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Village-settlement Land in Taranaki withdrawn.

(L.S.) JAMES PRENDERGAST,
Administrator of the Government.
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by the twentieth section of "The Land Act 1877 Amendment Act, 1879," and by the one hundred and sixty-sixth section of "The Land Act, 1885," the lands specified in the Schedule hereto were, with other lands, set apart for sale as a village settlement, by Proclamation dated the twenty-eighth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight: And whereas it is expedient that the sections enumerated in the Schedule hereto should be withdrawn from the village-settlement system:

Now, therefore, I, James Prendergast, the Administrator of the Government of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by section six of "The Land Act, 1885," and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in that behalf, do hereby revoke the said Proclamation of the twenty-eighth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, so far as it relates to the sections enumerated in the Schedule hereto, and do proclaim and declare that the said sections are hereby withdrawn from the village-settlement system.

SCHEDULE.
TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.
Tarata Village Settlement.

Section.	Area.
50	1 0 0
51	1 0 0
52	1 0 0

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir James Prendergast, Knight, Chief Justice, the Administrator of the Government of Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-sixth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land available for Selection by the Midland Railway Company set apart for Mining Purposes.

(L.S.) JAMES PRENDERGAST,
Administrator of the Government.
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS in the contract bearing date the third day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, made between Her Majesty the Queen and the New Zealand Midland Railway Company (Limited), it is, among other things, provided that, subject to the conditions therein contained, all lands within the limits of the authorised area defined in the said contract shall be available for selection by the company, with certain exceptions: And whereas among such exceptions are included all lands which from time to time, in the opinion of the Governor, are or may be required for *bonâ fide* mining purposes and the several purposes connected therewith or incidental or conducive thereto, and which lands shall from time to time be set apart and defined by Proclamation to be issued in that behalf; but no more than ten thousand acres shall be so set apart or proclaimed in one block at any one time, and the lands so set apart and proclaimed from time to time shall not, in the aggregate, exceed seven hundred and fifty thousand acres: And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, the lands described in the Schedule hereto are required for *bonâ fide* mining purposes and the several purposes connected therewith, and the said lands are comprised in one block, containing ten thousand acres: And whereas it is expedient the said land should be set apart and defined by this Proclamation:

Now, therefore, I, James Prendergast, the Administrator of the Government of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of all powers and authorities enabling me in this behalf under the hereinbefore-mentioned contract or otherwise, do hereby proclaim and declare that the block of land defined and described in the Schedule hereto is set apart under the provisions of the said contract for *bonâ fide* mining purposes and the several purposes connected therewith.

SCHEDULE.

BLOCK LXV.: All that area in the Land District of Nelson, situated in the Mawheraiti and Waitahu Survey Districts, containing 10,000 acres, more or less. Bounded by a straight line commencing at a point on the northern bank of Big River due north of the north-eastern corner of Section No. 5, Block VIII., Mawheraiti Survey District, and proceeding to Trig. Station J, Waitahu Survey District; thence along a line to the eastern corner of Section No. 10, Block XVI., Mawheraiti Survey District; thence along the north-eastern boundaries of that section, and Section No. 6, Block XVI.,

ERRATUM.—In the Schedule to the Proclamation setting apart an area of 7,500 acres for mining purposes within the boundaries of the lands available for selection by the New Zealand Midland Railway Company (Limited), published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 33, of the 21st April, 1892, page 623, in the ninth line, for "Block VII." read "Block VIII."

and Sections Nos. 7, 8, and 39, Block XV., to the road forming the south-eastern boundary of Sections Nos. 26 and 17, Block XV.; thence along the said road to the eastern corner of Section No. 17; thence along the north-eastern boundaries of Sections Nos. 17, 16, 15, 14, and 13, and the south-eastern boundaries of Section No. 37, Block XV., to the eastern corner of the last-mentioned section; thence along the north-eastern boundaries of Sections Nos. 37, Block XV., and Sections Nos. 27, 26, 25, 24, 23, 22, 21, and 20, Block XI.; thence along the north-western boundary of the last-mentioned section to the northern boundary of Section No. 9, Block XI.; thence along that boundary and the eastern boundary of Section No. 8 to the southern corner of Section No. 105; thence along the southern boundaries of Sections Nos. 105, 108, and 109, Block XI., and Sections Nos. 2 and 4, Block XII., to the southern bank of Snowy Creek, and along that creek to Section No. 6, Block XII., along the southern and eastern boundaries of the said section, along a line across Snowy Creek; thence along the northern bank of that creek to the north-eastern boundary of Section No. 7, Block XII.; thence along that boundary to the northern corner of that section; thence along a line to the north-eastern corner of Section No. 3, Block XII., and along the northern boundaries of Sections Nos. 3 and 1, Block XII., and Sections Nos. 16 and 107, Block XI., to the eastern boundary of Section No. 110, Block XI.; thence along the said boundary to the south-western corner of Section No. 6, Block XI.; thence along the southern and eastern boundaries of Section No. 6 and the southern boundary of Section No. 10, Block VIII., to the south-east corner of that section; thence along a line to the south-western corner of Section No. 4, Block VIII.; thence along the southern boundary of that section to the south-eastern corner of the same; thence along a line due north to the River Blackwater, and along a line across same to the south-western corner of Section No. 5, Block VIII.; thence along the southern and eastern boundaries of that section to Big River; thence along a line across the same to a point due north of the north-eastern corner of Section No. 5 aforesaid, being the place of commencement: excepting from the above-described area all freehold land, leasehold land, and reserves.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir James Prendergast, Knight, Chief Justice, the Administrator of the Government of Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this first day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two.

R. J. SEDDON,
Minister of Mines.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Regulation for the Election of Graduates' Members,
Auckland University College Council.*

JAMES PRENDERGAST,
Administrator of the Government.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-sixth day of May, 1892.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT
IN COUNCIL.

IN exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by "The Auckland University College Act, 1882," the Administrator of the Government of the Colony of New Zealand, acting with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby make the regulation set forth hereunder for the conduct of the election of graduates' members of the Auckland University College Council.

REGULATION.

10. In the event of equal numbers of votes being given for two or more candidates, the Returning Officer shall have a casting vote.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council

"The Education Act, 1877."—Class-books for Public Schools.

JAMES PRENDERGAST,
Administrator of the Government.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-sixth day of May, 1892.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT
IN COUNCIL.

IN exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by "The Education Act, 1877," the Administrator of the Government, with the advice and con-

sent of the Executive Council of the colony, doth hereby revoke all regulations heretofore made under the authority of the said Act prescribing class-books for public schools, and in lieu thereof doth make the regulation hereto annexed; and with the like advice and consent doth prescribe that this order shall take effect from the first day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two.

REGULATION.

1. SUBJECT to such restrictions as the Education Board of any district may impose, any books described in the following list may be used in any public school:—

Reading.—Nelson's "Royal" and "Star" Readers and "Sequels"; Chambers's English Readers; Longman's New Readers; "Southern Cross" Readers; Richardson's Temperance Lesson Book.

Writing.—Vere Foster's, "Southern Cross," and New Zealand Public School Copy Books.

Arithmetic.—Colenso's Shilling Arithmetic; Nelson's Royal Series; Barnard Smith's Shilling Arithmetic; Goyen's Complete Arithmetic for Standard III., Problems for Standard III., and Exercises in Compound Rules; "Southern Cross" Arithmetics (Whitcombe and Tombs), Longman's Junior School Arithmetic.

Grammar and Composition.—Allen and Cornwell's Grammar for Beginners; Mason's Grammars; Douglas's Initiatory Grammar, and Principles of English Grammar; Trotter's English Grammar (Collins); Hall's Primary Grammar; Chambers's Introduction to Composition; Park's Composition (Coull and Culling, Dunedin).

Geography.—Nelson's and Longman's Geographical Readers; Petrie's First Geography, and New Zealand Geography (Wise, Dunedin); The Zealandia Geography, Part I. (Horsburgh, Dunedin); Bowden's First New Zealand Geography; Hill's Geography for Standards II., III., IV. (Whitcombe and Tombs); Proctor's Elementary Physical Geography (1s. 6d., Longman).

History.—Gardiner's Outline of English History; Blackwood's Short Stories; Nelson's Royal Story Book; The Shilling History of England (introductory to Epochs); Edith Thomson's History of England; Longman's Historical Readers; Collier's History of the British Empire; Miss Bourke's Little History of New Zealand (Robertson, Melbourne).

Science and Domestic Economy.—Berner's First Lessons on Health; Buckton's Health in the House; Johnston's Catechism of Agricultural Chemistry; Tanner's First Principles of Agriculture (Macmillan); Blackie's Principles of Agriculture; The Science Primers (Macmillan).

Drawing.—The Colonial Drawing Books issued by the authority of the Minister of Education; The New Zealand Drawing Books (Horsburgh, Dunedin).

Singing.—Curwen's Standard Course, and Blackbird, and his other Tonic Sol-fa publications.

2. The Minister may, on the application of the Board of any district, grant authority for the use in such district of any book not contained in the foregoing list.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Constituting Districts under "The Factories Act, 1891."

JAMES PRENDERGAST,
Administrator of the Government.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-sixth day of May, 1892.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Factories Act, 1891" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time divide New Zealand, or any portion thereof, into such districts as he shall think fit, and notice of the constitution of every such district shall be given in the *Gazette* as occasion requires:

Now, therefore, I, James Prendergast, the Administrator of the Government, of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by the said Act, do hereby divide the portions of the said colony enumerated in the Schedule hereto into districts for the purposes of the said Act, the descriptions and boundaries whereof shall be those set forth in the Schedule hereto; and I do hereby declare that for the purposes of the said Act each of such districts shall be known by the name set over the description of each such district respectively.

SCHEDULE.

WAITARA FACTORY DISTRICT.

BOUNDED towards the north-west and north by the sea; towards the east by Turangi Road, North Road, and Allen Road; towards the south generally by Tikorangi, Ngatimaru, and Bertrand Roads to the Waitara River, by a due west line across that river, by Huirangi Township and Te Arai Road to

the northern boundary-line of Section No. 69, Huirangi District, and by that district, Tarururangi and Bell Districts, and by the railway-line to Smart's Road; and towards the south-west by Fitzroy District.

PAHIATUA FACTORY DISTRICT.

Commencing at a point where the northern boundary of the Wellington Provincial District crosses the summit of the Puketoi Range. Bounded towards the north-east by Wai-pawa County to Oroua County; thence towards the north-west by Oroua County to the easternmost corner of Horowhenua County on the Tararua Range at Arawaru Mountain; thence towards the south-west and south generally by a straight line to the northernmost corner of Section No. 20, Block XIV., Mangahao Survey District, by that section, and Sections Nos. 20A and 25 of Block II., and Section No. 6 of Block III. to Section No. 7 of Block III., Mangaone Survey District, and by the last-mentioned section to Mount Heale Trig. Station; thence by Sections Nos. 7, 8, and part of Section No. 9 in the same block to Section No. 29, Block III., Mangaone Survey District; thence by the last-mentioned section to its north-west corner; thence by Sections Nos. 29 and 31, Block III., and Section No. 31A, Block IV., Mangaone Survey District, and across a public road to the Mangaone Stream; thence by that stream to the southern boundary of Section No. 16; thence by Section No. 12 and the road forming the northern boundary of Sections Nos. 12 and 15 to a point in line with the northern boundary of Section No. 175, Block VI.; thence by a line to and by that section and Section No. 61 to its north-eastern corner, and by a straight line in a north-easterly direction to Trig. Station, Puketoi; and thence by the summit of the Puketoi Range to the point of commencement.

BLUFF FACTORY DISTRICT.

Bounded towards the north by the ocean and New River Estuary; towards the east by Blocks VI., III., and XII., Campbelltown Hundred; towards the south-east, east, and north-east by Bluff Harbour; and again towards the south-east and towards the south-west by the ocean.

WINTON FACTORY DISTRICT.

Bounded towards the west generally by the Oreti River; towards the north-east by the East Dipton Township and Section No. 576, Hokonui Survey District, by a road-line bounding Sections Nos. 575 and 572, by Sections Nos. 577 and 334, the south-eastern boundary of Section No. 657, by Sections Nos. 656 and 428, all of the said district, to the Otapi Stream; towards the east by that stream; towards the north by Hokonui Survey District; again towards the east by a forest preservation reserve, by Sections Nos. 169 and 221, Forest Hill Hundred, by the north-eastern boundary-lines of Sections Nos. 53 and 142 to the easternmost corner of last-mentioned section, by a right line to the north-eastern corner of Section No. 68, and by the eastern boundary-line of that section to a road-line; towards the south by that road-line bounding Sections Nos. 186, 185, and 184, and by Section No. 184 to the Makarewa River, by that river, across a road, and by Sections Nos. 262 and 289, and the northern boundary-line of the last-named section produced to New River Hundred, and by New River Hundred to the Oreti River.

EDENDALE FACTORY DISTRICT.

Bounded towards the north by Lyndhurst and Lothian Survey Districts; towards the east generally by the Mataura River; towards the south by a road-line bounding Sections Nos. 53, 54, 55, 33, 32, 31, 30, 29, 20, 18, and 17, Block I, Mataura Hundred, and by the Oteramika Stream; and towards the north-east by Lothian Survey District.

WYNDHAM FACTORY DISTRICT.

Bounded towards the west by the Mataura River; towards the north-west by Mararua Stream to its source; towards the north-east by the summit of the range and a leading spur to the confluence of the Waiarikihi Stream and Mimi-hau Stream; again towards the north-east and north-west by a leading spur and the summit of Slopedown Range; again towards the north-east and towards the south-east and south-west by the summit of the watershed of the Mokouta River, passing over Kuriwao Hill, and by the leading spur to the Mataura River.

RIVERTON FACTORY DISTRICT.

Bounded towards the north-east by the Waiau River; towards the north by Waiau Survey District; towards the east by Aparima and Jacob's River Hundreds; again towards the north by Block XX., a road-line south of Block XIII. and north-east of Blocks V. and IV., by Section No. 25, Block IX., across a road, and by north-west boundary of Section No. 31 to Aparima River; towards the south-east by that river to a point opposite the north-eastern corner of Section No. 59, Block VI.; towards the north-east by a line to that corner, and by Sections Nos. 54 and 50, across a road, Section No. 1, Block VII., across a road, Sections Nos. 1A, 2, and 7, Block XIII., Jacob's River Hundred, and Riverton Harbour Endowment to the ocean; and generally towards the south and south-west by the ocean.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Land in Canterbury brought under the Village-homestead Regulations.

