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*Jurisdiction under Supreme Court Practice and Procedure Act conferred on Registrar, Wanganui.*

GLASGOW, Governor.

By his Deputy,

JAMES PRENDERGAST.

(L.S.)

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Supreme Court Practice and Procedure Acts Amendment Act, 1893," it is, among other things, enacted that the Governor from time to time, by Proclamation gazetted, may declare that, in any portion of any Supreme Court District constituted under "The Supreme Court Act, 1882," to be specified in the Proclamation, not having a Judge of the Supreme Court resident within such portion, any Registrar of the said Court for such district for the time being located at any place within such portion of the district may, within such portion, act for any Judge of such district, with all the jurisdiction, powers, and authority of such Judge, except as thereafter mentioned: And whereas there is no Judge of the Supreme Court resident in that portion of the Supreme Court District of Wellington which is described in the Schedule hereto, and it is expedient that a Proclamation be made under the said first-mentioned Act as hereinafter set forth:

Now, therefore, I, James Prendergast, in the name and on behalf of His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, and as his duly-appointed Deputy, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by "The Supreme Court Practice and Procedure Acts Amendment Act, 1893," do hereby proclaim and declare that, in that portion of the Supreme Court District of Wellington which is described and specified in the Schedule hereto, any Registrar of the Supreme Court for the said district for the time being located at Wanganui, in the said district, may, within such portion of the said district, act for any Judge of the said district, with all the jurisdiction, powers, and authority of such Judge, except as in the said Act mentioned; and also that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the publication thereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area bounded towards the west and north-west by the Taranaki District Court District, as the same is described in a Proclamation of the 18th day of January, 1882, to the northern boundary of the Kirikau Block; thence by that boundary to the eastern corner of the said block; thence towards the north-east by a line from the eastern corner of the Kirikau Block aforesaid drawn to the summit of the Tongariro Mountain; thence towards the east generally by right lines from peak to peak to the summit of Ruapehu Mountain; thence by a right line to Trigonometrical Station

No. 28, on the boundary of Hawke's Bay County; towards the east, north, and again towards the north-east by said county; thence again towards the east and south-east by lines from peak to peak along the summits of the Ruahine and Tararua Ranges to the north-eastern corner of Hutt County; thence towards the south by the northern boundary of the said Hutt County to Cook Strait; thence by the shores of Cook Strait and the ocean to the Waitotara River, the starting-point.

Given under the hand of the Honourable Sir James Prendergast, Knight, Chief Justice, for and on behalf of His Excellency the Governor, and as his duly-appointed Deputy in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Land declared to be Crown Lands subject to "The Land for Settlements Act, 1892."*

GLASGOW, Governor.

By his Deputy,

JAMES PRENDERGAST.

(L.S.)

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto has been acquired under the provisions of "The Land for Settlements Act, 1892" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), and the purchase thereof has been concluded as by the said Act is provided:

And whereas it is enacted by the said Act that all land so acquired shall be proclaimed as Crown land subject to the provisions of the said Act:

Now, therefore, I, James Prendergast, Knight, Chief Justice, in the name and on behalf of His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, and as his duly-appointed Deputy, in exercise and pursuance of the power and authority conferred by the said Act, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto shall, on the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, be and be deemed to be Crown land subject to the provisions of "The Land for Settlements Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 620 acres 2 roods 13 perches, more or less, being Lots 67A, 68, 68A,

69, 70, and 71, deposited plan 467, and situated in Block XII., Otaio, and Block IV., Patiti Survey Districts. Bounded towards the north-west by Lot 88, deposited plan 467; towards the north by the Main Pareora Road and Main South Road; towards the south-east and south-west by the road forming the north-west boundary of Lots 67 and 64, and north-east boundary of Lots 62 and 72, deposited plan 467; and again towards the north-west and south-west by Lot 72A, deposited plan 467, as the same is more particularly delineated on the map deposited in the District Land Registrar's Office, Christchurch.

Given under the hand of the Honourable Sir James Prendergast, Knight, Chief Justice, for and on behalf of His Excellency the Governor, and as his duly-appointed Deputy in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this thirty-first day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

P. A. BUCKLEY,  
For the Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Regulations for the Transmission of Travellers' Cards by Post.*

GLASGOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of October, 1893.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council dated the fifth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, certain regulations were made, under the authority of "The Post Office Act, 1881" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), for the transmission through the post, *inter alia*, of printed papers, and it is expedient that further provision should be made in respect of certain of such papers in the manner hereinafter set forth:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by the said Act, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Colony, doth hereby make the regulations set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

1. A CARD sent by a business firm or by a mercantile traveller in the ordinary course of business (hereinafter referred to as a "traveller's card"), announcing an intended visit to a customer, may be sent through the post-office, under the regulations now in force, made under "The Post Office Act, 1881," on the 5th day of July, 1892, in accordance with the terms and conditions therein set forth relating to printed papers; and subject also to the terms and conditions following:—

- (a.) A traveller's card shall be unfolded, and shall not exceed 5½ in. in length by 3½ in. in width.
- (b.) It shall be in reality what it purports to be—that is to say, a notice of the intended visit to the person to whom it is addressed of a person employed by the person or firm issuing the card.
- (c.) The front of the card shall be used for no other purpose than giving the notice of such intended visit.
- (d.) The name of the person and the date of his visit may be inserted in writing.
- (e.) If any list of prices current be printed on the card it shall be printed on the back thereof, and such list may be altered by hand or by a mechanical process in order to set forth fluctuations in the market.
- (f.) No other information than a list of prices current shall be given on the card.

