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Licensing Districts altered.

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

WHEREAS by the sixth section of "The Licensing Act, 1881," it is enacted that the Governor shall, as soon as conveniently may be after the commencement of the said Act, by Proclamation in the *Gazette*, from time to time define districts to be licensing districts under the said Act, and from time to time may alter and redefine the boundaries of the same: And whereas it is expedient to alter and redefine the boundaries of the Districts of West Hawksbury, Hawksbury, and Merton:

Now, therefore, I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the said Act, alter and redefine the boundaries of the said districts, which shall henceforth be those described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

WEST HAWKSBUURY.

ALL that area known as the Borough of Hawksbury, as described in the Second Schedule to a Proclamation published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 54, 24th September, 1885.

HAWKSBUURY.

All that area in Waikouaiti County bounded towards the north-west and north-east generally by Waihemo County; towards the south-east by the ocean; towards the south-west by the Waikouaiti River and the north branch thereof to a point in line with the north-eastern boundary-line of Pre-emptive Right Section No. 1, Hummockside Survey District; thence by a right-line to the north-eastern boundary-line of that pre-emptive right section; thence by that boundary-line and by Section No. 5, Block IV., Hummockside Survey District, and Sections Nos. 8 and 4 of the said Block IV. to the north-western corner of the last-mentioned section; thence again towards the south-east by the said Section No. 4 to Run No. 171A; thence again towards the south by the said Run No. 171A and Run No. 171B to Taieri County; and again towards the south-west by the said Taieri County; exclusive of the Borough of Hawksbury.

MERTON.

All that area in Waikouaiti County bounded towards the north and north-east by West Hawksbury Licensing District, hereinbefore described; towards the south-east by the ocean and Blueskin Bay; towards the south by Block II., North Harbour and Blueskin Survey District, to the north-western corner of that block; thence by a line due west to the south branch of the Waikouaiti River; thence towards the north-west by the said south branch to the northern boundary-line of Block IX., Waikouaiti Survey District; thence again towards the south by the said Block IX. and Block X., Waikouaiti Survey District, and Block V., Silverpeak Survey

District, to Taieri County; and thence towards the south-west by the said Taieri County.

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

W. P. REEVES.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Police-gaol proclaimed.

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

COLONY OF NEW ZEALAND, }
TO WIT.

WHEREAS by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled "The Prisons Act, 1882," it is enacted that the Governor may, by Proclamation published in the *Gazette*, declare that such police-stations as he shall name therein shall be police-gaols:

And whereas it is desirable to proclaim the police-station at Nelson, in the Provincial District of Nelson, to be a police-gaol:

Now, therefore, I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance of the above-recited power and authority, do hereby declare that the said building shall be a police-gaol from and after the appearance of this Proclamation in the *Gazette*.

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 Wellington, this fifth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

W. P. REEVES.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Nelson Prison ceased to be a Prison.

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

WHEREAS by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled "The Prisons Act, 1882," it is enacted that the Governor may, by Proclamation in the *New Zealand Gazette*, declare that any prison shall no longer be a prison; and upon the gazetting of such Proclamation, or from and after any later date fixed in such Proclamation for the purpose, such prison shall cease to be a prison:

Now, therefore, I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance of the above-recited power and authority, do hereby declare that from and after the gazetting of this Proclamation the prison at Nelson, in the Provincial District of Nelson, shall cease to be a prison.

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 Wellington, this fifth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

W. P. REEVES.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Vesting Control of the Kaipokonui Traffic Bridge in Hawera County Council.

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

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

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

Now, therefore, I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities in me vested by the said Act, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby direct that the bridge mentioned in the Schedule hereto, and known as the Kaipokonui Traffic Bridge, shall, from and after the twenty-fifth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, be under the exclusive care, control, and management of the Hawera County Council; and I do hereby fix and determine that the Hawera County Council shall itself provide out of its own funds the whole cost of managing and maintaining the said bridge.

SCHEDULE.

That bridge over the Kaipokonui River known as the Kaipokonui Traffic-bridge, and the approaches on each side thereof, situated on Eltham Road, near Kaponga Township, all in Hawera County, Provincial District of Taranaki; as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 12673A, deposited in the General Survey Office, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

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

of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land declared open for Sale or Selection in the 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 the 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.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Price per Acre.	Deferred-payment Price per Acre.	Perpetual-lease Rent per Acre.
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SECOND-CLASS LANDS.—WITHIN A MINING DISTRICT.

Bay of Islands County.—Hukerenui Survey District.

		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
18	II.	106	0	0	0	12	6	0	15	7½	0	0	7½
19	"	80	1	9	0	12	6	0	15	7½	0	0	7½
44	VI.	53	2	30	0	10	0	0	12	6	0	0	6
45	"	62	3	0	0	10	0	0	12	6	0	0	6
50	"	98	2	0	0	10	0	0	12	6	0	0	6

Sections 18 and 19 are covered with green and burnt forest, the soil is good and each section contains about 30 acres of flat land; 44, consists of bush and fern land with about one-half good flat; 45, about one-fifth bush, remainder fern and tea-tree with 10 acres of flat; 50, consists of fern and tea-tree with 10 acres of good flat covered with bush.

Whangarei County.—Parish of Otakairangi.

18	..	167	1	3	0	10	0	0	12	6	0	0	6
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About 50 acres of this lot is covered with fern and scrub, the remainder with mixed bush, soil fair.

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 Wellington, this thirtieth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Lands taken for Roads in Hobson County.

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

WHEREAS the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken, under "The Public Works Act, 1882," and its amendments, for a certain work, to wit, the construction of roads in Hobson County:

And whereas the Hobson County Council has laid before the Governor the memorial, accompanied by maps, and also

the statutory declaration, required by the said Act and the amendments thereof:

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

SCHEDULE.

THE several parcels of land mentioned in list hereunder:—

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in the Survey District of	Situated in the Parish of
A. R. P. 3 1 15.5 1 1 16	Section No. 61 .. Kohekohe Block (409 in red)	.. Maungaru	Arapohue. ..

All in the Provincial District of Auckland; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plans marked S.G. 13431 and S.G. 13431A respectively, deposited in the General Survey Office, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop; Viscount Cranley, of Cranley in the County of Surrey; Baron Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop, and of West Clendon 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 Wellington, this thirtieth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Native Land proposed to be taken for a Lighthouse on Stephen Island.

ONSLOW, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of February, 1891.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE THE PREMIER PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken for a public work, to wit, the construction of a lighthouse and other works in connection therewith:

And whereas the said land is held or occupied by Native owners, and the title thereto is not derived from the Crown:

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 the Right Honourable 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 public work hereinbefore mentioned shall and may be constructed on the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area of land containing 370 acres or thereby, situated at the northern entrance to Cook Strait, and lying in a north-eastern direction from Cape Stephens, D'Urville Island, being the whole of that island commonly known as Stephen Island or Takaporewa; which said Island of Takaporewa is one of the islets enumerated in the description and delineated on the plan embodied in certificate of title No. 52, dated the 20th November, 1883, issued by the Native Land Court of New Zealand, at a Court held at Nelson, in the Provincial District of Nelson, on the said 20th November, 1883; all in the D'Urville Survey District, in the said Provincial District of Nelson; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 16720, deposited in

the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Land in the Borough of Sydenham, not required for Public Use, authorised to be sold.

ONSLOW, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of April, 1891.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE THE PREMIER PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section fourteen of "The Public Works Act, 1882," it is enacted that, if it is found that any land held, taken, purchased, or acquired at any time under that Act, or any other Act or provincial ordinance, or otherwise however, for public works, is not required for public use, the Governor may, by an Order in Council, publicly notified and gazetted, cause the same to be sold under the conditions therein set forth: And whereas the Borough Council of Sydenham has laid before the Governor the memorial referred to in the section aforesaid, praying the Governor, by an Order in Council, to cause such land to be sold:

Now, therefore, I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, and in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities aforesaid, do hereby order and authorise the land described in the Schedule hereto to be sold and dealt with in the manner and subject to the conditions in the fourteenth and following sections of the above in part recited Act.

SCHEDULE.

THE parcel of land mentioned hereunder:—

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land required to be sold.	Being Portion of Original Rural Section No.	Situated in the Survey District of	Situated in the Borough of
A. R. P. 0 0 30.5	79	Christchurch	Sydenham.

As the same is delineated on plan marked S.G. 12830A, a copy of which is deposited in the General Survey Office, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured green.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Removal of Restrictions on Alienation of Native Land.

ONSLOW, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of April, 1891.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE THE PREMIER PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS application has been made to the Governor in Council by Aperahama Mira, Ropata Tangahoe, Hiniri Tangahoe, Wi Parata te Kahakura, and Heperi Riki, comprising a majority in number of the Native owners of the land described in the second column of the Schedule hereto, praying that the restrictions on the alienation of such land contained in the Native Land Court order bearing date the sixth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, described in the first column of the said Schedule, may be removed: And whereas inquiry has been duly made by the Native Land Court in respect of the subject-matter of the said application, and the said Court has reported thereon to His Excellency the Governor: 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 Native Land Court order on the alienation of the said lands are hereby removed.

SCHEDULE.

FIRST COLUMN. Particulars of Grant or Instrument containing Restrictions.	SECOND COLUMN. Description of Lands.
Native Land Court order in favour of Aperahama Mira, Ropata Tangahoe, Hiniri Tangahoe, Wi Parata te Kahakura, and Heipiri Riki, dated 6th April, 1888, and containing the following restrictions: "Inalienable, except with the consent of the Governor, by sale or mortgage, or by lease for a longer period than twenty-one years."	Te Puka Native Reserve, Wellington, containing 60 acres.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Declaring a Portion of the Woodville to Palmerston Road to be a County Road.

ONSLOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of April, 1891.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE THE PREMIER PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in him by "The Public Works Act, 1882," and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Right Honourable 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 portion of the Woodville to Palmerston Road, described in the Schedule below, shall, on and after the first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, become a county road.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of the Woodville-Palmerston Road which commences at the Manawatu Gorge Bridge, on the left bank of the Manawatu River, and proceeds in a westerly direction through the Counties of Pahiatua and Oroua respectively for a distance of four and a half miles, more or less, to the bridge over the Manawatu River, at the Lower Ferry; as the same is delineated on plan marked S.G. 11620, deposited in the General Survey Office, at Wellington, and thereon marked in red.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

ONSLOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of April, 1891.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE THE PREMIER PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by "The Public Domains Act, 1881," His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby revoke a certain Order in Council, dated the sixteenth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, making delegation of certain powers in manner as therein appears; and doth, with the like advice and consent, by this present order, delegate, but only with respect to the piece or parcel of land described in the Schedule hereto, all the powers conferred by the Act aforesaid, except the powers under or conferred by sections five and twelve thereof, to the under-mentioned persons, who shall be known as the Danevirke Public Domain Board, namely,—

THOMAS MILLER,
FREDERICK ELMBRANCH,
JAMES ALLERDICE,
GEORGE WRATT, and
ANGUS MACKAY

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

1. The Board shall meet for the transaction of business on

the second Wednesday in each month, at half-past seven o'clock p.m., at the Schoolhouse, Danevirke, or at such other time or place as may from time to time be fixed by the Board. The first meeting shall be held on Wednesday, the tenth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

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

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

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

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, containing by admeasurement 40 acres, more or less, being Suburban Section No. 12 on the map of Danevirke. Bounded towards the north, east, and south-east by the Mangatera River; towards the south-west by Section No. 11, 3600 links; towards the north-west by the main road from Woodville to Napier, 116 and 302 links; and towards the north-east by Christian Street to the south-west boundary of Section No. 13, and by Section No. 13 to the Mangatera River.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Amending Life-saving Appliances Rules.

ONSLOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of April, 1891.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE THE PREMIER PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is, among other things, enacted by section one hundred and sixty-nine of "The Shipping and Seamen's Act, 1877" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), that every ship shall be provided with efficient boats, rafts, or other appliances for saving life, kept at all times fit and ready for use, and supplied with all requisites for use, sufficient in number, and of the size and description proper for such ship, according to rules which may be fixed by the Governor in Council:

And whereas it is provided by section three hundred and six of the said Act that the Governor may, by Order in Council, from time to time revoke, alter, or add to any order previously made under the said Act:

And whereas by Order in Council dated the sixteenth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and ninety, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the eighteenth day of the same month, the rules set forth in the Schedule to the said order were made defining the boats, rafts, or other appliances for saving life with which ships are to be provided:

And whereas it is desirable to make the alterations in the said rules set forth in the Schedule hereto:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Right Honourable William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and acting with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby make the alterations as set forth in the Schedule hereto, in the rules which were fixed and prescribed by the said Order in Council of the sixteenth day of September aforesaid, and doth hereby order that this order and the alterations hereby made shall come into force on and after the publication of this Order in Council in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

SCHEDULE.

TO BE ADDED AFTER SECTION (f) OF "DIVISION D, CLASS 1."
(g.) PROVIDED that a ship of this class, of under 50 tons gross tonnage, shall not be required to carry more than one boat, as provided by paragraph (a), of not less than 91 cubic feet capacity.

TO BE ADDED AFTER SECTION (c) OF "DIVISION D, CLASS 2."
(d.) PROVIDED that a ship of this class, of under 100 tons gross tonnage, shall not be required to carry more than one boat, as provided by paragraph (a), of not less than 91 cubic feet capacity.

IN CLAUSE 13 OF THE "GENERAL RULES."

The last line of this clause shall read, "A boat of Section D shall be carried in lieu thereof," in lieu of "A boat of Section E shall be carried in lieu thereof."

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

ONSLOW, Governor.

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

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

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND.

ALL that parcel of land in the Land District of Auckland, being Section No. 75 of Block V., Hukerenui Survey District, and containing by admeasurement 10 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the north by a line, 998 links; towards the east by a line, 860 links; towards the south generally by a public road, 222, 270, 402, 218, 71, and 218 links; and towards the west by a line, 895 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. For a cemetery.

All that parcel of land in the Land District of Auckland, being Section No. 89 of the Parish of Onewhero, and containing by admeasurement 24 acres 3 roods 2 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the east by a public road, 1971 links; towards the south by a public road, 2513 links; and towards the north-west, 3194 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. For recreation.

All that parcel of land in the Land District of Auckland, being the south-eastern portion of Section No. 5 of the Parish of Awitu, and containing by admeasurement 10 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the north-east by Manukau Harbour; towards the south-east by a public road, 1162 links; and towards the south-west and north-west by the other portion of Section No. 5 aforesaid, 980 and 900 links respectively, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. For a cemetery.

All that parcel of land in the Land District of Auckland, being Section No. 1 of Block III., Maungaru Survey District, containing by admeasurement 2 acres and 30 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north-east by land granted to T. Bray 160 links, and the Wairoa River; towards the south by the aforesaid Wairoa River and by land granted to T. Bray aforesaid, 90 links; and towards the north-west generally by land granted to the aforesaid T. Bray, the abutment of a road, and by the aforesaid land granted to T. Bray, 420 and 260 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. For a landing reserve.

CANTERBURY.

All that parcel of land in the Land District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 9 acres 3 roods 35 perches, more or less, being Section No. 2939 (in red), situate in Block X., Geraldine Survey District, and being Lots Nos. 5 and 6, Block IX., Orari Village Settlement: as the same is delineated on the map deposited in the District Survey Office, Christchurch. For recreation.

All that parcel of land in the Land District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 57 acres 1 rood 7 perches, more or less, being Section No. 2937 (in red), situate in Block

VI., Hinds Survey District, being a strip of land, 500 links wide, situated north of the railway reserve, along the north-westward and south-westward boundaries of Hinds Township Reservation; save and excepting such roads as are delineated on the plan deposited in the District Survey Office, Christchurch. For a plantation.

All that parcel of land in the Land District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 46 acres, more or less, being Section No. 2938 (in red), situate in Block VI., Hinds Survey District, being a strip of land, 500 links wide, south of the railway reserve, along the south-eastward and south-westward boundaries of Hinds Township Reservation; save and excepting thereout Reserve No. 1446, and three pieces of roads which are included in the above-described boundaries: as the same is delineated on the map deposited in the District Survey Office, Christchurch. For a plantation.

All that parcel of land in the Land District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 50 acres, more or less, being Section No. 2935 (in red), situate in Block V., Leeston Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by Sections Nos. 4860 and 4861; and south-east, south-west, and north-west by the River Selwyn; save and excepting thereout a road-line which is included within the above-described boundaries: as the same is delineated on the map deposited in the District Survey Office, Christchurch. For river conservation.

