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Land set apart for Village Settlement in the Otago Land District.

(L.S.) GLASGOW, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by the one hundred and sixty-eighth section of "The Land Act, 1892," I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the allotments of Crown lands respectively described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same are hereby set apart and declared open for lease as a village settlement.

SCHEDULE.

Section.	Block.	Area.		
GLENKENICH SURVEY DISTRICT.				
		A.	R.	P.
82	XI.	10	1	12
83	"	21	0	5
84	"	22	3	18
85	"	23	2	28
86	"	38	0	0
87	"	48	1	25
88	"	49	2	17
89	"	37	2	36
90	"	48	0	28
91	"	38	1	14
92	"	47	1	23
93	"	38	0	35
94	"	23	1	26
95	"	42	1	25
GLENOMARU SURVEY DISTRICT.				
50	VI.	4	0	26
56	"	1	3	34
57	"	2	3	20
70	"	4	1	0
71	"	7	0	8
72	"	4	2	21
SUTTON SURVEY DISTRICT.				
51	IV.	11	3	28
52	"	11	0	24
53	"	9	3	20
54	"	12	0	0
55	"	12	0	0
56	"	14	0	7
57	"	14	0	6
58	"	10	2	14
59	"	10	2	6

SUTTON SURVEY DISTRICT—continued.

Section.	Block.	Area.		
		A.	R.	P.
60	IV.	14	0	7
61	"	14	0	5
62	"	17	0	28
63	"	15	1	38
64	"	19	3	17
65	"	18	1	4
66	"	13	0	0
68	"	12	1	18
WAIKOIKOI TOWN.				
4	..	1	0	0
5	..	1	2	0
9	..	2	0	8
10	..	2	0	39
11	..	2	0	3
13	..	1	0	0
14	..	1	0	0
17	..	5	2	34
20	..	1	1	39
21	..	2	3	18
24	..	3	2	7
26	..	2	0	5
27	..	1	2	25

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable David, Earl of Glasgow; Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at Wellington, this thirty-first day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land set apart for Village Settlement in the Canterbury Land District.

(L.S.) GLASGOW, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by the one hundred and sixty-eighth section of "The Land Act, 1892," I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare

that the allotments of Crown lands respectively described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same are hereby set apart and declared open for lease as village settlements.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—SELWYN COUNTY.

Leeston Survey District.

Section.	Block.	Reserve.	Area.
2 and 3	VII.	1238	A. R. P. 48 1 37
ASHBURTON COUNTY.			
Ashburton Survey District.			
13	IV. and VIII.	1769	10 0 0
17	IV.	1769	10 0 17

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable David, Earl of Glasgow; Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this seventh day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land set apart for Village Settlements in the Hawke's Bay Land District.

(L.S.) GLASGOW, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by the one hundred and sixty-eighth section of "The Land Act, 1892," I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the allotments of Crown lands respectively described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same are hereby set apart and declared open for lease as village settlements.

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Area.	Section.	Area.
CAPE TURNAGAIN VILLAGE.		TINIROTO VILLAGE—contd.	
	A. R. P.		A. R. P.
32	4 3 22	39	4 3 30
33	7 2 22	40	4 3 22
38	1 3 22	41	4 1 5
43	1 3 19	42	4 3 13
44	4 1 34	43	5 0 0
		44	5 0 0
HANGAROA VILLAGE.		45	5 0 0
74	8 1 9	46	5 0 0
75	7 0 26	47	5 0 0
76	6 2 35	48	5 0 0
77	7 2 7	49	6 1 12
78	14 2 15	51	7 3 15
79	16 2 26	52	7 0 29
		53	4 3 36
MOTU VILLAGE.		54	4 0 6
15	50 0 0	55	4 0 30
		56	4 3 20
TINIROTO VILLAGE.		57	5 2 26
1	1 2 24	58	7 2 5
2	2 0 0	59	9 2 17
3	2 0 0	60	9 3 20
4	2 0 27	61	9 3 35
10	1 2 0	62	10 0 30
11	2 0 0	63	10 0 4
12	2 0 0	64	9 3 32
23	2 0 0	65	10 0 5
24	2 2 0	66	9 3 39
35	2 0 0	67	9 3 39
36	2 0	68	10 0 8
		69	10 0 2

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable David, Earl of Glasgow; Knight

Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this eighth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Boundaries of Borough of Linwood extended.

(L.S.) GLASGOW, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1886," I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the district the boundaries whereof are described in the First Schedule hereto is hereby incorporated into the Borough of Linwood; and I do further proclaim and declare that the boundaries of the said borough shall be those described in the Second Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND TO BE ADDED TO THE BOROUGH OF LINWOOD.

ALL that area of land in the Canterbury Land District, in the Survey District of Christchurch, bounded by a line commencing at a point on the south-eastern side of Ensor's Road, and being the point of its intersection with Ferry Road; and proceeding thence along the south-eastern side of the said Ensor's Road in a southerly direction to its intersection with the Lyttelton and Christchurch Railway Reserve; thence along the north-eastern boundary of the said reserve in a westerly direction to the Borough of Sydenham; thence northerly along the eastern boundary of the said Borough of Sydenham to Ferry Road; thence easterly along the southern side of the said Ferry Road to the intersection of Ollivier's Road; thence in a northerly direction across and along the eastern side of Ollivier's Road and Park Road to the intersection of the Canal Reserve; thence along the south-western side of the said Canal Reserve in an easterly direction to the intersection of Aldwin's Road; thence in a southerly direction along the south-eastern side of the said Aldwin's Road to its intersection with Ferry Road; thence north-westerly along the southern side of Ferry Road to the said Ensor's Road.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

BOROUGH OF LINWOOD (AMENDED BOUNDARIES).

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, bounded towards the west and north by the City of Christchurch from the south side of Ferry Road to a point in line with the north-eastern side of Canal and Road Reserve; thence towards the north-east by a right line to the north-eastern side of the said Canal and Road Reserve, and by the north-eastern side of the said reserve to a point in line with the south-eastern side of Park Road; thence by a right line across the Canal Reserve Road, and by that road to the south-eastern side of Aldwin's Road; thence towards the south-east generally by the south-eastern side of Aldwin's Road and its production to the south-western side of Ferry Road; thence by the south-western side of Ferry Road to the south-eastern side of Ensor's Road; thence by the south-eastern side of that road to the reserve for the Christchurch-Lyttelton Railway; thence towards the south-west by the reserve for the Christchurch-Lyttelton Railway, and towards the west and again towards the south-west by the Borough of Sydenham.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable David, Earl of Glasgow; Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this ninth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Terms and Conditions of Leases of Village Homesteads in Otago.

GLASGOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this first day of August, 1893.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the one hundred and sixty-ninth section of "The Land Act, 1892," it is enacted that the Governor in Council may fix the terms and conditions upon which the lands in any village settlement shall be disposed of, subject as in the said section is provided: And whereas by a Proclamation made under the said Act on the thirty-first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* on the tenth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, the lands described in the First Schedule hereto have been set apart under the said Act and declared open for lease as village settlements, and it is expedient to fix the terms and conditions upon which the said lands shall be disposed of:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by the said Act, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby fix the terms and conditions on which the lands mentioned in the First Schedule hereto shall be disposed of by way of lease in perpetuity, and which said terms and conditions are set forth in the Second Schedule hereto, and also doth direct that the lands in the said village settlements shall be divided into village-homestead allotments only.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT VILLAGE HOMESTEAD ALLOTMENTS.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rental.
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TUAPEKA COUNTY.

Glenkenich Survey District.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
82	XI. 10 1 12	0 2 0	0 10 0
83	21 0 5		1 1 0
84	22 3 18		1 3 0
85	23 2 28		1 4 0
86	38 0 0	0 2 1-2	1 19 11
87	48 1 25	0 2 0	2 8 0
88	49 2 17	0 2 1-2	2 12 6
89	37 2 36	0 1 10-8	1 16 2
90	48 0 28		2 5 8
91	38 1 14		1 16 2
92	47 1 23		2 2 4
93	38 0 35	0 1 9-6	1 14 3
94	23 1 26	0 1 10-8	1 1 11
95	42 1 25	0 1 8-4	1 15 9

Sections 86, 89, 90, and 94 contain mixed bush; the remaining sections are partly open. With the exception of Section 82, all the lots are watered. The land is of good quality, mostly level and agricultural; distance from Tapanui from five to six miles, and from Pomahaka Railway-station from two to three miles. The above are subdivisions of Pastoral Run 140A, recently occupied by Mr. William Sheath.

CLUTHA COUNTY.

Glenomaru Survey District.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
50	VI. 4 0 26	0 2 4-8	0 4 10
56	1 3 34	0 3 2-4	0 3 3
57	2 3 20	0 4 0	0 6 0
70	4 1 0		0 8 0
71	7 0 8	0 3 5-2	0 12 0
72	4 2 21	0 3 2-4	0 8 0

Level land, of a light sandy nature; situated at junction of Owaka and Catlin's Rivers, about two and a half miles from the proposed railway-station, and one and a half miles from Owaka Post-office and School. Sections 70, 71, and 72 are wholly bush areas; the other sections contain dead timber and fern. The average altitude of the above is 5ft., but the altitude of Section 70 runs up to 30ft.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rental.
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TAIERI COUNTY.

Sutton Survey District.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
51	IV. 11 3 28	0 3 2-4	0 19 3
52	11 0 24	0 2 9-6	0 15 5
53	9 3 20		0 14 0
54	12 0 0		1 5 6
55	12 0 0		1 1 11
56	14 0 7	0 4 5-8	1 11 5
57	14 0 6		1 11 5
58	10 2 14	0 3 2-9	0 17 10
59	10 2 6		0 17 10
60	14 0 7	0 3 10-6	1 7 2
61	14 0 5	0 4 1	1 8 7
62	17 0 28	0 3 2-9	1 7 7
63	15 1 38	0 3 0-5	1 2 10
64	19 3 17	0 2 10-1	1 8 5
65	18 1 4	0 3 2-9	1 9 2
66	13 0 0		1 1 1
68	12 1 18	0 1 9-6	0 10 10

The above are subdivisions of what is known as Blair Taieri Township Reserve, which is situated about three miles south of Middlemarch, and is traversed by the Otago Central Railway. Generally speaking, the soil is good (in parts a little sandy) and watered. A few of the sections are dry, but lie no great distance from good streams. The land is level.

CLUTHA COUNTY.

Waikoiko Town.

4	..	1 0 0	0 1 8
5	..	1 2 0	0 3 3
9	..	2 0 8	0 3 3
10	..	2 0 39	0 3 3
11	..	2 0 3	0 3 3
13	..	1 0 0	0 1 8
14	..	1 0 0	0 1 8
17	..	5 2 34	0 9 8
20	..	1 1 39	0 1 8
21	..	2 3 18	0 4 10
24	..	3 2 7	0 6 5
26	..	2 0 5	0 3 3
27	..	1 2 25	0 3 3

Undulating land; situated about four and a half miles from Pomahaka Railway-station, in centre of a good agricultural district.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. THE lands enumerated in the First Schedule hereto are first-class lands, and are divided into village-homestead allotments, open for selection on lease in perpetuity, under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892" (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act").
2. The day on which the lands shall be open for selection shall be Wednesday, the twenty-seventh day of September, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.
3. The rental stated in the First Schedule hereto shall be the price at which the land shall be open for selection.
4. Applications for leases shall be made in manner as provided in Part I. of the said Act; and all such applications shall be made to the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Dunedin; and leases will be issued in accordance with the provisions of Part I. aforesaid.
5. Each applicant shall state his or her residence, occupation, and condition in life (namely, whether married or single), and will be required to make the declaration prescribed in Schedule C to the said Act.
6. Each applicant shall also deposit the first half-year's rent, together with the lease and registration fee, as provided in the 63rd section of the said Act.
7. All rents must be paid half-yearly, in advance, on the first days of January and July in each year, as provided in section 157 of the said Act; and the first half-year's rent is payable as before provided.
8. Improvements and residence on the land comprised in each lease shall be as provided in Part III. of the said Act. The provisions of section 144, and all other provisions of the said Act with respect to substantial improvements, shall apply accordingly to lessees under these regulations. The provisions of section 141, and all other provisions of the said Act in respect of compulsory residence, shall apply accordingly to lessees under these regulations.
9. No lessee shall subdivide, sublet, or transfer the land held by him under these regulations, except under and subject to the provisions of Part I. of the said Act.

10. No lessee shall hold more than one allotment, and such allotment shall be held for his sole use and benefit, and not for the use or benefit of any other person whomsoever. No married woman shall be eligible as a selector; but this provision shall not apply to any married woman who may become a transferee under a will or by virtue of an intestacy.

11. All the provisions of the said Act, so far as applicable, shall extend and apply to the lands affected by these regulations, and to the applications and leases to be made and issued thereunder, and generally to the interests created, and the persons whose rights, liabilities, or interests are thereby affected; and the mention of any particular provision of the said Act shall not be deemed to exclude any other provision of the said Act applicable to the particular case.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Terms and Conditions of Lease of Village Homesteads in Village Settlements of Hawke's Bay.

GLASGOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eighth day of August, 1893.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the one hundred and sixty-ninth section of "The Land Act, 1892," it is enacted that the Governor in Council may fix the terms and conditions upon which the lands in any village settlement shall be disposed of, subject as in the said section is provided: And whereas by a Proclamation made under the said Act on the eighth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* on the tenth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, the lands described in the First Schedule hereto have been set apart under the said Act and declared open for lease as a village settlement, and it is expedient to fix the terms and conditions upon which the said lands shall be disposed of:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by the said Act, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby fix the terms and conditions on which the lands mentioned in the First Schedule hereto shall be disposed of by way of lease in perpetuity, and which said terms and conditions are set forth in the Second Schedule hereto, and also doth direct that the lands in the said village settlement shall be divided into village-homestead allotments only.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—VILLAGE-HOMESTEAD ALLOTMENTS.

Section.	Area.	Yearly Rent per Allotment: Lease in Perpetuity.
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CAPE TURNAGAIN VILLAGE.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
32	4 3 22	0 19 6
33	7 2 22	1 10 6
38	1 3 22	0 15 0
43	1 3 19	0 15 0
44	4 1 34	1 6 10

This settlement is situated within three miles of the Township of Herbertville, at the landing-place for the steamers trading to Wellington, and, as all the produce from the settled lands in the Weber and Tautane Districts must go there for shipment, the lots are likely to become of considerable value as time goes on.

HANGAROA VILLAGE.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
74	8 1 9	1 0 0
75	7 0 26	0 17 2
76	6 2 35	0 16 0
77	7 2 7	0 18 0
78	14 2 15	1 15 2
79	16 2 26	2 0 0

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

MOTU VILLAGE.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
15	50 0 0	2 10 0

Situated in the centre of a large tract of timber-country, of which about 12,000 acres are open for selection; the soil is generally good, and the sections partly flat. A reserve for an accommodation-house is now occupied, and the house is

being built. The settlement is about fifty-five miles north-west of Gisborne, in the valley of the Motu River, and the main Ormond-Opotiki Road passes through it.

Section.	Area.	Yearly Rent per Allotment: Lease in Perpetuity.
TINIROTO VILLAGE.		
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
1	1 2 24	0 6 6
2	2 0 0	0 8 0
3	2 0 0	0 8 0
4	2 0 27	0 9 8
10	1 2 0	0 6 0
11	2 0 0	0 8 0
12	2 0 0	0 8 0
23	2 0 0	0 8 0
24	2 2 0	0 10 0
35	2 0 0	0 8 0
36	2 0 0	0 8 0
39	4 3 30	0 12 0
40	4 3 22	0 12 0
41	4 1 5	0 10 6
42	4 3 13	0 12 0
43	5 0 0	0 12 0
44	5 0 0	0 12 0
45	5 0 0	0 12 0
46	5 0 0	0 12 0
47	5 0 0	0 12 0
48	5 0 0	0 12 0
49	6 1 12	0 15 4
51	7 3 15	0 19 4
52	7 0 29	0 16 10
53	4 3 36	0 12 0
54	4 0 6	0 3 4
55	4 0 30	0 3 4
56	4 3 20	0 4 0
57	5 2 26	0 4 10
58	7 2 5	0 6 0
59	9 2 17	0 7 8
60	9 3 20	0 7 10
61	9 3 35	0 8 0
62	10 0 30	0 8 2
63	10 0 4	0 8 0
64	9 3 32	0 8 0
65	10 0 5	0 8 0
66	9 3 39	0 8 0
67	9 3 39	0 8 0
68	10 0 8	0 8 0
69	10 0 2	0 8 0

Situated close to the Gisborne-Wairoa Main Road, about forty-two miles south-west from the former place. There is an hotel and flax-mill in the settlement. Generally undulating open fern land, and fair soil.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. The lands enumerated in the First Schedule hereto are first-class lands, and are divided into village-homestead allotments, open for selection on lease in perpetuity, under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892" (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act").

2. The day on which the lands shall be open for selection shall be Wednesday, the fourth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

3. The rental stated in the First Schedule hereto shall be the price at which the land shall be open for selection.

4. Applications for leases shall be made in manner as provided in Part I. of the said Act; and all such applications shall be made to the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Napier; and leases will be issued in accordance with the provisions of Part I. aforesaid.

5. Each applicant shall state his or her residence, occupation, and condition in life (namely, whether married or single), and will be required to make the declaration prescribed in Schedule C to the said Act.

6. Each applicant shall also deposit the first half-year's rent, together with the lease and registration fee, as provided in the 63rd section of the said Act.

7. All rents must be paid half-yearly, in advance, on the first days of January and July in each year, as provided in section 157 of the said Act; and the first half-year's rent is payable as before provided.

8. Improvements and residence on the land comprised in each lease shall be as provided in Part III. of the said Act. The provisions of section 144, and all other provisions of the said Act with respect to substantial improvements, shall apply accordingly to lessees under these regulations. The provisions of section 141, and all other provisions of the said Act in respect of compulsory residence, shall apply accordingly to lessees under these regulations.

9. No lessee shall subdivide, sublet, or transfer the land held by him under these regulations, except under and subject to the provisions of Part I. of the said Act.

10. No lessee shall hold more than one allotment, and such allotment shall be held for his sole use and benefit, and not for the use or benefit of any other person whomsoever. No married woman shall be eligible as a selector; but this provision shall not apply to any married woman who may become a transferee under a will or by virtue of an intestacy.

11. All the provisions of the said Act, so far as applicable, shall extend and apply to the lands affected by these regulations, and to the applications and leases to be made and issued thereunder, and generally to the interests created, and the persons whose rights, liabilities, or interests are thereby affected; and the mention of any particular provision of the said Act shall not be deemed to exclude any other provision of the said Act applicable to the particular case.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Terms and Conditions of Lease of Village Homesteads in the Village Settlements in Canterbury.

GLASGOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eighth day of August, 1893.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the one hundred and sixty-ninth section of "The Land Act, 1892," it is enacted that the Governor in Council may fix the terms and conditions upon which the lands in any village settlement shall be disposed of, subject as in the said section is provided: And whereas by a Proclamation made under the said Act on the seventh day of August, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* on the tenth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, the lands described in the First Schedule hereto have been set apart under the said Act and declared open for lease as village settlements, and it is expedient to fix the terms and conditions upon which the said lands shall be disposed of:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by the said Act, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby fix the terms and conditions on which the lands mentioned in the First Schedule hereto shall be disposed of by way of lease in perpetuity, and which said terms and conditions are set forth in the Second Schedule hereto, and also doth direct that the lands in the said village settlements shall be divided into village-homestead allotments only.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Reserve.	Area.	Rental at 4 per Cent. per Annum.	
			Per Acre.	Half-yearly Rental.

SELWYN COUNTY.

Leeston Survey District, Block VII.

		A.	R.	P.	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
2 and 3	1238	48	1	37	3	7½	4	7	3

These sections are situated at the junction of the Ellesmere Junction Road with the Weedon and Ellesmere Roads, distant about one mile and three-quarters in a north-westerly direction from the Springston Railway-station, and comprise light gravelly soil.