JAMES PRENDERGAST,
Administrator of the Government.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-sixth day of May, 1892.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the one hundred and sixty-third section of "The Land Act, 1885," it is enacted that the Governor in Council may from time to time make, alter, and repeal regulations for fixing the terms and conditions upon which the lands in any special settlement shall be disposed of, and the mode of payment for the same:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Administrator of the Government of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the hereinbefore in part recited Act, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby make the following regulation fixing the terms and conditions on which the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto shall be disposed of, and the mode of payment for the same, that is to say:—

REGULATION.

The said sections of land enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall be leased and disposed of in accordance with the provisions of the Village-homestead Regulations, made by Order in Council issued under the said Act on the 27th February, 1891, all the terms and conditions of which said regulations shall and may be applied to such land accordingly.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Total Upset Price.
<i>Geraldine County.—Orari Township.</i>			
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
5	IV.	0 1 0	7 10 0
6	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
7	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
8	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
9	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
14	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
15	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
16	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
17	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
18	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
19	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
20	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
21	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
<i>Geraldine County.—Geraldine Township.</i>			
180	V.	0 0 26	4 17 6
220	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
221	"	0 1 16	10 10 0
230	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
231	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
232	"	0 0 25	4 13 9
233	"	0 1 10	9 7 6
<i>Geraldine County.—Arowhenua Township.</i>			
82	II.	0 1 0	7 10 0
449	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
492	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
494	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
496	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
497	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
498	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
499	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
501	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
503	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
504	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
506	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
508	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
<i>Waimate County.—Glenavy Township.</i>			
47	XIV.	0 1 0	7 10 0
48	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
49	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
56	"	0 0 36	6 15 0
57	"	0 0 39	7 6 3
58	"	0 1 10	9 7 6

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Terms of Sale of Reserve 288, North Rakaia, Canterbury.

JAMES PRENDERGAST,
Administrator of the Government.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-sixth day of May, 1892.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Public Reserves Sale Act, 1878," it is, among other things, enacted that the lands described in the First Schedule thereof may at any time be sold by the Governor upon such terms as shall be regulated by Order in Council; and also that all lands to be sold upon deferred payment shall be submitted in the first instance to public auction:

And whereas it is expedient that the lands described in the Schedule hereto, being reserves subject to the provisions of the said Act, and none of which are town lands, should be sold on deferred payments, on the terms hereinafter set forth:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Administrator of the Government of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, and in exercise of the powers and authorities aforesaid, doth hereby order and direct that the several parcels of land mentioned in the Schedule hereto shall be sold upon the terms and conditions following, viz.:

1. The said several parcels of land shall be submitted for sale in the first instance by public auction, at Christchurch, at the upset prices stated in the Schedule hereto; and it shall be a condition of such sale that one half-year's license-fee and £1 is. for the license shall be paid by the purchaser on the fall of the hammer.

2. One month's notice of the time and place of the said sale shall be given by the Commissioner of Crown Lands for the Canterbury Land District by advertisement in one or more public newspapers circulating in the district where the land is situated.

3. The upset prices per acre of the said parcels of land shall be those set forth respectively in the third column of the Schedule hereto, and all such lands shall be sold and disposed of upon deferred payments, and under and subject to the provisions of sections 108, 109, 113, 114, 115, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 130, and 131 of "The Land Act, 1885;" all of which shall be deemed to apply to sales under this Order in Council.

4. Any lands not sold by auction on the day of sale shall be open for application thereafter at the upset price, but subject to these terms and conditions as far as applicable.

5. No person may hold more than one section of the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto, and no owner or occupier of any land shall be entitled to bid at the auction or to apply for any of the land offered in any case where such owner or occupier holds more than fifty acres of land in New Zealand over and above the area of any land sold or offered for sale under this Order in Council, and of which such owner or occupier could lawfully become or be the purchaser.

6. The term of license shall in each case be for a period of ten years, from the first day of July, 1892, or the first day of January or July next ensuing after the sale thereof.

7. In all respects not hereinbefore expressly provided for the provisions of "The Land Act, 1885," and its amendments, shall, so far as applicable, be deemed to apply to sales and purchases of land under this Order in Council.

SCHEDULE.

RESERVE 288, NORTH RAKAIA.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.	Total Upset Price.		Upset Half-yearly License-fee or Instalment.
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
1	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
2	40 3 2	5 0 0	203 16 3	10 3 9	
3	40 2 39	5 0 0	203 14 4	10 3 8	
4	40 2 26	4 16 11	197 1 0	9 17 0	
5	12 0 0	1 5 0	15 0 0	0 15 0	
6	124 0 0	1 5 0	155 0 0	7 15 0	
7	59 3 37	4 7 6	262 8 4	13 2 5	
8	59 2 28	5 0 0	298 7 6	14 18 4	
9	29 3 23	1 17 6	56 1 0	2 16 0	
10	69 3 4	2 10 0	174 8 9	8 16 5	
11	22 0 0	1 17 6	41 5 0	2 1 3	
12	117 0 23	1 17 6	219 12 11	10 19 7	
13	80 0 0	3 15 0	300 0 0	15 0 0	
14	59 2 36	3 15 0	223 19 5	11 3 11	

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Extension of Time for Preparation of County Rolls, Ashburton.

JAMES PRENDERGAST,
Administrator of the Government.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this thirtieth day of May, 1892.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it has been made to appear that, owing to unavoidable circumstances, the preparation of the rolls for the County of Ashburton, and the taking of certain steps consequent on such preparation, cannot be made and taken within the times limited by "The Counties Act, 1886," and it is expedient to extend the said times respectively:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Administrator of the Government of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers conferred upon him by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby order and declare that the several dates mentioned in the Schedule hereto shall be the respective dates for taking the several steps set out in the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

1. For preparing the rolls for ridings within the County of Ashburton: Until the 16th May, 1892.
2. Time for which such rolls shall be open for inspection: From the 17th May, 1892, to the 15th June, 1892.
3. Time for appeals against the said rolls: Until the 15th June, 1892.
4. Revision Courts may sit for hearing applications with reference to the said rolls, and adjourn: Until the 20th June, 1892.
5. Time when the said rolls, having been duly corrected and signed, shall come into force: On the 1st July, 1892.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

"The Education Act, 1877."—Teachers' Certificates.

JAMES PRENDERGAST,
Administrator of the Government.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this thirtieth day of May, 1892.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT
IN COUNCIL.

IN exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by "The Education Act, 1877," the Administrator of the Government, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the colony, doth hereby amend the regulation relating to teachers' certificates made by Order in Council dated the fifth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, by cancelling the tenth section of the said regulation, and substituting for it the words of the Schedule hereto; and, with the like advice and consent, doth prescribe that this order shall come into force on the date hereof.

SCHEDULE.

10. A CANDIDATE who has served four years as a pupil-teacher, or has been a student in a teachers' training-college for one year, may be examined without regard to age; but, with this exception, every candidate for examination must give evidence of having reached the age of eighteen years, and, with the same exception, every candidate relying on an equivalent examination must give evidence of having reached the age of eighteen years before the time of such examination.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Removal of Restrictions on Alienation of Native Land.

JAMES PRENDERGAST,
Administrator of the Government.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this thirtieth day of May, 1892.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS application has been made to the Governor in Council by Tini Tehanakore, Ruha Mahutonga

(by her Trustee, Matene Tauwhare), and Wirihana Pitama, the Native owners of the land described in the second column of the Schedule hereto, praying that the restrictions on the alienation of such land contained in the Crown grant, bearing date the eleventh day of March, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, described in the first column of the said Schedule, may be removed: And whereas inquiry has been duly made by the Native Land Court, and the said Court has reported that the provisions of the law in that behalf have been complied with: And whereas it appears expedient to grant such application:

Now, therefore, His Excellency Sir James Prendergast, the Administrator of the Government of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on him by "The Native Land Act, 1888," and acting with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby order and declare that all restrictions imposed by the said Crown grant on the alienation of the said land are hereby removed.

SCHEDULE.

FIRST COLUMN.	SECOND COLUMN.
Particulars of Grant or Instrument containing Restrictions.	Description of Lands.
Crown grant 3110, C.L. 19, W. 3262, Land Transfer, Vol. iii., folio 119, dated the 11th March, 1874, in favour of Teera te Ahihurahura, and indorsed, "Inalienable to any person other than Her Majesty, her heirs and successors, provided always that the said land hereby granted shall be inalienable by sale, or by lease for a longer period than twenty-one years, or by mortgage, except with the consent of the Governor being previously obtained to every such sale, lease, or mortgage."	All that parcel of land in the District of Wellington, containing 18 acres 1 rood 3 perches, and known as Te Momi, Subsection 12 of Section 20, Hutt.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Minister of Labour appointed.

Private Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 31st May, 1892.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to appoint

The Hon. WILLIAM PEMBER REEVES
to be Minister of Labour.

C. PRENDERGAST KNIGHT,
Private Secretary.

Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 30th May, 1892.

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

Name.	District.
ANDREW DUNCAN THOMSON	Wanganui.
FREDERICK JOHN DAKIN ELMER	Grey.

R. J. SEDDON,
In the absence of the Colonial Secretary.

Registrars of Electors for City of Wellington, Wanganui, Waitotara, Masterton, and Grey Districts.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 30th May, 1892.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM THOMAS WYATT

to be a Registrar of Electors, under "The Registration of Electors Act, 1879," for the Electoral District of the City of Wellington, vice W. P. James; also to appoint

ANDREW DUNCAN THOMSON

to be a Registrar of Electors, under the said Act, for the Electoral Districts of Wanganui and Waitotara, vice G. W. Woon; also to appoint

FREDERICK HENRY IBBETSON
to be a Registrar of Electors, under the said Act, for the Electoral District of Masterton, vice J. J. Freeth; and also to appoint

FREDERICK JOHN DAKIN ELMER

to be a Registrar of Electors, under the said Act, for the Electoral District of Grey, vice F. H. Ibbetson. These appointments to date from the 1st June, 1892.

R. J. SEDDON,
In the absence of the Colonial Secretary.

Clerk of Courts appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 30th May, 1892.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to appoint

FREDERICK JOHN DAKIN ELMER

to be Clerk of the District, Resident Magistrate's, and Warden's Courts at Greymouth, and Receiver of Gold Revenue and Mining Registrar at the same place, from the 30th instant, vice F. H. Ibbetson, transferred.

W. P. REEVES.

Visiting Justice appointed.

Department of Justice (Prisons Branch),
Wellington, 31st May, 1892.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to appoint

CHARLES EDWARD WALTER WILLESTON, Esq., J.P.,
to be a Visiting Justice of Her Majesty's Prisons at Wellington.

W. P. REEVES.

Licensing Committee appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 1st June, 1892.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to appoint

CHARLES GALLAGHER,
CHRISTOPHER HUDDLESTON,
GEORGE NAYLOR,
JOHN SHANNON, and
JOHN SIMES

to be the Licensing Committee for the District of Matakanaui.
A. J. CADMAN.

Members of Licensing Committees appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 1st June, 1892.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to appoint

JOSEPH CARPENTER

to be a Member of the Licensing Committee for the District of Masterton, vice G. S. W. Dalrymple, resigned; and

WILLIAM RICHARD PARKHURST

to be a Member of the Licensing Committee for the Districts of Riverton North and Riverton South, vice J. R. Mills, resigned.

A. J. CADMAN.

Clerk of Licensing Committee appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 1st June, 1892.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to appoint

FREDERICK WILLIAM LAHMANN

to be Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Greymouth, vice F. H. Ibbetson, transferred.

A. J. CADMAN.

Justices of the Peace appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 1st June, 1892.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to appoint

THOMAS WILLIAM FISHER, Esq., of Waitotara,
JOHN HENRY HANNAN, Esq., of Auckland,
RICHARD HUDSON, Esq., of Dunedin,

JOHN WILLIAM JONES, Esq., of Ahaura,
WILLIAM HENRY MACEY, Esq., of Blenheim,
JOHN ROBERT McMILLAN, Esq., of Foxton, and
JOHN YOUNG, Esq., of Wellington,
to be Justices of the Peace for the colony.

A. J. CADMAN.

Deputy Assignee appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 27th May, 1892.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government
has been pleased to appoint

CHARLES EDWARD HARDEN

to be Deputy Official Assignee at Westport, from this date,
vice George Hodgson, deceased.

W. P. REEVES.

Clerk of District Court appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 1st June, 1892.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government
has been pleased to appoint

BENJAMIN HARPER

to be Clerk of the District Court at Naseby.

A. J. CADMAN.

Inspector of Stock appointed.—Notice No. 350.

Head Office, Live-stock Department,
Wellington, 26th May, 1892.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government
has been pleased to appoint

J. C. MILLER

to be an Inspector of Stock, under "The Sheep Act, 1890,"
from the 1st June, 1892.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Native Assessors appointed.

Native Office,
Wellington, 30th May, 1892.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government
has been pleased to appoint

PANGUPANGU TE RINGA and
PAINA TE POKI,

of Chatham Islands, to be Assessors for the purposes of
"The Resident Magistrates Act, 1867," "The Native Circuit
Courts Act, 1858," and "The Native Circuit Courts Act
Amendment Act, 1862," within the Resident Magistrate's
District of Chatham Islands.

A. J. CADMAN.

*Result of Poll for Proposed Loan, Eketahuna Road Board,
County of Wairarapa North.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 31st May, 1892.

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

R. J. SEDDON,

In the absence of the Colonial Secretary.

RESULT OF POLL.

THE following is the result of a poll, taken at the Road
Board Office, Eketahuna, upon a proposal to raise a loan of
£50, for formation on Makakahi Road North:—

Number of ratepayers on special roll, 5; number of
pollable votes, 5; number of ratepayers who voted for the
proposal 3, exercising 3 votes; number of ratepayers who
voted against the proposal, 0.

As the number of ratepayers who voted, and the number
of votes recorded, in favour of the proposal are in each case
a majority of the total numbers on the roll, I therefore
declare the proposal carried.

THOMAS PARSONS,
Chairman.

*Special Order made by the Masterton Road Board, County
of Wairarapa North.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 1st June, 1892.