2. Any traveller's card which may not be in accordance with these conditions will be treated as a letter, and charged and dealt with accordingly, under any existing regulations.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Inspector of Weights and Measures, Borough of Palmerston South, appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 28th October, 1893.

HIS Excellency the Governor, by his Deputy, has been pleased, under "The Weights and Measures Act, 1868," and the Acts amending the same, to appoint

Constable WILLIAM HILLIARD

to be an Inspector of Weights and Measures for the Borough of Palmerston South.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

*United States Consular Agent at Wellington provisionally recognised.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 28th October, 1893.

HIS Excellency the Governor, by his Deputy, has been pleased to recognise provisionally the appointment by the United States Consul at Auckland of

THOMAS CAHILL, Esq., M.D.,

as United States Consular Agent at Wellington.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

*Additional Public Vaccinator, Palmerston North, appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 1st November, 1893.

HIS Excellency the Governor, by his Deputy, has been pleased to appoint

BENJAMIN LOCKING, Esq., M.R.C.S.E.,

to be an additional Public Vaccinator, under "The Public Health Act, 1876," for the District of Palmerston North.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

*Deputy Registrar of Electors, City of Wellington and Wellington Suburbs, appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 1st November, 1893.

HIS Excellency the Governor, by his Deputy, has been pleased to appoint

JAMES BARR

to be Deputy Registrar of Electors, under "The Electoral Act, 1893," for the Electoral Districts of City of Wellington and Wellington Suburbs.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

*Deputy-Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 1st November, 1893.

HIS Excellency the Deputy of the Governor has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned gentlemen to be Deputies of the Registrars of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the districts set respectively opposite their names, viz. :—

Name.	District.
WILLIAM MCKEE .. .. .	Feilding.
JAMES HENRY PEDDER .. .. .	Wellington.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

*Clerk of Licensing Committee appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 27th October, 1893.

HIS Excellency the Governor, by his Deputy, has been pleased to appoint

CHARLES C. MCCARTHY

to be Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Heathcote, *vice* W. T. C. Mills.

P. A. BUCKLEY,  
For the Minister of Justice.

*Resignation of Justice of the Peace accepted.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 27th October, 1893.

HIS Excellency the Governor, by his Deputy, has been pleased to accept the resignation by

ROBERT MAUNSELL, Esq.,

of Tenui, of his appointment as a Justice of the Peace for the Colony.

P. A. BUCKLEY,  
For the Minister of Justice.

*Justice of the Peace appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 28th October, 1893.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor, by his Deputy, has been pleased to appoint

THOMAS DUNCAN, Esq.,

of Oamaru, to be a Justice of the Peace for the colony.

R. J. SEDDON,

For the Minister of Justice.

*Ranger of Crown Lands appointed.*

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 31st October, 1893.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor, by his Deputy, has been pleased to appoint

FRANK WARD

to be a Ranger of Crown Lands for the Canterbury Land District.

P. A. BUCKLEY,

For the Minister of Lands.

*Member of Canterbury Land Board reappointed.*

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 31st October, 1893.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor, by his Deputy, has been pleased to reappoint

The Hon. WILLIAM CAMPBELL WALKER

to be a Member of the Land Board of the Land District of Canterbury, as from the 23rd February, 1893.

P. A. BUCKLEY,

For the Minister of Lands.

*Examiner of Engineers appointed.*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 24th October, 1893.

**I**T is hereby notified that, in pursuance of the power and authority vested by "The Shipping and Seamen's Act, 1877,"

PHILIP JAMES CARMAN

has been appointed an examiner of candidates for certificates of competency as engineers of seagoing steamships or of steamships plying within restricted limits.

J. G. WARD.

*Licensed Interpreter appointed.*

Wellington, 28th October, 1893.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor, by his Deputy, has been pleased to authorise

WILLIAM ARTHUR GOOD,

of Oeo, Taranaki, to act as an Interpreter under the Native Land Court Acts.

R. J. SEDDON,

Native Minister.

*Volunteer Officers appointed.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 27th October, 1893.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor, by his Deputy, has been pleased to approve of the under-mentioned appointments:—

*Honorary Unattached List, New Zealand Volunteers.*

Major James Ewart Hannah to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Date of commission, 18th October, 1893.

*Canterbury Yeomanry Cavalry Volunteers.*

Croslegh Dampier-Crossley to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 4th October, 1893.

*Rangitikei Cavalry Volunteers.*

Thomas McKenzie to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 4th October, 1893.

*Ponsonby Naval Artillery Volunteers.*

George John Watson to be Sub-Lieutenant (on transfer from the Newton Rifle Volunteers, under paragraph 44, Volunteer Regulations, 1889). Date of commission in Volunteer Force, 4th January, 1892; in the above corps, 4th October, 1893.

*A Battery, New Zealand Regiment Artillery Volunteers.*

Arthur Charles Lipscombe to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 4th October, 1893.

