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*Land withdrawn from the Deferred-payment System in Southland.*

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

WHEREAS by the one hundred and fourth section of "The Land Act, 1885," it is enacted that the Governor, by Proclamation in the *Gazette*, may from time to time set apart out of any suburban or rural lands such blocks or allotments of land as he shall think fit, and set the same aside for sale on deferred payments, and in such Proclamation may fix a day on which the land shall be open for application; and that he may also in like manner set apart for sale on deferred payments such blocks or allotments as may be recommended by any Land Board, and may also from time to time alter, amend, or revoke any such Proclamation:

And whereas the land specified in the Schedule hereto was, with other lands, by Proclamation dated the tenth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, proclaimed as set apart for sale on deferred payments:

And whereas it is expedient to withdraw the said land from the deferred-payment system:

Now, therefore, I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the above-named Act, do hereby revoke the Proclamation above referred to, so far as it relates to the sections therein mentioned and included in the Schedule hereto, and do proclaim and declare that the said sections are hereby withdrawn from the operation of the deferred-payment system.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND Land District, Township of Mataura: Sections 11, 13, and 15, Block VII.

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 Christchurch, this twenty-seventh day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

JOHN MCKENZIE,  
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Land withdrawn from the Deferred-payment System in Otago.*

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

WHEREAS by the one hundred and fourth section of "The Land Act, 1885," it is enacted that the Governor, by Proclamation in the *Gazette*, may from time to time set apart out of any suburban or rural lands such blocks or allotments of land as he shall think fit, and set the same aside for sale on deferred payments, and in such Proclamation may fix a day on which the land shall be open for application; and that he may also in like manner set apart for sale on deferred payments such blocks or allotments as may be recommended by any Land Board, and may also from time to time alter, amend, or revoke any such Proclamation: And whereas the land specified in the Schedule hereto was, with other lands, by Proclamation dated the fourth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, proclaimed as set apart for sale on deferred payments: And whereas it is expedient to withdraw the said land from the deferred-payment system:

Now, therefore, I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the above-named Act, do hereby revoke the Proclamation above referred to, so far as it relates to the sections therein mentioned and included in the Schedule hereto, and do proclaim and declare that the said sections are hereby withdrawn from the operation of the deferred-payment system.

SCHEDULE.

TOWNSHIP OF BASTINGS.—SUBURBAN SECTIONS.

Section.	Block.	Area.
6	II.	A. B. P. 5 2 0
10	"	4 2 22
11	"	4 2 1

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 Christchurch, this tenth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

A. J. CADMAN,  
For the Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Setting apart Land in the Canterbury Land District for Leasing as Small Grazing-runs under "The Land Act, 1885."*

(L.S.) ONSLOW, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

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

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—ASHLEY COUNTY.

Survey Districts.	Section.	Block.	Area.		
			A.	R.	P.
Stonyhurst ..	36316	I., II., V., VI.	1,927	0	0
Stonyhurst ..	36317	I., V., VI.	1,995	0	0
Stonyhurst ..	36318	V.	1,987	0	0
Waikari ..		XI.			
Stonyhurst ..	36319	V., X.	1,145	0	0
Waikari ..		XI., XV.			
Stonyhurst ..	36320	I.	1,958	0	0
Waikari ..		VII.			
Stonyhurst ..	36321	I.	1,958	0	0
Waikari ..		VII.			
Waikari ..	36322	VI., VII.	1,575	0	0
Waikari ..	36337	VI., VII.	526	0	0

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 Christchurch, this tenth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

A. J. CADMAN,  
For the Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Land set apart for the Pioneer Special Settlement.*

(L.S.) ONSLOW, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one hundred and sixty-second section of "The Land Act, 1885," I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the block of land described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby set apart and declared open for the Pioneer Special Settlement, upon the terms and conditions fixed by an Order in Council issued on the twenty-seventh day of February, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, and made under the one hundred and sixty-third section of the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Wellington, containing 3,800 acres, more or less, situate in Blocks XI., XII., XV., and XVI., Mangaone Survey District. Bounded towards the north by a public road; towards the east by Sections Nos. 114, 118, 119, 124, 125, 130, 131, 136, 137, 142, 143, and 148, Township of Alfredton, and by a public road; towards the south by Section No. 200, Block XV.,

same survey district, and a public road; and towards the west by Crown land and a public road.

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

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

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Altering Times of Meeting of the Land Board of the Land District of Auckland.*

ONSLOW, Governor.

WHEREAS by the first subsection of section forty-three of "The Land Act, 1885," it is provided that the Land Boards of the respective land districts shall sit at the land office in the principal town of the land district, at certain times to be determined by the Board and approved of by the Governor, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette*:

And whereas by a warrant under the hand of His Excellency the Governor, dated the sixth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the eighth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, it was appointed that the Land Board of Auckland should hold their meetings every third week, at ten o'clock a.m.:

And whereas the Land Board of Auckland did, on the twenty-third day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, pass a resolution recommending that the time of sitting should be altered, and it is expedient to give effect to the said recommendation:

Now, therefore, I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise of the power and authority vested in me in that behalf, do hereby fix and determine that the ordinary meetings of the Land Board of the Land District of Auckland shall be held on every third Friday in each month, at two o'clock p.m., commencing on Friday, the twenty-second day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, at two o'clock p.m., instead of as heretofore appointed.

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

A. J. CADMAN,  
For the Minister of Lands.

*Appointing Polling-places, City of Wellington Electoral District.*

ONSLOW, Governor.

WHEREAS "The Regulation of Elections Act, 1881," it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time appoint, alter, and abolish polling-places for each electoral district within the limits thereof, and may appoint any one of such polling-places to be the principal polling-place of the district, and that no polling-place shall be appointed unless the Governor shall be first satisfied that the place to be appointed is more convenient than any other for at least twenty electors to record their votes thereat:

Now, therefore, I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the places mentioned below to be polling-places and a principal polling-place for the Electoral District of the City of Wellington:—

- F. Sidey's Auction-mart, Cuba Street Extension (principal).
- The Princess Theatre, Tory Street.
- The Salvation Army Hall, Adelaide Road.
- The Volunteer Drill-shed, Ballance Street.
- The City Council Office, Borough of Onslow.
- The Old Schoolhouse, Karori.
- The Exchange Hall, Lambton Quay.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

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.

County.	Survey District.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Price.		Deferred-payment Price.		Perpetual Lease.	
					Per Acre.	Total Price.	Per Acre.	Half-yearly Instalment.	Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.
FIRST-CLASS LAND.										
A. R. P. £ s. d. £ s. d. £ s. d. £ s. d. £ s. d.										
Stratford ..	Ngaire ..	2	VIII.	118 0 0	1 18 0	224 4 0	2 7 6	14 0 5	0 1 10 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>10</sub>	5 12 1
All forest, about 75 acres agricultural flats and good spurs on Makaria and Kaitangi, hills good pastoral, sunny slopes, forest principally tawa, rata, and rimu, pine on the flats, undergrowth light, fuchsia is prevalent, good soil, papa formation, well watered.										
Stratford ..	Ngaire ..	3	VIII.	185 0 0	1 16 6	337 12 6	2 5 7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	21 2 1	0 1 9 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>10</sub>	8 8 10
All forest, about 60 acres agricultural flats and spurs in both the Makaria and Kaitangi Valleys, remainder good pastoral hills, mixed forest, well watered.										
Stratford ..	Ngaire ..	4	VIII.	198 0 0	1 16 0	356 8 0	2 5 0	22 5 6	0 1 9 <sup>6</sup> / <sub>10</sub>	8 18 3
All forest, about 50 acres agricultural flats and spurs, remainder pastoral hills, broken near the western boundary, mixed forest, good soil, papa formation, fairly watered.										
Stratford ..	Ngaire ..	5	VIII.	193 0 0	1 17 6	361 17 6	2 6 10 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	22 12 4	0 1 10 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	9 1 0
All forest, about 60 acres agricultural flats and spur-ends, remainder good pastoral hills, good soil, papa formation, well watered.										
Stratford ..	Ngaire ..	6	VIII.	199 0 0	1 16 6	363 3 6	2 5 7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	22 14 0	0 1 9 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>10</sub>	9 1 7
All forest, about 60 acres agricultural flats and spur-ends, small flat of 4 acres on Patea, remainder good pastoral hills, good soil, papa formation, outcrop of shell-rock on Patea, well watered.										
Stratford ..	Ngaire ..	7	VIII.	151 0 0	1 15 6	268 0 6	2 4 4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	16 15 0	0 1 9 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>10</sub>	6 14 0
All forest, about 50 acres agricultural, including 25 acres of flat on Patea, remainder good pastoral hills, steep and broken facing Patea, mixed forest, soil good, papa formation, well watered.										
Stratford ..	Ngaire ..	8	VIII.	118 0 0	1 16 6	215 7 0	2 5 7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	13 9 3	0 1 9 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>10</sub>	5 7 8
All forest, about 50 acres agricultural flats and terraces on the Makaria and Kaitangi Streams, the hills are good pastoral land, mixed forest, soil good, papa formation, well watered.										
Stratford ..	Ngaire ..	9	VIII.	438 0 0	1 15 6	777 9 0	2 4 4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	48 11 10	0 1 9 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>10</sub>	19 8 9
All forest with exception of about 5 acres Maori clearing, 130 acres river-terraces, 100 of which suitable for agriculture, remainder pastoral; mixed forest, good soil, papa formation, well watered.										
Stratford ..	Ngaire ..	11	VIII.	240 0 0	2 1 0	492 0 0	2 11 3	30 15 0	0 2 0 <sup>4</sup> / <sub>10</sub>	12 6 0
All forest, 30 acres agricultural, remainder fair pastoral hills, gullies steep and broken in places, forest and undergrowth moderately heavy, soil good, papa formation, well watered.										
Hawera ..	Ngaire ..	5	XI.	140 0 0	1 17 0	259 0 0	2 6 3	16 3 9	0 1 10 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>10</sub>	6 9 6
All forest, except 3 acres open swamp, 70 acres agricultural flats and low spurs, remainder good pastoral hills, sunny slopes, heavy bush of tawa, rata, pine, and dense undergrowth, soil good, somewhat wet near swamp, which is covered with flax, carex, and raupo, well watered.										
Hawera ..	Ngaire ..	6	XI.	180 0 0	1 18 0	342 0 0	2 7 6	21 7 6	0 1 10 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>10</sub>	8 11 0
All forest, except 2 acres open swamp, 80 acres agricultural flats and low spurs, heavy mixed forest with dense undergrowth, soil good, well watered.										
Hawera ..	Ngaire ..	7	XI.	167 0 0	2 6 0	384 2 0	2 17 6	24 0 2	0 2 3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>10</sub>	9 12 1
All forest, except 1 acre of open swamp, 70 acres agricultural flats and low spurs, mixed forest, good soil, well watered.										
Hawera ..	Ngaire ..	2	XII.	215 0 0	2 3 6	467 12 6	2 14 4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	29 4 6	0 2 2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>10</sub>	11 13 10
All forest, about 60 acres agricultural flats on streams, remainder good pastoral hills, moderate number of tawa, rimu, rata, &c., good soil, papa formation with outcrop of shell-rock, well watered.										
Hawera ..	Ngaire ..	3	XII.	272 0 0	2 2 0	571 4 0	2 12 6	35 14 0	0 2 1 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>10</sub>	14 5 8
All forest, about 50 acres agricultural, remainder pastoral, broken hills south of Tarere Range, mixed forest, good soil, papa formation.										
Hawera ..	Ngaire ..	4	XII.	179 0 0	2 4 6	398 5 6	2 15 7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	24 17 10	0 2 2 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>10</sub>	9 19 2
All forest, about 50 acres agricultural, remainder good pastoral hills, bush principally tawa with rata, &c., good soil, fairly watered.										
Hawera ..	Ngaire ..	5	XII.	138 0 0	2 6 0	317 8 0	2 17 6	19 16 9	0 2 3 <sup>6</sup> / <sub>10</sub>	7 18 9
All forest, about 60 acres agricultural, remainder good pastoral, bush principally tawa with rata, &c., good soil, well watered.										
Hawera ..	Ngaire ..	7	XII.	173 0 0	2 6 0	397 18 0	2 17 6	24 17 5	0 2 3 <sup>6</sup> / <sub>10</sub>	9 18 11
All forest, about 70 acres agricultural, remainder good pastoral, forest principally tawa with rata, &c., good soil, well watered.										
Hawera ..	Ngaire ..	8	XII.	115 0 0	2 6 0	284 10 0	2 17 6	16 10 8	0 2 3 <sup>6</sup> / <sub>10</sub>	6 12 3
All forest, about 40 acres agricultural, remainder good pastoral, bush and soil as above, well watered.										
Hawera ..	Ngaire ..	9	XII.	115 0 0	2 6 0	264 10 0	2 17 6	16 10 8	0 2 3 <sup>6</sup> / <sub>10</sub>	6 12 3
All forest, about 40 acres agricultural, remainder good pastoral, sunny spurs, bush principally tawa with rata, rimu, matai, &c., moderate timber and undergrowth, good soil, papa formation, well watered.										
Hawera ..	Ngaire ..	10	XII.	198 0 0	2 2 0	415 16 0	2 12 6	25 14 10	0 2 1 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>10</sub>	10 7 10
All forest, about 40 acres agricultural, remainder fair pastoral, broken hill-sides, mixed forest, good soil, papa formation, well watered.										
Hawera ..	Ngaire ..	11	XII.	215 0 0	2 3 0	462 5 0	2 13 9	28 17 10	0 2 1 <sup>8</sup> / <sub>10</sub>	11 7 7
All forest, about 50 acres agricultural, remainder fair pastoral, a little broken, mixed forest, good soil, well watered.										