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

R. J. SEDDON,
In the absence of the Colonial Secretary.

SPECIAL ORDER made by the Board of the Masterton Road
District, striking a Special Rate under "The Local Bodies'
Loans Act, 1886."

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it for that
purpose, the Board of the Masterton Road District resolves
as follows:—

That, for the purpose of meeting interest and annual
charges on a loan of £800, raised under "The Local Bodies'
Loans Act, 1886," for road formation, metalling, and bridge-
building on the Te Mara Kiriwhakapapa Roads, a special
rate of 3½d. in the pound be made on the rateable value for
the time being of the following rateable properties, that is to
say: Sections Nos. 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, Block VII.,
Sections Nos. 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, Block VIII., all in the
Mikimiki Survey District; and that portion of Section No.
56 in the said blocks lying to the northward of a line parallel
with and distant 190.50 links from the northern boundary of
the last-mentioned section, and containing approximately
315 acres.

That the said rate shall be an annually-recurring rate for
a period of twenty-six years, payable half-yearly, at the office
of this Board, in two equal instalments, on the 1st day of
February and the 1st day of August in each and every year,
commencing on the 1st day of February, 1893.

Passed at a meeting of the Board, this 28th day of May,
1892.

The common seal of the inhabitants of the Masterton
Road District was affixed hereto in the presence of—

WILLIAM H. BRETHAM,
Chairman.

I certify that the above special order has been duly made.
F. G. MOORE,
Clerk.

Authority to frank.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 30th May, 1892.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government
has been pleased to authorise

The ASSISTANT ENGINEER, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,
BLENHEIM,

to frank letters, telegrams, and parcels on the public service.

J. G. WARD,
Postmaster-General.

*Regulations (Amended) for Admission of Patients to the
Rotorua Sanatorium.*

Lunacy and Charitable Department,
Wellington, 1st June, 1892.

THE following regulations for the admission of patients
to the Rotorua Sanatorium are published for general
information.

W. P. REEVES.

REGULATIONS.

1. APPLICATIONS for admission of persons shall be addressed
to the Resident Medical Officer of the Sanatorium, Rotorua.

2. No person shall be admitted (unless in accordance with
Regulations 5, 6, and 7) except on the recommendation of the
Hospital or Charitable Aid Board of the district to which he
belongs, or of the Trustees of the benevolent society or hos-
pital (if separate institutions) of the town in which he lives.

3. The charge for maintenance and treatment is 21s. a
week.

4. The Board or Trustees, in making such recommenda-
tion, shall guarantee the cost of such patient, shall send him
or her at their own charge to Rotorua, be responsible for his
or her return-passage, and provide a sufficient supply of
clothing. They shall also furnish a report on the case by a
duly-qualified medical practitioner, in order that it may be
seen whether the case is one that is likely to profit by treat-
ment at the Sanatorium.

5. Members of any duly-registered friendly society may be
admitted, on the recommendation of the lodge to which they
belong, on the same terms as patients recommended by a
Hospital or Charitable Aid Board, and Regulations 3 and 4
shall be read as applying to them in all respects: Provided
that not more than three of such persons shall be resident at
the Sanatorium at any one time, and that all the hospital
beds are not required by patients admitted under Regula-
tion 2.

6. When all the beds are not occupied by patients ad-
mitted under Regulations 2 and 5, the Resident Medical
Officer may, at his discretion, admit persons, being *bona fide*
hospital cases, and who have undertaken to pay 30s. a week
for maintenance and treatment.

7. When all the beds are not occupied by patients ad-
mitted under Regulations 2, 5, and 6, persons may be
admitted on the following conditions:—

- (1.) That the Resident Medical Officer has certified that each such person is likely to be benefited by treatment at the Sanatorium.
- (2.) That the expenses to and from Rotorua are provided by each such person, together with a sufficient supply of clothing.
- (3.) That not more than four such persons shall be resident at the Sanatorium at one time.

8. The stay of each patient is limited to three months, but the Resident Medical Officer can, at his discretion, extend the period to six months.

Notice to Mariners, No. 16 of 1892.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 27th May, 1892

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

R. J. SEDDON,
Minister having charge of the Marine Department.

MORETON BAY.—ALTERATION AT EAST BANK, NORTH CHANNEL.

NOTICE is hereby given that a narrow sandspit has grown from the East Bank into the channel, extending 150ft. to the westward of the line of Cowan and Tangaluma lights.

Masters of vessels are cautioned to keep the lights open to the westward a distance not less than the difference of their heights, at night; and to keep Comboyuro Lighthouse on with a small peak showing over the lowest part of the dip in the hills just to the eastward of the Round Hill at Cowan Point, by day; when passing the East Bank.

T. M. ALMOND,
Portmaster.

Department of Ports and Harbours,
Brisbane, 5th May, 1892.

Volunteer Corps disbanded.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 25th May, 1892.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to approve of the disbandment of the Featherston Rifle Volunteers, as from the 28th August, 1891.

The following gentlemen therefore cease to be officers in the New Zealand Volunteer Force, their commissions having lapsed under clause 51, Volunteer Regulations, 1889:—

ADAM DONALD, late Captain.
DAVID ARUNDEL SMITH, late Lieutenant.
WILLIAM BENTON, late Lieutenant.

R. J. SEDDON.

Volunteer Officer resigned.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 25th May, 1892.

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

Dunedin City Guards Rifle Volunteers.
Lieutenant Harry Townsend Fulton. Date of resignation, 29th March, 1892.

R. J. SEDDON.

Bonus for the Manufacture of Salt.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 24th February, 1892.

NOTICE is hereby given that a bonus of £1 per ton will be paid on the production of the first 500 tons of salt, exclusively either by evaporation of salt-water or from rock mined in the colony, on the following conditions, that is to say:—

1. The bonus must be claimed before the 31st March, 1893.
2. Not more than £250 will be paid for salt manufactured in the North Island, and not more than £250 for salt manufactured in the South Island.
3. The bonus will be payable in instalments of £50 as each lot of 50 tons of salt is manufactured, on the certificate of an officer appointed by the Minister of Mines that the salt is of good marketable quality.
4. In the event of more than one person manufacturing the stated quantity of salt in the North or South Islands respectively before the 31st March, 1893, inquiry will be made by the officer above referred to, when, if it is found that each applicant is equally entitled to a bonus in either the North Island or the South Island, the amount will be divided, but in no case shall more than £250 be paid for salt manufactured in the North Island and £250 for salt manufactured in the South Island.

5. The salt in respect of which any bonus is claimed and the material used in its manufacture will be examined by the officer aforesaid, who may require proof that the salt is of genuine New Zealand production, and that sales have been made at fair market prices.

R. J. SEDDON,
Minister of Mines.

Bonus for the Manufacture of Pig-iron from Ironsand or Iron-ore.

Mines Office,
Wellington, 24th February, 1892.

NOTICE is hereby given that a bonus of £1 per ton will be paid on the production of the first 500 tons of pig-iron of marketable quality manufactured in the colony after this date from magnetic or titaniferous ironsand or iron-ore, all material, fuel, and fluxes being the produce of New Zealand, on the following conditions, that is to say:—

1. The bonus must be claimed before the 31st March, 1893.
2. The bonus will be payable in instalments of £50 as each lot of 50 tons of iron is manufactured, on the certificate of an officer appointed by the Minister of Mines that the iron is of good marketable quality.
3. In the event of more than one person manufacturing the required quality of pig-iron before the date named, inquiry will be made by the officer above referred to, when, if it is found that each applicant is equally entitled to a bonus, the amount will be divided; but in no case shall the total amount of money paid by way of bonus exceed £500.
4. The iron in respect of which any bonus is claimed and the ironsand or ore from which it is manufactured will be examined by the officer aforesaid, who may require proof that not only the ore, but that the lime, coal, and any other material used in the manufacture, is of genuine New Zealand production, and that sales of pig-iron have been made at fair market prices.

R. J. SEDDON,
Minister of Mines.

Civil Service Senior Examination.

Education Department,
Wellington, 16th September, 1891.

IN pursuance of regulations under "The Civil Service Reform Act, 1886," notice is hereby given that for the Senior Examination of January, 1893, the period of literature will be the reign of Elizabeth, and the special books will be Shakespeare's Hamlet and Macaulay's Essays on Bacon and Walpole.

W. P. REEVES,
Minister of Education.

Alterations and Additions to the Scale of Fares and Charges in Force upon the New Zealand Railways.

THE New Zealand Railway Commissioners, in exercise and pursuance of the powers conferred by "The Government Railways Act, 1887," do hereby make the following alteration in and addition to the scale of fares, rates, and charges on the New Zealand railways, to come into force on and after the 6th day of June, 1892:—

PART IV.—LOCAL RATES.

WHANGAREI SECTION.

Ships' goods of Classes A, B, C, D, E, will be charged by weight or measurement, at the option of the department.

The common seal of the New Zealand Railway Commissioners was hereunto affixed, this twenty-fifth day of May, (L.S.) one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, in the presence of

JAMES MCKERROW, }
J. P. MAXWELL, } Railway
W. M. HANNAY, } Commissioners.

Tenders for Telegraph Arms.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 28th May, 1892.

TENDERS are invited for the supply and delivery at the Telegraph Stores, Wellington, of 5,000, 4,000, and 5,000 telegraph arms—14,000 in all.

The several specifications of the above can be seen at the Telegraph Office, Wellington, and at the Post-offices, Masterton, Eketahuna, Carterton, Palmerston North, Feilding, and Halcombe.

Tenders will be received for each kind, or the lot, not later than the 15th day of June, 1892; but in any case each kind must be tendered for separately.

By order of the Telegraph Commissioner.
C. LEMON,
Superintendent.

Ironbark Timber Supplies, 1892.

THE following list of successful tenders for the supply of ironbark timber for the New Zealand Government railways is published for general information. By order of the Commissioners.

Railway Department (Head Office), Wellington, 30th May, 1892.
E. G. PILCHER, Secretary.

Tenders.	Hewn Ironbark.										Round Piles.									
	Delivered at Auckland.	Delivered at Spit, Napier.	Delivered at Wellington for Wanga-nui.	Delivered at Wellington for West-port.	Delivered at Pictou.	Delivered at Grey-mouth.	Delivered at Lyttel-ton.	Delivered at Pt. Chalmers.	Delivered at Bluff.	Sawn Timber delivered at Port Chalmers.	Delivered at Auckland.	Delivered at Wellington for Wanga-nui.	Delivered at Pictou.	Delivered at Grey-mouth.	Delivered at Lyttel-ton.	Delivered at Pt. Chalmers.	Delivered at Bluff.			
	per 100ft. s. d.	per 100ft. s. d.	per 100ft. s. d.	per 100ft. s. d.	per 100ft. s. d.	per 100ft. s. d.	per 100ft. s. d.	per 100ft. s. d.	per 100ft. s. d.	per 100ft. s. d.	per lin. ft. s. d.	per lin. ft. s. d.	per lin. ft. s. d.	per lin. ft. s. d.	per lin. ft. s. d.	per lin. ft. s. d.	per lin. ft. s. d.			
National Mortgage and Agency Company	21 10	26 0	25 0	25 0	26 0	26 0	24 0	24 0	20 3	20 3	2 6	2 6	2 6	2 6	2 6	2 6	2 6			
John Reed and Co.	25 0	29 0	22 6	22 6	23 0	23 0	21 0	21 0	20 3	20 3	2 6	2 6	2 6	2 6	2 6	2 6	2 6			
D. Ross	21 6	29 0	23 6	23 6	23 0	23 0	21 0	21 0	20 3	20 3	2 6	2 6	2 6	2 6	2 6	2 6	2 6			
John A. S. Murray	25 4	26 6	23 11	23 11	26 6	25 6	21 8	22 6	20 3	20 3	2 4½	2 4½	2 4½	2 4½	2 4½	2 4½	2 4½			
James Fox	..	26 6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
James McLellan (informal)	..	26 6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

Te Makarini Scholarships, held at Te Aute College, Hawke's Bay.

THREE scholarships of the yearly value of £35, tenable for two years, are offered for competition. One of these scholarships, to be called the senior scholarship, is open to all Maoris under sixteen years of age at the end of the month preceding the date of the examination; the other two scholarships are junior scholarships, and are open to all Maoris under fifteen years of age at the end of the month preceding the date of the examination who have not been pupils at Te Aute or St. Stephen's, and whose attendance at school during the previous year is considered by the Inspector of Native Schools to have been satisfactory. The senior scholarship is offered for competition among Maori boys on the conditions laid down in the regulations of the Trustees of the Te Makarini Scholarships Fund, as printed in the Native Schools Code, 1886, and in the supplementary regulations that have been sent out to all teachers. Candidates for the junior scholarships will be examined in the subjects specified for Standard IV. in the Native Schools Code, 1886. The questions set will, however, be more difficult than those given at the standard examinations. The examination will be held at convenient centres on the 19th and 20th December, 1892.

Candidates must, either directly or through their teachers, send notice to the Inspector of Native Schools, Education Department, Wellington, of their intention to present themselves for examination. Such notice must be posted not later than the 31st October next.

Copies of the regulations and forms of notice may be obtained from teachers of Native schools and boarding institutions, the Secretaries to Education Boards, or the Secretary for Education.

JAMES H. POPE,
Inspector of Native Schools.

Wellington, 31st May, 1892.

Examination of Mine Managers and Engine-drivers.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 19th May, 1892.

AN examination of candidates for certificates as First- and Second-class Mine Managers and Engine-drivers under "The Mining Act, 1891," and "The Coal-mines Act, 1891," will be held on the 9th August, 1892, and three following days, at places to be hereafter named. All applications, with necessary certificates, and fee of £1, must be addressed to "The Secretary of the Board of Examiners under the Mining Act or Coal-mines Act, Wellington," and must be received before the 8th July, or they will not be dealt with until the February examination.

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

Government Life Insurance Department.—Agency opened at Hunterville.

Government Life Insurance Department,
Wellington, 27th May, 1892.

AN agency of the above department will be opened at The Post Office, HUNTERVILLE, as from the 1st June, 1892.

JOSEPHUS H. RICHARDSON,
Commissioner.

Crown Lands Notices.

Sale of Lease of Reserve at Patea.

District Land and Survey Office,
New Plymouth, 16th May, 1892.