*Royal Rifle Volunteers (Marton).*

Lieutenant Joseph Sutcliffe to be Captain.

William Parker to be Lieutenant.

Date of commissions, 4th October, 1893.

*Nelson City Rifle Volunteers.*

Henry William Oakley to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 4th October, 1893.

*Manchester Rifle Volunteers.*

Lieutenant George Kirton to be Captain.

William John Burlace to be Lieutenant.

Date of commissions, 4th October, 1893.

*A Company, Canterbury Rifle Volunteers.*

Lieutenant Arthur Tostyn Drayton to be Captain. Date of commission, 1st September, 1893.

*Waimate Rifle Volunteers.*

Edgar Channon Studholme to be Captain (under paragraph 53, Volunteer Regulations, 1889). Date of commission, 4th October, 1893.

*Gore Rifle Volunteers.*

William Domigan to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 6th October, 1893.

R. J. SEDDON.

*Volunteer Officer resigned.*

Defence Office,

Wellington, 27th October, 1893.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor, by his Deputy, has been pleased to accept the resignation of the commission held by the under-mentioned officer:—

*Heretaunga Mounted Rifle Volunteers.*

Lieutenant James Robert Purdy. Date of resignation, 6th October, 1893.

R. J. SEDDON.

*Result of Poll for Proposed Loan, Manganui Road District, County of Stratford.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 27th October, 1893.

**T**HE following notice, received from the Chairman of the Manganui Road Board, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1886."

P. A. BUCKLEY.

*MANGANUI ROAD BOARD.*

RESULT of poll taken on Monday, 16th October, 1893, on a proposal to raise a loan of £600 under "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886," for the purpose of clearing and draining the Radnor Road from the Mountain Road to the Piakau Bridge, and to clear and drain the road where necessary from the Piakau Bridge to the Cardiff Road; to gravel the road from the Mountain Road to the Piakau Bridge with not less than 8in. of gravel or 6in. of broken metal; to pay out of such loan the cost of raising it; to strike as security on this loan a special rate of 1½d. in the pound over the following lands, viz., Sections 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 37, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47; Suburban 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, Manganui Survey District:—

Number of ratepayers on special roll, 19, representing 20 votes; number of ratepayers who voted for the proposal, 10; no votes were recorded against the proposal.

The number of ratepayers who voted for the proposal not representing one-half the valuation, I therefore declare the proposal lost.

J. MACKAY,

Chairman.

*Result of Polls for Proposed Loans, Featherston Road District, County of Wairarapa South.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 31st October, 1893.

**T**HE following notices, received from the Chairman of the Featherston Road Board, are published in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1886."

P. A. BUCKLEY.

*FEATHERSTON ROAD BOARD.*

THE following is the result of a poll taken at Martinborough on Wednesday, the 18th October, 1893, on the proposal to borrow £300, under "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1886," for the purpose of forming and metalling about 80 chains, Martinborough to Pukeo Road:—

Number of ratepayers on roll (each entitled to one vote), 3; number of votes recorded in favour of loan, 2; number of votes not recorded, 1.

I therefore declare the proposal carried.

25th October, 1893.

ALFRED MATTHEWS,  
Chairman.

FEATHERSTON ROAD BOARD.

THE following is the result of a poll taken at Martinborough on Wednesday, the 18th October, 1893, on the proposal to borrow £300, under "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1886," for the purpose of forming and metalling about 100 chains, Tullocks Road:—

Number of ratepayers on roll (each entitled to one vote), 6; number of votes recorded in favour of loan, 5; number of votes not recorded, 1.

I therefore declare the proposal carried.

25th October, 1893.

ALFRED MATTHEWS,  
Chairman.

Letters of Naturalisation issued.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 28th October, 1893.

HIS Excellency the Governor, by his Deputy, has been pleased to issue Letters of Naturalisation, under "The Aliens Act, 1890," in favour of the under-mentioned persons:—

Name.	Occupation.	Residence.
Rasmus Peter Hansen	Labourer ..	Palmerston North.
Niels Jorgen Rasmus- sen	Labourer ..	Palmerston North.
John Johnson ..	Farmer ..	Bideford.
Charles Gustaf Victor Leijon	Dredge-owner ..	Sawyer's Bay.
Victor Schierny ..	Boardinghouse- keeper	Stratford.
August Wiesen ..	Porter ..	Wellington.
Johan Wickman ..	Labourer ..	Eketahuna.
Carl Pioch ..	Labourer ..	Stratford.
Soren Hansen Rasmus- sen	Settler ..	Mauriceville.
Carl August Kulsch ..	Engineer ..	Wanganui.
Niels Christian Ander- sen	Shipwright ..	Wellington.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Resignation of Member of Licensing Committee accepted.

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 27th October, 1893.

HIS Excellency the Governor, by his Deputy, has been pleased to accept the resignation by

E. J. ELLERM, Esq.,

of his office as a Member of the Licensing Committee for the District of Waimate.

P. A. BUCKLEY,  
For the Minister of Justice.

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.

Bonus on Starch manufactured in New Zealand.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 10th October, 1893.

NOTICE is hereby given that a bonus of two pounds (£2) a ton will be paid on 100 tons of starch manufactured in the Colony of New Zealand in each of the years 1894 and 1895.