ASHBURTON COUNTY.

Ashburton Survey District, Blocks IV. and VIII.

13	1769	10	0	0	4	0	1	0	0
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This section is situated in the Chertsey Village Settlement, about half a mile north-east of the railway-station of that name, and comprises open level land of fair quality, intersected by a county water-race. The section is weighted with a sum of £11 5s., being the value of about 25 chains of fencing, which sum must be deposited with the application. There is a Government advance of £20 in respect of the dwellinghouse erected on the section; interest on such advance being payable half-yearly at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum: the first half-year's interest, amounting to 10s., will be payable at the time of application.

Ashburton Survey District, Block IV.

17	1769	10	0	17	4	0	1	0	3
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This section is situated in the Chertsey Village Settlement, about three-quarters of a mile north-east of the railway-station of that name, and comprises open level land of fair quality, intersected by a county water-race. The section is weighted with a sum of £24 16s., being the value of dwellinghouse and about 26 chains of fencing, which sum must be deposited with the application.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. THE lands enumerated in the First Schedule hereto are first-class lands, and are divided into village-homestead allotments, open for selection on lease in perpetuity, under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892" (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act").

2. The day on which the lands shall be open for selection shall be Wednesday, the fourth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

3. The rental stated in the First Schedule hereto shall be the price at which the land shall be open for selection.

4. Applications for leases shall be made in manner as provided in Part I. of the said Act; and all such applications shall be made to the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Christchurch; and leases will be issued in accordance with the provisions of Part I. aforesaid.

5. Each applicant shall state his or her residence, occupation, and condition in life (namely, whether married or single), and will be required to make the declaration prescribed in Schedule C to the said Act.

6. Each applicant shall also deposit the first half-year's rent, together with the lease and registration fee, as provided in the 63rd section of the said Act.

7. All rents must be paid half-yearly, in advance, on the first days of January and July in each year, as provided in section 157 of the said Act; and the first half-year's rent is payable as before provided.

8. Improvements and residence on the land comprised in each lease shall be as provided in Part III. of the said Act. The provisions of section 144, and all other provisions of the said Act with respect to substantial improvements, shall apply accordingly to lessees under these regulations. The provisions of section 141, and all other provisions of the said Act in respect of compulsory residence, shall apply accordingly to lessees under these regulations.

9. No lessee shall subdivide, sublet, or transfer the land held by him under these regulations, except under and subject to the provisions of Part I. of the said Act.

10. No lessee shall hold more than one allotment, including that already held, and such allotment shall be held for his sole use and benefit, and not for the use or benefit of any other person whomsoever. No married woman shall be eligible as a selector; but this provision shall not apply to any married woman who may become a transferee under a will or by virtue of an intestacy.

11. All the provisions of the said Act, so far as applicable, shall extend and apply to the lands affected by these regulations, and to the applications and leases to be made and issued thereunder, and generally to the interests created, and the persons whose rights, liabilities, or interests are thereby affected; and the mention of any particular provision of the said Act shall not be deemed to exclude any other provision of the said Act applicable to the particular case.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Vesting a Reserve in the Whakatane Road Board.

GLASGOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eighth day of August, 1893.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto was permanently reserved for Road Board offices and other public buildings by notification in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 88, of the tenth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two: And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient that the said land should be vested in the Whakatane Road Board:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, and in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the fourth section of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," doth hereby declare that from and after the day of the date hereof the reserve mentioned in the Schedule hereto shall become vested in the inhabitants of the Whakatane Road District, in trust, for Road Board offices and other public buildings, and such reserve shall be under the control and management of the Board of the said district.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Auckland Land District, being Section No. 296, Parish of Waimana, containing by admeasurement 1 rood 24 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north by a right line, 50 links; towards the south-east by a road, 578 links; towards the south by Section No. 295, Parish of Waimana, 100 links; and towards the north-west by the high-water mark of the Whakatane River: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Rural Lands in the Auckland Land District open for Sale or Selection.

GLASGOW, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one hundred and thirty-sixth section of "The Land Act, 1892," I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, having received the report of the Surveyor-General in this behalf, as in the said section is provided, do hereby declare that the rural lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale or selection on and after the fourth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three; and also that the lands mentioned in the said Schedule may, at the option of the applicant, be purchased for cash, or be selected for occupation with right of purchase or on lease in perpetuity, or, in respect of any lands containing or supposed to contain any metal, mineral, or valuable stone, be selected on lease in perpetuity only; and I do hereby also fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased, as mentioned in the said Schedule hereto, and do declare that the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased under and subject to the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—UNSURVEYED SECOND-CLASS LANDS.

Section.	Area.	Cash Price per Acre.	Occupation with Right of Purchase: Rent per Acre.	Lease in Perpetuity: Rent per Acre.
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WHANGAREI COUNTY.

Waikiekie Parish.

	A.	R.	P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
S.E. pn. 1	40	0	0			
N.W. 2	63	0	0			
S.E. 3	80	0	0			
S.W. 10	15	0	0			
M. 13	23	0	0			
M. 19	85	0	0			
20	46	0	0			
23	10	0	0			
N.E. 30	18	0	0			
S.W. 31	27	0	0			
E. pn. 41	27	0	0			
S.W. 42	22	0	0			
W. pn. 53	83	0	0			
N.E. 65	40	0	0			
N.E. 66	40	0	0			
S.W. 67	40	0	0			
N.E.M. 67	40	0	0			
S.E. 85	10	0	0			
N.E. 92	43	0	0			
105	47	0	0	0	10	0
S.E. 106	22	0	0	0	0	6
S.W. 107	12	0	0	0	0	4
114	51	0	0	0	0	8
N.E. 126	80	0	0			
N. 128	40	0	0			
129	42	0	0			
130	48	0	0			
N.W. 137	26	0	0			
N.E. 142	60	0	0			
S.W. 143	79	0	0			
144	40	0	0			
N.E. 146	41	2	0			
S.W. 148	31	0	0			
N.E. 150	17	0	0			
S.M. 151	49	0	0			
N. 153	49	0	0			
S.W. 154	60	0	0			
S.W. 155	60	0	0			
N.E. 156	29	0	0			
S.E. 163						

Sections 1 to 53, 85, 105, 106, 107, 137, 148 to 163, undulating land; mixed forest, consisting of rata, rimu, tawa, and taraire. Sections 65, 66, 67, 92, 114, 126, 128, 129, 130, 142, 143, 144, 146, open undulating land, situated from nine to fifteen miles from Mangapai.

Section.	Area.	Cash Price per Acre.	Occupation with Right of Purchase: Rent per Acre.	Lease in Perpetuity: Rent per Acre.
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WHANGAREI COUNTY.

Tauraroa Parish.

	A.	R.	P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
M. pn. 1	23	3	12			
S.W. 3	46	0	0			
S.W. 6	10	0	0			
W. 10	21	0	0			
N.E. 14	17	0	0			
21	49	0	0			
22	92	0	0			
S.E. 25	21	0	0			
N.W. 26	60	0	0			
S.E. 27	30	0	0			
S.E. 31	22	0	0			
N.W. 45	80	0	0			
N.W. 51	54	0	0			
S.E. 52	54	0	0			
N.E. 57	78	0	0			
S.W. 58	97	0	0			
S.W. 68	71	0	0			
70	60	0	0			
N.E. 72	60	0	0			
N.W. 74	60	0	0			
S.E. 75	85	0	0	0	10	0
N.E. 77	14	0	0	0	0	6
S.W. 78	60	0	0	0	0	4
N.E. 82	60	0	0			
N.E. 83	60	0	0			
84	77	0	0			
86	31	0	0			
N.W. 89	11	0	0			
N.W. 91	61	0	0			
S.E. 93	58	0	0			
N.W. 97	80	0	0			
S.E. 101	40	0	0			
N.W. 102	35	0	0			
N.W. 103	91	0	0			
N.W. 109	36	0	0			
N.W. 110	72	0	0			
M. 112	45	0	0			
S.M. 114	30	0	0			
M. 119	65	0	0			
N.W. 121	20	0	0			
N.W. 125	29	0	0			
N.E. 131	76	2	0			
N.W. 136	17	0	0			
N.W. 138						

Mixed forest land, containing rata, rimu, taraire, &c., situated from fifteen to eighteen miles from Mangapai. N.W. 138 is open land, with a little bush.

OTAMATEA COUNTY.

Kaiwaka Parish.

149	384	0	0	0	7	6	0	0	4	0	0	3	6
150													
151													
152													

Broken forest land of fair quality, situated about six miles from Kaiwaka. Lots 151 and 152 front the Piroa River.

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

JOHN McKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Rural Lands in the Taranaki Land District open for Sale or Selection.

GLASGOW, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one hundred and thirty-sixth section of "The Land Act, 1892," I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, having received the report of the Surveyor-General in this behalf, as in the said section is provided, do hereby declare that the rural lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale or selection on and after the twenty-seventh day of September, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three; and also that the lands mentioned in the said Schedule may, at the option of the applicant, be purchased for cash, or be selected for occupation with right of purchase or on lease in perpetuity, or, in respect of any lands containing or supposed to contain any metal, mineral, or valuable stone, be selected on lease in perpetuity only; and I do hereby also fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased, as mentioned in the said Schedule hereto, and do declare that the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased under and subject to the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

County.	District.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Price.		Occupation with Right of Purchase: Rent, 5 per Cent.		Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 4 per Cent.	
					Per Acre.	Total Price.	Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.	Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.

FIRST-CLASS LAND.

		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.						
Hawera	Kaupokonui ..	4	VI.	230	0	0	20	0	230	0	0	1	0	5	13	0	0	9	6	4	12	0

All forest, damp in places, cut up by deep watercourses; soil light and gravelly, resting on conglomerate. Forest consists of rimu, rata, tawhero, hinau, &c.; exceedingly well watered. This section joins the Mount Egmont Forest Reserve, and has a frontage to the Ahuroa Road, which is felled and a track cleared, but not open for traffic beyond the Opunake Road, one mile and a half distant.

Clifton	Huiroa ..	4	IV.	125	0	0	32	0	200	0	0	1	7	5	0	0	1	3	36	4	0	0
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About three-quarters open and scrub, remainder light bush, consisting of tawa and tawhero; undulating in parts, level portions very swampy; partly pastoral and partly agricultural; soil on slopes light and poor. Situate on Junction and Pukeho Roads. Distance from Tarata by Junction Road, which is formed and bridged, about four miles.

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

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Rural Lands in the Marlborough Land District open for Sale or Selection.

GLASGOW, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one hundred and thirty-sixth section of "The Land Act, 1892," I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, having received the report of the Surveyor-General in this behalf, as in the said section is provided, do hereby declare that the rural lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale or selection on and after the twenty-seventh day of September, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three; and also that the lands mentioned in the said Schedule may, at the option of the applicant, be purchased for cash, or be selected for occupation with right of purchase or on lease in perpetuity, or, in respect of any lands containing or supposed to contain any metal, mineral, or valuable stone, be selected on lease in perpetuity only; and I do hereby also fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased, as mentioned in the said Schedule hereto, and do declare that the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased under and subject to the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.

County.	District.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Price.		Occupation with Right of Purchase: Rent, 5 per Cent.		Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 4 per Cent.	
					Per Acre.	Total Price.	Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.	Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.

SECOND-CLASS LAND.

		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.							
Marlboro'	Wakamarina..	2	Pt. VII.	200	0	0	0	10	0	100	0	0	0	6	2	10	0	0	4	8	2	0	0

All hill, covered with mixed bush, principally birch on higher slopes; soil inferior. Distant from Havelock about two miles by water, and four miles by road.

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

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Trustee for the Waimangaroa Cemetery appointed.

GLASGOW, Governor.

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

WILLIAM RIDING

to be a Trustee, in the place of Edward Haylock, who has

left the district, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Waimangaroa Cemetery, in conjunction with the other persons appointed by warrant under the hand of His Excellency the Governor on the twenty-seventh day of November, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

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

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Trustees for the Maintenance of the Poukiore Public Cemetery appointed.

GLASGOW, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the sixth section of "The Cemeteries Act, 1882," I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the several persons whose names are specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto to be Trustees to provide for the maintenance and care of the public cemetery specified in the second column of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Names of Trustees.	Name of Public Cemetery, and Description of Land.
Martin Tierney. Alexander McKenzie. John Innes. Richard Johnston. William Ellis.	POUKIORE. All that parcel of land in the Land District of Wellington, containing by admeasurement 5 acres 2 roods, more or less, being Section No. 34, Block XV., Tiriraukawa Survey District. Bounded on the north-east by a public road, 1,903 links; on the south-west by Poukiore No. 1 Block, 1,581 links; and on the north-west by Section No. 25, 892 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the office of the Chief Surveyor, Wellington.

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

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Deputy Registrar of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 4th August, 1893.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES CROW

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Member Licensing Committee appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 3rd August, 1893.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

THOMAS WRIGLEY, Esq., J.P.,

to be a Member of the Licensing Committee for the Special Licensing District of Thermal Springs.

W. P. REEVES.

Visiting Justice appointed.

Department of Justice (Prisons Branch),
Wellington, 4th August, 1893.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ROBERT PATRICK LONARGAN, Esq., J.P.,

to be a Visiting Justice of Her Majesty's Prison at Lyttelton.

W. P. REEVES.

Clerk Licensing Committees appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 5th August, 1893.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

CHARLES FOSTER

to be Clerk of the Licensing Committees for the Districts of Addington, Newtown, Waltham, and Sydenham East, *vice* C. Allison, resigned.

W. P. REEVES.

District Judges appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 8th August, 1893.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HENRY WIRGMAN ROBINSON, Esq., R.M.,

to be District Judge for the District of Nelson, from the 7th inst.; and

CHARLES DUDLEY ROBERT WARD, Esq.,

to be District Judge for the District of Westland, from the 29th July, 1893.

W. P. REEVES.

Resident Magistrate and Registrar Supreme Court appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 8th August, 1893.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HENRY WIRGMAN ROBINSON, Esq., R.M.,

to be a Resident Magistrate for the District of Nelson, with extended jurisdiction to £100, and also to be Registrar of the Supreme Court at Nelson, from the 7th inst., *vice* H. E. Kenny, transferred.

W. P. REEVES.

District Judge resigned.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 8th August, 1893.

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

HARRY EYRE KENNY, Esq.,

of his appointment as District Judge for the District of Nelson, as from the 5th inst.

W. P. REEVES.

Member of Oamaru Harbour Board appointed.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 9th August, 1893.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased, in pursuance of the provisions of section 40 of "The Harbours Act, 1878," and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, to appoint

WILLIAM RUTHERFORD DARLING

to be a Member of the Oamaru Harbour Board, in the place of the Hon. Henry John Miller, M.L.C., resigned.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

District Land Registrar, Registrar of Deeds, and Examiner of Titles appointed.

Head Office, Stamp Department,
Wellington, 8th August, 1893.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HENRY WIRGMAN ROBINSON, Esq.,

to be District Land Registrar, Registrar of Deeds, and Examiner of Titles for the Land and Deeds Registration District of Nelson, to take effect from the 7th inst.

W. P. REEVES.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan, Clifton County Council.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 9th August, 1893.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

RESULT of a poll taken at Tatata, in the Ngatimaru Riding, Clifton County, on the 29th July, 1893, on a proposal to raise a loan of £650, under "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886," for the purpose of forming a portion of the Autawa and Pita roads.

Number on special roll, 11; number who voted in favour of the proposal, 1; number who did not vote, 10.

I therefore declare the proposal lost.

A. F. HALCOMBE,

Waitara, 1st August, 1893.

Chairman.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 9th August, 1893.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

SPECIAL ORDER.

THAT, for the purpose of securing payment of the sum of £120—being 10 per cent. additional to a sum of £1,200 borrowed by the Board, under "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886," for the purpose of completing six miles of road-formation, Parkville, commencing as near the bridge as necessary at the eastern end of the Central Road, and terminating at the south-east corner of Section 4, Block X., Tararua Survey District; on No. 2 South Road, commencing at the Wellington No. 1 S. S. Block, and terminating at traverse peg No. 28, opposite Section 29, Block X., Mangaone Survey District—a special rate of $\frac{3}{4}$ d. in the pound be made and levied on the rateable value, for the time being, of the following properties: Sections 5, 6, and 7, Block V., Sections 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 36, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, and 56, all in the Mangaone Survey District; Sections 1 and 2, Block VII., Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12, all in the Tararua Survey District. Such rate shall be an annually-recurring rate, and shall be paid in two half-yearly instalments, for twenty-six years, on the 1st day of February and the 1st day of August in each year, until the debt is liquidated.

I hereby certify that the above special order has been duly made.

W. BAYLISS,
Clerk to the Eketahuna Road Board.

Special Order made by the Picton Road Board, County of Marlborough.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 9th August, 1893.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

PICTON ROAD BOARD.

THE following special order was made by the Picton Road Board on the 22nd July, 1893: "That this Board delegate to the Pukaka River Board all the powers and liabilities conferred by the Counties Act and Public Works Act and their Amendment Acts within the Pukaka River District, and over the parts of those watercourses draining that district, but outside of it, known as Marukoko Creek, the Native Reserve Drain, Schooner Creek to Blind Creek, and Blind Creek from its junction with Schooner Creek to the Wairau River."

I hereby certify that the above special order was duly made by the Picton Road Board at a meeting of that body held this day, 22nd July, 1893.

A. W. BARNETT,
Clerk Picton Road Board.

Special Order made by the Moa Road Board, County of Taranaki.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 9th August, 1893.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

MOA ROAD BOARD.

SPECIAL ORDER made by the Moa Road Board on the 28th June, 1893, and confirmed on the 29th July, 1893—namely, "That to secure the repayment of a loan of £80, borrowed under 'The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886,' for the purpose of improving the Tariki Road, a special rate of $\frac{1}{4}$ d. in the pound be made and levied on all rateable property within the Tariki Special Rating District, comprising the following lands: Sections 1, 2, Block V., Huiroa Survey District; Sections 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 60, Block VI., Huiroa; Sections 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, Block VII., Huiroa: such rate to be an annually-recurring rate for twenty-six years, and shall be payable in two half-yearly instalments, on the first of January and first of July in each year."

I hereby certify that the above special order was made according to the provisions of section seventy-five of "The Road Boards Act, 1882."

N. SCHUMACHER,
Clerk Moa Road Board.

Gold-mining Leases cancelled.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 5th August, 1893.

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to pronounce the under-mentioned gold-mining leases cancelled, and that the ground is now open for application as if no lease of the said ground had ever been applied for:—

WESTLAND MINING DISTRICT.

James Wilson, for the Guiding Star Quartz-mining Company (Limited); Section 21, Block VII., Reefton; 16 acres 2 roods 2 perches. No. 1469.

James Wilson, for the Guiding Star Quartz-mining Company (Limited); Section 23, Block VII., Reefton; 16 acres 2 roods 4 perches. No. 1470.

Patrick Quirk Caples, for the Minerva Gold-mining Company; Section 3, Block VII., Reefton; 16 acres 1 rood 18 perches. No. 1484.

Maurice FitzGerald, for the Garden Gully Gold-mining Company; Section 3, Block XI., Reefton; 14 acres and 12 perches. No. 1411.

Maurice FitzGerald, for the Shannon Gold-mining Company; Section 2, Block VII., Reefton; 15 acres 3 roods 34 perches. No. 1482.

Patrick Murphy, for the Neptune Gold-mining Company; Section 1, Block VII., Reefton; 16 acres 2 roods 16 perches. No. 1483.

R. J. SEDDON,
Minister of Mines.

Order in Council removing Prohibition on Importation of Sheep and Sheepskins from New Zealand into Victoria.—Notice No. 375.

Department of Agriculture (Live-stock Branch),
Wellington, 8th August, 1893.