IT is hereby notified that the lease of Section No. 32, Block VIII., Waimate Survey District, containing 28 acres, will be offered at public auction, at the Land Office, New Plymouth, on Wednesday, the 13th July, 1892, at 11 a.m.

The term of the lease will be for seven years, and the upset rental 10s. per acre per annum.

The land is situate on the Waingongoro River, about four miles from the Town of Hawera, and local bodies have the right to remove gravel from the section.

No compensation will be allowed for improvements at the end of the term.

Further particulars may be ascertained on application at this office.

SIDNEY WEETMAN,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lease of Reserves to be sold at Auction.

District Land and Survey Office,
Christchurch, 16th May, 1892.

IT is hereby notified, in terms of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," that the leases of the under-mentioned reserves will be offered for sale by public auction, at this office, on Tuesday, the 5th July, 1892, at 11 o'clock a.m. Three months' rent to the 1st October, 1892, must be paid on the fall of the hammer. The term of lease will in each case be for seven years, subject to the right of the Crown to terminate each lease by a year's notice if the land is required by the Government for any purpose:—

Reserve 61, situated at Adderley Head, Port Lyttelton; area, 323 acres; upset annual rental, £40 7s. 6d. Access to this reserve can only be obtained by water. The land occupied by the Lyttelton Harbour Board's pilot-station in Little Port Cooper, the site of the look-out house on the head, and right-of-way between the two are reserved from lease.

Cemetery Reserve, No. 62A, at Camp Bay, Port Lyttelton; area, 30 acres; upset annual rental, £3 15s. The lessee will be required to fence off the graves on the point within the reserve.

The lessees will have the right of occupying and using the lands for grazing purposes, but will be prohibited from cropping the same.

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

Temporary Grazing-lease, Canterbury Land District.

District Land and Survey Office,
Christchurch, 30th April, 1892.

IT is hereby notified, in terms of "The Land Act, 1885," that the under-mentioned section will be offered for lease by public auction, at the Land Office, Christchurch, on Wednesday, the 29th June, 1892, at 11 a.m.:—

ASHLEY COUNTY.—CHRISTCHURCH SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block.	Area.	Upset Rental.
III.	A. R. P. 25 0 0	£ s. d. 3 0 0

This section is situated at Coutts Island, about a quarter of a mile east of the post-office of that name.

The lease will be from year to year, subject to the right of the Crown to resume possession, on six months' notice, should the land be required by the Government for any purpose.

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

Town Lands to be sold for Cash, Canterbury Land District.

District Land and Survey Office,
Christchurch, 30th April, 1892.

IT is hereby notified, in terms of "The Land Act, 1885," that the under-mentioned sections will be offered for sale for cash, by public auction, at the Courthouse, South Rakaia, on Thursday, the 30th June, 1892:—

ASHBURTON COUNTY.—TOWN OF CHERTSEY.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
3	VIII.	A. R. P. 0 1 0	£ s. d. 7 10 0
4	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
6	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
8	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
10	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
12	"	0 0 37	6 18 0
13	"	0 1 4	8 5 0
93	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
95	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
97	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
99	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
101	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
103	"	0 1 0	7 10 0

GERALDINE COUNTY.—TOWNSHIP OF ORARI.

3	III.	0 1 0	7 10 0
4	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
5	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
6	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
7	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
8	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
9	"	0 1 0	7 10 0

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

Public Reserves for Lease, Canterbury Land District.

District Land and Survey Office,
Christchurch, 30th April, 1892.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned sections will be offered for lease by public auction, on the terms and conditions specified below, at the Courthouse, South Rakaia, on Thursday, the 30th June, 1892:—

ASHBURTON COUNTY.—SOUTH RAKAIA TOWNSHIP.

Section.	Reserve.	Block.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.
448	..	XIII.	A. R. P. 0 1 0	£ s. d. 0 10 0
484	..	"	0 1 0	0 10 0
485	..	"	0 1 0	0 10 0
583	..	"	0 0 32	0 10 0
713	..	"	0 1 0	0 7 6
714	..	"	0 1 0	0 10 0
723	..	"	0 0 34.2	0 10 0
..	1654	"	1 2 12	1 10 0
..	1655	"	0 1 12	0 10 0
..	1657	"	0 1 27	0 15 0
..	1660	"	0 2 0	1 10 0
..	1664	"	0 2 0	0 10 0

These reserves are situated in the Township of South Rakaia, and will be let on a yearly tenancy, renewable by the Land Board from year to year for a period of seven years, unless the land is required by Government for any purpose. The lessees will have the right of occupying and using the lands for grazing purposes, but will be prohibited from cropping the same.

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This reserve is situated in the bed of the Rakaia River, adjoining the properties of the New Zealand and Australian Land Company and Mr. P. H. Cannon, to the north-westward of Dobbin's Ford. The term of lease will be seven years, subject to the right of the Crown to terminate it by a year's notice if the land is required by Government for any purpose. The lessee will have the right of occupying and using the land for grazing purposes, but will be prohibited from cropping the same.

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

Land for Sale by Auction, Land District of Canterbury.

District Land and Survey Office,
Christchurch, 16th March, 1892.

IT is hereby notified, in terms of "The Land Act, 1885," that the under-mentioned section will be offered for sale by public auction, for cash, at this office, on Friday, the 17th June next, at 12 o'clock noon:—

ASHBURTON COUNTY.—WESTERFIELD SURVEY DISTRICT.

Reserve.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.	Total Upset Price.
2063	VII.	A. R. P. 11 3 0	£ s. d. 2 5 0	£ s. d. 26 8 9

This section is situated immediately below the high terrace on the south-west side of the south branch of the Ashburton River. It has frontage on the Shepherd's Bush Road, about one and three-quarter miles north-east of the Westerfield Railway-station, and is distant about eight miles in a north-westerly direction from the Town of Ashburton. The section comprises soil of fair quality, but is liable to flood.

A deposit of one-fifth of the purchase-money shall be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the balance, together with a Crown-grant fee of £1, within thirty days thereafter, or the deposit will be forfeited and the sale cancelled.

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

Plans may be seen and further particulars obtained at this office.

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

Town and Rural Lands for Sale by Auction, Auckland Land District.

District Land and Survey Office,
Auckland, 21st April, 1892.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned town and rural lands will be offered for sale by public auction, at this office, on Thursday, the 9th June, 1892, at 11 a.m.

SCHEDULE.
TOWN OF RUSSELL.

Lot.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
5	1	0 0 24	10 0 0
10	1	0 0 19	10 0 0
2	2	0 1 35	40 0 0
2*	6	1 1 33	90 0 0
3*	7	0 0 25	23 0 0
4	7	0 0 24	20 0 0
5	7	0 0 24	17 0 0
6	7	0 0 27	14 0 0
8	7	0 2 25	20 0 0
9	7	0 1 4	20 0 0
10†	7	0 2 22	20 0 0
11	7	0 1 37	20 0 0
1	9	0 0 31	100 0 0
12†	9	0 0 16	3 0 0
13	9	0 0 8	20 0 0
14	9	0 0 7	20 0 0
17	9	0 0 7	30 0 0
18	9	0 0 7	20 0 0
19	9	0 0 7	20 0 0
20	9	0 0 11	25 0 0
6	13	0 1 2	25 0 0
7	13	0 1 2	20 0 0
8	13	0 0 37	17 0 0
9	13	0 0 19	12 0 0
N.E. 3	14	0 1 31	12 0 0

* Subject to £20 for improvements. † Subject to £60 for improvements.
‡ Subject to £30 for improvements.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
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SUBURBS OF KOHUKOHU.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
27	3 0 13	9 7 6

Subject to £245, valuation for improvements, consisting of house, vineyard, fencing, &c.

SUBURBS OF OPUA.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
1	8 2 0	25 10 0
2	12 0 0	36 0 0

Suburban lots, close to Opuia Railway-wharf.

MANUKAU COUNTY.—PARISH OF AWITU.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
47A	1 3 13	3 15 0

One-third forest, remainder open.

WAIKATO COUNTY.—PARISH OF TAUPIRI.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
329A	8 1 34	8 10 0
343A	1 0 12	1 1 0
43A	1 0 16	1 2 0

Open land, near Ohinewai Railway-station.

WHANGAREI COUNTY.—PARISH OF OTAKAIRANGI.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
16	230 3 28	230 17 6
17	241 1 25	241 7 6
19	193 3 9	145 10 0
20	482 0 0	482 0 0

Section 16, all forest, containing 172 green and 6 dead kauri; 17, nearly all forest, containing 19 green and 1 dead kauri; 19, about 30 acres fern and scrub, remainder forest, containing 33 green and 22 dry kauri-trees; 20, about one-third forest, containing 139 green and 13 dry kauri-trees. The kauri averages from 3ft. to 4ft. in diameter.

TANGIHUA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block II.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
35A	127 0 0	1,622 7 6
35B	113 0 0	1,732 7 6
35C	198 0 0	1,354 12 6

Section 35A contains about 3,753,000ft. of kauri; 35B, contains 1,014,000ft. dead kauri and 3,072,000ft. green kauri; 35C contains 1,596,000ft. dead kauri-timber and 1,347,000ft. green kauri. The timber can be got out down the Waionepe to the Wairoa, or tramway laid to Otaika or Mangapai.

Terms of Sale: One-fifth of the purchase-money to be paid on fall of the hammer, and the balance, with 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 be null and void.

Plans may be seen at the local post-offices and at this office.

GERHARD MUELLER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Forfeited Deferred-payment Lands in the Gordon Special Settlement.

District Land and Survey Office,
Auckland, 21st April, 1892.

IT is hereby notified, in terms of the Land Acts, that the under-mentioned sections within the Gordon Special Settlement will be offered at auction, for selection on deferred payments, under the amended regulations relating to special settlements made by Order in Council issued on the 5th December, 1885, at this office, on Thursday, the 9th June, 1892, at 11 a.m.

SCHEDULE.

WAIKARE SURVEY DISTRICT, PIAKO COUNTY.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Deferred-payment Price per Acre.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
2	X.	82 2 15	1 0 0
6	"	102 2 22	1 0 0
7	"	89 0 32	1 0 0
9	"	140 0 0	1 0 0
1	XI.	118 0 0	1 0 0
2	"	103 0 0	1 0 0
6	"	101 2 0	1 0 0
8	"	106 1 0	1 0 0

Block X: Section No. 2, open fern land, well watered; No. 6, open land with a little swamp; No. 7, about two-thirds open land, with a little swamp and small quantity of mixed bush, near main road; No. 9, open land with a little bush in gullies. Block XI: Sections Nos. 1 and 2, nearly all open land, with a little bush on ranges; Nos. 6 and 8, open land, with about one-third mixed forest in each. Section No. 8 is weighted with £20 for improvements.

These are forfeited sections in the Gordon Special Settlement, and purchasers under the regulations will stand in the place of original settlers, and will become members of the association.

A deposit of one-twentieth of the total purchase-money, together with license-fee £1 1s., shall be paid on the fall of the hammer, such deposit to be in satisfaction of the first half-yearly instalment to be reckoned from the 1st July next; thereafter the payments shall be made every six months in advance, at the rate of one-twentieth of the price of the land, until the whole price has been paid, when the purchaser shall be entitled to a Crown grant of the land upon proof to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Crown Lands that he has been continuously in residential occupation for a period of six years, and has fulfilled all the conditions.

No person who is the holder of land on deferred payments, or who has acquired any freehold under that system, or who is the holder of land on perpetual lease, and no person who is the owner of a pre-emptive right, or who is the owner in fee of land anywhere in the colony which, together with any of the areas now offered, would exceed 320 acres, shall be entitled to become a settler under these regulations.

The stated value of the improvements (if any) must be paid in cash to the Receiver of Land Revenue on the fall of the hammer.

Further information may be obtained on application at this office.

GERHARD MUELLER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Sale by Auction of Town and Rural Lands, Auckland Land District.

District Land and Survey Office,
Auckland, 21st April, 1892.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned town and rural lands will be offered for sale by public auction, at this office, on Thursday, the 9th June, 1892, at 11 a.m.

SCHEDULE.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
TOWN OF OHIWA.—BAY OF PLENTY.—BLOCK III.		
Lot 5	0 1 0	7 10 0

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
SUBURBS OF PAHI.		
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
104	3 2 3	10 10 0
HOKIANGA COUNTY.—SUBURBS OF HERD'S POINT (RAWENE).		
92	1 2 6	4 13 9
93	2 3 15	8 12 6
MANUKAU COUNTY.—SUBURBS OF TUAKAU.		
82	4 2 18	18 10 0
83	4 0 39	17 0 0
84	4 2 9	18 5 0
85	6 2 6	26 3 6
86	5 0 4	20 2 0
Town Lots (classified as Suburban).		
96	2 0 9	6 3 9
97	1 0 20	3 7 6
98	0 1 20	1 2 6
99	0 2 4	1 11 6
100	1 1 23	4 6 3
101	1 0 20	3 7 6
102	1 0 32	3 15 0
103	0 3 0	2 5 0
104	0 1 0	0 15 0
105	0 1 0	0 15 0
106	2 1 0	6 15 0
107	1 0 0	3 0 0
108	0 1 0	0 15 0
109	2 0 13	6 7 6
110	1 1 0	3 15 0
111	1 0 0	3 0 0
112	1 0 0	3 0 0
113	0 2 13	1 17 6
114	1 1 11	3 18 9
115	0 2 0	1 10 0
116	1 0 30	3 11 3
117	0 2 0	1 10 0
118	1 0 0	3 0 0
119	0 2 0	1 10 0
120	1 3 0	3 11 3
121	0 2 0	1 10 0
122	1 1 0	3 15 0
123	1 1 4	3 15 0
124	1 3 6	5 8 9
125	0 1 0	0 15 0
126	0 1 24	1 6 3
127	0 1 0	0 15 0
128	0 1 0	0 15 0
129	2 2 0	7 10 0
130	2 1 0	6 15 0
131	0 1 0	0 15 0
132	1 0 0	3 0 0
133	1 2 10	7 13 9
134	2 1 0	6 15 0
135	0 1 0	0 15 0
136	0 3 0	2 5 0
137	1 2 0	4 10 0
138	2 0 0	6 0 0
139	0 1 0	0 15 0
140	0 3 0	2 5 0
141	1 3 35	6 0 0
142	1 3 8	5 8 9
143	0 3 30	2 16 3
144	0 2 0	1 10 0
145	3 0 0	9 0 0
146	1 0 16	3 7 6
147	0 2 0	1 10 0
148	0 1 26	1 6 3
149	0 3 29	2 16 3
150	0 1 37	1 10 0
151	0 3 14	2 12 6
152	0 1 0	0 15 0
153	1 2 26	5 1 3
MANUKAU COUNTY.—PARISH OF PAKURANGA.		
172	5 0 0	10 0 0

Broken land, covered with furze; situated between Papatotoi and Howick.