County.	Survey District.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Price.		Deferred-payment Price.		Perpetual Lease.	
					Per Acre.	Total Price.	Per Acre.	Half-yearly Instalment.	Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.

FIRST-CLASS LAND—continued.

		A. R. P.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.			
Hawera	Ngaire	12	XII.	221	0 0	114	6	381	4 6	2	3 2	23	16 1	0 1 8 <sup>10</sup> / <sub>100</sub>	9 10 7
All forest, about 50 acres agricultural, remainder pastoral, some gullies gorged, mixed forest, good soil, well watered.															
Hawera	Ngaire	13	XII.	200	0 0	2	3 0	430	0 0	2	13 9	26	17 6	0 2 1 <sup>8</sup> / <sub>10</sub>	10 15 0
All forest, about 50 acres agricultural, remainder pastoral, mixed forest, good soil, well watered.															
Hawera	Ngaire	14	XII.	194	0 0	2	3 6	421	19 0	2	14 4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	26	7 6	0 2 2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>10</sub>	10 11 0
All forest, about 50 acres agricultural, remainder pastoral, mixed forest, good soil, well watered.															
Hawera	Ngaire	15	XII.	167	0 0	2	4 6	371	11 6	2	15 7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	23	4 6	0 2 2 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>10</sub>	9 5 9
All forest, about 60 acres agricultural, remainder good pastoral, forest mixed, good soil, well watered.															
Hawera	Ngaire	16	XII.	112	0 0	2	8 6	271	12 0	3	0 7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	16	19 1	0 2 5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>10</sub>	6 15 9
All forest, about 80 acres agricultural, remainder good pastoral, good flats and low hills, mixed forest, good soil, well watered.															
Hawera	Ngaire	17	XII.	270	0 0	1	10 6	411	15 0	1	18 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	25	14 9	0 1 6 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>10</sub>	10 5 11
Hawera	Ngaire	18	XII.	290	0 0	1	18 0	551	0 0	2	7 6	34	8 9	0 1 10 <sup>8</sup> / <sub>100</sub>	13 15 6
All forest, about 50 acres agricultural, remainder pastoral, mixed forest, good soil.															
Hawera	Ngaire	20	XII.	124	0 0	2	7 6	294	10 0	2	19 4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	18	8 2	0 2 4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>10</sub>	7 7 3
All forest, about 70 acres agricultural, remainder good pastoral hills, mixed forest, good soil, well watered, bush heavy on flats, mostly pine.															
Stratford	Ngaire	21	XII.	180	0 0	2	6 0	414	0 0	2	17 6	25	17 6	0 2 3 <sup>6</sup> / <sub>10</sub>	10 7 0
All forest, about 50 acres agricultural, remainder good pastoral hills, good papa soil, mixed forest, well watered.															
Stratford	Ngaire	22	XII.	173	0 0	2	1 0	354	13 0	2	11 3	22	3 4	0 2 0 <sup>6</sup> / <sub>10</sub>	8 17 4
All forest, about 40 acres agricultural, remainder good pastoral hills, mixed forest, good soil, well watered.															
Stratford	Ngaire	23	XII.	155	0 0	2	3 6	337	2 6	2	14 4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	21	1 5	0 2 2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>10</sub>	8 8 7
All forest, chiefly good pastoral hills, somewhat broken, mixed bush, good soil, watered.															
Stratford	Ngaire	24	XII.	75	0 0	2	3 6	163	2 6	2	14 4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	10	3 11	0 2 2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>10</sub>	4 1 7
All forest, with exception of Maori clearing of 15 acres, about 20 acres agricultural, remainder pastoral, mixed forest, good soil, fairly watered.															
Hawera	Ngaire	31	XV.	266	0 0	1	17 6	498	15 0	2	6 10 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	31	3 6	0 1 10 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>10</sub>	12 9 4
All forest, about 100 acres terraced and undulating land, agricultural, remainder good pastoral, part east of Ararata Stream, steep broken hills, mixed forest, good soil, papa formation, well watered.															
Hawera	Ngaire	32	XV.	255	0 0	1	18 0	484	10 0	2	7 6	30	5 8	0 1 10 <sup>8</sup> / <sub>100</sub>	12 2 3
All forest, about 120 acres terraced and undulating agricultural land, remainder good pastoral, part east of Ararata Stream, broken hillsides, mixed forest, good soil, papa formation, well watered.															

The shortest road into this block is by the Anderson Road, by which it is about nine miles from Eltham Railway-station. The road is formed for about two miles as a cart-road, and there is a pack-track for the remainder. It can also be approached from Hawera by the Whareroa and Rotokare roads, which are formed to within a mile of the block, but felled and cleared a mile within the block. The extension of this formation is to be continued at once.

SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Taranaki	Egmont	20	VII.	111	1 8	0	15 0	83	9 4	0	18 9	3	14 7	0 0 9	2 1 9
All forest, swampy in places, but generally dry, cut up by small streams, generally level, soil light volcanic, mixed up with grit; timber consists of rimu, rata, pukatea, and towai. Situate five miles and a half from Inglewood by the Dudley Road, which is felled the whole way, but formed only part of the way.															

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

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

Fixing Sittings of the District Court of Nelson.

ONSLow, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority in this behalf enabling me, I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby fix and appoint that sittings of the District Court of Nelson, for civil and criminal business, shall be held as follows, from and after the first day of January next, in lieu of those previously fixed and appointed:—

In the Courthouse, Nelson, for civil business only, on the 13th January, 6th April, 22nd June, 14th September, and 7th December; and for civil and criminal business on the 24th February, 11th May, 3rd August, and 26th October.

In the Courthouse, Westport, for civil and criminal business, on the 25th January, 28th March, 30th May, 25th July, 26th September, and 28th November.

Provided that in case any of the days so fixed as aforesaid shall happen to be a holiday, then the Court appointed for that day shall be holden on the first day thereafter not being a holiday.

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

W. P. REEVES.

Revoking the Reservation of the Pukekohe Recreation Reserve.

ONSLow, Governor.

WHEREAS by the second section of "The McCabe Land Grants Act, 1891" (hereinafter termed "the

said Act"), it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, at any time after the passing of that Act, to revoke the reservation as a recreation reserve of the lands herein-after described and known as the Pukekohe Recreation Reserve: And whereas it appears expedient to revoke the said reservation in manner hereinafter appearing:

Now, therefore, I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers vested in me by the said Act, do hereby revoke the reservation of the lands described in the Schedule hereto which were set apart on the eleventh day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, as a recreation reserve: Provided, however, that nothing herein contained shall extend to prejudice or affect the provisions of any lease of the said lands or any part thereof made by the Pukekohe Domain Board, and the provisions of which may be still subsisting.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land being called or known as Lots Nos. 80 and 81 of Section No. 2, Parish of Pukekohe, situate in Block XV., Drury Survey District, Land District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 20 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the north-east by a public road-line, 1500 links; towards the south-east by Lot No. 270, Section No. 2 aforesaid, 1335 links; towards the south-west by a public road-line, 1500 links; and towards the north-west by Lot No. 82, Section No. 2 aforesaid, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

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

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

*Trustee for the Kaikoura Suburban Cemetery appointed.*

ONSLOW, Governor.

