Zealand.

W. R. RUSSELL.

Clerks of Courts appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 27th May, 1890.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable FLORENCE O'DONOVAN

to be Clerk of the Resident Magistrate's and Warden's Courts, Receiver of Gold Revenue and Mining Registrar,

at Ross, and Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Ross, from the 24th instant, *vice* Constable W. Williams, transferred; and

Constable NATHANIEL MILLER

to be Clerk of the Resident Magistrate's Court at Mosgiel, and Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Mosgiel, *vice* Constable D. Burnett, transferred.

W. R. RUSSELL.

Officers appointed under "The Fisheries Conservation Act, 1884," for Southland District.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 23rd 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,"

JAMES GARDNER, of Birchwood;
ABRAHAM MCKENZIE, of Oteramika; and
ALEXANDER MCQUEEN COUPLAND, of Kennington,

have been appointed Officers for the purposes of that Act for that portion of the Provincial District of Otago formerly known as the Province of Southland.

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

Promotion in the Survey Department.

General Survey Office,
Wellington, 22nd May, 1890.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to promote

THOMAS LARWELL HUMPHRIES and
PETER ALBERT DALZIEL

to the grade of Assistant Surveyor in the Survey Department of New Zealand.

G. F. RICHARDSON,
Minister of Lands.

Member of Charitable Aid Board appointed.

Charitable Aid Department,
Wellington, 24th May, 1890.

His Excellency the Governor has, in terms of section 7 of "The Hospitals and Charitable Institutions Act, 1885," been pleased to appoint

VINCENT C. RANSON

to represent the Manawatu County Council on the Wanganui and Patea United Charitable Aid Board.

T. W. HISLOP.

Volunteer Officers appointed.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 28th May, 1890.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the under-mentioned appointments:—

Masterton Rifle Volunteers.

Charles Aylmer Pownall to be Captain. Date of commission, 9th April, 1890.

Sydenham Rifle Volunteers.

Francis Strachan Goldingham to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 9th April, 1890.

Canterbury Scottish Rifle Volunteers.

Daniel Macbean to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 9th April, 1890.

Canterbury Irish Rifle Volunteers.

Arthur Tostyn Drayton to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 9th April, 1890.

W. R. RUSSELL.

Commission of Volunteer Officer cancelled.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 28th May, 1890.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to cancel the commission held by

Captain JOHN STEVENS,

Rangitikei Cavalry Volunteers, for absence from the colony without leave.

W. R. RUSSELL.

Volunteer Officer resigned.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 28th May, 1890.

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

North Dunedin Rifle Volunteers.

Captain Robert McNab. Date of resignation, 10th February, 1890.

W. R. RUSSELL.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan, County of Pahiatua.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 24th May, 1890.

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

W. R. RUSSELL.

PAHIATUA COUNTY COUNCIL.

THE following is the result of a poll taken on the 11th January, 1890, on a proposal to borrow £750, under "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886," for the purpose of forming, bridging, and metalling the North Tiraumea Road, and the road between Sections 56 and 57, Block I., Makuri, leading to Section 2, Block IV., Makuri:—

Number of ratepayers on roll 14, representing 14 votes; number of ratepayers who voted for the proposal 8, representing 8 votes; number of votes not recorded, 6.

A majority of votes having been recorded in favour of the proposal, I declare it to be carried.

JOB VILE,
Chairman, Pahiatua County Council.

Special Order made by the Upper Wangaehu Road Board, County of Wanganui.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 28th May, 1890.

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

W. R. RUSSELL.

SPECIAL ORDER.

THAT a special order be now made levying an additional special rate of 1d. in the pound of the capital value of all property within that portion of the Upper Wangaehu Road District bounded by a line commencing at the south-west corner of Run 4, Mangawhero Survey District; thence northwards by the western boundary of the road district to the Murimotu Run; thence southwards and eastwards by the southern boundary of the Murimotu Run to Hales's road extension (known as the Taupo Road); thence southwards by the said Taupo Road to the western boundary of the Ruanui Run; thence southwards by the western boundary of the Ruanui Run and Hales's Murimotu Road to the Matawhitia Block; thence eastwards, southwards, and westwards by the boundaries of the Matawhitia Block to the Wangaehu River; thence northwards by the Wangaehu River to the south-east corner of Run 4, Mangawhero Survey District; thence by the southern boundary of Run 4, Mangawhero Survey District, to the starting-point: such rate to be leviable on all property within the said district liable to be specially rated under the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1886," and "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886," and to be for the purpose of providing interest and sinking fund for a loan of £180 obtained under the provisions of the said Acts; the said loan of £180 being the additional sum of 10 per cent. authorised to be borrowed under sections 21 and 22 of "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886," in order to complete the work for which the original loan of £1,800 was granted; and shall be an annually-recurring rate, leviable, if required, year by year, payable in one instalment, commencing on the 1st day of May, 1891, and on the same day of each year following until the loan in respect of which the said rate is made is paid off.

I hereby certify that the above special order has been duly passed by the Upper Wangaehu Road Board, as required by "The Road Boards Act, 1882."

ALLAN ROBINSON,
Clerk, Upper Wangaehu Road Board.

By-law made by Kohi Road Board, County of Patea.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 28th May, 1890.

THE following special order, adopting a by-law made by the Kohi Road Board, is published in accordance with "The Road Boards Act, 1882."

W. R. RUSSELL.

SPECIAL ORDER.

THE following special order, adopting a by-law, was made by the Kohi Road Board, at a meeting held on the 26th May, 1890: That the following penalties be levied on all cattle, horses, pigs, sheep, and entire found straying on the roads in the Kohi Road District: Cattle and horses, 1s. per head; pigs, 5s. per head; sheep, 1d. per head; entire animals, 10s. per head; and that the foregoing penalties be collected in the usual way as ordinary driving-fees.

I hereby certify that the above special order was duly made and passed at a meeting held on the 26th May, 1890.

F. P. FOOKES,
Clerk, Kohi Road Board.

Notice to Mariners, No. 16 of 1890.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 21st May, 1890.

THE following Notice to Mariners, received from the Local Marine Board, Newcastle, New South Wales, is published for general information.

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

THE steam-dredge "Newcastle" will be moored mid-stream in the upper part of the North Channel for dredging purposes. The dredge "Hunter" will be moored in the North Channel also, and abreast of the Patent Slip, both working to the eastward. On and after Friday, the 2nd instant, vessels will pass to the southward of these dredges during the time this work is in progress.

H. NEWTON,
Harbour Office, Newcastle,
1st May, 1890. Harbourmaster.

Tenders.

Public Buildings Office,
Wellington, 22nd May, 1890.

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

THOS. FERGUS,
Minister for Public Works.

SANATORIUM AT ROTORUA.

	Accepted.	£	s.	d.
Price and Malcolm, Auckland	3,532	19	0
<i>Declined.</i>				
W. Philcox and Son, Auckland	3,967	0	0
W. C. Webb, Wellington	3,993	19	6
E. Morris, Auckland	4,370	0	0
Wrigley and Matthews, Auckland	5,367	0	0
H. J. Holder, Napier	5,569	6	0

Road Board Elections.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 28th 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.