Terms of Sale: One-fifth of the purchase-money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the balance, with Crown-grant fee £1, within thirty days thereafter, otherwise the deposit aforesaid shall be forfeited and the sale of the land be null and void.

GERHARD MUELLER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land open for Application under "The Naval and Military Settlers' and Volunteers' Land Act, 1891."

District Land and Survey Office,
Auckland, 18th May, 1892.

IT is hereby notified, in terms of "The Naval and Military Settlers' and Volunteers' Land Act, 1891," that the under-mentioned sections will be open for application by holders of remission certificates under the above Act, on and after Wednesday, the 6th July, 1892, at the District Land and Survey Office, Auckland.

SCHEDULE.

No. of Lot.	Area.	Price per Acre.	Total Price.
WAIPOUA SURVEY DISTRICT.—BLOCK X.			
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1	95 0 0	0 10 0	47 10 0
2	60 0 0	0 10 0	30 0 0
3	60 0 0	0 10 0	30 0 0
4	60 0 0	0 10 0	30 0 0
5	60 0 0	0 10 0	30 0 0
6	60 0 0	0 10 0	30 0 0
7	60 0 0	0 10 0	30 0 0
8	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0
9	50 0 0	0 10 0	25 0 0
10	60 0 0	0 10 0	30 0 0
11	50 0 0	0 10 0	25 0 0
12	50 0 0	0 10 0	25 0 0
13	60 0 0	0 10 0	30 0 0
14	60 0 0	0 10 0	30 0 0
15	60 0 0	0 10 0	30 0 0
16	60 0 0	0 10 0	30 0 0
17	60 0 0	0 10 0	30 0 0
18	60 0 0	0 10 0	30 0 0
19	60 0 0	0 10 0	30 0 0
20	60 0 0	0 10 0	30 0 0
21	64 0 0	0 10 0	32 0 0
22	60 0 0	0 10 0	30 0 0
23	60 0 0	0 10 0	30 0 0
24	60 0 0	0 10 0	30 0 0
25	60 0 0	0 10 0	30 0 0
26	60 0 0	0 10 0	30 0 0
27	50 0 0	0 10 0	25 0 0
28	60 0 0	0 10 0	30 0 0
29	60 0 0	0 10 0	30 0 0
30	60 0 0	0 10 0	30 0 0
31	60 0 0	0 10 0	30 0 0
32	60 0 0	0 10 0	30 0 0
33	60 0 0	0 10 0	30 0 0
34	60 0 0	0 10 0	30 0 0
37	17 0 0	0 10 0	8 10 0
WAIIPA PARISH.			
139	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0
140	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0
141	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0
142	30 0 0	0 10 0	15 0 0
143	35 0 0	0 10 0	17 10 0
144	45 0 0	0 10 0	22 10 0
145	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0
146	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0
147	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0
148	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0
149	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0
150	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0
151	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0
152	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0
153	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0
154	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0
155	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0
156	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0
157	30 0 0	0 10 0	15 0 0
158	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0
159	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0
160	36 0 0	0 10 0	18 0 0
161	30 0 0	0 10 0	15 0 0
162	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0
163	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0
164	30 0 0	0 10 0	15 0 0
165	30 0 0	0 10 0	15 0 0
166	30 0 0	0 10 0	15 0 0
167	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0
168	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0
169	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0
170	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0

No. of Lot.	Area.	Price per Acre.	Total Price.	No. of Lot.	Area.	Price per Acre.	Total Price.
WAIPA PARISH— <i>continued.</i>				WAIPA PARISH— <i>continued.</i>			
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
171	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0	199	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0
172	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0	200	30 0 0	0 10 0	15 0 0
173	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0	201	30 0 0	0 10 0	15 0 0
174	30 0 0	0 10 0	15 0 0	202	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0
175	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0	203	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0
176	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0	204	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0
177	30 0 0	0 10 0	15 0 0	205	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0
178	30 0 0	0 10 0	15 0 0	206	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0
179	30 0 0	0 10 0	15 0 0	207	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0
180	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0	208	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0
181	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0	209	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0
182	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0	210	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0
183	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0	211	30 0 0	0 10 0	15 0 0
184	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0	212	32 0 0	0 10 0	16 0 0
185	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0	213	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0
186	30 0 0	0 10 0	15 0 0	214	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0
187	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0				
188	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0				
189	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0				
190	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0				
191	30 0 0	0 10 0	15 0 0				
192	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0				
193	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0				
194	30 0 0	0 10 0	15 0 0				
195	30 0 0	0 10 0	15 0 0				
196	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0				
197	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0				
198	40 0 0	0 10 0	20 0 0				

A holder of remission certificate may select any allotment the cash price whereof does not exceed in amount the sum of money to be remitted under such certificate, and, with his application for such allotment, shall deposit his remission certificate. Where more than one application for the same allotment is made on the same day, priority of choice shall be decided between the applicants by lot. Applications to be made at this office between the hours of 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 2.30 p.m. to 4 p.m.

GERHARD MUELLER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Reserves for Lease, Canterbury Land District.

District Land and Survey Office, Christchurch, 10th May, 1892.

IT is hereby notified, in terms of "The Public Revenues Act, 1881," that written tenders will be received at this office up to noon on Tuesday, the 21st June, 1892, for the leases of the under-mentioned reserves, on the terms stated:—

Reserve.	Run No.	Name of Run.	Area.		Upset Rent per Acre.	Total upset Rent per Annum.
			A. R. P.	£ s. d.		
2916	72	Grampian	800	0 0	0 0 6	20 0 0
2917	74	Whalesback	220	0 0	0 0 6	5 10 0
2918	75	Sawdon	570	0 0	0 0 6	14 5 0
2919	76	Tekapo	104	0 0	0 0 4	1 14 8
2920	79	Glenmore	110	0 0	0 0 4	1 16 8
2921	79	"	112	0 0	0 0 4	1 17 4
2922	79	"	260	0 0	0 0 4	4 6 8
2959	79	"	200	0 0	0 0 4	3 6 8
2924	84	Irishman Creek	80	0 0	0 0 4	1 6 8
2925	85	Wolds	625	0 0	0 0 4	10 8 4
2926	85	"	435	0 0	0 0 4	7 5 0
2927	86	Simon's Pass	75	0 0	0 0 5	1 11 3
2928	87	Ben Ohau	850	0 0	0 0 6	21 5 0
2929	88	Rhoboro Downs	50	0 0	0 0 4	0 16 8
2930	86	Simon's Pass	463	0 0	0 0 5	9 12 11
2931	89	Glentanner	105	0 0	0 0 4	1 15 0
2932	..	Pukaki Island	31	0 0	0 0 4	0 10 4
2950	..	Tekapo Island	26	0 0	0 0 4	0 8 8

The term of lease will in each case be for seven years, subject to the right of the Crown to terminate each lease as to all or any portion of the land comprised therein by one month's notice if the land is required for planting purposes, and by twelve months' notice if required for any other purpose.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

The lessees will have the right of occupying and using the lands for grazing purposes, but will be prohibited from cropping the same.

Tenders must be accompanied by marked cheques or post-office orders for six months' rent to the 1st January, 1893, at the rate offered, and be enclosed in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Christchurch, and marked "Tender for Reserve No"

Deposit to be for amount of rent due to the 1st January, 1893, and thereafter to be paid half-yearly in advance on the 1st January and 1st July in each year.

No claim shall be made on, nor shall any be recognised by, the Crown for the value of any improvements effected upon the reserves by the lessees.

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

Native Land Court Notices.

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

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 on the 30th day of March, 1892, the lands mentioned in the Schedule herein respectively became owned by not more than twenty Natives; and, further, that dealings with the said lands ceased to be prohibited by the provisions of the said Act on or before the 10th day of May, 1892.

Dated this 12th day of May, 1892.

H. G. SETH-SMITH,
Chief Judge.

SCHEDULE.

Name by which Land is known.	Native Land Court District wherein situate.	Area.			Survey No.
		A.	R.	P.	
Mareikura F ..	Kaipara ..	1,106	0	0	6187F.
Mareikura B ..	Kaipara ..	545	0	0	6187B.
Mareikura D ..	Kaipara ..	51	0	0	6187D.
Mareikura G ..	Kaipara ..	1,098	0	20	6187G.
Mareikura A ..	Kaipara ..	1,671	2	10	6187A.
Allotment 30, Town of Whakatane	Bay of Plenty	1	2	0	519.

Sitting of Native Land Court postponed.

THE sitting of the Native Land Court, advertised to be held at Waipiro on the 19th day of June, will not be held on that day, but on Monday, the 20th day of June, 1892.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

Application for Probate.

Native Land Court Office,
Wellington, 28th May, 1892.

In the matter of the will of PATORU, of Hawera, deceased.

APPLICATION having been made by Nakora te Manukarioi 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.

Applications for Rehearing.

Native Land Court Office,
Wellington, 23rd May, 1892.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Chief Judge of the Native Land Court, sitting with an Assessor, in open

Court, at Waipawa, on the 14th day of June, 1892, will hear and determine upon the several applications for rehearing mentioned in the Schedule hereto. All persons interested in the said applications are required to attend at the time and place aforesaid.

W. BRIDSON,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

1. APPLICATION received the 14th day of January, 1892, made by Henare Matua and others, for a rehearing upon the partition of the Mangatoro Block. (92-87.)
2. Application received the 23rd day of January, 1892, made by Maata Opukahu and others, for a rehearing upon the partition of the Mangatoro Block. (92-182.)
3. Application received the 3rd day of February, 1892, made by Nireaha Tamaki and others, for a rehearing upon the partition of the Mangatoro Block. (92-328.)
4. Application received the 3rd day of May, 1892, made by Nepi te Apatu and others, for a rehearing upon the decision of the Court declaring the Native owners of the Rakautatahi Block. (92-1224.)

Application for Rehearing.

Native Land Court Office,
Wellington, 31st May, 1892.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Chief Judge of the Native Land Court, sitting with an Assessor, will, in open Court, at Foxton, on the 20th day of June, 1892, continue the inquiry upon the application for rehearing mentioned in the Schedule hereunder. All persons interested in the said application are required to attend at the time and place aforesaid.

W. BRIDSON,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATION received the 11th day of November, 1890, from Riria Hiahia and others, for a rehearing upon the decision of the Court making partition of the Manawatu Kukutaauaki No. 3 Block.

Application for Rehearing.

Native Land Court Office,
Wellington, 1st June, 1892.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Chief Judge will, sitting with an Assessor, in open Court, at Waipawa, Hawke's Bay, on the 14th day of June, 1892, hear 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 10th day of March, 1892, from Matiu Meke and others for a rehearing upon the decision of the Court appointing the successors to Winiata Takataka, deceased, in the Manawatu No. 5 or Tiratu Block.

"The Native Land Court Act, 1886," and its Amendments.

Native Land Court Office, Wellington, 31st May, 1892.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Wellington, on the 11th day of June, 1892, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

W. BRIDSON, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

REMOVAL OF RESTRICTIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Title, and Date of Issue.
1	Pitama Tahurangi, Trustee for Manihera Puketapu, and Hapi Puketapu	Wellington, Section 637 ..	Land Transfer certificate, 14th August, 1882.
2	Atanatiu te Puni	Subdivision 10 of Section 16, Hutt	Crown grant, 28th November, 1882.
3	Rota Paki, Rota Paki as Trustee for Raimapaha te Paki, Raita te Paki, and Watarauhi te Paki, Hone Ngaukaka, Heeni Tipene, and Tipene te Raro	Pipitea Pa, Lot 22 ..	Crown grant, 19th December, 1867.
4	Ani Moari, Wi Hape Pakau, Arena Porutu, Hapi Puketapu	Section 16, Pipitea ..	Crown grant, 28th December, 1867.

"The Native Land Court Act, 1886," and its Amendments.