All that parcel of land in the Land District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 60 acres, more or less, being Section No. 2936 (in red), situate in Block V., Leeston Survey District. Bounded towards the south-east by Section No. 21022 and a road-line; towards the southward by Sections Nos. 21022, 2909, 2910, and 4507; and north-westward and northward by the River Selwyn: as the same is delineated on the map deposited in the District Survey Office, Christchurch. For river conservation.

OTAGO.

All that parcel of land in the Land District of Otago, containing by admeasurement 1 acre 3 roods 21 perches, more or less, being Sections Nos. 17 and 18, Block XIV., Tuapeka West Survey District. Bounded on the north by Sections Nos. 12 and 13, 467 links; on the east by a road-line, 486½ links; on the south by Section No. 20, 338 links; and on the west by Section No. 19, 469 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the office of the Chief Surveyor, Dunedin. For a pastoral and agricultural show-ground.

All that parcel of land in the Land District of Otago, containing by admeasurement 9 acres and 34 perches, more or less, being Section No. 37, Block V., Tiger Hill Survey District. Bounded on the north by a road-line, 958 links; on the east by Section No. 8 of same block, 1923 links; and on the south-west by a road-line, 2149 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the office of the Chief Surveyor, Dunedin. For a school-site.

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

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Rural Land 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 land 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.

Raglan County.—Parish of Waipa.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Price per Acre.	Deferred-payment Price per Acre.	Perpetual-lease Rent per Acre.
..	..	A. R. P. 4,500 0 0	£ s. d. 0 10 0	£ s. d. 0 12 6	£ s. d. 0 0 6

Bounded towards the north by the southern boundary of Block V., Newcastle Survey District; towards the east by the western boundary of Block X. of the same survey district; towards the south by Sections 63 and 62 of the Parish of Waipa; and towards the west generally by Sections 55, 119A, and 86A of the Parish of Waipa aforesaid to the point of commencement.

Very broken forest land, adjoining Hot Springs, Whaingaroa Valley.

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

JOHN McKENZIE,
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 LANDS.

Hokianga County.—Whangape Survey District.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.
2	VII.	50 0 0	1 7 6	1 14 4½
6	IX.	49 0 0	1 0 0	1 5 0
24	"	50 0 0	1 10 0	1 17 6

Section 2, undulating forest land of good quality, and considerably improved; 6 and 24, forest land, considerably improved.

Mangonui County.—Whangape Survey District.

44 | VII. | 36 2 0 | 1 5 0 | 1 11 3 | 1 3
Undulating forest land, intersected by the Uwhiroa River, and more or less improved.

Waipa County.—Parish of Pukete.

216A | .. | 9 3 0 | 1 0 0 | 1 5 0 | 1 0
Subject to 46, valuation for improvements.

Open land of good quality, 6 acres fenced and laid down in grass.

Whakatane County.—Parish of Waiotahi.

279 | .. | 5 2 5 | 1 0 0 | 1 5 0 | 1 0
282 | .. | 5 0 21 | 1 0 0 | 1 5 0 | 1 0
Tea-tree, scrub, and fern lands, situated upon Ohiwa Harbour.

SECOND-CLASS LANDS.

Hokianga County.—Herekino Survey District.

6 | II. | 45 0 0 | 0 15 0 | 0 18 9 | 0 9
Partially-improved section, consisting of open land of fair quality with a little bush, and fronting Herekino Harbour.

Hokianga County.—Whangape Survey District.

8 | VII. | 50 0 0 | 0 10 0 | 0 12 6 | 0 6
41 | .. | 38 1 4 | 0 15 0 | 0 18 9 | 0 9
5 | IX. | 50 0 0 | 0 12 6 | 0 15 7½ | 0 7½

Sections 8 and 41, forest lands of good quality, more or less improved; 5, broken forest land, partially improved.

Hokianga County.—Mangamuka Survey District.

11 | VII. | 268 3 0 | 0 7 6 | 0 9 4½ | 0 4½
Open fern and tea-tree land with about 40 acres of mixed forest, fronting Orira Inlet, Hokianga.

Mangonui County.—Takahue Survey District.

20 | XI. | 45 0 0 | 0 15 0 | 0 18 9 | 0 9
17 | XV. | 50 0 0 | 0 12 6 | 0 15 7½ | 0 7½
29 | .. | 50 0 0 | 0 7 6 | 0 9 4½ | 0 4½

Section 20, half open and half mixed forest land of good quality, watered by Takahue River, and intersected by main road; 17, rather broken forest land of good quality, with frontage to main road; 29, very broken, and covered with forest. Accessible from main road by bridle-track.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Price per Acre.	Deferred-payment Price per Acre.	Perpetual-lease Rent per Acre.
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Mangonui County.—Parish of Mangonui.

133 | .. | 160 0 0 | 0 5 0 | 0 6 3 | 0 3
A. R. P. £ s. d. £ s. d. s. d.
Undulating fern land on coast, near the mouth of the Taipa River.

Manukau County.—Parish of Waipipi.

386 | .. | 14 1 0 | 0 10 0 | 0 12 6 | 0 6
Open fern land of inferior quality.

Hobson County.—Parish of Tatarariki.

41 | .. | 100 0 0 | 0 7 6 | 0 9 4½ | 0 4½
Flat land, covered with tea-tree scrub.

Rodney County.—Parish of Hoteo.

91 | .. | 440 0 0 | 0 15 0 | 0 18 9 | 0 9
Broken forest land, sandstone soil, well watered.

Rodney County.—Parish of Oruawhoro.

104 | .. | 107 1 0 | 0 5 0 | 0 6 3 | 0 3
Poor undulating land, covered with fern and scrub.

Tauranga County.—Maketu Survey District.

14 | XII. | 318 0 0 | 0 5 0 | 0 6 3 | 0 3
15 | " | 317 0 0 | 0 5 0 | 0 6 3 | 0 3
Broken fern land of inferior quality, consisting of light sandy loam.

Waitemata County.—Parish of Kaukapakapa.

E. p. 34 | .. | 41 3 21 | 0 10 0 | 0 12 6 | 0 6
Very broken bush land, on Kaukapakapa River.

Waitemata County.—Kaipara Survey District.

2 | XII. | 39 0 0 | 0 10 0 | 0 12 6 | 0 6
Good flat open land, with light mixed bush, and known as the Timber Reserve.

Waipa County.—Parish of Horotiu.

27 | .. | 50 0 0 | 0 7 6 | 0 9 4½ | 0 4½
37 | .. | 14 2 0 | 0 5 0 | 0 6 3 | 0 3
Undulating fern and swamp lands, easy of access, near Whatawhata Township.

Whangarei County.—Parish of Waipu.

310 | .. | 127 0 0 | 0 7 6 | 0 9 4½ | 0 4½
Very broken forest land, has a frontage to Waipu Gorge Road.

Whangarei County.—Parish of Mangapai.

28 | .. | 41 0 0 | 0 5 0 | 0 6 3 | 0 3
31 | .. | 43 1 5 | 0 5 0 | 0 6 3 | 0 3
N. pn. 32 | .. | .. | .. | .. | ..
Undulating tea-tree land, with frontage to Mangapai River.

Whakatane County.—Parish of Waiotahi.

192 | .. | 186 2 0 | 0 15 0 | 0 18 9 | 0 9
193 | .. | 28 3 0 | 0 15 0 | 0 18 9 | 0 9
Undulating fern and swamp lands of good quality, near Ohiwa Harbour.

Whangaroa County.—Whangaroa Survey District.

1 | VII. | 29 0 0 | 0 10 0 | 0 12 6 | 0 6
Broken land, covered with tea-tree scrub. The section has a frontage to the harbour.

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

JOHN McKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Rural Lands in the Taranaki 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.
TARANAKI 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.

Taranaki County.—Cape Survey District.

		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1	X.	205	0	0	1	0	0	1	5	0	0	1	0

Level bush land; volcanic light soil, gravelly in places; forest composed of rimu, rata, tawa, &c., well watered; on Newell Road, partly formed; four miles and a half from Warea Village, which is twenty-five miles from New Plymouth along South Road.

Hawera County.—Opunake Survey District.

46	XI.	50	0	0	1	10	0	1	17	6	0	1	6
48	"	10	0	0	1	10	0	1	17	6	0	1	6
55	"	10	0	0	1	10	0	1	17	6	0	1	6
56	"	10	0	0	1	10	0	1	17	6	0	1	6

Level bush, rather damp; volcanic soil, light, with gravelly subsoil; forest composed of rimu, kahikatea, rata, tawa, &c. These sections adjoin Punehu Village site, and are situate about six miles and a half from Opunake Township.

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

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Rural Land in the Otago 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 land 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 FIRST- AND SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Clutha County.—Woodland Survey District.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Price per Acre.	Deferred-payment Price per Acre.	Perpetual-lease Rent per Acre.
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		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
..	VII., X., & XI.	3,000	0	0	0	12	6	0	15	7½	0	0	7½

Bounded towards the north by Block IV., Woodland District (perpetual-lease and deferred-payment land); towards the east by Blocks III. and VIII., Woodland District, the Purakaunui River, and the Waiheke Stream; towards the south by the ocean; towards the west by the main road from Catlin's to Tautuku Bay, by the Purakaunui Stream, unsurveyed land, and the Purakaunui River aforesaid.

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

JOHN MCKENZIE,
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.

Waiohine South Block.

ALL that parcel of land containing about 5,650 acres, called or known by the name of the Waiohine South Block, situated in the Wairarapa South County, in Blocks III., IV., V., and VI., Waiohine Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by the Waiohine River; towards the south by Sections Nos. 94 and 548, Block VI., and by Sections Nos. 546 and 547, Block V., Waiohine Survey District; and towards the west by the Forest Reserve.

Cash price, 7s. 6d. to 10s. per acre; deferred payment, 9s. 4½d. to 12s. 6d. per acre; and perpetual-lease rental, 4½d. to 6d. per acre.

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

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Duty leviable on Malt Acid.

ONSLOW, Governor.

WHEREAS a certain article of merchandise known as malt acid is imported into New Zealand, which is apparently a substitute for vinegar, the latter being a dutiable article under "The Customs and Excise Duties Act, 1888;" And whereas malt acid has properties in part which can be used for a similar purpose as vinegar: And whereas, by the addition of water to malt acid in the proportion of twelve to one, an article is produced fit for ordinary domestic use as vinegar:

Now, therefore, I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by "The Customs and Excise Duties Act, 1888," do hereby direct that a duty be levied on malt acid at the rate of six shillings and sixpence per gallon, such rate being fixed in proportion to the degree in which the said malt acid approximates in its qualities or uses to vinegar aforesaid.

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

J. BALLANCE,

Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

Governor's Order No. 141.]

Shooting Season for Imported Game, License-fee, &c., Opotiki District.

ONSLOW, Governor.

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

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

P. A. BUCKLEY,
Colonial Secretary.

Levé in honour of the Queen's Birthday.

Government House,
Auckland, 11th May, 1891.

HIS Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified that, in order not to interfere with the enjoyment of the usual holiday, he will hold an undress Levée at Government House, Wellington, on Tuesday, the 26th day of May, at 5.15 p.m., in honour of Her Majesty's Birthday.

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

Gentlemen having cards for the private entrée are requested to be at Government House not later than 5 p.m.

By command of His Excellency.

J. S. GUTHRIE,
Aide-de-Camp.

Registrar of Electors appointed, District of Marsden.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 7th May, 1891.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

CHARLES STOREY

to be Registrar of Electors, under "The Registration of Electors Act, 1879," for the Electoral District of Marsden, vice B. D. O'Halloran.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Public Vaccinators, Coromandel and Springburn Districts, appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 9th May, 1891.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

FREDERICK SAMUEL DALDY, Esq., M.R.C.S.E., to be a Public Vaccinator, under "The Public Health Act, 1876," for the District of Coromandel; and to appoint

THOMAS LEAHY, Esq., M.B. Univ. Dublin, to be a Public Vaccinator, under the said Act, for the District of Springburn.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Rangers under Animals Protection Acts appointed, Auckland, Tauranga, and Hawke's Bay.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 7th May, 1891.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM SMITH and
WILLIAM EDWARD GOFFE

to be Rangers under "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and the Acts amending the same, for the Auckland District; also to appoint

HENRY GEORGE WALMSLEY

to be a Ranger under the said Acts for the Tauranga District; and also to appoint

AXEL GORSEN MORTENSEN,
ARTHUR WILLIAM BEER,
HENRY MITCHELL, and
HARRY WILLIAM MITCHELL

to be Rangers under the said Acts for the Hawke's Bay District.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Clerks of Licensing Committees appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 7th May, 1891.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES PURKISS

to be Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Halcombe, vice F. M. Deighton, resigned; and

CHARLES CROFTON BOYES

to be Clerk of the Licensing Committees for the Districts of Queenstown, Kingston, and Greenstone, vice W. Donne, resigned.

W. P. REEVES.

Licensing Committees appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 8th May, 1891.

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

Committee.	District.
William McLiskey	Brunner.
Andrew Lees	
John W. Parkinson	
William Urquhart	
John Ward	
Henry Melville Brown	Clyde.
Arthur R. Gardiner	
Thomas Lambert	
George Mayo	Campbelltown.
Rev. William Raeburn	
Walter Henderson	
James Fox	
Thomas Mullay	
James Roberts	
Robert Duncan Yule	

W. P. REEVES.

Members of Licensing Committees appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 11th May, 1891.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HENRY W. VERCOE

to be a Member of the Licensing Committee for the District of Rotorua, vice W. T. Smith, resigned; and

JOHN MCCOLL SMITH

to be a Member of the Licensing Committee for the District of South Molyneux, vice M. McLay, resigned.

W. P. REEVES.

Clerks of Resident Magistrates' Courts appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 11th May, 1891.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable TIMOTHY O'ROURKE

to be Clerk of the Resident Magistrate's Court at Otaki, and to be Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Horowhenua, from the 2nd instant, vice Sergeant Hannan, transferred;

Constable WILLIAM WILLOUGHBY

to be Clerk of the Resident Magistrate's Court at Geraldine, and to be Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Raukapuka, from the 1st instant; and

Constable WILLIAM WILSON SMART

to be Clerk of the Resident Magistrate's Court at Kaikoura, and to be Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Kaikoura, from the 1st instant.

W. P. REEVES.

Clerk of Warden's Court appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 11th May, 1891.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

CHARLES ARTHUR BARTON

to be Clerk of the Warden's Court at Kanieri.

W. P. REEVES.

Promotion in the Lands and Survey Department.

Lands and Survey Department,
Wellington, 6th May, 1891.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to promote

JAMES DUNCAN THOMPSON

to the grade of Assistant Surveyor in the Lands and Survey Department, as from the 1st March, 1891.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Superintendent of Village Settlements appointed.

Lands and Survey Department,
Wellington, 11th May, 1891.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN EDWIN MARCH, Esq.,

to be Superintendent of Village Settlements for the colony. The appointment to date from the 17th February, 1891.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Agent for the Crown under "The Westland and Nelson Coal Fields Administration Act, 1877," appointed.

Lands and Survey Department,
Wellington, 11th May, 1891.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN SAMUEL BROWNING, Esq.,

to be Agent for the Crown under "The Westland and Nelson Coal Fields Administration Act, 1877." The appointment to date from the 1st March, 1891.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Chief Inspector appointed.— Notice No. 319.

Head Office, Live Stock Department,
Wellington, 6th May, 1891.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN DOUGLAS RITCHIE

to be a Chief Inspector of Stock, under "The Sheep Act, 1890," for each of the districts constituted under the said Act, which are hereinafter mentioned, namely, Auckland, Napier, West Coast, Wellington, Nelson, Marlborough, Otago, Kaikoura, Amuri, Canterbury, and Otago.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

School Commissioner appointed.

Education Department,
Wellington, 11th May, 1891.

PURSUANT to "The Education Reserves Act 1877 Amendment Act, 1882," His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

CHARLES HOUGHTON MILLS, Esq., M.H.R.,

to be a School Commissioner for the Provincial District of Marlborough, *vice* Dr. Muller, deceased.

W. P. REEVES.

Native Assessor appointed.

Native Office,
Wellington, 8th May, 1891.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

RENATA TE NA NUMEA,

of Ruatoki, to be an Assessor for the purposes of "The Resident Magistrates Act, 1867," "The Native Circuit Courts Act, 1858," and "The Native Circuit Courts Act Amendment Act, 1862," within the Resident Magistrate's District of Opotiki, and also to be an Assessor of the Native Land Court.

A. J. CADMAN.

Permanent Militia Officer appointed.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 13th May, 1891.

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

ERNEST EDWARDS FOOKS, Esq., M.B. University New Zealand,

to be Surgeon, New Zealand Permanent Militia, and Surgeon on the General Medical List, New Zealand Volunteers. Date of commission, 16th April, 1891.