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

The Reverend EDMUND HAROLD ENSOR

to be a Trustee, in the place of the Reverend H. M. B. Marshall, resigned, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Kaikoura Suburban Cemetery, in conjunction with the other persons appointed by warrant under the hand of His Excellency the Governor on the twentieth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

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

JOHN MCKENZIE,  
Minister of Lands.*Public Vaccinators, Otaki and Waimate Districts, appointed.*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 11th December, 1891.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

GEORGE DIXON DRURY, Esq., M.R.C.S.E.,

to be a Public Vaccinator, under "The Public Health Act, 1876," for the District of Otaki; and to appoint

HERBERT CLIFFORD BARCLAY, Esq., M.B. Univ. N.Z.,

to be a Public Vaccinator, under the said Act, for the District of Waimate.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

*Deputy Registrar of Marriages, &c., appointed.*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 11th December, 1891.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

FREDERICK PHILIP FENDALL

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

*Member of Land Board reappointed.*Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 12th December, 1891.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to re-appoint

JAMES LIVINGSTONE, Esq.,

to be a Member of the Land Board of the Land District of Taranaki, as from the 30th November, 1891.

A. J. CADMAN,  
For the Minister of Lands.*Member of Land Board reappointed.*Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 12th December, 1891.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to re-appoint

DAVID McMILLAN, Esq.,

to be a Member of the Land Board of the Land District of Canterbury, as from the 23rd December, 1891.

A. J. CADMAN,  
For the Minister of Lands.*Assessors under "The Land and Income Assessment Act, 1891," appointed.*Land and Income-tax Office,  
Wellington, 11th December, 1891.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

LEITH FRASER, of Auckland,

WILLIAM PETERSON, of Half-moon Bay, and

DAVID BROWN WALLACE, of Kohukohu,

to be Assessors under "The Land and Income Assessment Act, 1891."

W. P. REEVES.

*Receiver under "The Property Assessment Act, 1885," appointed.*Property-tax Office,  
Wellington, 11th December, 1891.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN HENRY NANCARROW,

of Wellington, to be a Receiver under "The Property Assessment Act, 1885."

P. A. BUCKLEY.

*Deputy Registrar of Deeds appointed.*Head Office, Stamp Department,  
Wellington, 9th December, 1891.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HENRY OWEN WILLIAMS

to be Deputy Registrar of Deeds for the District of Nelson; such appointment to take effect from the 15th instant.

W. P. REEVES.

*Officer appointed to give Special Permission for Carriage of Deck Cargo.*Marine Department,  
Wellington, 5th December, 1891.

IT is hereby notified that, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by "The Shipping and Seamen's Act, 1877," and subsection 3 of section 2 of "The Shipping and Seamen's Act 1877 Amendment Act, 1885,"

JOHN WILLIAM CLARK,

Harbourmaster, Lyttelton, has been appointed to give special permission to the effect that horses, cattle, sheep, pigs, cargo, provisions, water, or stores may be carried on the upper deck of any steamship.

W. P. REEVES,  
For the Minister having charge of the  
Marine Department.*Assessor under "The Land and Income Assessment Act, 1891," resigned.*Land and Income-tax Office,  
Wellington, 10th December, 1891.

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

JAMES WRIGHT STEWART,

of Foxton, as an Assessor under "The Land and Income Assessment Act, 1891."

A. J. CADMAN.

*Result of Poll for Proposed Loan, Masterton Road District, County of Wairarapa North.*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 9th December, 1891.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

## RESULT OF POLL.

THE following is the result of a poll taken in the Masterton Road District, on the 5th December, 1891, upon a proposal to raise a loan of £800 for formation, metalling, and bridging on the Te Mara-Kiriwhakapapa Roads:—

Number of ratepayers on special roll 9, representing 9 votes; number of ratepayers who voted for the proposal 7, representing 7 votes; number of ratepayers who voted against the proposal, nil; number of votes unrecorded, 2.

As a majority of the ratepayers on the special roll voted in favour of the proposal, and the number so voting are entitled to more than one-half in number of the total number of votes which can be exercised by the whole of the ratepayers, I declare the above proposal to be carried.

WILLIAM H. BEETHAM,  
Chairman, Masterton Road Board.  
Masterton, 7th December, 1891.*Result of Poll for Proposed Loans (5), County of Pahiatua.*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 14th December, 1891.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

RESULT OF POLL FOR PROPOSED LOAN, NGATURI-AOHANGA ROAD.

THE following is the result of a poll taken on the 14th November, 1891, on a proposal to borrow £1,500, under the provisions of "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886," for forming the Ngaturi-Aohanga Road from end of present formation to the junction of the Woodville-Aohanga Road:—

Number of ratepayers on roll 11, representing 14 votes; number of ratepayers who voted for the proposal 8, representing 11 votes; number of votes not recorded, 3.

A majority of ratepayers, exercising more than one-half of the total number of votes, being in favour of the proposal, I declare it carried.

SAMUEL BOLTON,  
Chairman, Pahiatua County Council.

RESULT OF POLL FOR PROPOSED LOAN, LOWER MAKURI VALLEY ROAD.

THE following is the result of a poll taken on the 10th November, 1891, on the proposal to borrow £1,200, under the provisions of "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886," for the purpose of metalling the Lower Makuri Valley Road from the corner of Section 36, Block VIII., Makuri, to Makuri Bridge-site:—

Number of ratepayers on roll 23, representing 24 votes; number of ratepayers who voted for the proposal 13, representing 14 votes; number of ratepayers who voted against the proposal, 1; votes not recorded, 8.

A majority of ratepayers, exercising more than one-half of the total number of votes, being in favour of the proposal, I declare it carried.

SAMUEL BOLTON,  
Chairman, Pahiatua County Council.

RESULT OF POLL FOR PROPOSED LOAN FOR MANGAONE VALLEY ROAD.

THE following is the result of a poll taken on the 21st November, 1891, on a proposal to raise a loan of £1,200, under the provisions of "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886," for the purpose of completing the formation, bridging, and metalling the Mangaone Valley Road:—

Number of ratepayers on roll of special rating area 28, representing 30 votes; number of ratepayers who voted for the proposal 19, representing 21 votes; votes unrecorded, 9.

A majority of ratepayers, exercising more than one-half of the total number of votes, being in favour of the proposal, I declare it carried.

SAMUEL BOLTON,  
Chairman, Pahiatua County Council.

RESULT OF POLL FOR PROPOSED LOAN, MANGAHAO.

THE following is the result of a poll taken on the 14th November, 1891, on a proposal to borrow £1,000, under the provisions of "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886," for clearing, forming, and bridges on roads: (1) Leading from crossing Mangahao River, at James Sinclair's, to Section 105, Block VI., Mangahao; (2) from junction of above road at Section 102 to Section 11, Block IX.; (3) from junction of last-mentioned road at Section 94, Block VI., to Section 2, Block VI.:—

Number of ratepayers on roll 38, representing 38 votes; number of ratepayers who voted for the proposal, 23; votes unrecorded, 15.

A majority of ratepayers, exercising more than one-half of the total number of votes, being in favour of the proposal, I declare it carried.

SAMUEL BOLTON,  
Chairman, Pahiatua County Council.

RESULT OF POLL FOR PROPOSED LOAN, WOODVILLE-TIRAUMEA TO NGATURI ROAD.

THE following is the result of a poll taken on the 14th November, 1891, on a proposal to borrow £700, under the provisions of "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886," for the purpose of metalling Woodville-Tiraumea to Ngaturi Road:—

Number of ratepayers on roll 4, representing 4 votes; number of ratepayers who voted for the proposal, 2; number of ratepayers who voted against the proposal, 2.

A majority not having voted in favour of the proposal, I declare it lost.

SAMUEL BOLTON,  
Chairman, Pahiatua County Council.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 15th December, 1891.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

RESULT OF POLL.

THE following is the result of a poll taken in the Masterton Road District on the 3rd June, 1891, upon a proposal to raise a loan of £300 for acquiring and partly forming the Upper Fernridge Road-extension:—

Number of ratepayers on special roll 4, representing 4 votes; number of ratepayers who voted in favour of the proposal 4, representing 4 votes.

As all the ratepayers on the special roll voted in favour of the proposal, I declare the same to be carried.

WILLIAM H. BEETHAM,  
Chairman.  
Masterton, 4th June, 1891.

Letters of Naturalisation issued.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 14th December, 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.
Birger Johannes Lohrbauer Lynneberg	Storeman ..	Kaiwara.
Emil Blaauw ..	Clerk ..	Wellington.
Charles Johnson ..	Labourer ..	Wellington.
Otto Andreas Eibye ..	Timber-salesman	Wellington.
John Curringe ..	Labourer ..	Wellington.
Nicholas Calogaras ..	Labourer ..	Wellington.
Oscar Jarman ..	Mariner ..	Wellington.
Peter Nelson ..	Labourer ..	Wellington.
Axel Peterson ..	Seaman ..	Wellington.
Giovanni Santi ..	Labourer ..	Wellington.
Albert Schnarndorff ..	Labourer ..	Wellington.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Fees for Measurements, Inspections, and Surveys under "The Shipping and Seamen's Act, 1877."

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 304 of "The Shipping and Seamen's Act, 1877," I, the Minister having charge of the Marine Department, do hereby determine that the fees set forth in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, be paid in respect of the several measurements, inspections, and surveys set forth in the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

(a.) MEASUREMENT OF TONNAGE.