- Ruarangi Road District, County of Whangarei:
William Newton.
- Mangawai Road District, County of Otamatea:
Archibald Smith.
Robert Henry Moir.
- Tauhoa Road District, County of Rodney:
Joseph Levett.
Alfred H. Steventon.
- Otahuhu Road District, County of Manukau:
Owen Curran McGee.
Thomas Stringer.
Patrick Kelly.
- Pukekohe West Road District, County of Manukau:
William John Steen.
Jacob Henry Wright.
- Pakuranga Road District, County of Manukau:
Robert Millen.
Charles William Roberts.
- Waiuku Road District, County of Manukau:
William Flavell.
Michael Dromgool.
- Waipipi Road District, County of Manukau:
No. 3 Subdivision—
John McNaughton.
No. 5 Subdivision—
Alexander Muir, jun.

- Kumeroa Road District, County of Waipawa :
William Bargrove.
- Norsewood Road District, County of Waipawa :
Charles E. Pedersen.
Carl R. Ljungqvist.
- Danevirke Road District, County of Waipawa :
George Wratt.
Donald McLeod.
- Akitio Road District, County of Wairarapa North :
William Alfred Burling.
John Harvey.
- Manganui Road District, County of Taranaki :
Thomas Cox.
William Hathaway.
- South Malvern Road District, County of Selwyn :
Joel Reed.
William Leeming.
- Upper Ashburton Road District, County of Ashburton :
Winchmore Ward—
M. Stitt.
Allenton Ward—
R. Campbell.

Notice of Application for Amendment of Specification for Patent.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 29th 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. 4273.—THOMAS BEGG, of Castle Street, Dunedin, Engineer. An invention for sap-extractor and timber-bleacher.

The applicant desires to amend his specification by adding a mixture to be placed in cylinder B, as follows: "A mixture composed of sulphate of ammonia and sulphur or any other anti-acid and bleach combined; also chloride of sodium, nitrate of potassium, and sodic hydrate, placed in cylinder B, and in such quantities as may be found suitable."

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

Notice of Applications for Patents.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 29th 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. 4208.—DUNCAN CAMPBELL, of Wellington, New Zealand, Accountant. An invention for an improved meat label or ticket, and method of fastening the same.

No. 4388.—THE MARSHALL IMPROVED WINDOW FURNITURE COMPANY, of San Francisco, California, United States of America. An invention for sash-balances and locks.

No. 4394.—JOHN HENRY NODING, of 171, High Street, Christchurch, Canterbury, New Zealand, Chemist. An invention for the admixture or combination of the essential oil of eucalyptus or eucalyptol with menthol.

No. 4396.—LOUIS RODGERS, of Invercargill, New Zealand, Merchant. An invention for "The Pegasus Tin-opener," for the more rapidly opening all kinds of tinned meats, condiments, spices, or other things used when tinned.

No. 4397.—LOTTIS WEIGERT, of Berlin, Prussia, Doctor. An invention for exciting-fluid for galvanic batteries for electric light.

No. 4398.—ALEXANDER MATHIESON, Radcliffe, Styx, Christchurch, New Zealand, Farmer. An invention for an improved apparatus for straining wire-fencing.

No. 4399.—JOHN HEMPSTALK, of Heathcote Valley, Canterbury, New Zealand, Shipwright. An invention for raising sunken or stranded vessels embedded or partially embedded in mud, sand, silt, shingle, or other material.

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

Crown Lands Notices.

Crown Lands for Sale, Taranaki Land District.

Crown Lands Office,
New Plymouth, 12th May, 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned allotments of land will be offered for sale, by public auction, at this office, at noon, on Wednesday, the 11th June, 1890.

SIDNEY WEETMAN,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

TOWN OF STRATFORD.

Section 821; area, 1 rood; upset price, £10.

PUKEARUHE DISTRICT.

Section 62; area, 4 acres 2 roods; upset price, £20 5s.

Land District of Wellington.—Sale of Part of the Wanganui Harbour Board Endowment Block at Reduced Prices.

Crown Lands Office,
Wellington, 20th May, 1890.

IT is hereby notified that the sections of land as per Schedule hereunder will be offered for sale on deferred payments, in terms of "The Land Act, 1885." Applications will be received on Wednesday, the 18th June, 1890.

SCHEDULE.

POHANGINA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
4	V.	284 0 0	1 12 0
5	"	304 0 0	1 10 0
11	"	188 3 0	1 10 0
17	"	234 0 0	1 10 0
1	VI.	152 0 0	1 10 0
2	"	157 0 0	1 10 0
3	"	180 3 0	1 10 0
4	"	147 0 0	1 10 0
1	II.	168 3 0	1 10 0

Description of Sections: These sections are situated in the Wanganui Harbour Board Block, Oroua County, on or adjacent to the Oroua River, and comprise generally hilly undulating land. The area is covered generally with forest of tawa, rimu, &c.; there is totara on some of the sections. The soil is mostly of good quality, and the block should when cleared be well suited for agricultural and pastoral purposes. The access is by the Taonui Zigzag-lines and the Oroua River-bed. The Wanganui Harbour Board is now engaged in doing some bush-work and track-formation on Pollock's and Awa Roads.

Applications for the deferred-payment sections will be received at this office on Wednesday, the 18th June, 1890, up to 4.30 p.m. In cases of contested sections, applicants will be informed, in order that they may forward tenders, which will be opened on Thursday, the 26th June, 1890. If personal attendance is not possible, agents should be appointed, in order that tenders may be received before that date. Complete addresses must in all cases be given.

Conditions: With the applications for deferred-payment sections one-twentieth of the upset price and £1 ls. license-fee must be paid in cash, or by post office order, bank draft, or marked cheque; the balance of the purchase-money in half-yearly instalments extending over ten years. Where more applications than one are made on the same day for the same land, the land applied for shall be put up to public competition by tender limited to the applicants. If there be only one tenderer for any allotment, he shall be entitled to the land at the upset price, notwithstanding that his tender may have been for a higher price.

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

Native Land Court Notices.

"The Native Lands Frauds Prevention Act, 1881," and the Native Lands Frauds Prevention Act 1881 Amendment Acts, 1888 and 1889.

Native Land Court Office,
Wellington, 23rd 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 Saturday, the 31st 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.

TARAWHITI, SECTION 94.

90-72. TRANSFER dated the 17th day of May, 1890, from Pirihiira te Tia to James McManaman.

WAIRENGA No. 8.

90-77. Transfer dated the 10th day of May, 1890, from Hapeta Rangikatukua to N. E. Beamish and others.

PUKEHO No. 5L, SECTION 4A.

90-78. Transfer dated the 10th day of May, 1890, from Hemi Kuti to James McWilliam.

TOTARANUI No. 1, SECTION 11A.

90-79. Transfer dated the 30th day of April, 1890, from Ropata te Ao to Frank Bennett.

MAKARA, SECTION 24.

90-80. Transfer dated the 23rd day of May, 1890, from Harata te Kiore to Peter Trotter.

"The Native Lands Frauds Prevention Act, 1881," and the Native Lands Frauds Prevention Act 1881 Amendment Acts, 1888 and 1889.