W. P. REEVES,
For the Minister of Defence.

Member of Local Board, North Canterbury District, for Examination of Candidates for Commissions in New Zealand Militia and Volunteer Forces, appointed.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 13th May, 1891.

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

Lieut.-Colonel HENRY GORDON,

New Zealand Militia, Commanding North Canterbury Volun-

teer District, as a Member of the local Board, North Canterbury District, for the examination of candidates for commissions in the New Zealand Militia and Volunteer Forces.

W. P. REEVES,
For the Minister of Defence.

Volunteer Officer appointed to Unattached Active List, New Zealand Volunteers.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 13th May, 1891.

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

Unattached Active List, New Zealand Volunteers.

Joe Reginald Sommerville, late Captain, Alexandra Cavalry Volunteers, to be Major. Date of commission, 31st December, 1890.

W. P. REEVES,
For the Minister of Defence.

Honorary Major appointed to Otago Hussar Volunteers.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 13th May, 1891.

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

DONALD STRONACH, Esq.,

late Captain of the Otago Hussar Volunteers, to be Honorary Major of that troop. Date of commission, 26th February, 1891.

W. P. REEVES,
For the Minister of Defence.

(Late) Officers Commanding Districts promoted.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 13th May, 1891.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the promotion of the under-mentioned officers, under paragraph 236 of the Volunteer Regulations, 1889:—

Lieut.-Colonel CHARLES STAPP, New Zealand Militia, late Commanding Taranaki and Wanganui Volunteer Districts, to be Colonel on the Honorary Unattached List, New Zealand Volunteers.

Lieut.-Colonel JOHN GEORGE BUTTS, New Zealand Militia, late Commanding Wellington and Wairarapa Volunteer Districts, to be Colonel on the Honorary Unattached List, New Zealand Volunteers.

Lieut.-Colonel THOMAS VIRET SHEPHERD, New Zealand Militia, late Commanding Auckland Volunteer District, to be Colonel on the Honorary Unattached List, New Zealand Volunteers.

R. J. SEDDON.

Volunteer Officers promoted.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 13th May, 1891.

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

New Zealand Regiment Artillery Volunteers.

Major Henry Feldwick, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Date of promotion, 27th April, 1891.

Tenuka Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant Edward Cutten to be Captain. Date of promotion, 25th February, 1891.

W. P. REEVES,
For the Minister of Defence.

Volunteer Officers resigned.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 13th May, 1891.

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

Waiuku Cavalry Volunteers.

Captain Ebenezer Hamlin. Date of resignation, 16th April, 1891.

Wanganui Rifle Volunteers.

Captain Charles Holmes Borlase. Date of resignation, 16th March, 1891.

Wellington Guards Rifle Volunteers.

Captain Charles Daines Mackintosh. Date of resignation, 3rd April, 1891.

Christchurch Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant Harry Reynolds. Date of resignation, 14th March, 1891.

Alexandra Cavalry Volunteers.

Captain Joe Reginald Sommerville. Date of resignation, 31st December, 1890.

W. P. REEVES,
For the Minister of Defence.

Volunteer Officer promoted and transferred.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 13th May, 1891.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the under-mentioned transfer with promotion:—

Wellington Naval Artillery Volunteers.

Lieutenant Alexander Robert Hislop to the Unattached Active List, New Zealand Volunteers, with the rank of Lieutenant Commanding. Date of promotion, 15th April, 1891.

R. J. SEDDON.

Letters of Naturalisation issued.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 11th May, 1891.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to issue Letters of Naturalisation, under "The Aliens Act, 1880," in favour of the under-mentioned persons:—

Name.	Occupation.	Residence.
August Edward Plessmann	Labourer ..	Waitohi, Timaru.
Augustus Frederick Johnson	Telegraph lineman	Timaru.
Antonio Sepie ..	Miller ..	Riccarton, Christchurch.
Tripo Vucasovich ..	Gold-miner ..	Kumara.
Julius Armstrong ..	Miner ..	Hokitika.
Walter Smith ..	Master-mariner	Auckland.
Ludvig Christiansen ..	Farm-labourer	Central Buller.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Road Board Elections.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 13th May, 1891.

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

G. S. COOPER,
Under-Secretary.

Oruaiti Road District, County of Mongonui :

W. H. Prosser.

C. Foster.

Robert Henderson.

Oruru Road District, County of Mongonui :

L. H. Claudet.

William Garton.

George Wilkinson.

Victoria Valley Road District, County of Mongonui :

C. H. White.

F. Tracey.

R. B. Edwards.

Ruarangi Road District, County of Whangarei :

Henry Goodley.

John McLean.

Robert McConnell.

Matakana East Road District, County of Rodney :

Manuel Christian.

James E. Matthew.

Thomas Wann.

Tauhoa Road District, County of Rodney :

Samuel Frederick Boler.

Charles Parker, jun.

William Yearbury, jun.

North Albertland Road District, County of Rodney :

William Bleckly Farrand.

Robert Henderson.

Ernest R. McCarthney.

Tamaki West Road District, County of Eden :

Frederick William Brookfield.

Thomas Atkinson.

James Scott.

Mount Roskill Road District, County of Eden :

John Berry.

Thomas Bellington.

James Henry Hayr.

One-tree Hill Road District, County of Eden :

William Wall.

William Mears.

William Gardner.

Pakuranga Road District, County of Manukau :

Edward Fitzpatrick.

William Thomas May.

Charles Roberts.

Hunua Road District, County of Manukau :

George Hill.

Thomas Stewart.

James Cowan.

Opakeke Road District, County of Manukau :

John Markham.

John Dunn.

Michael Whelan.

Peter Barclay.

Thomas Kiddle.

Karaka Road District, County of Manukau :

Robert Glasson.

Alexander V. Urquhart.

Taotaoroa Road District, County of Piako :

William Francis Buckland.

Waitoa Road District, County of Piako :

William Philip Chepmell.

Edward Wingfield Hammer.

John Turnbull.

Tuhikaramea Road District, County of Waipa :

Charles Bradshaw Vickers.

Henry John Davys.

Thomas Langdon Norman.

Whaingaroa Road District, County of Raglan :

John Moon.

William Gibbison.

Onewhero Road District, County of Raglan :

Robert McKibbin.

James Miller.

Alexander Cathcart.

George S. Whiteside.

Patrick Griffin.

Tamumu Road District, County of Patangata :

Andrew Logan.

Woodville Road District, County of Waipawa :

Archibald McCormick.

Danevirke Road District, County of Waipawa :

Frederick George Cowper.

Matthew Henderson.

Thomas McDermott.

Thomas Miller.

John Aitken.

Norsewood Road District, County of Waipawa :

Robertson Lockhead.

James McIlwraith.

Martin Muller.

O. O. Nordbye.

Masterton Road District, County of Wairarapa North :

Subdivision No. 2—

Thomas William Wardell.

Karori-Makara Road District, County of Hutt :

Henry Cook.

Stephen Lancaster.

Albert Hall.

Mangorei Road District, County of Taranaki :

James Wade.

Charles Honnor.

Moa Road District, County of Taranaki :

Robert Saxton Matthews.

Richard Langley.

Thomas Waring Corbett.

Albert Bishop.

Thomas Morgan.

John Goller.

Henui Road District, County of Taranaki :

James Kibby.

Edmund Dickinson Westmacott.

Elliott Road District, County of Taranaki :

Robert Glegg.

Edward Marfell.

Okato Road District, County of Taranaki :

William Andrews.

Charles Andrews.

Lower Moutere Road District, County of Waimea :

Daniel Drummond.

Charles David Flett.

Christopher Stade, jun.

Upper Moutere Road District, County of Waimea :

Frederick Bockmann.

Henry Benemann.

James Harvey.

Pokororo Road District, County of Waimea :
George Henry Slatter.
James Ross.

Kowai Road District, County of Ashley :
Richard Bristow.
John Cameron.
Robert McAdam.

Ashley Road District, County of Ashley :
Edwin George Philpott.
Thomas Shaw.
Robert Waller, jun.

East Malvern Road District, County of Selwyn :
John Fraser.
John Jebson, jun.
Richard Scarlett.

Tai Tapu Road District, County of Selwyn :
Robert Forbes.
Thomas Leatham.
William Gilmour.
Johann Mangles.
Thomas Macartney.

Little River Road District, County of Akaroa :
William Birdling, jun.
William Coop.
Joseph H. Parkinson.
Francis Tavender.
Henry White.

Upper Ashburton Road District, County of Ashburton :
Lagmor Ward—
Donald McLean.
Westerfield Ward—
Charles Harper.
Ashburton Forks Ward—
Isaac Sargent.

Tuturau Road District, County of Southland :
Alexander Dickie.
Matthew Dickie.
Hugh Munro.
James Pollock.
John Waddell.

Commissioner's Decisions under Tariff Acts.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Wellington, 11th May, 1891.

IT is hereby notified, for public information, that the Hon. the Commissioner of Trade and Customs has decided to interpret "The Customs and Excise Duties Act, 1888," in relation to the under-mentioned articles as follow:—

NOTE.—"Not otherwise enumerated" appears as n.o.e.; "other kinds" as o.k.; "articles and materials suited only for, and to be used solely in, the fabrication of goods in the colony" as a. & m.s. Articles marked thus * are revised decisions.

Articles and how classed.	Rate of Duty.
Crape, silk; as silks	25 per cent.
Films, transparent, "Eastman's;" as gelatine dry plates	Free.
Machine, fleshing; as machinery n.o.e.	20 per cent.
Machine, rubber-stamp-making; as machinery n.o.e.	20 per cent.

W. T. GLASGOW,
For Secretary and Inspector.
Commissioner's Order No. 393.]

Civil Service Senior Examination.

Education Department,
Wellington, 1st December, 1890.

IN pursuance of regulations under "The Civil Service Reform Act, 1886," notice is hereby given that for the Senior Examination of January, 1892, the period of literature will be the period of the Commonwealth, and the special books will be Shakespeare's King Lear and The Tempest.

FRED. WHITAKER,
For the Minister of Education.

Patent Office Supplement.

A SEPARATE Supplement to the *New Zealand Gazette* is now published fortnightly, containing all notices concerning patents and trade-marks required by law to be gazetted; also, particulars of lapsed applications for patents, expired letters patent, and other information useful to inventors, manufacturers, and others. The Supplement will be issued free to subscribers to the *Gazette*, and to others on payment of a special subscription of ten shillings per annum, payable in advance to the Government Printer.

GEO. DIDSBURY,
Government Printer.

Government Observatory.

METEOROLOGICAL Observations, Wellington, for the months of March and April, 1891. Altitude above the sea, 140ft. Observations taken at 9.30 a.m.

Date.	Barometer reduced and corrected, in inches.	From Self-registering Instruments, for Twenty-four Hours previously.							Amount of Cloud, 0 to 10.	Direction of Wind.
		Max. Temp. in shade.	Min. Temp. in shade.	Mean Temp. in shade.	Solar Radiation.	Terrestrial Radiation.	Rainfall, in inches.	Veloc. Wind, in Miles.		
MARCH.										
1	29.443	63.8	52.7	58.2	122	46.0	.015	420	6	N.W.
2	29.457	64.6	55.0	59.8	121	50.0	..	385	2	N.W.
3	29.819	69.0	47.5	58.2	130	41.0	..	160	5	N.W.
4	29.806	67.0	55.0	61.0	125	48.0	..	495	6	N.W.
5	29.698	67.0	59.0	63.0	116	52.0	..	560	3	N.W.
6	30.068	69.0	51.0	60.0	122	45.0	.100	250	6	S.E.
7	30.015	64.0	49.0	56.5	115	41.0	..	110	5	N.W.
8	30.042	73.0	52.0	62.5	123	45.0	..	140	3	N.W.
9	30.099	70.3	56.5	63.4	129	48.0	..	195	3	S.
10	30.204	69.0	51.0	60.0	119	46.0	..	55	2	Calm
11	30.407	81.0	54.5	67.5	126	48.0	..	65	6	S.
12	30.446	71.0	56.0	63.5	119	50.0	..	45	2	Calm
13	30.314	78.0	54.0	66.0	124	47.0	..	10	4	N.
14	30.154	71.0	60.0	65.5	122	53.0	..	335	5	N.W.
15	30.218	67.0	53.5	60.2	100	51.0	.600	235	7	S.
16	30.113	60.0	55.3	57.6	84	52.0	.100	50	6	S.
17	30.151	66.0	54.0	60.0	111	49.0	.010	20	2	S.
18	30.000	68.0	51.0	59.5	126	45.0	..	30	2	N.
19	29.836	68.0	53.0	60.5	125	45.0	..	120	3	N.W.
20	29.744	68.0	49.5	58.7	123	45.0	.250	240	4	S.
21	29.559	64.0	55.0	59.5	120	45.0	.030	200	5	N.W.
22	29.971	68.0	43.0	55.5	119	35.0	..	110	3	W.
23	29.766	62.5	54.5	58.5	112	46.0	.020	540	5	N.W.
24	29.756	65.0	49.0	57.0	118	41.0	..	360	4	S.W.
25	29.905	65.0	48.0	56.5	113	41.0	..	200	3	N.E.
26	30.068	68.0	52.3	60.1	110	44.0	..	200	6	Calm
27	30.254	66.5	51.3	58.9	125	46.0	.300	50	4	N.E.
28	30.160	69.5	48.5	59.0	127	41.0	..	15	3	N.W.
29	30.467	67.0	52.0	59.5	116	43.0	.020	85	4	S.E.
30	30.442	64.0	48.0	56.0	120	40.0	..	70	5	N.W.
31	30.354	64.5	56.3	60.4	113	47.0	..	300	4	N.W.
*	30.024	67.7	52.5	60.1	118.5	45.6	1.445	197	4.1	..
†	30.013	62.1	2.819

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1	30.240	66.0	56.3	61.1	122	46	..	290	3	N.W.
2	30.248	67.0	56.5	61.7	118	50	..	355	2	N.W.
3	30.104	69.0	52.0	60.5	117	45	..	155	4	N.W.
4	29.719	69.0	53.5	61.2	110	49	1.760	100	7	S.
5	30.031	57.3	48.0	52.6	88	43	.410	300	6	S.E.
6	30.085	54.0	48.0	51.0	72	43	.030	175	6	S.E.
7	29.633	56.0	43.0	49.5	99	35	..	145	5	N.W.
8	29.373	61.0	50.5	55.7	108	39	.100	690	5	N.W.
9	29.675	61.0	52.0	56.5	111	45	.040	300	3	N.W.
10	29.963	63.0	52.0	57.5	112	46	..	200	2	N.
11	30.137	68.3	51.0	59.6	115	41	..	260	3	N.
12	29.907	67.0	56.0	61.5	110	49	..	300	3	N.W.
13	29.856	66.3	59.0	62.6	119	53	..	450	3	N.W.
14	29.808	66.0	53.0	59.5	115	43	..	365	2	N.
15	29.819	69.0	52.3	60.6	119	40	..	245	2	N.W.
16	29.648	65.0	55.0	60.0	108	48	..	420	4	N.W.
17	29.678	64.0	51.3	57.6	108	43	..	290	4	N.W.
18	29.753	60.3	46.0	53.1	110	36	.015	160	2	S.
19	30.026	60.5	47.3	53.9	105	41	.035	190	4	S.
20	30.276	59.0	46.0	52.5	108	39	..	100	5	N.E.
21	30.265	62.3	52.0	57.1	118	44	..	205	4	N.
22	30.468	61.3	46.0	53.6	105	39	..	165	5	Calm
23	30.478	60.5	45.0	52.7	101	36	..	35	2	N.W.
24	30.368	64.0	50.0	57.0	109	43	.110	345	7	N.W.
25	30.066	61.0	56.0	58.5	89	50	.130	360	6	N.W.
26	30.026	62.0	49.3	55.6	72	47	1.430	305	6	S.
27	30.121	56.9	43.0	49.9	101	35	.100	55	4	N.
28	30.011	60.5	47.0	53.7	107	42	.050	450	3	N.W.
29	29.680	62.0	49.0	55.5	113	42	.700	195	6	S.E.
30	29.628	57.0	44.0	50.5	100	39	.430	215	4	Calm
*	29.969	62.5	50.3	56.4	106.3	43.0	5.340	260	4.0	..
†	30.053	..	..	57.0	..	..	3.525	..	..	..

* Means. † Same month previous years.

REMARKS.

March.—Generally fine up to the 14th, with strong N.W. wind in early part; from 14th to end of month showery, with intervals of fine weather; the maximum rainfall recorded on 15th, 60in.; small total rainfall; prevailing wind from N.W., and strong on five days; lightning on night of 1st to N., fog on 16th and 17th. Maximum temperature in shade, 81; minimum, 43. Mean temperature of dewpoint, 55.2; mean humidity, 84. Earthquake on 9th at 2.3 a.m., slight, N. and S. Meteors on 10th and 31st.