THE following Order in Council, issued by the Governor of Victoria, is published for general information.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Agriculture.

REVOCATION OF THE PROHIBITION AGAINST THE IMPORTATION OF SHEEP AND SHEEPSKINS FROM NEW ZEALAND INTO VICTORIA.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the seventeenth day of July, 1893.

Present: His Excellency the Governor, Mr. Patterson, Sir Bryan O'Loughlen, Mr. McIntyre, Mr. Reid, Mr. McColl, Mr. Wynne, Mr. Baker, Mr. Cooke, Mr. Abbott.

WHEREAS by "The Stock Diseases Act, 1890," it is among other things enacted that the Governor in Council may from time to time make, alter, or repeal regulations for any purpose whatsoever connected with the execution of the said Act: And whereas by an order dated the twenty-eighth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, the Governor in Council did prohibit the importation of sheep from New Zealand into Victoria: And whereas it is expedient to revoke the said order: Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby revoke the order aforesaid. And whereas by an order dated the fourteenth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ninety, the Governor in Council did prohibit the importation of sheepskins from New Zealand, and sheep and sheepskins from Western Australia, into Victoria: And whereas it is expedient to revoke the order aforesaid so far as it relates to the prohibition of the importation of sheepskins from New Zealand: Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby revoke the order aforesaid so far as it relates to the prohibition of the importation of sheepskins from New Zealand.

And the Hon. William Telford Webb, Her Majesty's Minister of Agriculture for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Prizes for Collections of Noxious Weeds and Insects.—Notice No. 368.

Department of Agriculture,
Wellington, 9th May, 1893.

THE date for receiving the collections mentioned in Gazette Notice No. 365, and dated the 7th April, 1893, has been extended to the 31st March, 1894.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Agriculture.

Amended Regulations for the Entry of Engineer Students in Her Majesty's Navy.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 9th August, 1893.

THE following amended regulations for the entry of engineer students in Her Majesty's navy, received from the Admiralty, are republished for general information.

R. J. SEDDON.

Admiralty, 18th May, 1893.

REGULATIONS FOR THE ENTRY OF ENGINEER STUDENTS IN HER MAJESTY'S NAVY, AND FOR THE ENTRY OF STUDENTS IN NAVAL CONSTRUCTION, with a view to their being trained in Her Majesty's Dockyard at Devonport.

[The engineer students to be trained for service afloat as engineer officers. The students in naval construction to be trained with a view to their joining the Royal Corps of Naval Constructors.]

1. VACANCIES for appointments as engineer students in Her Majesty's navy will be filled principally by means of competitive examinations open to all sons of British subjects, being of the prescribed age and of good moral character, but their Lordships will reserve to themselves the right to nominate a few candidates at each entry who will be appointed on passing the examination specified in paragraph 11.

The candidates to be nominated will be selected by the Board of Admiralty from sons of officers of the navy, army, or Royal marines who have been killed in action or who have been lost at sea on active service, or killed on duty, or who have died of wounds received in action, or injuries received on duty within six months from the date of such action or injury, or sons of officers of the navy or Royal marines who have performed long and meritorious service. The number to be so nominated will not exceed one-fifth of the total number of engineer students to be entered. Except as provided in paragraph 11, the candidates will be subject to the same regulations as the candidates for appointment by open competition.*

Three engineer studentships will be given annually to sons of gentlemen in the colonies on the recommendation of the Secretary of State for the Colonies, provided they pass the required examination. These candidates will be subject to precisely the same regulations as herein laid down for nominated service candidates.†

2. The number of appointments to be made in each year will be fixed by their Lordships.

3. The list of candidates for the appointments by open competition will be kept at the office of the Civil Service Commissioners. All applications for the forms to be filled up by persons who wish to compete must be sent to the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, London, S.W., on or after the 1st January in each year, and care must be taken that the forms when filled up are returned so as to reach the Civil Service Commissioners on or before the 15th March following, as no notice will be taken of forms received after that date. The list of nominated candidates will be kept at the Admiralty.

4. Candidates must not be less than fourteen nor more than seventeen years of age on the 1st day of May in the year in which they are examined.

5. Evidence of age and character will not be required before the examination, but candidates successful in it will not be eligible for appointment unless they satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners on these points.

6. The medical examination of the successful candidates will be held, under the authority of their Lordships, as soon as possible after the result of the educational examination is made known. No candidate will be entered as an engineer student unless he is pronounced to be physically fit. Candidates in or near London will be medically examined by the Medical Director-General of the Navy at the Admiralty. Those residing near one of Her Majesty's Dockyards, or one of the first-reserve ships or drill-ships of the Royal Naval Reserve, or the flagship at Queenstown, will be examined by the medical officers attached thereto. The medical examinations will be conducted in all respects in strict accordance with the instructions for the examination of persons for admission into the naval service. All candidates at the time of their medical examination must produce certificates to the satisfaction of the examining officers that they have been revaccinated, or they must be revaccinated before they can be considered eligible for entry as engineer students in Her Majesty's navy.

* Applications for nominations must be made so as to arrive at the Admiralty before the 1st February in each year, and should be addressed to the Secretary of the Admiralty, if the candidate is the son of an officer of the navy or marines; to the Military Secretary, Horse Guards, if the candidate is the son of an officer of the army; and to the Military Secretary, India Office, if the candidate is the son of an officer of the Indian army.

† The names of the colonial candidates are to be received at the Admiralty from the Colonial Office on or before the 1st February in each year.

7. The educational examination will be held by the Civil Service Commissioners in London, Liverpool, Portsmouth, Devonport, Newcastle-on-Tyne, Edinburgh, and Dublin, and will take place in the month of April of each year. The exact date may be ascertained by application to the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, on or after the 1st January in each year.

8. The following will be the subjects of the competitive examination, and the maximum number of marks for each subject:—

Arithmetic	300
English—	
Handwriting	} 200
Accuracy and intelligence in writing from dictation	
Composition	} 150
Grammar	
	350
French or German or Italian—	
Translation into English	150
Latin—	
Translation into English	150
Very elementary physics and chemistry*	100
Geography (including physical geography)	200
Algebra (up to and including quadratic equations)	300
Euclid's elements (Books I. to IV. and Book VI., and the definitions of Book V.)	300
Freehand drawing	100
Total	1,950

All candidates will be tested as to their ability to read aloud with clearness, distinctness, and accuracy, and without hesitation. Stammering or any imperfection of utterance will be regarded as a disqualification.

9. A fee of 10s. will be required from every candidate attending an examination.

10. Candidates in the competitive examination who fail to pass either in arithmetic, or in handwriting, dictation, and composition combined; also those who fail to pass in reading aloud, will be disqualified, and their other papers will not be examined. Successful candidates will be entered as engineer students in Her Majesty's navy, according to the number of appointments which it may be decided to make each year; they will be taken according to their position on the examination list. Candidates who obtain less than 880 marks in the aggregate will not be placed upon the list.

11. The candidates who are nominated by their Lordships and by the Secretary of State for the Colonies, will be required to pass the same test examination in the first four subjects and in reading aloud as the candidates who enter for the competitive examination. They will also be examined in the other subjects to ascertain the extent of their knowledge and to determine their order of merit, and no nominated candidate will be appointed as an engineer student who obtains less than 880 marks in the aggregate.

12. Candidates will be informed by letter from the Civil Service Commission of the result of their examination as soon as it has been ascertained.

13. The successful candidates will be entered as engineer students in Her Majesty's navy on the 1st July in each year, and will be borne on the books of the dépôt ship at Devonport for disciplinary purposes. The period of training at Her Majesty's dockyard at Devonport will be for five years, but it will be reduced to four years in the case of engineer students who pass the examination described in paragraph 29, clause 1, and also pass very creditably in practical workmanship, professional subjects, and knowledge of engine-room duties referred to in paragraph 32.

14. Students in naval construction not exceeding two in number annually will be appointed from among engineer students who have shown special ability at the end of their second year of service. The students in naval construction, on appointment, must join with their parents or guardians in a bond for £500 to enter, if required, into Her Majesty's service as assistant constructors if at the expiration of their training they should obtain certificates of good conduct and efficiency for entry in that capacity. They will continue to be under naval discipline until their entry as assistant constructors. (See paragraph 45.)

A form of the required bond is set out in the Schedule hereto.

An assistant constructor will not be permitted to leave the service until seven years have expired after the completion of his term at the Royal Naval College at Greenwich, unless he shall pay the sum of £500. This payment is for the purpose of defraying the charges incurred by the public for his education.

* The examination in physics and chemistry will be easy questions in—Chemistry: Oxygen, hydrogen, nitrogen, carbon, the nature of combustion. Physics: Mechanics, hydrostatics, pneumatics, electricity and magnetism.

15. Students in naval construction will complete five years' service at Devonport in the training-school for engineer students, and will be subject to the same conditions as to fees, pay, uniform, and other details as may be prescribed from time to time for engineer students. Their course of instruction will be laid down from time to time. (See also paragraphs 40 to 49.)

16. The parent or guardian of each engineer student entered will be required to pay the sum of £40 per annum for each year the student may be under training—four, five, or six* years as the case may be. It will, however, be at the discretion of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty to select from among the students entered at each yearly examination a number not to exceed five, being sons of officers of the navy, army, or Royal marines, or of Civil officers under the Board of Admiralty, with respect to whom the annual payment will be £25 only. Their Lordships also reserve the power to further reduce this latter sum in the case of sons of officers killed or drowned, or who have otherwise lost their lives on service. In making their selection, my Lords will have regard solely to the pecuniary circumstances of the parents or guardians of the students.

17. The payments are to be made half-yearly, in advance, to the Cashier of Her Majesty's Dockyard at Devonport; the first payment is to be made on or before the 1st July, the date of entry of the student, and the subsequent payments on or before the 1st January and 1st July during the remainder of the student's training. Should a student leave from any cause, or be dismissed from the service, not any portion of the payments that have been made in his behalf will be refunded.

18. The parents or guardians of the students will also be required to provide the uniform (see paragraph 50) or other clothing, washing, and necessaries of each student. Board and lodging and medical attendance will be provided by the Admiralty. The students will be required to reside in the training-school at Keyham.

19. The weekly pay of students during their training will be as follows, provided they are well reported on by the officers:—

First year	..	..	..	1s. a week.
Second year	..	..	..	2s. "
Third year	..	..	..	3s. "
Fourth year	..	..	..	5s. "
Fifth year	..	..	..	8s. "

20. Six weeks' leave (thirty-six working-days) on full pay will be granted each year to all students whose conduct and progress have been satisfactory. Those who cannot be so reported will be granted leave for smaller periods, which will be at the discretion of the Admiral Superintendent. This leave is to be taken during the school vacations—viz., four weeks at midsummer and two weeks at Christmas.

21. The students are not to be checked pay while on leave, nor when hurt on duty. When sick or sent to hospital from causes beyond their own control they are not to be checked of their pay until they have been absent for six months in the aggregate during any period of twelve months; at the expiration of this time a special report is to be made to their Lordships. When sick or sent to hospital from causes within their own control they are to be checked of their pay. Students pronounced at the end of twelve months' absence on account of sickness or hurt to be permanently unfit or unlikely to be capable of entering Her Majesty's service as assistant engineers, or as assistant constructors, will be discharged. Should any student in the course of his training develop physical unfitness for the service, he will be discharged.

22. The students will be under the supervision of the Superintendent of the Dockyard and a staff of officers, and subject to such rules and regulations as their Lordships may deem necessary.

23. Students will receive practical training in the engineering workshops, will spend a portion of their time in the drawing office, and will receive instruction in iron-ship building at Her Majesty's dockyard at Devonport. While the engineer students are being instructed in iron-ship building they are to be under the direction of the Chief Constructor. They will attend the Engineer Students' School in the dockyard for such periods, and for the study of such theoretical subjects, as may from time to time be determined on. Means will be afforded them of acquiring the groundwork of the knowledge required by a naval engineer respecting the working of marine engines and boilers, including those repairs which can be carried out afloat, the practical use of the various instruments used in the engine-room, also of the construction and working of electric light, torpedo, and gun machinery, and of becoming generally acquainted with the duties of a naval engineer.

24. Students will be examined once a year under the direction of the President of the Royal Naval College, Greenwich.

Those who fail in making satisfactory progress and give no hope of becoming efficient officers, or are guilty of persistent misconduct, will be considered annually with reference to discharge from the service.

25. The preliminary examination at the end of the second year of service will be as follows, subject to modification at any time if considered desirable:—

	Marks.
Arīthmetic and mensuration	600
Algebra	500
Euclid I. to IV., VI., XI.	500
Trigonometry	500
Chemistry	300
Physics	600
History and geography	500
[Required for passing, 1,400]	
Total	3,500

Additional Subjects.

French	400
Elementary statics and hydrostatics	500

26. Students who fail to pass the examination will be discharged, unless for satisfactory reasons their Lordships sanction their remaining on the lower division for another year.

27. Students will also be examined in practical engineering at the end of their second year of service, and be required to reach a standard of 30 per cent. Those failing to attain this standard will be liable to dismissal. They will also be examined as to their practical acquirements and knowledge of steam machinery and shipbuilding respectively at the end of the third, fourth, and fifth years of their service by officers of the Admiralty. Prizes will be given annually at the dockyard to the students most highly reported on as regards their skill as workmen, and prizes for distinction at the examinations in professional and educational subjects. A certain degree of proficiency in the educational subjects, and in practical engineering and shipbuilding respectively, will be considered essential at all examinations.

28. The final examination of engineer students at the end of the fifth year will be as follows, subject to modification at any time if considered desirable.

I. Obligatory Subjects.

	Marks.
Statics, hydrostatics, and graphical statics	600
Hydraulics, pneumatics, and dynamics	600
Elementary theory of mechanism and machinery	600
Physics—I. Heat and light	500
" II. Electricity and magnetism	600
Chemistry	500
Heat and combustion	700
Steam and the steam-engine	700
Practical engineering	700
Workshop appliances and practice	600
Mechanical drawing.. .. .	500
Total	6,600

II. Optional Subjects.

Advanced algebra and trigonometry	500
Conics and differential calculus	600
Applied mechanics and strength of materials	600
Practical physics	300
Metallurgy	400
Design of machinery—details.. .. .	500
Engineering	500
Total	3,400
Grand total	10,000

29. The following are the regulations for passing at the final examination, subject to modification at any time if considered desirable:—

- (1.) The standard for admission to the Royal Naval College will be 60 per cent., or above, on the combined total of the obligatory and optional subjects.
- (2.) The standard for passing with a second-class certificate will be at least 50 per cent. on the total of obligatory subjects, but less than 60 per cent. on the combined total of obligatory and optional subjects.
- (3.) The standard for passing with a third-class certificate will be 30 per cent. or above, but less than 50 per cent. on the total of obligatory subjects.
- (4.) Students who obtain less than 30 per cent. of the total number of marks for obligatory subjects will be ineligible for appointment as probationary assistant engineers,

* See paragraphs 30 and 31.

30. Engineer students who fail to pass the examinations at the end of their fifth year referred to in paragraph 29, clause 4, will be discharged unless their Lordships see fit to allow them to continue serving another year at Devonport. A second failure, at the end of the sixth year, will involve dismissal from the service. In no case will the limit of six years be exceeded.

31. The pay of a student in the sixth year will be the same as during the fifth year, and the payment to be made by the parent or guardian of the student in the sixth year will also be the same as for the fifth year of service.

32. (1.) The examination of candidates for appointment as probationary assistant engineers in professional subjects and knowledge of engine-room duties will be held by the officers of the Steam Reserve in time for the necessary certificate, D 455, to be forwarded to the Admiralty by the 23rd of June in each year. Certificates of proficiency in practical workmanship, signed by the Chief Engineer of the dockyard, should also be forwarded by the same date.

(2.) These practical certificates from Steam Reserve and dockyard should be marked "Very creditable," "Creditable," or "Ordinary," in accordance with the proficiency of the candidates.

(3.) Students failing to pass these examinations are liable to dismissal, or may be allowed to serve such further period, not exceeding one year, as may be determined on by their Lordships, and again submit themselves for examination.

33. Students will not be entered as probationary assistant engineers, or probationary assistant constructors, until they have learned to swim.

34. Engineer students who pass the examinations described in paragraph 29, clauses 1, 2, and 3, and paragraphs 32 and 33, will be arranged in three classes in the order of merit according to the marks which they obtain in the subjects above mentioned. They will be entered as probationary assistant engineers on the 1st July of the year of examination, and will be appointed as such to the dépôt ship at Devonport on that date, except those referred to in paragraph 32, clause 3. Students referred to in paragraph 29, clause 1, will join the Royal Naval College on the 1st October of the year of examination for further study; and the others, referred to in paragraph 29, clauses 2 and 3, will not proceed to the Royal Naval College, but will remain in the Steam Reserve at Devonport, to be appointed to Her Majesty's ships as their services are required.

35. All the probationary assistant engineers will be confirmed at the end of their twelve months' probationary time if their conduct and qualifications are reported satisfactory, and those at the Royal Naval College who pass in the first class at the examination at the end of the first session will receive first-class certificates, and those who fail to secure first-class certificates at the examination at the college will be granted second-class certificates. Probationary assistant engineers referred to in paragraph 29, clause 2, will also be granted second-class certificates, and those mentioned in paragraph 29, clause 3, will be granted third-class certificates.

36. Those who obtain first- and second-class certificates will be allowed to count twelve months and six months of their probationary time respectively towards increase of pay from 6s. to 7s. 6d. a day, and towards promotion to engineer; and those who obtain third-class certificates, and pass very creditably in practical workmanship, professional subjects, and knowledge of engine-room duties, will be allowed to count three months of their probationary time in a similar manner. (See paragraph 32.)

37. In the event of the conduct or qualifications of any probationary assistant engineer not being reported satisfactory during his twelve months' probation, or of his failing to pass satisfactorily at the final examination at the Royal Naval College, his commission will be withheld for six months, or for such other period as may be determined on by their Lordships.

38. The pay of probationary assistant engineers will be 6s. a day, and they will receive 1s. 6d. a day in lieu of provisions, &c. While at the Royal Naval College at Greenwich they will be provided with quarters.

39. Two assistant engineers will be selected annually from those who take the highest place at the examination on the completion of their first course at Greenwich, to pass through a further course of scientific instruction if they desire it. These two will be allowed to study at the college for a second and third session. They will receive 7s. 6d. a day, and 1s. 6d. a day towards the mess. On the completion of the third session at the college they will be sent to sea as assistant engineers, and after one year's service (or such other period as may hereafter be fixed) at sea they will be considered eligible to fill vacancies occurring in the civil appointments at the dockyards and at the Admiralty.

40. The final examination of students in naval construction at the end of their fifth year will be as follows, subject to modification at any time if considered desirable:—

		Marks.
A.		
Statics, hydrostatics, and graphostatics	..	600
Hydraulics, pneumatics, and dynamics	..	600
Descriptive geometry	..	600
Physics—I. Heat and light	..	500
" II. Electricity and magnetism	..	600
Chemistry	..	500
Advanced algebra and trigonometry	..	500
Conics and differential calculus	..	600
Heat and combustion	..	500
Applied mechanics and strength of materials	..	700
Practical physics	..	300
Total..	..	6,000
B.		
Laying off and mould-practice	..	800
Practical shipbuilding (I.)	..	800
" " (II.)	..	800
Shipyard machinery, appliances, and practice	..	600
Ship-drawing	..	500
Metallurgy	..	500
Total..	..	4,000
Grand total	..	10,000

41. Students in naval construction who obtain 50 per cent. or above on each group of subjects A and B will be eligible for entry as probationary assistant constructors on the 1st July of the year of examination, and to proceed to the Royal Naval College on the 1st October following for study.

42. Those who fail to pass the above-mentioned examination will be liable to be discharged, or dealt with as may be determined by their Lordships.