CONDITIONS.

1. Notice of intention to claim the bonus for 100 tons in 1894 must be given in writing to the Colonial Secretary not later than the 30th June, 1894. Notice of intention to claim the bonus for 100 tons in 1895 must be given in the same manner not later than the 30th June, 1895.

2. The claims must be made respectively before the 31st December, 1894 and 1895.

3. The first claimant who proves to the satisfaction of the Government that he has fulfilled all the conditions is to be the recipient of the bonus.

4. Evidence to be produced of such a nature as will enable an officer appointed by the Government to certify that the above-stated quantity in each year has been actually made, sold, and delivered.

5. The bonus to be paid only on the certificate of such officer.

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.

*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.

*Additional Regulations for the Examination of Masters  
and Mates.*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 27th October, 1893.

IN pursuance of the power vested in me by sections 24 and 25 of "The Shipping and Seamen's Act, 1877," I do hereby make the following additional regulations for the examination of masters and mates, the same being similar to regulations issued by the Board of Trade, and do hereby order that they shall come into force on the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

J. G. WARD.

QUALIFICATIONS FOR CERTIFICATES OF COMPETENCY FOR  
"FOREIGN-GOING STEAMSHIPS ONLY."

1. Certificates of competency will be issued, subject to the examinations hereinafter described, for officers who have served in steamships, and who, owing to absence of service in square-rigged sailing-ships, cannot, under the existing regulations, obtain certificates of competency to act in the capacity of masters or mates of square-rigged steamships.

2. These certificates will entitle the holders to go to sea as masters and mates of foreign-going steamships, but will not entitle the holders to go to sea as masters or mates of foreign-going sailing-ships.

3. There will be no distinction in respect of "fore-and-aft" and "square-rigged" steamships.

4. All candidates for certificates of competency must pass the examination in colours.

5. A SECOND MATE must be seventeen years of age, and must have been four years at sea.

6. *In Navigation, &c.*—He must write a legible hand, and will be required to give in writing definitions of various astronomical and other terms used in navigation. He must have a competent knowledge of the first five rules of arithmetic and the use of logarithms. He must be able to work a day's work complete, correcting the courses for deviation, leeway, and variation. He will be required to find the latitude by meridian altitude of the sun, and the difference of longitude from a given departure by parallel sailing; also to find the course and distance from one position to another by Mercator's method. He will be required to find the time of high water at a given port, to observe and calculate the amplitude of the sun, and to find the error of the ship's compass therefrom, and also the deviation, the variation being given. He must be able to find the daily rate of the chronometer from error observed, and to find the longitude from altitude of the sun by the usual methods. He must understand the use of the sextant with its adjustments, and be able to observe with it, find the index error by the horizon, and read off and on the arc. He must also pass a satisfactory examination in the international code of signals.

7. *In Seamanship, &c.*—He must give satisfactory answers as to the standing and running rigging of steamships; as to bending, unbending, setting, reefing, taking in, and furling sail; as to sending masts and yards up and down, &c.; as to seeing everything in readiness and clear for getting under way, and as to the precautions to be then observed with regard to engines, propeller, &c.; as to the management of a steamship when under canvas, and of a ship's boat in heavy weather; and as to dunnaging and stowing cargo, &c. He must have a thorough knowledge of the rule of the road as regards both steamers and sailing-vessels, their regulation lights and fog and sound signals, and be able to describe the signals of distress and the signals to be made by ships wanting a pilot, and the liabilities and penalties incurred by the misuse of these signals. He must be able to mark and use the lead- and log-lines. He must also understand the construction, use, and action of the sluices, and of the water-ballast tanks, engine-room telegraphs, &c.; the use and management of the rocket apparatus in the event of his vessel being stranded; and other questions of a like nature appertaining to the duties of the second mate of a steamship which the examiner may think necessary to put to him.

8. AN ONLY OR FIRST MATE.—An only mate must be nineteen years of age, and must have served five years at sea. A first mate must be nineteen years of age, and must have served five years at sea, of which one year must have been as second or only mate of a foreign-going steamship.

9. *In Navigation, &c.*—In addition to the qualifications

required for a second mate, an only and first mate must be able to find the true bearing of the sun and the error of the ship's compass from an observed azimuth of the sun, both from an altitude and also from "The Time Azimuth Tables," and with the variation given compute the deviation; to find the latitude from a single altitude of the sun off the meridian, and to be able to use and adjust the sextant, and to find the index error by the sun; and also to ascertain the true bearing of the sun, &c., and the ship's position by Sumner's method by projection. He must also be conversant with the use of Mercator's Chart, and be able to find, on either a "true" or "magnetic" chart, the course to steer and the distance from one given position to another; and find the ship's position on the chart from cross-bearings of two objects, from two bearings of the same object, the course and distance run between taking the bearings being given, and the distance of ship from the object at the time of taking the second bearing. He must also understand how to keep a ship's log-book. He will also be required to answer certain questions in writing and orally relating to cyclones or revolving storms.

