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Bringing Sections 105 to 115 of "The Resident Magistrates Act, 1867," into force in certain Districts.

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

WHEREAS by "The Resident Magistrates Act, 1867," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor from time to time, by Proclamation in the *New Zealand Gazette*, to declare that, from a day to be in such Proclamation fixed, sections one hundred and five to one hundred and fifteen, both inclusive, having special reference to persons of the Native race, or such of those sections as shall be in such Proclamation specified, shall come into operation in such districts of the colony as shall be in such Proclamation specified, and until so proclaimed, and in places not included in any such district, such sections shall not be in force:

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 so vested in me as aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the twelfth day of June instant, sections one hundred and five to one hundred and fifteen, both inclusive, having special reference to persons of the Native race, shall come into operation within the following Resident Magistrates' districts:—

- Bay of Islands District.
- Kaipara District.
- Waikato District.
- Tauranga District.
- Napier and Waipukurau 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 sixth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

W. R. RUSSELL.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land declared open for Sale or Selection 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.—MOTATAU SURVEY DISTRICT.—
COUNTY OF BAY OF ISLANDS.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Price per Acre.		Deferred-payment Price per Acre.		Perpetual-lease Rent per Acre.
			s.	d.	s.	d.	
19*	VIII.	169 3 16	7	6	9	4½	0 4½
22	"	114 2 12	10	0	12	6	0 6
23	"	201 1 27	10	0	12	6	0 6
24	"	180 0 15	7	6	9	4½	0 4½

* Subject to £10 for improvements.

Description of Land: Section 19, about three acres bush, remainder open gum land, containing stockyard and slab dwelling; 22 to 24, open undulating land, fair soil. Section 23 has about eleven acres flax and raupo swamp.

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 tenth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

EDWIN MITCHELSON,
(For the Minister of Lands.)

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land set apart for the Hangaroa Village Settlement, in the Hawke's Bay 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 hundredth 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 tenth day of June, 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 Canterbury Land District for Leasing as Small Grazing Runs 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.

WAIMATE COUNTY.—STATION PEAK RUN.

Section.	Block.	District.	Area.	Total Area.
36117	X.	Hakateramea	Acres. 1,005	Acres. 1,005
36118	X., XI.	"	1,050	1,050
36119	XI.	"	1,480	3,180
36121	XV.	"	1,700	
36120	XI.	"	1,695	1,695
36122	XIV.	"	1,815	3,725
36123	XV.	"	1,910	
36205	XV., XVI.	"	2,840	2,840
36206	XV.	Hakateramea	3,284	3,284
	II.	Meyer		
36207	XVI.	Hakateramea	3,862	3,862
	II., III.	Meyer		

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 seventh day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

G. F. RICHARDSON,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Validating Application for License.

ONSLOW, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of June, 1890.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section two hundred and twenty-seven of "The Licensing Act, 1881" (herein termed "the said Act"), it is provided that if, through any accidental or unavoidable impediment, misfeasance, or omission, anything required by the said Act to be done is omitted to be done, or is not done within the time fixed, the Governor in Council may take all such measures as may be necessary for removing such impediment or rectifying such misfeasance or omission, and may validate anything which may have been irregularly done in matter of form, so that the intent and purpose of the Act may have effect:

And whereas the meeting of the Licensing Committee for the District of Cambridge was fixed for the sixth day of June instant: And whereas application for a new license to be granted at the said meeting has been made by Arthur Bach, of Cambridge: And whereas it appears that notice of such application has been delivered and affixed as is provided by the said Act, and one publication of such notice has been made twenty-one days prior to the said sixth day of June instant, but such notice was (owing to inadvertence) not published on three consecutive days prior to the commencement of the said twenty-one days, though the said notice was published on three different occasions: And whereas it appears expedient to validate the publication of the said notice in manner hereinafter appearing:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by the said Act, and of all other powers enabling him in this behalf, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby order and declare that the application made by the said Arthur Bach as aforesaid shall not be deemed invalid by reason only that the three advertisements of the said application were not published respectively in such a manner as that the latest of such advertisements appeared twenty-one days prior to the date appointed for the meeting of the Licensing Committee aforesaid.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Fresh Election of Peninsula District Licensing Committee.

ONSLOW, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of June, 1890.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS on or about the twenty-eighth day of March last an inquiry was held, under and in accordance with "The Regulation of Local Elections Act, 1876," before Edgar Hall Carew, Esquire, into the validity of the election of James Beattie, Robert Lee, Archibald McKay, Adam Nichol, and Thomas Robertson, as a Licensing Committee, claiming to have been elected under the provisions of "The Licensing Act, 1881," for the Licensing District of Peninsula: And whereas such inquiry was so held before the said Edgar Hall Carew, Esquire, as Resident Magistrate of the Court nearest to the place at which such election took place, and thereupon, *inter alia*, the said election was declared to be void: And whereas according to law it was the duty of the officer required in that behalf to give certain notice to the Returning Officer, and for such Returning Officer thereupon to proceed to hold a fresh election in lieu of that so declared void as aforesaid: And whereas by accidental omission the necessary acts and proceedings to hold a fresh election have not been done and taken, and it is ex-

pedient that the said omission should be rectified so that "The Licensing Act, 1881," may have effect, and an election of a Licensing Committee for the said district duly held:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by the two hundred and twenty-seventh section of "The Licensing Act, 1881," and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby (to the end that the intent and purpose of the said Act may have effect) order and declare that the said Returning Officer shall forthwith do all such acts and things as may be necessary in accordance with law to hold a new election of members of the Licensing Committee of the said Peninsula District, and that such election shall be held as upon an extraordinary vacancy, and in the like manner as ought to have been done when the original election of the original Licensing Committee was declared void as aforesaid.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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.

Regulation amending Form of Quarterly Attendance Return.

ONSLow, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of June, 1890.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by "The Education Act, 1877," His Excellency the Right Honourable William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, acting with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby make the regulation set forth hereunder, amending the form of quarterly attendance return prescribed by Order in Council bearing date the fifth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven; and, with the like advice and consent, doth declare that this Order in Council shall take effect from the first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

REGULATION.

In the form of return specifying the quarterly attendance of each school the numbers of children of different ages shall be so stated as to show the number attending between five and six years old, the number between six and seven, and so on year by year to the age of fifteen; and the form or table of ages now in use shall be superseded by the form following, viz.:-

Ages.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.
5 years and under	6	..	..
6	7	..	..
7	8	..	..
8	9	..	..
9	10	..	..
10	11	..	..
11	12	..	..
12	13	..	..
13	14	..	..
14	15	..	..
15 years and above	..	..	..
Total as in line VII.			..

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Trustee under Maori Real Estate Management Acts, 1867 and 1877, appointed.

ONSLow, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of June, 1890.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), it is enacted that, if any title to or interest in any hereditaments shall accrue to any Maoris who or any of whom shall be infants, lunatics, or under legal disability, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, if he think fit, to order that such hereditaments, or any part thereof or interest therein, as shall to the Governor in Council be shown to belong to such infant or lunatic or other person under legal disability shall be vested in Trustees, as the Governor in Council shall think fit:

And whereas by "The Maori Real Estate Management Act Amendment Act, 1877," it is provided that, in all cases in which no Trustee of such estate of any infant Maori prior to the passing of the said last recited Act has been appointed, the Governor may appoint such Trustee only on the recommendation of a Judge of the Native Land Court:

And whereas, in pursuance of an order bearing date as contained in the first column of the Schedule hereto, made by the Judge named in the second column thereof, the person named in the third column was recommended to the Governor as Trustee under the said Acts on behalf of the persons named and under the disability described in the fourth column, in respect of the land described or referred to in the fifth column:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by the said Acts, doth hereby order that the interests and shares of the persons under disability named in the Schedule hereto in the block of land referred to therein shall be and remain vested in the person named in the third column thereof as Trustee within the meaning and for the purposes of the said Acts for the said persons respectively during the term or terms of their minority or other disability; the said parcel of land having the area and boundary set forth in the certificate of title affecting the same, and in the record map in the office of the Surveyor-General.

SCHEDULE.

Date of Order.	Judge by whom made.	Trustee hereby appointed.	Names, Sex, and Age of Persons under Disability.	Land in respect of which Trustee is appointed.
1887. June 23	E. W. Puckey	Wiremu Paki	Te Watarauhi te Paki, m., 12 yrs.; Raimapaha te Paki, f., 18 yrs.; Raita te Paki, f., 8 yrs.	Waihoanga, 3A.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Terms and Conditions of Sale or Selection of the Hangarōa Village-settlement and Small-farm Allotments, in the Hawke's Bay Land District.

ONSLow, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of June, 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 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 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 Schedules hereto shall be open as village and 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 sixteenth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

3. The purchaser for cash of any of the lands enumerated in the Schedules 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 Schedules 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 Schedules 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 Schedules 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 in the First Schedule the right to occupy the same shall be determined by auction amongst the applicants; and, if there should be more than one applicant for any allotment in the Second Schedule, the right to occupy the same shall be decided 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.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—COOK COUNTY.

Section.	Area.	Cash Price per Section.	Deferred-payment Price per Section.	Perpetual-lease Rent per Section.
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VILLAGE ALLOTMENTS.

Village of Hangarōa.

A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
1	0	1	31	9	0	0	11	5	0	0	9	0
2	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
3	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
4	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
5	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
6	0	1	31	9	0	0	11	5	0	0	9	0
7	0	1	31	9	0	0	11	5	0	0	9	0
8	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
9	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
10	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
11	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
12	0	1	31	9	0	0	11	5	0	0	9	0
13	0	1	31	9	0	0	11	5	0	0	9	0
14	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
15	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
16	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
17	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
18	0	1	31	9	0	0	11	5	0	0	9	0
19	0	1	31	9	0	0	11	5	0	0	9	0
20	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
21	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
22	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
23	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
24	0	1	31	9	0	0	11	5	0	0	9	0
25	0	1	31	9	0	0	11	5	0	0	9	0
26	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
27	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
28	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
29	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
30	0	1	31	9	0	0	11	5	0	0	9	0
31	0	1	31	9	0	0	11	5	0	0	9	0
32	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
33	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
34	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
35	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
36	0	1	31	9	0	0	11	5	0	0	9	0
37	0	1	31	9	0	0	11	5	0	0	9	0
38	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
39	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
40	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
41	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
44	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
45	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
46	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
47	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
48	0	1	31	9	0	0	11	5	0	0	9	0
51	0	3	31	19	0	0	23	15	0	0	19	0
52	0	3	31	19	0	0	23	15	0	0	19	0
53	0	3	31	19	0	0	23	15	0	0	19	0
54	0	3	31	19	0	0	23	15	0	0	19	0
56	0	3	31	19	0	0	23	15	0	0	19	0
57	0	3	31	19	0	0	23	15	0	0	19	0
58	0	3	31	19	0	0	23	15	0	0	19	0
61	0	3	31	19	0	0	23	15	0	0	19	0
62	0	3	31	19	0	0	23	15	0	0	19	0
63	0	3	31	19	0	0	23	15	0	0	19	0
64	0	3	31	19	0	0	23	15	0	0	19	0
65	0	3	31	19	0	0	23	15	0	0	19	0
66	0	3	31	19	0	0	23	15	0	0	19	0
67	0	3	31	19	0	0	23	15	0	0	19	0
68	0	3	31	19	0	0	23	15	0	0	19	0
70	0	3	31	19	0	0	23	15	0	0	19	0
71	0	3	31	19	0	0	23	15	0	0	19	0
80	0	1	31	9	0	0	11	5	0	0	9	0
81	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
82	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
83	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
84	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	5	0	0	5	0
85	0	1	31	9	0	0	11	5	0	0	9	0

Description of Land: Situated on the Hangarōa River, distant about eight miles from the Gisborne-Wairoa Main Road, with which it is connected by a formed road; about thirty miles south-west from Gisborne.

SECOND SCHEDULE.
HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—COOK COUNTY.

Section.	Area.	Cash Price per Section.	Deferred-payment Price per Section.	Perpetual-lease Rent per Section.
SMALL-FARM LOTS.				
Village of Hangaroa.				
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
73	20 1 0	60 15 0	75 18 0	3 9 0
74	8 1 9	25 0 0	31 5 0	1 5 0
75	7 0 26	21 10 0	26 17 6	1 1 6
76	6 2 35	20 0 0	25 0 0	1 0 0
77	7 2 7	22 10 0	28 2 6	1 2 6
78	14 2 15	44 0 0	55 0 0	2 4 0
79	16 2 26	50 0 0	62 10 0	2 10 0

Description of Land: Situated on the Hangaroa River, distant about eight miles from the Gisborne-Wairoa Main Road, with which it is connected by a formed road; about thirty miles south-west from Gisborne.

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 tenth day of June, 1890.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS application has been made to the Governor in Council by Ihipera Rangitaiti, 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, 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, Index No. 6748, W. 33, page 237, dated 1st April, 1882, issued under "The New Zealand Settlements Act, 1863," and "The New Zealand Settlements Amendment and Continuance Act, 1865," in favour of Ihipera Rangitaiti, and containing the following restrictions: "Inalienable by sale, lease, or by mortgage for a longer period than twenty-one years, without the consent of the Governor being previously obtained to any such sale, lease, or mortgage."	All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Wellington, known as Sub-division 62B of Section 406, Block XII., Wairoa Survey District, containing 16 acres.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Manaia Town Board subject to the Provisions of "The Public Bodies' Powers Act, 1887."

ONSLOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of June, 1890.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Manaia Town Board, being a leasing authority within the meaning of "The Public

Bodies' Powers Act, 1887" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), has requested that these presents should issue, and it appears expedient to make the order hereinafter contained:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby order and declare that the Manaia Town Board shall, as from the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, be subject to the provisions of the said Act.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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.	Block.	Area.	Cash Price per Acre.	Deferred-payment Price per Acre.	Perpetual lease Rent per Acre.
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FIRST-CLASS LAND.

Manukau County.—Suburbs of Otau.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.
52	10 0 0	5 0 0	6 5 0	5 0
59	3 2 0	2 0 0	2 10 0	2 0
61A	8 3 8	2 0 0	2 10 0	2 0
68	8 2 0	2 0 0	2 10 0	2 0

Description of Land: All forest lands, good soil, and well watered, except Lot 52, which is level and covered with tea-tree; the lots are close to Clevedon and the Wairoa River.

Whakatane County.—Parish of Waimana.

164	69 3 0	1 0 0	1 5 0	1 0
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Description of Land: Situated on Ohiwa Harbour, open land, with patches of bush and a little swamp.

SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Manukau County.—Parish of Otau.

19	119 0 0	} 0 10 0	} 0 12 6	} 0 6
20	195 3 0			
21	210 0 0			
22	179 1 0			
25	155 0 0			
26	228 3 0			
27	197 0 0			
28	254 0 0			
29	205 2 0			
30	244 1 0			

Description of Land: These lots are well watered, broken forest lands, good soil, situated from two to five miles from Clevedon Post Office; direct communication with Auckland by steamer twice a week.

Rodney County.—Parish of Oruawhoro.

S. pn. 19	73 1 0	0 7 6	0 9 4½	0 4½
N. pn. 20				

Description of Land: Open country, fern and tea-tree, indifferent soil.

Tauranga County.—Maketu Survey District.

11	VII.	300 1 0	} 0 10 0	} 0 12 6	} 0 6
12	"	256 1 0			
13	"	252 3 0			
14	"	231 1 0			
15	"	229 0 0			
16	"	321 1 24			

Description of Land: Open and swamp lands, raupo, flax, and manuka, not far from Maketu. The lands are light soil, but will make good farms; they are mostly watered by Kai-kokopu and Kaituna Rivers, and are accessible by road.

22	VIII.	423 2 0	} 0 10 0	} 0 12 6	} 0 6
23	"	264 1 24			
24	"	307 2 0			

Description of Land: Open and swamp lands, light soil, watered by Kai-kokopu River, situated near Maketu, accessible by road.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Price per Acre.	Deferred-payment Price per Acre.	Perpetual-lease Rent per Acre.
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Tauranga County.—Maketu Survey District.

A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	
2 XI. 413 1 24 0 10 0 0 12 6 0 6	Description of Land: Open land, covered with fern and tutu, light soil; southern portion very broken, watered by Kaikokopu River; section accessible by road from Maketu and Te Puke.			

Tauranga County.—Waihi South Survey District.

A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	
14 | V. | 49 0 0 | 0 10 0 | 0 12 6 | 0 6	Description of Land: Open and manuka swamp land, light soil, on Pongakawa River, and accessible by main road, Tauranga to Matata.			

Waitemata County.—Parish of Pukeatua.

24 | .. | 72 2 0	} 0 5 0 | 0 6 3 | 0 3
25 | .. | 71 1 8	
26 | .. | 96 2 32	
27 | .. | 80 2 16	
28 | .. | 117 0 30	
W. pn. 32 | .. | 36 1 39	
33 | .. | 73 2 0	
34 | .. | 124 3 31	

Description of Land: All open fern land, poor soil, about three miles by road from Wainui.

Whakatane County.—Parish of Waimana.

224A | .. | 45 3 0 | 0 15 0 | 0 18 9 | 0 9	} 0 7 6 | 0 9 4½ | 0 4½
308 | .. | 1,236 0 0 | 0 7 6 | 0 9 4½ | 0 4½	

Description of Land: Lot 224A, good fern land, adjacent to Nukuhou River, which is tidal water 2ft. to 5ft. deep; 308, nearly all dense forest, with some open and level land along the Waimana River, but very broken, however, in other parts.

Whakatane County.—Parish of Wairoeka.

359 .. 411 1 10 0 10 0 0 12 6 0 6	Description of Land: About 140 acres of broken bush-land, containing puriri and mixed forest, about 25 acres good swamp, remainder rather broken fern-land, good soil, well watered, patches of bush scattered through the fern-land.			
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As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this seventh day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

G. F. RICHARDSON,
Minister of Lands.

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.	Block.	Area.	Cash Price per Acre.	Deferred-payment Price per Acre.	Perpetual-lease Rent per Acre.
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FIRST-CLASS LAND.

Bay of Islands County.—Kaero Survey District.

A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	
1 XI. 50 0 0 1 0 0 1 5 0 1 0	Description of Land: Fully one-half bush, containing kauri; remainder open fern and tea-tree land of fair quality.			

Hokianga County.—Herekino Survey District.

16 III. 41 0 0 1 0 0 1 5 0 1 0	Description of Land: Open land of good quality, situated in Herekino Settlement. The section has been improved.			
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Hokianga County.—Mangamuka Survey District.

54 X. 12 0 0 3 0 0 3 15 0 3 0	Description of Land: This lot has been partly cleared and cultivated. It fronts Hokianga Harbour. Originally it contained light bush and tea-tree.			
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Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Price per Acre.	Deferred-payment Price per Acre.	Perpetual-lease Rent per Acre.
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Hokianga County.—Whangape Survey District.

A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	
22 VII. 50 0 0 1 3 0 1 8 9 1 2	Description of Land: In Herekino Settlement, accessible by road. The soil is good, and the lot partly improved.			

Rodney County.—Omaha Parish.

155 .. 38 2 0 1 8 0 1 15 0 1 4	Description of Land: An improved section, in Omaha Village Settlement. The soil is poor, containing some pohutukawa trees, open land.			
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SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Bay of Islands County.—Kawakawa Survey District.

3 I. 200 0 0 0 5 0 0 6 3 0 3	Description of Land: About 12 acres mixed bush, remainder fern-land, some of it very poor; section well watered.			
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Bay of Islands County.—Omapere Parish.

22 .. 105 0 0 0 5 0 0 6 3 0 3	Description of Land: About 30 acres mixed bush, clay soil, remainder open land of very poor quality, covered with short fern and tea-tree.			
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Hokianga County.—Herekino Survey District.

3 II. 50 0 0 0 7 6 0 9 4½ 0 4½	Description of Land: Fair soil, covered with mixed bush, situated at Herekino Settlement.			
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4 II. 49 3 0 0 13 0 0 16 3 0 8	Description of Land: Soil good, partially covered with bush, situated at Herekino Settlement. The section has been considerably improved.			
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12 III. 36 3 0 0 7 6 0 9 4½ 0 4½	Description of Land: Open land, medium soil, situated at Herekino Settlement.			
13 | " | 40 0 0 | 0 7 6 | 0 9 4½ | 0 4½				

Hokianga County.—Whangape Survey District.

7 | VII. | 50 0 0 | 0 16 0 | 1 0 0 | 0 9	} 0 10 0 | 0 12 6 | 0 10
9 | " | 49 1 0 | 0 16 6 | 1 0 7½ | 0 9	
10 | " | 49 0 0 | 0 10 0 | 0 12 6 | 0 6	
20 | " | 50 0 0 | 0 17 0 | 1 1 3 | 0 10	
21 | " | 50 0 0 | 0 15 0 | 0 18 9 | 0 9	
36 | " | 50 0 0 | 0 18 0 | 1 2 6 | 0 10	
50 | " | 49 1 0 | 0 12 6 | 0 15 7½ | 0 7½	
51 | " | 49 3 0 | 0 10 0 | 0 12 6 | 0 6	

Description of Land: Lots 7, 9, 20, 21, 36, and 50 are improved sections, and, generally speaking, forest lands, soil good; 10 and 51 are, like the others, within Herekino Settlement, the former contains open and the latter forest land.

52 | VII. | 50 0 0 | 0 7 6 | 0 9 4½ | 0 4½	} 0 12 6 | 0 12 6 | 0 6
66 | " | 49 1 0 | 0 10 0 | 0 12 6 | 0 6	

4 | IX. | 49 3 0 | 0 19 6 | 1 4 4½ | 1 0	} 0 10 | 0 15 7½ | 0 7½ | 1 0 | 0 10½ | 0 7
10 | " | 50 0 0 | 0 17 0 | 1 1 3 | 0 10	
12 | " | 49 3 0 | 0 12 6 | 0 15 7½ | 0 7½	
13 | " | 48 0 0 | 0 19 0 | 1 3 9 | 1 0	
19 | " | 50 0 0 | 0 17 6 | 1 1 10½ | 0 10½	
21 | " | 50 0 0 | 0 11 6 | 0 14 4½ | 0 7	

Description of Land: Soil good, and lots, generally speaking, contain forest, situated at Herekino Settlement. Improvements have been effected upon the sections.

Mangonui County.—Maungataniwha East Parish.

53 .. 50 0 0 0 18 0 1 2 6 0 10	Description of Land: Good soil, covered with mixed bush. This lot is situated at Fern Flat, and has had improvements effected upon it.			
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Mangonui County.—Takahue Survey District.

5 XI. 50 0 0 0 15 6 0 19 4½ 0 9½	Description of Land: Land good, covered with mixed bush, situated in Takahue Settlement. More or less improvements have been made on this land.			
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12 XV. 50 0 0 0 10 0 0 12 6 0 6	} 0 16 3 0 8
26 " 50 0 0 0 13 0 0 16 3 0 8	

Description of Land: Good soil, in Takahue Settlement, covered with mixed forest. Some improvements have been effected on the section.

Mangonui County.—Whangape Survey District.

27 | VII. | 49 2 22 | 0 12 0 | 0 15 0 | 0 7½	} 0 12 6 | 0 6
29 | " | 48 0 22 | 0 7 6 | 0 9 4½ | 0 4½	
30 | " | 49 3 0 | 0 10 0 | 0 12 6 | 0 6	
48 | " | 50 0 0 | 0 15 0 | 0 18 9 | 0 9	
65 | " | 50 0 0 | 0 18 0 | 1 2 6 | 0 10	

Description of Land: Good soil, covered with mixed bush, situated in Herekino Settlement. Lots 27, 48, and 65 have improvements upon them.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Price per Acre.	Deferred-payment Price per Acre.	Perpetual-lease Rent per Acre.
<i>Raglan County.—Awaroa Survey District.</i>					
36	III.	A. R. P. 84 1 0	£ s. d. 0 10 0	£ s. d. 0 12 6	s. d. 0 6
37	"	92 0 0	0 10 0	0 12 6	0 6
Description of Land: Generally broken, forest land, with some fern and tea-tree, soil good, limestone formation.					
1	VII.	327 0 0	0 10 0	0 12 6	0 6
9	"	328 2 0	0 10 0	0 12 6	0 6
11	"	314 0 0	0 10 0	0 12 6	0 6
18	"	346 3 0	0 10 0	0 12 6	0 6
31	"	328 3 0	0 10 0	0 12 6	0 6
Description of Land: Good land, of limestone formation, well watered.					
32	VIII.	102 0 31	0 10 0	0 12 6	0 6
33	"	210 0 0	0 10 0	0 12 6	0 6
34	"	315 0 0	0 10 0	0 12 6	0 6
35	IV.	87 2 8	0 10 0	0 12 6	0 6
Description of Land: All forest land, of limestone formation, rather broken.					

Raglan County.—Whangape Parish.
 86 | .. | 917 2 36 | 0 10 0 | 0 12 6 | 0 6
 Description of Land: About 60 acres mixed bush and high tea-tree; about 160 acres good swamp, with some flax, drainable; remainder undulating fern-hills.

Rodney County.—Matakana Parish.
 101 | .. | 233 0 0 | 0 7 6 | 0 9 4½ | 0 4½
 Description of Land: Very broken forest-land, clay soil, well watered, difficult of access.

Rodney County.—Tauhoa Parish.
 170A | .. | 40 0 0 | 0 10 0 | 0 12 6 | 0 6
 170 | .. | 92 0 0 | 0 10 0 | 0 12 6 | 0 6
 171 | .. | 239 0 0 | 0 11 3 | 0 14 0½ | 0 7
 172 | .. | 104 0 0 | 0 10 0 | 0 12 6 | 0 6
 174 | .. | 60 2 0 | 0 10 0 | 0 12 6 | 0 6
 176 | .. | 500 0 0 | 0 10 0 | 0 12 6 | 0 6
 177 | .. | 210 0 0 | 0 10 0 | 0 12 6 | 0 6
 Description of Land: Lot 170A, open land of good quality, situated on Whanaki Stream; 170 to 174 and 177 are broken forest-lands, partly clay and sandstone; 171 contains a few kauri trees; 176, broken forest-land, containing about 3 acres of old Maori cultivations. It is accessible by Hoteo River (tidal).