43. Probationary assistant constructors who at any time fail to obtain a satisfactory report of their qualifications will be required to withdraw from the service, and forfeit the amount of the bond, or such less amount as their Lordships shall decide to recover, unless the failure be due to sickness. The pay of the probationary assistant constructors until the completion of their training at the Royal Naval College will be the same as that of the probationary assistant engineers and assistant engineers of the same service.

44. Such probationary assistant constructors only as obtain first- or second-class professional certificates on their final examination at the Royal Naval College will be admitted to the corps of naval constructors, their first appointments being as assistant constructors, third class.

45. When appointed assistant constructors, third class, on leaving the college they will cease to be under naval discipline, except that they will have to proceed to sea for a term if so required.

46. Those who obtain third-class certificates will not be admitted to the corps, but will be eligible to receive appointments as draughtsmen in the dockyards.

47. Every student entering the Royal Corps of Naval Constructors will be liable to serve at any foreign naval establishment the Admiralty may direct.

48. The period of service in the third class for all assistant constructors to be four years. If favourably reported on at the end of this period as to character, ability, and industry, each officer will be eligible for promotion to the second class. Promotions from the second class to the first class of assistant constructors will be by selection. Those officers who have taken first-class certificates on their final examination at the Royal Naval College will be eligible for promotion to first class if favourably reported on after five years' service, reckoned from the date of leaving the college, and those who have obtained second-class certificates to be similarly eligible after seven years' service.

49. The assistant engineers who pass the second and third sessions at Greenwich will be attached during the vacations between the 30th June and 1st October to the dockyards or steam reserves, where they will be employed sketching machinery, attending trials of new and repaired engines, and gaining such professional information as will be most useful to them for the purposes of engine-design. The assistant constructors will also be attached to the dockyards during the vacations, and will be employed on duties appertaining to their position.

Uniform, Books, &c.

50. Students on entry are to be provided with the following articles of uniform, according to the patterns laid down in the Uniform Regulations, 1891: One blue-cloth uniform undress coat, one blue-cloth uniform jacket, two blue-cloth uniform trousers, two blue-cloth uniform waistcoats, one uniform great coat, two uniform caps, two working suits of blue serge, each consisting of one undress coat, one waistcoat, one trousers, and one waterproof coat and cape.

At the commencement of the fourth year students are to be further provided with one uniform frock coat.

Frock Coat, Undress Coat, and Jacket: The same as for clerks, but with one row of $\frac{1}{2}$ in. purple cloth round each cuff, instead of white cloth.

Students in naval construction to wear silver-grey cloth round each cuff, instead of purple cloth.

Estimated cost of the above uniform, to last three years with care, not more than £20.

A senior engineer student in his fourth or fifth year of service, on requiring a new uniform jacket, may procure a double-breasted one, similar in shape to that worn by a commissioned officer.

Patterns of the working suit and of the sleeves of the undress coat and jacket are kept and can be seen at the Admiralty, Whitehall, and at the training school for engineer students at Keyham, Devonport.

List of Articles required as an Outfit for an Engineer Student on joining the Training School at Keyham. Estimated Cost, about £15: Two white-flannel shirts, two white-flannel trousers, six white shirts, six coloured shirts, twelve collars, three nightshirts, six pairs merino socks, four pairs cotton or merino drawers, four merino vests, two neckties, two pairs braces, six white handkerchiefs, six coloured handkerchiefs, six towels, one clothes-brush, one sponge, one leather bag, one clothes-bag, one brush and comb, one tooth-and one nail-brush, three pairs boots, one pair slippers, two pairs gloves.

The probable annual expense attending renewals of uniforms and other clothes, washing, subscription to recreative fund, &c., is estimated to be about £25.

51. Students will be required to find their own books, and a list will be furnished to each on appointment. They will also be required to find their own stationery and drawing materials.

52. The foregoing regulations will be generally followed, but my Lords will modify them from time to time as may be considered desirable.

Medical Examinations.

53. With a view to prevent parents and guardians from incurring the inconvenience and expense of preparing candidates for entry as engineer students in Her Majesty's navy who may be physically unfit for the service, it is suggested that the candidates be submitted to examination by the medical adviser of the family, or any other qualified medical practitioner, to whom the following points may be submitted as those upon which they will be physically examined by naval medical officers. It is to be understood that this private examination is merely suggested as a guide to parents and guardians, and to lessen the chances of disappointment, and that it is by no means intended to take the place of, or to influence in any way, the regular official physical examination.

A weak constitution, arising from imperfect development or weakness of the physical powers of the body, either hereditary or from chronic disease, wounds, or injuries.

Chronic eruptions on the skin or scalp.

Malformation of the head, with a dry, harsh, divergent state of the hair of the scalp, fracture or depression of the bones of the skull, disordered intellect, imbecility, epilepsy, paralysis, or impediment of speech.

Blindness or defective vision, as tested by Snellen's test types, in one or both eyes, fistula lachrymalis, and ptosis.

Impaired hearing, or discharge from one or both ears, disease or thickening of the lining membrane of the external ear.

Disease of the bones of the nose or of its cartilages, and polypus.

Disease of the throat, palate, or tonsils; unsound teeth, offensive breath from constitutional causes, unhealthy gums, scrofulous diseases of the glands of the throat or neck, external cicatrices from scrofulous sores.

Functional or organic disease of the heart or blood-vessels, deformity or contraction of the chest, flattening of the sub-clavicular regions, phthisis, hæmoptysis, bronchitis, dyspnoea, aphonia, chronic cough, or other symptoms of tubercular exudation into the pulmonary tissues.

Swelling or distension of the abdomen, undue obesity, disease or enlargement of the liver, spleen, or kidneys. Rupture, weakness, or distension of the abdominal rings; vesical weakness, or incontinence.

The existence of any congenital defect, or of varicocele.

Any disease of or pertaining to the alimentary canal.

Paralysis, weakness, impaired motion or contraction of the upper or lower extremities, from whatever cause; aneurism, a varicose state of the veins, especially of the leg. Bunions, distortion, malformation of the feet, or malposition of the fingers or toes.

Distortion of the spine, of the bones of the chest or pelvis, from injury or constitutional defect.

By command of their Lordships.

EVAN MACGREGOR.

NOTE.—Appended to these regulations is a schedule of the form of bond for students in naval construction, referred to in paragraph 14; and a memorandum of the several grades of engineer officers of the Royal navy, together with the scales of full and half pay, &c.; also information as to the pay, &c., of the officers of the Royal Corps of Naval Constructors.

The papers set at the examination of April, 1889; April, 1890; April, 1891; and April, 1892, have been published by

the Civil Service Commissioners, and may be purchased, price 6d. each, either directly or through any bookseller, from the following agents: viz., Messrs. Eyre and Spottiswoode, East Harding Street, Fetter Lane, London, E.C.; Messrs. John Menzies and Co., 12, Hanover Street, Edinburgh, and 90, West Nile Street, Glasgow; and Messrs. Hodges, Figgis, and Co., 104, Grafton Street, Dublin.

SCHEDULE.

Form of Bond for Students in Naval Construction entered for Engineer Students.

KNOW all men by these presents that we _____, a student in naval construction at Her Majesty's dockyard at _____, in the County of _____, and _____ of _____ in the County of _____, are held and firmly bound to our Sovereign Lady the Queen, her heirs and successors, in the sum of £500, for which payment to be duly made we, the said _____ and _____, do hereby bind ourselves, and each of us, and our and each of our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this _____ day of _____, 18 _____.

WHEREAS the above bounden _____ was appointed by the Admiralty an engineer student on the _____ day of _____, 18 _____, and the said _____ has now been appointed a student in naval construction for the purpose of learning and practising the art or occupation of naval construction for a term of three years from the _____ day of _____, 18 _____.

Now, the condition of the above written obligation is such that if the said _____ shall at the expiration of the said term of three years be qualified by passing the necessary examination to enter the Royal Naval College at Greenwich as a Probationary Assistant Constructor, and shall enter the said college accordingly, and shall at the end of each session at the said college obtain satisfactory reports on his character, qualifications, &c. (unless the failure to obtain such satisfactory reports as aforesaid be due to sickness), and shall during his training at the said college qualify himself (by obtaining all necessary certificates as to good conduct and efficiency) to enter into Her Majesty's service on the expiration of his training, and shall thereupon (if required) enter Her Majesty's service accordingly and continue in that service for seven years from the date of his entry therein, with good character and qualifications, then the above written obligation shall be void, otherwise the same shall continue in full force and effect.

Signed, sealed, and delivered by all the parties (being first duly stamped) in the presence of _____

MEMORANDUM AS TO THE PAY, ETC., OF ENGINEER OFFICERS OF THE ROYAL NAVY.

	Full Pay.		Half-pay.	
	Year of 365 Days.	One Day.	Year of 365 Days.	One Day.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.
Engineer students		See	Paragra	ph 19
Probationary assistant engineers on entry	109 10 0	0 6 0	...	...
Assistant engineers with 1st-class certificates—on confirmation in the rank				
Assistant engineers with 2nd-class certificates—on completion of six months' service from date of confirmation				
Assistant engineers with 3rd-class certificates, provided they have passed very creditably in professional subjects, knowledge of engine-room duties and practical workmanship—on completion of nine months' service from date of confirmation	136 17 6	0 7 6	...	...
Assistant engineers with 3rd-class certificates—on completion of twelve months' service from date of confirmation				
Assistant engineers—				
Under 3 years' service ... ..	...	...	73 0 0	4 0
After " " " " " " " "	...	...	82 2 6	4 6
Engineers—				
On promotion	164 5 0	0 9 0	100 7 6	5 6
After 3 years' service	182 10 0	0 10 0	109 10 0	6 0
" 6 " " " " " " "	203 15 0	0 11 0	No increase	...
" 9 " " " " " " "	219 0 0	0 12 0	...	...
Fleet, staff, and chief engineers—				
Under 5 years' service (including junior service allowed)	237 5 0	0 13 0	118 12 6	6 6
After 5 years' ditto ditto	255 10 0	0 14 0	127 15 0	7 0
" 8 " " " " " " "	273 15 0	0 15 0	146 0 0	8 0
" 11 " " " " " " "	292 0 0	0 16 0	164 5 0	9 0
" 14 " " " " " " "	310 5 0	0 17 0	191 12 6	10 6
" 17 " " " " " " "	328 10 0	0 18 0	219 0 0	12 0
" 20 " " " " " " "	346 15 0	0 19 0	255 10 0	14 0
" 21 " " " " " " "	365 0 0	1 0 0	...	...
" 22 " " " " " " "	383 5 0	1 1 0	...	...
" 23 " " " " " " "	401 10 0	1 2 0	...	...
" 25 " " " " " " "	Maximum	...	292 0 0	16 0
Inspectors of machinery	547 10 0	1 10 0	328 10 0	18 0
Chief inspectors of machinery	638 15 0	1 15 0	365 0 0	20 0

Chief engineers are allowed to reckon junior service on the following scale for increase of full pay and half-pay and retirement:—

Under eleven years' service in senior rank, one-half junior service besides.

Above eleven years' service in senior rank, all junior service which is allowed to count.

Junior service is all confirmed time served as assistant engineer and engineer from the age of twenty.

Officers passed over for unsatisfactory conduct or failure to qualify for promotion to the senior grade, but who may subsequently be promoted, are not allowed to count their junior service between the dates of their being passed over and the dates of their promotion.

Charge-pay.

Engineer officers when in charge of machinery of ships in commission, fitted with ordinary machinery, are allowed—

	Year of 365 Days.	One Day.
When in charge of engines under 1,000 indicated horse-power	£ s. d. 18 5 0	s. d. 1 0
Of 1,000 and under 2,000 indicated horse-power	27 7 6	1 6
Of 2,000 and under 3,000 indicated horse-power	36 10 0	2 0
Of 3,000 and under 6,000 indicated horse-power	54 15 0	3 0
Of 6,000 and upwards indicated horse-power	73 0 0	4 0

Engineer officers in charge of engines of 3,000 indicated horse-power and upwards in the larger ships of modern construction will, in consideration of the increased responsibilities attaching to their position, be granted rates of charge-pay varying from 4s. to 9s. a day, according to the special circumstances of each case, in lieu of the above rates. An engineer officer in charge of machinery of an exceptional ship such as the "Hecla," though under 3,000 indicated horse-power, may, at the discretion of the Admiralty, be granted 4s. a day.

Senior engineers of ships in commission, having engines of 3,000 indicated horse-power and upwards, are allowed an additional 1s. a day.

Engineer officers when in charge of first- and second-class torpedo-boats, receive an additional 1s. a day.

Half Charge-pay.

In ships in the fleet and dockyard reserves, half of the rates of charge-pay, and senior engineers' allowances, payable whilst in commission, are to be paid to their engineer officers; but in the case of ships with engines of 2,000 indicated horse-power and under, charge-pay at 1s. a day is to be paid.

Extra Pay.

The chief inspectors and inspectors of machinery in the reserves, in consideration of their responsible duties, are allowed an additional 3s. a day.

Fleet, staff, and chief engineers of flag-ships are allowed an additional 2s. 6d. to 5s. a day.

Promotion.

Assistant engineers, qualified for advancement, are eligible for promotion to the rank of engineer after five years' service. Assistant engineers count their probationary time towards increase of pay and promotion as stated in paragraph 36 of these regulations.

The promotion of engineers, chief engineers, and inspectors of machinery depends on the number of vacancies that occur in the several superior ranks.

Retired-pay.

The following table shows the age for retirement from active service of engineer officers, and the maximum retired-pay of each rank:—

Rank at Time of Retirement.	Age.		Maximum Retired-pay per Year.
	Optional Retirement may be allowed at	Compulsory Retirement.	
Assistant engineers	40	40	£ s. d. 50 0 0
Engineers	45	45	{ *150 0 0 †130 0 0
"	50	50	{ *187 10 0 †162 10 0
Chief, staff, and fleet engineers†	50	55	400 0 0
Inspectors of machinery†	55	60	450 0 0
Chief inspectors of machinery†	55	60	500 0 0

* Qualified for promotion. † Not qualified for promotion.
‡ Suspended for the present.

On attaining the rank of chief engineer and afterwards, and if forty years of age or over, the amount of retired-pay depends both on age and length of service, the maximum for each rank being as above, and the minimum rate the amount of half-pay of the officer as per scale previously given. Retirement would take place between the ages given in the above table, except in the following cases:—

- (1.) Five years' half-pay time in either of the ranks of assistant engineer, engineer, chief, staff, or fleet engineer; or seven years' half-pay time in the ranks of inspector, or chief inspector of machinery.
- (2.) Physical unfitness for service.
- (3.) Misconduct.

Pensions or gratuities for wounds or injuries can be granted by the Admiralty in addition to the ordinary retiring-allowances.

Retired-pay and half-pay are subject to deductions in case of misconduct.

Naval and Greenwich Hospital Pensions.

These pensions are established for affording some relief to retired officers, and are awarded to such retired officers as may be, in the opinion of the Admiralty, most deserving, under the conditions published in the Queen's Regulations and Admiralty Instructions.

Pensions to Widows.

The widows and children of engineer officers who had completed ten years' commissioned service are eligible, under stipulated conditions, to pensions and compassionate allowances.

The rates payable and the regulations governing their award are published in the Queen's Regulations and the Quarterly Navy List.

Relative Rank.

Engineer students rank with naval cadets according to date of entry.

Assistant engineers rank with sub-lieutenants according to date of commission.

Engineers of less than six years' seniority rank with but after lieutenants under eight years' seniority.

Engineers of six years' seniority rank with lieutenants of less than eight years' seniority according to date of commission.

Chief engineers rank with but after lieutenants of eight years' seniority.

Staff engineers rank with lieutenants above eight years' seniority.

Fleet engineers rank with commanders according to date of commission.

Inspectors of machinery, under eight years' service on full pay as such, rank with captains under three years.

Inspectors of machinery, of eight years' service on full pay as such, rank with captains of three years. The captain to reckon his seniority from the date of completing three years in that rank. The inspector of machinery to reckon his seniority from the date of completing eight years' service as such.

Chief inspectors of machinery rank with captains of three years' seniority according to date of commission.

MEMORANDUM AS TO THE PAY, &c., OF THE ROYAL CORPS OF NAVAL CONSTRUCTORS.

1. The number, the designation, and the salaries of the members of the corps are as follows:—

Admiralty.—Director of naval construction, £1,500 a year, rising to £1,800 after five years' service. Three chief constructors, £600 a year, rising to £850 by £25 a year; and a London allowance of £150 a year. Three constructors, £400 a year, rising to £550 by £20 a year; and a London allowance of £120 a year. Six assistant constructors, first class, £300 a year, rising to £450 by £15 a year. Duty pay of £50 a year to assistant constructor in charge of foreign records. Duty pay of £50 a year to assistant constructor acting for chief constructor. One assistant constructor, first class (for scientific experiments), £250 a year, rising to £300 by £15 a year. Seven assistant constructors, second class, £160 a year, rising to £240 by £10 a year, and a London allowance of £50 a year.

Dockyards.—Six chief constructors, Chatham, Portsmouth, Devonport, Sheerness, Pembroke, and Malta Dockyards, £600 a year, rising to £700 by £25 a year, and a house. Six constructors, £400 a year, rising to £550 by £20 a year, and a house. One constructor, Hongkong, £400 a year, rising to £550 by £20 a year; a house, or an allowance of \$800 a year in lieu thereof; and a colonial allowance of \$533½ a year. One constructor, Bermuda, £400 a year, rising to £550 by £20 a year, a house, and a colonial allowance of £100 a year. Ten assistant constructors, first class, £250 a year, rising to £300 by £15 a year. Seventeen assistant constructors, second class, £160 a year, rising to £240 by £10 a year. Nine assistant constructors, third class, £110 a year, rising to £150 by £10 a year; with an allowance of £50 a year when employed in London. While appointed for service at sea they shall have the rank of assistant engineer for

temporary service, and pay at the rate of 7s. 6d. per day, being the same as that of assistant engineers who have passed through a similar training. They shall be paid a gratuity of £50 for uniform and outfit. While appointed for service at sea their time shall count for purposes of civil superannuation.

All regulations as to pay, pension, retired pay, allowances, are subject to alterations.

Bonus on Mineral Oil manufactured from Orepuki Shale.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 30th June, 1893.

NOTICE is hereby given that a bonus will be paid for the production of mineral oil under the following conditions:—

1. A bonus of 1s. per gallon (£5,000) will be paid on the first 100,000 gallons of mineral oil produced from shale obtained in the Orepuki district, Otago; the oil to be of a quality approved of by Government, and to be sold at a fair average market price.
2. Notice of intention to claim the aforesaid bonus must be given in writing to the Colonial Secretary not later than the 31st December, 1894.
3. The claim must be made before the 30th June, 1895.
4. The first claimant who proves to the satisfaction of the Government that he has fulfilled all the conditions to be the recipient of the bonus.
5. The other conditions, as to quantity, priority, quality, and value, to be fulfilled to the satisfaction of an officer appointed for the purpose by the Government.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Prizes for Collections of Noxious Weeds and Insects.—Notice No. 365.

Department of Agriculture,
Wellington, 7th April, 1893.

PRIZES offered for collections of noxious weeds and insects, &c.:

Collection of noxious weeds: First prize, £10; second, £5. All specimens must have been gathered in the colony. Each specimen must be mounted on paper 18in. by 11in., and bear, if possible, the popular and scientific name, also the locality where gathered.

Collection of insects injurious to New Zealand vegetation, and their natural enemies and parasites: First prize, £10; second, £5.

All insects must be properly set and named, also have locality tickets attached.

The collections winning the prizes to become the property of the department, where they will remain on exhibition with the name of the collector affixed.

All collections for competition must be delivered at the office of the Secretary for Agriculture, at the Government Buildings, at Wellington, not later than the 31st December, 1893.

Each collection must be marked with a motto, and accompanied by a sealed envelope containing a copy of such motto, together with the full name and address of the exhibitor.