FEES for this duty are chargeable in accordance with the following scale and regulations:—

Under 50 tons (gross register) ..	..	..	£1 0 0
50 to 100 tons (gross register) ..	..	..	1 10 0
100 to 200 " " " " ..	..	..	2 0 0
200 to 500 " " " " ..	..	..	3 0 0
500 to 800 " " " " ..	..	..	4 0 0
800 to 1,200 " " " " ..	..	..	5 0 0
1,200 to 2,000 " " " " ..	..	..	6 0 0
2,000 to 3,000 " " " " ..	..	..	7 0 0
3,000 to 4,000 " " " " ..	..	..	8 0 0
4,000 to 5,000 " " " " ..	..	..	9 0 0
5,000 to 6,000 " " " " ..	..	..	10 0 0

Notes.

1. The fees are to be charged on the gross register tonnage of the vessels measured.

2. In the case of vessels measured under Rule 2 of "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1854," the fee to be charged will be one-fourth of the fee applicable to the case in the above scale; but not less than 10s. is to be charged in any case. When a vessel previously measured under Rule 2 is re-measured under Rule 1 the fee to be charged is to be such as will make up, with the sum previously paid for measurement under Rule 2, the full fee applicable to the case in the above scale.

3. In the case of alterations in a space or spaces on the upper deck or engine-room, the fee to be charged will be one-fifth of the fee in the above scale, according to the tonnage of the vessel; but not less than 10s. is to be charged in any case.

A fee of 10s. is to be charged in all cases of minor inspections (e.g., alteration of rig, port of registry, description of engines, &c.).

4. The fee paid in accordance with the above scale will cover any number of visits that the Surveyor may find it necessary to make before he is able to fill up the formula of tonnage and grant his certificate to enable a vessel to obtain registry. It will also cover the inspection of crew-spaces and lights and fog-signals if the Surveyor is able to make these inspec-

tions on the occasion on which the measurement is performed, but not otherwise. For any further visits necessary for inspection or completion of inspection of crew-spaces and lights and fog-signals further fees in accordance with the scale below (Div. b and c) will be charged.

(b.) INSPECTION OF THE BERTHING OR SLEEPING ACCOMMODATION OF THE CREW.

For each visit of a Surveyor to the ship .. .. £0 10 0

The total amount of fees chargeable under this heading is not to exceed £1.

When the accommodation is inspected at the same time with the measurement of the tonnage no separate fee will be charged for such inspection.

When lights and fog-signals are inspected on the same occasion as crew-spaces the above fee covers the inspection of the lights and fog-signals. If, however, when the Surveyor is able to certify to the crew-spaces, further visits for the inspection or completion of inspection of lights and fog-signals are found to be necessary, fees in accordance with the scale below (Div. c) will be charged.

(c.) INSPECTION OF LIGHTS AND FOG-SIGNALS.

For each visit by a Surveyor, either where application for inspection is made by the owner of a vessel, or when the lights or fittings are found to be defective (*viz.*, not in accordance with Regulations for preventing Collisions at Sea) .. .. £0 10 0

The total amount of fees chargeable under this heading is not, however, to exceed £1.

The first fee of 10s. should be charged when the vessel is placed under detention, or when notice of intended detention for defective lights and fog-signals is given.

(d.) SURVEY OF SHIPS FOR UNSEAWORTHINESS.

For the first survey .. .. £2 2 0

For each subsequent survey .. .. 1 1 0

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

W. P. REEVES,

Being a Member of the Executive Council, holding the offices of Minister of Education and Minister of Justice, and acting for the Minister having charge of the Marine Department.

Notice to Certificated Masters, Mates, and Engineers.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 10th December, 1891.

IT is hereby notified that it is necessary for the holders of colonial certificates as masters, mates, and engineers, who may wish to make use of them in the United Kingdom, to present them, as soon as possible after arrival there, to the Superintendent of a Mercantile Marine Office, in order that that officer may, after satisfying himself that they are valid and in full force, stamp them with his official stamp as an evidence of their validity. Owners of such certificates, by complying with this requirement, will avoid the risk of being delayed while their certificates are being verified.

W. P. REEVES,

For the Minister having charge of the Marine Department.

Notice to Mariners, No. 43 of 1891.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 11th December, 1891.

THE following Notice to Mariners, received from the Portmaster, Brisbane, Queensland, is published for general information.

W. P. REEVES,

For the Minister having charge of the Marine Department.

TORRES STRAIT.—BEACON ON BRAMBLE CAY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the beacon on Bramble Cay has been re-erected, its height now being 45ft. above high-water.

T. M. ALMOND,  
Portmaster.

Department of Ports and Harbours,  
Brisbane, 23rd November, 1891.

Christmas and New Year Holidays.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 16th December, 1891.

IT is hereby notified for general information that Friday the 25th, Saturday the 26th, and Monday the 28th of December, 1891, and Friday the 1st, Saturday the 2nd, and Monday the 4th of January, 1892, will be observed as holidays in the public offices of the Government of New Zealand.

By order, G. S. COOPER,  
Under-Secretary.

Rainfall for November, 1891.

Meteorological Office.

THE following is the rainfall for the month of November, 1891:—

Station.	Observer.	Total Fall in Inches.	Days of Rain.	Maximum Fall and Date.
Pakarakā (Bay of Islands)	H. Williams ..	3.36	9	1.33 on 15th.
Auckland	Govt. Observer	1.45	9	0.37 on 15th.
Cuvier Island (Hauraki Gulf)	Lightkeeper ..	1.38	6	0.39 on 15th.
Omokoroa (Tauranga)	L. A. Shadwell	3.39	11	1.18 on 6th.
Te Aroha	P. Snewin ..	2.05	12	0.48 on 11th.
Rotorua	Dr. Ginders ..	3.35	10	1.11 on 7th.
Gisborne	Archd. Williams	3.51	12	0.93 on 11th.
Mahia Peninsula	G. C. Ormond	..	..	..
Matahiia (Gisborne)	F. J. Kemp ..	4.37	10	1.29 on 15th.
Papatū Station (Poverty Bay)	H. N. Watson	3.61	13	0.65 on 11th.
Waipiro (Gisborne)	S. Dodgshun..	3.55	12	1.40 on 16th.
Napier..	E. Lyndon ..	1.51	12	0.41 on 18th.
Onepoto (L. Waikaremoana)	F. R. Phillips	4.63	8	1.28 on 14th.
Waimarama, H.B.	W. Davidson	1.50	13	0.38 on 10th.
Mt. Vernon, H.B.	R. Harding ..	1.77	14	0.60 on 8th.
Gwavas, H.B. ..	J. Nicoll ..	1.92	15	0.60 on 10th.
Inglewood ..	Miss N. Trimble	13.85	18	3.70 on 3rd.
Ngatimaru ..	Miss A. Hutchinson	8.95	13	2.25 on 3rd.
Opunake ..	A. H. Moore ..	3.65	9	1.03 on 3rd.
Manaia ..	G. A. Hurley	1.77	8	0.56 on 3rd.
Kaponga (Wanganui)	E. J. Ellerm..	2.67	10	0.75 on 2nd.
Hawera (Waipapa)	J. Livingston	1.40	10	0.38 on 2nd.
Wanganui ..	W.L. Mountfort	2.68	11	0.83 on 4th.
Feilding ..	S. Goodbehere	4.21	14	1.40 on 4th.
Palmerston North	Capt. S. Brown	3.70	14	1.16 on 4th.
Ashurst ..	Claude Francis	4.19	13	1.38 on 14th.
Masterton ..	B. Couborne ..	2.66	8	1.10 on 3rd.
Otahuao ..	J. Bennett ..	2.18	9	0.60 on 3rd.
Carterton ..	H. Braithwaite	1.96	11	0.48 on 3rd.
Featherston ..	H. C. Smith ..	2.82	10	0.70 on 3rd.
Dry River (near Martinborough)	C. Phillips ..	2.39	9	0.46 on 8th.
Summit (Rimutaka)	M. Cronin ..	10.52	16	1.35 on 4th.
Upper Hutt ..	T. Lewis ..	2.40	6	0.90 on 13th.
Taita ..	T. Mason ..	5.23	17	1.25 on 10th.
Petone..	Sir J. Hector	3.93	13	0.64 on 2nd.
Wellington ..	Govt. Observer	2.49	19	0.40 on 8th and 12th.
Wainuiomata Reservoir	Keeper ..	4.52	12	1.75 on 11th.
Wellington Reservoir	W. Edmonds	2.28	17	0.56 on 8th.
Flaxbourne ..	W. Tatchell ..	2.10	7	0.95 on 10th.
Cape Campbell ..	Lightkeeper ..	2.32	7	0.95 on 10th.
Kaikoura ..	Miss E. Collins	4.10	7	0.73 on 18th.
The Brothers ..	Lightkeeper ..	..	..	..
Farewell Spit ..	Lightkeeper ..	1.84	11	0.66 on 14th.
Lincoln ..	E. Wilkinson	1.55	11	0.36 on 11th.
Rangiora ..	T. W. Rowe ..	2.70	13	1.40 on 10th.
Hororata (Selwyn)	Sir J. Hall, M.H.R.	2.51	12	0.70 on 12th.
Kapunatiki (Bulmer)	Hon. W. Rolleston, M.H.R.	1.20	10	0.32 on 10th.
Methven ..	E. Chapman ..	3.12	14	0.48 on 10th.
Winchmore (Ashburton)	R. W. Hart ..	2.84	10	0.79 on 11th.
Dunedin ..	Govt. Observer	4.38	14	1.32 on 10th.
Greymouth ..	J. Conner ..	11.54	15	4.00 on 2nd.
Milford Sound ..	Dr. Porter ..	..	..	..
Balclutha ..	W. McHutcherson	3.16	11	0.95 on 30th.
Bealey..	J. Ryan ..	2.86	20	0.67 on 2nd.
Maheno (Otago)..	R. A. Chaffey	2.42	15	0.76 on 24th.
Dipton ..	R. D. MacLachlan	..	..	..
Invercargill ..	J. L. Bush ..	2.25	9	0.25 on —.
Puyssegur Point..	Lightkeeper ..	..	..	..
Queenstown ..	L. Hotop ..	3.55	11	0.62 on 22nd.
Chatham Islands	A. Shand ..	..	..	..

J. HECTOR, Director.



*New Zealand Institute.*

Colonial Museum,  
Wellington, 14th December, 1891.