Native Land Court Office,
Wellington, 24th 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 Native Land Court Office, Greytown, Wairarapa, on Saturday, the 21st day of June, 1890, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for investigating the cases mentioned in the Schedule hereunder, at which time and place all persons interested in the said cases, and having objections to any of the dealings, are hereby notified to attend.

W. BRIDSON,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

MANOOHAWEA.

90-73. TRANSFER dated the 16th day of May, 1890, from Nomi Potae to Annie Eliza Oates.

TAUMATA, SUBDIVISION 2.

90-74. Transfer dated the 10th day of February, 1890, from Hawea te Naera to Hikawera Mahupuku.

MANOOHAWEA, SUBDIVISION 1.

90-75. Transfer dated the 12th day of September, 1889, from Nomi Potae and others to Joseph Oates.

WHAREKAKA, PART OF.

90-76. Mortgage dated the 15th day of April, 1889, from Wiremu Hutana to the Permanent Investment and Loan Company (Limited), Wairarapa.

"The Native Lands Frauds Prevention Act, 1881," and the Native Lands Frauds Prevention Act 1881 Amendment Acts, 1888 and 1889.

Native Land Court Office,
Whanganui, 27th 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 Native Land Courthouse, at Whanganui, on Monday, the 9th day of June, 1890, for investigating the case mentioned in the Schedule hereunder, at which time and place all persons interested in the said case, and having objections to such dealing, are hereby notified to attend.

ELWIN B. DICKSON,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

TE RIMU.

No. 90-10. Deed of lease dated the 30th day of April, 1890, from Hakarua Korako and Hoani Tumango to George Herbert Monk, of Whanganui, Farmer.

Notice of Sitting of Native Land Court.

Native Land Court Office,
Auckland, 24th May, 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Shortland, Thames, on the 2nd day of July, 1890 to hear and determine the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, in respect of which applications have been received by the

Registrar, and all such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.

EDW. HAMMOND,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Title, whether Crown Grant or otherwise, and Date of Issue.
1	George McDonald, Ngahuia Tawera, and Tukua te Rauroha	Orere and Taupo	Certificate under section 17, Act 1867, 6th December, 1871.
2	Keriata Ngahipi	Piraurahi North No. 1 (Piraurahi No. 1)	Memorial, 14th July, 1877.
3	Kiriata Ngahipi	Te Awa-o-Taikehu No. 2	Crown grant.
4	Rewi Mokena, Kimoimo te Ipu, and Meri Mere-mana	Ohinemuri No. 20	Partition order, 10th September, 1889.
5	Maraea Merepeka	Omahu, Block 29 (Aroha, Block 9, Section 29)	Land Transfer, Vol. 35/9, 27th July, 1882.
6	Erana Rangimawhiti, Tumoki, and Pariraukawa	Wairakau, Section 72, Block 2 (Aroha, Block 12, Section 49, Wairere, Block 2, Section 72)	Land Transfer, Vol. 29/171, 29th November, 1882.
7	Te Rua Whakahoro, Erana Rangimawhiti, Tumoki, and Pariraukawa	Aroha, Block 5, Section 5	Land Transfer, Vol. 29/124, 27th July, 1882.
8	Hohepa Tauhou, Te Waonui, Rangi Huanui, and Kirikau Tutuki	Wairakau Reserve (Aroha, Block 12, Section 49, Wairere, Block 2, Section 72)	Land Transfer, Vol. 29/171, 29th November, 1882.
9	Hohepa Tauhou, Te Waonui, Rangi Huanui, and Kirikau Tutuki	Omahu Reserve (Aroha, Block 5, Section 5)	Land Transfer, Vol. 29/124, 27th July, 1882.
10	Maraea Merepeka	Wairakau ..	
11	Ripeka Wiremu te Pea, Parata te Mapu, and Winiaata Whaiapu	Waokuaka No. 3	
12	Wiremu te Aramoana	Kaiwaha (No. 1 or No. 2)	Partition order, 30th April, 1889.
13	Reihana Poto and Renata Kitahi te Taniwha	Te Kauri No. 1 and No. 2	Crown grant, 4th August, 1870.
14	Reweti Tauwhe-toko	Ngaromaki No. 2	Memorial, 15th December, 1875.
15	Reweti Tauwhe-toko and Wikitoria te Ngahue	Ngaromaki No. 3	Memorial, 15th December, 1875.
16	John Benjamin Russell	Parareka ..	Crown grant, 3rd May, 1869.
17	Mere H. Taipari	Te Hape North No. 1	Crown grant, 20th February, 1874.
18	Aperahama Pokai and others	Paratahe Orere	
19	Riripeti Takutai and Hoane Nahe	Makomako ..	Certificate, 1880, 29th June, 1885.
20	Tirihana Utuku, Panikena Utuku, Rena Utuku, and others	Rurunui (C?) ..	Crown grant, 28th June, 1870.
21	Wikitoria te Ngahue and Ngahuia Ngakaho	Te Kari ..	Crown grant, 3rd May, 1869.
22	Wikitoria te Ngahue, Hoani Kipa, and Karauna Poono	Ngaromaki No. 1 (Ngaromaki)	Memorial, 9th June, 1877.
23	Hera Tuhirae and others	Omahu West No. 2B	Partition order, 29th March, 1889.
24	Mereana Waata Kiwara, Reihana Poto, Kapihana te Tuhi, and Hoani Nahe	Tawhitowhenua, 35 acres, No. 1	Partition order, 15th May, 1889.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Title, whether Crown Grant or otherwise, and Date of Issue.
25	Annie Cook and Henryet Cook	Hikutaiia No. 1	Partition order, 18th August, 1885.
26	Hera Puna and Tamihana Pumiipi	Te Pure ..	Certificate, 1880, 31st July, 1885.
27	Eru Maihi ..	Tawhitirahi No. 2	Crown grant, 8th January, 1870.
28	Mere H. Taipari	Karaka South No. 1	Crown grant.
29	Tupeka te Whakamau	Waihi No. 4, 15 acres	Crown grant, 1st September, 1879.
30	Rawiri te Wakaiti, Hikori Rawiri, Tamaiwhiua Rawiri, Perepetua Rawiri	Wairakau, Aroha, Block 12, Section 31	Land Transfer, Vol. 21/173, 4th July, 1884.

OTHER BUSINESS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
1	Under - Secretary for Public Works	Omahu West No. 2A (2899A), 3 acres and 16 perches Omahu West No. 2B (2899B), 1 acre 3 roods 14 perches	Applying that Court ascertain amount of compensation to be paid to owners of land taken for ballast-quarry at Omahu.
2	Hon. the Native Minister	Kopuatai No. 4	Applying that Crown interest be ascertained and defined.
3	Hon. the Native Minister	Hikutaiia No. 4	Applying that Crown interest be ascertained and defined.
4	Hunia te Weu ..	Aroha, Block 5, Section 17	Applying for removal of restrictions.
5	Piahana Kau ..	Aroha, Block 9, Section 28	Applying for removal of restrictions.
6	Wiremu te Huia	Aroha, Block 5, Section 10	Applying for removal of restrictions.
7	Hone Mahia, Mere Kainamu, Hori Ngakapa Whanaunga, Tukukino, Joseph Kennedy, Harata Taiporutu, Harata Noki, Wiremu Taiporutu	Wangamata No. 2	Applying for removal of restrictions.
8	Hohepa Mataitaua	Kuaotunu No. 1D	Applying, under section 13 of "The Native Land Court Acts Amendment Act, 1889," for an inquiry into the matters alleged in such application with reference to certain alleged errors or omissions in the decision or orders of the Court.