Native Land Court Office, Wellington, 18th May, 1892.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Wellington, on the 4th day of June, 1892, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

W. BRIDSON, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.
PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Title, whether Crown Grant or otherwise, and Date of Issue.
1	Ihaka te Rou	Section 3 of Block XV.A, Porehira Kare (91-2409)	See file.
2	Ngawaina Hanikamu, Wikatane Paremata, Atiraira Mohi	Paekakariki No. 1 (91-2308)	See file.
3	Rene te Ouenuku, Matenga te Hiko ..	Komangarautawhiri (91-2065)	See file.
4	Taraipoha Arapata	Hokowhitu, part of Section 121, Hutt (91-1836)	See file.
5	Rene te Ouenuku, Matenga te Hiko, H. Horomona, and others	Takapuahia (91-1901) ..	See file.
6	Hare Parata	Pipitea No. 3 (92-261) ..	See file.
7	Hapi Puketapu	Tohutuhu Section 637, Wellington (92-285)	See file.
8	Mere Makirangi	Sections 9 and 26, part of Section 8 of Block XI., Belmont (Wiremutaone) (92-387)	See file.
9	Wiremu te Puni, Meri te Puni, Rangi te Puni	Subdivision 5 of Section 3, Hutt (92-441)	See file.
10	Wiremu te Puni, Meri te Puni, Rangi te Puni	Subdivision 3 of Section 42, Raumanuka (92-442)	See file.
11	Wiremu te Puni, Meri te Puni, Rangi te Puni	Subdivision 1A of Section 2, Hutt (92-443)	See file.
12	Wiremu te Puni, Meri te Puni, Rangi te Puni	Part of Subdivision 2 of Section 16, Hutt (92-445)	See file.
13	Wiremu te Puni, Meri te Puni, Rangi te Puni	Section 1, Parangarahu (92-446)	See file.
14	Wiremu te Puni, Meri te Puni, Rangi te Puni	Part of Section 11, Horokiki (92-447)	See file.
15	Wiremu te Puni, Meri te Puni, Rangi te Puni	Subdivision 12 of Section 16, Whakahukuwai (92-448)	See file.
16	Wiremu te Puni, Meri te Puni, Rangi te Puni	Subdivision N of Section 3, Hutt (92-449)	See file.
17	Wiremu te Puni, Meri te Puni, Rangi te Puni	Subdivision 4 of Section 58, Taita (92-450)	See file.
18	Wiremu te Puni, Meri te Puni, Rangi te Puni	Subdivision 1G of Sections 1 and 2, Hutt (92-451)	See file.
19	Wiremu te Puni, Meri te Puni, Rangi te Puni	Ahiparera, Subdivision S of Sections 1 and 2, Hutt (92-452)	See file.
20	Wiremu te Puni, Meri te Puni, Rangi te Puni	Subdivision L of Sections 1 and 2, Hutt (92-453)	See file.
21	Wiremu te Puni, Meri te Puni, Rangi te Puni	Korokoro South (92-454)	See file.
22	Wiremu te Puni, Meri te Puni, Rangi te Puni	Subdivision 1 of Section 16, Hutt (92-455)	See file.
23	Wiremu te Puni, Meri te Puni, Rangi te Puni	Urupa, part of Section 3, Hutt (92-456)	See file.
24	Wiremu te Puni, Meri te Puni, Rangi te Puni	Subdivision 2A of Section 2, Hutt (92-457)	See file.
25	Wiremu te Puni, Meri te Puni, Rangi te Puni	Subdivision 12 of Section 16, Hutt (92-458)	See file.
26	Katene Anaru	Subdivision B of Section 1, Hutt (92-460)	See file.
27	Katene Anaru	Maungaraki No. 8 (92-462)	See file.
28	Katene Anaru	Subdivision 4 of Section 3, Hutt (92-463)	See file.
29	Katene Anaru	Subdivision 2 of Section 58, Taita (92-464)	See file.
30	Katene Anaru	Part of Section 16, Hutt (92-465)	See file.
31	Katene Anaru	Subdivision 28 of Section 16, Hutt (92-466)	See file.
32	Ihaka te Rou	Subdivision 27 of Section 8 of Block XI., Wiremutaone (92-684)	See file.
33	Arihia Puketapu	Section 637, Wellington (92-951)	See file.
34	Pitama Tahurangi, Trustee for Manihera Puketapu	Section 637, Wellington (92-952)	See file.
35	Matene Tauwhare	Subdivision 11 of Section 3, Hutt	See file.

"The Native Land Court Act, 1886," and its Amendments.

Registrar's Office, 30th May, 1892.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Whanganui, on the 1st day of July, 1892, to hear and determine the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, in respect of which applications have been received by the Registrar, and all such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.

W. BRIDSON, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Title, whether Crown Grant or otherwise, and Date of Issue.
1	Te Kiritahanga, Teoti Pohe, Paoika Tahana (W2-161)	Te Kahakaha	Order of Court, 25th March, 1887.
2	Rangiwhakateka (W2-117)	Kirikau	Memorial, 13th March, 1876.
3	Rangiwhakateka (W2-155)	Koiro	Order of Court, 22nd February, 1886.
4	Henare Tahau (W2-33)	Te Kumuiti	Crown grant, 12th May, 1870.
5	Raina Pikinga, Hone Hira te Wharetiti, Mita Karaka, Rewi Matiu (W2-246)	Mangatipona West D ..	Partition order, 23rd August, 1889.
6	Rangiwhakateka (W2-116)	Maraekowhai	Certificate, 8th March, 1886.
7	Taiawa Teope, Ngawai Tutawhiri, Teoti Paetaha, Hohepa Tutawhiri, Apera te Paea (W2-97)	Motukawa No. 1	Order of Court, 31st July, 1886.
8	Hamuera te Kaioroto (W2-242)	Ngapakihahi	Order of Court, 16th March, 1887.
9	Nika Waiata (W2-54)	Ngarakauwhakarara ..	Memorial, 11th March, 1876.
10	Mereaina Rauangina, Keina Tao, Raita Tukia (W2-98)	Ngaurukehu B	Order of Court, 5th April, 1886.
11	Te Mana o Tawhaki (W2-244)	Otamoa 2b .. ..	.. ..
12	Hori Kerei Paipai (W2-240)	Onetere No. 2	Crown grant.
13	Waata Wiremu Hipango (W1-138)	Popoangaruru	Crown grant.
14	Anihira Reina Barns (W2-247)	Pohouiatane No. 3b ..	Order of Court, 3rd February, 1892.
15	Takarangi Mete Kingi, Hori Kerei Paipai, Keina Tao, Rora Mete Kingi, Anihira Barns (W2-14)	Puketarata	Memorial, 16th March, 1882.
16	Hamuera Kaioroto (W2-137)	Raetihahi No. 4	Partition order, 27th February, 1889.
17	Rangiwhakateka Taiwiri (W2-182)	Taumatamahoe	Certificate, 8th March, 1886.
18	Reupena Ngataiteparino (W2-149)	Waipou No. 4	Partition order, 22nd March, 1890.
19	Erina Ratana, Paora Paihana (W2-245) ..	Waipou No. 1c	Partition order, 22nd March, 1890.
20	Hapeta Pitimou, Utiku te Ua Reweti Pokuru, Tamehana Te Ko, Horiwia Kahukore, Ratana Ngahina (W2-86)	Ruatangata No. 1	Partition order, 4th December, 1888.
21	Wi Kauika, Uranga Kaiwhare (W2-224) ..	Ararewa	Memorial, 18th October, 1881.
22	Wi Kauika, Uranga Kaiwhare (W2-227) ..	Arahaunui	Memorial, 18th October, 1881.
23	Aperahama Tahunuiarangi (W2-241)	Aunui	Crown grant.
24	Wi Kauika (W2-226)	Makowhai	Memorial, 18th October, 1881.
25	Wi Kauika (W2-243)	Kaharoa No. 3	Memorial, 17th September, 1880.
26	Wi Kauika and Uranga Kaiwhare (W2-223) ..	Mangapapa 1c	Memorial, 18th October, 1881.
27	Wi Kauika and Uranga Kaiwhare (W2-225) ..	Oruaanga	Memorial, 18th October, 1881.
28	Wi Kauika and Uranga Kaiwhare (W2-229) ..	Piraunui No. 1	Certificate, 27th November, 1886.
29	Wi Kauika (W2-228)	Rawhitiroa B, or Rotokohu	Partition order, 14th April, 1887.
30	Noema Tawake Ariki (T2-94)	Te Umuroa	Crown grant.

INDIVIDUALISATION OF INTEREST.

1	Apera te Keunga	Maungakaretu 5b	Partition order.
2	Mereaina Rauangina, Keina Tao, and Raita Tukia	Ngaurukehu B	Order of Court.

REMOVAL OF RESTRICTIONS.

1	Pirihira Pera	Mangatipona East No. 7..	Partition order.
2	Aperahama Tahunuiarangi, Piripi te Aokapurangi, Kerei Hemoata, Matahau Toria, Ripeka Ariki, Hira Hinekura, Pehimana Tarupeka, Horiana Waikoau, Mere Ngareta, Horera Kuihi, Rora te Hinga, Karena te Manaotawhaki, Ngahiraka Rongohikaia, Ruahoata te Ihioterangi, Haimona te Iki, Weraroa Kingi	Puehurangi	Memorial of ownership, 18th February, 1879.
3	Aperahama Tahunuiarangi, Karena te Manaotawhaki	Mataihiwi	Memorial of ownership, 14th February, 1879.

Traffic Returns.

NEW ZEALAND RAILWAYS.—Traffic Returns for the period from the 1st to 30th April, 1892 (30 days), and for the corresponding period, 1891 (25 days).

KAWAKAWA SECTION.

	1892.			1891.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	58	122	180	86	58	144
2nd Class	405	742	1,147	182	438	620
Total	463	864	1,327	268	496	764
Season Tickets	..	..	0	..	..	0
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	2	..	..	3
Horses	..	..	8	..	..	6
Carriages	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dogs	..	..	11	..	..	9
Total	..	..	21	..	..	9
Goods,—			No.			No.
Drays	..	..	..	..	..	1
Cattle	..	..	1	..	..	..
Calves	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sheep	..	..	102	..	..	30
Pigs	..	..	14	..	..	1
Total	..	..	117	..	..	32
Chaff, &c.	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wool	..	..	..	..	..	..
Firewood	..	..	..	..	..	..
Timber	..	..	47	..	..	8
Grain	..	..	..	..	..	..
Merchandise	..	..	172	..	..	129
Minerals	..	..	991	..	..	1,628
Total	..	..	1,210	..	..	1,765
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	..	..	56 16 7	..	..	36 2 10
Parcels and Luggage	..	..	3 19 10	..	..	1 6 4
Goods	..	..	190 16 5	..	..	238 14 7
Miscellaneous	..	..	3 12 9	..	..	4 2 3
Rents and Commission	..	..	3 5 0	..	..	3 2 11
Total	..	..	£258 10 7	..	..	£283 8 11

WHANGAREI SECTION.

	1892.			1891.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	308	..	308	170	..	170
2nd Class	892	..	892	626	..	626
Total	1,200	..	1,200	796	..	796
Season Tickets	..	..	0	..	..	0
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	..	..	..	..
Horses	..	..	..	..	..	..
Carriages	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dogs	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	..	..	..	..	..	..
Goods,—			No.			No.
Drays	..	..	2	..	..	..
Cattle	..	..	15	..	..	17
Calves	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sheep	..	..	399	..	..	..
Pigs	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	..	..	416	..	..	17
Chaff, &c.	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wool	..	..	..	..	..	..
Firewood	..	..	..	..	..	..
Timber	..	..	6	..	..	3
Grain	..	..	..	..	..	..
Merchandise	..	..	389	..	..	376
Minerals	..	..	436	..	..	1,490
Total	..	..	831	..	..	1,869
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	..	..	36 17 0	..	..	24 0 6
Parcels and Luggage	..	..	..	..	..	0 4 0
Goods	..	..	117 18 10	..	..	215 17 9
Miscellaneous	..	..	Dr. 1 7 6	..	..	3 3 6
Rents and Commission	..	..	3 12 0	..	..	3 12 0
Total	..	..	£157 0 4	..	..	£246 17 9

AUCKLAND SECTION.

	1892.			1891.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	1,533	3,984	5,517	1,203	3,228	4,431
2nd Class	8,155	26,190	34,345	6,309	15,426	21,735
Total	9,688	30,174	39,862	7,512	18,654	26,166
Season Tickets	..	..	288	..	..	236
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	3,359	..	..	2,682
Horses	..	..	113	..	..	47
Carriages	..	..	7	..	..	2
Dogs	..	..	228	..	..	140
Total	..	..	3,707	..	..	2,871
Goods,—			No.			No.
Drays	..	..	10	..	..	9
Cattle	..	..	578	..	..	572
Calves	..	..	300	..	..	133
Sheep	..	..	7,152	..	..	5,554
Pigs	..	..	386	..	..	544
Total	..	..	8,426	..	..	6,812
Chaff, &c.	..	..	Tons. 295	..	..	Tons. 500
Wool	..	..	2	..	..	2
Firewood	..	..	120	..	..	246
Timber	..	..	650	..	..	828
Grain	..	..	1,352	..	..	1,199
Merchandise	..	..	2,923	..	..	2,585
Minerals	..	..	6,070	..	..	6,037
Total	..	..	11,412	..	..	11,397
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	..	..	3,968 11 5	..	..	2,724 14 8
Parcels and Luggage	..	..	381 5 7	..	..	239 11 2
Goods	..	..	5,471 18 0	..	..	4,975 4 11
Miscellaneous	..	..	24 4 6	..	..	16 1 8
Rents and Commission	..	..	253 8 3	..	..	231 16 5
Total	..	..	£10,099 7 9	..	..	£8,187 8 10

NAPIER-TARANAKI SECTION.

	1892.			1891.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	2,796	11,250	14,046	2,299	5,848	8,147
2nd Class	12,916	35,168	48,084	10,228	21,484	31,712
Total	15,712	46,418	62,130	12,527	27,332	39,859
Season Tickets	..	..	251	..	..	218
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	5,685	..	..	4,662
Horses	..	..	403	..	..	228
Carriages	..	..	18	..	..	12
Dogs	..	..	684	..	..	446
Total	..	..	6,790	..	..	5,348
Goods,—			No.			No.
Drays	..	..	11	..	..	8
Cattle	..	..	464	..	..	714
Calves	..	..	12	..	..	3
Sheep	..	..	12,452	..	..	18,018
Pigs	..	..	347	..	..	673
Total	..	..	13,286	..	..	19,416
Chaff, &c.	..	..	Tons. 185	..	..	Tons. 85
Wool	..	..	205	..	..	197
Firewood	..	..	4,080	..	..	3,612
Timber	..	..	3,067	..	..	2,726
Grain	..	..	2,333	..	..	1,621
Merchandise	..	..	5,007	..	..	3,981
Minerals	..	..	1,374	..	..	2,448
Total	..	..	16,251	..	..	14,670
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	..	..	8,252 14 8	..	..	5,201 19 6
Parcels and Luggage	..	..	835 0 8	..	..	607 4 9
Goods	..	..	7,132 19 7	..	..	6,429 1 7
Miscellaneous	..	..	215 14 5	..	..	208 19 1
Rents and Commission	..	..	333 14 5	..	..	257 12 11
Total	..	..	£16,770 3 9	..	..	£12,704 17 10

WELLINGTON SECTION.

	1892.			1891.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	760	7,190	7,950	500	5,008	5,508
2nd Class	3,970	21,860	25,830	3,086	17,126	20,212
Total	4,750	29,050	33,780	3,586	22,134	25,720
Season Tickets	..	..	253	..	..	239
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	3,103	..	..	2,846
Horses	..	..	95	..	..	96
Carriages	..	..	9	..	..	7
Dogs	..	..	311	..	..	176
Total	..	..	3,518	..	..	3,125
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays	..	..	5	..	..	3
Cattle	..	..	172	..	..	252
Calves	..	..	218	..	..	26
Sheep	..	..	15,972	..	..	15,163
Pigs	..	..	44	..	..	31
Total	..	..	16,411	..	..	15,475
Chaff, &c.	..	..	Tons. 165	..	..	Tons. 115
Wool	..	..	90	..	..	770
Firewood	..	..	816	..	..	432
Timber	..	..	1,923	..	..	1,724
Grain	..	..	356	..	..	306
Merchandise	..	..	1,976	..	..	3,085
Minerals	..	..	569	..	..	2,098
Total	..	..	5,895	..	..	8,530
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	..	..	3,003 9 6	..	..	1,915 16 11
Parcels and Luggage	..	..	339 8 3	..	..	295 3 2
Goods	..	..	3,457 6 5	..	..	3,328 6 0
Miscellaneous	..	..	20 14 5	..	..	11 18 2
Rents and Commission	..	..	280 2 8	..	..	281 1 9
Total	..	..	£7,101 1 3	..	..	£5,832 6 0

HURUNUI-BLUFF SECTION.