THE under-mentioned Members have been duly elected Governors of the New Zealand Institute to represent the incorporated societies for the ensuing year:—

- STEPHENSON PERCY SMITH, Esq., F.R.G.S.
- JAMES MCKERROW, Esq., F.R.A.S.
- EDWARD TREGEAR, Esq., F.R.G.S., &c.

JAMES HECTOR,  
Manager.

**Native Land Court Notices.**

*Application for Rehearing.*

Native Land Court Office,  
Wellington, 11th December, 1891.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Chief Judge, sitting with an Assessor, will, in open Court, at Wellington, on the 21st day of December, 1891, resume the inquiry and determine upon the application for rehearing mentioned in the Schedule hereto. All persons interested in the said application are required to attend at the time and place aforesaid.

W. BRIDSON,  
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATION received the 6th day of March, 1891, made by Harata Mikaera, for a rehearing upon the decision of the Court declaring the Native owners of the Rangataua Block.

*Application for Probate.*

Native Land Court Office,  
Wellington, 14th December, 1891.

In the matter of the will of WIREMU PUPARA, of Patangata, Hawke's Bay, deceased.

APPLICATION having been made by Pirihira te Wai-rakau that probate be granted of the aforesaid will:

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 the *Gazette* containing this notice.

W. BRIDSON,  
Registrar.

*Alienation of Section No. 637, City of Wellington.*

Native Land Court Office,  
Wellington, 15th December, 1891.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a sitting of the Court to be held at Wellington, on the 19th day of December, 1891, inquiry will be made with regard to the proposed alienation of Section No. 637, City of Wellington, as to the extent of the other lands owned by the grantees therein or their heirs and successors.

W. BRIDSON,  
Registrar.

*Notice under "The Native Lands Frauds Prevention Act 1881 Amendment Act, 1888."*

Native Land Court Office, Wellington, 11th December, 1891.

I, HUGH GARDEN SETH-SMITH, Chief Judge of the Native Land Court, do hereby, in compliance with the duty imposed upon me by "The Native Lands Frauds Prevention Act 1881 Amendment Act, 1888," give notice that the lands mentioned in the first column of the Schedule hereto became owned within the meaning of the said Act on the days mentioned in the second column of the said Schedule.

And, further, that dealings with the said lands, apart from any other restriction upon alienation to which the same may be subject, ceased to be prohibited by the provisions of the said Act on the days mentioned in the third column of the said Schedule.

H. G. SETH-SMITH,  
Chief Judge.

Name by which the Land is known.	Date when Land became owned within meaning of said Act.	Date when Land ceased to be prohibited.
Sandon Township, Section 153, Subdivision 5 ..	26th October, 1891 .. ..	6th December, 1891.
Sandon Township, Section 153, Subdivision 6 ..	" .. ..	"
Sandon Township, Section 153, Subdivision 7 ..	" .. ..	"
Sandon Township, Section 153, Subdivision 10 ..	" .. ..	"
Sandon Township, Section 153, Subdivision 1 ..	" .. ..	"
Sandon Township, Section 153, Subdivision 4 ..	" .. ..	"
Sandon Township, Section 153, Subdivisions 9 and 12 ..	" .. ..	"

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

Native Land Court Office,  
Auckland, 7th December, 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 Resident Magistrate's Courthouse, at High Street, Auckland, on the 11th day of January, 1892, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for investigating the case mentioned in the Schedule hereunder, at which time and place all persons having objections to any of the dealings are hereby notified to attend.

H. P. EDGER,  
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

PART OF MANGAPAPA.

91-122. LEASE dated the 9th day of November, 1891, made by Te Hau and others to the Mokau Coal Company (Limited).

*Applications for Rehearing.*

Native Land Court Office,  
Wellington, 11th December, 1891.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Chief Judge of the Native Land Court will, with an Assessor, attend at Marton, on the 19th day of January, 1892, and then and there inquire into and determine upon all applications for rehearing theretofore made upon the several decisions of the Native Land Court mentioned in the Schedule hereto. All persons interested in the said applications are requested to attend at the time and place aforesaid.

W. BRIDSON,  
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATION received the 19th day of October, 1891, made by Wiremu Muhunga Paraotene and others, for a rehearing upon the partition of the Awarua Block.

Application received the 19th day of October, 1891, made by Noa Huke, for a rehearing upon the partition of the Awarua Block.

Application received the 19th day of October, 1891, made by Airini Tonore and others, for a rehearing upon the partition of the Awarua Block.

Application received the 19th day of October, 1891, made by Hiha Akatarewa and others, for a rehearing upon the partition of the Awarua No. 2, No. 3A, No. 3B, and No. 4 Blocks.

Application received the 26th day of October, 1891, made by Ihakara te Raro and others, for a rehearing upon the partition of the Awarua No. 2, No. 3, No. 3A, No. 1A, and No. 4A Blocks.

Application received the 4th day of November, 1891, made by Retimana te Rango and others, for a rehearing upon the partition of the Awarua No. 1, No. 4, and No. 3B Blocks.



**Crown Lands Notices.**

*Lease of Land in City of Auckland.*

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Auckland, 10th December, 1891.

IT is hereby notified that the section enumerated hereunder will be offered for lease for fourteen years, by public auction, at this office, at noon on Wednesday, the 20th January, 1892:—

CITY OF AUCKLAND.

Lot 24 of Section 8, containing 18 perches. Upset price, £10 per annum.

The section has frontages of 143 links to Beach Road, and 82 links to Short Street.

GERHARD MUELLER,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Crown Lands, Land District of Canterbury, to be leased on the Perpetual-leasing System, under Section 161 of "The Land Act, 1885."*

Lands and Survey Office,  
Christchurch, 10th November, 1891.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned section will be opened for application on Wednesday, the 13th January, 1892, under section 161 of "The Land Act, 1885," for perpetual lease, for a term of thirty years, renewable, subject to the conditions of residence and improvements prescribed by the Land Acts. Every application must be accompanied by a statutory declaration (in form below) and by £2 10s., the amount of the first six months' rent, and a fee of £1 10s. Should there be more than one application on the same day, the right to occupy shall be determined by lot:—

ASHBURTON COUNTY.—ASHBURTON SURVEY DISTRICT.

Reserve 264, Lot 12, Block VII., 50 acres; price per acre, £2; capital value, £100; rent per acre, 2s.; half-yearly rental, £2 10s.

This section is situated on the south-eastern side of the Main South Railway, about two miles north-east of the Dromore Railway-station, and comprises light arable land. A sum of £100 shall be paid at the time of application for the improvements on the land, consisting of dwelling-house, fencing, crops, water-race, &c.

DECLARATION ON TAKING A LEASE, OR BECOMING A TRANSFERREE OR SUB-LESSEE OF A LEASE UNDER SECTION 161.  
I, \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_, in the \_\_\_\_\_ Land District, and Colony of New Zealand, \_\_\_\_\_, do solemnly and sincerely declare—

1. That I am of the age of seventeen years and upwards.
2. That I am the person who, subject to the provisions of "The Land Act, 1885," am tendering for the purchase [or is desirous of becoming the transferee or sub-lessee] of a lease of Section \_\_\_\_\_, Block \_\_\_\_\_, District \_\_\_\_\_.
3. That I am purchasing such lease solely for my own use and benefit, and for the purpose of cultivation, and not directly or indirectly for the use or benefit of any other person whomsoever.
4. That, including the said lands, I am not the owner, tenant, or occupier, directly or indirectly, either by myself or jointly with any other person or persons, of any lands anywhere in the colony exceeding in the whole fifty acres.
5. That I have not within seven years from the date hereof surrendered a lease with perpetual right of renewal of the lands for a lease whereof I am now tendering.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

Declared at \_\_\_\_\_, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 189 \_\_\_\_\_, before me, \_\_\_\_\_, a Justice of the Peace.

Full particulars as to conditions, and plans and forms of application, may be obtained at the Land Office, Christchurch, where applications will be received, on and after the date specified, between the hours of 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 2.30 p.m. to 4.30 p.m., except on Saturdays, when the office closes at 1 p.m.

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

*Town and Rural Lands for Sale, Auckland District.*

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Auckland, 28th October, 1891.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned town and rural lands will be offered for sale by public auction, at this office, on Friday, the 8th January next, at 11 o'clock a.m.

GERHARD MUELLER,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

SCHEDULE.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
TOWN OF RUSSELL.		
Section I.		
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
Lot 6	0 0 36	6 15 0
Lot 7	0 0 31	5 16 3
Lot 8	0 1 2	7 17 6
Lot 9	0 0 32	6 0 0

HOKIANGA COUNTY.  
*Parish of Pupuke.*

N. 136	46 2 0	23 5 0
137	118 3 0	119 0 0
138	78 2 30	79 0 0
S. 139	29 2 17	22 6 3

Very poor and broken forest land, containing kauri timber as follows, which is the only value for the lots: Section 136, about 30,000ft.; Section 137, about 700,000ft.; Section 138, about 300,000ft.; and Section 139, about 150,000ft. The timber can be driven down the Mangakino Stream.

N.E. 16	23 1 0	60 0 0
N.E. 40	25 0 0	15 0 0
S.W. 42	66 3 0	40 0 0

Section 16, poor broken land, covered with fern and dry timber; the section contains about 180,000ft. of kauri. Sections 40 and 42, broken bush land, Section 40 containing about 30,000ft. of kauri, and Section 42 about 100,000ft.

*Parish of Hunua.*

231	37 0 0	55 10 0
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Comprises 8½ acres of bush, which contains 35,000ft. of kauri; the remainder is open land covered with fern and scrub.

*Parish of Tuakau.*

77A	4 1 8	6 7 6
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Mixed forest and open land, very broken, situated about one and a half miles from Tuakau Railway-station.

WAIKATO COUNTY.

*Parish of Taupiri.*

471	48 0 0	48 0 0
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Open land of good quality, containing a few small clumps of bush, situated about three miles from Taupiri, and adjoining the Mangawara Stream.

*Parish of Whangamarino.*

115A	5 0 32	2 12 6
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Open land, intersected by the Waerenga Stream.

WHANGAREI COUNTY.

*Mangakahia Survey District.*

Block XII.

3	166 1 10	208 0 0
4	267 3 0	402 0 0
5	71 3 0	108 0 0
6	147 3 20	185 0 0

All open and forest lands. Section 3 contains about 30 green and 80 dry kauri trees; Section 4 contains 260 green and 60 dry trees; Section 5, about 110 green and 25 dry trees; Section 6, about 30 green and 45 dry trees.