10. *In Seamanship, &c.*—In addition to the qualifications required for a second mate, a more extensive knowledge of seamanship will be required: as to shifting large spars, rigging shears, taking lower masts in and out, how to moor and unmoor ship and to keep a clear anchor, to carry out an anchor, how to manage a steamship in stormy weather, and how to rig purchases for getting heavy weights, anchors, machinery, &c., in and out. He must give satisfactory answers as to the ventilation of holds and the stowage of explosives. He must be able to describe the effects of the screw-race upon the rudder, and the effect produced on the direction of the head of the ship by going [ahead] [astern] with a [right-] [left-] handed screw when the rudder is [ported] [starboarded]. He must also know how to rig a sea-anchor, and what means to apply to keep a steamer with machinery disabled out of the trough of the sea, and lessen her lee drift; how to turn a steamship short round; how to get cast of deep-sea lead in heavy weather; and other questions of a like nature appertaining to the duties of an only and first mate of a steamship which the examiner may think necessary to put to him.

11. A MASTER must be twenty-one years of age, and have been six years at sea, of which one year must have been as first or only mate in a foreign-going steamship, and one year as second or only mate; or he must have been six and a half years at sea, of which two and a half years must have been as second or only mate in a foreign-going steamship, during the last twelve months of which he must have been in possession of a first mate's certificate.

12. *In Navigation, &c.*—In addition to the qualifications required for a second, only, and first mate, he must be able to compute the latitude from the meridian altitude of a star; he must be able to find the magnetic bearing from equidistant compass bearings of any fixed object when at sea, and compute the deviation therefrom. He must construct a deviation curve upon a "Napier's" diagram, which will be furnished by the examiner, and understand the practical application of the same, and give satisfactory written (and oral) answers to certain practical questions on the effect of the ship's iron upon the compasses, the method of determining the deviation, and compensating same by magnets and soft iron. He will be required to find the course to steer by compass in order to counteract the effect of a given current, and find the distance the ship will make good towards a given point in a certain time, and to work out practically the correction to apply to soundings taken at a given time and place, to compare with the depth marked on the chart.

13. *In Seamanship, &c.*—In addition to the qualifications required of a second, only, and first mate, he must be able to construct rafts and jury-rudders suitable for a screw steamship. He will be examined as to his resources for the preservation of the ship's crew in the event of wreck; as to the management of steamships in heavy weather; as to rescuing the crew of a disabled ship; as to steps to be taken when a ship is on her beam-ends, or if disabled and on a lee shore; how to use steam appliances in the event of fire, and the best arrangement for towing vessels under different circumstances, placing ship in dry dock, directing repairs, and the mode of procedure if putting into port in distress with damage to cargo and ship. He must possess a sufficient knowledge of what he is required to do by law as to entry and discharge, and the management of his crew, and as to the penalties, and entries to be made in the official log, and a knowledge of the measures for preventing and checking the outbreak of scurvy on board ship, and the law as to load-line marks, and the entries and reports to be made respecting them. He will be questioned as to his knowledge of invoices, charter-party, bills of lading, Lloyd's agent, and as to the nature of bot-tomry, also bills of exchange, surveys, averages, &c., and answer any other questions of a like nature appertaining to the management of a steamship which the examiner may consider it necessary to touch upon.

*Civil Service Senior Examination.*

Education Department,  
Wellington, 21st September, 1893.

IN pursuance of regulations under "The Civil Service Reform Act, 1886," notice is hereby given that for the Senior Examination of January, 1895, the period of literature will be the latter end of the eighteenth century, and the special books will be Shakespeare's "Julius Cæsar" and Thackeray's "Esmond."

W. P. REEVES,  
Minister of Education.

*Fixing Sittings of the Supreme Court in the Northern Judicial District and at Gisborne.*

WE, the Judges of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, in pursuance of the powers vested in us by "The Supreme Court Act, 1882," hereby make the following rules respecting the places and times for holding sittings of the Supreme Court and sittings in Chambers, in the Northern Judicial District, for the year 1894:—

Sittings for the trial of criminal cases will be held at the Supreme Court House, AUCKLAND, to commence on the following days, at 11 a.m.:—

Tuesday, 18th March.  
Monday, 4th June.  
Monday, 3rd September.  
Monday, 26th November.

Sittings for the trial of civil actions will be held at the Supreme Court House, AUCKLAND, to commence on the following days, at 11 a.m.:—

Monday, 12th February.  
Monday, 2nd April.  
Monday, 18th June.  
Monday, 23rd July.  
Monday, 17th September.  
Monday, 3rd December.

The trial of causes under "The Divorce and Matrimonial Causes Act, 1867," may take place at any of the above-mentioned sittings for the trial of civil actions.

Sittings of the Court in Banco will be held at the Courthouse, Auckland, every Wednesday, except during vacation, the absence of the Judge, or when he is engaged on other business.

Sittings in Chambers will be held at the Judge's Chambers, in the Courthouse, AUCKLAND, every Tuesday and Friday, except during vacation, the absence of the Judge, or when he is engaged on other business.

Sittings in Chambers at other times and during vacation, in respect of urgent business, may be held at such times and places as may suit the convenience of the Judge.

Sittings for the trial of criminal and civil cases, and of causes under "The Divorce and Matrimonial Causes Act, 1867," will be held at the Courthouse, NEW PLYMOUTH, to commence on the following days, at 11 a.m.:—

Wednesday, 18th April.  
Wednesday, 3rd October.