Tauranga County.—Te Papa Parish.
 561 | .. | 48 0 8 | 0 10 0 | 0 12 6 | 0 6
 Description of Land: All mixed forest, level land; accessible by cleared road from main road at Oropi.

Waikato County.—Whangamarino Parish.
 445 | .. | 322 0 0 | 0 7 6 | 0 9 4½ | 0 4½
 Description of Land: Nearly all deep swamp, not much flax, situated about two miles north of Lake Waikare and about a mile from main road to Waerenga Settlement.

Whakatane County.—Waioeka Survey District.
 361 | .. | 509 0 0 | 0 10 0 | 0 12 6 | 0 6
 Description of Land: About 230 acres mixed forest, about 90 acres swamp, remainder fern-land; soil good, but land broken.

Whakatane County.—Waiotahi Parish.
 471 | .. | 59 2 0 | 0 10 0 | 0 12 6 | 0 6
 472 | .. | 77 1 14 | 0 7 6 | 0 9 4½ | 0 4½
 473 | .. | 11 1 15 | 0 10 0 | 0 12 6 | 0 6
 474 | .. | 12 1 30 | 0 10 0 | 0 12 6 | 0 6
 Description of Land: All the above sections are swamplands of inferior quality, near the mouth of the Waiotahi River or Ohiva Harbour. They require draining before being fit for cultivation.

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

G. F. RICHARDSON,
 Minister of Lands.

Rural Lands in the Hawke's Bay 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.

SURVEYED LAND.—SECOND-CLASS LAND.—COOK COUNTY.

Hangaroa Survey District.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Price per Acre.	Deferred-payment Price per Acre.	Perpetual-lease Rent per Acre.
14	XV.	A. R. P. 22 1 32	£ s. d. 0 10 0	£ s. d. 0 12 6	s. d. 0 6
Description of Land: Situated adjacent to the formed road from Gisborne to Wairoa, about thirty-five miles south-west from Gisborne; agricultural land.					
As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this seventh day of June, 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 stated in the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

UNSURVEYED LAND.—SECOND-CLASS LAND.—MANGANUI AND RANGITIKEI COUNTIES.

**Mangawhero and †Tiriraukawa Survey Districts.*

Block.	Area.	Cash Price per Acre.	Deferred-payment Price per Acre.	Perpetual-lease Rent per Acre.
*VIII., XI., XII., †V., IX.	A. R. P. 10,910 0 0	£ s. d. 0 10 0 to 0 17 6	£ s. d. 0 12 6 to 1 1 10½	s. d. 0 6 to 10½
Description of Land: Bounded on the north by Section No. 62, Block VIII., Mangawhero and Crown land; on the east by the Turakina River; on the south by Native Reserve 4B and Ohaumoko Block; on the west by the Tokorangi and Mangamahu Blocks and the Mangamahu Stream to the point of commencement. This block is situated between the Turakina and Mangamahu Streams, and extends from the Ohaumoko Block northwards for about six miles. The area comprises generally broken and round-topped hills intersected by deep valleys; there are a few small flats on the Mangamahu Stream, and some large ones on the Turakina River. The block is well watered, and is covered with mixed bush, including rata, tawa, rimu, hinau, maire, manuka, black-birch, titoki, akeake, mahoe, koeka, houhou, tataka, matipo, &c., with an underscrub of wharangi, karamu, akeake, supplejacks, &c.; heavy timbers, such as rimu, matai, kahikatea, hinau, and a little totara for homestead purposes, are procurable on most parts of the block. The formation is principally papa, mixed in places with deposits of shell-rock, and the soil varies from fair to good. The block is distant from Wanganui, via the No. 2 line and Wangaeahu Road, about thirty and a half miles, twenty-nine miles being a formed dray-road; and from Hunterville, via the Paraekaretu Road, about thirteen and a half miles, of which nine miles have been formed for dray-traffic. The country is from 500ft. to 2,000ft. above sea-level, and when brought into cultivation should prove well adapted for pastoral purposes.				

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

G. F. RICHARDSON,
 Minister of Lands.

Rural Lands in the Marlborough 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.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Price per Acre.	Deferred-payment Price per Acre.	Perpetual-lease Rent per Acre.
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SECOND-CLASS LANDS.—SURVEYED LANDS.

Sounds County.—Linkwater Survey District (Paradise Bay, Pelorus Sound).

	I.	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.
3	I.	76 0 0	0 10 0	0 12 6	0 6

Description of Land: Soil of medium quality, covered with mixed bush, birch predominating; large boulders throughout the section; would probably grass well.

SECOND-CLASS LANDS.—UNSURVEYED LANDS.

Sounds County.—Wakamarina Survey District (Kaikumera Bay, Pelorus Sound).

..	{ Part of VIII. }	40 0 0	0 10 0	0 12 6	0 6
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Description of Land: All hill, inferior soil, covered with fern and scrub.

Sounds County.—Oriuri Survey District (Elie Bay, Pelorus Sound).

..	{ Part of I. }	23 0 0	0 15 0	0 18 9	0 9
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Description of Land: Half hill, half flat, good soil on flat, covered with pukatea and tawa; inferior soil on hill, mostly birch.

Sounds County.—Oriuri Survey District (Waitaria Bay, Pelorus Sound).

..	{ Part of I. }	250 0 0	0 7 6	0 9 5	0 4½
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Description of Land: All hill, birch bush, soil inferior.

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

EDWIN MITCHELSON,
(For the Minister of Lands.)

Rural Lands in the Canterbury 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.
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SURVEYED LANDS.

Section.	Block	District.	Area.	Cash Price per Acre.
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FIRST-CLASS LAND.

Waimate County.—Station Peak Run.

	II.	Meyer	..	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
35939	II.	Meyer	..	50 1 0	1 10 0

Description of Land: Very light, stony ground; on main road.

B	IV.	Meyer	..	70 0 0	2 0 0
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Description of Land: Fairly grassed land, between Waitaki River and existing freehold.

SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Clarksville Run.

36124	V.	Elephant Hill		484 0 0		1 5 0
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Description of Land: Well-grassed, hilly ground, on Elephant Hill Road.

36170	V.	Elephant Hill		1,042 0 0		1 0 0
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Description of Land: Part fairly grassed and part very rocky facings; land broken up by deep gullies, making access from one part to the other very difficult.

36171	IX.	Waihao		160 0 0		0 10 0
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Description of Land: Rocky facings of very steep gully.

Station Peak Run.

A	II.	Meyer	..	450 0 0		0 10 0
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Description of Land: Very light, sandy soil, adjoining river-bed.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this seventh day of June, 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

JOHN MURRAY,

being a person holding the office of Postmaster under "The Post Office Act, 1881," at Ararimu South, 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 sixth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

ONSLOW, Governor.

Deputy Registrar of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 6th June, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN REDMOND

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

W. R. RUSSELL.

Ranger under Animals Protection Acts, Auckland, appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 6th June, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ARTHUR BROOKE

to be a Ranger under "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and the Acts amending the same, for the District of Auckland.

W. R. RUSSELL.

Inspector of Weights and Measures, Buller and Westport, appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 6th June, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Sergeant MAURICE READY

to be an Inspector of Weights and Measures under "The Weights and Measures Act, 1868," and the Acts amending the same, for the County of Buller and Borough of Westport, vice Sergeant Barrett, transferred.

W. R. RUSSELL.

Clerks of Courts appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 11th June, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

EDWARD RAWSON

to be Clerk of the District and Resident Magistrate's Courts at Palmerston North, and Clerk of the Licensing Committees for the Districts of Taonui and Palmerston North, from the 12th June instant, vice W. L. Dean, transferred; and

Constable JAMES TREANOBE

to be Clerk of the Resident Magistrate's Court at Woodville, and Clerk of the Licensing Committees for the Districts of Woodville and Woodville Town.

W. R. RUSSELL.

Government Insurance Commissioner appointed.

Government Life Insurance Department,
Wellington, 7th June, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOSEPHUS HARGREAVES RICHARDSON, Esq.,

Associate of the Institute of Actuaries of London, Member of the Actuarial Society of America, and Fellow of the Institute of Incorporated Accountants of Melbourne, to be Government Insurance Commissioner, as from the 7th instant.

EDWIN MITCHELSON,
(For the Colonial Treasurer.)

Actuary of Government Life Insurance Department appointed.

Government Life Insurance Department,
Wellington, 7th June, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

MORRIS FOX, Esq.,

Associate of the Institute of Actuaries of London, to be Actuary of the Government Life Insurance Department.

EDWIN MITCHELSON,
(For the Colonial Treasurer.)

Secretary of Government Life Insurance Department appointed.

Government Life Insurance Department,
Wellington, 7th June, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM BURGOYNE HUDSON, Esq.,

to be Secretary of the Government Life Insurance Department.

EDWIN MITCHELSON,
(For the Colonial Treasurer.)

Accountant of Government Life Insurance Department appointed.

Government Life Insurance Department,
Wellington, 7th June, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ROBERT JOHN STEWART TODD, Esq.,

to be Accountant of the Government Life Insurance Department.

EDWIN MITCHELSON,
(For the Colonial Treasurer.)

Assistant Actuary of Government Life Insurance Department appointed.

Government Life Insurance Department,
Wellington, 7th June, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

GEORGE LESLIE, Esq.,

to be Assistant Actuary of the Government Life Insurance Department.

EDWIN MITCHELSON,
(For the Colonial Treasurer.)

Assistant Accountant of Government Life Insurance Department appointed.

Government Life Insurance Department,
Wellington, 7th June, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN HOLMES DEAN, Esq.,

to be Assistant Accountant of the Government Life Insurance Department.

EDWIN MITCHELSON,
(For the Colonial Treasurer.)

Chief Clerk of Government Life Insurance Department appointed.

Government Life Insurance Department,
Wellington, 7th June, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

GEORGE WILLIAM BARLTROP, Esq.,

to be Chief Clerk of the Government Life Insurance Department.

EDWIN MITCHELSON,
(For the Colonial Treasurer.)

Appointment of Inspector of Machinery, Engineer Surveyor, and Examiner of Engineers.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 2nd June, 1890.

IT is hereby notified that

ROBERT DUNCAN

has been appointed an Inspector and Surveyor and an Engineer Surveyor for the purposes of "The Shipping and Seamen's Act, 1877," and an Examiner of Engineers; and has also been appointed an Inspector of Machinery for the Wellington and Hawke's Bay Districts.

H. A. ATKINSON.

Volunteer Officers appointed.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 11th June, 1890.

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

Greymouth Naval Artillery Volunteers.

Ernest James Smith to be Sub-Lieutenant. Date of commission, 9th April, 1890.

Nelson City Rifle Volunteers.

John William Joynt to be Captain. Date of commission, 9th April, 1890.

Blenheim City Rifle Volunteers.

George Pring O'Callaghan to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 22nd May, 1890.

W. R. RUSSELL.

Volunteer Rifle Corps disbanded.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 11th June, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the disbandment of the

Newtown Rifle Volunteers (Wellington).

Date of disbandment, 31st May, 1890.

W. R. RUSSELL.

Designation of Cadet Corps altered.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 11th June, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the designation of the North District School Cadet Rifle Volunteers (Dunedin) being changed to the Union Street School Cadet Rifle Volunteers.

W. R. RUSSELL.

Commissioner of the Supreme Court appointed.

NOTICE is hereby given that His Honour Mr. Justice Williams has this day appointed **FREDERICK HAMMOND CLARK**, of Wanstead, in the County of Essex, in England, Solicitor, to be and act as a Commissioner of the Supreme Court of New Zealand in England, for the purpose of taking oaths, affidavits, and affirmations under and within the meaning of "The Commissioners of the Supreme Court Act, 1875."

Dated this 30th day of May, 1890.

COLIN McK. GORDON,
Registrar at Dunedin of the Supreme Court of
New Zealand.

Government Insurance Commissioner resigned.

Government Life Insurance Department,
Wellington, 7th June, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation by

FREDERICK WILLIAM FRANKLAND, Esq., F.I.A., F.S.S.,
of his appointment as Government Insurance Commissioner,
as from the 7th instant.

EDWIN MITCHELSON,
(For the Colonial Treasurer.)

Government Actuary and Statist resigned.

Government Life Insurance Department,
Wellington, 7th June, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation by

FREDERICK WILLIAM FRANKLAND, Esq., F.I.A., F.S.S.,
of his appointment as Actuary and Statist to the Government
of New Zealand, as from the 7th instant.

EDWIN MITCHELSON,
(For the Colonial Treasurer.)

Teacher's Certificate cancelled.

Education Department,
Wellington, 10th June, 1890.

IT is hereby notified for public information that the certificate granted under "The Education Act, 1877," to

HENRY CAPE-WILLIAMSON,

lately a Schoolmaster under the Education Board of North
Canterbury, has been cancelled.

T. W. HISLOP.

Despatch.—Merchant Shipping Acts (Imperial), and Official Secrets Act (Imperial).

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 4th June, 1890.

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

W. R. RUSSELL.

(Circular.) Downing Street, 20th January, 1890.

MY LORD,—I have the honour to inform you that the usual number of copies of the statutes passed in the last session of Parliament (52 and 53 Vict.), which are supplied for the use of the colony under your Government, have been transmitted to you.

The Passengers Acts Amendment Act, c. 29, the Revenue Act, c. 42, and the Merchant Shipping (Colours) Act, c. 73, have been already communicated to you by my circular despatch of the 5th and 12th of September, and the 5th of October.