	1892.			1891.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	5,850	40,928	46,778	4,695	24,622	29,317
2nd Class	25,566	128,502	154,068	20,376	79,658	100,034
Total	31,416	169,430	200,846	25,071	104,280	129,351
Season Tickets	..	..	1,214	..	..	1,279
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	21,537	..	..	17,788
Horses	..	..	649	..	..	478
Carriages	..	..	36	..	..	37
Dogs	..	..	1,552	..	..	1,116
Total	..	..	23,774	..	..	19,419
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays	..	..	36	..	..	33
Cattle	..	..	957	..	..	963
Calves	..	..	19	..	..	56
Sheep	..	..	65,277	..	..	70,823
Pigs	..	..	5,092	..	..	4,240
Total	..	..	71,381	..	..	76,115
Chaff, &c.	..	..	Tons. 1,490	..	..	Tons. 1,480
Wool	..	..	3,838	..	..	2,270
Firewood	..	..	2,232	..	..	1,518
Timber	..	..	6,612	..	..	5,943
Grain	..	..	75,625	..	..	59,654
Merchandise	..	..	23,927	..	..	20,020
Minerals	..	..	31,842	..	..	24,837
Total	..	..	145,566	..	..	115,722
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	..	..	20,735 5 8	..	..	13,381 18 6
Parcels and Luggage	..	..	2,244 7 6	..	..	1,887 18 11
Goods	..	..	48,009 4 10	..	..	39,023 16 5
Miscellaneous	..	..	1,115 16 2	..	..	1,015 13 8
Rents and Commission	..	..	1,183 6 4	..	..	1,121 12 10
Total	..	..	£73,288 0 6	..	..	£56,431 0 4

GREYMOOUTH SECTION.

	1892.			1891.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	149	784	933	85	430	515
2nd Class	1,010	5,314	6,324	730	3,556	4,286
Total	1,159	6,098	7,257	815	3,986	4,801
Season Tickets	..	..	32	..	..	52
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	213	..	..	229
Horses	..	..	1	..	..	17
Carriages	..	..	4	..	..	2
Dogs	..	..	57	..	..	38
Total	..	..	275	..	..	286
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays	..	..	1	..	..	..
Cattle	..	..	4	..	..	..
Calves	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sheep	..	..	194	..	..	..
Pigs	..	..	9	..	..	9
Total	..	..	208	..	..	9
Chaff, &c.	..	..	Tons. 15	..	..	Tons. 30
Wool	..	..	..	..	..	..
Firewood	..	..	136	..	..	84
Timber	..	..	353	..	..	175
Grain	..	..	134	..	..	133
Merchandise	..	..	493	..	..	618
Minerals	..	..	14,589	..	..	9,907
Total	..	..	15,720	..	..	10,947
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	..	..	279 15 1	..	..	230 9 7
Parcels and Luggage	..	..	11 6 4	..	..	16 8 3
Goods	..	..	1,807 13 1	..	..	1,468 15 10
Miscellaneous	..	..	88 18 9	..	..	43 1 3
Rents and Commission	..	..	19 0 0	..	..	13 10 0
Total	..	..	£2,206 13 3	..	..	£1,772 4 11

WESTPORT SECTION.

	1892.			1891.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	1	76	77	..	14	14
2nd Class	488	3,434	3,922	561	2,128	2,689
Total	489	3,510	3,999	561	2,142	2,703
Season Tickets	..	..	29	..	..	39
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	363	..	..	296
Horses	..	..	..	..	..	..
Carriages	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dogs	..	..	8	..	..	5
Total	..	..	371	..	..	301
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays	..	..	2	..	..	..
Cattle	..	..	..	..	..	..
Calves	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sheep	..	..	20	..	..	..
Pigs	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	..	..	22	..	..	..
Chaff, &c.	..	..	Tons. ..	..	..	Tons. ..
Wool	..	..	..	..	..	..
Firewood	..	..	138	..	..	96
Timber	..	..	307	..	..	317
Grain	..	..	..	..	..	..
Merchandise	..	..	164	..	..	192
Minerals	..	..	17,724	..	..	15,523
Total	..	..	18,333	..	..	16,128
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	..	..	246 9 9	..	..	189 10 3
Parcels and Luggage	..	..	17 4 9	..	..	15 17 9
Goods	..	..	2,271 14 4	..	..	2,165 16 5
Miscellaneous	..	..	69 2 4	..	..	61 18 11
Rents and Commission	..	..	27 11 9	..	..	26 3 3
Total	..	..	£2,632 2 11	..	..	£2,459 6 7

NELSON SECTION.							PICTON SECTION.										
		1892.			1891.				1892.			1891.					
PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.	PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.				
1st Class	61	120	181	68	444	512	1st Class	180	474	654	155	362	517				
2nd Class	1,044	4,772	5,816	918	4,272	5,190	2nd Class	757	2,020	2,777	512	1,572	2,084				
Total	1,105	4,892	5,997	986	4,716	5,702	Total	937	2,494	3,431	667	1,934	2,601				
Season Tickets	35	..	..	35	Season Tickets	..	..	37	..	..	38		
PARCELS, ETC.,—		No.			No.		PARCELS, ETC.,—		No.			No.					
Parcels	274	..	..	381	Parcels	..	..	110	..	..	95		
Horses	Horses	..	..	4	..	..	8				
Carriages	Carriages	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dogs	5	..	..	7	Dogs	..	..	29	..	..	17		
Total	279	..	..	388	Total	..	..	143	..	..	120		
Goods,—		No.			No.		Goods,—		No.			No.					
Drays	1	Drays	..	..	1	..	..	..	
Cattle	Cattle	..	..	..	..	..	..
Calves	1	Calves	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sheep	4	..	..	3	Sheep	..	..	4	..	..	..	
Pigs	Pigs	..	..	30	..	..	..	
Total	4	..	..	5	Total	..	..	35	..	..	..	
		Tons.			Tons.				Tons.			Tons.					
Chaff, &c.	35	..	..	80	Chaff, &c.	..	..	55	..	..	65		
Wool	Wool	..	..	120	..	..	49				
Firewood	246	..	..	138	Firewood	..	..	318	..	..	312		
Timber	185	..	..	102	Timber	..	..	190	..	..	..	
Grain	853	..	..	399	Grain	..	..	1,135	..	..	820		
Merchandise	214	..	..	250	Merchandise	..	..	336	..	..	340		
Minerals	282	..	..	318	Minerals	..	..	195	..	..	329		
Total	1,815	..	..	1,287	Total	..	..	2,349	..	..	1,915		
REVENUE,—		£ s. d.			£ s. d.			REVENUE,—		£ s. d.			£ s. d.				
Passengers	367	9	11	367	17	5	Passengers	218	18	1	151	16	5
Parcels and Luggage	15	15	0	18	15	11	Parcels and Luggage	7	4	2	7	16	5
Goods	539	1	2	504	13	1	Goods	636	3	5	541	3	4
Miscellaneous	29	14	7	27	17	0	Miscellaneous	18	2	3	68	7	6
Rents and Commission	8	10	6	6	13	0	Rents and Commission	26	10	0	28	5	8
Total	£960	11	2	£925	16	5	Total	£906	17	11	£797	9	4

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

Railway Department, 31st May, 1892.

N.Z.R.—FINANCIAL YEAR 1891-92.

RAILWAY WORKING ACCOUNT, showing the Revenue and Expenditure to the Termination of the Period ending 30th April, 1892.

Section.	Miles open for Traffic.	REVENUE.		EXPENDITURE.		FOR A TWELVE-MONTHLY PERIOD, AVERAGE TO DATE.		
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Per Cent. of Revenue.	Revenue per Mile of Railway.	Expenditure per Mile of Railway.
NORTH ISLAND,—								
Kawakawa ..	8	£ 258 10 7	£ 258 10 7	£ 215 4 6	£ 215 4 6	83·25	£ 420 2 1	£ 349 14 10
Whangarei ..	7	157 0 4	157 0 4	121 1 3	121 1 3	77·10	291 12 0	224 16 7
Auckland ..	265	10,099 7 9	10,099 7 9	6,119 0 2	6,119 0 2	60·59	495 8 10	300 3 6
Napier-Taranaki ..	328	16,770 3 9	16,770 3 9	9,252 17 9	9,252 17 9	55·17	664 13 5	366 14 7
Wellington ..	91	7,101 1 3	7,101 1 3	3,790 14 0	3,790 14 0	53·38	1,014 8 9	541 10 7
Total ..	699	34,386 3 8	34,386 3 8	19,498 17 8	19,498 17 8	56·71		
MIDDLE ISLAND,—								
Hurunui-Bluff ..	1,101	73,288 0 6	73,288 0 6	35,994 10 10	35,994 10 10	49·11	865 6 10	425 0 1
Greymouth ..	8	2,206 13 3	2,206 13 3	1,442 19 6	1,442 19 6	65·39	3,585 16 6	2,344 16 8
Westport ..	20	2,632 2 11	2,632 2 11	1,511 9 5	1,511 9 5	57·42	1,710 17 11	982 9 1
Nelson ..	23	960 11 2	960 11 2	643 7 2	643 7 2	66·98	542 18 6	363 12 9
Picton ..	18	906 17 11	906 17 11	602 19 4	602 19 4	66·49	654 19 7	435 9 6
Total ..	1,170	79,994 5 9	79,994 5 9	40,195 6 3	40,195 6 3	50·25		
Grand total ..	1,869	114,380 9 5	114,380 9 5	59,694 3 11	59,694 3 11	52·19		

CORRESPONDING PERIOD LAST YEAR (25 days).

NORTH ISLAND,—								
Kawakawa ..	8	£ 283 8 11	£ 283 8 11	£ 201 6 1	£ 201 6 1	71·02	£ 460 12 0	£ 327 2 4
Whangarei ..	7	246 17 9	246 17 9	207 13 10	207 13 10	84·12	458 10 0	385 14 2
Auckland ..	265	8,187 8 10	8,187 8 10	4,998 16 8	4,998 16 8	61·05	401 13 0	245 4 7
Napier-Taranaki ..	328	12,704 17 10	12,704 17 10	7,848 6 1	7,848 6 1	61·77	503 11 0	311 1 2
Wellington ..	91	5,832 6 0	5,832 6 0	3,113 5 6	3,113 5 6	53·38	833 3 9	444 15 0
Total ..	699	27,254 19 4	27,254 19 4	16,369 8 2	16,369 8 2	60·06		
MIDDLE ISLAND,—								
Hurunui-Bluff ..	1,074	56,431 0 4	56,431 0 4	31,275 7 2	31,275 7 2	55·42	683 1 2	378 15 4
Greymouth ..	8	1,772 4 11	1,772 4 11	1,196 12 5	1,196 12 5	67·52	2,879 18 0	1,944 10 2
Westport ..	20	2,459 6 7	2,459 6 7	997 2 7	997 2 7	40·54	1,598 11 2	648 2 8
Nelson ..	23	925 16 5	925 16 5	552 5 3	552 5 3	59·65	523 5 9	312 3 0
Picton ..	18	797 9 4	797 9 4	552 1 11	552 1 11	69·23	575 19 0	398 14 9
Total ..	1,143	62,385 17 7	62,385 17 7	34,573 9 4	34,573 9 4	55·42		
Grand total ..	1,842	89,640 16 11	89,640 16 11	50,942 17 6	50,942 17 6	56·83		

Railway Department, 31st May, 1892.

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

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of TRAFFIC on ALL SECTIONS, from 1st April, 1892, to 30th April, 1892.

All Sections.	Passengers.					Season Tickets.	Number.					Number.					
	First Class.		Second Class.		Total.		Total.	Parcels.	Horses.	Carriages.	Dogs.	Total.	Drays, &c.	Cattle.	Calves.	Sheep.	Pigs.	Total.
1892	S. 11,696	R. 64,928	S. 55,203	R. 228,002	359,829	2,139	34,646	1,273	74	2,885	38,878	68	2,191	549	101,576	5,922	110,306
1891	9,261	40,014	43,528	145,660	238,463	2,131	28,979	877	60	1,951	31,867	55	2,518	219	109,591	5,498	117,881
Inc.	2,435	24,914	11,675	82,842	121,366	8	5,667	396	14	934	7,011	13	..	330	..	424	..
Dec.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	327	..	8,015	..	7,575

All Sections.	Tons.															
	Chaff, &c.		Wool.		Firewood.		Timber.		Grain.		Merchandise.		Minerals.		Total.	
1892	Tons 2,240	c. qr. 0 0	Tons 4,255	c. qr. 12 0	Tons 8,086	c. qr. 0 0	Tons 13,340	c. qr. 3 0	Tons 81,787	c. qr. 15 0	Tons 35,601	c. qr. 5 0	Tons 74,072	c. qr. 18 0	Tons 219,383	c. qr. 13 0
1891	2,355	0 0	3,288	0 0	6,438	0 0	11,826	17 0	64,133	14 0	31,574	3 0	64,615	16 0	184,231	10 0
Increase	..	..	967	12 0	1,648	0 0	1,513	6 0	17,654	1 0	4,027	2 0	9,457	2 0	35,152	3 0
Decrease	115	0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

ESTIMATED COST of CONSTRUCTION of ALL LINES to 31st March, 1892, including Public Works Loan Expenditure on Harbour Works forming Part of the Railway System.