April.—First few days fine, then heavy rain on night of 3rd, 1.76in. recorded on 4th, the maximum fall for month; showery up to 9th; fine from 9th to 23rd, when rain commenced and continued until end of month, 1.43in. on the 26th; total rain in excess of average; prevailing N.W. wind, and strong on eight days from that quarter, and on two days from S. Maximum temperature in shade, 69; minimum, 43. Mean temperature of dewpoint, 51.6; mean humidity, 84. Earthquake on 7th, at 4.56 p.m., very slight, N. and S. Aurora on night of 17th, brilliant to S.

R. B. GORE, Observer.

Native Land Court Notices.

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

Native Land Court Office,
Wellington, 6th May, 1891.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Trust Commissioner will, under the authority and for the purposes of the said Acts, hold a Court at the Native Land Court Office, Wellington, on Saturday, the 23rd day of May, 1891, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for investigating the cases mentioned in the Schedule hereunder, at which time and place all persons interested in the said cases, and having objections to any of the dealings, are hereby notified to attend.

W. BRIDSON,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

HOROWHENUA No. 3E, No. 5.

91-58. Lease dated the 3rd day of April, 1891, from Riripeti Tamaki and others to Charles Joseph Jury.

MOUTERE HANGANOAIHO No. 2.

91-63. Transfer dated the 25th day of April, 1891, from Pitini Turoa to Tamati Ranapiri.

OHAU No. 3, SECTIONS 1 AND 2.

91-65. Transfer dated the 4th day of February, 1891, from Hana Witana to John Kebbell.

HUTT, SUBDIVISION 5 OF SECTION 3, BLOCK XII.

91-76. Transfer dated the 28th day of April, 1891, from Oriwia te Atriraukawa to the Gear Meat Company (Limited).

Application for Probate.

Native Land Court Office,
Wellington, 9th May, 1891.

In the estate of MERE NAERA POMARE, of the Chatham Islands, deceased.

APPLICATION having been made by Inia Tuhata and another that letters of administration be granted therein:

It is hereby notified that all persons opposing such application must lodge a caveat in manner prescribed within two calendar months after the date of this notice.

W. BRIDSON,
Registrar.

Application for Letters of Administration.

Native Land Court Office,
Gisborne, 7th May, 1891.

In the matter of the will of HONA TE HURU.

APPLICATION having been made by Maraea te Huru that letters of administration be granted to her:

It is hereby notified that all persons opposing such application must lodge a caveat in manner prescribed within two calendar months after the date of this notice.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

Native Land Court Office,
Whanganui, 5th May, 1891.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Trust Commissioner will, under the authority and for the purposes of the said Acts, hold a Court at Palmerston North, on the 14th day of May, 1891, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for investigating the case mentioned in the Schedule hereunder, at which time and place all persons interested in the said case, and having objections to the said dealing, are hereby notified to attend.

ELWIN B. DICKSON,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

TAONU I AHUOTURANGA No. 1B.

91-14. MEMORANDUM of lease dated the 18th April, 1891, from Heta Kahuhui to John Hurley, of Palmerston North, Farmer.

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

Native Land Court Office,
Whanganui, 5th May, 1891.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Trust Commissioner will, under the authority and for the purposes of the said Acts, hold a Court at Palmerston North, on the 21st day of May, 1891, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for investigating the cases mentioned in the Schedule hereunder, at which time and place all persons interested in the said cases, and having objections to the said dealings, are hereby notified to attend.

ELWIN B. DICKSON,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

CARNARVON, SECTIONS 334, 335, AND 336 (PUKETOTARA).
91-6. DEED of lease dated the 31st March, 1890, from Hoani Meihana te Rangiotu and others to Claude Pascal and Louis Pascal, of Bunnythorpe, Sheep-farmers.

CARNARVON, SECTIONS 334, 335, AND 336 (PUKETOTARA).
91-7. Deed of confirmation of lease dated the 12th January, 1891, from Hemara Tiweta to Claude Pascal and Louis Pascal, of Bunnythorpe, Sheep-farmers.

[NOTE.—Cases previously gazetted on the 19th March, 1891, and adjourned for hearing before Mr. Trust Commissioner Brabant.]

Notice of Rehearing refused.

Registrar's Office,
Auckland, 28th April, 1891.

NOTICE is hereby given that a rehearing has been refused by the Chief Judge in respect of the matter mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written.

EDW. HAMMOND,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

Name of Land.	Nature of Proceeding.
Ngahinapouri	Investigation of title.

Otautu Nos. 1 and 2B.

Registrar's Office,
Auckland, 7th May, 1891.

THE notice contained in the *Kahiti* of the 5th day of March, 1891, and in the *Government Gazette* of the same date, appointing the 5th of May, 1891, as the time, and Shortland as the place, when and where the Native Land Court would sit to determine the matter of the partition of Otautu, refers only to that portion of the land which has been named by the Court Otautu Nos. 1 and 2B, and which is now held by the Native owners thereof under a Land Transfer certificate of title dated the 11th day of June, 1873.

The sitting of the Court has been adjourned from the 5th day of May, 1891, to the 2nd day of June, 1891.

EDW. HAMMOND,
Registrar.

Sitting of the Native Land Court.—“The Native Land Court Act, 1886,” and its Amendments.

Native Land Court Office, Wellington, 13th May, 1891.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Wellington on the 23rd day of May, 1891, 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.

W. BRIDSON, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

REMOVAL OF RESTRICTIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Title, and Date of Issue.
1	Marie Makirangi, Harata te Retiu, Raniera Erihana (Trustee for Hamoera Teretiu)	Polhill Gully, Section 8 ..	Land Transfer certificate, 22nd November, 1889.
2	Rangiwhaia te Puni, Hepora Keeti, Rangiwhaia te Puni (Trustee for Makere te Puni)	Hutt, Subdivision 5 of Sections 2 and 3	Crown grant, 7th August, 1882.
3	Epiha, Ihakara (Trustee for Pirihira Epiha, Piti Epiha, and Irihapeti), Raiha Epiha Pitama	Maungaraki No. 2 ..	Land Transfer certificate, 1st September, 1890.
4	Agnes Simeon (Akenehi Himiona)	Subdivision 13 of Section 8 of Block XI., Porirua	Land Transfer certificate, 10th December, 1890.

Crown Lands Notices.

Crown Lands for Sale by Auction, Auckland Land District.

Crown Lands Office,
Auckland, 21st April, 1891.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned Crown lands will be submitted for sale by public auction, at this office, on Friday, the 19th June, 1891, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

THOS. HUMPHRIES,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

SCHEDULE.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
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SUBURBS OF NGARUAWAHIA SOUTH.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
119	15 3 23	32 0 0

Museum endowment.

WHANGAREI COUNTY.—MANGAKAHIA SURVEY DISTRICT.
Block XI.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
12	3 2 0	3 10 0

Open land; subject to £100, valuation for improvements.

MANUKAU COUNTY.—PARISH OF OPAHEKE.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
Lot 44 of Sec. 5	1 1 17	3 0 0

Open land, at Tuhimata Settlement.

OTAMATEA COUNTY.—PARISH OF TOKATOKA.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
S.E. 14	27 0 9	13 10 0

Open land of rather poor quality; subject to £7 10s., valuation for improvements.

WHAKATANE COUNTY.—PARISH OF MATATA.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
106A	4 0 0	8 0 0

Open land of inferior quality, situated at Te Teko; subject to £450, value of hotel and buildings.

WAITEMATA COUNTY.—PARISH OF WAITAKEKEI.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
S.M. 67	36 1 18	18 5 0

Very broken bush land, containing a little kauri.

Terms of Sale: One-fifth of the purchase-money to be paid at close of sale, and the balance (with Crown-grant fee, usually £1) within thirty days thereafter, otherwise the part of the purchase-money paid by way of deposit shall be forfeited, and the contract for the sale of the land shall henceforth be null and void.

Plans of the sections may be seen at the local post-offices and on application at this office.

Sale of Wanganui Harbour Board Endowment Block, Wellington Land District.

Crown Lands Office,
Wellington, 5th May, 1891.

THE following sections of land will be offered for sale by application, for cash, in terms of “The Land Act, 1885,” at this office, on and after Wednesday, the 17th June, 1891;—

POHANGINA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
1	II.	168 3 0	1 5 0
2	"	592 2 0	1 5 0
3	"		
6	V.	162 0 0	1 5 0
8	"	172 0 0	1 5 0
10	"	157 0 0	1 5 0
5	VI.	158 0 0	1 5 0
73	IX.	196 2 16	1 5 0
74	"	236 3 24	1 5 0
76	"	218 3 8	1 5 0

Terms of Sale: One-fifth of the purchase-money to be paid on application, and the balance to the Receiver of Land Revenue, Wellington, within thirty days from date of sale, otherwise the deposit will be forwarded, and the contract for the sale of the land thenceforth will be null and void. Crown-grant fees to be paid on completion of the purchases. These sections will be sold without any limitations and restrictions as to area, conditions of occupation, and improvements, nor are declarations necessary. Maps can be seen at the principal post-offices in the district and at this office, where full particulars can also be obtained.

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

Sale of Pastoral Runs and Crown Lands in Otago.

Crown Lands Office,
Dunedin, 28th April, 1891.

THE under-mentioned Crown lands will be offered for sale by auction, at the Crown Lands Office, Dunedin, on Friday, the 29th May, 1891, at 11.30 a.m. :—

PASTORAL LICENSES (under Part VI. of “The Land Act, 1885”).

Runs 239, 338B, and 338C (grouped), Vincent County, about 43,970 acres; term, fourteen years. Upset rental, £30 per annum.

Run 24A, Clutha County, about 890 acres; term, ten years. Upset rental, £11 2s. 6d. per annum.

Maniototo District: Section 10, Block XV., about 420 acres; term, five years. Upset rental, £21 per annum.

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

Purchasers will be required to pay the first half-year's rent from day of sale, and £1 1s. license-fee, on fall of hammer.

SMALL GRAZING-RUN LEASES (under Part VII. of “The Land Act, 1885”).

Rock and Pillar District: Section 11, Block XII., about 2,470 acres; term, twenty-one years. Upset rental, £61 15s. per annum.

Rock and Pillar District: Section 12, Block XII., about 2,975 acres; term, twenty-one years. Upset rental, £74 7s. 6d. per annum; valuation for improvements, £119.

Highlay District: Section 6, Block VII., about 1,313 acres; term, twenty-one years. Upset rental, £32 16s. 6d. per annum.

Mount Hyde District: Section 1, Block I., and Section 17, Block II., about 575 acres; term, twenty-one years. Upset rental, £14 7s. 6d. per annum.

Maniototo District: Sections 9 and 18, Block III., about 867 acres; term, twenty-one years. Upset rental, £21 13s. 6d. per annum.

Maniototo District: Sections 19 and 20, Block III., and Sections 5 and 9, Block IV., about 559 acres; term, twenty-one years. Upset rental, £13 19s. 6d. per annum.

Tiger Hill District: Run 244c, about 1,701 acres; term, twenty-one years. Upset rental, £42 10s. 6d. per annum; valuation for improvements, £170 10s.

Tiger Hill District: Run 244f, about 1,701 acres; term, twenty-one years. Upset rental, £42 10s. 6d. per annum; valuation for improvements, £327 5s.

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

Purchasers will be required to hand to the auctioneer the declaration required by section 200 of "The Land Act, 1885," and to pay the first half-year's rent from the 1st September next, and lease- and registration-fees (£1 11s.), on fall of hammer.

Valuations for improvements payable within fourteen days from day of sale.

RURAL AND SUBURBAN DEFERRED-PAYMENT LANDS (under Part III. of "The Land Act, 1885").

Tuapeka West District (Rural): Section 18, Block II., 55 acres 1 rood 28 perches. Upset price, £1 per acre. Valuation for improvements, £16 10s.

Glenkenich District (Rural): Section 74, Block XI., 136 acres 3 roods 9 perches. Upset price, £1 per acre. Valuation for improvements, £70.

Waikoikoi Town (Suburban): Sections 9, 13, and 20, containing 2 acres and 8 perches, 1 acre, and 1 acre 1 rood

39 perches respectively. Upset price, £5 per acre. Valuation for improvements on Section 13, £3 4s.

Terms of Payment: For rural lands, one twenty-eighth of the total price and £1 1s. (license-fee) to be paid on fall of hammer; balance in equal half-yearly payments extending over fourteen years. For suburban lands, one-tenth of total price and £1 1s. (license-fee) to be paid on fall of hammer; balance in equal half-yearly payments extending over five years. Purchasers must deposit the statutory declaration required by section 113 of "The Land Act, 1885," and pay valuation for improvements (if any) at time of sale.

TOWNSHIPS.

Town sections in Kaitangata and Kurow Townships. Upset price, £30 per acre.

Suburban sections in Bastings (Rae's Junction) and Herbert Townships. Upset price of Bastings sections, £3 per acre; of Herbert section, £5 per acre.

Terms of Payment: Twenty per cent. deposit on fall of hammer; balance (with Crown-grant fee £1) within thirty days.

EDUCATION RESERVES.

Kaitangata Township: Section 2, Block XIII., and Section 13, Block XIV., containing 1 rood each. Upset price, £7 10s. per section.

Terms of Payment: Twenty per cent. deposit on fall of hammer; balance, with costs of transfer, within thirty days.

For further particulars apply to this office.

J. P. MAITLAND,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

RETURN of IMMIGRATION to and EMIGRATION from the COLONY of NEW ZEALAND during the MONTH of APRIL, 1891, showing the Places from which Persons arrived and to which they departed, and the Ports of Arrival and Departure. (Subject to revision as to departures for Australia.)*

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	63	25	2	7	97	149	115	30	32	326
Queensland .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
New South Wales	336	195	38	21	590	433	253	69	58	813
Victoria	158	79	14	11	262	187	112	32	24	355
South Australia .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
Western Australia .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tasmania	25	16	2	1	44	42	15	1	2	60
Other places	35	11	3	3	52	73	21	4	2	100
Totals	617	326	59	43	1,045	885	517	136	118	1,656

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 .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	4	..	4
Kaipara	2	1	1	2	3	5	1	4	2	6
Auckland	190	28	161	57	218	384	40	271	153	424
Wellington	467	44	311	200	511	396	94	306	184	490
Wanganui	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Napier	3	1	2	2	4	..	..	..	..	..
Lyttelton	2	..	1	1	2	255	60	172	143	315
Oamaru .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	3	..	3
Invercargill	278	28	199	107	306	355	59	261	153	414
Totals	943	102	676	369	1,045	1,402	254	1,021	635	1,656

CHINESE.—Arrivals, 2; departures, 1.

* The departures for Australia are given subject to revision, as the Customs emigration returns do not include all passengers who go on board without booking. The numbers may eventually be increased somewhat after receipt of returns from the shipping companies.

† 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.

Tenders for Sleepers, New Zealand Railways.

Railway Department (Head Office), Wellington, 12th May, 1891.

THE following list of successful and unsuccessful tenders for the supply and delivery of 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.
H. Carlson and Co.	Danevirke	Lyttelton	10,000	Totara	s. d. 3 9½	Accepted.
F. Jenssen	Napier	Timaru	4,000	"	3 11	"
H. Baigent	Nelson	Lyttelton	5,000	Birch	3 0	"
L. Langesen	Waiiau, Amuri	Culverden	2,000	"	3 0	"
W. Ryde	Oxford	West Oxford	2,000	"	3 0	"
J. Sharplin	"	"	2,000	"	3 0	"
B. Sharplin	"	"	2,000	"	3 0	"
E. B. Youngman	"	View Hill	2,000	"	3 0	"
Lace and Nell	"	Sheffield	3,000	"	3 0	"
Sharplin, Vincent, and Co.	Springburn	Springburn	4,000	"	3 0	"
Wood and Laurie	Christchurch	Little River	2,000	Matai	3 2	"
"	"	"	2,000	Totara	3 5	"
W. Coop	Little River	"	750	Matai	3 2	"
"	"	"	1,250	Totara	3 4	"
Findlay and Murdoch	Dunedin	Centre Bush	2,500	"	3 5½	"
"	"	Dunedin	5,000	Kamai	2 5¼	"
Francis Henry	Oraki, Riverton	Oraki	10,000	"	2 0	"
New Zealand Pine Company	Invercargill	Union Mills, Waimatua, and Woodend	1,000	"	2 0	"
"	"	Ditto	7,000	"	2 0	"
"	"	Riverton and Colac	2,000	"	2 0	"
Small and Co.	Riverton	Riverton	3,000	"	2 0	"
G. Harrington	"	"	1,000	Totara	3 3	"
James More	"	"	2,000	Kamai	2 0	"
Watson Brothers	Dalmore, Pabia	Wakapatu	2,500	"	2 0	"
"	"	"	500	Totara	3 3	"
Stewart and Co.	Wellington	Greytown North	3,000	"	3 5	Declined.
A. McLeod and Co.	Masterton	Lyttelton	2,000	"	4 4	"
William Burt	Featherston	"	3,000	"	4 2	"
Massey and Co.	Invercargill	Woodlands, Massey's Siding, Waianawa, and Centre Bush	3,000	Black-pine and totara	2 9	"
Findlay and Murdoch	Dunedin	Centre Bush	2,500	Black-pine	2 11½	"
"	"	Dunedin	2,000	Kamai	2 7¼	"
G. Harrington	Riverton	Riverton	1,000	Matai	2 6	"
Robert Greig and Co.	Dunedin	Ahuriri	2,000	"	3 0	"
Watson Brothers	Dalmore, Pabia	Wakapatu	500	"	2 11	"
W. Cruickshank	Invercargill	Invercargill	2,000	"	2 11	"
F. Jenssen	Napier	Oamaru	4,000	Totara	4 1	"
"	"	Port Chalmers	4,000	"	4 3	"

PARTICULARS of the Estates of Deceased Persons which have been placed under the Charge of the PUBLIC TRUSTEE for Management during the Month of April, 1891.