I have to call your attention to the Merchant Shipping (Tonnage) Act, c. 43, the Merchant Shipping Act, c. 46, and the Official Secrets Act, c. 52, which should be made known in the colony under your Government.

I have, &c.,
KNUTSFORD.

The Officer Administering the Government of
New Zealand.

CHAPTER 43.

An Act to amend the Law relating to the Measurement of the Tonnage of Merchant Ships.

[26th August, 1889.

BE IT ENACTED by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

Amendment of rules for measurement of tonnage.

1. (1.) In the measurement of a ship for the purpose of ascertaining her register tonnage, no deduction shall be allowed in respect of any space which has not been first included in the measurement of her tonnage.

(2.) In section twenty-one, paragraph (4), of "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1854," the words "First, that nothing shall be added for a closed-in space solely appropriated to the berthing of the crew, unless such space exceeds one-twentieth of the remaining tonnage of the ship, and in case of such excess the excess only shall be added; and secondly"; and in section twenty-two, paragraph (2), of the same Act the words "subject to the deduction for a closed-in space appropriated to the crew, as mentioned in Rule I." shall be repealed.

Provided that this section shall not apply until after the expiration of five years from the date of the passing of this Act to any ship in the measurement or remeasurement of which the deductions prohibited by this section have been made before the tenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, or to any ship the building of which was commenced before the tenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, and which is registered for the first time between that date and the last day of December, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, unless in either case the ship is, before the expiration of the said five years, measured or remeasured in accordance with the provisions of this Act, and any such ship may be measured or remeasured at the request of the owner.

But this exemption shall not extend to any ship in the case of which the allowance for propelling-power space exceeds fifty per cent. of the gross tonnage of the ship.

Subject as aforesaid, the tonnage of every ship shall be estimated for all purposes as if any deduction prohibited by this section had not been made, and the particulars relating to the ship's tonnage in the register-book and in her certificate of registry shall be corrected accordingly.

Rule as to allowance for engine room in steamers.

2. In the case of any ship built or measured after the passing of this Act, such portion of the space or spaces above the crown of the engine-room and above the upper deck as is framed in for the machinery or for the admission of light and air shall not be included in the measurement of the space occupied by the propelling power, except in pursuance of a request in writing to the Board of Trade by the owner of the ship, and shall not be included in pursuance of such request unless—

- (a.) That portion is first included in the measurement of the gross tonnage; and
- (b.) A surveyor appointed under the Fourth Part of "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1854," certifies that the portion so framed in is reasonable in extent and is so constructed as to be safe and seaworthy, and that it cannot be used for any purpose other than the machinery or for the admission of light and air to the machinery or boilers of the ship.

Deductions for navigation spaces, &c.

3. (1.) In measuring or remeasuring a ship for the purpose of ascertaining her register tonnage, the following deductions shall be made from the space included in the measurement of the tonnage:—

- (a.) In the case of a ship wholly propelled by sails, any space set apart and used exclusively for the storage of sails;
- (b.) In the case of any ship—
 - (i.) Any space used exclusively for the accommodation of the master;
 - (ii.) Any space used exclusively for the working of the helm, the capstan, and the anchor-gear, or for keeping the charts, signals, and other instruments of navigation, and boatswain's stores; and
 - (iii.) The space occupied by the donkey-engine and boiler, if connected with the main pumps of the ship.

(2.) The deductions allowed under this section shall be subject to the following provisions, namely:—

- (a.) The space deducted must be certified by a surveyor appointed by the Board of Trade as reasonable in extent and properly and efficiently constructed for the purpose for which it is intended;
- (b.) There must be permanently marked in or over every such space a notice stating the purpose to which it is to be applied, and that whilst so applied it is to be deducted from the tonnage of the ship;
- (c.) The deduction on account of space for storage of sails must not exceed $2\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. of the tonnage of the ship.

Provisions as to deductions in case of certain steamships.

4. In the case of a screw steamship which, at the passing of this Act, has an engine-room allowance of 32 per cent. of the gross tonnage of the ship, and in which any crew-space

on deck has not been included in the gross tonnage, whether its contents have been deducted therefrom or not, the crew-space shall be, on the application of the owner of the ship, or by direction of the Board of Trade, measured and its contents ascertained and added to the register tonnage of the ship; and, if it appears that with such addition to the tonnage the engine-room does not occupy more than 13 per cent. of the tonnage of the ship, the existing allowance for engine room of 32 per cent. of the tonnage shall be continued, notwithstanding anything in this Act.

Measurement of ships with double bottoms for water-ballast.

5. In the case of a ship constructed with a double bottom for water-ballast, if the space between the inner and outer plating thereof is certified by a surveyor appointed by the Board of Trade to be not available for the carriage of cargo, stores, or fuel, then the depth required by section 21, paragraph (2), of "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1854," shall be taken to be the upper side of the inner plating of the double bottom, and that upper side shall, for the purposes of measurement, be deemed to represent the floor-timber referred to in that section.

Remeasurement of foreign ships.

6. If and whenever it is made to appear to Her Majesty that the tonnage of any foreign ship, as measured by the rules of the country to which she belongs, materially differs from that which would be her tonnage if measured under "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1854," and the Acts amending the same, Her Majesty may from time to time, by Order in Council, direct that, notwithstanding any Order in Council for the time being in force under those Acts, any of the ships of that country may, for all or any of the purposes of those Acts, be remeasured in accordance with the provisions of those Acts, and Her Majesty may revoke any orders so made.

Short Title and construction.

7. This Act may be cited as "The Merchant Shipping (Tonnage) Act, 1889," and shall be construed as one with "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1854," and the Acts amending the same.

CHAPTER 46.

AN ACT to amend "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1854," and the Acts amending the same.

[26th August, 1889.

BE IT ENACTED by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

Remedies for recovery of master's disbursements.

1. Every master of a ship and every person lawfully acting as master of a ship by reason of the decease or incapacity from illness of the master of the ship shall, so far as the case permits, have the same rights, liens, and remedies for the recovery of disbursements properly made by him on account of the ship, and for liabilities properly incurred by him on account of the ship, as a master of a ship now has for the recovery of his wages; and if any proceeding in any Court of Admiralty or Vice-Admiralty, or in any County Court having Admiralty jurisdiction, touching the claim of a master or any person lawfully acting as master to wages or such disbursements or liabilities as aforesaid, any right or set-off or counter-claim is set up, it shall be lawful for the Court to enter into and adjudicate upon all questions, and to settle all accounts then arising or outstanding and unsettled between the parties to the proceeding, and to direct payment of any balance which is found to be due.

Restrictions on advance notes.

2. (1.) Any agreement with a seaman made under section 149 of "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1854," may contain a stipulation for payment to or on behalf of the seaman, conditionally on his going to sea in pursuance of the agreement, of a sum not exceeding the amount of one month's wages payable to the seaman under the agreement.

(2.) Save as authorised by this section, any agreement by or on behalf of the employer of a seaman for the payment of money to or on behalf of the seaman conditionally on his going to sea from any port in the United Kingdom shall be void, and no money paid in satisfaction or in respect of any such agreement shall be deducted from the seaman's wages, and no person shall have any right of action, suit, or set-off against the seaman or his assignee in respect of any money so paid or purporting to have been so paid.

(3.) Nothing in this section shall affect any allotment made under "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1854," or the Acts amending the same.

(4.) Section 2 of "The Merchant Seamen (Payment of Wages and Rating) Act, 1880," is hereby repealed.

Register of deserters.

3. Every superintendent of a mercantile marine office shall keep at his office a list of the seamen who, to the best

of his knowledge and belief, have deserted or failed to join their ships after signing an agreement to proceed to sea in them, and shall on request show this list to any master of a ship.

A superintendent of a mercantile marine office shall not be liable in respect of any entry made in good faith in the list so kept.

Rule as to payment of British seamen in foreign money.

4. Where a seaman has agreed with the master of a British ship for payment of his wages in British sterling or any other money, any payment of, or on account of, his wages if made in any other currency than that stated in the agreement shall, notwithstanding anything in the agreement, be made at the rate of exchange for the money stated in the agreement for the time being current at the place where the payment is made.

Provisions as to steamships to apply to ships propelled by electricity, &c.

5. The provisions of "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1854," and the Acts amending the same, with respect to steamships, shall apply to ships propelled by electricity or other mechanical power, with such modifications as the Board of Trade may from time to time prescribe for purposes of adaptation.

Short Title and construction.

6. (1.) This Act may be cited as "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1889."

(2.) This Act shall be construed as one with "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1854," and the Acts amending the same, and this Act and those Acts may be cited collectively as the Merchant Shipping Acts, 1854 to 1889.

CHAPTER 52.

AN ACT to prevent the Disclosure of Official Documents and Information.

[26th August, 1889.

BE IT ENACTED by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

Disclosure of information.

1. (1.) (a.) Where a person, for the purpose of wrongfully obtaining information,—

(1.) Enters or is in any part of place belonging to Her Majesty the Queen, being a fortress, arsenal, factory, dockyard, camp, ship, office, or other like place, in which part he is not entitled to be; or,

(2.) When lawfully or unlawfully in any such place as aforesaid, either obtains any document, sketch, plan, model, or knowledge of anything which he is not entitled to obtain, or takes without lawful authority any sketch or plan; or,

(3.) When outside any fortress, arsenal, factory, dockyard, or camp belonging to Her Majesty the Queen, takes or attempts to take, without authority given by or on behalf of Her Majesty, any sketch or plan of that fortress, arsenal, factory, dockyard, or camp; or,

(b.) Where a person knowingly having possession of, or control over, any such document, sketch, plan, model, or knowledge has been obtained or taken by means of any act which constitutes an offence against this Act, at any time wilfully and without lawful authority communicates or attempts to communicate the same to any person to whom the same ought not, in the interest of the State, to be communicated at that time; or,

(c.) Where a person after having been intrusted in confidence by some officer under Her Majesty the Queen with any document, sketch, plan, model, or information relating to any such place as aforesaid, or to the naval or military affairs of Her Majesty, wilfully and in breach of such confidence communicates the same when, in the interest of the State, it ought not to be communicated,

he shall be guilty of a misdemeanour, and on conviction be liable to imprisonment, with or without hard labour, for a term not exceeding one year, or to a fine, or to both imprisonment and a fine.

(2.) Where a person having possession of any document, sketch, plan, model, or information relating to any fortress, arsenal, factory, dockyard, camp, ship, office, or other like place belonging to Her Majesty, or to the naval or military affairs of Her Majesty, in whatever manner the same has been obtained or taken, at any time wilfully communicates the same to any person to whom he knows the same ought not, in the interest of the State, to be communicated at that time, he shall be guilty of a misdemeanour, and be liable to the same punishment as if he committed an offence under the foregoing provisions of this section.

(3.) Where a person commits any act declared by this section to be a misdemeanour, he shall, if he intended to communicate to a foreign State any information, document, sketch, plan, model, or knowledge obtained or taken by him, or intrusted to him as aforesaid, or if he communicates the same to any agent of a foreign State, be guilty of felony, and on conviction be liable, at the discretion of the Court, to penal servitude for life, or for any term not less than five years, or to imprisonment for any term not exceeding two years with or without hard labour.

Breach of official trust.

2. (1.) Where a person, by means of his holding or having held an office under Her Majesty the Queen, has lawfully or unlawfully either obtained possession of or control over any document, sketch, plan, or model, or acquired any information, and at any time corruptly or contrary to his official duty communicates or attempts to communicate that document, sketch, plan, model, or information to any person to whom the same ought not, in the interest of the State, or otherwise in the public interest, to be communicated at that time, he shall be guilty of a breach of official trust.

(2.) A person guilty of a breach of official trust shall—

(a.) If the communication was made or attempted to be made to a foreign State, be guilty of felony, and on conviction be liable, at the discretion of the Court, to penal servitude for life, or for any term not less than five years, or to imprisonment for any term not exceeding two years with or without hard labour; and

(b.) In any other case be guilty of a misdemeanour, and on conviction be liable to imprisonment, with or without hard labour, for a term not exceeding one year, or to a fine, or to both imprisonment and a fine.

(3.) This section shall apply to a person holding a contract with any department of the Government of the United Kingdom, or with the holder of any office under Her Majesty the Queen as such holder, where such contract involves an obligation of secrecy, and to any person employed by any person or body of persons holding such a contract, who is under a like obligation of secrecy, as if the person holding the contract and the person so employed were respectively holders of an office under Her Majesty the Queen.

Punishment for incitement or counselling to commit offence.

3. Any person who incites or counsels, or attempts to procure, another person to commit an offence under this Act, shall be guilty of a misdemeanour, and on conviction be liable to the same punishment as if he had committed the offence.

Expenses of prosecution.

4. The expenses of the prosecution of a misdemeanour under this Act shall be defrayed in like manner as in the case of a felony.

Saving for laws of British possessions.

5. If by any law made before or after the passing of this Act by the Legislature of any British possession provisions are made which appear to Her Majesty the Queen to be of the like effect as those contained in this Act, Her Majesty may, by Order in Council, suspend the operation within such British possession of this Act, or of any part thereof, so long as such law continues in force there, and no longer, and such order shall have effect as if it were enacted in this Act:

Provided that the suspension of this Act, or of any part thereof, in any British possession shall not extend to the holder of an office under Her Majesty the Queen who is not appointed to that office by the Government of that possession.