Notice of Sitting of Native Land Court.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Woodville, on the 12th day of June, 1890, to hear and determine the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, in respect of which applications have been received by the Registrar, and all such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.

Dated this 26th day of May, 1890.

W. BRIDSON,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

PARTITION.

No.	Applicant.	Name of Land.	Title and Date of Issue.
1	Ereni te Aweawe and others	Mangatainoka K No. 2	Land Transfer certificate of title, dated 30th October, 1888.
2	Huru te Hiaro ..	Mangatainoka J No. 3	Ditto.
3	Nireaha Tamaki, Huru te Hiaro	Mangatainoka 1BC No. 2	Land Transfer certificate of title, dated 2nd May, 1888.
4	Huhana Panga..	Mangatainoka No. 2	
5	Manahi Paewai, Wirihana Kaimokopuna, Paea Whakarongo, Hori Herehere, Atenata Wharekiri, Rora Wharekiri, Hoera te Pakake, Wirihana Kerementa, Paranihia te Ngarara, Urania, Erata Ketunga, Wirihana te Whareraupo	Mangatainoka 1A No. 1	Land Transfer certificate of title, dated 3rd April, 1888.

Sitting of the Native Land Court.

Native Land Court Office,

Auckland, 22nd May, 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Opatiki on the 2nd day of July, 1890, for the appointment of one or more persons who may administer the estate on behalf of those entitled to succeed in the personal estate of the deceased persons named in the Schedule hereto, in accordance with section 9 of "The Native Land Court Acts Amendment Act, 1889."

Edw. HAMMOND,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

No.	Names of Deceased.	Personal Estate.
1	Amiria	Money, £31 16s. 11d.
2	Kawerio Wharetotara ..	Four horses.
3	Mihaere Tamatamaarangi ..	Money, £174.
4	Heremaia Nuku	Personal estate.
5	Te Tawhiro te Oke	Personal estate.
6	Wiremu Kingi	Money, £58.

Traffic Returns.

NEW ZEALAND RAILWAYS.—Traffic Returns for the period from the 1st to the 26th April, 1890 (26 days), and for the corresponding period, 1889 (27 days).

KAWAKAWA SECTION.

	1890.			1889.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	41	20	61	71	86	157
2nd Class	120	248	368	158	248	406
Total	161	268	429	229	334	563
Season Tickets	..	..	0	..	..	0
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	1	..	..	19
Horses	..	..	1	..	..	..
Carriages	..	..	1	..	..	..
Dogs	..	..	3	..	..	5
Total	..	..	6	..	..	24
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays	..	..	..	..	..	1
Cattle	..	..	..	..	..	..
Calves	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sheep	..	..	87	..	..	146
Pigs	..	..	12	..	..	19
Total	..	..	99	..	..	166
Chaff, &c.	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wool	..	..	..	..	..	..
Firewood	..	..	..	..	..	..
Timber	..	..	6	..	..	5
Grain	..	..	..	..	..	..
Merchandise	..	..	122	..	..	152
Minerals	..	..	1,653	..	..	1,955
Total	..	..	1,781	..	..	2,112
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	..	..	17 13 3	..	..	26 12 9
Parcels and Luggage	..	..	1 2 6	..	..	0 16 9
Goods	..	..	234 1 4	..	..	276 13 11
Miscellaneous	..	..	14 14 4	..	..	.. ..
Rents and Commission	..	..	3 16 7	..	..	3 11 9
Total	..	..	£271 8 0	..	..	£307 15 2

WHANGAREI SECTION.

	1890.			1889.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	145	..	145	207	..	207
2nd Class	523	..	523	473	..	473
Total	668	..	668	680	..	680
Season Tickets	..	..	0	..	..	0
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	..	..	..	..
Horses	..	..	..	..	..	..
Carriages	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dogs	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	..	..	..	..	..	..
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays	..	..	1	..	..	1
Cattle	..	..	11	..	..	7
Calves	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sheep	..	..	6	..	..	..
Pigs	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	..	..	18	..	..	8
Chaff, &c.	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wool	..	..	..	..	..	..
Firewood	..	..	..	..	..	..
Timber	..	..	4	..	..	18
Grain	..	..	..	..	..	..
Merchandise	..	..	194	..	..	250
Minerals	..	..	900	..	..	1,106
Total	..	..	1,098	..	..	1,974
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	..	..	18 10 3	..	..	19 11 9
Parcels and Luggage	..	..	.. ..	..	..	.. ..
Goods	..	..	129 14 1	..	..	160 9 10
Miscellaneous	..	..	2 17 6	..	..	.. ..
Rents and Commission	..	..	2 10 7	..	..	6 7 0
Total	..	..	£153 12 5	..	..	£186 8 7

AUCKLAND SECTION.

	1890.			1889.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	1,627	2,584	4,211	1,881	3,076	4,957
2nd Class	9,315	16,220	25,535	9,415	17,838	27,253
Total	10,942	18,804	29,746	11,296	20,914	32,210
Season Tickets	..	..	142	..	..	127
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	2,864	..	..	3,115
Horses	..	..	73	..	..	68
Carriages	..	..	3	..	..	7
Dogs	..	..	158	..	..	177
Total	..	..	3,098	..	..	3,367
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays	..	..	3	..	..	4
Cattle	..	..	693	..	..	743
Calves	..	..	112	..	..	1
Sheep	..	..	4,908	..	..	3,002
Pigs	..	..	358	..	..	294
Total	..	..	6,074	..	..	4,044
Chaff, &c.	..	..	315	..	..	240
Wool	..	..	1	..	..	1
Firewood	..	..	204	..	..	360
Timber	..	..	512	..	..	595
Grain	..	..	1,553	..	..	1,533
Merchandise	..	..	2,280	..	..	2,174
Minerals	..	..	5,481	..	..	4,651
Total	..	..	10,346	..	..	9,554
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	..	..	3,331 15 3	..	..	3,984 11 1
Parcels and Luggage	..	..	302 16 0	..	..	900 12 9
Goods	..	..	4,878 4 5	..	..	4,480 1 3
Miscellaneous	..	..	13 19 1	..	..	15 12 5
Rents and Commission	..	..	178 3 9	..	..	109 16 8
Total	..	..	£8,704 18 6	..	..	£8,290 14 2

NAPIER SECTION.