Business in Banco and Chambers may be disposed of in the course of these sittings, at such days and hours as the Judge may appoint.

Sittings for the trial of criminal and civil cases, and of causes under "The Divorce and Matrimonial Causes Act, 1867," will be held at the Courthouse, GISBORNE, to commence on the following days, at half-past 10 a.m.:—

Monday, 26th February.  
Monday, 6th August.

Business in Banco and in Chambers may be disposed of in the course of these sittings, at such days and hours as the Judge may appoint.

If any of the days above appointed for sittings should be a public holiday, the sittings will commence on the first day after the day so appointed which is not a holiday.

Given under our hands, at Wellington, this twenty-fifth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

JAMES PRENDERGAST.  
C. W. RICHMOND.  
JOSHUA S. WILLIAMS.  
J. E. DENNISTON.  
EDWD. T. CONOLLY.

*Fixing Sittings of the Supreme Court in the Wellington Judicial District.*

WE, the Judges of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, in pursuance of the powers vested in us by "The Supreme Court Act, 1882," hereby make the following rules respecting the places and times for holding sittings of the Supreme Court and sittings in Chambers, in the Judicial District of Wellington, for the year 1894:—

Sittings for the trial of criminal cases will be held at the Supreme Court House, WELLINGTON, to commence on the following days, at 10 a.m.:—

Monday, 5th March.  
Monday, 4th June.  
Monday, 6th August.  
Monday, 5th November.

Sittings for the trial of civil actions will be held at the Supreme Court House, WELLINGTON, to commence on the following days, at 10 a.m.:—

Monday, 5th February.  
Monday, 5th March.  
Monday, 4th June.  
Monday, 6th August.  
Monday, 5th November.

The trial of causes under "The Divorce and Matrimonial Causes Act, 1867," may take place at any of the above-mentioned sittings for the trial of civil actions.

Sittings of the Court in Banco will be held at the Courthouse, WELLINGTON, every Wednesday, at half-past 10 o'clock in the forenoon, except during vacation, or during the absence of the Judge, or unless the Judge is engaged on other business.

Sittings in Chambers will be held at the Judge's Chambers, in the Courthouse, WELLINGTON, every Tuesday and Friday, at half-past 10 o'clock in the forenoon, except during vacation, or during the absence of the Judge, or unless the Judge is engaged on other business.

Sittings in Chambers at other times and in vacation, in respect of urgent business, may be held at such times and places as may suit the convenience of the Judge.

Sittings for the trial of criminal and civil cases, and of causes under "The Divorce and Matrimonial Causes Act, 1867," will be held at the Supreme Court House, WANGANUI, to commence on the following days, at 11 a.m.:—

Tuesday, 10th April.  
Tuesday, 25th September.

Such business in Banco and in Chambers as the Judge shall allow may be disposed of in the course of these sittings, at such days and hours as the Judge may appoint.

Sittings for the trial of criminal and civil cases, and of causes under "The Divorce and Matrimonial Causes Act, 1867," will be held at the Courthouse, NAPIER, to commence on the following days, at half-past 10 a.m.:—

Monday, 12th February.  
Tuesday, 12th June.  
Tuesday, 11th September.

Such business in Banco and in Chambers as the Judge shall allow may be disposed of in the course of these sittings, at such days and hours as the Judge may appoint.

If any of the days above appointed for sittings should be a public holiday, the sittings will commence on the first day after the day so appointed which is not a holiday.

Given under our hands, at Wellington, this twenty-fifth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

JAMES PRENDERGAST.  
C. W. RICHMOND.  
JOSHUA S. WILLIAMS.  
J. E. DENNISTON.  
EDWD. T. CONOLLY.

*Fixing Sittings of the Supreme Court in the Nelson Judicial District.*

WE, the Judges of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, in pursuance of the powers vested in us by "The Supreme Court Act, 1882," hereby make the following rules respecting the places and times for holding sittings of the Supreme Court and sittings in Chambers, in the Judicial District of Nelson, for the year 1894:—

Sittings for the trial of criminal and civil cases, and of causes under "The Divorce and Matrimonial Causes Act, 1867," will be held at the Courthouse, NELSON, to commence on the following days, at 10 a.m.:—

Wednesday, 7th March.  
Wednesday, 4th July.  
Wednesday, 14th November.

Such business in Banco and in Chambers as the Judge shall allow may be disposed of in the course of these sittings, at such days and hours as the Judge may appoint.

Sittings for the trial of criminal and civil cases, and of causes under "The Divorce and Matrimonial Causes Act,

1867," will be held at the Courthouse, **BLLENHEIM**, to commence on the following days, at 11 a.m. :—

Wednesday, 14th March.  
Wednesday, 11th July.  
Wednesday, 21st November.

Such business in Banco and in Chambers as the Judge shall allow may be disposed of in the course of these sittings, at such days and hours as the Judge may appoint.

If any of the days above appointed for sittings should be a public holiday, the sittings will commence on the first day after the day so appointed which is not a holiday.