No.	Name of Deceased.	Colonial Residence.	Supposed British or Foreign Residence.	Date of Order.	Value or Estimated Value of Personal Estate.	Time of Deceased's Death.	Remarks.
1	Anderson, M. G.	Wairoa, H.B.	"	"	Under £10	Mar. 19, 1891	Relatives known.
2	Batho, J. H.	Greymouth	London	"	£100	April 22, 1891	Relatives known.
3	Cole, W. A.	Mangawhare	"	"	£3	Mar. 16, 1891	"
4	DeSouza, F. J.	Mokinui	Azores Islands	"	£60	Mar. 26, 1891	"
5	Hayes, M.	Dunedin	"	"	£1	April 14, 1891	"
6	Murray, D.	Teviot Station	Scotland	"	£4	Mar. 21, 1891	"
7	Malone, P.	Waikau	Ireland	"	£1	Mar. 1, 1891	"
8	Mace, John	Makaretu	"	"	£5	Mar. 15, 1891	Relatives known.
9	McLymont, John	Tapauui	"	"	£21	Mar. 21, 1891	"
10	McNidder, D. R.	Dunedin	Dundee	"	£550	Feb. 19, 1891	Relatives known.
11	Pickup, James	Wellington	Yorkshire	"	£30	April 15, 1891	Relatives known.
12	Riordan, John	Helensville	Ireland	May 1, 1891	£250	Mar. 6, 1891	"
13	Smyth, Henry	Hokitika	Dublin	May 1, 1891	£100	Mar. 3, 1891	"
14	Walker, Hugh	Kaikoura	Glasgow	"	£100	April 11, 1891	Relatives known
15	Wilson, Charles	Herbert	Germany	"	£10	Mar. 20, 1891	"
16	Wann, John	Waikaia	"	"	£10	Mar. 9, 1891	"

Dated at Wellington, this 7th day of May, 1891.

R. C. HAMERTON,
Public Trustee.

Account of Land in Cultivation and Agricultural Produce, April, 1891.

Registrar-General's Office, Wellington, 12th May, 1891.

THE results of the collection made during April last for the under-mentioned counties (as returned by the Superintendent Collectors) are published for general information. The figures are subject to revision. W. M. R. E. BROWN, Registrar-General.

Counties.	Numbers of Holdings over One Acre in Extent.				Extent of Land broken up, but not under Crop. Acres.	In Wheat.		In Oats.			In Barley.		In Potatoes.		In Turnips or Rape.	In Other Crops.	Total Number of Acres under Crop, exclusive of Land under Grasses.	In Sown Grasses.				Grass Seed. Produce of.		In Garden. Acres.	In Orchard. Acres.				
	Freehold.	Rented.	Part Freehold, part Rented.	Total Numbers of Holdings.		Acres.	Estimated Gross Produce (in bushels).	Acres.		Estimated Gross Produce (in bushels).	Acres.	Estimated Gross Produce (in bushels).	Acres.	Estimated Gross Produce (in tons).				Acres.	Acres.	In Hay.		In Grasses after having been broken up (including such as in Hay).	Grass-sown Lands not previously ploughed (including such as in Hay).			Cocks-foot. Bshls.	Rye-grass. Bshls.		
								Acres.	Estimated Gross Produce (in tons).											Acres.	Acres.							Acres.	Acres.
West Taupo ..	12	7	..	19	308	9	165	52	24	490	..	..	20	81	36	2	143	21	52	2,708	3,152	8	..	9	6		
East Taupo ..	4	5	..	9	53	..	..	34	..	..	..	..	3	14	..	..	37	29	25	68	89	..	..	3	6
Tauranga ..	189	45	45	279	10,110	265	4,322	709	432	6,155	15	270	248	1,121	976	1,007	3,652	219	240	14,262	14,927	336	80	66	273				
Rotorua ..	3	10	1	14	41	..	..	30	..	..	..	..	8	23	9	1	48	10	9	277	131	..	..	9	5
Whakatane ..	141	39	23	203	1,928	44	900	138	71	2,510	39	874	77	275	390	3,073	3,832	202	368	12,298	7,943	471	227	19	68				
Motiti Island ..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	5	..	1	3	10	40	10	600	..	..	..	1
Wairarapa South	491	178	82	751	936	622	13,948	1,037	4,038	120,637	76	1,866	343	1,828	7,398	78	13,592	1,222	1,768	29,449	213,008	1,639	1,628	151	250				
Wairarapa North	535	201	97	833	902	2,024	43,156	644	3,175	89,160	37	713	242	1,317	3,651	75	9,848	888	1,333	19,461	324,212	19,997	4,232	199	288				
Pahiatua ..	202	163	24	389	15	1	40	20	2	50	..	..	35	322	113	4	175	55	78	5	31,502	1,259	590	80	40		
Waitaki ..	447	209	110	766	9,699	28,681	443,090	5,533	17,464	330,003	1,002	15,298	3,879	13,091	24,005	555	81,109	233	687	236,997	17,974	360	15,124	141	197				
Waihemo ..	158	39	34	231	2,318	1,168	18,273	1,824	4,402	73,745	148	2,472	257	1,001	2,067	181	9,687	14	22	29,537	16,606	42	1,241	71	24				
Waikouaiti ..	424	174	108	706	600	929	18,369	1,716	1,561	39,815	45	745	363	1,517	539	83	5,236	678	1,199	15,640	50,901	61	904	155	146				
Southland ..	1,653	530	303	2,486	32,033	5,600	169,973	11,809	76,735	2,638,609	1,188	36,061	1,202	6,347	54,934	558	152,026	824	1,171	347,349	24,536	1,043	105,194	549	332				
Wallace ..	397	110	91	598	4,742	1,567	40,063	4,719	15,952	563,558	84	2,110	202	994	16,284	537	39,345	841	1,440	139,873	19,108	1,027	37,272	118	54				
Stewart Island	15	3	..	18	6,335	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	20	4	..	12	3	7	2	203	..	..	..	4

RETURN of the VALUE of IMPORTS at the several PORTS of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 31ST MARCH, 1891.

Countries.	Auckland.	Russell.	Kaipara.	Tauranga.	Poverty Bay.	New Plymouth.	Patea.	Wanganui.	Wellington.	Napier.	Wairau.	Pictou.	Nelson.	Westport.	Greymouth.	Hokitika.	Lyttelton.	Timaru.	Oamaru.	Dunedin.	Invercargill and Bluff.	Parcels Post.	Totals.	Corresponding Quarter, 1890.	Countries.		
United Kingdom	£ 287,377	£	£	£ 435	£ 5,225	£ 3,546	£ 2,689	£ 12,670	£ 258,120	£ 38,426	£ 3,195	£ 33	£ 31,684	£ 1,020	£ 9,935	£ 1,146	£ 210,025	£ 14,966	£ 7,114	£ 278,509	£ 16,440	£ 4,146	£ 1,186,710	£ 1,227,591	United Kingdom		
Australia—																										Australia—	
Victoria	12,583		146		186	295		471	15,297	2,797	128		1,036	503	2,143	1,287	20,725	688	364	36,126	3,230	357	98,452	142,400	Victoria		
New South Wales	23,909			21	532	95	93	758	16,683	3,998	13	136	1,023	164	835	38	17,068	193	852	14,162	2,322		82,920	68,859	New South Wales		
Queensland	1,565		178						9								1,217			1,254			4,223	362	Queensland		
South Australia	762					2		79	118		31		76	18			651			212	44	7	2,028	3,486	South Australia		
Tasmania	3,995					20			2,351	151			5	12	1	10	859		9	3,245	663	46	11,375	11,099	Tasmania		
Pacific Islands—																										Pacific Islands—	
Norfolk	348									1														349	232	Norfolk	
Fiji	42,936							91	800	58			3				144						404	44,436	Fiji		
Africa—																										Africa—	
Mauritius								209									16,397						27,589	44,195	28,046	Mauritius	
Asia—																										Asia—	
Hongkong	2,225								2,476				190				4			1,980	73		6,948	4,579	Hongkong		
Bengal	6,309	8		19			252	145	9,552	2,742			125		69		73,948	23,044		29,640	351		146,204	56,207	Bengal		
Bombay						587			21											7			615	126	Bombay		
Madras																									11	Madras	
Ceylon	1,169							480	1,052	64			395				629			2,931	384		7,104	3,112	Ceylon		
Singapore	924								299	44			621				197			1,091		3	3,179	336	Singapore		
America—																										America—	
Canada																									74	Canada	
Europe—																										Europe—	
France							103						249				1,085			482			1,919	1,330	France		
Spain																				190				190	5	Spain	
Portugal																	843						843	424	Portugal		
Italy	200								231															521	182	Italy	
Austria	84								148															232	76	Austria	
Germany	3,597					3		7	1,781				109				535			1,489	119		7,692	16,341	Germany		
Norway																								9	9	Norway	
Belgium	532				48				93	270			17				40			1,002			2,002	973	Belgium		
Holland									58				358				209						625	197	Holland		
Switzerland	87																						87		87	Switzerland	
Turkey																									3	Turkey	
United States—																										United States—	
On the East Coast	17,061			9	98		190	350	16,138	449	167	14	2,765	114	358	353	2,148	95	143	11,772	666		52,890	57,158	On the East Coast		
On the West Coast	8,494								1,353				291				1,602			3,645	765		16,150	6,624	On the West Coast		
Africa—																										Africa—	
Egypt																								2	2	Egypt	
Canary Islands									1														1	1		Canary Islands	
Asia—																										Asia—	
China	110														495	15				2,102			2,732	4,723	China		
Japan	802								1,150											1			938	1,953	Japan		
Java																								9,742	9,742	Java	
Philippine Islands	1,052								72	189										1,002			2,315	1,671	Philippine Islands		
Asia Minor																								252	252	Asia Minor	
Pacific Islands—																										Pacific Islands—	
New Caledonia	552																						552		552	New Caledonia	
New Hebrides																									101	101	New Hebrides
Friendly	2,234								104								45						2,383	2,526	Friendly		
Savage	195																						195	207	Savage		
Navigator	1,616																8					9	1,634	332	Navigator		
Cook	1,220																						1,220	675	Cook		
Society	759																						759	487	Society		
Penrhyn																									10	Penrhyn	
Malden																					1,521		1,521	1,089	1,089	Malden	
Sandwich																									2	Sandwich	
Chesterfield																					334		334			Chesterfield	
Totals	422,787	8	324	484	6,089	4,548	3,224	15,363	327,917	49,189	3,534	183	38,947	1,921	13,836	2,896	348,409	39,022	8,482	419,180	26,578	4,559	1,737,480		Totals		
Corresp. Quarter, 1890...	355,022	78	452	604	5,740	3,830	2,279	12,938	288,589	37,216	4,253	34	35,470	1,969	17,702	4,770	299,311	25,318	11,418	538,478	40,050	3,276	1,688,797		Corresp. Quarter, 1890		

Department of Trade and Customs, Wellington, 21st April, 1891.

W. T. GLASGOW, for Secretary and Inspector.

RETURN of the VALUE of EXPORTS from the several PORTS of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 31st MARCH, 1891.

COUNTRIES.	Auckland.	Russell.	Kaipara.	Tauranga.	Poverty Bay.	New Plymouth.	Patea.	Wanganui.	Wellington.	Napier.	Weiran and Picton.	Picton.	Nelson.	Westport.	Greymouth.	Hokitika.	Lyttelton and Christchurch.	Timaru.	Oamaru.	Dunedin.	Invercargill and Bluff Harbour.	Parcels Post.	Totals.	Corresponding Quarter, 1890.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
United Kingdom ..	180,454	..	..	..	78,840	35,097	10,004	96,698	493,367	644,023	51,995	..	18,830	4,230	22,968	28,050	592,179	211,500	212,018	397,092	225,184	753	3,303,282	3,238,485
Australia—																									
Victoria ..	9,332	..	12,565	..	50	2,607	91	67	1,789	964	593	..	997	535	11,257	219	2,235	96	90	5,224	15,744	141	64,596	170,289	
New South Wales ..	103,028	2,015	8,730	..	406	1,902	30	10	7,278	1,544	401	..	1,727	9,248	6,047	..	22,196	5,844	3,449	16,540	18,755	..	209,150	168,897	
Queensland ..	4,684	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	222	..	..	..	213	..	6	..	1,722	1,085	267	3,689	2,368	..	14,256	13,134
South Australia ..	5,056	..	2,934	..	..	629	..	..	52	10	..	..	..	1,454	516	..	391	..	..	3,059	777	14	14,892	10,401
Western Australia ..	42	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	915	..	7	2	..	..	59	2	1,027	2,168
Tasmania ..	2,017	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	759	51	..	..	..	..	15	30	4,057	405	..	550	337	25	8,246	12,733
Pacific Islands—																									
Norfolk ..	1,351	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,351	353
Fiji ..	6,603	699	..	..	27	..	..	..	560	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	286	..	2	225	..	..	8,402	10,173
Asia—																									
Hongkong ..	587	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,001	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	133	..	..	1,721	1,248
Singapore ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10
Europe—																									
France ..	345	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	345	575
Austria ..	13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	..
Italy ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	43	..	..	43	..
Germany ..	1,455	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,455	900
Belgium ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,658	..	..	1,658	..
America—																									
United States—																									
On the East Coast ..	82,635	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	19,712	..	978	..	353	..	..	..	17,869	..	..	994	..	..	122,541	112,769
On the West Coast ..	5,979	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	321	..	8	..	..	..	..	..	115	..	..	1,046	252	..	7,721	21,655
Brazil ..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	290	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	328	..	..	..	..	..	621	494
Chili ..	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	20	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	28	..
Asia—																									
China	374	374	..
Japan ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	141	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	141	221
Pacific Islands—																									
New Caledonia ..	784	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	796	1,239
New Hebrides ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	127	..	..	127	..
Friendly ..	5,469	772	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6,241	5,013
Savage ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	163
Navigator ..	3,783	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	10	..	95	..	..	3,901	5,096
Cook ..	742	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	745	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,487	3,139
Society ..	1,574	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,574	3,267
Sandwich ..	1,581	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	75	..	..	..	..	..	1,721	1,869
Baker ..	234	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	234	791
Chesterfield ..	328	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	328	255
Solomon ..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..
Totals ..	418,090	3,486	24,229	..	79,323	40,235	10,125	96,775	526,273	646,592	53,975	..	22,120	15,467	42,098	28,299	641,469	218,942	215,826	430,475	263,541	935	3,778,275	..	
Corresponding Quar., 1890	333,540	3,406	23,663	24	82,737	18,541	14,051	71,841	571,615	435,825	33,502	61,604	30,449	10,516	59,563	23,286	874,421	263,732	261,862	403,992	206,087	1,080	..	3,785,337	