	1890.			1889.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	1,161	2,988	4,149	1,401	2,668	4,069
2nd Class	4,364	8,634	12,998	4,821	8,006	12,827
Total	5,525	11,622	17,147	6,222	10,674	16,896
Season Tickets	..	..	153	..	..	138
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	1,673	..	..	1,632
Horses	..	..	84	..	..	84
Carriages	..	..	4	..	..	1
Dogs	..	..	127	..	..	165
Total	..	..	1,888	..	..	1,882
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays	..	..	6	..	..	5
Cattle	..	..	2	..	..	26
Calves	..	..	..	..	..	21
Sheep	..	..	5,042	..	..	2,481
Pigs	..	..	300	..	..	77
Total	..	..	5,350	..	..	2,610
Chaff, &c.	..	..	15	..	..	25
Wool	..	..	69	..	..	102
Firewood	..	..	2,088	..	..	1,975
Timber	..	..	1,163	..	..	1,644
Grain	..	..	857	..	..	454
Merchandise	..	..	1,450	..	..	1,733
Minerals	..	..	552	..	..	802
Total	..	..	6,194	..	..	6,735
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	..	..	2,036 16 2	..	..	2,053 11 11
Parcels and Luggage	..	..	197 2 1	..	..	170 15 1
Goods	..	..	2,798 14 4	..	..	3,025 7 8
Miscellaneous	..	..	61 18 8	..	..	15 14 8
Rents and Commission	..	..	54 18 8	..	..	43 5 5
Total	..	..	£5,149 9 11	..	..	£5,308 14 9

WELLINGTON SECTION.

1890.			1889.					
PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.		
1st Class	1,122	4,248	5,370	1,101	3,620	4,721		
2nd Class	4,917	16,190	21,107	5,128	15,392	20,520		
Total	6,039	20,438	26,477	6,229	19,012	25,241		
Season Tickets	138	..	..	114		
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.	No.				
Parcels	2,844	2,908				
Horses	40	30				
Carriages	7	6				
Dogs	238	214				
Total	3,129	3,158				
GOODS,—			No.	No.				
Drays	1	6				
Cattle	183	119				
Calves	30	18				
Sheep	19,311	15,228				
Pigs	377	109				
Total	20,402	15,480				
Chaff, &c.			Tons.	Tons.				
Chaff, &c.	80	95				
Wool	414	208				
Firewood	456	420				
Timber	1,413	1,578				
Grain	323	398				
Merchandise	3,666	1,485				
Minerals	998	460				
Total	7,350	4,644				
REVENUE,—			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers	2,354	6	10	2,339	5	1
Parcels and Luggage	258	11	4	237	10	5
Goods	3,134	13	8	2,787	1	0
Miscellaneous	71	9	0	10	6	8
Rents and Commission	243	10	3	76	14	9
Total	£6,062	11	1	£5,450	17	11

WANGANUI SECTION.

1890.			1889.					
PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.		
1st Class	2,071	2,114	4,185	1,885	2,060	3,945		
2nd Class	9,229	10,318	19,547	8,592	9,644	18,236		
Total	11,300	12,432	23,732	10,477	11,704	22,181		
Season Tickets	34	..	..	35		
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.	No.				
Parcels	2,269	2,480				
Horses	103	104				
Carriages	3	11				
Dogs	260	229				
Total	2,635	2,824				
GOODS,—			No.	No.				
Drays	5	4				
Cattle	451	245				
Calves	11	19				
Sheep	21,408	4,801				
Pigs	582	757				
Total	22,457	5,826				
Chaff, &c.			Tons.	Tons.				
Chaff, &c.	45	85				
Wool	22	31				
Firewood	540	685				
Timber	1,222	1,274				
Grain	1,367	1,045				
Merchandise	2,110	2,899				
Minerals	411	516				
Total	5,717	6,535				
REVENUE,—			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers	3,272	12	2	3,071	13	7
Parcels and Luggage	262	15	8	280	19	8
Goods	2,950	7	3	2,655	10	4
Miscellaneous	272	12	8	168	11	6
Rents and Commission	111	4	2	59	19	0
Total	£6,869	11	11	£6,236	14	1

HURUNUI-BLUFF SECTION.

1890.			1889.					
PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.		
1st Class	9,116	32,846	41,962	9,522	28,692	38,214		
2nd Class	36,703	100,158	136,861	37,448	91,386	128,834		
Total	45,819	133,004	178,823	46,970	120,078	167,048		
Season Tickets	1,019	..	..	1,088		
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.	No.				
Parcels	16,814	17,251				
Horses	433	425				
Carriages	49	37				
Dogs	1,280	1,302				
Total	18,576	19,015				
GOODS,—			No.	No.				
Drays	25	25				
Cattle	888	739				
Calves	11	31				
Sheep	50,366	36,333				
Pigs	4,884	3,479				
Total	56,174	40,607				
Chaff, &c.			Tons.	Tons.				
Chaff, &c.	1,250	2,045				
Wool	3,559	2,284				
Firewood	1,734	1,580				
Timber	5,772	6,241				
Grain	71,522	67,850				
Merchandise	18,956	18,110				
Minerals	23,750	22,709				
Total	126,543	120,819				
REVENUE,—			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers	20,926	9	9	17,775	16	3
Parcels and Luggage	1,955	18	3	1,703	2	10
Goods	43,928	18	5	40,829	8	9
Miscellaneous	971	19	10	776	6	10
Rents and Commission	1,283	8	0	1,083	13	3
Total	£69,066	14	3	£62,168	7	11

GREYMOOUTH SECTION.

1890.			1889.					
PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.		
1st Class	202	610	812	51	360	411		
2nd Class	1,207	4,172	5,379	435	3,642	4,077		
Total	1,409	4,782	6,191	486	4,002	4,488		
Season Tickets	40	..	..	33		
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.	No.				
Parcels	271	102				
Horses				
Carriages				
Dogs	45	11				
Total	316	113				
GOODS,—			No.	No.				
Drays				
Cattle				
Calves				
Sheep	85	..				
Pigs	17	19				
Total	102	19				
Chaff, &c.			Tons.	Tons.				
Chaff, &c.	10	..				
Wool				
Firewood	42	..				
Timber	93	91				
Grain	34	..				
Merchandise	1,536	214				
Minerals	12,399	8,748				
Total	14,114	9,053				
REVENUE,—			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers	291	18	4	207	11	0
Parcels and Luggage	14	12	10	6	14	7
Goods	2,008	16	3	1,188	4	1
Miscellaneous	77	14	5	15	18	7
Rents and Commission	12	5	0	7	12	3
Total	2,405	6	10	1,426	0	6

WESTPORT SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1890.			1889.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	1	18	19	..	..	..
2nd Class	576	2,596	3,172	928	1,784	2,712
Total	577	2,614	3,191	928	1,784	2,712

Season Tickets 32 0

PARCELS, ETC.,—	No.	No.
Parcels	300	279
Horses .. ..	..	..
Carriages .. ..	..	..
Dogs	7	9
Total	307	288

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

	Tons.	Tons.
Chaff, &c. .. ..	..	..
Wool .. ..	..	..
Firewood	114	75
Timber	422	316
Grain .. ..	..	..
Merchandise	150	229
Minerals	14,753	10,945
Total	15,439	11,565

REVENUE,—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers	189	16	8	199	3	2
Parcels and Luggage	14	7	7	11	5	7
Goods	2,057	10	4	1,619	2	2
Miscellaneous	58	17	7	235	12	6
Rents and Commission	19	0	0	22	15	0
Total	£2,339	12	2	£2,087	18	5

NELSON SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1890.			1889.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	84	108	192	140	1,170	1,310
2nd Class	1,429	2,368	3,797	2,190	8,404	10,594
Total	1,513	2,476	3,989	2,330	9,574	11,904

Season Tickets 35 30

PARCELS, ETC.,—	No.	No.
Parcels	295	308
Horses .. ..	..	..
Carriages	1	..
Dogs	5	5
Total	301	313

GOODS,—	No.	No.
Drays	3
Cattle
Calves
Sheep	14
Pigs
Total	17

NELSON SECTION—continued.