The unsuccessful exhibits will be returned to the owners carriage-free.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Agriculture.

Prizes for Collections of Dried Specimens of Grasses and Forage Plants.—Notice No. 369.

Department of Agriculture,
Wellington, 9th May, 1893.

PRIZES offered for collections of dried specimens of grasses and forage plants, introduced and native, prominence being given to the most useful indigenous species. First prize, £25; second, £15.

All specimens must have been gathered in the colony. Each specimen must be mounted on paper, 18in. by 11in., and bear, if possible, both popular and scientific names, also the name of the locality where obtained.

The collections winning the prizes are to become the property of the department, where they will remain on exhibition, with the names of the collectors affixed.

All collections for competition must be delivered at the office of the Secretary for Agriculture, at the Government Buildings, Wellington, not later than the 31st March, 1894.

Each collection must be marked with a motto, and be accompanied by a sealed envelope containing a copy of such motto, together with the full name and address of the exhibitor.

The unsuccessful exhibits will be returned to the owners carriage-free.

The judges have power to withhold the prizes if they are of opinion that none of the collections are worthy of an award.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Agriculture.

Electoral Rolls can be inspected, and Forms of Enrolment obtained, at Post-offices.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 9th August, 1893.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the electoral rolls of the electoral districts constituted under the Representation Acts can be inspected at the various post-offices, and that forms of application to be placed on the electoral roll can be obtained from all Postmasters.

HUGH POLLEN,
Under-Secretary.

Commissioner's Decisions under Tariff Acts.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Wellington, 9th August, 1893.

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

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

Articles, and how classed.	Rate of Duty.
Cream-separator, automatic, "The Barden"; as machinery for dairying purposes ..	Free.
Distemper (Morse and Co.'s); as n.o.e. ..	Free.
Kalsomine (Johnston's); as n.o.e. ..	Free.
*Oil, eucalyptus, in bulk; as essential oil ..	Free.
*Sluicing nozzles, "Giant"; as machinery for mining purposes ..	Free.
Weighing-machines, dairy, two-beam and upwards; as machinery for dairying purposes	Free.

W. T. GLASGOW,
Secretary and Inspector.

Commissioner's Order No. 456.]

Alterations and Additions to the Scale of Fares and Charges in force upon the New Zealand Government 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 alterations in and additions to the scale of fares, rates, and charges on the New Zealand Government Railways, to come into force on and after the 14th day of August, 1893.

PART III.—GOODS: REGULATIONS.

(3.) Scale for Small Lots of Class E Goods, Poultry, &c., of 1cwt. or under.

Small lots of rabbit-, sheep-, and calf-skins, wool, hides, lard, fat, and tallow, of 1cwt. or under, will be charged at the scale for small lots of Class E goods, poultry, &c.

PART V.—CLASSIFICATION OF GOODS.

Roots, garden Class D.

The common seal of the New Zealand Railway Commissioners was hereunto affixed, this eighth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, in the presence of

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

Notice.

THOMAS HUGHES, of 84, Elizabeth Street, Sydney, in the Colony of New South Wales, has been this day appointed by his Honour the Chief Justice a Commissioner of the Supreme Court of New Zealand in New South Wales, under the 2nd section of "The Commissioners of the Supreme Court Act, 1875," for the purpose of administering and taking all such oaths, affidavits, and affirmations as in the said section mentioned.

Dated this 31st day of July, 1893.

D. G. A. COOPER, Registrar.

Notice by Public Trustee under "The Unclaimed Lands Act, 1892."

In the matter of a parcel of land, being part of Allotment 20, Section 15, City of Auckland—bounded on the north by Allotment 21, 108ft.; on the east by Elliott Street, 28ft.; on the south by other part of said Allotment 20, 108ft.; and on the west by other part of said Allotment 20, 28ft., to the commencing-point—of which the last registered owner is Andrew Paterson, or Andrew Petersen.

WHEREAS the Public Trustee has been made aware of the above-described land having no known owner, and he, having made reasonable inquiry, can discover neither the owner nor any agent for the said land, nor any objection to the said land being declared subject to the above-named Act:

Now this is to give notice to all whom it may concern that, unless on or before the 30th day of April, 1894, the owner of the above-described land establishes his title thereto to the satisfaction of the Supreme Court or any Judge of such Court, the Public Trustee will take the steps prescribed by "The Land Transfer Act, 1885," to be registered as the owner of such land.

Dated this 2nd day of August, 1893.

J. K. WARBURTON,
Public Trustee.

Acknowledgments of Sums of £2 and upwards must be stamped.

Head Office, Stamp Department,
Wellington, 4th July, 1893.

CAUTION.—There being reason to believe that merchants, storekeepers, and others frequently render themselves liable to penalties under section 123 of "The Stamp Act, 1892," owing probably to a misconstruction of the provisions of section 121, which defines the term "receipt," the public is hereby informed that whenever any acknowledgment (signed or not signed) of any sum of £2 and upwards is made, whether such acknowledgment is for cash received or by contra account, whether for a bill of exchange or promissory note, or on final settlement of a debt amounting to £2 and upwards paid by instalments of sums under £2, and whether such acknowledgment take the form of an ordinary receipt, or merely that of an entry in a cash-book, ledger, or other book, or of any other form whatsoever which signifies or imports any such acknowledgment, a stamp of the value of 1d. should be affixed and duly cancelled.

Every person who writes or signs, or causes to be written or signed, any such receipt or acknowledgment unless the same be duly stamped is liable to a penalty of £10; and a like penalty is imposed upon every person who refuses to give a duly-stamped receipt, or who gives a receipt for an amount less than that paid, or who separates or divides the amount paid with intent to evade the duty.

C. A. HICKSON,
Secretary for Stamps.

Native Land Court Notices.

Application for Probate.

Native Land Court Office,
Wellington, 8th August, 1893.

In the matter of the will of WIREMU PUHAWAIKI, deceased.

APPPLICATION having been made by Teoti Timoti Rapatini 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.

H. F. EDGER,
Registrar.

Application for Probate.

Native Land Court Office,
Wellington, 7th August, 1893.

In the matter of the will of HENARE WATENE TAWHA, of Wairoa, deceased.

APPPLICATION having been made by H. Tare Tikao and Teoti Timoti Rapatini 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.

H. F. EDGER,
Registrar.

Application for Probate.

Native Land Court Office,
Wellington, 7th August, 1893.

In the matter of the will of MERE TAUKIRANGI, of Rahotu, deceased.

APPPLICATION having been made by Hori Pumuka and Marokopa Tahuata 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.

H. F. EDGER,
Registrar.

"Native Land Court Act, 1880."—Notice of Time and Place for Inspecting Plan after Interlocutory Order.—Pukawa No. 2B Block.

Native Land Court Office,
Auckland, 2nd August, 1893.

WHEREAS at a Court held at Taupo on the 24th day of September, 1887, and following days, an order was made respecting the aforesaid block of land, that the name of Hinerangi te Huaki should be registered as the owner thereof, and that a certificate of the title thereto should be made and issued when a proper survey should be made: Now notice is hereby given that the plan of such survey will be deposited for inspection at the post-office at Tokaanu, on the 14th day of August, 1893, to the 7th day of September, 1893.

All objections are to be lodged with the Registrar, Native Land Court, Auckland, on or before the 14th day of September, 1893.

W. J. MORPETH,
Registrar.

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

Native Land Court Office,
Wellington, 3rd August, 1893.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Trust Commissioner will, under the authority and for the purposes of the said Acts, hold a Court at the Resident Magistrate's Court, Palmerston North, on the 17th day of August, 1893, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for investigating the case mentioned in the Schedule hereunder, at which time and place all persons interested in the said case, and having objections to the said dealings, are hereby notified to attend.

H. F. EDGER,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

HOKOWHITU No. 2.

93-255. TRANSFER dated the 29th day of July, 1893, from Wereta Pineaha and others to John Christian Richter and others.

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

Native Land Court Office,
Wellington, 9th August, 1893.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Trust Commissioner will, under the authority and for the purposes of the said Acts, hold a Court at the Resident Magistrate's Court, Wellington, on the 16th day of August, 1893, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for investigating the case mentioned in the Schedule hereunder, at which time and place all persons interested in the said case, and having objections to the said dealings, are hereby notified to attend.

H. F. EDGER,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

MOIKI No. 1.

93-256. TRANSFER dated the 1st day of June, 1893, from Piripi te Maari to John Craig McKerrow.

“The Native Land Court Act, 1886,” and its Amendments.

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 27th August, 1893.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Shortland, on the 24th day of August, 1893, 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. J. MORPETH, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.
PARTITION.

No.	Applicant.	Name of Land.
1	Wiremu te Oke, Mere Horahinu, Reweti te Whakahihi, Raihamana Kapoti, Raiha Moncœur Poti, and Hemi Tamihana	Mataitai No. 1.
2	Hohepa Hikairo	Wharekawa East No. 2.
3	Tamihana Tukere	Wharekawa No. 2.
4	Peti Patene	Tapapakanga No. 1.
5	Wikitoria te Ngahue and Reweti Tauwhetoko	Ngaromaki No. 2.
6	Renata Koroa, Tamihana Tukere, and Wiki Tamihana	Te Karaka.
7	Wara Matene	Hurumoimoi.
8	Terire Hirini Ngapapaka	Karakiarou No. 1.
9	Henry Driver	Okere.
10	H. Ngakapa Whanaunga, Hemi te Ahipu, Neha Tukaramaene, and Wiremu te Aramoana	Taumatini.
11	Heeni Hirini	Tikorangi No. 2.
12	Hamiara te Mawae, Makete te Hanaore, Rhipeti Paerau, and Hariata Puao	Wharekawa No. 1.
13	Raika Whakarongotai	Te Pure.
14	Reihana Poto and Kitahi te Taniwha	Te Kauri Nos. 1 and 2.
15	Reweti Tauwhetoko and Wikitoria te Ngahue	Ngaromaki No. 3.
16	Wikitoria te Ngahue and Ngahua Ngakaho	Te Kari.
17	Hera Puna and Tamihana Pumipi	Te Pure.
18	Alfred Joshua Thorp	Otuturu No. 1.
19	Kiritiana Tamihana, Hone Tamihana, Ani Tamihana, Wiremu Tamihana, Hariata Paretaiko, Takawaenga Wetere, Te Ngahoa Ripikoi, Mihitau Rangikaewa, Hurihia Rawiri, Te Hihiri Rawiri, Heehi Tirapurua, and others	Waikaka.
20	Mita Watene (Trustee of Rete, Te Taere Hemi, and Wana Pakohai Rihari	Tahanui No. 3D.
21	Raima Hemoata and others	Te Poka.
22	Ripeka te Pea, Parata te Mapu, and Mango Whaiapu	Te Aroha, Block V., Section 6A.

APPLICATION FOR THE DEFINITION OF THE INTEREST OF THE CROWN.

No.	Applicant.	Name of Land.
1	The Native Minister	Waokauri.
2	The Native Minister	Parareka No. 2.
3	The Native Minister	Opitomoko and Kuranui.
4	The Native Minister	Whangamata No. 6.

REMOVAL OF RESTRICTIONS.

No.	Applicant.	Name of Land.
1	Wiremu te Pea and Ripeka te Pea. (N.O. 91/1207), (91/2326) ..	Te Aroha, Block XII., Section 34.
2	Parata te Mapu, Ripeka Wiremu te Pea, and Mango Whaiapu. (N.O. 92/1358)	Te Aroha, Block XII., Section 35.

APPLICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF TRUSTEES.

No.	Applicant.	Name of Land.	Title, whether Crown Grant or otherwise, and Date of Issue.
1	Kahukore Ramarihi Utuku, Neri Utuku, Rapa Utuku, and Mihi Utuku	Omahu West No. 2B. ..	Kahukore Ramarihi Utuku, Neri Utuku, Rapa Utuku, and Mihi Utuku.
2	Kahukore Ramarihi Utuku, Neri Utuku, Rapa Utuku, and Mihi Utuku	Parawai No. 1 ..	Kahukore Ramarihi Utuku, Neri Utuku, Rapa Utuku, and Mihi Utuku.
3	Mehana Tairutu	Wharekawa No. 1 ..	Children of Tukaramaene.
4	Te Matengaro te Waero	Orere and Taupo ..	Te Matenga te Waero.
5	Nikorima Poutotara	Pakirarahi No. 2 ..	Manahi Kipa.
6	Nikorima Poutotara	Te Amoriro ..	Manahi Kipa.
7	Nikorima Poutotara	Maromarahi No. 2 ..	Manahi Kipa.

Crown Lands Notices.

Pastoral Licenses, Marlborough Land District, for Sale by Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Blenheim, 17th June, 1893.

IT is hereby notified that licenses of the under-mentioned pastoral runs will be submitted to public auction at the District Land and Survey Office, Blenheim, on Tuesday, the 15th day of August, 1893, at 11 a.m.

Survey District.	No. of Run.	Area.			Annual Rent.		
		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
Arapawa ..	Run No. 73 (late Whangataura Run)	1,000	0	0	4	3	4

If any one but the late licensee becomes the purchaser, the value of the improvements (£20 16s. 8d.) must be paid on the fall of the hammer, to be handed to the late licensee.

Arapawa* ..	Run No. 89 (late Opihi Run)	210	0	0	0	17	6
Arapawa* ..	Run No. 90 (late Uruti Run)	875	0	0	3	12	11
Arapawa* ..	Run No. 91 (late Treble Run)	200	0	0	0	16	8

Covered with fern, scrub, and light bush; clay soil; from twenty-four to twenty-seven miles from Blenheim by water, and from twelve and a half to sixteen miles from Picton by bridle-track. Term: Ten years from 1st March, 1894.

Linkwater* ..	Run No. 87 (late part of Onahau Run)	1,180	0	0	4	18	4
Linkwater* ..	Run No. 88 (late part of Okiwa Run)	1,140	0	0	4	15	0

Covered with fern, scrub, and light bush; about six miles from Picton by water. Term: Ten years from 1st March, 1894.

Linkwater ..	Run No. 95 ..	300	0	0	1	5	0
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Situate at back of freehold sections in Waitohi Valley, about half a mile from Picton-Blenheim Railway; moderately steep hills; soil ranging from inferior on ridges to fair in gullies; higher ridges birch, lower slopes scrub and mixed bush; about three miles from Picton. Term: Ten years from 1st March, 1894.

Wakamarina ..	Run No. 80 ..	360	0	0	1	10	0
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Partly open, partly fern, scrub, and light bush; about two miles from Havelock on main road to Nelson; back of freehold sections. Term: Ten years from 1st March, 1894.

Onamalutu ..	Run No. 84 ..	290	0	0	1	4	2
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Situate at the back of freehold sections fronting the main line of road from Blenheim to Nelson; moderately steep hills; soil varying from inferior on ridges to fair in the gullies; higher ridges birch, lower slopes scrub and mixed bush; about fifteen miles from Blenheim and twelve miles from Havelock. Term: Ten years from 1st March, 1894.

Onamalutu* ..	Run No. 74 (late Riley Run)	850	0	0	3	10	10
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Situate at the back of freehold sections in Kaituna Valley, fronting main road Blenheim to Nelson; all hill soil, varying from fair in gullies to inferior on ridges; partly open, partly bush and scrub; about fourteen miles from Blenheim and thirteen miles from Havelock. Term: Ten years from 1st March, 1894.

Cloudy Bay and Linkwater	Run No. 83 ..	3,400	0	0	7	1	8
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Clay hills; partly open, partly fern, scrub, and bush; soil inferior; about fifteen miles from Blenheim. Term: Ten years from 1st March, 1894.

Cloudy Bay*	Run No. 27 ..	2,080	0	0	8	13	4
Cloudy Bay*	Run No. 92 (late part of Raydale Run No. 1)	1,008	0	0	4	4	0

Fern, scrub, and light bush; about eight miles from Blenheim. Term: Ten years from 1st March, 1894.

Clifford Bay* ..	Run No. 49 ..	400	0	0	10	0	0
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Boulder bank at the mouth of Wairau River; stony land, shingle-beach with patches of grass and rushes; about ten miles from Blenheim. Term: Three years from 1st March, 1894.

* Possession will be given on 1st March, 1894.

Survey District.	No. of Run.	Area.			Annual Rent.		
		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.

Avon and Hodder*	Run No. 93 (late Leeffield Run, with adjoining Crown land)	12,200	0	0	87	10	0
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High, rocky, pastoral country, of poor character; about twenty miles from Blenheim. Term: Ten years from 1st March, 1894.

Upcot ..	Run No. 75 (late Langridge Run No. 2)	1,728	0	0	7	4	0
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High, rough, broken tussock country, with shingle slips; about seventy miles from Blenheim. Term: From 1st July, 1894, to 1st July, 1896.

LICENSE for GRAZING PURPOSES from Year to Year under Section 116, "Land Act, 1892."

Gore ..	Run No. 94 ..	1,000	0	0	4	3	4
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Tawhini and scrub, with a little grass intermixed; fair soil; about twenty-five miles from Picton by water. This license will be from year to year.

* Possession will be given on 1st March, 1894.

SIDNEY WEETMAN,
Commissioner, Crown Lands.

Town Lands in Southland for Sale by Auction.

Crown Lands Office,
Invercargill, 21st June, 1893.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following lots in Oraka Township will be submitted to auction in the Land Office, Invercargill, at noon, on Thursday, the 14th day of September, 1893. Terms: One-fifth part of purchase-money on fall of hammer; balance, together with grant-fee and valuation (if any) within thirty days of date of sale.

ORAKA TOWNSHIP.

Sections 1 to 9, 13 to 16, 18 to 29, 46 to 51, 56 to 60, 65 to 67, 71 to 74, one rood each, more or less. Price £5 per section.

Section.	Area.	Section.	Area.
	A. R. P.		A. R. P.
10	1 3 28	40	1 0 0
11	1 2 18	41	1 0 0
12	0 2 4	42	1 0 0
17	0 3 4	43	1 0 0
33	3 0 16	44	1 1 28
34	3 2 16	52	4 3 24
35	7 2 20	53	2 1 12
38	1 0 0	54	2 0 23
39	1 0 0		

Upset price, £2 per acre.

Valuations.

Section 22, two huts, two rooms each, £20; Section 24, house, two rooms, £12; Section 61, two huts, two rooms each, £20; Section 67, house, £25.

Sections 52, 53, and 54 to be sold subject to the New Zealand Pine Company's right to remove sawmill timber growing thereon.

G. W. WILLIAMS,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Leases of Small Grazing-runs, Southland, open for Application.

District Land Office,
Invercargill, 14th June, 1893.

NOTICE is hereby given that leases of the under-mentioned small grazing-runs will be open for application, at this office, on Thursday, the 16th August, 1893, at the rental noted opposite each run.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Run No.	Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Area.	Rent per Annum.
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9	84	..	Wairaki ..	6,827 0 0	£ 85 s. 6 d.
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About 1,000 acres of bush and scrub of no commercial value, very swampy on flats, and about 30 acres peat-bog, very broken, rough country, pastoral, very stony; well watered; height above sea-level from 1,200ft. to 3,000ft. Distance from Nightcaps Railway-station about twelve miles.

Run No.	Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Area.	Rent per Annum.
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This run is burdened with £10, being value of sheep-yards, and also £150, being 300 chains of half of boundary fence at 10s. per chain, which will be of use to the incoming tenant.

	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
10 | 85 | .. | Wairaki ..	7,070	0	0	88	7	6

About 1,500 acres birch bush and scrub, the rest pastoral country, very stony; well watered; height above sea-level from 900ft. to 2,700ft. Distance from Nightcaps Railway-station about twelve miles. This run is burdened with £8, being value of hut, and £180, being value of half of boundary fence, 360 chains, at 10s. per chain.

11 86 .. Wairaki ..	1,456	0	0	22	15	0
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About 50 acres birch bush and scrub, the rest tussock country, pastoral, stony soil, several outcrops of iron-ore; well watered; height above sea-level from 1,200ft. to 1,900ft. Distance from Nightcaps Railway-station about twelve miles.