WHANGAROA COUNTY.

*Parish of Kaeo.*

N.E. 34	6 2 0	3 5 0
74A	4 2 29	2 10 0
75	25 2 13	13 0 0

N.E. 34, broken forest land containing about £5 worth of kauri; 74A, broken forest land with northerly aspect; 75, broken indifferent land, mostly cleared and in grass, subject to £50 for improvements.

Terms of Sale: One-fifth of the purchase-money to be paid on fall of hammer, 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.

Also, at the same time and place, in terms of Part VII. of "The Land Act, 1885," lease of small Grazing-run No. 10A, Parish of Matata, Whakatane County; area, 6,000 acres. Upset annual rent, £75. Open land with a little puriri in the gullies; situated on the sea-coast between Otamarakau and Whakarewa Rivers, near Matata.

Possession will be given on day of sale. The purchaser 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 March next, and lease- and registration-fees (£1 11s.) on fall of the hammer.

Conditions of occupation may be seen at the Post-office, Matata, the Land Office, Tauranga, and at this office.

*Land for Sale by Auction, Auckland Land District.*

Lands and Survey Office,  
Auckland, 28th October, 1891.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned rural sections will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Land Office, Tauranga, on Wednesday, the 6th January next, at 11 o'clock a.m.:-

TAURANGA COUNTY.

Sections 11 and 91A, Parish of Te Papa, containing together 13 acres 2 roods. Upset price, £54.

All open land, close to Wairoa Bridge, and bounded by main coach-road.

Terms of Sale: One-fifth of the purchase-money to be paid at close of sale, and the balance, with £1 Crown-grant fee, 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 may be inspected at this office, and at the Land Office, Tauranga.

GERHARD MUELLER,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Sale of Land in Canterbury.*

Lands and Survey Office,  
Christchurch, 10th November, 1891.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned forfeited village-homestead special-settlement sections will be re-opened for application, at this office, on Wednesday, the 6th January, 1892. The leases will be granted for a term of thirty years, renewable, subject to the conditions of residence and occupation prescribed by the Village-homestead Regulations. Each selector must reside on his section within six months of the date of selection, and will also be required to cultivate and make substantial improvements on the land. An advance of £10 will be made by Government after the erection of a dwellinghouse of at least that value. Any person who has an interest in any land of more than an acre in extent in the colony is not eligible to select. No person can hold more than one section. Married men will have preference as selectors. A fee of 10s. for the registration of the lease is payable at the time of application:-

ASHLEY COUNTY.—OXFORD SURVEY DISTRICT.—VIEW HILL VILLAGE SETTLEMENT.

Reserve.	Lot.	Block.	Area.	Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rental.
2392	1*	V.	A. R. P. 50 0 0	£ s. d. 0 1 0	£ s. d. 1 5 0
"	2	"	50 0 0	0 1 0	1 5 0
"	11	IX.	50 0 0	0 1 0	1 5 0

\* Subject to valuation for improvements to the extent of £6.

These sections comprise level stony land of fair quality, contiguous to the water-race, in the View Hill Village Settlement, and are situated about eight miles from Oxford and four and a half miles from Sheffield.

Full particulars as to conditions, and plans and forms of application, may be obtained at this office, where applica-

tions will be received on and after the date specified, between the hours of 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., and 2.30 p.m. to 4.30 p.m., except on Saturdays, when the office closes at 1 p.m.

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

*Land Sale, Hawke's Bay District.*

Lands and Survey Office,  
Napier, 16th November, 1891.

NOTICE is hereby given that the sections enumerated in the Schedule hereunder will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Crown Lands Office, Napier, on Monday, the 21st December, 1891, at 11 a.m.

SCHEDULE.  
FOR CASH.

Section.	Block.	District.	Area.	Upset Price.
1	IX.	Moeangiangi ..	A. R. P. 46 0 0	£ s. d. 28 15 0
14, 15*	V.	Ruataniwha ..	14 1 8	17 10 0

\* Weighted with £78 for improvements.

Section 1, Block IX., Moeangiangi, is all open fairly level country covered with manuka and fern, with very light and rather poor soil. The land is on the banks of the Waikare River, about eight miles from Mohaka Post-office.

Conditions of Sale: One-fifth of the purchase-money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, the balance, with £1 Crown-grant fee, within thirty days from date of sale.

FOR LEASE FOR SEVEN YEARS.

Portion of Makaretu Forest Reserve; area, 1,000 acres; upset rent, £75.

Broken country for the most part, but there are some fine slopes and almost level country with very fair soil. About 600 acres have been sown with cocksfoot grass, which is looking very well and thriving. A further area of about 300 acres might be sown without any bush-felling or clearing being necessary. The land is five miles from Ashley-Clinton.

Conditions of sale: Half a year's rent and £1 1s. lease-fee must be paid by the successful bidder at the close of the auction.

Plans and particulars can be seen at the post-offices, Ashley-Clinton, Ongaonga, Mohaka, and Wairoa. For further information apply to the Crown Lands Office, Napier.

THOS. HUMPHRIES,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Pastoral Leases in the Wellington Land District to be offered at Auction.*

District Land and Survey Office,  
Wellington, 23rd November, 1891.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned runs will be offered at auction, on Thursday, the 7th January, 1892, at this office, at 2.30 p.m., on pastoral lease, for a term of ten years, at the upset annual rental stated opposite each run.

SCHEDULE.

Run No.	Block.	Survey District.	Area.	Upset Rent per Acre.	Upset Annual Rental.
26	XV.	Mikimiki ..	Acres. 27	s. d. 0 9	£ s. d. 1 0 8
27	III.	Tiffin ..	120	0 9	4 10 0

These runs are islands in the Waingawa River, situated in Block XV., Mikimiki Survey District, and Block III., Tiffin Survey District. Run No. 26, containing 27 acres, is flat land and good soil; about half the area is bush, the balance being open and in grass. Run No. 27, of 120 acres, is also level, about two-thirds is covered with light bush and scrub, and the remainder being shingle; about 40 acres of the land is good soil, the rest being shingle or stony formation. Portions of both runs are subject to floods when the river is high. The leases of the above runs will be sold subject to the provisions contained in "The Land Act, 1885," relating to the sale of runs. Full particulars can be obtained at this office.

JOHN H. BAKER,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Lands in Canterbury open for Application.*

Lands and Survey Office,  
Christchurch, 10th November, 1891.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned forfeited deferred-payment sections, which have been submitted to public auction and not sold, will be open for application, at the Land Offices, Christchurch and Timaru, on Wednesday, the 30th December, 1891, under village-allotment deferred-payment conditions:—

**AROWHENUA VILLAGE SETTLEMENT.**

Lots 708 and 821, each  $\frac{1}{2}$  acre; total price, £10 per section. The term of license is for five years. A deposit of £1 for the first half-year's instalment is payable at the time of application. Residence is compulsory after the lapse of six months, for four years from the date of the license. Part of the area must be cultivated, and £2 10s. spent on improvements, in terms of the Land Act.

Full particulars can be obtained at the aforesaid offices.

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

*Sale of Greta Peaks Small Grazing-runs, Canterbury Land District.*

Lands and Survey Office,  
Christchurch, 5th November, 1891.

NOTICE is hereby given that the leases of the under-mentioned small grazing-runs will be offered for sale by auction, at this office, on Wednesday, the 13th January, 1892, at 11 o'clock a.m., at the upset annual rental noted opposite each run:—

**COUNTY OF ASHLEY.**

Survey District.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Rental per Acre.	Upset Annual Rental.
			A.	s. d.	£ s. d.
Stonyhurst	36316	I., II., V., VI.	1,927	1 4	128 9 3
Stonyhurst	36317	I., V., VI.	1,995	1 4	133 0 0
Stonyhurst	36318	V.	1,937	1 4	129 2 8
Waikari ..		XI.			
Stonyhurst	36319	V., X.	1,145	1 4	76 6 8
Waikari ..		XI., XV.			
Stonyhurst	36320	I.	1,958	1 4	130 10 8
Waikari ..		VII.			
Stonyhurst	36321	I.	1,958	1 4	130 10 8
Waikari ..		VII.			
Waikari ..	36322	VI., VII.	1,575	1 4	105 0 0
Waikari ..	36337	VI., VII.	526	1 4	35 1 4

These runs are situated in North Canterbury, on the Greta Peaks and Rocky Ranges, on the north and south sides of the Waikari River, and on the southern banks of the Hurunui River, north-east of Waikari Township. They comprise generally hilly open tussock country of good quality, rocky in places, with patches of undulating land, and a few small flats. Excepting Runs 36316 and 36320, which front the road along the Hurunui River, the runs are only watered by small streams. The elevation of the country ranges from

300ft. to 1,670ft. at the highest point. The access is by the Waikari Valley Road, but the branch roads, which vary in length from half a mile to two and a half miles, are unformed; the distance from Waikari being from sixteen to twenty miles. Runs 36317, 36318, and 36319 can also be approached from the Waipara-Cheviot Road; the distance from Waipara Railway-station being about seventeen miles. Runs 36320, 36321, and 36322 are distant from Hurunui Township from twelve to fourteen miles, but the road is only formed for about nine and a half miles. These runs, from the quality of the soil and situation, are well adapted for pastoral pursuits.

**CONDITIONS OF LEASE.**

1. The term of lease is twenty-one years, the option of renewal for a further period of twenty-one years being with the Governor; rent to be fixed by valuation, and improvements being secured to lessee as provided by "The Land Act, 1885," section 209. Each lessee is required to make the declaration as per form below.

2. No person can lease more than one run.

3. Residence on the run is compulsory for six years, commencing within twelve months from commencement of lease, unless the lessee obtain the consent of the Land Board to reside on land in his occupation within ten miles of the run.

4. Permanent improvements must be effected equal to one year's rental by the end of the first year, two years' rental by the end of the second year, and four years' rental at the end of the sixth year.

5. One-half year's rent and £1 11s. for the lease to be paid on the fall of the hammer; the rent to be paid half-yearly in advance during the term of the lease.

6. The lessee has no right to purchase any part of the land; but he can select 150 acres around the homestead, through which no road can be taken or other public privilege exercised without compensation.