	1890.	1889.
	Tons.	Tons.
Chaff, &c.	75	90
Wool	9	2
Firewood	228	185
Timber	47	102
Grain	396	441
Merchandise	191	252
Minerals	290	174
Total	1,236	1,246

REVENUE,—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers	289	5	3	588	18	6
Parcels and Luggage	10	13	5	10	12	10
Goods	384	16	11	470	13	5
Miscellaneous	15	16	3	18	15	8
Rents and Commission	9	5	0	9	5	0
Total	£709	16	10	£1,098	5	5

PICTON SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1890.			1889.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	165	394	559	218	538	756
2nd Class	461	2,112	2,573	593	2,450	3,043
Total	626	2,506	3,132	811	2,988	3,799

Season Tickets 30 42

PARCELS, ETC.,—	No.	No.
Parcels	109	107
Horses	6	..
Carriages .. ..	..	..
Dogs	12	22
Total	127	129

GOODS,—	No.	No.
Drays .. ..	..	..
Cattle .. ..	..	1
Calves .. ..	..	..
Sheep .. ..	..	..
Pigs	1	32
Total	4	33

	Tons.	Tons.
Chaff, &c.	10	15
Wool	54	4
Firewood	360	380
Timber	1	8
Grain	646	231
Merchandise	206	156
Minerals	364	321
Total	1,641	1,115

REVENUE,—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers	211	0	8	242	15	4
Parcels and Luggage	6	5	1	4	16	7
Goods	403	3	3	262	1	3
Miscellaneous	14	5	10	4	2	6
Rents and Commission	25	15	8	46	0	8
Total	£660	10	6	£559	16	..

A. C. FIFE,
Accountant, New Zealand Railways.

Railway Department, 27th May, 1890.

N.Z.R.—FINANCIAL YEAR 1890-91.

RAILWAY WORKING ACCOUNT, showing the Revenue and Expenditure to the Termination of the Four-weekly Period ending 26th April, 1890.

Section.	Miles open for Traffic.	REVENUE.		EXPENDITURE.		FOR A TWELVE-MONTHLY PERIOD, AVERAGE TO DATE.		
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Per Cent. of Revenue.	Revenue per Mile of Railway.	Expenditure per Mile of Railway.
NORTH ISLAND,—								
Kawakawa ..	8	£ 271 8 0	£ 271 8 0	£ 257 7 8	£ 257 7 8	94·84	£ 441 0 6	£ 418 5 0
Whangarei ..	7	153 12 5	153 12 5	152 4 4	152 4 4	99·09	285 5 10	282 13 9
Auckland ..	265	8,704 18 6	8,704 18 6	5,353 6 0	5,353 6 0	61·50	427 0 8	262 12 3
Napier ..	97	5,149 9 11	5,149 9 11	2,555 19 0	2,555 19 0	49·63	690 2 9	342 11 0
Wellington ..	91	6,062 11 1	6,062 11 1	3,357 6 1	3,357 6 1	55·38	866 1 7	479 12 3
Wanganui ..	215	6,869 11 11	6,869 11 11	4,575 10 2	4,575 10 2	66·61	415 7 5	276 13 2
Total ..	683	27,211 11 10	27,211 11 10	16,251 13 3	16,251 13 3	59·72		
MIDDLE ISLAND,—								
Hurunui-Bluff ..	1,069	69,066 14 3	69,066 14 3	33,340 0 1	33,340 0 1	48·27	839 18 3	405 8 10
Greymouth ..	8	2,405 6 10	2,405 6 10	987 10 1	987 10 1	41·05	3,908 13 7	1,604 13 10
Westport ..	20	2,339 12 2	2,339 12 2	1,423 13 6	1,423 13 6	60·85	1,520 15 0	925 7 9
Nelson ..	23	709 16 10	709 16 10	678 4 0	678 4 0	95·54	401 4 4	383 6 7
Picton ..	18	660 10 6	660 10 6	405 17 4	405 17 4	61·45	477 1 0	293 2 7
Total..	1,138	75,182 0 7	75,182 0 7	36,835 5 0	36,835 5 0	48·99		
Grand total ..	1,821	102,393 12 5	102,393 12 5	53,086 18 3	53,086 18 3	51·85		

CORRESPONDING PERIOD LAST YEAR.

NORTH ISLAND,—								
Kawakawa ..	8	£ 307 15 2	£ 307 15 2	£ 224 4 6	£ 224 4 6	72·86	£ 500 2 2	£ 364 7 4
Whangarei ..	7	186 8 7	186 8 7	229 7 7	229 7 7	123·04	346 4 7	425 19 10
Auckland ..	249	8,290 14 2	8,290 14 2	5,440 8 8	5,440 8 8	65·62	432 17 0	284 0 9
Napier ..	97	5,308 14 9	5,308 14 9	2,484 0 8	2,484 0 8	46·79	711 9 7	332 18 2
Wellington ..	85	5,450 17 11	5,450 17 11	3,325 12 6	3,325 12 6	61·01	833 13 4	508 12 7
Wanganui ..	215	6,236 14 1	6,236 14 1	4,080 5 10	4,080 5 10	65·42	377 2 0	246 14 4
Total ..	661	25,781 4 8	25,781 4 8	15,783 19 9	15,783 19 9	61·22		
MIDDLE ISLAND,—								
Hurunui-Bluff ..	1,048	62,168 7 11	62,168 7 11	29,989 13 5	29,989 13 5	48·24	771 3 5	372 0 2
Greymouth ..	8	1,426 0 6	1,426 0 6	838 3 1	838 3 1	58·78	2,317 5 10	1,362 0 0
Westport ..	19	2,087 18 5	2,087 18 5	973 19 1	973 19 1	46·65	1,423 11 7	666 7 9
Nelson ..	23	1,098 5 5	1,098 5 5	578 15 5	578 15 5	52·70	620 15 2	327 2 7
Picton ..	18	559 16 4	559 16 4	397 1 9	397 1 9	70·93	404 6 2	286 15 9
Total ..	1,116	67,340 8 7	67,340 8 7	32,777 12 9	32,777 12 9	48·67		
Grand total..	1,777	93,121 13 3	93,121 13 3	48,561 12 6	48,561 12 6	52·15		

Railway Department, 27th May, 1890.

A. C. FIFE,
Accountant, New Zealand Railways.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of TRAFFIC ON ALL SECTIONS, from 1st April, 1890, to 26th April, 1890.