12 87 .. Wairaki ..	870	0	0	16	6	3
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About 100 acres birch bush and scrub, the rest tussock country, pastoral, stony soil; well watered; height above sea-level from 1,200ft. to 1,900ft. Distance from Nightcaps Railway-station about twelve miles.

13 88 .. Wairaki ..	1,193	3	20	18	13	10
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Tussock country, pastoral, stony soil; well watered; height above sea-level from 1,100ft. to 1,600ft. Distance from Nightcaps Railway-station about eight miles.

14 89 .. Wairaki ..	1,053	0	0	16	9	1
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Tussock country, pastoral, stony soil; well watered; height above sea-level from 1,100ft. to 1,700ft. Distance from Nightcaps Railway-station about eight miles. This run is burdened with £28, being value of half of boundary fence, 56 chains, at 10s. per chain.

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Pastoral country, partly level, but mostly steep spurs, with good tussock grass; height above sea-level varies from 1,300ft. to 3,328ft. Distance from Mossburn Railway-station about ten miles.

25 126 .. Takitimo ..	3,386	1	0	42	6	7
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Hilly country, front half well grassed with fern, white and blue tussock, back half poorly grassed, rocky, rugged, and steep; bush about 150 acres; height above sea-level from 1,400ft. to 5,000ft. Distance from Mossburn Railway-station about twenty-seven miles by good summer road.

26 127 .. Takitimo ..	4,693	0	0	58	13	3
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Hilly country, front half well grassed with fern, white and blue tussock, back half poorly grassed; height above sea-level from 1,200ft. to 5,000ft. Distance from Mossburn Railway-station about twenty-two miles by good summer road. This run is burdened with £48 8s., being half the value of boundary fence.

30 128 .. Takitimo ..	3,896	2	0	48	14	2
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Hilly and stony country, well grassed with tussock, sunny and northern aspect; well watered; height above sea-level from 1,200ft. to 5,000ft. Distance from Mossburn Railway-station by good summer road about nineteen miles.

31 129 .. Takitimo ..	3,069	3	0	47	19	4
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Hilly and stony country, well watered, and grassed with white tussock; sunny and northern aspect; height above sea-level from 1,300ft. to 3,568ft. Distance from Mossburn Railway-station about fourteen miles by good summer road. This run is burdened with £43 4s. 6d., being half the value of boundary fence.

CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. The term of lease is twenty-one years, with the option of renewal for a further period of twenty-one years, at a rent to be fixed by valuation, and improvements being secured to lessee as provided by "The Land Act, 1892," section 182. Each lessee is required to make the declaration as per form printed hereon.

2. No person can lease more than one run.

3. Residence on the run is compulsory, and commences within three years in bush or swamp land, and within one year in open or partly open land, unless the lessee obtain the consent of the Land Board to reside on other land in his occupation.

4. Permanent improvements must be effected equal to one year's rental by the end of the first year, two years' rental by the end of the second year, and four years' rental at the end of the sixth year; and on bush land, in addition thereto, improvements must be made to the value of 10s. an acre if first-class land, or of 5s. an acre if second-class land.

5. One half-year's rent and £1 1s. for the lease must accompany the application; the rent to be paid half-yearly in advance during the term of the lease. The next payment of rent will become due on the 1st March, 1894.

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

DECLARATION.

I, _____, of _____, do solemnly and sincerely declare—

1. That I am of the age of seventeen years and upwards.

2. That I am the person who, subject to the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892," am desirous of becoming the purchaser of a lease of Run No. _____

3. That I am purchasing such lease solely for my own use and benefit, and not directly or indirectly for the use of any other person or persons whatever.

4. That I am not already the holder of any such lease in any part of the colony, nor have I any interest in any such lease.

5. That I am not the holder of any run under Part VI. of the aforesaid Act, nor have I any interest in any such run.

6. That I do not own any freehold land or land held by lease or license of any kind whatever anywhere in the colony, either by myself or jointly with any other person, which, exclusive of the land I am now purchasing the lease of, will exceed in area 1,000 acres.

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

(Signature.)

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

* Place of abode or occupation. † Here specify.

G. W. WILLIAMS,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lease of Small Grazing-run, Marlborough, open for Application.

District Land and Survey Office,
Blenheim, 20th June, 1893.

NOTICE is hereby given that the lease of the under-mentioned small grazing-run will be open for application, at this office, on Tuesday, the 15th August, 1893, at the rental noted.

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.

Survey District.	Run No.	Area.	Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.
Linkwater	40	377	s. d. 0 3	£ s. d. 2 7 2

Situated at Black Point, Pelorus Sound. Steep hills; all bush, except about 30 acres grass and fern. Southern portion good land, northern fair. Highest point, 1,400ft. About five miles from Havelock by water, and twelve miles by track.

CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. The term of lease is twenty-one years, with the option of renewal for a further period of twenty-one years, at a rent to be fixed by valuation, and improvements being secured to lessee as provided by "The Land Act, 1892," section 182. Each lessee is required to make the declaration as per form printed hereon.

2. No person can lease more than one run.

3. Residence on the run is compulsory, and commences within three years in bush or swamp land, and within one year in open or partly open land, unless the lessee obtain the consent of the Land Board to reside on other land in his occupation.

4. Permanent improvements must be effected equal to one year's rental by the end of the first year, two years' rental by the end of the second year, and four years' rental at the end of the sixth year; and on bush land, in addition thereto, improvements must be made to the value of 10s. an acre if first-class land, or 5s. an acre if second-class land.

5. One half-year's rent and £1 1s. for the lease must accompany the application; the rent to be paid half-yearly in advance during the term of the lease. The next payment of rent will become due on the 1st March, 1894.

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

DECLARATION.

I, _____, of _____, do solemnly and sincerely declare,—
 1. That I am of the age of seventeen years and upwards.
 2. That I am the person who, subject to the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892," am desirous of becoming the purchaser of a lease of Run No.†
 3. That I am purchasing such lease solely for my own use and benefit, and not directly or indirectly for the use of any other person or persons whatever.
 4. That I am not already the holder of any such lease in any part of the colony, nor have I any interest in any such lease.
 5. That I am not the holder of any run under Part VI. of the aforesaid Act, nor have I any interest in any such run.
 6. That I do not own any freehold land or land held by lease or license of any kind whatever anywhere in the colony, either by myself or jointly with any other person, which, exclusive of the land I am now purchasing the lease of, will exceed in area 1,000 acres.
 And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

(Signature.)
 Declared at _____, this _____ day of _____, 18____, before me, _____, a Justice of the Peace in and for the Colony of New Zealand.

* Place of abode or occupation. † Here specify.

SIDNEY WEETMAN,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Leases of Small Grazing-runs, Southland, open for Application.

District Land and Survey Office,
 Invercargill, 20th July, 1893.

NOTICE is hereby given that leases of the under-mentioned small grazing-runs will be open for application, at this office, on Wednesday, the 20th September, 1893, at the rental noted opposite each run.

SCHEDULE.
 SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Run No.	Section.	Survey District.	Area.	Rent per Annum.
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			A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
27	125	Eyre	3,143	0	0	39	5	9

Open, undulating country; pastoral; hilltops stony, gullies clay soil; well watered; height above sea-level, from 1,230ft. to 1,530ft.; distance from Eyre Creek Railway-station about 40 chains. This run will be burdened with £5, being value of hut on same, and also with £28 8s. 9d., being half the value of rabbit-proof boundary-fence.

28	815	Hokonui ..	3,168	0	0	39	12	0
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Open, hilly, pastoral country; stony soil, with tussock grass; well watered; height above sea-level, from 1,300ft. to 2,044ft.; distance from Lumsden Railway-station, about four miles.

29	816	Hokonui ..	2,879	0	0	35	19	9
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Open, hilly, pastoral country; stony soil, with tussock grass; well watered; height above sea-level, from 1,200ft. to 2,053ft.; distance from Lumsden Railway-station, about five miles.

CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

- The term of lease is twenty-one years, with the option of renewal for a further period of twenty-one years, at a rent to be fixed by valuation, and improvements being secured to lessee as provided by "The Land Act, 1892," section 182. Each lessee is required to make the declaration as per form printed hereon.
- No person can lease more than one run.
- Residence on the run is compulsory, and commences within three years in bush or swamp land, and within one year in open or partly open land, unless the lessee obtain the consent of the Land Board to reside on other land in his occupation.
- Permanent improvements must be effected equal to one year's rental by the end of the first year, two years' rental by the end of the second year, and four years' rental at the end of the sixth year; and on bush land, in addition thereto, improvements must be made to the value of 10s. an acre if first-class land, or of 5s. an acre if second-class land.
- One half-year's rent and £1 1s. for the lease must accompany the application; the rent to be paid half-yearly in advance during the term of the lease. The next payment of rent will become due on the 1st September, 1894.

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

DECLARATION.

I, _____, of _____, do solemnly and sincerely declare—
 1. That I am of the age of seventeen years and upwards.
 2. That I am the person who, subject to the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892," am desirous of becoming the purchaser of a lease of Run No.†
 3. That I am purchasing such lease solely for my own use and benefit, and not directly or indirectly for the use of any other person or persons whatever.
 4. That I am not already the holder of any such lease in any part of the colony, nor have I any interest in any such lease.
 5. That I am not the holder of any run under Part VI. of the aforesaid Act, nor have I any interest in any such run.
 6. That I do not own any freehold land or land held by lease or license of any kind whatever anywhere in the colony, either by myself or jointly with any other person, which, exclusive of the land I am now purchasing the lease of, will exceed in area 1,000 acres.
 And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

(Signature.)
 Declared at _____, this _____ day of _____, 18____, before me, _____, a Justice of the Peace in and for the Colony of New Zealand.

* Place of abode or occupation. † Here specify.

G. W. WILLIAMS,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Pastoral Runs in the County of Wairoa for License, by Public Auction.

District Land and Survey Office,
 Napier, 3rd July, 1893.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned pastoral runs will be submitted to public auction, at the District Lands and Survey Office, Napier, on Wednesday, 30th August, at 11 a.m.

SCHEDULE.

Run No.	Survey District.	Area.	Upset Rent.
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			A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
1	Mangahopai and Waitara	9,615	0	0	40	0	0	
2	Mangahopai and Waiau	7,069	0	0	30	0	0	

On Run No. 1 there are about 5,600 acres of open fern country, the remainder being mixed bush. About half the run is undulating and level, the rest rather broken. On Run No. 2 about 2,100 acres are open fern land, the balance being bush.

The soil on both runs is light pumice, and they are well watered. They are accessible by pack-track from Wairoa, distant forty-eight miles, and from Mohaka about twenty-eight miles.

CONDITIONS.

- Possession of the runs will be given to the purchasers of the licenses on the day of sale.
- No person or company may become the holder of more than one run under Part VI. of "The Land Act, 1892": Provided that the holder of any run under the said Act of a carrying-capacity of less than ten thousand sheep or two thousand head of cattle may become the lessee of an aggregate area sufficient to carry such a number of sheep or cattle. The holder of any small grazing-run under Part V. of "The Land Act, 1892," shall not be the holder of any run under Part VI. of the said Act.
- The license shall be dated on the 1st March, 1894, and shall include in addition the whole period between the date of possession and the said 1st March, 1894.
- The license shall be subject to the following conditions, amongst others:—
 That if the licensee or any person claiming an interest through or under him shall make or cause to be made any agreement or contract, or shall give or cause to be given or taken any negotiable security, for the purpose of defeating or evading the provisions of, or shall in any way whatsoever directly or indirectly commit or be privy to a fraud upon,

"The Land Act, 1892," the license shall be liable to be forfeited and revoked;

That the licensee shall prevent the destruction or burning of timber or bush on the land comprised in the license;

That the licensee shall prevent the growth or spread of gorse, broom, and sweet-briar on the land comprised in the license, and shall with all reasonable speed remove or cause to be removed all gorse, sweet-briar, broom, or other noxious weeds or plants, as may be directed by the Commissioner; and

That the licensee shall destroy all rabbits on the land comprised in the license, and shall prevent their increase or spread, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner or an officer appointed by him to inspect the ground.

5. The licensee shall have the exclusive right of pasturage over the lands specified in his license, but shall have no right to the soil, or timber, or minerals thereon or therein.

6. One half-year's rent and a license-fee of £1 1s. shall be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the purchaser shall make a declaration in terms of section 195 of "The Land Act, 1892." The rent shall be paid half-yearly in advance, on the 1st day of March and the 1st day of September in each year during the term of the license. Should the half-yearly rental at any period not be paid within thirty days, a penalty of 10 per cent. in addition will be enforced.

7. No liability is accepted by or on behalf of the Crown in respect of any fencing at present existing upon the Crown lands offered for license.

DECLARATION.

I, _____, of _____, do solemnly and sincerely declare—

1. That I am the person who, subject to the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892," am desirous of becoming the purchaser of a lease or license of pastoral lands.

2. That I am purchasing the lease or license of such land solely for my own use and benefit, and not directly or indirectly for the use or benefit of any other person or persons whomsoever.

3. That I am not the holder of any lease or license in any part of the colony, nor have I any interest in any lease or license in contravention of section 193 of the said Act.

4. That I am not the holder of a small grazing-run in any part of the colony, nor have I any interest in any such run.

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

(Signature.)

Declared at _____, this _____ day of _____, 18____, before me, _____ a Justice of the Peace for the Colony of New Zealand.

Full particulars, plans, forms of declaration, &c., may be obtained on application at the District Lands and Survey Office, Napier, and the local Land Office, Gisborne.

THOMAS HUMPHRIES,
Commissioner, Crown Lands.

Town Lands in Southland for Sale by Auction.

Crown Lands Office,
Invercargill, 21st June, 1893.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following lots in the Township of Oban, Half-moon Bay, Stewart Island, will be submitted to auction in the Land Office, Invercargill, at noon, on Thursday, the 14th day of September, 1893. Terms: One-fifth part price on fall of hammer; balance, together with grant-fee, within thirty days of date of sale.

OBAN TOWNSHIP.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Section.	Block.	Area.
		A. R. P.			A. R. P.
9	I.	0 1 0	19	I.	0 1 0
10	"	0 1 0	20	"	0 1 0
11	"	0 1 0	21	"	0 1 0
12	"	0 1 0	4	II.	0 1 0
14	"	0 1 0	5	"	0 1 0
15	"	0 1 0	6	"	0 1 0
16	"	0 1 0	7	"	0 1 0
17	"	0 1 0	8	"	0 1 0
18	"	0 1 0	9	"	0 1 0

Upset price, £5 per lot.

G. W. WILLIAMS,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Town, Suburban, and Rural Lands, Auckland, for Sale.

District Lands and Survey Department,
Auckland, 20th June, 1893.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned town, suburban, and rural lands will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Land Office, Auckland, on Thursday, the 24th August proximo, at 11 o'clock a.m.

Section.	Area.	Price.
TOWN OF CAMBRIDGE WEST. (Classified as suburban.)		
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
419, 419A	1 0 0	3 0 0
421, 421A	1 0 0	3 0 0
474, 474A	1 0 0	3 0 0
475, 475	2 0 0	6 0 0
477	1 0 0	3 0 0
TOWN OF HAMILTON EAST. (Museum Endowment Lands.)		
190	0 2 0	10 0 0
190A	0 2 0	10 0 0
191	0 2 0	10 0 0
191A	0 2 0	10 0 0
192	1 0 0	20 0 0
193	1 0 0	20 0 0
194	1 0 0	20 0 0
195	1 0 0	20 0 0
199	1 0 0	20 0 0
200A	1 0 0	20 0 0

SUBURBAN LOTS AT PORT CHARLES.—BLOCK I., HARATAUNGA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Lot 1, Sec. 6	0 3 4	2 6 0
Lot 2, Sec. 6	1 0 6	3 1 0

BAY OF ISLANDS COUNTY.—RUAPEKAPEKA PARISH.

97	16 3 16	17 0 0
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Part kahikatea swamp, adjoining Taumarere Station.

WHAKATANE COUNTY.—WAIMANA PARISH.

263A	0 2 22	2 5 0
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Open land, about three-quarters of a mile from Whakatane Township.

RODNEY COUNTY.—ORUAWHARO PARISH.

N. 172	108 0 0	175 10 0
191A	64 2 0	115 17 6

N. pn. 172, broken to undulating forest land, containing 207 green and thirty-nine dead kauri trees. Section 191A, about 8 acres fern and bush land, remainder contains fifty-nine green kauri trees and 108 totara trees. Both lots are from four to five miles from Hakaru.

WHANGAROA COUNTY.—MATAWHEROHIA PARISH.

S.E. 3	15 0 0	73 15 0
S.W. 8	92 1 0	81 0 0
S.W. 9	49 2 0	49 10 0
19	140 0 0	65 0 0
23	400 2 0	139 15 0
24	221 3 36	84 0 0
25	155 2 0	78 0 0
26	527 0 0	400 0 0
28	313 3 30	160 0 0
30	252 2 0	80 0 0

All very broken forest land, with clay soil, situated about four miles from Kaeo Post-office, and containing timber as follows: S.E. pn. 3, about 140,000ft. of kauri; S.W. 8, 135,000ft. kauri and 20,000ft. totara; S.W. 9, 27,000ft. kauri and 24,000ft. totara; Section 19, 20,000ft. kauri and 60,000ft. totara; Section 23, about 66,000ft. kauri and 40,000ft. totara; Section 24, about 21,000ft. kauri and 55,000ft. totara; Section 25, 85,000ft. kauri and 21,000ft. totara; Section 26, about 260,000ft. kauri and 540,000ft. totara; Section 28, about 200,000ft. kauri and 20,000ft. totara; Section 30, 30,000ft. kauri and 14,000ft. totara.

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, within thirty days thereafter.

GERHARD MUELLER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lease of Small Grazing-run, Auckland, open for Application.

District Land and Survey Office,
Auckland, 20th July, 1893.

NOTICE is hereby given that lease of the under-mentioned small grazing-run will be open for application, at this office, on Wednesday, the 20th September, 1893, at the rental noted.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—EAST TAUPŌ COUNTY.

SMALL Grazing-run No. 19, situated in Blocks IX., X., and XIV., Tātua Survey District, containing 5,100 acres. Upset annual rental, £31 7s. 6d.

The run is near the Wairakei Hotel and Telegraph-office, Taupō, with a frontage to the coach-road, and comprises open land covered with fern and tussock, and contains a small quantity of mixed forest at the northern end. The hot springs and geysers in the Wairakei Valley are not included in the run.

CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. The term of lease is twenty-one years, with the option of renewal for a further period of twenty-one years at a rent to be fixed by valuation, and improvements being secured to lessee as provided by "The Land Act, 1892," section 182. Each lessee is required to make the declaration as per form printed hereon.

2. No person can lease more than one run.

3. Residence on the run is compulsory, and commences within three years in bush or swamp land, and within one year in open or partly open land, unless the lessee obtain the consent of the Land Board to reside on other land in his occupation.

4. Permanent improvements must be effected equal to one year's rental by the end of the first year, two years' rental by the end of the second year, and four years' rental at the end of the sixth year; and on bush land, in addition thereto, improvements must be made to the value of 10s. an acre if first-class land, or of 5s. an acre if second-class land.

5. One half-year's rent and £1 1s. for the lease must accompany the application; the rent to be paid half-yearly in advance during the term of the lease. The next payment of rent will become due on the 1st September, 1894.

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

DECLARATION.

I, _____, of * _____, do solemnly and sincerely declare—

1. That I am of the age of seventeen years and upwards.
2. That I am the person who, subject to the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892," am desirous of becoming the purchaser of a lease of Run No. †
3. That I am purchasing such lease solely for my own use and benefit, and not directly or indirectly for the use of any other person or persons whatever.
4. That I am not already the holder of any such lease in any part of the colony, nor have I any interest in any such lease.
5. That I am not the holder of any run under Part VI. of the aforesaid Act, nor have I any interest in any such run.
6. That I do not own any freehold land or land held by lease or license of any kind whatever anywhere in the colony, either by myself or jointly with any other person, which, exclusive of the land I am now purchasing the lease of, will exceed in area 1,000 acres.