ARTICLES	AUCKLAND		RUSSELL		KAIAPARA		POVERTY BAY		NEW PLYMOUTH AND WAITARA		PATRA		WANGANUI		WELLINGTON		NAPIER		PICTON AND WAIHAU		ARTICLES
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	
The Mine,—				£		£		£		£		£		£		£		£		£	The Mine,—
Coal tons	1934	2491	4270	3056	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11937	12470	...	...	...	...	Coal tons
Gold ounces	16591	65451	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37	141	...	...	...	...	Gold ounces
Silver ounces	5732	1129	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Silver ounces
Minerals tons	463	980	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	109	1550	...	...	...	...	Minerals tons
	...	70051	...	3056	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14161	...	...	...	...
The Fisheries,—																					The Fisheries,—
Fish cwt.	329	604	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	134	159	167	232	...	8	8
Oysters dozens	102200	417	26000	153	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other kinds ... ..	...	88	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	...	...	...	...	...
	...	1109	...	153	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	175	...	232	...	...	8
The Forest,—																					The Forest,—
Fungus cwt.	402	583	...	...	...	...	...	...	965	1352	...	...	...	...	796	1096	...	...	...	...	Fungus cwt.
Gum (Kauri) tons	2147	113381	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Gum (Kauri) tons
Timber (Sawn & Hewn) feet	5072095	21148	...	...	5353054	24096	...	...	13200	60	...	...	...	...	79400	318	...	...	...	...	Timber (Sawn & Hewn) feet
" (Logs) number	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" Other kinds ... ..	...	1644	...	...	...	133	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...
	...	136756	...	...	...	24229	...	...	...	1412	...	...	...	...	...	1418	...	...	...	...	...
Animals and Produce,—																					Animals and Produce,—
Bacon and Hams cwt.	60	229	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	56	...	...	...	...	Bacon and Hams cwt.
Beef (Salted) cwt.	2126	2033	...	...	...	...	97	91	...	...	...	...	...	...	413	512	...	...	...	...	Beef (Salted) cwt.
Butter cwt.	2389	10463	...	...	...	...	...	...	5287	20879	389	1366	604	1692	4849	16407	...	...	15	55	Butter cwt.
Cheese cwt.	776	1479	...	...	...	...	290	542	181	412	...	...	...	...	2446	4795	2	5	...	...	Cheese cwt.
Hides number	3135	1467	...	...	...	...	93	50	...	...	60	30	...	...	2662	1595	837	554	16	10	Hides number
Live Stock number	1064	16916	627	277	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	20	...	...	...	...	Live Stock number
Meats (Preserved) cwt.	1625	3536	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1330	3421	...	...	2569	5559	723	2092	160	351	Meats (Preserved) cwt.
" (Frozen) cwt.	5766	8075	...	...	...	...	11092	13344	6295	7496	...	...	...	...	70935	81799	91886	126701	...	...	" (Frozen) cwt.
Sausage-skins cwt.	17	111	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1039	6148	...	...	...	...	Sausage-skins cwt.
Skins (Rabbit) number	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	85060	505	...	...	15960	170	Skins (Rabbit) number
" (Sheep) number	17118	1008	...	...	...	...	18510	866	...	...	1152	38	1150	211	90177	6361	185859	9156	5810	353	" (Sheep) number
Tallow tons	149	2831	...	...	...	...	85	1789	5	82	66	1320	32	647	642	12591	480	9641	4	68	Tallow tons
Wool lbs.	2844615	95308	...	...	...	...	1634986	62298	250105	9196	118446	3950	2891233	94148	10319984	335327	12664638	495349	1181578	43109	Wool lbs.
Other kinds ... ..	...	474	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	77	...	...	...	...	Other kinds
	...	143940	...	277	...	...	...	78997	...	38065	...	10125	...	96775	...	472105	...	643560	...	44116	
Agricultural Products,—																					Agricultural Products,—
Bran and Sharps tons	210	659	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	27	...	...	...	...
Chaff tons	1	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Flour tons	646	6076	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grain (Barley) bushels	67	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" (Beans and Peas) bushels	175	56	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" (Malt) bushels	465	116	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	213	60	...	...	2246	551	
" (Oats) bushels	5735	618	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	800	200
" (Wheat) bushels	150	32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" (Maize) bushels	36445	5687	...	...	...	...	2398	335	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hops cwt.	2	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1470	233	...	...	...
Meal (Oat) cwt.	11	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	21	...	...	...
Potatoes tons	202	984	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	38	109	...	...	30	60
Seeds (Grass & Clover) bushels	203	60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	141	62	...	...	...	...
Other kinds ... ..	...	1404	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...
	...	15727	...	...	...	...	...	335	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	315	...	811
Manufactures,—																					Manufactures,—
Apparel ... ..	...	351	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Leather cwt.	443	1686	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	391	...	...
Phormium tons	1213	22941	...	...	...	...	...	...	46	748	...	...	...	...	1895	30989	120	2003	433	9014	
Woollens ... ..	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other kinds ... ..	...	4639	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	29620	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	748	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20
Miscellaneous value	...	2373	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9034
	...	268	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6
Total New Zealand Produce and Manufactures ... ..	...	389576	...	3486	...	24229	...	79323	...	40225	...	10125	...	98775	...	523262	...	646512	...	53975	
Specie ... ..	...	943	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Colonial, British, and Foreign Produce and Manufactures ... ..	...	17571	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTALS ... ..	...	418090	...	3486	...	24229	...	79323	...	40235	...	10125	...	98775	...	526273	...	646592	...	53975	

RETURN of the QUANTITY and VALUE of EXPORTS from NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 31st MARCH, 1891—continued.

ARTICLES	NELSON		WESTPORT		GREYMOUTH		HOKITIKA		LYTTELTON		TIMARU		OAMARU		DUNEDIN		INVERCARGILL AND BLUFF HARBOUR		TOTALS		Corresponding QUARTER, 1890	ARTICLES.	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Value		
The Mine,—																							
Coal tons	80	320	3807	2139	175	66	7012	28050	1548	1742	...	...	22	83	3071	3894	1479	1580	28221	27238	14608	The Mine,—
Gold ounces	...	...	3198	12793	9835	39381	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36775	146219	204804	Coal
Silver ounces	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5732	1129	2	Gold
Minerals tons	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	393	1403	...	...	...	965	3934	2142	Silver
	...	320	...	14932	...	39447	...	28051	...	1742	...	...	...	...	5097	...	1580	...	178520	221556	Minerals	
The Fisheries,—																							
Fish cwts.	...	...	...	...	14	66	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	2	854	629	99	241	1608	1943	1298	The Fisheries,—
Oysters dozens	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27540	231	155740	801	582	Oysters
Other kinds ... ..	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	...	...	134	...	Other kinds
	...	2	...	...	...	66	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	629	...	500	...	2878	1880	
The Forest,—																							
Fungus cwts.	16	30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2179	3061	2538	The Forest,—
Gum (Kauri) tons	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	113581	77582	Fungus
Timber (Sawn and Hewn) feet	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	520	4	...	...	22200	100	754989	3246	11295458	48972	46386	Gum (Kauri)
(Logs) number	Timber (Sawn & Hewn)
Other kinds	6	11	1936	...	770	(Logs)
	...	36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	...	...	...	...	3272	...	...	167350	127376	Other kinds
Animals and Produce,—																							
Bacon and Hams cwts.	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1443	4368	24	56	1	3	82	284	128	381	1759	5378	6877	Animals and Produce,—	
Beef (Salted) cwts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36	61	...	...	...	...	22	19	2694	2721	3635	Bacon and Hams	
Butter cwts.	234	657	...	...	...	...	...	1517	4069	46	128	...	...	704	2277	...	...	16034	57998	62171	Beef (Salted)	
Cheese cwts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1513	2801	...	...	...	20	42	9530	1326	2500	16084	34125	21961	Butter	
Hides number	82	30	552	360	665	584	286	204	55	55	473	210	...	230	163	2291	1182	11437	6494	6373	Cheese		
Live Stock number	1	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	71	506	...	...	...	44	1006	46	480	1858	19203	13517	Hides	
Meats (Preserved) cwts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	435	2029	...	...	...	9	43	178	777	7075	11947	19286	Live Stock	
(Frozen) cwts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	55544	69592	16750	21759	9837	10570	12197	11757	3447	4022	283749	355115	286947	Meats (Preserved)
Sausage-skins cwts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	59	417	...	...	...	3	16	41	192	1159	6884	2673	...	(Frozen)
Skins (Rabbit) number	1140	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	14634	135	...	...	11450	112	1031094	7673	65810	661	1225148	9261	2654	Sausage-skins
(Sheep) number	3965	503	...	...	...	...	...	...	159936	9662	60084	2609	14760	995	85618	6302	31142	4045	675681	42109	26492	Skins (Rabbit)
Tallow tons	...	...	6	115	...	...	...	...	381	7442	169	3379	48	912	35	553	43	779	2145	42149	45380	(Sheep)
Wool lbs.	512109	18157	2500	59	9020	237	...	...	11070193	422371	4306414	175762	4647964	191192	8455394	334746	4897313	190496	65796492	2471704	2422882	Tallow
Other kinds ... ..	...	1	...	...	6	...	4	...	1230	...	...	20	...	6	...	496	...	...	...	3090	1827	Wool
	...	18368	...	535	...	827	...	208	...	524677	...	203984	...	203971	...	386565	...	206093	...	3074178	2922675	Other kinds	
Agricultural Products,—																							
Bran and Sharps tons	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	934	2411	1023	2555	842	2252	601	1612	259	791	3879	10307	6151	Agricultural Products,—	
Chaff tons	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	167	507	169	513	46	...	Bran and Sharps
Flour tons	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	94	852	255	2556	11	100	10	98	1	10	1017	9692	24262	Chaff	
Grain (Barley) bushels	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2664	8365	...	...	21482	2827	2061	242	3190	373	30124	3674	1761	Flour	
(Beans and Peas) bushels	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8346	1262	...	...	...	...	24	4	...	...	11004	1933	3533	Grain (Barley)	
(Malt) bushels	2378	535	...	...	...	...	...	21413	5472	4267	1149	1102	287	...	...	...	...	30425	7759	3085	(Beans and Peas)	
(Oats) bushels	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	115518	9425	30788	2343	38036	2851	192728	14644	607032	47509	989835	77390	32360	(Malt)	
(Wheat) bushels	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	289015	49695	35088	5539	18831	3292	550	91	172	26	343806	58665	167596	...	(Oats)
(Maize) bushels	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40	7	...	...	40353	6262	...	...	(Wheat)
Hops cwts.	171	1093	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	44	251	...	...	222	1378	544	Hops	
Meal (Oat) cwts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	80	41	112	25	2971	1380	1239	512	4413	1947	873	Meal (Oat)	
Potatoes tons	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40	95	10	30	...	...	320	1278	4001	...	Potatoes
Seeds (Grass and Clover) bushels	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6584	3648	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4123	1104	11051	4872	3629	Seeds (Grass and Clover)
Other kinds ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	234	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	...	2204	12566	Other kinds
	...	1628	...	...	...	...	...	...	73352	...	14183	...	11719	...	18875	...	50860	...	188072	260887		
Manufactures,—																							
Apparel ... ..	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3445	...	18	...	...	30	...	3	...	4242	2101	...	Manufactures,—
Leather cwts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	576	3431	...	...	...	...	771	3360	...	...	2331	10513	16122	Apparel	
Phormium tons	44	712	...	...	...	...	...	1392	29264	33	653	...	...	55	1092	28	554	5259	97985	162247	162247	Leather
Woolens ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	...	...	...	6145	...	...	...	6587	4065	...	Phormium
Other kinds ... ..	...	31	...	...	158	...	30	...	...	2056	...	65	...	...	1613	...	321	...	10301	20155	...	Woolens
	...	747	...	...	158	...	30	...	38196	...	756	...	27	...	12140	...	878	...	129608	204690	...	Other kinds
Miscellaneous value	...	18	...	...	1561	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	132	...	27	...	...	5322*	6702*	Miscellaneous
Total New Zealand Produce and Manufactures	23119	15467	42059	28289	637967	218942	215802	423650	263210	3745928*	3745768*												
Specie ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	95	...	...	...	...	1038	1878	
Other Colonial, British, and Foreign Produce and Manufactures	1	...	39	10	3502	...	24	6730	331	31309	37693												
TOTALS	23120	15467	42098	28299	641469	218942	215826	430475	263541	3778275*	3785337*												

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PORTS OF ARRIVAL.	Sailing or Steam Vessels.	WHENCE.						BRITISH.									FOREIGN.									TOTALS.									Corresponding Quarter, 1890.		
		United Kingdom.		British Possessions.		Foreign Countries and Whale Fisheries.		With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.					
		With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.			
Auckland	Sailing Steam	3	..	17	3	2	..	22	7057	199	3	1834	32	25	8891	231	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	22	7057	199	3	1834	32	25	8891	231	30	13027	315
Total	..	3	..	41	3	13	1	52	32827	1642	4	3865	85	56	36692	1727	5	9695	479	..	..	..	5	9695	479	57	42522	2121	4	3865	85	61	46387	2206	65	52276	2353
Russell	Sailing	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	391	32	
Kaipara	Sailing	..	..	3	8	..	1	2	684	17	8	2743	65	10	3427	82	1	450	9	1	447	9	2	897	18	3	1134	26	9	3190	74	12	4324	100	19	5548	148
Poverty Bay	Sailing	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	135	6	..	..	..	1	135	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	135	6	..	..	..	1	135	6	1	100	5	
New Plymouth	Steam	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	2646	44	1	2646	44	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2646	44	1	2646	44	..	..	..
Wanganui	Sailing	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	189	7	..	..	..	1	189	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	189	7	..	..	..	1	189	7	1	189	7	
Wellington	Sailing Steam	6	..	..	2	2	..	6	5955	126	2	3309	51	8	9264	177	2	1062	20	..	..	..	2	1062	20	8	7017	146	2	3309	51	10	10326	197	11	10790	223
Total	..	5	..	12	2	..	..	17	28516	1089	2	3519	127	19	32035	1216	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17	28516	1089	2	3519	127	19	32035	1216	13	20772	838
Total	..	11	..	12	4	2	..	23	34471	1215	4	6828	178	27	41299	1393	2	1062	20	..	..	..	2	1062	20	25	35533	1235	4	6828	178	29	42361	1413	24	31562	1061
Napier	Sailing Steam	2	..	5	1	..	..	7	2542	71	1	795	15	8	3337	86	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	2542	71	1	795	15	8	3337	86	6	2701	62
Total	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	8150	185	
Total	..	2	..	5	1	..	..	7	2542	71	1	795	15	8	3337	86	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	2542	71	1	795	15	8	3337	86	10	10851	247
Nelson	Sailing	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	652	15	..	..	..	1	652	15	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	652	15	..	..	..	1	652	15	2	1141	28	
Westport	Steam	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	1498	48	2	1498	48	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1498	48	2	1498	48	..	..	..
Greymouth	Sailing	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	380	9	1	380	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	380	9	1	380	9	2	789	17	
Lyttelton	Sailing Steam	3	..	10	1	..	1	12	10191	228	2	2482	42	14	12673	270	1	683	18	..	..	..	1	683	18	13	10874	246	2	2482	42	15	13356	288	24	23725	490
Total	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	1189	23	..	..	..	1	1189	23	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1189	23	..	..	..	1	1189	23	..	..	..
Total	..	3	..	11	1	..	1	13	11380	251	2	2482	42	15	13862	293	1	683	18	..	..	..	1	683	18	14	12063	269	2	2482	42	16	14545	311	24	23725	490
Timaru	Sailing Steam	1	..	2	1	..	1	3	762	26	..	..	..	3	762	26	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	762	26	2	2360	34	5	3122	60	6	3022	68
Total	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2425	48		
Total	..	1	..	2	1	..	1	3	762	26	3	762	26	2	2360	34	2	2360	34	3	762	26	2	2360	34	5	3122	60	7	5477	116

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PORTS OF ARRIVAL.	Sailing or Steam Vessels.	WHENCE.						BRITISH.						FOREIGN.						TOTALS.						Corresponding Quarter, 1890.											
		United Kingdom.		British Possessions.		Foreign Countries and Whale Fisheries.		With Cargoes.		In Ballast.		Totals.		With Cargoes.		In Ballast.		Totals.		With Cargoes.		In Ballast.		Totals.		Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.									
		With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.												
Oamaru	Sailing Steam	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	569	13	..	..	..	1	569	13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	569	13	..	..	..	3	2375	44			
		..	..	1	1	..	..	1	2425	50	1	1801	46	2	4226	96	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2425	50	1	1801	46	2	4226	96			
Total ..	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	2	2994	63	1	1801	46	3	4795	109	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2994	63	1	1801	46	3	4795	109				
Dunedin	Sailing Steam	6	..	7	1	3	2	14	10189	238	1	718	15	15	10907	253	2	1116	21	2	1695	28	4	2811	49	16	11305	259	3	2413	43	19	13718	302	17	13780	297
		1	..	1	2	..	..	2	4142	150	2	4809	99	4	8951	249	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	4142	150	2	4809	99	4	8951	249	3	6805	260
Total ..	..	7	..	8	3	3	2	16	14331	388	3	5527	114	19	19858	502	2	1116	21	2	1695	28	4	2811	49	18	15447	409	5	7222	142	23	22669	551	20	20585	557
Bluff Harbo'r	Sailing Steam	..	..	6	1	..	..	5	1600	46	1	1877	23	6	3477	69	1	1050	15	..	..	..	1	1050	15	6	2650	61	1	1877	23	7	4527	84	4	2229	57
		..	..	12	..	..	..	12	13157	807	..	..	..	12	13157	807	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	13157	807	..	..	..	12	13157	807	18	20306	1194	
Total ..	..	..	..	18	1	..	..	17	14757	853	1	1877	23	18	16634	876	1	1050	15	..	..	..	1	1050	15	18	15807	868	1	1877	23	19	17634	891	22	22535	1251
Total Ship'ng inwards	Sailing Steam	22	..	53	18	7	6	75	40525	992	19	14198	252	94	54663	1244	7	4361	83	5	4502	71	12	8863	154	82	44886	1075	24	18640	323	106	63526	1398	..	..	..
		6	..	51	8	11	1	63	75199	3562	9	16304	417	72	91503	3979	5	9695	479	..	..	..	5	9695	479	68	84894	4041	9	16304	417	77	101198	4458	..	..	..
Total ..	..	28	..	104	26	18	7	138	115724	4554	28	30442	669	166	146166	5223	12	14056	562	5	4502	71	17	18558	633	150	129780	5116	33	34944	740	183	164724	5856	..	..	..
Correspondng. Quar., 1890	Sailing Steam	21	..	44	45	10	7	68	36406	901	43	32614	679	111	69020	1580	7	5111	119	9	5676	94	16	10787	213	75	41517	1020	52	38290	773	..	..	..	127	79807	1793
		5	1	54	5	10	..	62	73747	3657	6	12866	284	68	86613	3941	7	12895	669	..	..	..	7	12895	669	69	86642	4326	6	12866	284	..	..	..	75	99508	4610
Total ..	..	26	1	98	50	20	7	130	110153	4558	49	45480	963	179	155633	5521	14	18006	788	9	5676	94	23	23682	882	144	128159	5346	58	51156	1057	..	..	..	202	179315	6403

Department of Trade and Customs,
Wellington, 21st April, 1891.