The expression "British possession" means any part of Her Majesty's dominions not within the United Kingdom.

Extent of Act and place of trial of offence.

6. (1.) This Act shall apply to all acts made offences by this Act when committed in any part of Her Majesty's dominions, or when committed by British officers or subjects elsewhere.

(2.) An offence under this Act, if alleged to have been committed out of the United Kingdom, may be inquired of, heard, and determined in any competent British Court in the place where the offence was committed, or in Her Majesty's High Court of Justice in England or the Central Criminal Court, and the Act of the forty-second year of the reign of King George the Third, c. 85, shall apply in like manner as if the offence were mentioned in that Act, and the Central Criminal Court as well as the High Court possessed the jurisdiction given by that Act to the Court of King's Bench.

(3.) An offence under this Act shall not be tried by any Court of General or Quarter Sessions, nor by the Sheriff Court in Scotland, nor by any Court out of the United Kingdom which has not jurisdiction to try crimes which involve the greatest punishment allowed by law.

(4.) The provisions of "The Criminal Law and Procedure (Ireland) Act, 1887," shall not apply to any trial under the provisions of this Act.

Restriction on prosecution.

7. (1.) A prosecution for an offence against this Act shall not be instituted except by or with the consent of the Attorney-General.

(2.) In this section the expression "Attorney-General" means the Attorney- or Solicitor-General for England; and, as respects Scotland, means the Lord Advocate; and, as respects Ireland, means the Attorney- or Solicitor-General for Ireland; and, if the prosecution is instituted in any Court out of the United Kingdom, means the person who in that Court is Attorney-General, or exercises the like functions as the Attorney-General in England.

Interpretations.

8. In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires,—

Any reference to a place belonging to Her Majesty the Queen includes a place belonging to any department of the Government of the United Kingdom or of any of Her Majesty's possessions, whether the place is or is not actually vested in Her Majesty:

Expressions referring to communications include any communication whether in whole or in part, and whether the document, sketch, plan, model, or information itself, or the substance or effect thereof only, be communicated:

The expression "document" includes part of a document:

The expression "model" includes design, pattern, and specimen:

The expression "sketch" includes any photograph or other mode of representation of any place or thing:

The expression "office under Her Majesty the Queen" includes any office or employment in or under any department of the Government of the United Kingdom, and, so far as regards any document, sketch, plan, model, or information relating to the naval or military affairs of Her Majesty, includes any office or employment in or under any department of the Government of any of Her Majesty's possessions.

Saving.

9. This Act shall not exempt any person from any proceeding for an offence which is punishable at common law, or by military or naval law, or under any Act of Parliament other than this Act, so, however, that no person be punished twice for the same offence.

Short Title.

* 10. This Act may be cited as "The Official Secrets Act, 1889."

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan, County of Cook.

Colonial Secretary's Office,

Wellington, 9th June, 1890.

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

W. R. RUSSELL.

COOK COUNTY COUNCIL.

At a poll of the ratepayers within a special district (bounded by the Wairoa Road, the Hangaroa River, Waihau No. 1 Block, and Section 2, Block XII., Hangaroa Survey District), upon a proposal to obtain £480 under the Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886 and 1889, upon the security of the land fund and a special rate of 1d. in the pound, the following votes were recorded on the 10th May, 1890:—

For the proposal, 11 persons, exercising 11 votes; against the proposal, 2 persons, exercising 2 votes; informal, 1 vote. Total number on the roll, 21 persons, capable of exercising 21 votes.

As a majority of persons recorded a majority of votes in favour of the proposal, I declare it carried.

JOHN CLARK,

Gisborne, 2nd June, 1890.

Chairman.

Tenders.

Public Buildings Office,

Wellington, 10th June, 1890.

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

THOS. FERGUS,

Minister for Public Works.

STAMP PRINTING OFFICE, WELLINGTON, CONTRACT.

	Accepted.	£	s.	d.
Croft and Hunt, Wellington	625	0	0
<i>Declined.</i>				
James Russell, Wellington	638	15	8
Joshua Goodfellow, Wellington	663	3	0
James Trevor, Wellington	670	0	0
James Edwards, Wellington	677	0	0
Donald McLean, Wellington	850	0	0

Authority to issue New Zealand War Medals.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 11th June, 1890.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to authorise the issue of New Zealand war medals to the individuals named in the attached Schedule whose claims, after investigation, have been established.

W. R. RUSSELL.

NOMINAL RETURN of Men of the Colonial Forces whose Claims to the New Zealand War Medal have been investigated and admitted.

Name.	Rank.	Corps.
William McKechney	Lieutenant	New Zealand Militia.
H. J. Webber ..	Assistant Surgeon	Taranaki Military Settlers.
Robert Cunningham	Sergeant ..	New Zealand Militia.
Peter Loftus ..	Private ..	No. 5 "Company," Taranaki Military Settlers.
Joel D. Isaacs ..	Private ..	No. 2 Troop, Colonial Defence Force.
William Linton Beloe	Trooper ..	No. 3 Division, Armed Constabulary.
Richard Hart ..	Constable	No. 6 Company, Taranaki Military Settlers.
George Lindsey ..	Private ..	No. 2 Company, Taranaki Rifle Volunteers, and No. 3 Company, Taranaki Military Settlers.
William Nichols ..	" ..	New Zealand Militia.
Benjamin Gollop ..	" ..	New Zealand Militia.
William Bayley ..	" ..	New Zealand Militia.
William Vercoe ..	" ..	No. 1 "Company," Taranaki Rifle Volunteers.
Rev. J. Elmslie ..	Chaplain ..	New Zealand Volunteers.

Despatch.—Provisional Commercial Agreement with Servia.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Wellington, 11th June, 1890.

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

EDWIN MITCHELSON,
(For the Commissioner of Trade and Customs.)

(Circular.) Downing Street, 25th March, 1890.
MY LORD,—With reference to my circular despatch of the 13th of March, 1889, I have the honour to transmit to you, for publication in the colony under your Government, a copy of a provisional commercial agreement between the Governments of Great Britain and Servia, signed at Belgrade on the 2nd (14th) of February, 1890, which will remain in force from the 6th (18th) of May next until the 1st (13th) of January, 1893.

I have, &c.,
KNUTSFORD.

The Officer Administering the Government of
New Zealand.

PROVISIONAL COMMERCIAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENTS OF GREAT BRITAIN AND SERVIA.—Signed at Belgrade, 2nd (14th) February, 1890.

[English Text.]

THE Government of Her Majesty the Queen of Great Britain and Ireland, Empress of India, and the Government of the Regency of His Majesty the King of Servia, both desiring to provisionally regulate, from the 6th (18th) May, 1890, the date of the expiration of the commercial convention which has been denounced, until the conclusion of a new definitive commercial convention, the position of their respective subjects residing in the dominions and possessions of the other party, as well as the commercial relations between the two States, have agreed upon and concluded the following provisions:—

British subjects residing in Servia, and Servian subjects residing in the territories, colonies, and foreign possessions of Her Britannic Majesty, shall enjoy, as in the past, all the rights accorded to the subjects or natives of the most-favoured nation; and merchandise of every kind the produce of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, or of its colonies or possessions, imported into Servia, and all merchandise the produce of Servia which may be imported into the dominions of Her Britannic Majesty, including the colonies and foreign possessions, shall be reciprocally subjected to the same Customs duties of import or export, to the same accessory duties of re-export, of commission, or of

warehousing, to the same local duties, and duties relative to all Customs formalities, as the merchandise of the most-favoured nation.

It is nevertheless understood that the provisions of the present Act shall not apply to those colonies and foreign possessions of Her Britannic Majesty to which the provisions of the original treaty of the 26th January (7th February), 1830, did not apply, that is to say, to the Dominion of Canada, and to Her Majesty's colonies in South Africa.

The present agreement will remain in force from the 6th (18th) May, 1890, until the 1st (13th) January, 1893.

The two Governments engage, if necessary, to obtain assent to the present agreement by the Legislative Assemblies of their respective States.

In witness whereof the undersigned have drawn up the present agreement, and have affixed thereto the seal of their arms.

Done at Belgrade, the 2nd (14th) February, 1890.

The Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of Her Britannic Majesty at Belgrade,
(L.S.) F. R. ST. JOHN.

The Minister of Foreign Affairs for Servia, President of the Council of Ministers,
(L.S.) Le Général S. GROUTCH.

Notice to Mariners, No. 18 of 1890.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 7th June, 1890.

THE following Notice to Mariners, received from the Department of Ports and Harbours, Melbourne, is published for general information.

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

VICTORIA, AUSTRALIA.—EASTERN ENTRANCE TO BASS STRAITS.—CAPE EVERARD LIGHTS.

REFERRING to Notice to Mariners published the 21st January, 1889, notice is hereby given that on and after the 1st July, 1890, a white and red light will be exhibited from a lighthouse tower built on the southernmost point of Cape Everard.

The lighthouse tower is of concrete, coloured white, and the lantern is 185ft. above the mean level of the sea, from which will be exhibited a first order holophotal double-flashing light, showing a double flash every thirty seconds.

The white light will extend over an arc of 188° seaward, with an arc of red light illuminating about one mile and a half off the coast-line to the eastward and westward of the lighthouse.

An auxiliary red fixed light, to cover outlying dangers, will also be exhibited from a lower portion of the main lighthouse tower, and will illuminate an arc of 188° to seaward. Such light will be invisible to an observer 14ft. above the level of the sea, until within about two miles distance from the lighthouse.

Position (approximate): Lat. 37° 48' 7" S., long. 149° 16' 30" E.

Caution: The red lights are to warn mariners of their too close proximity to the shore or to outlying dangers off the lighthouse.

ALEXR. WILSON,
Engineer in Charge, Ports and Harbours.
Department of Ports and Harbours,
Melbourne, 14th May, 1890.

Road Board Elections.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 11th June, 1890.

THE following notices of election 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.

- Pukekohe East Road District, County of Manukau:
 - Lewis King.
 - William Morgan.
 - James Smith.
 - Thomas L. Wallis.
- Tuhikaramea Road District, County of Waipa:
 - James Douglas Williamson.
 - Frank Joseph Vickers.
- Mangapiko Road District, County of Waipa:
 - Elias Offeson.
 - John Michael Krippner.
- Meanee Road District, County of Hawke's Bay:
 - George Milligan.

Officiating Ministers for 1890.—Notice No. 13.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 6th June, 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:—

Church of the Province of New Zealand, commonly called the Church of England.

The Reverend Jonathan Evans.
The Reverend Sydney Hawthorne.

Presbyterian Church of Otago and Southland.

The Reverend Benjamin Hutson.

Baptists.

The Reverend Griffiths Owen Griffiths.

Congregational Church.

The Reverend William Saunders.

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

Money Order and Savings Bank Office opened.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 5th June, 1890.

IT is hereby notified for general information that a Money Order and Savings Bank Office will be opened at HERIOT (Chief Office, Dunedin), from the 16th instant.

W. GRAY,
Secretary.

Money Order Office opened.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 5th June, 1890.

IT is hereby notified for general information that a Money Order Office will be opened at WAIPORI (Chief Office, Dunedin), from the 16th instant.

W. GRAY,
Secretary.

Government Life Insurance Department.—Agency opened at Hunterville, Rangitikei.

Government Life Insurance Department,
Wellington, 5th June, 1890.

AN Agency of the above department will be opened at the POST OFFICE, HUNTERVILLE, RANGITIKEI, as from the 16th day of June, 1890.

J. H. RICHARDSON,
Deputy Commissioner.

Trade Union registered.

Friendly Societies' Registry Office,
Wellington, 11th June, 1890.

THE New Zealand Fishmongers' Union, situated at Wellington, is registered as a trade union, under "The Trade Union Act, 1878," this 11th day of June, 1890.

EDMUND MASON,
Registrar.

Examination of Mine Managers.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 6th June, 1890.

AN examination of candidates for certificates as Mine Managers, under "The Mining Act, 1886," and "The Coal Mines Act, 1886," will be held on the 21st July, 1890, and two following days, at places to be hereafter named. All applications, with fee of £1, must be addressed to "The Secretary of the Board of Examiners under the Mining Act or Coal Mines Act, Wellington," and must be received before the 8th July.

Candidates who were unsuccessful at the examination held in January last will be allowed to come up for re-examination, within twelve months, in the subjects in which they failed.

Further examinations will be held in January and July in each year.

T. H. HAMER,
Secretary to the Board of Examiners.

Patent Agent registered.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 5th June, 1890.

IT is hereby notified that

CHARLES HERBERT TREADWELL, of the firm of Buckley, Stafford, and Treadwell, Barristers and Solicitors, Wellington, has been duly registered as a Patent Agent.

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

Notice of Applications for Patents.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 12th June, 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. 4406.—ROBERT HENRY WYCHE, of Marton, New Zealand, Engineer. An invention for a new or improved safety-fastener for stirrups.

No. 4408.—HERMANN LEMP, of Lynn, Massachusetts, United States of America, Electrical Engineer. An invention for improvements in electric-welding apparatus.

No. 4411.—WILLIAM GRANT CAMPBELL, of Timaru, Canterbury, New Zealand, Engineer. An invention for a double-wire concave for threshing-machine, the title of which is to be "The Double-wire Concave."