Given under our hands, at Wellington, this twenty-fifth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

JAMES PRENDERGAST.  
C. W. RICHMOND.  
JOSHUA S. WILLIAMS.  
J. E. DENNISTON.  
EDWD. T. CONOLLY.

*Fixing Sittings of the Supreme Court in the Westland Judicial District.*

**WE**, the Judges of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, in pursuance of the powers vested in us by "The Supreme Court Act, 1882," hereby make the following rules respecting the places and times for holding sittings of the Supreme Court and sittings in Chambers, in the Judicial District of Westland, for the year 1894 :—

Sittings for the trial of criminal and civil cases, and of causes under "The Divorce and Matrimonial Causes Act, 1867," will be held at the Supreme Court House, **HOKITIKA**, to commence on the following days, at 11 a.m. :—

Monday, 12th March.  
Monday, 10th September.

Business in Chambers may be disposed of in the course of these sittings, on such days and at such hours as the Judge may appoint.

If any of the days above appointed for sittings should be a public holiday, the sittings will commence on the first day after the day so appointed which is not a holiday.

Given under our hands, at Wellington, this twenty-fifth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

JAMES PRENDERGAST.  
C. W. RICHMOND.  
JOSHUA S. WILLIAMS.  
J. E. DENNISTON.  
EDWD. T. CONOLLY.

*Fixing Sittings of the Supreme Court in the Canterbury Judicial District.*

**WE**, the Judges of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, in pursuance of the powers vested in us by "The Supreme Court Act, 1882," hereby make the following rules respecting the places and times for holding sittings of the Supreme Court and sittings in Chambers, in the Judicial District of Canterbury, for the year 1894 :—

Sittings for the trial of criminal cases will be held at the Supreme Court House, **CHRISTCHURCH**, to commence on the following days, at 11 a.m. :—

Monday, 19th February.  
Monday, 28th May.  
Monday, 20th August.  
Monday, 19th November.

Sittings for the trial of civil actions will be held at the Supreme Court House, **CHRISTCHURCH**, to commence on the following days, at 11 a.m. :—

Monday, 26th February.  
Monday, 9th April.  
Monday, 4th June.  
Monday, 27th August.  
Monday, 8th October.  
Monday, 26th November.

The trial of causes under "The Divorce and Matrimonial Causes Act, 1867," may take place at any of the above-mentioned sittings for the trial of civil actions.

Sittings of the Court in Banco will be held at the Courthouse, **CHRISTCHURCH**, every Wednesday, except during vacation, or during the absence of the Judge, or unless the Judge is engaged on other business.

Sittings in Chambers will be held at the Judge's Chambers, in the Courthouse, **CHRISTCHURCH**, every Tuesday and Friday, except during vacation, or during the absence of the Judge, or when the Judge is engaged on other business.

Sittings in Chambers at other times and in vacation, in respect of urgent business, may be held at such times and places as may suit the convenience of the Judge.

Sittings for the trial of criminal and civil cases, and of causes under "The Divorce and Matrimonial Causes Act, 1867," will be held at the Courthouse, **TIMARU**, to commence on the following days, at 11 a.m. :—

Tuesday, 6th February.  
Tuesday, 12th June.  
Tuesday, 25th September.

Business in Chambers may be disposed of in the course of these sittings, on such days and at such hours as the Judge may appoint.

If any of the days above appointed for sittings should be a public holiday, the sittings will commence on the first day after the day so appointed which is not a holiday.

Given under our hands, at Wellington, this twenty-fifth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

JAMES PRENDERGAST.  
C. W. RICHMOND.  
JOSHUA S. WILLIAMS.  
J. E. DENNISTON.  
EDWD. T. CONOLLY.

*Fixing Sittings of the Supreme Court in the Otago and Southland Judicial District.*

**WE**, the Judges of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, in pursuance of the powers vested in us by "The Supreme Court Act, 1882," hereby make the following rules respecting the places and times for holding sittings of the Supreme Court and sittings in Chambers, in the Judicial District of Otago and Southland, for the year 1894 :—

Sittings for the trial of criminal cases will be held at the Supreme Court House, **DUNEDIN**, to commence on the following days, at 10 a.m. :—

Monday, 5th March.  
Monday, 4th June.  
Monday, 27th August.  
Monday, 3rd December.

Sittings for the trial of civil actions will be held at the Supreme Court House, **DUNEDIN**, to commence on the following days, at 10 a.m. :—

Monday, 26th February.  
Monday, 2nd April.  
Monday, 25th June.  
Monday, 6th August.  
Monday, 10th September.  
Monday, 19th November.

The trial of causes under "The Divorce and Matrimonial Causes Act, 1867," may take place at any of the above-mentioned sittings for the trial of civil actions.

Sittings of the Court in Banco will be held at the Courthouse, **DUNEDIN**, every Wednesday, except during vacation, or in the absence of the Judge, or unless the Judge is engaged on other business.

Sittings in Chambers will be held at the Judge's Chambers, in the Courthouse, **DUNEDIN**, every Tuesday and Friday, except during vacation, or in the absence of the Judge, or unless the Judge is engaged on other business.

Sittings in Chambers at other times and during vacation, in respect of urgent business, may be held at such times and places as may suit the convenience of the Judge.