W. T. GLASGOW,
For Secretary and Inspector.

RETURN of the NUMBER, TONNAGE, and CREWS of VESSELS CLEARED OUTWARDS at the several PORTS of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 31st MARCH, 1891.

PORTS OF DEPARTURE.	Sailing or Steam Vessels.	CLEARED FOR						BRITISH.									FOREIGN.									TOTALS.									Corresponding Quarter, 1890.		
		United Kingdom.		British Possessions.		Foreign Countries and Whale Fisheries.		With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.					
		With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.			
Auckland	Sailing Steam	2	1	27	26	4	8	30	9290	265	1	5	10	30	9290	265	3	2005	35	..	..	..	3	2005	35	33	11295	300	..	..	..	33	11295	300	36	13444	310
Total	..	3	..	53	1	12	..	60	37013	1718	1	5	10	61	37018	1728	8	11700	516	..	..	..	8	11700	516	68	48713	2234	1	5	10	69	48718	2244	68	46298	2118
Russell	Sailing	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	391	32
Kaipara	Sailing	..	..	19	..	..	..	17	5019	133	..	..	..	17	5019	133	2	897	18	..	..	..	2	897	18	19	5916	151	..	..	..	19	5916	151	21	6609	175
Poverty Bay	Sailing	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	887	19	..	..	..	1	887	19	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	887	19	..	..	..	1	887	19	3	1972	46	
Wanganui	Sailing	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	189	7	
Wellington	Sailing Steam	6	6	..	10	3	..	7	8334	159	..	..	..	7	8334	159	2	1865	28	..	..	..	2	1865	28	9	10199	187	..	..	..	9	10199	187	17	15128	303
Total	..	12	..	10	..	3	..	23	37468	1205	..	..	..	23	37468	1205	2	1865	28	..	..	..	2	1865	28	25	39333	1233	..	..	..	25	39333	1233	33	42998	1394
Napier	Sailing	7	..	..	1	..	1	7	8066	186	2	486	13	9	8552	199	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	8066	186	2	486	13	9	8552	199	9	6571	149	
Pictou	Sailing	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	1300	25	..	..	..	1	1300	25	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1300	25	..	..	..	1	1300	25	2	2617	44	
Westport	Steam	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	1498	48	..	..	..	2	1498	48	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1498	48	..	..	..	2	1498	48	1	1071	31	
Greymouth	Sailing Steam	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	380	9	..	..	..	1	380	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	380	9	..	..	..	1	380	9	2	789	17	
Total	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	897	28	..	..	..	2	897	28	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	897	28	..	..	..	2	897	28	3	1197	41		
Lyttelton	Sailing Steam	10	4	2	1	1	..	12	13188	253	..	..	..	12	13188	253	1	477	8	..	..	..	1	477	8	13	13665	261	..	..	..	13	13665	261	29	26502	533
Total	..	14	..	3	..	1	..	17	25284	618	..	..	..	17	25284	618	1	477	8	..	..	..	1	477	8	18	25761	626	..	..	..	18	25761	626	33	37205	852
Timaru	Sailing	3	..	2	..	..	..	3	1393	36	..	..	..	3	1393	36	2	2281	32	..	..	..	2	2281	32	5	3674	68	..	..	..	5	3674	68	8	5133	111
Oamaru	Sailing	4	..	..	..	..	..	4	3758	83	..	..	..	4	3758	83	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	3758	83	..	..	..	4	3758	83	5	4554	100	

RETURN of the NUMBER, TONNAGE, and CREWS of VESSELS CLEARED OUTWARDS at the several PORTS of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 31st MARCH, 1891—continued.

PORTS OF DEPARTURE.	Sailing or Steam Vessels.	CLEARED FOR						BRITISH.									FOREIGN.									TOTALS.									Corresponding Quarter, 1890.		
		United Kingdom.		British Possessions.		Foreign Countries and Whale Fisheries.		With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.					
		With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.			
Dunedin	Sailing Steam	6	..	..	1	..	1	..	7	6375	127	1	238	8	8	6613	135	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	6375	127	1	238	8	8	6613	135	6	5236	111
		2	..	..	1	..	..	..	3	4260	119	..	..	..	3	4260	119	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	4260	119	..	..	..	3	4260	119	3	5770	141
Total ..	..	8	..	..	1	..	1	..	10	10635	246	1	238	8	11	10873	254	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	10635	246	1	238	8	11	10873	254	9	11006	252	
Bluff Harb'ur	Sailing Steam	8	..	8	..	..	..	13	8182	179	..	..	..	13	8182	179	3	2107	34	..	..	..	3	2107	34	16	10289	213	..	..	..	16	10289	213	7	3615	88
		1	..	14	..	..	..	15	17908	953	..	..	..	15	17908	953	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15	17908	953	..	..	..	15	17908	953	16	17808	1088
Total ..	..	9	..	22	..	..	..	28	26090	1132	..	..	..	28	26090	1132	3	2107	34	..	..	..	3	2107	34	31	28197	1166	..	..	..	31	28197	1166	23	21423	1176
Total shipping outwards	Sailing Steam	48	..	59	1	9	2	103	66172	1474	3	724	21	106	66896	1495	13	9632	155	..	..	..	13	9632	155	116	75804	1629	3	724	21	119	76528	1650	..	..	..
		14	..	55	1	8	..	72	93136	4003	1	5	10	73	93141	4013	5	9695	481	..	..	..	5	9695	481	77	102831	4484	1	5	10	78	102836	4494	..	..	..
Total ..	..	62	..	114	2	17	2	175	159308	5477	4	729	31	179	160037	5508	18	19327	636	..	..	..	18	19327	636	193	178635	6113	4	729	31	197	179364	6144	..	..	..
Correspondng. Quar., 1890	Sailing Steam	68	..	58	5	16	..	124	78741	1752	5	808	44	129	79549	1796	18	12591	230	..	..	..	18	12591	230	142	91332	1982	5	808	44	..	..	..	147	92140	2026
		13	..	51	..	9	..	66	83589	3856	..	..	..	66	83589	3856	7	12895	646	..	..	..	7	12895	646	73	96484	4502	..	..	..	..	..	..	73	96484	4502
Total ..	..	81	..	109	5	25	..	190	162330	5608	5	808	44	195	163138	5552	25	25486	876	..	..	..	25	25486	876	215	187816	6484	5	808	44	..	..	..	220	188624	6528

Department of Trade and Customs,
Wellington, 21st April, 1891.

W. T. GLASGOW,
For Secretary and Inspector.

Land Transfer Act Notices.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land herein after described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1885," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 15th day of June, 1891.

2151. GEORGE HENRY JESSOP.—105 acres, Section 28, Waipoua Block. In occupation of John Campbell, of Opaki, Farmer.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 13th day of May, 1891, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

GEO. B. DAVY,
District Land Registrar.

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APPLICATION having been made to me to register certain dealings affecting the interest of MERE HOTEARENEI TAIPARI in the blocks of land called or known by the names of Manaia No. 1 and Manaia No. 2, comprised in grants from the Crown, Vol. ix., folios 38 and 56, whereof PAROTO MANUTAWHIORANGI and other natives are registered Proprietors, and evidence having been given of reasonable cause for dispensing with the production of such grants, I hereby give notice that I will register such dealings and dispense with the production of the said grants, under section 38 of "The Land Transfer Act, 1885," unless caveat forbidding the same be lodged on or before the 28th day of May, 1891.

Dated this 11th day of May, 1891, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

THEO. KISSLING,
District Land Registrar.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land herein after described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1885," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 15th day of June, 1891.

JOHN MOWBRAY and WILLIAM CHARLES WALKER.—Lot 10 of Allotments 5 and part of 18, Section 12, of the Suburbs of Auckland, containing 4 acres and 36½ perches. In the occupation of tenant. 2868.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office,

Dated this 9th day of May, 1891, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

THEO. KISSLING,
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.

LAWRENCE WHITE.—1 rood, being Section 6, Block XXX., Town of Invercargill. Unoccupied. No. 2443.

THE SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS FOR THE OTAGO PROVINCIAL DISTRICT.—17 acres 1 rood 2 perches, being Section 2 of 43, Block II., Hundred of Invercargill. Occupied by Joshua Phillips. No. 2246.

JOHN BROOK, JAMES INGLIS BOYD, and CHARLES ROUT.—67 acres and 5 perches, being Section 13, Block XII., Hundred of New River. Occupied by Frank Robert Boyd and Sarah Jane Boyd. No. 2425.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 30th day of April, 1891, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

F. G. MORGAN,
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 in each case within one calendar month next after the date of publication hereof.

Section 27, Block III., Otago Peninsula District.—PETER MURRAY, Applicant. Occupied by Applicant. No. 3955.
Section 43, Block XIII., Glenkenich District.—JOHN SYMES, Applicant. Occupied by Kenneth McLeod. No. 3956.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 11th day of May, 1891, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

H. TURTON,
District Land Registrar.

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FUND for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1891 and 1890 respectively.

ACCOUNT.

EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1891.			QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1890.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Permanent Appropriations,—						
Civil List	6,625	3	0	6,849	12	9
Interest and Sinking Fund	161,685	16	5	231,699	11	1
Under Special Acts of the Legislature	47,584	0	5	39,366	7	10
Subsidies paid to Local Bodies	29,242	18	5	17,587	7	6
Amounts paid over to Local Bodies and to Deposit Accounts in respect of Rents under the Land Acts	4,367	7	1	3,067	8	11
Endowments,—						
New Plymouth Harbour Board	356	17	0	78	2	6
Greymouth Harbour Board	3,071	6	11	1,611	19	6
Westport Harbour Board	4,188	13	5	2,556	15	1
	257,122	2	8	302,817	5	2
Annual Appropriations,—						
Class I.—Legislative	2,905	19	2	1,743	16	2
„ II.—Colonial Secretary	25,224	11	5	20,161	16	2
„ III.—Colonial Treasurer	12,141	4	5	9,089	6	2
„ IV.—Minister of Justice	30,161	19	10	33,440	17	6
„ V.—Postmaster-General	84,605	5	10	81,005	7	1
„ VI.—Commissioner of Trade and Customs	17,895	5	0	17,595	19	3
„ VII.—Commissioner of Stamps	5,509	3	2	6,652	14	3
„ VIII.—Minister of Education,—						
Education Department	86,949	16	4	89,136	2	9
Lunacy and Charitable Department	9,432	15	1	8,452	13	3
„ IX.—Minister of Native Affairs	6,986	2	3	4,558	16	11
„ X.—Minister of Lands and Mines	13,666	2	3	11,940	1	0
„ XI.—Working Railways	217,927	1	7	229,742	14	2
„ XII.—Minister for Public Works	41,084	12	8	31,452	13	6
„ XIII.—Minister of Defence	70,103	5	6	64,637	7	7
Services not provided for	5,861	2	9	331	12	4
	630,454	7	3	609,961	18	1
Deficiency Bills redeemed	3,800	0	0	248,000	0	0
Balance at end of Quarter,—						
Cash in the Public Account	822,321	6	8	497,257	10	3
Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government,—						
In the Colony	13,080	6	1	10,198	19	1
In London	24,204	14	7	40,025	1	7
On account of Imperial Pensions	459	8	2	8,987	8	5
	860,065	15	6	556,468	19	4
Totals	£1,751,442	5	5	£1,717,248	2	7

ACCOUNT.

Balance at beginning of Quarter,—						
Cash overdrawn	16,950	11	4	49,002	18	4
Less Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government,—						
In the Colony	£6,789	6	1			
In London	716	0	6			
	7,505	6	7	6,772	11	9
	8,745	4	9	42,230	6	7
Permanent Appropriations,—						
One-third of Proceeds of Land sold on Deferred Payments paid over to Local Bodies and to Deposit Accounts	5,744	10	7	5,107	1	9
New Plymouth Harbour Board Endowment	1,612	0	2	318	18	5
	7,356	10	9	5,426	0	2
Annual Appropriations,—						
Class XIV.—Minister of Lands	23,952	17	6	23,971	2	11
„ XV.—Rates on Crown Lands	91	13	8	7,688	12	2
Services not provided for	709	16	8	16	15	0
	24,754	7	10	31,676	10	1
Balance at end of Year,—						
Cash in the Public Account	1,009	1	3			
Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government,—						
In the Colony	1,436	3	11			
	2,445	5	2			
Totals	£43,301	8	6	£79,332	16	10

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the CONSOLIDATED

STATE FORESTS

RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1891.			QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1890.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	6,675	16	2	2,289	12	8
Rents from lands set apart	5	0	0	..	..	..
Miscellaneous	636	8	0	1,454	4	7
	641	8	0	1,454	4	7
Totals	£7,317	4	2	£3,743	17	3

ACCOUNTS OF

Revenue received for Local Bodies,—						
Fees, Fines, &c.	273	10	8	244	2	0
Endowments of Land	2,789	16	0	2,912	18	10
Goldfields Revenue	5,144	7	9	4,295	13	5
Gold Duty	3,849	12	7	6,256	13	9
	12,057	7	0	13,709	8	0
Advance Accounts,—						
Amounts recovered from Local Bodies	4,770	7	11	5,283	6	0
Unauthorised—On account of previous Quarters	191	19	8	4,952	12	9
	4,962	7	7	10,235	18	9
Counties Separate Account,—						
Revenues of Counties in which "The Counties Act, 1886," is not in full operation	175	6	8	554	0	8
Balance at end of Quarter,—						
Cash overdrawn	20,869	9	2	21,764	7	5
Less Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government,—						
In the Colony	£136	12	9			
In London	150	0	0			
	286	12	9	18	10	4
	20,582	16	5	21,745	17	1
Totals	£37,777	17	8	£46,245	4	6

FUND for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1891 and 1890 respectively.

ACCOUNT.

EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1891.			QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1890.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Permanent Appropriations,—						
Interest on Debentures	228	15	4	200	0	0
Debentures redeemed	7,000	0	0	..		
	7,228	15	4	200	0	0
Balance at end of Quarter,—						
Cash in the Public Account	88	8	10	3,543	17	7
Totals	£7,317	4	2	3,743	17	7

LOCAL BODIES.