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

(Signature.)

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

* Place of abode or occupation. † Here specify.

GERHARD MUELLER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Town of Opotiki for Lease.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 5th August, 1893.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned lease will be submitted to public auction at the Land Office, Tauranga, on Wednesday, the 4th October proximo, at 11 a.m.

TOWN OF OPOTIKI.

The lease for a term of fourteen years of Lot 15, Section 2, containing 1a. 1r. 27p.; upset annual rent, £1.

Terms of lease: Rent to be paid yearly in advance. Lessee may remove all fencing and buildings that may be erected by him prior to the expiration of the term of lease, but will have no right to valuation or compensation for improvements or right of renewal of lease.

GERHARD MUELLER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Town, Suburban, and Rural Lands, Auckland, for Sale by Auction.

District Land and Survey Office,
Auckland, 5th August, 1893.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned town, suburban, and rural lands will be submitted for sale by public auction at the Land Office, Auckland, on Friday, the 6th day of October proximo, at 11 a.m.

SCHEDULE.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
TOWN OF OPUA (BLOCK XXVII.).		
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
3	0 0 39	5 0 0
12	0 1 0	5 0 0
13	0 1 0	5 0 0
VILLAGE OF TAUPIRI.		
55	0 2 0	10 0 0
56	0 2 0	10 0 0
57	0 2 0	10 0 0
58	0 2 0	10 0 0
TOWN OF TAUPŌ (BLOCK XIV.). (Museum Endowments.)		
2	0 1 2	5 5 0
3	0 1 2	5 5 0
TOWN OF CAMBRIDGE WEST. (Classified as suburban.)		
467	1 0 0	2 0 0
468, 468A	1 0 0	2 0 0
469	1 0 0	2 0 0
423	1 0 0	2 0 0
415, 415A	1 0 0	2 0 0
413, 426	1 0 12	2 4 0
SUBURBS OF TUAKAU.		
82	4 2 18	10 0 0
83	4 0 39	8 10 0
84	4 2 9	9 0 0
108	0 1 0	0 10 0
127	0 1 0	0 10 0
128	0 1 0	0 10 0
PARISH OF WAIUKU WEST.		
26	3 2 12	4 0 0
Open land, covered with furze; about three miles from Waiuku.		
PARISH OF WHANGAMARINO.		
478	7 0 18	7 0 0
Swamp land adjoining.		
VILLAGE OF UPPER RANGIRIRI.—PARISH OF OPAHEKE (SECTION 4).		
4	10 0 15	15 0 0
Situated at Bombay Settlement, Great South Road.		
PARISH OF MANGAPAI (SECTION 3).		
Lot 6	2 0 32	4 10 0
Village lot adjoining cemetery.		
PARISH OF TITIRANGI. (Near the Manukau Road, Avondale.)		
165	5 0 0	20 0 0
166	4 3 8	19 5 0
167	5 0 0	20 0 0
168	4 3 36	20 0 0
169	4 3 28	19 15 0
170	6 1 32	25 15 0
171	4 3 30	19 15 0
172	4 3 29	19 15 0
173	4 3 36	19 17 0
174	4 3 2	19 0 0
175	6 2 18	26 10 0
176	4 3 7	19 0 0
177	5 0 0	20 0 0
178	5 0 0	20 0 0
179	5 0 0	20 0 0

All open land of poor quality; situated about half a mile from Avondale, near the Manukau Road.

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, within thirty days thereafter, otherwise the deposit first paid shall be forfeited, and the contract for the sale of the land be null and void.

GERHARD MUELLER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Leases of Small Grazing-runs, Otago, open for Application.

District Land Office,
Dunedin, 17th July, 1893.

NOTICE is hereby given that leases of the under-mentioned small grazing-runs will be open for application, at this office, on Tuesday, the 29th August, 1893, at the rental noted opposite each run.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—TUAPEKA AND WAITAKI COUNTIES.

Survey District.	Run No.	Block.	Area.	Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.
TUAPEKA COUNTY.					
			Acres.	s. d.	£ s. d.
Beaumont ..	137	..	1,760	0 7	25 13 4
" ..	137A	..	1,875	0 7	27 6 11
" ..	137B	..	2,000	0 7	29 3 4
" ..	137C	..	1,750	0 6	21 17 6
" ..	137D	..	1,706	0 6	21 6 6

This country, known as part of Bellamy Station, was held partly by Mr. Samuel Henry, and partly by the New Zealand Mortgage and Investment Association (Limited), under pastoral licenses determined on the 31st March, 1893. It is chiefly open ridgy land, growing silver and snow tussock, with a little grass. Run No. 137 contains a little birch bush; and Runs Nos. 137A, 137B, and 137C contain a little manuka scrub and fern. The distance of the runs from Lawrence varies from nine to thirteen miles, and their altitude from 800ft. to 2,400ft. Run No. 137D is subject to valuation for fencing, £46 15s. 9d.

Beaumont ..	170B	..	1,570	0 7	22 17 11
" ..	170C	..	1,270	0 6	15 17 6
" ..	170D	..	1,560	0 7	22 15 0
" ..	170E	..	1,590	0 7	23 3 9

Subdivisions of Run No. 170B, part of Bellamy Station, which was held by Mr. Alexander Brown, under license determined on the 31st March, 1893. The land is of fairly good quality, broken, and mostly open. It contains manuka scrub, flax, fern, and a little bush, with native grasses and clover. Portions of the runs might be utilised for growing root-crops. They are well watered by branches of the Clutha River. Run No. 170B is accessible by bullock-dray, about twenty-three miles from Lawrence, or by bridle-track three miles to Beaumont, and thence twelve miles by main road to Lawrence. Runs Nos. 170C and 170E are twelve and a half to thirteen miles from Lawrence by main road. Run No. 170D is accessible by bullock-dray from Lawrence, twenty-four miles distant, or from same locality by bridle-track and main road, *via* Beaumont, sixteen miles. This country varies in altitude from 700ft. to 1,930ft., the ascent in places being abrupt. Valuations for improvements are payable as follow: Run No. 170B, £12 4s. 9d.; Run No. 170D, £26 12s. 9d. The improvements in both instances consist of fencing.

WAITAKI COUNTY.

	Section.				
Domet ..	2	X.	13,540	0 4	112 16 8
" ..	2	XI.			
Kakanui ..	1	I.			
" ..	1	II.			
" ..	1	VIII.			
Kyeburn ..	1	XIII.			
" ..	1	XIV.			

Subdivisions of parts of Pastoral Runs Nos. 300 and 301. The country is of sound grazing quality, containing about 4,000 acres of well-grassed land, about 4,000 acres fairly grassed, and remainder poorly grassed and broken. It averages an altitude of 2,800ft., is well watered, and fronts main Livingstone-Naseby Road. The run contains a capital homestead-site, around which lie several hundred acres of arable land. Livingstone is six miles, and Tokarahi Railway-station eleven miles distant. Valuation for house and fencing, £57 14s.

CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

- The term of lease is twenty-one years, with the option of renewal for a further period of twenty-one years, at a rent to be fixed by valuation, and improvements being secured to lessee as provided by "The Land Act, 1892," section 182. Each lessee is required to make the declaration as per form printed hereon.
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- Residence on the run is compulsory, and commences within three years in bush or swamp land, and within one year in open or partly open land, unless the lessee obtain the consent of the Land Board to reside on other land in his occupation.
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end of the sixth year; and on bush land, in addition thereto, improvements must be made to the value of 10s. an acre if first-class land, or 5s. an acre if second-class land.

5. One half-year's rent and £1 1s. for the lease must accompany the application; the rent to be paid half-yearly in advance during the term of the lease. The next payment of rent will become due on the 1st March, 1894.

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

DECLARATION.

- I, _____, of* _____, do solemnly and sincerely declare—
- That I am of the age of seventeen years and upwards.
 - That I am the person who, subject to the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892," am desirous of becoming the purchaser of a lease of Run No.†
 - That I am purchasing such lease solely for my own use and benefit, and not directly or indirectly for the use of any other person or persons whatever.
 - That I am not already the holder of any such lease in any part of the colony, nor have I any interest in any such lease.
 - That I am not the holder of any run under Part VI. of the aforesaid Act, nor have I any interest in any such run.
 - That I do not own any freehold land or land held by lease or license of any kind whatever anywhere in the colony, either by myself or jointly with any other person, which, exclusive of the land I am now purchasing the lease of, will exceed in area 1,000 acres.

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

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

(Signature.)

* Place of abode or occupation. † Here specify.

J. P. MAITLAND,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Suburban Lands for Sale by Public Auction for Cash.

District Land and Survey Office,
Auckland, 10th July, 1893.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned suburban lands will be submitted to public auction, at the District Land and Survey Office, Auckland, on Wednesday, the 13th September, 1893, at 11 a.m.

MANUKAU COUNTY.—SUBURBS OF POKENO.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price per Section.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
222	5 2 34	12 0 0
224	3 3 12	8 0 0
231	1 0 25	2 10 0
232	0 2 0	1 0 0
245	1 3 0	4 10 0
244	0 2 0	1 0 0
241	0 3 0	2 0 0
242	0 1 0	1 0 0
243	0 2 0	1 0 0
259	0 3 0	1 10 0
260	1 2 9	3 10 0
262	1 2 31	4 0 0
263	1 3 29	4 0 0
264	0 2 24	1 10 0
266	0 1 38	1 0 0
267	0 1 37	1 0 0
272	4 3 2	10 0 0
274A	0 3 20	2 0 0
275	3 2 28	8 0 0
276	2 2 32	6 0 0
280	2 0 38	4 10 0
281	3 0 0	6 0 0
282	2 3 0	6 0 0
284	1 3 39	4 0 0
285	1 0 0	2 0 0
285A	1 0 7	2 2 0
286	0 0 39	0 10 0
287	0 3 8	2 0 0
289	5 0 7	10 10 0

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 part of the purchase-money paid by way of deposit will be forfeited, and the contract for the sale of the land be null and void.

GERHARD MUELLER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

RETURN of IMMIGRATION to and EMIGRATION from the COLONY of NEW ZEALAND during the MONTH of JULY, 1893, showing the Places from which Persons arrived and to which they departed, and the Ports of Arrival and Departure. (Subject to revision as to departures for Australia.)*

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES FROM AND TO DIFFERENT PLACES.

Countries.	ARRIVALS.					DEPARTURES.				
	Adults.		Children.		Total Persons.	Adults.		Children.		Total Persons.
	M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.	M.	F.	
United Kingdom	93	72	15	13	193	59	31	8	10	108
Queensland .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
New South Wales	374	138	53	42	607	326	99	23	25	473
Victoria	150	87	22	27	286	137	55	16	13	221
South Australia .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Western Australia .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tasmania	29	5	..	..	34	19	8	1	..	28
Other places	38	7	1	4	50	65	25	6	3	99
Totals	684	309	91	86	1,170	606	218	54	51	929

ARRIVALS AT AND DEPARTURES FROM DIFFERENT NEW ZEALAND PORTS.†

Ports.	ARRIVALS.					DEPARTURES.				
	Adults.	Children.	Males.	Females.	Total Persons.	Adults.	Children.	Males.	Females.	Total Persons.
Auckland	413	61	344	130	474	294	44	231	107	338
Wellington	195	49	155	89	244	221	12	187	46	233
Lyttelton	2	..	2	..	2	75	14	62	27	89
Timaru .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	1
Dunedin	112	18	73	57	130	10	5	4	11	15
Bluff	271	49	201	119	320	223	30	175	78	253
Totals	993	177	775	395	1,170	824	105	660	269	929

CHINESE.—Arrivals, 14; departures, 1.

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

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

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 9th August, 1893.

E. J. VON DADELSZEN,
Registrar-General.

Tenders for Letter-carriers' Uniforms.

THE following is a list of successful and unsuccessful tenders for letter-carriers' uniforms:—

Tenderer.	Address.	Tunic.		Trousers.			Overcoats.			Cap.	Helmet.
		Tweed.	Drill.	Tweed.	Drill.	Riding.	Waterproof.	Tweed.			
		With Cape.	Without Cape.								
<i>Accepted.</i>											
Hallenstein Bros. and Co.	Dunedin	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Kaipoi Woollen Manufacturing Co. (Limited).	Christchurch	24 3	..	15 6	..	22 6	31 6	29 6	25 0	4 9	5 0
<i>Declined.</i>											
Ross and Glendining	Dunedin	27 0	..	17 3	..	23 6	39 6	37 6	32 6	..	..
		and		and		and	and	and			
		27 6		17 6		24 0	43 6	52 6			
Butterworth Bros.	"	27 0	8 6	16 9	6 0	24 6	30 0	39 6	34 6	..	..
							and				
							32 0				
Brown, Ewing, and Co.	"	29 9	15 9	17 3	9 0	24 3	..	39 6	33 0	..	..
		and		and		and					
		31 0		18 0		25 6					
Kaipoi Woollen Manufacturing Co. (Limited).	Christchurch	26 6	..	17 3	..	23 9	..	..	..	..	..
Zealandia Waterproof Co.	Dunedin	..	..	..	..	..	37 6	..	..	..	..
Belchamber and Co.	Auckland	..	..	..	..	..	37 6	..	..	..	..
C. Hill and Sons	Wellington	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4 6	8 6
J. C. Ross	Dunedin	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4 6	6 6
J. Ballantyne and Co.	Christchurch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5 9	7 11
W. H. Fenton and Co.	Auckland	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4 0	6 0
R. G. Cox	"	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4 0	6 0

General Post Office, Wellington,
31st July, 1893.

W. GRAY,
Secretary.

Vital Statistics, July, 1893.

REGISTRAR-GENERAL'S Report on the Vital Statistics of the Principal Towns of New Zealand during the Month of July, 1893.

RETURN of the Number of Births, with the actual Mortality of Males and Females, and the Proportion of Deaths to Population, in the under-mentioned Boroughs, during the Month of July, 1893.

BOROUGH.	Population of Principal Boroughs, with their Suburbs, Census, April, 1891.	ESTIMATED POPULATION OF BOROUGH 1ST JANUARY, 1893.	TOTAL BIRTHS IN BOROUGH.	DEATHS IN BOROUGH REGISTERED IN JULY, 1893.							Total Deaths.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, July, 1893.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population in the Year 1892.
				Males.			Females.						
				Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.				
Auckland	51,287	31,268	81	2	4	14	2	1	6	29	0.93	12.52	
Wellington	34,190	33,786	72	5	3	12	..	7	16	43	1.27	12.27	
Christchurch	47,846	16,704	27	5	2	7	..	2	2	18	1.08	11.89	
Dunedin	45,869	23,302	43	7	..	13	3	4	7	34	1.46	11.59	
Thames .. ..	..	5,196	5	3	..	4	2	5	4	18	3.46	12.52
New Plymouth .. ..	..	3,312	21	2	1	1	1	..	..	5	1.51	12.95
Napier .. ..	..	8,806	25	1	..	5	..	4	1	11	1.25	15.80
Wanganui .. ..	..	5,081	14	..	..	2	1	..	..	3	0.59	12.25
Palmerston North .. ..	..	5,793	16	..	..	..	1	1	3	5	0.86	12.48
Blenheim .. ..	..	3,262	8	..	..	2	..	1	2	5	1.53	11.92
Nelson .. ..	..	6,677	9	..	1	2	..	..	2	5	0.75	16.36
Greymouth .. ..	..	3,741	7	2	..	2	..	..	2	6	1.60	7.99
Hokitika .. ..	..	2,169	6	..	..	4	..	..	2	6	2.77	8.75
Lyttelton .. ..	..	3,966	21	..	2	2	3	2	..	9	2.27	9.25
Sydenham .. ..	..	10,310	25	5	3	7	2	2	5	24	2.33	12.73
Timaru .. ..	..	3,374	9	2	3	..	..	2	2	9	2.67	12.43
Oamaru .. ..	..	5,500	16	1	2	1	..	1	1	6	1.09	9.76
Caversham .. ..	..	4,887	11	1	..	7	3	1	3	15	3.07	14.49
Invercargill	8,551	5,320	17	1	..	2	1	..	1	5	0.94	10.74	
Totals .. ..	..	..	433	37	21	87	19	33	59	256	..	..

Deaths, occurring at hospitals, of persons not residents of the borough wherein the hospital is situated have been allotted in each case to the borough where the disease was contracted, and not to that in which the death actually took place.

The total births in the above boroughs amounted to 433, against 435 in June, a decrease of 2. The deaths in July were 256, an increase of 5 on the number in June. Of the total deaths, males contributed 145; females, 111. One hundred and ten of the deaths were of children under 5 years of age, being 42.97 per cent. of the whole number; 56 of these were under 1 year of age.

The following Table shows the Causes of the Deaths of Persons of both Sexes under 5 Years of Age and 5 Years and upwards, and the Proportions per Cent. of Deaths from each Cause, in the Boroughs of Auckland, Wellington, Christchurch, and Dunedin, that were registered during the Month of July, 1893.

CLASSES.	CAUSES OF DEATH.	AUCKLAND.		WELLINGTON.		CHRISTCHURCH.		DUNEDIN.		TOTAL.	PROPORTIONS PER CENT.
		Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.		
I.	Specific Febrile or Zymotic Diseases	4	..	11	6	..	..	2	3	33	26.61
II.	Parasitic Diseases	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	0.81
III.	Dietetic Diseases	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	0.81
IV.	Constitutional Diseases	..	4	..	5	1	..	..	5	15	12.10
V.	Developmental Diseases	..	3	1	1	1	..	1	..	7	5.64
VI.	Local Diseases	4	11	3	15	2	6	11	10	62	50.00
VII.	Violence	..	..	3	1	..	1	..	2	4	3.22
VIII.	Ill-defined and Not-specified Causes	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	0.81
	Totals	9	20	15	28	9	9	14	20	124	100.00

		AUCKLAND.		WELLINGTON.		CHRISTCHURCH.		DUNEDIN.		TOTAL.	
		Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.		
CLASS I.—SPECIFIC FEBRILE OR ZYMOTIC DISEASES.											
ORDER 1:—											
Miasmatic,—											
	Measles	..	4	..	9	4	4	..	2	2	25
	Rubeola	1	1
	Influenza	1	1	..	2
	Diphtheria	1	1
ORDER 2:—											
Diarrheal,—											
	Dysentery	1	..	1	2
ORDER 6:—											
Septic,—											
	Septicæmia	..	1	..	1	2

	AUCKLAND.		WELLINGTON.		CHRISTCHURCH.		DUNEDIN.		TOTAL.
	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	
CLASS II.—PARASITIC DISEASES.									
Thrush	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
CLASS III.—DIETETIC DISEASES.									
Delirium Tremens .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
CLASS IV.—CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES.									
Cancer .. .. .	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	3
Acute Hydrocephalus .. .. .	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
Phthisis .. .. .	..	3	..	3	..	..	..	4	10
Tuberculosis .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
CLASS V.—DEVELOPMENTAL DISEASES.									
Premature Birth .. .. .	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	3
Old Age .. .. .	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
CLASS VI.—LOCAL DISEASES.									
ORDER 1:—									
<i>Diseases of Nervous System,—</i>									
Meningitis .. .. .	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Apoplexy .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	2
Softening of Brain .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Hemiplegia .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
General Paralysis of Insane .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Tumour of Brain .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
ORDER 3:—									
<i>Diseases of Circulatory System,—</i>									
Heart-disease .. .. .	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	3
Fatty Heart .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Syncope .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Aortic Aneurism .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
ORDER 4:—									
<i>Diseases of Respiratory System,—</i>									
Croup .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Asthma .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
Bronchitis	1	1	2	5	..	1	4	3	17
Inflammation of Lungs .. .. .	..	..	1	2	2	..	5	1	11
ORDER 5:—									
<i>Diseases of Digestive System,—</i>									
Submaxillary Inflammation .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
Dentition .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
Gastric Ulcer .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
Obstruction of Bowels .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
Strangulated Hernia .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Gall-stones .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Peritonitis .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Liver-disease	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
ORDER 7:—									
<i>Diseases of Urinary System,—</i>									
Acute Nephritis .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
Bright's Disease .. .. .	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
Uræmia .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Disease of Prostate .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
ORDER 8:—									
<i>Diseases of Reproductive System,—</i>									
Disease of Ovaries .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
Post partum Hæmorrhage .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
ORDER 10:—									
<i>Diseases of Integumentary System,—</i>									
Chronic Ulceration of Scalp	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Acute Eczema	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
CLASS VII.—VIOLENCE.									
ORDER 1:—									
<i>Accident or Negligence,—</i>									
Overdose of Chlorodyne .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
ORDER 2:—									
<i>Violence,—</i>									
“Justifiable Homicide” by Shooting .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
ORDER 3:—									
<i>Suicide,—</i>									
By Drowning .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
By Hanging .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
CLASS VIII.—ILL-DEFINED AND NOT-SPECIFIED CAUSES.									
Marasmus .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
Totals	9	20	15	28	9	9	14	20	124

The following remarks apply to the four principal boroughs only: The births in July were 223, against 235 in June, a decrease of 12. The deaths amounted to 124, against 162 in June, a decrease of 38. There were 19 deaths of persons of 65 years and upwards: 2 males of 81 and 89, and 2 females of 78 and 80, died at Auckland; 1 male of 78, and 6 females, of 68 (2), 71, 72, 74, and 79, at Wellington; 1 male of 71, and 1 female of 66, at Christchurch; 5 males, of 67 (2), 70 (2), and 71, and 1 female of 66, at Dunedin.