All Sections.	Passengers.					Season Tickets.	Number.					Number.					
	First Class.		Second Class.		Total.		Parcels.	Horses.	Carriages.	Dogs.	Total.	Drays, &c.	Cattle.	Calves.	Sheep.	Pigs.	Total.
	S.	R.	S.	R.	Total.												
1890	15,735	45,930	68,844	163,016	293,525	1,623	27,440	740	68	2,135	30,383	41	2,228	164,101	713	6,534	110,680
1889	16,477	42,270	70,181	158,794	287,722	1,607	28,201	711	62	2,139	31,113	49	1,880	90,620	005	4,786	68,810
Inc.	..	3,660	..	4,222	5,803	16	..	29	6	..	..	..	348	74	39,708	1,748	41,870
Dec.	742	..	1,337	..	..	..	761	..	..	4	730	8	..	..	..	..	..

All Sections.	Tons.															
	Chaff, &c.		Wool.		Firewood.		Timber.		Grain.		Merchandise.		Minerals.		Total.	
	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.
1890 ..	1,800	0 0	4,129	0 0	5,766	0 0	10,655	4 0	76,696	13 0	30,862	9 0	61,551	0 0	191,460	6 0
1889 ..	2,595	0 0	2,631	12 0	5,660	0 0	11,873	8 0	71,951	18 0	27,652	7 0	52,387	16 0	174,752	1 0
Increase	..	..	1,497	8 0	106	0 0	..	..	4,744	15 0	3,210	2 0	9,163	4 0	16,708	5 0
Decrease	795	0 0	..	..	..	..	1,218	4 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

ESTIMATED COST of CONSTRUCTION of ALL LINES to 31st March, 1890, including Public Works Loan Expenditure on Harbour Works forming Part of the Railway System.

Section.	Gross Cost of Opened and Unopened Lines.		Cost of Opened Lines.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Kawakawa	90,235	0 0	90,235	0 0
Whangarei-Kamo	70,095	0 0	70,095	0 0
Auckland	1,855,001	0 0	1,722,971	0 0
Main Trunk Line, North Island	332,083	0 0	287,583	0 0
Napier	789,554	0 0	656,164	0 0
Wellington	1,065,554	0 0	1,051,054	0 0
Wanganui	1,408,900	0 0	1,408,900	0 0
Wellington-Manawatu	41,898	0 0	..	..
Surveys, North Island	27,206	0 0	..	..
Miscellaneous	5,169	0 0	..	..
Hurunui-Bluff	8,236,601	0 0	7,947,618	0 0
Greymouth	216,178	0 0	200,219	0 0
Greymouth-Hokitika	99,784	0 0	..	..
Grey Harbour Works	127,234	0 0	..	..
Westport	226,415	0 0	226,415	0 0
Westport Harbour Works	14,111	0 0	..	..
Nelson	177,948	0 0	165,448	0 0
Picton	231,601	0 0	199,033	0 0
Surveys, Middle Island	37,600	0 0	..	..
Miscellaneous	5,168	0 0	..	..
Stock	106,423	0 0	25,000	0 0
Total	15,164,758	0 0	14,050,735	0 0

Railway Department, 27th May, 1890.

A. C. FIFE,
Accountant, New Zealand Railways.

Population of the Colony.

RETURN of the Estimated Population (inclusive and exclusive of Maoris) of the Colony of New Zealand on the 31st March, 1890.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Estimated population (exclusive of Maoris) on 31st December, 1889 ..	331,771	288,508	620,279
Increase during the March Quarter, 1890,—			
By excess of births over deaths ..	1,485	1,611	3,096
Deduct excess of departures over arrivals ..	—299	—190	—489
	1,186	1,421	2,607
Estimated population (exclusive of Maoris) on 31st March, 1890 ..	332,957	289,929	622,886
Maori population, Census, March, 1886* ..	22,840	19,129	41,969
Total estimated population on 31st March, 1890 ..	355,797	309,058	664,855

* No more recent information is obtainable, as births and deaths of Maoris are not recorded.

NOTE.—The estimated populations (exclusive of aborigines) of the Australian Colonies on the 31st December, 1889, were as under:—

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Queensland	235,607	171,051	406,658
New South Wales	618,300	503,900	1,122,200
Victoria	593,798	524,230	1,118,028
South Australia	163,277	155,889	319,166
Western Australia	25,066	18,632	43,698
Tasmania	80,811	70,661	151,472

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 23rd May, 1890.

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

Land Transfer Act Notices.

APPLICATION having been made to me to register a re-entry by the Lessor, under Lease No. 1538, over Section 854, City of Christchurch, being the land included in certificate of title, Vol. lix., folio 23, of which ALEXANDER DUNBAR is the registered Lessee, I hereby give notice that I will register such re-entry at the expiration of one calendar month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 21st day of May, 1890, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

J. M. BATHAM,
District Land Registrar.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1885," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 30th day of June, 1890.

2058. ALEXANDER McCULLOCH.—1,190 acres, part of Section 96 and the whole of Sections 100, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109A, and 206, Upper Hutt District. In occupation of Applicant.

2078. JAMES WALLACE.—Part of Sections 496 and 497, City of Wellington (Bolton Street). In occupation of Applicant.

2084. THOMAS TREMEWAN.—117 acres 2 roods 9 perches, parts of Sections 54 and 55, Porirua District. Now or late in occupation of R. Woodman.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 28th day of May, 1890, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

GEO. B. DAVY,
District Land Registrar.

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Mining Notices.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CONSTRUCT A WATER-RACE.

Hindon, 14th May, 1890.

To the Warden at Dunedin.

I HEREBY give notice that I intend to construct a Water-race to divert and use water for mining purposes, commencing at a point in Machine Creek, in Section 14, Block III., Mount Hyde, and terminating at machine-site, in the mining reserve, as marked on sketch.

The length of such race is 264 chains or thereabouts, and its intended course is—starting in Machine Creek, in Section 14, Block III., passing through Sections 15, 25, 27, 28, 29, and 30, terminating at machine-site, in Section 21, Block IV., as marked in the attached plan.

The mean depth of such race is 12in., and the mean breadth is 12in., and it is proposed to divert one Government-head of water.

Cost of construction, £158; time required for construction, three months.

Number and date of miner's right: 44471, 14th May, 1890.

MATHEW BEGG,
Applicant, Manor Place, Dunedin.

Any person objecting to the granting of this application must lodge his objection in writing at the Warden's Office, at Dunedin, within fourteen clear days from the date hereof. Hearing at 10.30 o'clock a.m. on the 6th June, 1890.

WM. E. SESSIONS,
Pro Warden. 271

Warden's Office,
Dunedin, 14th May, 1890.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CONSTRUCT A WATER-RACE.

Dunstan, Roxburgh, 20th May, 1890.

To the Warden at Roxburgh.

WE hereby give notice that we intend to shift the head of the Perseverance Water-race from its present site to a point about 50 chains above the Hercules Race, to divert and use water for mining purposes, commencing at a point above stated and terminating at the applicant's claim, Hercules Flat.

The length of such race is three and a half miles (one and a half miles in open race and one mile in pipes) or thereabouts, and its intended course is south-west through Block VI., Teviot, to where it crosses the saddle; thence to termination through Sections 3 and 2, Block VII., to applicants' claim, Hercules Flat.

The mean depth of such race is 2ft., and the mean breadth is 3ft., and it is proposed to shift twelve Government-heads of water.

Cost of construction, £4,000; time required for construction, six months.

Number and date of miner's right: 40999, 20th May, 1890.