NOTE.—One-fourth of the rent paid during the first fifteen years is returned to the local body, to be spent in improving the access to the land.

**DECLARATION.**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, of\* \_\_\_\_\_, do solemnly and sincerely declare—  
 1. That I am of the age of seventeen years and upwards.  
 2. That I am the person who, subject to the provisions of "The Land Act, 1885," am desirous of becoming the purchaser of a lease of the pastoral lands of \_\_\_\_\_.  
 3. That I am purchasing such lease solely for my own use and benefit, and not directly or indirectly for the use of any other person or persons whatever.  
 4. That I am not already the holder of any such lease in any part of the colony, nor have I any interest in any such lease.  
 And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

(Signature.)

Declared at \_\_\_\_\_, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 18\_\_\_\_, before me, \_\_\_\_\_, a Justice of the Peace in and for the Colony of New Zealand.

\* Place of abode or occupation. † Here specify.

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

*Rural Lands open for Sale or Selection, Southland Land District.*

Department of Lands and Survey, Invercargill, 10th December, 1891.

THE under-mentioned Crown lands will be open for sale or selection, in terms of sections 3 to 11 of "The Land Act Amendment Act, 1887," either for cash, on deferred payments, or for perpetual lease, at the option of the selector, on and after Wednesday, the 27th January, 1892. In cases where more than one application is received for the same section, priority of choice will be decided by lot on the following day, at 11 a.m., at the Crown Lands Office, Invercargill:—

**FIRST-CLASS SURVEYED LAND.**

County.	Locality.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Price.		Deferred-payment Price.		Perpetual Lease.	
					Per Acre.	Total Price.	Per Acre.	Half-yearly Instalment.	Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.
Southland	Mataura Suburbs	11	VII.	A. R. P. 6 3 34	£ s. d. 3 0 0	£ s. d. 20 17 9	£ s. d. 3 15 0	£ s. d. 1 6 2	£ s. d. 0 3 0	£ s. d. 0 10 6
"	"	12	"	7 1 1	3 0 0	21 15 6	3 15 0	1 7 3	0 3 0	0 10 6
"	"	13	"	7 1 25	3 0 0	22 4 6	3 15 0	1 7 10	0 3 0	0 11 0
"	"	14	"	7 1 4	3 0 0	21 16 6	3 15 0	1 7 4	0 3 0	0 10 6
"	"	15	"	6 0 3	3 0 0	18 1 2	3 15 0	1 2 7	0 3 0	0 9 0

G. W. WILLIAMS,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

REGISTRAR-GENERAL'S Report on the Vital Statistics of the Principal Towns of New Zealand during the Month of November, 1891.

RETURN of the Number of Births, with the actual Mortality of Males and Females, and the Proportion of Deaths to Population, in the under-mentioned Boroughs, during the Month of November, 1891.

BOROUGHS. For population of principal boroughs, including suburbs, see note*.)	POPULATION, CENSUS, APRIL, 1891.	TOTAL BIRTHS.	DEATHS REGISTERED IN NOVEMBER, 1891.									Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, November, 1891.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population in the Year 1890.
			Males.			Females.			Total Deaths.				
			Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.					
Auckland* .. .. .	28,613	77	3	..	12	7	..	10	32	1.12	11.34		
Wellington* .. .. .	31,021	77	..	2	21	5	3	14	45	1.45	12.64		
Christchurch* .. .. .	16,223	28	5	2	5	1	1	8	22	1.36	11.04		
Dunedin* .. .. .	22,376	41	..	2	15	..	2	7	26	1.16	14.20		
Thames .. .. .	4,618	11	2	..	1	..	1	..	4	0.87	11.81		
New Plymouth .. .. .	3,350	15	1	..	..	..	..	3	4	1.19	14.46		
Napier .. .. .	8,341	47	2	..	7	1	2	5	17	2.04	15.18		
Wanganui .. .. .	5,011	11	..	..	7	3	..	7	17	3.39	10.45		
Blenheim .. .. .	3,294	7	1	..	1	..	..	..	2	0.61	8.67		
Nelson .. .. .	6,626	7	..	..	4	..	..	2	6	0.91	16.40		
Sydenham .. .. .	9,680	19	3	..	..	..	..	4	7	0.72	11.42		
Lyttelton .. .. .	4,087	4	..	1	..	..	..	1	2	0.49	14.12		
Timaru .. .. .	3,668	11	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	0.27	14.72		
Oamaru .. .. .	5,621	19	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	0.18	9.27		
Greymouth .. .. .	3,787	4	..	1	5	..	..	..	6	1.58	9.52		
Hokitika .. .. .	2,178	1	..	..	3	..	..	5	8	3.67	25.87		
Caversham .. .. .	4,690	12	..	..	3	..	1	..	4	0.85	13.98		
Invercargill* .. .. .	4,950	11	2	..	4	..	..	2	8	1.62	15.09		
<b>Totals .. .. .</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>402</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>212</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>		

NOTE.—Deaths, occurring at hospitals, of persons not residents of the borough in which the hospital is situated are allotted to the borough where the diseases were contracted, and not to that in which the deaths actually took place.

The total births in the above boroughs amounted to 402, against 427 in October, a decrease of 25. The deaths November were 212, an increase of 54 on the number in October. Of the total deaths, males contributed 116; females, 9. Fifty-six of the deaths were of children under 5 years of age, being 26.42 per cent. of the whole number; 38 of these were under 1 year of age.

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

	M.	F.	Total.		M.	F.	Total.
Auckland Borough .. .. .	13,616	14,997	28,613	Christchurch Borough .. .. .	7,765	8,458	16,223
Adjacent boroughs and road districts .. .. .	10,838	11,676	22,514	Adjacent boroughs and other suburbs .. .. .	15,310	16,313	31,623
<b>Total Auckland Borough and suburbs .. .. .</b>	<b>24,454</b>	<b>26,673</b>	<b>51,127</b>	<b>Total Christchurch Borough and suburbs .. .. .</b>	<b>23,075</b>	<b>24,771</b>	<b>47,846</b>
Wellington Borough .. .. .	15,189	15,832	31,021	Dunedin Borough .. .. .	10,427	11,949	22,376
Adjacent boroughs .. .. .	1,135	1,068	2,203	Adjacent boroughs .. .. .	11,375	12,114	23,489
<b>Total Wellington Borough and suburbs .. .. .</b>	<b>16,324</b>	<b>16,900</b>	<b>33,224</b>	<b>Total Dunedin Borough and suburbs .. .. .</b>	<b>21,802</b>	<b>24,063</b>	<b>45,865</b>

	M.	F.	Total.
The population of Invercargill and suburbs at same date was—			
Invercargill Borough .. .. .	2,393	2,557	4,950
Adjacent boroughs .. .. .	1,744	1,857	3,601
<b>Total Invercargill Borough and suburbs... .. .</b>	<b>4,137</b>	<b>4,414</b>	<b>8,551</b>

THE following Table shows the Causes of the Deaths of Persons of both Sexes under 5 Years of Age and 5 Years and upwards, and the Proportions per Cent. of Deaths from each Cause, in the Boroughs of Auckland, Wellington, Christchurch, and Dunedin, that were registered during the Month of November, 1891.

CLASSES.	CAUSES OF DEATH.	AUCKLAND.		WELLINGTON.		CHRISTCHURCH.		DUNEDIN.		TOTAL.	PROPORTIONS PER CENT.
		Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.		
I.	Specific Febrile or Zymotic Diseases	5	..	2	7	2	3	2	4	25	20.00
II.	Parasitic Diseases .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	0.80
III.	Dietetic Diseases .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
IV.	Constitutional Diseases .. .. .	..	6	2	8	..	3	1	5	25	20.00
V.	Developmental Diseases .. .. .	..	1	2	1	2	1	..	..	7	5.60
VI.	Local Diseases .. .. .	5	12	4	17	3	5	1	11	58	46.40
VII.	Violence .. .. .	..	2	..	2	1	1	..	2	8	6.40
VIII.	Ill-defined and Not-specified Causes .. .. .	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	0.80
	<b>Totals .. .. .</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>100.00</b>

	AUCKLAND.		WELLINGTON.		CHRISTCHURCH.		DUNEDIN.		TOTAL.
	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	
<b>CLASS I.—SPECIFIC FEBRILE OR ZYMOTIC DISEASES.</b>									
<b>ORDER 1:—</b>									
<i>Miasmatic,—</i>									
Influenza .. .. .	..	..	..	3	2	3	2	3	13
Whooping-cough.. ..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	2
Diphtheria .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Typhoid Fever .. .. .	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	1	4
<b>ORDER 2:—</b>									
<i>Diarrhoeal,—</i>									
Cholera Infantum .. .. .	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Diarrhoea .. .. .	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
<b>CLASS II.—PARASITIC DISEASES.</b>									
Worms .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
<b>CLASS IV.—CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES.</b>									
Rheumatism .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Cancer .. .. .	..	1	..	4	..	2	..	1	8
Tabes Mesenterica .. .. .	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	2
Phthisis .. .. .	..	4	..	4	..	1	1	4	14
<b>CLASS V.—DEVELOPMENTAL DISEASES.</b>									
Premature Birth .. .. .	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	3
Malformation .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Old Age.. .. .	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	3
<b>CLASS VI.—LOCAL DISEASES.</b>									
<b>ORDER 1:—</b>									
<i>Diseases of Nervous System,—</i>									
Meningitis .. .. .	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
Apoplexy .. .. .	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	3
Hemiplegia .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Paralysis .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Insanity .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Epilepsy .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Convulsions .. .. .	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2
<b>ORDER 2:—</b>									
<i>Diseases of Organs of Special Sense,—</i>									
Ear Disease .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
<b>ORDER 3:—</b>									
<i>Diseases of Circulatory System,—</i>									
Valvular Disease of Heart .. .. .	..	2	..	3	..	3	..	2	10
Pericarditis .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Fatty Degeneration of Heart .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Angina Pectoris .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Aneurism .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
<b>ORDER 4:—</b>									
<i>Diseases of Respiratory System,—</i>									
Bronchitis .. .. .	..	2	1	2	1	..	..	2	8
Pneumonia .. .. .	..	2	2	..	..	1	..	..	5
Pleurisy .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
<b>ORDER 5:—</b>									
<i>Diseases of Digestive System,—</i>									
Dentition .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Gastritis .. .. .	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Enteritis .. .. .	3	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	4
Obstruction of Bowels .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	2
Hernia .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Peritonitis .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Liver Disease .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
<b>ORDER 7:—</b>									
<i>Diseases of Urinary System,—</i>									
Bright's Disease .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	2
Chronic Nephritis .. .. .	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Calculus .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Cystitis .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Kidney Disease .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
<b>ORDER 10:—</b>									
<i>Diseases of Integumentary System,—</i>									
Carbuncle .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
<b>CLASS VII.—VIOLENCE.</b>									
<b>ORDER 1:—</b>									
<i>Accident or Negligence,—</i>									
Fracture of Thigh .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Fall on Racecourse .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
Gun-shot Wound .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Drowned .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	2
Poison (eating wax-matches) .. .. .	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
<b>ORDER 3:—</b>									
<i>Suicide,—</i>									
Shot .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Poison .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
<b>CLASS VIII.—ILL-DEFINED AND NOT-SPECIFIED CAUSES.</b>									
Marasmus .. .. .	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
Totals .. .. .	10	22	10	35	9	13	4	22	125