The death-rates for July are lower than those for June, except at Dunedin, where the figures for the two months are the same. Compared with those for July, 1892, the rates at Auckland and Christchurch for last month are lower, but the rates for Wellington and Dunedin are found to be higher:—

	Death-rate, June, 1893.	Death-rate, July, 1893.	Death-rate, July, 1892.
Auckland	1.73	0.93	1.08
Wellington	1.42	1.27	0.93
Christchurch	1.56	1.08	1.66
Dunedin	1.46	1.46	1.07

Of the four cities, Dunedin had the highest death-rate in July (1.46), being equal to that of the previous month. Wellington comes next (1.27), but the rate here is less than that in June. At Christchurch and Auckland a fall is in each case observed. The epidemic of measles abated in July, judging by the deaths, at Auckland and Dunedin, but increased at Wellington and Christchurch. Deaths from diseases of the respiratory organs increased from 23 in June to 30 in July.

Specific Febrile and Zymotic Diseases.—The total number of deaths fell from 54 in June to 33 in July. The mortality for last month was greatest at Wellington, amounting to 17 deaths, including 14 from measles. At Auckland, Christchurch, and Dunedin deaths were few, and nearly all the result of measles.

Constitutional Diseases.—The deaths fell from 23 in June to 15 in July. Deaths from cancer numbered 3 in the latter month.

Local Diseases.—The deaths for July were 62, against 60 in June. Of those for July, 30 were caused by diseases of the respiratory organs, including 23 from bronchitis and inflammation of the lungs, of which 10 were at Wellington and 13 at Dunedin.

Violent Deaths.—These numbered 4 altogether. One death was that of a man killed by accidentally taking an overdose of chlorodyne; another was a case of justifiable homicide by shooting. There were 2 suicides, 1 by drowning and another by hanging.

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

TOWNS.	SIX PRINCIPAL SPECIFIC FEBRILE OR ZYMOTIC DISEASES.												PRINCIPAL LUNG-DISEASES.							
	Measles.		Scarlet Fever.		Typhoid and other Fever.		Diphtheria.		Whooping-cough.		Diarrhoeal Diseases.		Bronchitis.		Pleurisy.		Pneumonia.		Congestion of Lungs.	
	July	June	July	June	July	June	July	June	July	June	July	June	July	June	July	June	July	June	July	June
	Auckland	4	25	1	1	..	2	3	4	..	1
Wellington	14	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	..	1	1	..	7	4	..	..	3	3	..	..
Christchurch	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	1	..	..
Dunedin	4	15	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	3	7	2	..	..	6	1	..	..
Totals	26	41	..	..	..	3	1	3	..	2	2	3	17	9	..	..	11	9	..	1

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 9th August, 1893.

E. J. VON DADELSZEN,
Registrar-General.

PROVISIONAL METEOROLOGICAL RETURN FOR JULY, 1893.

	AUCKLAND.	WELLINGTON.	LINCOLN, CANTERBURY.	DUNEDIN.
Mean Temperature in shade for month ..	53.5	49.7	45.3	42.7
Average same month previous years ...	52.2	47.6	42.5	42.7
Maximum Temperature in shade, and date	64.0 on 6th	60.0 on 14th, 25th, 31st	65.4 on 26th.	60.0 on 26th
Minimum Temperature in shade, and date	39.0 on 20th	35.0 on 19th	29.4 on 21st.	33.0 on 17th
Maximum Solar Radiation, and date ..	124.0 on 31st	102.0 on 2nd, 21st, 23rd, 29th	100.4 on 27th.	70.0 on 26th
Minimum Terrestrial Radiation, and date	31.0 on 21st	24.0 on 22nd	23.4 on 2nd.	28.0 on 17th
Mean Humidity (Saturation = 100) ..	80	79	78	78
Average same month previous years ...	80	78	82	78
Total Rainfall, in inches	5.340	7.314	2.559	4.368
Average same month previous years ...	4.818	6.335	2.607	2.474
Number of Days of Rain	25	18	11	17
Average same month previous years ...	19	18	13	12

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

Meteorological Office, Wellington, August, 1893.

JAMES HECTOR,
Director.

Bankruptcy Notices.

In Bankruptcy.—In the District Court, holden at New Plymouth.

NOTICE is hereby given that **IDA MARY CLELAND**, of New Plymouth, General Storekeeper (wife of Allan Cleland, of same place, decorator), was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 15th day of August, 1893, at 2 o'clock.

ROBT. G. BAUCHOPE,
Deputy Official Assignee.
New Plymouth, 2nd August, 1893.

In Bankruptcy.

In the Estate of **W. G. BARRETT**, of Stratford, Fruiterer.

A FIRST and final dividend of 1s. 8d. in the pound is now payable at my office, Hawera.

C. A. BUDGE,
Deputy Official Assignee.
Hawera, 8th August, 1893.

In Bankruptcy.

In the Estate of **FRANCIS JOSEPH MAGUIRE**, of Gisborne, Storekeeper.

A FIRST dividend of 4s. in the pound on all accepted proved claims in the above estate is now payable at my office, Gladstone Road, Gisborne.

JOHN COLEMAN,
Deputy Official Assignee.
Gisborne, 2nd August, 1893.

In Bankruptcy.—In the District Court of Wanganui, being a local Court of Bankruptcy, holden at Palmerston North.

NOTICE is hereby given that **HENRY WILLIAM BOON**, of Palmerston North, Storekeeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at Palmerston North, on the 16th day of August, 1893, at 2.30 o'clock.

G. J. SCOTT,
Deputy Official Assignee.
Palmerston North, 5th August, 1893.

In Bankruptcy.—In the District Court of Wairarapa, holden at Masterton.

NOTICE is hereby given that **CHARLES JOHN BURCH**, of Gladstone, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, Greytown, on Tuesday, the 15th day of August, 1893, at 11.30 o'clock a.m.

W. B. CHENNELLS,
Deputy Official Assignee.
Masterton, 7th August, 1893.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court of New Zealand, Wellington District.

NOTICE is hereby given that **THOMAS HALL COLTMAN**, of Wellington, Watchmaker, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Friday, the 11th day of August, 1893, at 3 o'clock.

JAMES ASHCROFT,
Official Assignee.
Wellington, 3rd August, 1893.

In Bankruptcy.

Estate of **G. W. GOODE**, Storekeeper, Wellington.

A DIVIDEND of 20s. in the pound on all proved claims against the above estate, together with 6 per cent. interest on same, is now payable at my office, Supreme Court Buildings, Wellington.

JAMES ASHCROFT,
Official Assignee.
Wellington, 5th August, 1893.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court of New Zealand, Wellington District.

NOTICE is hereby given that **RICHARD CHARLES BOWDEN**, of Wellington, Hotelkeeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Monday, the 14th day of August, 1893, at 3 o'clock.

JAMES ASHCROFT,
Official Assignee.
Wellington, 7th August, 1893.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at Christchurch.

NOTICE is hereby given that **JOHN JAMES MILLS**, of Christchurch, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 9th day of August, 1893, at 11 o'clock.

G. L. GREENWOOD,
Official Assignee.
2nd August, 1893.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at Christchurch.

NOTICE is hereby given that **EDWARD PARKERSON**, of Sumner, Accountant, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 10th day of August, 1893, at 11 o'clock.

G. L. GREENWOOD,
Official Assignee.
3rd August, 1893.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at Christchurch.

NOTICE is hereby given that **JAMES HURSE**, of Rangiora, Farmer and Stock-dealer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 11th day of August, 1893, at 11 o'clock.

G. L. GREENWOOD,
Official Assignee.
5th August, 1893.

In Bankruptcy.—In the District Court of Timaru and Oamaru, holden at Timaru.

NOTICE is hereby given that **BENJAMIN SALVIN**, of Timaru, Carpenter, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, at Arcade, Timaru, on Friday, the 11th day of August, 1893, at 11 o'clock.

ALEX. MONTGOMERY,
Deputy Official Assignee.
Timaru, 3rd August, 1893.

N.B.—All proofs of debt must be filed not later than two months from the date of adjudication, and, if possible, before the first meeting of creditors.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court of New Zealand holden at Dunedin.

No. 24.

NOTICE is hereby given that **HENRY GOODMAN**, of Dunedin, Horse-trainer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 14th day of August, 1893, at 3 o'clock.

C. C. GRAHAM,
Official Assignee.
Dunedin, 2nd August, 1893.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court of New Zealand, holden at Dunedin.

No. 25.

NOTICE is hereby given that **RICHARD EDWARD CRAWLEY**, late of Dunedin, now of Tinakori Road, Wellington, Landscape Gardener, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 15th day of August, 1893, at 3 o'clock.

C. C. GRAHAM,
Official Assignee.
Dunedin, 5th August, 1893.

Land Transfer Act Notices.

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

Applicant: **THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE**.—Part of Section No. 250, Town of New Plymouth, 20 perches. In occupation of Frederick C. Hammond.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.
Dated this 3rd day of August, 1893, at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth.

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

1096. **FREDERIC WANKLYN WILLIAMS**, Applicant.—4 acres 15 perches, more or less, comprising Lots 33 and 34, Allerton, part of the Heretaunga Block 28N.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.
Dated this 3rd day of August, 1893, at the Lands Registry Office, Napier.

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EDWIN BAMFORD,
District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE of loss of certificate of title (Vol. i., folio 15) of Sections 618, 619, 620, 621, and 622, Clyde, Wairoa, to **JOHN GIBSON KINROSS**, having been lodged with me, and application made to issue a provisional certificate of title, notice is hereby given of my intention to issue a provisional certificate of title accordingly, at the expiration of fourteen days after the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 9th day of August, 1893, at the Lands Registry Office, Napier.

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 on or before the 11th day of September, 1893.

2303. **ELLEN MOORE** and Others (representatives of **JOHN MOORE**, deceased).—Section 12 and part of 7, Tukapu District. In occupation of William Benson.

2306. **THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE**.—Part of Section 644, City of Wellington (George Street). In occupation of J. M. Cleland.

2347. **THOMAS HENRY DURRANT**.—Part of Section 349, City of Wellington (Majorbank Street). In occupation of Mrs. Cassie.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.
Dated this 9th day of August, 1893, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

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G. G. BRIDGES,
Deputy 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 the *Gazette* containing this notice.

544. **CHARLES CHESTERMAN**.—Section 1126, Hokitika, containing 1 rood. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.
Dated this 2nd day of August, 1893, at the Lands Registry Office, Hokitika.

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ALFRED H. KING,
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 calendar month from the date of publication hereof.

Part of Section 22, Block XVIII., Town of Dunedin.—**ROBERT ADAM McARTHUR** and **SARAH ALICE MAUDE McARTHUR**, Applicants. Occupied by tenants. No. 4045.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.
Dated this 7th day of August, 1893, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

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H. TURTON,
District Land Registrar.

IHEREBY give notice that, on the expiration of fourteen days from the date of publication hereof, it is my intention to register a transfer by the Sheriff of the District of Otago to **ALEXANDER McVILTY**, "by virtue of a writ of sale issued out of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, Otago and Southland District, at Dunedin," of the land included in certificate of title, Register-book, Vol. lxx., folio 114, being Allotments 39 and 40, Block III., extension of the Township of Sunnydale, of which **SCOTT INKSTER** is the registered proprietor, without the production of the outstanding duplicate of such certificate, as provided by section 38 of "The Land Transfer Act, 1885."

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin, this 7th August, 1893.

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H. TURTON,
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 in the meantime be lodged forbidding the same within one calendar month from the date of the gazetted of this notice.

EDWIN FOWLER PALMER.—268 acres 3 roods 2 perches, being part of Section 7, Block I., Campbelltown Hundred. Occupied by Charles Bradshaw. No. 2532.

THE SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS FOR THE OTAGO PROVINCIAL DISTRICT.—6 acres 2 roods, being Sections 10, Block XIII.; 8, Block XX.; 6, Block XXII.; 6, Block XXIV.; 20, Block XXV.; 12, Block XXVI.; 3, Block XXVII.; 16, Block XXXI.; 8, Block XXXII.; 22, Block XXXIV.; 14, Block XXXV.; 20, Block XXXVII.; 12, Block XXXVIII.; 4, Block XXXIX.; 18, Block XL.; 10, Block XLII.; 2, Block XLIII.; 6, Block XLIV.; 14, Block XLV.; 22, Block XLVI.; 8, Block XLVIII.; 12, Block LVIII.; 2, Block LXII.; 8, Block LXXIII.; 2, Block LI.; 14, Block LIII. Occupied by applicants. No. 2537.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.
Dated this 31st day of July, 1893, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

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F. G. MORGAN,
District Land Registrar.

Private Advertisements.

THE NORTHERN RIVER STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of "The Companies Act, 1882," that a General Meeting of the members of the above-named company will be held at the office of Messrs. L. D. Nathan and Co., Shortland Street, in the City of Auckland, on Friday, the 13th day of October, 1893, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the company disposed of, 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 of the Liquidator thereof, shall be disposed of.

Dated the 31st day of July, 1893.
E. D. BENJAMIN,
Liquidator.

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IALEXANDER MILNE THOMSON, M.B.C.M., Bachelor of Medicine and Master in Surgery, and duly-registered Med. Pract. of Edinburgh University, Great Brit., residing at Napier, do now give notice of my intention of applying, on the 2nd September, 1893, to have my name placed on the Register of Medical Practitioners in the Colony of New Zealand, and I have this day deposited with the Registrar, at Napier, evidence of my qualifications in terms of "The Medical Practitioners Act, 1869."

A. MILNE THOMSON,
Napier, 2nd August, 1893. 485

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned have this day entered into copartnership as Wholesale Tobacco and Cigar Merchants and General Agents. The business will be carried on at No. 105, Princes Street, Dunedin (next the Bank of New Zealand), under the style of "Mendelsohn, Levinsohn, and Co."

Dated this 1st day of August, 1893.
L. MENDELSON.
H. D. LEVINSON.
J. MENDELSON.

Witness to the signatures of all parties—**S. Solomon**,
Solicitor, Dunedin. 487

In the matter of "The Foreign Companies Act, 1884," and of the Tipperary Gold-mine (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given that the Tipperary Gold-mine (Limited), a company duly incorporated in England under the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890, intends to carry on its business at Macetown, in the Provincial District of Otago, in the Colony of New Zealand; and that the office of the said company in New Zealand will be at the company's gold-mining claim at Macetown aforesaid, where legal proceedings of any kind may be served upon the said company, and to which notices of any kind may be addressed or given.

Dated this 27th day of July, 1893.
WALTER J. STANFORD,
Attorney of the said company in New Zealand. 486

In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1882," and the several Acts amending the same; and in the matter of the United Farmers' Agency Company (Limited).

At an extraordinary general meeting of the members of the above-named company, duly convened, and held at Invercargill, on the 10th day of June, 1893, the following extraordinary resolutions were duly passed, and confirmed at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting of the members, also duly convened, and held at Invercargill, on the 1st day of July, 1893:—

1. "That, in the opinion of this meeting, it is desirable that the United Farmers' Agency Company (Limited) do amalgamate with the J. G. Ward Farmers' Association of New Zealand (Limited); that, in order to carry out the said amalgamation, the United Farmers' Agency Company (Limited) be voluntarily wound up, and that be and they are hereby appointed Liquidators for the purpose of such winding-up; that the Liquidators be empowered to sell and transfer the whole of the business and property of the company to the J. G. Ward Farmers' Association of New Zealand (Limited), in exchange for shares therein, on condition that such company adopt and pay the liabilities of the United Farmers' Agency Company (Limited), and subject to the terms of the conditional agreement submitted to this meeting, and pursuant to section 222 of 'The Companies Act, 1882.'"

2. "That the names Alfred Baldey and Andrew White be inserted in the resolution to amalgamate as those of the Liquidators, and that the said Alfred Baldey and Andrew White be and they are hereby appointed Liquidators for the purpose of winding up the United Farmers' Agency Company (Limited)."

3. "That the remuneration of Liquidators be £10 10s. each."

Dated this 15th day of July, 1893.

ALFRED BALDEY,
Chairman.

Signed by the said Alfred Baldey, the Chairman of the said meetings, in the presence of R. H. Rattray, Solicitor for the company, Invercargill. 488

In the matter of "The Foreign Companies Act, 1884," and the Round Hill Mining Company (Limited).

NOTICE of Position of Office.—In pursuance of the provisions of "The Foreign Companies Act, 1884," I hereby give notice that the office or place of business of the company in the colony, where legal proceedings may be served and notices addressed or given, is situated at the office of the Secretary, Mr. R. H. Leary, Messrs. R. H. Leary and Co., corner of Liverpool and Bond Streets, Dunedin. Dunedin, 29th July, 1893.

J. WHITE,
One of the Attorneys of the Round Hill Mining Company (Limited).

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

IN conformity with, and for the purposes of, section 7 of the above Act, notice is hereby given that the office or place of business of the China Traders' Insurance Company (Limited) in Wanganui is in Taupo Quay, at the office of the United Farmers' Alliance (Limited).

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

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In the matter of "The Foreign Companies Act, 1884," and of the North Queensland Insurance Company (Limited), of Sydney.

IN conformity with and for the purposes of section 7 of the above Act, notice is hereby given that the office or place of business of the North Queensland Insurance Company (Limited) for Hawke's Bay District is at my office, in Browning Street, Napier.

EDMUND BLACK,
Attorney for the North Queensland Insurance Company (Limited) for the Hawke's Bay District, in the Colony of New Zealand.

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JUST PUBLISHED.

LIST of Owners of the several Subdivisions of the Awarua Block, showing number of shares held by each, with alphabetical index. Price, 10s.

SAMUEL COSTALL,
Government Printer.

Printing and Stationery Department,
Wellington, April, 1893.

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THE following Works, which may be obtained at the Stationery Office, Wellington, price 1s. each:—

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A ROMANCE OF LAKE WAKATIPU (a Legend of the Lakes): Being Episodes of Early Goldfield Life in New Zealand; with Itinerant, Statistical, Historical, and other Notes. By RO. CARRICK.

SAMUEL COSTALL,
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