No. 4412.—JOHN WILD, of Papanui, Canterbury, New Zealand, Hotelkeeper. An invention for a rut-filler and loose-stone gatherer.

No. 4413.—JOHN ROBERTSON, of Russell's Flat, Canterbury, New Zealand, Blacksmith, and THOMAS ALEXANDER BURNINGHAM, of Christchurch, Canterbury, aforesaid, Saddler. An invention for an improved easy-riding stirrup.

No. 4415.—CESAR FELIX JOSZ, of 92, Boulevard Leopold II., Brussels, Belgium, Civil Engineer. An invention for improvements in the manufacture of ornamental plates of metal or other sheets.

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

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No. 4416.—EDWARD TYER, of Ashwin Street, Dalston, Middlesex, England, Electrical Engineer. An invention for improvements in apparatus for insuring safety of traffic on single lines of railway.

No. 4417.—ELIJAH BEANS CORNELL, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, United States of America. An invention for improvements relating to the generation of heat in furnaces and to apparatus therefor.

No. 4418.—DAN RYLANDS, of Barnsley, England, Glass Manufacturer. An invention for improvements in or relating to glass-lined fittings for glass-lined tubing.

No. 4419.—RICHARD McALLISTER, of Liverpool Street, Hobart, Tasmania, Gasfitter, SARAH McALLISTER, wife of William McAllister, of the same place, Gasfitter, and DAVID WEST, of Collins Street, Hobart aforesaid, Licensed Victualer. An invention for improvements in an apparatus for increasing the illuminating power of gas and decreasing the consumption thereof.

No. 4420.—JOHN ANDERSON, of Dunedin, New Zealand, Engineer and Brass Founder. An invention for an improvement in water-valves, and entitled "Anderson's Patent Hydraulic Sluice-valve."

No. 4422.—ROBERT ORR, of the Lower Hutt, Wellington, New Zealand, Law Clerk. An invention for improved scraping-machinery for dressing New Zealand flax and other fibrous plants.

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

Application for Registration of a Trade-mark.

(No. 50.) Patent Office,
Wellington, 12th June, 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given that JOSEPH MOSELEY, trading as "David Moseley and Sons," at the Chapelfield Works, Ardwick, Manchester, Lancaster, England, 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.

Waterproof garments.

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.

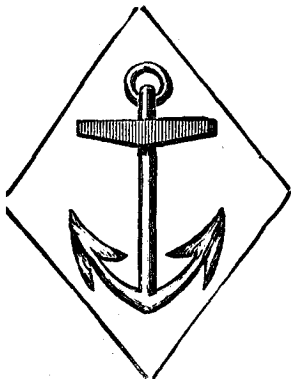
C. J. A. HASELDEN,
Registrar of Patents, Designs, and Trade-marks.

Application for Registration of a Trade-mark.

(No. 51.)

Patent Office,
Wellington, 12th June, 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given that JOSEPH MOSELEY, trading as "David Moseley and Sons," at the Chapelfield Works, Ardwich, Manchester, Lancaster, England, 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.

Hose and packing.

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

Class No. 50.

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. 52.)

Patent Office,
Wellington, 12th June, 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given that WALTER LAZENBY, of 18, Trinity Street, Southwark, London, S.E., England, Sauce and Pickle Manufacturer, has applied to register, under "The Patents, Designs, and Trade-marks Act, 1889," the trade-mark of which the following is a representation:—

MIXED PICKLES

PREPARED BY

E. LAZENBY & SON

(6 EDWARDS STREET, PORTMAN SQUARE)

18 TRINITY STREET

LONDON. S.E.

HARVEY'S SAUCE.—CAUTION.—The admirers of this celebrated Sauce are particularly requested to observe that each bottle bears the well-known label signed "ELIZABETH LAZENBY"; this label is protected by perpetual injunction in Chancery of the 9th July 1858 and without it none can be genuine.

Elizabeth Lazenby

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

Pickles.

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.

Goldfields Notices.

Application to proclaim certain Rivers in the Provincial District of Westland and their Tributaries Watercourses for the Deposit of Tailings.—Notice.

IN pursuance of the powers vested in him by section one hundred and fifty-four of "The Mining Act, 1886," His Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified that application has been made to him to proclaim the rivers in the Provincial District of Westland enumerated in the Schedule hereto and their tributaries to be watercourses into which tailings, mining debris, and waste water of every kind used in, upon, or discharged from any claim or licensed holding adjacent to such watercourses shall be suffered to flow or be discharged.

SCHEDULE.

- Mikonui and tributaries.
- Waitaha and tributaries.
- Wanganui and tributaries.
- Poerua and tributaries.
- Mataroa and tributaries.
- Waitangi-taona and tributaries.
- Waitangi-roto and tributaries.
- Okarito and tributaries.
- Waiho and tributaries.
- Totara-kai-torea and tributaries.
- Totara Creek, Blanchard's Bluff, and tributaries.
- Omoera and tributaries.
- Waikukupa and tributaries.
- Waihapa Creek and tributaries.
- Hauraki Creek and tributaries.
- Waikohai and tributaries.
- Weheka and tributaries.
- Oinetamatea and tributaries.
- Karangarua and tributaries.
- Manakaiiau and tributaries.
- Makawiho and tributaries.
- Mahitahi and tributaries.
- Longridge and tributaries.
- Oniamaka and tributaries.
- Paringa and tributaries.
- Moeraki and tributaries.
- Wakapohai and tributaries.
- Kotokakorakota Creek and tributaries
- Tauperikaka and tributaries.
- Waita and tributaries.
- Haast and tributaries.
- Okuru and tributaries.
- Turnbull and tributaries.
- Hapuka and tributaries.
- Waiatoto and tributaries.
- Arawata and tributaries.
- Smoothwater and tributaries.
- Humming Cove Creek and tributaries.
- Dandy Creek and tributaries.
- Stafford and tributaries.
- Cascade and tributaries.
- Hope and tributaries.
- Spoon and tributaries.
- Fork and tributaries.
- Gorge and tributaries.
- Hacket and tributaries.

Dated at Wellington, this 3rd day of June, 1890.

THOS. FERGUS,
Minister of Mines.

Native Land Court Notices.

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

WHANGARA BLOCK, POVERTY BAY DISTRICT.

WHEREAS Charles Seymour, of Whangara, in the District of Poverty Bay, in the Provincial District of Auckland, in the Colony of New Zealand, 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 Charles Seymour alleges that he has purchased or acquired the interests of Rawiri Maki, Hori Peita, Hiria Punua, Pipi Aokai, Henare Pei or Puhipuhi and Romari Puhipuhi (successors to Pera Puhipuhi), Rawiri Karaka, Pera Whakatete, Toapoaka, Tiopira Kaitara, Hoani Poihipi, Pipi Aokai or Haoki (successor to Paratene Tototahi and to Paora Hokotaro), Aperahama or Pera Whakatete and Enoka Whakatete (successors to Epeniha Whakatete and to Marara te Rama), Heni Rakaia (successor to Karanama Teko or Keka), Teopira Potanga or Karaka and Rawiri Karaka (successors to Torotia Kanapa), Hemi Tawhitawhi, Ramari Pukehuia, Henare Pei, Heni Hinaki, Miriama te Ahipare, Raheara te Kakahu, Hare Nahonaho, Eruera Taruke, Heta Maungaungu, Nikarima te Patu, Taraipene Taiki, Epiha Parau (successor to Raniera Kawheke or Kauheke), Hami Keiroiroi, Ruta Hape, Ake-nihi Wheku, Raihania Karaka, Enoka Karora, Wi Wharekino, Maeha Akurangi, Rapata Taita, Karauria Huatai (successor to Paora Kahakahe), Tamati te Ota, Heni Mohi, Apiata te Hame or Parehuia (successor to Natanahira Porete), Meri Karaka Hinewaka, Te Hape Kutia (successor to Karaitiana Hapi or Poki), Rawiri Karaha (successor to Mihaka Ngahui), Emere Ngahue and Arapeta or Peta Rangiuia (successors to Mehaka Ngahue), Hoani Hiratehe, Ruihi Mautatua and Hunia Kehukehu (successors to Hare Wahie), Tamati Pikikahu, Emere Tuatare, Hoani Piwaka, Mere Karaka (successor to Raheara Rukupo), Kereama Piwaka (successor to Kerihona Piwaka), Raihania Rangi (successor to Tamihana Paku, successor to Katarina Mana), 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 near Turanga, in the District of Poverty Bay, and known by the name of "The Whangara 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 Monday, the 23rd day of June, 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 alienation or acquisition of the said interests in the said lands.

Dated at the City of Wellington, this 17th day of May, 1890.

By order of the said Commissioners.

FRANK E. WILSON,
Secretary to the said Commissioners.

Sitting of Native Land Court.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Blenheim, 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.

Dated this 28th day of May, 1890.

W. BRIDSON,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.
PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Title and Date of Issue.
1	Taki Aperaima ..	Kaikoura Pa, 22½ acres	No grant.
2	Hakaraia te Rongokino	Kahutara ..	"
3	Ria Moheko ..	Oaro ..	"
4	Paratene Waruhe, Ihaia te Awanui, Poharama Waruhe, Renata Waruhe, Keepa te Hina Ranginui, and others	Mangamaunu, 4,800 acres	"
5	Timoti Karetai and Ripoka Karetai	Kaikoura ..	"
6	Hoani te Wanikau Tapiha	Mikonui ..	"
7	Hoani te Wanikau Tapiha	Kahutara ..	"
8	Ria Moheko ..	Waihiria, Mikonui	"
9	Paratene Waruhe ..	Pukaka ..	"
10	Matene te Kahuariki ..	Pukaka ..	"
11	Matene te Kahuariki ..	Kaikoura Pa ..	"
12	Paratene Waruhe ..	Kaikoura Pa ..	"
13	Ria Moheko ..	Kaikoura ..	"
14	Matene te Kahuariki ..	Opokihi ..	"
15	Ria Moheko ..	Waipapa ..	"

Sittings of Native Land Court.

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT OF
NEW ZEALAND.

IN exercise of the authority conferred on me by section 53 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1886," I, the undersigned, Chief Judge of the said Court, do hereby order that the several matters set down for hearing at Blenheim on the 2nd day of July, 1890, with the exception of those enumerated in the Schedule hereunder written, be adjourned to the 16th day of July, 1890, at Kaikoura.

Dated this 9th day of June, 1890.

H. G. SETH SMITH,
Chief Judge.

SCHEDULE.
SUCCESSION—REALTY.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.	Name of Land.
1	Tahuaraki Mason, Kainu Mason	Te Manihera Maihi	Havelock No. 50.
2	Rina te Oti, Kainu Mason, Tahuaraki Mason	Te Manihera Maihi	Havelock No. 50.
3	Kumeroa Matina	Te Matina ..	Te Ruapaka.
4	Wirihana Kaipara	Hopa Tamaiharoa	Te Ruapaka.
5	Wirihana Kaipara	Hipora te Ruapukahu	Te Ruapaka.
6	Tahuaraki Mason, Kainu Mason	Kerenapu Kereopa	Te Ruapaka.
7	Kumeroa Matina	Te Matina ..	Tawai, Te Hoiere No. 35.

Crown Lands Notices.

Crown Lands for Sale, Marlborough Land District.

Crown Lands Office,
Blenheim, 10th June, 1890.

THE under-mentioned Crown lands will be offered for disposal by public auction, at the Survey Office, Blenheim, on Tuesday, the 15th July, 1890, at noon:—

No. of Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
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FOR SALE FOR CASH.

Kaikoura.—Mount Fyffe Survey District.

		A. R. F.	£ s. d.
1	X.	0 1 26	5 0 0

SMALL GRAZING-RUNS (to be leased under Part VII. of "The Land Act, 1885").

Pelorus Sound.—Ohingaroa.—Linkwater Survey District.

		Area.	Upset Rent.
4	VI.	202 0 0	7 17 6
5	"	428 0 0	

Eli Bay.—Orieroi Survey District.

		Area.	Upset Rent.
3	I.	480 0 0	10 6 9
4	II.	347 0 0	

Maori Bay.

		Area.	Upset Rent.
2	IV.	318 0 0	9 6 0
3	"	426 0 0	

Clova Bay.—Gore Survey District.

		Area.	Upset Rent.
12	II.	*286 0 0	3d. an acre.
13	"	*586 0 0	

* These areas are approximate.

Half a year's rent and £1 ls. lease-fee to be paid on the fall of the hammer.

PASTORAL LICENSES.—PART VI., "THE LAND ACT, 1885."

Pine Valley Survey District.—North Bank of Wairau

Estimated area, 6,400 acres (including the late Oddstone Run, 4,200 acres). Upset annual rent, ½d. an acre. Term of license, from date of disposal to the 1st July, 1896.

Pine Valley and Mount Olympus Survey Districts.

Estimated area, 12,700 acres (adjoining the above-mentioned block). Upset annual rent, ½d. an acre. Term of license, from disposal to the 1st July, 1896.

Cloudy Bay Survey District.—Kaituna Valley.

Estimated area, 1,650 acres. Upset annual rent, 1d. an acre. Term of license, ten years.

Licensees to have the boundaries laid off at their own expense if required to do so by the Land Board.

Gore Survey District.—Forsythe Island.