Section.	Gross Cost of Opened and Unopened Lines.		Cost of Opened Lines.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Kawakawa	90,337	0 0	90,337	0 0
Whangarei-Kamo	72,090	0 0	72,090	0 0
Marton-Te Awamutu (north end)	239,005	0 0	184,585	0 0
Auckland	1,934,152	0 0	1,725,333	0 0
Napier	857,243	0 0	857,243	0 0
Marton-Te Awamutu (south end)	122,546	0 0	103,587	0 0
Wanganui	1,425,225	0 0	1,425,225	0 0
Wellington-Foxton (private line)	42,117	0 0	..	..
Wellington	1,071,702	0 0	1,054,465	0 0
Surveys	27,498	0 0	..	..
Miscellaneous	5,169	0 0	..	..
Hurunui-Bluff	8,362,949	0 0	8,322,942	0 0
Greymouth	216,247	0 0	200,288	0 0
Greymouth Harbour Works	127,234	0 0	..	..
Greymouth-Hokitika	117,748	0 0	..	..
Westport	227,496	0 0	227,496	0 0
Westport Harbour Works	14,111	0 0	..	..
Nelson	178,109	0 0	165,609	0 0
Picton	251,639	0 0	202,491	0 0
Stock	47,379	0 0	..	..
Stock in suspense	25,000	0 0	25,000	0 0
Surveys	37,619	0 0	..	..
Miscellaneous	5,168	0 0	..	..
Total	15,497,783	0 0	14,656,691	0 0

Railway Department, 31st May, 1892.

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

Government Observatory.

METEOROLOGICAL Observations, Wellington, for the month of April, 1892. Altitude above the sea, 140ft. Observations taken at 9.30 a.m.

Date.	Barometer reduced and corrected, in inches.	From Self-registering Instruments, for Twenty-four Hours previously.							Amount of Cloud, 0 to 10.	Direction of Wind.
		Max. Temp. in shade.	Min. Temp. in shade.	Mean Temp. in shade.	Solar Radiation.	Terrestrial Radiation.	Rainfall, in inches.	Veloc. Wind, in Miles.		
1	30-113	61-0	47-0	54-0	108	41	..	60	4	N.
2	30-198	66-0	50-0	58-0	118	45	.020	190	6	S.
3	30-417	61-0	47-0	54-0	113	42	.030	115	4	S.E.
4	30-519	63-0	42-5	52-7	111	37	..	95	2	Calm
5	30-370	62-5	45-0	53-7	112	38	..	95	2	N.
6	30-306	65-0	55-0	60-0	115	46	..	260	5	N.W.
7	30-202	65-5	58-9	62-2	119	38	..	450	4	N.W.
8	30-204	66-0	58-0	62-0	111	51	..	305	5	N.W.
9	30-141	68-5	58-0	63-2	115	54	..	340	3	N.W.
10	30-107	70-0	59-0	64-5	125	52	..	260	4	N.
11	30-049	70-0	60-0	65-0	130	53	..	410	4	N.W.
12	30-010	70-0	59-5	64-7	132	53	..	95	4	N.W.
13	29-996	70-0	58-0	64-0	130	52	.210	205	4	N.W.
14	29-958	70-0	56-0	63-0	126	50	.020	100	6	S.
15	30-100	61-0	54-0	57-5	92	49	.040	60	8	S.E.
16	29-700	67-0	57-0	62-0	115	55	.410	170	5	N.W.
17	29-890	65-0	52-0	58-5	102	52	.650	400	8	S.E.
18	30-100	54-0	48-0	51-0	103	42	.060	145	8	S.E.
19	30-224	56-0	40-0	48-0	113	36	.020	65	3	Calm
20	30-150	63-0	51-0	57-0	99	46	..	230	4	N.W.
21	30-436	65-0	53-0	59-0	106	47	..	35	7	S.E.
22	30-423	60-5	45-0	52-7	112	39	..	55	3	N.
23	30-454	67-0	59-0	63-0	118	49	.010	210	5	N.
24	30-301	65-0	59-0	62-0	113	53	..	340	6	N.W.
25	30-005	62-0	59-0	60-5	86	54	.830	500	7	N.W.
26	29-773	62-5	58-0	60-2	82	54	1-930	510	6	N.
27	30-074	60-0	48-0	54-0	98	45	1-000	200	7	S.E.
28	30-032	53-5	45-0	49-2	78	40	.460	300	7	S.W.
29	29-927	56-0	47-0	51-5	97	44	.030	165	6	S.
30	30-074	56-5	47-5	52-0	97	42	..	105	4	S.
*	30-141	63-4	52-5	57-9	109-2	46-6	5-720	215	5-0	..
†	30-053	..	..	57-0	..	..	3-525	..	..	..

* Means. † Same month previous years.

REMARKS.—Fine weather up to 12th, with prevailing N.W. wind, and at times fresh; showery from 13th to 19th, with southerly winds, then fine from N.W. until night of 24th, when it rained heavily from N.W., and strong wind; also heavy rain on 25th and 26th; 1-93in. recorded on 26th for previous twenty-four hours, the maximum fall for month; and 1-00in. on 27th, wind changed to south, and cold. Prevailing N.W. wind for month. Maximum temperature in shade, 70; minimum, 40; mean temperature of dewpoint, 49-7; mean humidity, 74. Earthquake on 11th at noon and afternoon, slight.

R. B. GORE, Observer.

Land Transfer Act Notices.

APPLICATION having been made to me to register a dealing over Section 11, Block V., Kopuaranga Survey District, comprised in Crown Lease Register-book, Vol. i.A, folio 16, whereof ALFRED HILL HICKSON is the registered Lessee, and evidence having been lodged with me of the loss of the original lease, I hereby give notice that I will dispense with the production of the original lease, and register the dealing as requested, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 16th day of June, 1892.

Dated this 1st day of June, 1892, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

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GEO. B. DAVY, District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1885," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 2nd day of July, 1892.

2223. WILLIAM JAMES DARBYSHIRE.—103 acres 2 roods, part of Section 42, Waitotara Block. In occupation of Applicant.

2224. JOHN HUMPHREYS and Another, Executors of WILLIAM DARBYSHIRE, deceased.—273 acres and 24 perches, part of Section 42, Waitotara Block. In occupation partly of N. Darbyshire and partly of John Darbyshire.

2231. THOMAS COLDHAM WILLIAMS.—70 acres 3 roods 16 perches, part of Section 346, Township of Carnarvon. In occupation of G. R. Lucas.

2234. WILLIAM DONALD WATSON.—105 acres, Section 605, Whareama Block. In occupation of T. M. Brown and J. H. Taplin.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 1st day of June, 1892, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

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GEO. B. DAVY, District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1885," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same in each case on or before the 2nd July, 1892.

FANNY PURCELL.—North-east part of Allotment 43, Parish of Waitakerei, containing 143 acres 3 roods. Unoccupied. 2876.

SARAH DAVIS.—Allotment 74, Section 2, Village of Panmure, containing 1 acre. In occupation of Applicant. 2969.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 28th day of May, 1892, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

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THEO. KISSLING, District Land Registrar.

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 2nd day of December, 1892.

JOHN BANCROFT and WILLIAM GEORGE PHILLIPSON.—Allotments 11 and 30, Town of Rangiriri, containing 2 roods. In the occupation of Walter Reid. 2968.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 28th day of May, 1892, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

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THEO. KISSLING, District Land Registrar.

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 within one month after the date of the Gazette containing this notice.

1076. PETER MCHARDY, Applicant.—44 acres 1 rood 16 perches, more or less, comprising Suburban Sections 29 and 30, Havelock, Town Sections 53, 54, and 59, Havelock, and part of Town Sections 55, 56, and 57, Havelock. In occupation of Allan McLean.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 28th day of May, 1892, at the Lands Registry Office, Napier.

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EDWIN BAMFORD, District Land Registrar.

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

Sections 1512 and 1513, and part of Section 1539, Town of New Plymouth.—WALTER HENRY SCOTT, Applicant. Occupied by Applicant. No. 487.

Section 35, Fitzroy District.—NEWTON KING, Applicant. Occupied by Applicant. No. 486.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 30th day of May, 1892, at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth,

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W. STUART, District Land Registrar.

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

1121. MARY BISLEY.—185 acres, Sections 2 of 46 and 5 of 46 on the plan of the District of Waimea South; and Sections 42a and 79 of Square 4, Wai-iti Hills District. Occupied by Thomas Kinzett.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 25th day of May, 1892, at the Lands Registry Office, Nelson.

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LOWTHER BROAD, District Land Registrar.

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

7009. THOMAS BROOKS.—50 acres 2 roods 34 perches, part Rural Section 3345, Block X., Leeston Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

7016. THOMAS BROOKS.—113 acres 1 rood 30 perches, Rural Sections 7370 and 8955, and part 3654 and 3690, Blocks IX. and X., Leeston Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

7039. JOHN FRIZZELL.—165 acres, Rural Sections 6000, 8055, and 10446, Block XV., Mairaki Survey District, and Block XIII., Rangiora Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

7043. ANNE GARTLAN, RACHEL SHARMAN, and HELEN MAIR.—3 roods 11½ perches, Lot 12 and part 11, Plan 964, part Rural Section 1547, Block I., Patiti Survey District. Occupied by Applicants.

7050. WILLIAM JAMES TENNENT.—175 acres, Rural Sections 13740, 13741, 13916, and 13917, Blocks XV. and XVI., Opihi Survey District. Occupied by Mark Seales.

7052. WILLIAM ROBINSON.—1 rood 27¼ perches, part Section 60, Town of Akaroa. Occupied by George Dearsley.

7054. MATILDA ALLWRIGHT.—20 perches, part Section 321, Town of Lyttelton. Occupied by — Shirley.

7055. HONOUR ANDREW.—1 rood 19 perches, parts Rural Section 154, Block XV., Christchurch Survey District. Occupied by Applicant and R. Thompson.

7056. THE OTAGO AND SOUTHLAND INVESTMENT COMPANY (LIMITED).—40 acres, Rural Section 4227, Block XVI., Tengawai Survey District. Occupied by Applicant Company.

7057. ROBERT THEW.—1 acre 2 roods 28 perches, part Rural Section 3159, Block VI., Geraldine Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 31st day of May, 1892, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

J. M. BATHAM,
District Land Registrar.

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Mining Notices.

IN compliance with "The Foreign Companies Act, 1884," it is hereby notified that the office in the colony of the Blue Spur and Gabriel's Gully Consolidated Gold Company (Limited) is situated at Blue Spur, Otago.

J. STEWARD JACKSON,
General Manager.

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In the matter of "The Foreign Companies Act, 1884," and of the Great Mercury Gold-mining Company (No Liability).

NOTICE is hereby given that the above-named company, duly registered in New South Wales by virtue of the No Liability Mining Companies Act, has commenced to carry on business in New Zealand, at Kuaotunu, in the Provincial District of Auckland, New Zealand; and that the office of the said company in New Zealand is at Nos. 40 and 41, New Zealand Insurance Buildings, Queen Street, Auckland, where legal proceedings of any kind may be served upon it, and to which notices of any kind may be addressed or given.

Dated this 3rd day of May, 1892.

ARCHIBALD SMITH,
Attorney for the said company in New Zealand. 315

THE HORSESHOE BEND (KAWARAU RIVER) GOLD-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 202 of "The Companies Act, 1882," that a General Meeting of the members of the above-named company will be held at the registered office of the company, Exchange Court, Princes Street, Dunedin, on Friday, the 5th day of August, 1892, at 12 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator; and also of determining, by extraordinary resolution, the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the company and the Liquidator thereof shall be disposed of.

Dated at Dunedin, this 26th day of May, 1892.

AND. HAMILTON,
Liquidator.

MacGregor and North, Solicitors in the winding-up. 365

SUCCESS GOLD-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

AT an extraordinary general meeting of the Success Gold-mining Company (Limited), duly convened and held at the company's office, Victoria Arcade, Auckland, on Monday, the 16th May, 1892, the subjoined extraordinary resolution was duly passed: "That it has been proved to the satisfaction of the shareholders that the company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and that the same be now wound up." And at the same meeting JOSEPH J. MACKY, of Auckland, was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding-up.

JOSEPH J. MACKY,
Liquidator.

Auckland, 19th May, 1892. 360

TOKATEA GOLD-MINING COMPANY (REGISTERED).

NOTICE is hereby given that the office of the above company has been removed to Nos. 40 and 41, New Zealand Insurance Buildings, Auckland; and also that Mr. HENRY GILFILLAN, Jun., has been appointed Manager of the above company, in place of Mr. William Horne, resigned.

P. J. TIERNEY,
H. BRETT, } Directors.

Auckland, 13th May, 1892. 367

Private Advertisements.

BOROUGH OF KAIAPOI.

In the matter of "The Public Works Act, 1892," and the amendments thereof.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed by the Kaiapoi Borough Council, under the provisions of "The Public Works Act, 1892," and the amendments thereof, to execute a certain public work, to wit, the acquiring and maintenance of a public drain through part of Rural Section No. 321, from Hugh Street to Fuller Street, in the Borough of Kaiapoi; and for the purpose of such public work the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken. And notice is further hereby given that the plan of the said drain and of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the office of the said Kaiapoi Borough Council, and is there open for inspection. And notice is further hereby given that all persons affected by the execution of the said public work or by the taking of the said land shall, if they have any well-grounded objections to the execution of such public work or to the taking of such land, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the Town Clerk of the Borough of Kaiapoi, at Kaiapoi.

THE SCHEDULE HEREINBEFORE REFERRED TO.

Approximate Area.	Rural Section.	Situate	Borough of
A. R. P. 0 0 22-1	Part 321	Between Hugh and Fuller Streets	Kaipoi.

Dated this 30th day of May, 1892.

WILLIAM DOUBLEDAY, Mayor.
ROBERT CHAPMAN, Town Clerk. 366

THE REEFTON ELECTRICAL TRANSMISSION OF POWER AND LIGHTING COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that, at the extraordinary general meeting of the shareholders of the above company, held the 5th day of May, 1892, the following special resolution was passed unanimously: "That the Reefton Electrical Transmission of Power and Lighting Company (Limited) be wound up voluntarily, in terms of 'The Companies Act, 1882;' and that the assets of the said company be sold to the Reefton Electric Light and Power Company (Limited) for such sum as will cover the liabilities of the before-mentioned company, in terms of the prospectus issued to shareholders, and dated the 21st day of April, 1892." And that at the extraordinary general meeting of the shareholders, held the 20th day of May, 1892, the said special resolution was unanimously confirmed.

Dated at Reefton, this 21st day of May, 1892.

MORRIS LEVY,
P. SALMON, } Directors.
W. HINDMARSH, Secretary.

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Patent Office Supplement.

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

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