THE HERCULES No. 2 GOLD-MINING
COMPANY, Applicants.

JABEZ BURTON, Agent.

Any person objecting to the granting of this application must lodge his objection in writing at the Warden's Office, at Roxburgh, within fourteen clear days from the date hereof.

Hearing at 10 o'clock on the 10th June, 1890.

W. POOL,
Pro Warden. 289

Warden's Office,
Roxburgh, 20th May, 1890.

Private Advertisements.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that I, Charles Seymour, of Whangara, in the District of Poverty Bay, in the Provincial District of Auckland, New Zealand, Gentleman, claiming to have purchased or acquired the interests of Rawiri Maki, Hori Peita, Hiria Punua, Pipi Aokai, Pipi Aokai as successor of Paratene Tototahi, Pipi Aokai as successor of Paora Hokotaro, Henare Pei as successor of Pera Puhipuhi, Romari Puhipuhi as successor of Pera Puhipuhi, Rawiri Karaka, Rawiri Karaka as successor of Torotia Kanapa, Pera Whakatete, Tiopira Kaitara, Taopoaka, Hoani Pohipi, Aperahama or Pera Whakatete as successor of Epeniha Whakatete, Pera Whakatete as successor to Marara te Rama, Heni Rakai as successor to Karanama Teko or Keka, Teopira Potanga or Karaka as successor to Torotia Kanapa, Hemi Tawhitawhi, Ramari Pukehuia, Henare Pei, Heni Hinaki, Miriama te Ahipare, Rahera te Kakahu, Hare Nahonaho, Eruera Taruke, Heta Maungaungu, Nikarima te Patu, Taraipine Taiki, Epiha Parau as successor of Raniera Kawheke or Kauheke, Hani Keiroiroi, Ruta Hape, Akeniha Wheku, Raihania Karaka, Enoka Whakatete as successor of Epeniha Whakatete, Enoka Korou or Whakatete as successor of Marara te Rama, Enoka Karora, Wi Wharekino, Maehe Akurangi, Rapata Taita, Karauria Huatai as successor of Paora Kahekahe, Tamati te Ota, Heni Mohi, Apiata te Hame or Parehuia as successor to Natanahira Porete, Mere Karaka Hinewaka, Te Hape Kutia as successor of Karaitiana Hapi or Poki, Rawiri Karaha as successor to Mihaka Ngahue, Arapeta or Peta Rangiuia as successor to Mehaka Ngahue, Hoani Hiratehe, Ruihi Mautatua as successor to Hare Wahie, Hunia Kehukehu as successor to Hare Wahie, Tamati Pikikahu, Emere Tuatara, Emere Ngahue as successor to Mihaka Ngahue, Hoani Piwaka, Mere Karaka as successor of Rahera Rukupo, Raihania Rangi as successor of Tamihana Paku the successor of Katerina Mana, and of Kereama Piwaka as successor to Kerihona Piwaka, in the parcel of land near Turanga, in the District of Poverty Bay, in the Provincial District of Auckland, and known as the Whangara Block, have, on the 15th day of May, 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 in 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 Clerks of the Resident Magistrate's Court at Gisborne and Tolaga Bay respectively, 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 in 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. Finn and Crisp, Solicitors, situate in the Union Bank Buildings, Gladstone Road, Gisborne.

Dated this 20th day of May, 1890.

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CHAS. SEYMOUR.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto existing between DAVID BUICK, of Palmerston North, Settler, GEORGE DAVISON, of Karere and County of Oroua, Settler, and JOSEPH LIGGINS, of Longburn, in the same County, Dairyman, trading together, as Butter, Cheese, and Bacon Manufacturers, as "Buick and Company," at Longburn aforesaid, has expired by effluxion of time.

All persons having any claim against the late firm are hereby requested to forward particulars thereof to the said Joseph Liggins, who is authorised on behalf of the late firm to pay and discharge all the liabilities thereof, and to receive all debts due thereto.

As witness our hands, this 15th day of May, 1890.

D. BUICK.

G. DAVISON,

JOSEPH LIGGINS.

Witness—Walter Rutherford, Managing Clerk to J. Herbert Hankins, Solicitor, Palmerston North.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership lately subsisting between the undersigned, JOHN JAMES KRUSE, JOHN FREDERICK WILLIAM DE RIDDER, and GEORGE CHARLES COLEY, in the business of Flax-dressers, at the Star Hemp-mill, on the Oroua Downs Estate, in the County of Manawatu, under the firm of "Kruse, De Ridder, and Co.," has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, as from the 25th day of April, 1890.

The said George Charles Coley will for the future carry on the business on his own account, and will receive all debts due to, and pay all debts owing by, the said late firm.

As witness our hands, this 15th day of May, 1890.

JOHN JAMES KRUSE.

JOHN FREDERICK WILLIAM DE RIDDER.

GEORGE CHARLES COLEY.

Witness to the signatures of John James Kruse, John Frederick William de Ridder, and George Charles Coley—
J. T. Ray, Solicitor, Foxton.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between the undersigned WILLIAM ALEXANDER McLAREN and RONALD MACINTOSH MACDONALD as Contractors, has been this day dissolved. All debts due to the partnership will be collected by the said W. A. McLaren, who is empowered to discharge the same.

Dated this 18th day of April, 1890.

R. M. MACDONALD.

WILLIAM A. McLAREN.

Witness—W. M. Lewis, Solicitor, Christchurch.

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In the matter of "The Foreign Companies Act, 1884," and of the New Zealand Mining Proprietary Company (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given that the office or place of business of the above-named company in New Zealand, where legal proceedings of any kind may be served, and to which notices of any kind may be addressed or given, is at the office of Mr. JOHN BROWN, Attorney for the said company, in the buildings of the Auckland Furniture Company, Wellesley Street East, in the City of Auckland.

Dated at Auckland, this 19th day of May, 1890.

JOHN BROWN,

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Attorney for the said company.

In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1882," and the Acts amending the same, and in the matter of the New Zealand Brick, Tile, and Pottery Company (Limited), in liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given that the said New Zealand Brick, Tile, and Pottery Company (Limited) has passed a special resolution, under sections 86 and 189 of the said Acts requiring the said company to be wound up voluntarily. And, further, that the said resolution was first adopted and passed at a general meeting of the shareholders of the said company, held at its office, 194, Tuam Street, Christchurch, on the 21st day of March, 1890, and that the same was confirmed and adopted at a subsequent general meeting of the shareholders of the said company, held at its office on the 8th day of April, 1890; and, further, that the said company, in general meeting, has duly appointed JOSEPH JEBSON, of Christchurch, Secretary to the said company, and CHARLES RIVER, of the same place, Accountant, to be Liquidators of the said company.

Dated this 8th day of April, 1890.

W. LANGDOWN,

Chairman of the said meetings.

Jos. JEBSON, } Liquidators.

CHAS. RIVER, }

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I, ANDREW ROWAND, Bach. Med. and Mast. Surg. of the University of Edinburgh, resident in Wellington, hereby give notice that it is my intention to apply to the Registrar-General at Wellington, on the 25th day of June, 1890, to have my name placed on the Medical Register; and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification at the office of the Registrar-General for public inspection.

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ANDREW ROWAND.

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