The whole of the island, excepting present licensee's homestead. Estimated area, 1,850 acres. Upset annual rent, 1d. an acre. Term of license to be twenty-one years from expiration of present license.

Half a year's rent and £1 1s. license-fee to be paid on the fall of the hammer.

HENRY G. CLARK,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Forfeiture of Run.

Crown Lands Office,
Invercargill, 30th May, 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of section 188 of "The Land Act, 1885," that Run 424 is liable to forfeiture, and if rent and penalty be not paid within three months from present date the same will be declared forfeited.

J. SPENCE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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 1s. 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. MERCHANT,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Crown Lands for Sale by Public Auction.

Crown Lands Office,
Auckland, 19th May, 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 27th June next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

THOS. HUMPHRIES,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

SCHEDULE.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.	Locality.
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SUBURBAN LANDS.

45 | A. R. P. | £ s. d. |
45 | 4 1 17 | 21 5 0 | Otatau Suburbs.
Description of Land: Adjoins the Village of Otatau, on Wairoa River.

26 | 19 0 20 | 57 7 6 | Waiomio Suburbs.
Description of Land: Swamp land, valuable for position between railway and road.

RURAL LANDS.

Hobson County.

S.E. pt. } | 4 0 17 | 2 5 0 | Arapohue Parish.
72 }
Description of Land: Nearly all swampy bush, with a little open land.

Manukau County.

55 | 9 0 32 | 18 10 0 | Tuakau Parish.
Description of Land: Open land, near Village of Upper Tuakau.

Otamatea County.

210A | 16 0 0 | 8 0 0 | Mareretu Parish.
Description of Land: All mixed bush, good soil.

Raglan County.

121 | 50 0 0 | 18 15 0 | Karioi Parish.
Description of Land: Very broken land, nearly all mixed bush. This lot contains nearly the whole of the Tetoto Gorge.

Tauranga County.

Block XII.

10 | 34 2 0 | 13 0 0 | Maketu Survey District.
Description of Land: Open land, with about 10 acres swamp.

Waitemata County.

69	133 2 0	267 0 0	Kaukapakapa Parish.
N. pt. 70	21 2 16	5 7 6	"
74	61 1 8	61 7 6	"
N.E. pt. 73	21 2 0	16 2 6	"
75	48 2 16	48 12 6	"
N. pt. 77	38 1 1	57 5 0	"

Description of Land: All forest lands, containing kauri, as follows: Lot 69, about 450,000ft.; 74, 100,000ft.; N.E. part 73, 30,000ft.; 75, 50,000ft.; and N. part 77, 100,000ft. Lot 69 is about one and a half miles from railway-station. Timber on 74, N.E. part 73, and 75 can be got out by Waitoki Stream. Lot N. part 77, about two miles from Wainui.

Education Reserve (for sale subject to a lease to Mrs. Susannah Clayton, to expire in 1898).

198	12 2 28	38 0 0	Kaiwaka Suburbs.
200	7 3 32	23 17 6	"
205	15 0 0	45 0 0	"
206	15 0 20	45 7 6	"
219	10 0 0	30 0 0	"
220	10 0 6	30 2 6	"
265	6 2 8	19 15 0	"

Sale of Crown Lands.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned Crown lands will be offered for application and sale at the Crown Lands Office, Napier, on Thursday, the 26th June, 1890:—

TO BE OPENED ON APPLICATION.—FORFEITED SECTIONS.

Section.	Block.	District.	Area.	Cash Price per Acre.
3 and 4	II.	Makaretu ..	A. R. P. | £ s. d. 164 1 0	1 5 0

Description of Land: Forest land, containing some useful timber. Undulating and hilly, with good water-supply. Distant about six miles from Makaretu and two from Ashley-Clinton.

Conditions: The above-described sections are offered as surveyed land, in terms of sections 3 to 11 of "The Land Act Amendment Act, 1887," either for cash, or on deferred payment, or on perpetual lease.

To be offered at auction on same day, at 11.30 a.m.:-

FOR CASH.

Section.	Block.	District.	Area.	Upset Price.
			A. R. P.	£ s. d.
1	XIV.	Woodville ..	295 0 0	221 5 0
48	III.	Tahoraite ..	11 0 0	79 10 0
49	"	" ..	22 0 0	116 0 0
	"	Wakarara ..	62 2 36	420 15 0
11	VI.	Kumeroa Village	0 2 0	40 0 0
12	"	" ..	0 2 0	60 0 0

Description of Land: Section 1, Block XIV., Woodville, is hilly forest-land on spurs of Ruahine Range, between Woodville and Manawatu Gorge. Access is had by Woodville-Palmerston Road and through Ferry Reserve. Sections 48 and 49, Block III., Tahoraite, are situated within a few minutes' walk of Danevirke, on the new road to Wainui. The land is of first-class quality, and contains a considerable quantity of valuable totara and matai timber, Block 88, Wakarara, is within about twenty miles of Waipawa, by a good road. It is enclosed by a substantial ring-fence, and carries a large quantity of valuable timber, consisting of totara, matai, rimu, miro, and kahikatea, estimated to be worth at least £200. A proportion of the cost of fencing would be recoverable from adjoining owners under the existing Fencing Acts.

Conditions: One-fifth of the purchase-money to be paid on the fall of the hammer; the balance, with Crown-grant fee, within one month from date of sale.

FORFEITED DEFERRED-PAYMENT SECTIONS.

Section.	Block.	District.	Area.	Upset Price.
			A. R. P.	£ s. d.
10	XV.	Hangarua ..	28 3 26	28 15 0
5*	VII.	Woodville ..	1 0 24	4 0 6

* Subject to £210s. for valuation for improvements.

Description of Land: Section 10, Block XV., Hangarua, is distant about a mile and a half from the village of Tiniroto and the Gisborne-Wairoa main road. Section 5, Block VII., Woodville, is half-way between the Woodville and Victoria Railway-stations, in the middle of a well-settled district. It is laid down in grass.

ON PERPETUAL LEASE.

Section.	Block.	District.	Area.	Price per Acre.
			A. R. P.	£ s. d.
15	VI.	Weber ..	15 0 0	2 10 0

Description of Land: Situated on the banks of the Akitio River, about two miles from the Wainui-Tahoraite Road. Two acres have been felled and eight acres under-scrubbed on the section.

Conditions: £7 is to be paid in cash for the above-mentioned improvements. Half a year's rent and £1 10s. lease-and registration-fees are also to be paid by the successful bidder.

FOR LICENSE FOR TEN YEARS.

Description of Land.	Area.	Upset Rental.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
Signal-station Reserve, Mahia ..	33 0 0	2 10 0

Description of Land: On the sea-coast, adjoining Mahia Township.

Conditions: Half a year's rent and £1 1s. license-fee must be paid at the sale.

For further particulars apply to the Crown Land Offices at Napier or Gisborne.

G. W. WILLIAMS,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Postmasters appointed.

General Post Office, Wellington, 2nd June, 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.
Dobbie, E.	Abbotsford	Dunedin	28 April, 1890.
Allan, R. N.	Alexandra	Auckland	21 March, "
Stevenson, E.	Bendigo	Dunedin	1 May, "
Mooney, H. F.	Caversham	Dunedin	12 May, "
Pridham, G.	Coal Island	Invercargill	1 May, "
Gray, J. H.	Fairview	Timaru	14 April, "
Duff, J. O.	Greytown South	Dunedin	12 May, "
Laurell, H. W.	Heathcote Valley	Christchurch	15 April, "
Kelly, J.	Hillgrove	Oamaru	1 May, "
Hynes, C.	Kaimata	Greymouth	19 April, "
Bowden, W. J.	Kaiwarawara	Wellington	9 May, "
Buchan, W.	Lauriston	Christchurch	1 May, "
Bentley, S.	Mahia	Napier	21 April, "
Thompson, F. G.	Ngahere	Greymouth	10 May, "
Goodeve, H. E.	Pareora	Timaru	1 May, "
Watson, A.	Pleasant Point	Timaru	23 April, "
Bedford, J.	Puriri	Thames	21 April, "
Brady, W. H.	Richardson	Greymouth	1 May, "
Rayner, H. H.	Ruapuna	Christchurch	19 March, "
Randle, H.	Shag Valley	Dunedin	1 April, "
Adams, A.	Spring Creek	Blenheim	16 April, "
Donaldson, A.	Studholme Junction	Timaru	1 July, 1889.
Crowther, F. G.	Tamahere	Auckland	1 April, 1890.
Hesseltine, R. L.	Wai-iti	Nelson	1 June, "
Pennington, H. W.	Waiorongomai	Thames	1 May, "
Walters, J.	Waipara	Christchurch	8 May, "
Warin, J.	Waipatiki	Napier	1 June, "
Turner, I. W.	Washdyke	Timaru	19 April, "
Mearns, G.	Whananaki	Auckland	9 May, "

Post Offices opened.

General Post Office, Wellington, 2nd June, 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.
Coal Island	Invercargill.
Kaimata	Greymouth.
Longridge Village (reopened)	Invercargill.
Waipatiki	Napier.

Post Offices closed.

General Post Office, Wellington, 2nd June, 1890.

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

EDWIN MITCHELSON,
Postmaster-General.

Name of Office.	Postal District.
Blue Cliffs	Timaru.
Cobden	Greymouth.
Longridge Village ..	Invercargill.

RETURN of IMMIGRATION to and EMIGRATION from the COLONY of NEW ZEALAND during the MONTH of MAY, 1890, showing the Places from which Persons arrived and to which they departed, and the Ports of Arrival and Departure. (Subject to revision.)

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES FROM AND TO DIFFERENT PLACES.

Countries.	ARRIVALS.					DEPARTURES.				
	Adults.		Children.		Total Persons.	Adults.		Children.		Total Persons.
	M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.	M.	F.	
United Kingdom	53	45	25	14	137	181	118	28	20	347
Queensland	2	..	..	..	2	2	..	..	..	2
New South Wales	357	132	47	39	575	594	277	64	34	969
Victoria	132	62	15	14	223	132	166	34	27	409
South Australia .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Western Australia	5	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..
Tasmania	13	4	1	1	19	14	8	2	1	25
Other places	21	8	..	..	29	57	30	3	8	98
Totals	533	251	88	68	990	1,030	599	131	90	1,850

ARRIVALS AT AND DEPARTURES FROM DIFFERENT NEW ZEALAND PORTS.*

Ports.	ARRIVALS.					DEPARTURES.				
	Adults.	Children.	Males.	Females.	Total Persons.	Adults.	Children.	Males.	Females.	Total Persons.
Russell .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	3	..	3
Kaipara	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Auckland	426	61	344	143	487	378	34	254	158	412
Wellington	127	40	111	56	167	654	86	507	233	740
Wanganui	2	..	..	2	2	2	..	2	..	2
Napier	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Lyttelton	2	..	2	..	2	213	35	157	91	248
Timaru	5	..	5	..	5	..	..	..	..	..
Dunedin	60	24	48	36	84	9	2	6	5	11
Invercargill	210	31	160	81	241	370	64	232	202	434
Totals	834	156	671	319	990	1,629	221	1,161	689	1,850

CHINESE.—Arrivals, nil; departures, 1.

* It is important to mention that, in the returns from which this table is made up, immigrants to the colony are all counted at the first port of arrival, and emigrants at the final port of departure.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 11th June, 1890.

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

Tenders for Sleepers, New Zealand Railways.

Railway Department (Head Office), Wellington, 10th June, 1890.

THE following list of successful and unsuccessful tenders for the supply and delivery of silver-pine sleepers for the New Zealand railways is published for general information.

By order of the Commissioners.

E. G. PILCHER, Secretary.

Tenderer.	Address.	Place of Delivery.	Number.	Description.	Rate per Sleeper.	Remarks.
Thomas Lowrey ..	Kaimata ..	Brunnerton ..	2,000	Silver-pine	s. d. 1 11½	Accepted.
Feary Brothers ..	Richardson ..	Brunnerton ..	2,000	"	2 2	Declined.
W. L. Stewart ..	Cobden ..	Greymouth or Brunner	1,000	"	2 3	"
W. E. Church ..	Richardson ..	Greymouth ..	2,000	"	2 3½	"
Algie and Priest ..	Ngahere ..	Brunner ..	1,500	"	2 6	"
Frank White ..	Marsden ..	Greymouth ..	1,000	"	2 6	"
Frank White ..	Marsden ..	Greymouth ..	1,000	"	2 7	"
George Nottel ..	Ahaura ..	Brunnerton ..	1,000	"	2 7	"

Tenders for Castings, 1890-91, New Zealand Railways.

Railway Department (Head Office), Wellington, 10th June, 1890.

THE following list of successful and unsuccessful tenders for the supply and delivery of iron castings, from the 1st July, 1890, to the 30th June, 1891, is published for general information.

By order of the Commissioners.

E. G. PILCHER, Secretary.

Tenderer.	Place of Delivery.	Rate per cwt.		Remarks.
		Up to 100lb.	Over 100lb.	
AUCKLAND:				
A. Hawkeswood ..	Newmarket ..	s. d. 14 0	s. d. 12 6	Accepted.
Beane, Marks, and Co. ..	Newmarket ..	15 0	15 0	Declined.
WELLINGTON:				
Smith Brothers ..	Petone ..	14 0	14 0	Accepted.
S. Luke and Sons ..	Petone ..	16 4	16 4	Declined.
CHRISTCHURCH:				
John Anderson ..	Addington ..	12 6	12 0	Accepted.
DUNEDIN:				
A. and T. Burt ..	Addington and Hillside	12 0	10 0	Declined.
A. and T. Burt ..	Hillside ..	12 0	10 0	Accepted.
Thomas Begg ..	Addington and Hillside	13 0	12 0	Declined.
Thomas Begg ..	Hillside ..	13 0	12 0	Declined.