Balance at beginning of Quarter,—						
Cash overdrawn	18,671	10	4	16,132	10	8
Less advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—						
In the Colony	£1,560	12	8			
In London	150	0	0			
	1,710	12	8	1,581	1	4
	16,960	17	8	14,551	9	4
Revenue paid over to Local Bodies,—						
Fees, Fines, &c.	215	4	8	277	11	6
Endowments of Land	5,815	12	9	2,934	5	0
Goldfields Revenue	5,960	7	9	5,823	17	1
Gold Duty	3,139	1	10	6,971	10	9
	15,130	7	0	16,007	4	4
Counties Separate Account,—						
Amount distributed amongst Road Boards where "The Counties Act, 1886," is not in full operation	547	0	11	213	9	4
Advance Accounts,—						
Amount paid on behalf of Local Bodies	5,139	12	1	5,094	14	3
Unauthorised .. .. .	..			10,378	7	3
	5,139	12	1	15,473	1	6
Totals	£37,777	17	8	£46,245	4	6

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the CONSOLIDATED
DEPOSIT

RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1891.		QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1890.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Balance at beginning of Quarter,—				
Cash in the Public Account	62,428	7 1	57,182	3 5
Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government,—				
In the Colony .. .. .	..	..	165	9 11
In London	15,099	17 10	11,729	0 9
	77,528	4 11	69,076	14 1
Lodgments,—				
Auckland Museum Endowment	30	0 0	..	..
Hospitals and Charitable Institutions Act, 1885	85	2 3	231	1 10
Kaihu Valley Railway	575	6 0	..	..
Miscellaneous	8,833	4 1	6,747	1 5
New Zealand University Endowment, Taranaki	18	16 3	5	17 0
New Zealand University Endowment, Westland	15	5 0	17	15 0
North Island Main Trunk Railway Loan Application Act, 1889	500	18 11	271	4 5
Permanent-way Material for Open Lines of Railway	3,567	14 9	13,907	9 1
Railways Account	1,085	0 0	..	..
Thermal-Springs Districts Act, 1881	6	3 0	12	1 9
Westport and Ngakawau Railway Extension Account	5,000	0 0	..	..
	19,667	10 3	21,192	10 6
Totals	£97,195	15 2	£90,269	4 7

Treasury, Wellington, 23rd April, 1891.

Examined and found correct as regards the Railway receipts.

J. P. MAXWELL,
W. M. HANNAY,
New Zealand Railway Commissioners.

Examined and found to agree with the Collectors' cash-books.

W. T. GLASGOW.
For Secretary and Inspector of Customs.

FUND for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1891 and 1890 respectively.

ACCOUNT.

EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1891.		QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1890.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Withdrawals,—				
Auckland Museum Endowment	35	11 0	..	..
Hospitals and Charitable Institutions Act, 1885	209	11 9	10	9 4
Kaihu Valley Railway	861	4 5	..	..
Miscellaneous	6,422	2 6	5,493	16 9
Money-order Settlement .. .. .	..	..	1,000	0 0
Native Land Act, 1878, No. 2	79	10 7	..	..
Native Land Purchases	55	5 4	44	6 1
Nelson Rifle Prize Fund	25	0 0	25	0 0
New Zealand University Endowment, Taranaki .. .. .	..	..	..	..
North Island Main Trunk Railway Loan Application Act	1,921	19 0	..	..
Permanent-way Material for Open Lines of Railway	12,971	1 3	5,423	9 8
Thermal-Springs Districts Act, 1881	0	10 0	114	14 3
	22,581	15 10	12,111	16 1
Balance at end of Quarter,—				
Cash in the Public Account	64,782	6 3	65,056	2 4
Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government,—				
In the Colony	152	5 8	..	..
In London	9,679	7 5	13,101	6 2
	74,613	19 4	78,157	8 6
Totals	£97,195	15 2	£90,269	4 7

JAMES B. HEYWOOD,
Secretary to the Treasury.

ROBERT J. COLLINS,
Accountant to the Treasury.

Examined and found correct, except as regards the "Customs" and "Railway" receipts, which are not now examined by the Audit Office.

JAMES C. GAVIN,
Assistant Controller and Auditor.

WORKS FUND for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1891 and 1890 respectively.

Part I.

EXPENDITURE.		QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1891.	QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1890.
Annual Appropriations,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Class I.—Immigration		763 16 11	Cr. 268 12 7
" III.—Railways		427 16 5	256 3 10
" IV.—Roads		18,548 1 5	21,865 16 4
" V.—Waterworks on Goldfields .. .. .		.. .. .	218 1 10
" VI.—Purchase of Native Lands, North Island		2,867 15 7	6,250 13 11
" VII.—Telegraph Extension		5,798 11 7	4,504 10 4
" VIII.—Public Buildings		4,781 15 11	8,630 7 4
" IX.—Lighthouses, Harbour Works, and Defences		1,723 0 11	Cr. 1,283 8 0
" X.—Rates on Native Lands		5 17 4	755 18 3
" XI.—Thermal Springs		339 17 0	.. .. .
Services not provided for		556 5 2	578 5 6
		35,812 18 3	41,507 16 9
Balance at end of Quarter,—			
Cash in the Public Account		21,361 12 4	28,898 0 6
Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government,—			
In the Colony		4,140 16 9	5,135 1 1
In London		22,169 7 5	26,668 9 0
Investments .. .. .		.. .. .	85,000 0 0
		47,671 16 6	145,701 10 7
Totals		£83,484 14 9	£187,209 7 4

Part II.

Annual Appropriations,—			
Class I.—Public Works, Departmental		800 0 0	.. .. .
" II.—Railways		4,149 2 0	4,424 11 6
" III.—Roads		3,811 6 10	181 3 11
" IV.—Purchase of Native Lands		2,473 16 2	3,138 16 0
		11,234 5 0	7,744 11 5
Balance at end of Quarter,—			
Cash in the Public Account		22,478 17 0	162,943 6 1
Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government,—			
In the Colony		1,528 3 0	1,042 2 11
Investments		332,100 0 0	223,000 0 0
		356,107 0 0	386,985 9 0
Totals		£367,341 5 0	£394,730 0 5

Part III.

Annual Appropriations,—			
Class I.—Public Works, Departmental		1,580 9 1	2,370 5 1
" II.—Railways		32,066 16 10	40,170 2 11
Services not provided for		443 0 0	.. .. .
		34,090 5 11	42,540 8 0
Balance at end of Quarter,—			
Cash in the Public Account		29,071 1 5	131,136 19 9
Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government,—			
In the Colony		2,533 18 6	2,525 9 9
In London		3,218 7 11	18,643 5 10
Investments		216,520 0 0	274,500 0 0
		251,343 7 10	426,805 15 4
Totals		£285,433 13 9	£469,346 3 4

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the PUBLIC

CONVERSION

RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1891.		QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1890.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Balance at beginning of Quarter,—				
Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	..	189,954	15 6
Advances in the hands of—				
Stock Agents .. .. .	..	..	640	11 0
Crown Agents .. .. .	..	..	366,700	0 0
			557,295	6 6
Part proceeds of sale of 3½-per-cent. Inscribed Stock	217,255	1 5	90,000	0 0
Balance at end of Year,—				
Cash overdrawn		£5,375 12 9		
Less Advances in the hands of—				
Stock Agents		£72 5 0		
Crown Agents		3,800 0 0		
		3,872 5 0		
			1,503	7 9
Totals	£218,758	9 2	£647,295	6 6

LOANS TO LOCAL

Balance at beginning of Quarter,—				
Cash in the Public Account	8,421	10 3	11,431	8 2
“The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886,”—				
Debentures created	35,000	0 0	10,000	0 0
Refunds under section 15 of “The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886,—				
Patangata County			150	7 0
Totals	£43,421	10 3	£21,581	15 2

Treasury, Wellington, 23rd April, 1891.

Examined and found correct.

JAMES C. GAVIN,

Assistant Controller and Auditor.

WORKS FUND for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1891 and 1890 respectively.**ACCOUNT.**

EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1891.			QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1890.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance at beginning of Quarter,—						
Cash overdrawn	37,704	15	11	..		
Less Advances in the hands of—						
Stock Agents				£164	15	7
Crown Agents	6,500	0	0			
	6,664	15	7	..		
	31,040	0	4	..		
1879 Loan Act Debentures due 1st November, 1889, paid off ..	100	0	0	383,600	0	0
Five-per-cent. 10-40 Debentures paid off	10,600	0	0	..		
	10,700	0	0	383,600	0	0
Expenses Account,—						
Brokerage and Commission	30,148	5	0	..		
Stamp Duty	16,897	12	2	..		
Interest	16,877	4	7	..		
Discount	112,461	3	0	..		
Office Expenses	634	4	1	251	1	6
	177,018	8	10	251	1	6
Balance at end of Quarter,—						
Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..			263,054	15	6
Advances in the hands of—						
Stock Agents .. .. .	..			389	9	6
	..			263,444	5	0
Totals	218,758	9	2	£647,295	6	6

BODIES ACCOUNT.

Payments to—						
Counties,—						
Cook	1,725	0	0	..		
Bruce .. .. .	..			150	0	0
Geraldine .. .. .	..			2,500	0	0
Hawera	600	0	0	..		
Hobson	1,000	0	0	..		
Horowhenua	900	0	0	2,000	0	0
Pahiatua .. .. .	..			3,300	0	0
Rangitikei .. .. .	..			1,250	0	0
Selwyn	2,200	0	0	..		
Wanganui .. .. .	..			300	0	0
Wairoa	500	0	0	..		
	6,925	0	0	9,500	0	0
Boroughs,—						
Brunner .. .. .	..			800	0	0
Picton	2,000	0	0	2,000	0	0
	2,000	0	0	2,800	0	0
Town Board,—						
Richmond .. .. .	..			300	0	0
Road Boards,—						
Alfredton .. .. .	..			330	0	0
Danevirke .. .. .	..			1,500	0	0
Eketahuna	350	0	0	800	0	0
Fitzherbert	760	0	0	..		
Kiwitea	1,700	0	0	1,700	0	0
Manchester .. .. .	..			2,322	0	0
Mauriceville	200	0	0	..		
Otaki	1,000	0	0	..		
Upper Wangaehu .. .. .	..			300	0	0
Whataupoko	200	0	0	230	0	0
Waitotara-Momohaki	500	0	0	..		
Wirokino	150	0	0	..		
	4,860	0	0	7,182	0	0
Part Payment of £87,974 to Public Works Fund under section 31 of "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1866," in respect of debentures of local authorities issued under "The Roads and Bridges Construction Act, 1882," since converted and inscribed	25,000	0	0	..		
Balance at end of Quarter,—						
Cash in the Public Account	4,636	10	3	1,799	15	2
Totals	£43,421	10	3	£21,581	15	2

JAMES B. HEYWOOD,
Secretary to the Treasury.
ROBERT J. COLLINS,
Accountant to the Treasury.

SUMMARY OF BALANCES ON 31st MARCH, 1891.

FUNDS.	—	BALANCES.	—	CONSOLIDATED FUND.	PUBLIC WORKS FUND.	SUSPENSE ACCOUNT.	TOTAL.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
CONSOLIDATED FUND:—								
Ordinary Revenue Account	860,065 15 6			CASH	867,331 13 10	72,172 8 3	8 11 11	939,512 14 0
Land Fund Account	2,445 5 2			ADVANCES	49,298 18 7	37,462 18 7	..	86,761 17 2
State Forests Account	88 8 10			INVESTMENTS .. ..	..	548,620 0 0	..	548,620 0 0
Accounts of Local Bodies	Dr. 20,582 16 5			REMITTANCES TO LONDON .. ..	..	..	..	Cr. 750,000 0 0
Deposit Accounts	74,613 19 4							
		916,630 12 5						
PUBLIC WORKS FUND:—								
Part I.	47,671 16 6							
" II.	356,107 0 0							
" III.	251,343 7 10							
Conversion Account	Dr. 1,503 7 9							
Loans to Local Bodies Account	4,636 10 3							
		658,255 6 10						
SUSPENSE ACCOUNT .. ..	..	8 11 11						
REMITTANCES TO LONDON ACCOUNT .. ..	..	Dr. 750,000 0 0						
Totals .. ..	..	824,894 11 2	Totals ..	916,630 12 5	658,255 6 10	8 11 11	824,894 11 2	

Private Advertisements.

NOTICE UNDER "THE PUBLIC WORKS ACT, 1882."

THE Mangonui County Council propose to take, for the purpose of making a public road, certain lands, on Section 6, Maxwell's grant; on Section 334, Waimanone Native Block; further portion Section 6, Maxwell's claim; on Mr. Joseph Evans's section, being also part of Maxwell's claim; on further portion Section 6, Maxwell's claim; on Crown lands towards the West Coast; all in the Parish of Awanui, in the County of Mangonui.

Any person affected by the taking of these lands are hereby required to set forth in writing any well-grounded objections to the said taking or to the proposed work, and to send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the Chairman of the Mangonui County Council, Mangonui.

Plans of the land proposed to be taken will be on view to all persons, at all reasonable hours, at the office of the Mangonui County Council.

Mangonui, 30th April, 1891.

ROBT. M. HOUSTON,
Chairman, Mangonui County Council.

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THE GREAT NORTHERN DREDGING COMPANY (LIMITED), IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of contributories of the above-named company will be held on Monday, the 20th day of July, 1891, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, at my offices, Ballarat Street, Queenstown, for the purpose of passing a special resolution, "That the Great Northern Dredging Company (Limited), in liquidation, has been fairly wound up."

Dated at Queenstown, the 4th day of May, 1891.

F. W. F. GEISOW,
Liquidator.

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THE BRUCE DAIRY AND BACON-CURING COMPANY (LIMITED), IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of section 202 of "The Companies Act, 1882," a General Meeting of the members of the above company will be held in the County Council Chambers, Milton, on Friday, the 24th day of July, 1891, at 7 p.m., for the purpose of showing an account of how the property was disposed, and giving any explanation that may be required; and of determining, by extraordinary resolution, the manner in which the books, documents, and accounts of the company and of the Liquidator shall be disposed.

Dated at Milton, this 11th day of May, 1891.

FRANK DUTHIE,
Liquidator.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between RICHARD CHARLES PITT and FRANCIS JOSEPH MAGUIRE, carrying on business as Grocers and General Importers, at Napier and Gisborne, under the style or firm of "Pitt and Maguire," has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business at Napier will in future be carried on under the style or firm of "Pitt and Co.," by the said Richard Charles Pitt, who will receive all debts and discharge all liabilities of the late firm in respect of the said business at Napier; and the business at Gisborne will be carried on under the style or firm of "Maguire and Company," by the said Francis Joseph Maguire, who will receive all debts and discharge all liabilities of the late firm in respect of the said business at Gisborne.

Dated this 1st day of May, 1891.

R. C. PITT.
F. J. MAGUIRE.

Witness to the signature of Richard Charles Pitt—F. Logan, Solicitor, Napier.

Witness to the signature of Francis Joseph Maguire—George S. Winsor, Grocer, Gisborne. 392

In the matter of "The Phoenix Assurance Company of London Act, 1887."

RICHARD MIDDLETON SIMPSON, of the City of Wellington, in the Colony of New Zealand, General Agent and Attorney in New Zealand of the Phoenix Assurance Company of London, in pursuance of the above-mentioned Act, do hereby give notice that the situation and locality of the head office of the said company in New Zealand is at Customhouse Quay, in the City of Wellington aforesaid.

Dated this 8th day of May, 1891.

R. M. SIMPSON.

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In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1882," and in the matter of the Maungakaramea Cheese, Butter, and Bacon Factory Company (Limited).

AT an extraordinary general meeting of the above-named company, duly convened and held at the Cheesefactory Buildings, at Maungakaramea, in the Provincial District of Auckland, on the 3rd day of October, 1889, the following special resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting, duly convened and held at the same place on the 26th day of October, 1889, the following resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That the company be wound up voluntarily; and that Messieurs William Crawford and John Wilkinson be and are hereby appointed Liquidators for the purposes of such winding-up."

WILLIAM CRAWFORD,
Chairman.

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In the matter of "The Foreign Companies Act, 1884," and of the China Traders' Insurance Company (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given that the office or place of business of the China Traders' Insurance Company (Limited), in Wellington, at which the business of the said company is to be carried on, and at which all notices of any kind may be left, or legal proceedings may be served, is in Hunter Street, in the premises formerly occupied by Messrs. Kempthorne, Prosser, and Co.

JAMES WHITTALL,
Attorney for the China Traders' Insurance Company (Limited), for the Colony of New Zealand.

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AUSTIN J. COCKLE, M.B. B.Ch. of Trinity College, Dublin, now residing at Wellington, hereby give notice that I intend applying, on the 15th June, 1891, to have my name placed on the Medical Register for the Colony of New Zealand; and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualifications in the office of the Registrar-General for inspection.

Dated at Wellington, this 15th day of May, 1891.

AUSTIN J. COCKLE,

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