The following remarks apply only to the four principal boroughs: The births in November were 223, against 233 in October, a decrease of 10. The deaths amounted to 125, against 94 in October. There were 15 deaths of persons of 65 years and upwards: 5 males of 78, 69 (2), 68, and 66, and 4 females of 89, 80, 77, and 75, died at Auckland; 1 male of 81, and 1 female of 82, at Wellington; 1 male of 75, and 1 female of 74, at Christchurch; 1 male of 70, and 1 female of 74, at Dunedin.

*Specific Febrile or Zymotic Diseases.*—There was an increase in the mortality from this class of diseases from 12 in October to 25 in November, attributable to the number of deaths (13) from influenza, that disease not having caused any deaths in October. Of the deaths from influenza, 5 occurred in Christchurch, 5 in Dunedin, and 3 in Wellington. Typhoid fever caused 4 deaths in November, of which 3 occurred in Wellington and 1 in Dunedin.

*Constitutional Diseases.*—Cancer again caused the comparatively large number of 8 deaths, the same as in October. Phthisis caused 14 deaths in November, against 6 in October.

*Local Diseases.*—There was an increase from 6 to 10 in the number of deaths from diseases of the nervous system, of which the most fatal was apoplexy, with 3 deaths. Diseases of the circulatory system (heart disease, &c.) caused 14 deaths in the past month, against 8 in October; but there was a decrease in the number of deaths from diseases of the respiratory system from 20 in October to 14 in November. Diseases of the digestive system were, however, more fatal.

*Violent Deaths.*—6 deaths occurred from accidents, of which 2 were drowning and 1 was of a child from eating wax-matches, and 2 persons committed suicide.

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

TOWNS.	SIX PRINCIPAL SPECIFIC FEBRILE OR ZYMOTIC DISEASES.												PRINCIPAL LUNG DISEASES.							
	Measles.		Scarlet Fever.		Typhoid and other Fevers.		Diphtheria.		Whooping-cough.		Diarrheal Diseases.		Bronchitis.		Pleurisy.		Pneumonia.		Congestion of Lungs.	
	Nov.	Oct.	Nov.	Oct.	Nov.	Oct.	Nov.	Oct.	Nov.	Oct.	Nov.	Oct.	Nov.	Oct.	Nov.	Oct.	Nov.	Oct.	Nov.	Oct.
Auckland .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	5	..	2	2	..	..	2	3	..	..
Wellington .. ..	..	..	..	..	3	1	1	..	2	4	..	1	3	1	1	1	2	4	..	1
Christchurch .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	1	..	1
Dunedin .. ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals .. ..	..	..	..	..	4	2	1	..	2	6	5	2	8	6	1	1	5	8	..	2

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 9th December, 1891.

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

PROVISIONAL METEOROLOGICAL RETURN FOR NOVEMBER, 1891.

	AUCKLAND.	WELLINGTON.	LINCOLN, CANTERBURY.	DUNEDIN.
Mean Temperature in shade for month ..	61.2	57.0	56.9	54.3
Average same month previous years ...	60.5	56.5	55.9	52.6
Maximum Temperature in shade, and date	76.0 on 28th and 29th	70.0 on 28th	83.2 on 23rd	77.0 on 28th
Minimum Temperature in shade, and date	45.0 on 12th and 16th	39.8 on 13th	36.6 on 16th	38.0 on 15th
Maximum Solar Radiation, and date ..	142.0 on 29th	135.0 on 10th	151.2 on 23rd	135.0 on 4th
Minimum Terrestrial Radiation, and date	38.0 on 8th and 16th	29.0 on 13th	32.6 on 16th	33.0 on 16th
Mean Degree Humidity (Saturation = 100)	74	81	71	70
Average same month previous years ...	72	71	74	73
Total Rainfall in inches ..	1.450	2.498	1.553	4.388
Average same month previous years ...	2.757	4.166	2.186	2.732
Number of Days of Rain ..	9	19	11	14
Average same month previous years ...	14	10	8	12

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

Meteorological Office, Wellington, December, 1891.

JAMES HECTOR,  
Director.

**Land Transfer Act Notices.**

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

Section 131, Town of Port Chalmers.—JAMES RITCHIE WILLIAMS, Applicant. Occupied by George Thomas Sansom. No. 3975.

Allotments 10, 11, 15, 16, 17, 18, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 30, 31, 32, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, and part of 33, Township of Evansdale, and part of Section 3 of 37, Block II., North Harbour and Blueskin District, also Allotments 42, 43, 44, 45, extension of the Township of Evansdale.—DAVID ROBERTSON, Applicant. Occupied by Applicant. No. 3976.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 8th day of December, 1891, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

H. TURTON,  
District Land Registrar.  
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NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1885," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 22nd day of January, 1892.

1214. ADA MIDDLEMISS.—15 perches, part of Section 425, City of Nelson, fronting 47 links on Alton Street, and extending back to Section 423, the south-western corner being 92 links from the south-western corner of Section 425. Occupied by W. B. Hayes.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 14th day of December, 1891, at the Lands Registry Office, Nelson.

LOWTHER BROAD,  
District Land Registrar.  
735

APPLICATION having been made to register a certain dealing affecting the land comprised in certificate of title, Vol. lvii., folio 233, whereof WILLIAM CRAZE and HENRY TRICKETT are the registered Proprietors, and a statutory declaration of the loss of the said certificate of title having been lodged with me, and an application of title being made for the issue of a provisional certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I shall register such dealing and issue the provisional certificate as requested at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the Gazette containing this notice.

Dated this 12th day of December, 1891, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

J. M. BATHAM,  
District Land Registrar.  
736

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1885," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 18th day of January, 1892.

ELLEN McELROY.—Allotment 1, Parish of Kaurawhero, containing 95 acres. In Applicant's occupation. 2945.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 14th day of December, 1891, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

THEO. KISSLING,  
District Land Registrar.  
737

**Mining Notices.**

**IN THE MATTER OF THE RESCUE GOLD-DREDGING COMPANY (LIMITED).**

AT an extraordinary general meeting of the members of the above-named company, duly convened and held at the registered office of the company in Princes Street, Dunedin, on the 3rd day of November, 1891, the following special resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting of the members of the said company, also duly convened, the following resolution was confirmed:—

"That the company be wound up voluntarily, under the provisions of 'The Companies Act, 1882.'" And at such last-mentioned meeting John Alwent Chapman was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of the winding-up.

Dated at Dunedin, this 9th day of December, 1891.

MAURICE JOEL,  
Chairman.  
Witness to signature—Arch. Macallister, Bookkeeper,  
Princes Street, Dunedin. 734

**THE UPPER SHOTOVER GOLD-DREDGING COMPANY (LIMITED).**

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary meeting of the Upper Shotover Gold-dredging Company (Limited), held on the 12th November, 1891, the following resolutions were passed, the same being confirmed at a subsequent meeting held on the 2nd December, 1891:—

1. "That the company be wound up voluntarily."
2. "That Mr. W. Vivian be appointed Liquidator."

W. VIVIAN,  
Liquidator.  
A.M.P. Buildings, Princes Street,  
Dunedin, 15th December, 1891. 738

**GREAT MERCURY PROPRIETARY GOLD-MINING COMPANY (NO LIABILITY).**

NOTICE is hereby given that the office of the above company, in the Colony of New Zealand, has been removed from College Road, Ponsonby, Auckland, to New Zealand Insurance Buildings, Auckland.

ALEXANDER DEWAR,  
Attorney.  
Auckland, 8th December, 1891. 732

**IN THE MATTER OF THE WAKATIPU DREDGING COMPANY (LIMITED).**

AT an extraordinary general meeting of the members of the above-named company, duly convened and held at the registered office of the company in Princes Street, Dunedin, on the 12th day of November, 1891, the following special resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting of the members of the said company, also duly convened, the following resolution was confirmed:—

"That the company be wound up voluntarily, under the provisions of 'The Companies Act, 1882.'" And at such last-mentioned meeting John Alwent Chapman, of Dunedin, was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of the winding-up.

Dated at Dunedin, this 9th day of December, 1891.

WILLIAM BROWN,  
Chairman.  
Witness to the above signature—Arch. Macallister, Book-keeper, Princes Street, Dunedin. 733

**In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1882," and in the matter of the Teremakau Quartz-mining Company (Limited).**

NOTICE is hereby given that, at an extraordinary general meeting of the shareholders of the above-named Teremakau Quartz-mining Company (Limited), held in the rooms of the Corn Exchange, Cashel Street, Christchurch, on Monday, the 30th day of November, 1891, for the purpose of considering the question of a voluntary winding-up of the said company, the following resolutions were passed:—

(a.) "That it has been proved to the satisfaction of the company that it cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same voluntarily."

(b.) "That Alfred Bullock, of Christchurch, Gentleman, and Thomas Adolph Arrowsmith, of Christchurch, Accountant, be appointed the Liquidators of the same."

Dated this 5th day of December, 1891.

J. G. RUSSELL,  
Solicitor for the said company.  
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