Tenders for Sawn Totara Timber, New Zealand Railways.

Railway Department (Head Office), Wellington, 10th June, 1890.

THE following list of successful and unsuccessful tenders for the supply and delivery of sawn totara timber for the Invercargill Section, New Zealand railways, is published for general information.

By order of the Commissioners.

E. G. PILCHER, Secretary.

Tenderer.	Address.	Place of Delivery.	Rate per 100ft.	Remarks.
Fritz Jenssen ..	Hawke's Bay Timber Company, Napier	Bluff ..	17s. ..	Accepted.
John C. Colbeck ..	New Zealand Pine Company, Invercargill	Any railway-siding in Southland	18s. ..	Declined.

Tenders for Carriage-roof Lamps and Reflectors, New Zealand Railways.

Railway Department (Head Office), Wellington, 10th June, 1890.

THE following list of successful and unsuccessful tenders for the supply and delivery of 50 kerosene carriage-roof lamps and reflectors for the New Zealand railways is published for general information.

By order of the Commissioners.

E. G. PILCHER, Secretary.

Tenderer.	Address.	Place of Delivery.	Rate.	Remarks.
Anderson and Morrison ..	Dunedin ..	Dunedin Store ..	30s. each ..	Accepted.
A. and T. Burt ..	Dunedin ..	Dunedin Store ..	35s. each ..	Declined.

Crown Lands Notices.

Educational Reserve for Sale, Canterbury Land District.

Crown Lands Office,
Christchurch, 10th June, 1890.

THE under-mentioned lands, situated within the Educational Reserve No. 1574, Hakateramea, will be offered for occupation as pastoral lands by public auction, at the Land Office, Timaru, on Friday, the 18th July next, at 11 a.m., at the upset annual rentals per acre noted below. Tenure for seven years, unless previously purchased:—

HAKATERAMEA DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.			Upset Annual Rental per Acre.	
		A.	R.	P.	£	s. d.
A	II.	870	0	0	0	1 0
B	II., VI.	672	0	0	0	1 3
C	V.	270	0	0	0	1 3
D	IX.	570	0	0	0	1 0
E	"	545	0	0	0	1 0
F	X.	14	0	0	0	1 0
G	III.	204	0	0	0	0 9
H	V., VI.	27	0	0	0	1 6
I	X.	100	0	0	0	0 6
J	XIII.	32	2	0	0	1 0
K	III., VII.	520	0	0	0	1 0

The lands are fairly-grassed pastoral country. They are offered under the provisions of "The Educational Reserves Sale and Leasing Act, 1876," under which they are liable to be purchased at any time at £2 per acre. The general provisions of "The Land Act, 1885," relating to pastoral lands will also apply to these lands. The rent to be paid half-yearly, six months' rent being paid at the time of sale, and the rentals to be adjusted at each payment for the lands remaining unsold at the rate paid per acre.

Poster and plans can be seen at the principal railway-stations and post offices throughout Canterbury, and may be obtained at the Land Offices at Christchurch and Timaru.

JOHN H. BAKER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land District of Canterbury.—Canterbury Runs for Sale by Auction.

Crown Lands Office,
Christchurch, 10th June, 1890.

THE under-mentioned runs will be offered for sale by public auction, at the upset rentals noted below, at the Land Office, Timaru, on Friday, the 18th July, 1890, at 11 a.m.:—

LITHOGRAPH NO. 3.—WAIMATE COUNTY.

- Part of Waimate Station, Run 51, 7,250 acres; rent, £160.
- Part of Station Peak, Run 52, 12,500 acres; rent, £255.
- Part of Station Peak, Run 53, 6,500 acres; rent, £120.
- Part of Station Peak, Run 54, 5,800 acres; rent, £105.

The license will be for a term of seven and a half months, the upset rental specified being in each case for the whole period for which the run will be let.

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

In the event of the late licensee not becoming the purchaser a reasonable time will be allowed him for the removal of stock and improvements.

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

Plans and full particulars can be obtained on application at the Land Offices, Christchurch and Timaru.

JOHN H. BAKER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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 in each case within one calendar month next after the date of publication hereof.

Parts of Section 12, Sawyer's Bay District.—WILLIAM MENZIES, Applicant. Occupied by Applicant. No. 3924.

Part of Section 10, Block XXVII., Town of Dunedin.—ELIZABETH TERRY, Applicant. Occupied by a weekly tenant. No. 3925.

Allotments 141 and 142, Township of Mansford.—WILLIAM HERVEY SANSON, Applicant. Occupied by Applicant. No. 3926.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 9th day of June, 1890, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

H. TURTON,
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 within one calendar month after the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

6623. CORNELIUS YAXLEY.—20 acres, Rural Section 12908, Block XIII., Grey Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

6624. GEORGE LILL.—50 acres, Rural Sections 12368 and 12369, Block XII., Rolleston Survey District. Occupied by — Dean.

6625. EDWIN BLAKE.—73 acres, Rural Sections 513 and 2857, Block VII., Christchurch Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

6626. HENRY WILLIAM PACKER.—8 perches, part Sections 887 and 889, Cashel Street, City of Christchurch. Occupied by Thomas Wallace, or his tenant, as lessee.

6627. O'CALLAGHAN RAINE.—1 rood 20 perches, Lot 37, Plan 871, part Rural Section 300, Town District of Linwood. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 9th day of June, 1890, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

J. M. BATHAM,
District Land Registrar.

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A DECLARATION of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. vi., folio 210, to PHILIP MOON, of New Plymouth, Stonemason, for part of Section 699, New Plymouth, having been lodged with me, notice is hereby given that a provisional certificate of title will be issued after the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same.

Dated this 5th day of June, 1890, at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth.

W. STUART,
District Land Registrar.

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

Name of Applicant: JAMES DAVIDSON, of Hawera, Storekeeper. Description of land: Part of Section No. 12, Hawera Ten-acre Settlement. Unoccupied.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 7th day of June, 1890, at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth.

W. STUART,
District Land Registrar.

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

Name of Applicant: WILLIAM INNES, of Normanby, Farmer. Description of land: Section 325 and parts Sections 321, 323, and 324, Patea District. Area: 191 acres 1 rood 29 perches. Occupied partly by the Applicant and partly by William Verney.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 10th day of June, 1890, at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth.

W. STUART,
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 within one month from the date of the gazetting of this notice.

WALTER HENDERSON and SAMUEL GORDON.—2 roads 9 perches, being Sections 6 and 7, Block III., Town of Campbelltown. Occupied by Applicants. Nos. 2405 and 2406.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 31st day of May, 1890, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

F. G. MORGAN,
District Land Registrar.

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Mining Notices.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The Croesus Consolidated Quartz-mining Company (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration: 1890; 1st May, 1890.
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Nenthorn; George Arthur Harlow.
 Nominal capital: £50,000.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £50,000.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £2,073 3s. 6d.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same: £50,000; £2,000.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £8,000.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 100,000.
 Number of shares allotted: 100,000.
 Amount paid up per share: 2s. on 20,000; 1d. on 100,000.
 Amount called up per share: 2s. 1d.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Part of 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, and 7th; £343 9s. 10d.
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 13.
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash at bankers: Nil.
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
 Amount of debts directly due to the company: £343 9s. 10d.
 Amount of debts considered good: £343 9s. 10d.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of the company: £2,013 1s. 1d.

I, George Arthur Harlow, of Nenthorn, Manager of the Croesus Consolidated Quartz-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st May, 1890; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

GEORGE A. HARLOW,
 Manager.

Declared at Nenthorn, this 4th day of June, 1890, before me—Wm. Donaldson, J.P. 324

Private Advertisements.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND,
OTAGO AND SOUTHLAND DISTRICT.

In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1882," and its amendments, and in the matter of the Nenthorn Public Battery Company (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding-up of the above-named company by the Supreme Court was, on the 9th day of June, 1890, presented to Mr. Justice Williams, a Judge of the Supreme Court, by James Cox Thomson, William Bell Bridger, both of Dunedin, Ironmongers, and John Allan, of Bellfield, East Taieri, Farmer, creditors of the said company; and the said petition is directed to be heard before a Judge of the said Court on the 23rd day of June, 1890, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon; and any creditor or contributory of the said company, desirous to oppose the making of an order for the winding-up of the said company under the above Act, should appear at the time of hearing, by himself or his counsel, for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said company requiring the same, by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

KENYON AND HOSKING,
 Of Princes Street, Dunedin,
 Solicitors for the Petitioners.

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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,
 Attorney for the said company.

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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 Rakaja 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 Maungaangu, Nikarima te Patu, Taraipine Taiki, Epiha Parau as successor of Raniera Kawheke or Kauheke, Hami 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 Kabekahe, 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 Karaka as successor to Mihaka Ngahui, Arapeta or Peta Rangiua as successor to Mehaka Ngahue, Hoani Hiratehe, Ruihi Mautatua as successor to Hare Wahie, Hunia Kehukehu as successor to Hare Wahie, Tamati Pikikahu, Emere Tnatatare, Emere Ngahue as successor to Mihaka Ngahue, Hoani Piwaka, Mere Karaka as successor of Raheara 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 Tologa 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 Chrisp, Solicitors, situate in the Union Bank Buildings, Gladstone Road, Gisborne.

Dated this 20th day of May, 1890.

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CHAS. SEYMOUR.

THE KAKANUI MANUFACTURING AND MEAT-PRESERVING COMPANY (LIMITED), IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Kakanui Manufacturing and Meat-preserving Company (Limited), in liquidation, is hereby convened for, and will be held on, Thursday, the 14th day of August, 1890, at the office of Mr. H. D. Andrews, the Company's Solicitor, No. 9, Cathedral Square, Christchurch, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

Business: To receive the Liquidator's accounts and report of the winding-up and liquidation of the company's business and property. To determine how the books, accounts, and documents of the company shall be disposed of.

Dated this 2nd day of June, 1890.

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WALTER G. FOSTER,
Liquidator.

COUNTY OF WAITEMATA.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TAKE LAND FOR ROADS.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed by the Waitemata County Council, under the provisions of "The Public Works Act, 1882," to execute certain public works, to wit, the construction of a road in the Parish of Pukeatua and in the Parish of Waiwera, County of Waitemata, and for the purposes of such public works the lands described in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken; and notice is further given that copies of the plans of the said roads and of the lands so required to be taken are deposited at the County Office, Palmerston Buildings, Auckland, and are there open for inspection. All persons affected by the execution of the said public works or by the taking of the said lands shall, if they have any well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public works or to the taking of such lands, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the Clerk of the Waitemata County Council, Palmerston Buildings, Auckland.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land required to be taken.	Being Section or Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the
A. B. P. 0 3 6	154	VII.	Waiwera Survey District and Parish. Property of Mary Sidwell.
1 3 18	154	"	Waiwera Survey District and Parish. Property of John Blake.
2 0 19	142	IX.	Waiwera Survey District, Parish of Pukeatua. Property of H. Elias.
2 2 16	307	"	Waiwera Survey District, Parish of Pukeatua. Property of D. and R. O. Roberts.

By Order of the Council.

OLIVER MAYS,

County Clerk.

County Office, Auckland, 29th May, 1890.

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NOTICE.

A GENERAL Meeting of shareholders in the Mount Rangitoto Silver-mining Company (Limited), in liquidation, will be held at my office, Wharf Street, Hokitika, on Friday, the 25th July, 1890, at 4 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of considering and passing the accounts in connection with the liquidation of the said company.

J. BEVAN,

Official Liquidator.

Hokitika, 5th June, 1890.

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I, GEORGE RICHARD SAUNDERS, Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery of the University of Cambridge, M.R.C.S. Eng., L.R.C.P. Lond., resident in Wanganui, hereby give notice that it is my intention to apply to the Registrar-General, at Wellington, on the 12th day of July, 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 inspection.

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GEORGE RICHARD SAUNDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned ARTEMUS CANDY, of Christchurch, and EDWIN STEEDS, of the same place, trading together in copartnership under the name, style, or firm of "Candy, Steeds, and Co.," as Provision Merchants, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 25th day of March, 1890. The business will be carried on by the said Edwin Steeds on his sole account, and he will receive all debts due to and pay all liabilities due by the late firm.

Dated this 15th day of May, 1890.

ARTEMUS CANDY.

EDWIN STEEDS.

Witness to both signatures—James Goodman, of Christchurch, Law Clerk.

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto existing between us, the undersigned DAVID THOMPSON and ROBERT HENRY SMALE, under the style or firm of "D. Thompson and Co.," in the business of Flax-dressers, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

The business will in future be carried on by the undersigned, Robert Henry Smale and John Poole, under the style or firm of "J. Poole and Co.," by whom all the debts of the late firm will be discharged and all debts due to the said late firm will be received.

As witness our hands, this 10th day of May, 1890.

D. THOMPSON.

R. H. SMALE.

J. POOLE.

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