Sittings for the trial of criminal and civil cases, and of causes under "The Divorce and Matrimonial Causes Act, 1867," will be held at the Courthouse, **INVERCARGILL**, to commence on the following days, at 10 a.m. :—

Tuesday, 13th February.  
Tuesday, 12th June.  
Tuesday, 25th September.

Sittings for the trial of criminal and civil cases, and of causes under "The Divorce and Matrimonial Causes Act, 1867," will be held at the Courthouse, **OAMARU**, to commence on the following days, at 10 a.m. :—

Tuesday, 13th March.  
Tuesday, 4th September.

Business in Chambers may be disposed of in the course of these sittings, at such days and hours as the Judge may appoint.

If any of the days above appointed for sittings should be a public holiday, the sittings will commence on the first day after the day so appointed which is not a holiday.

Given under our hands, at Wellington, this twenty-fifth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

JAMES PRENDERGAST.  
C. W. RICHMOND.  
JOSHUA S. WILLIAMS.  
J. E. DENNISTON.  
EDWD. T. CONOLLY.

*Road Board Elections.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 1st November, 1893.

THE following notices of results of elections of members of Road Boards have been received at this office, and are published in accordance with the provisions of "The Road Boards Act, 1892."

HUGH POLLEN,  
Under-Secretary.

Manawatu Road District, County of Oroua :  
Samuel Watkin Luxford.  
Wirokino Road District, County of Horowhenua :  
George H. Wallace.

*Officiating Ministers for 1893.—Notice No. 28.*

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 27th October, 1893.

PURSUANT to the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, passed in the forty-fourth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, and intitled "The Marriage Act, 1890," the following name of an Officiating Minister within the meaning of the said Act is published for general information:—

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

The Reverend Andrew Patrick McFarlane.  
E. J. VON DADELSZEN,  
Registrar-General.

*Commissioner's Decisions under Tariff Acts.*

Department of Trade and Customs,  
Wellington, 1st November, 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.
Braids, trimming; as haberdashery n.o.e. . .	20 per cent.
Bun- and cake-glaze (Cleave's); as gelatine..	15 per cent.
Celluloid, liquid; as n.o.e. . . . .	Free.
Collar-stiffener, buckram; as a. & m.s. . .	Free.
Cornice-poles, stained or varnished; as turnery . . . . .	15 per cent.
Icing-powder (McGhie's egg-substitute); as a. & m.s. . . . .	Free.
Indiarubber bowls for dentists' use; as n.o.e. . .	Free.
Lamps for dentists' vulcaniser; as lamps . .	15 per cent.
Puff-boxes; as druggists' sundries . . . .	15 per cent.
Tag-fasteners for labelling frozen meat; as hardware . . . . .	20 per cent.
Tester for gas-meters; as n.o.e. . . . .	Free.
Union piece-goods at 7d. the yard and under, claimed to be shirtings, but suitable for other purposes; if cut into 7ft. lengths, as union shirtings . . . . .	Free.

W. T. GLASGOW,  
Secretary and Inspector.

Commissioner's Order No. 462.]

*By-law for 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 by-law, that is to say:—

*BY-LAW.*

EVERY person before entering any carriage for the purpose of travelling on the railway shall procure a ticket entitling him to do so from the proper authority at the place for booking, specifying the class of carriage for which and the stations for conveyance between which the ticket is issued; and every passenger or person when travelling on the railway shall show such ticket whenever required by any railway official to do so for any purpose, and shall deliver the same

up to any such official when so required by him; and no person shall use or attempt to use such ticket to travel on any part of the railway except on the direct route by railway between the stations named on such ticket.

Every person who shall commit a breach of any of the provisions of this by-law shall upon conviction be liable to a penalty not exceeding £10.

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

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

*By-laws and Regulations under which the Maerewhenua Railway Bridge may be used for Ordinary Traffic.*

THE New Zealand Railway Commissioners, in exercise and pursuance of the powers conferred by "The Public Works Act, 1882," and "The Government Railways Act, 1887," do hereby make the following by-laws for regulating the traffic on and over the Maerewhenua Railway-bridge, which said bridge forms part of the railway between Borton's and Duntroon, and is used both for ordinary and railway traffic.

*SCHEDULE.*

1. HORSES not driven in harness or led by bridle or halter, and cattle, sheep, pigs, goats, mules, and donkeys, must have a man behind them; and cattle, sheep, and horses in mobs must also have a man before them.

2. Horsemen or wheeled vehicles shall not travel faster than six miles an hour.

3. No traction-engine, portable engine, combine, elevator, reaper-and-binder (except reapers-and-binders on their own wheels), or such travelling or portable machine which exceeds 11ft. in width (all of which are hereinafter included in the term "machine"), shall be taken over the bridge except under the following conditions:—

(a.) The owner or person in charge thereof shall obtain from the Railway Stationmaster at Duntroon a permit authorising the passage of the machine over the bridge.

(b.) Before such permit is issued, the person applying for the same shall state correctly the description, weight, number of wheels, breadth of tires, and width of the machine, together with the name and address of the owner thereof, which particulars shall be entered in the permit.

(c.) Machines shall only be taken over the bridge during daylight.

(d.) The owner of any machine shall be liable to the Railway Commissioners for any damage done to the bridge or railway during its transit.

4. No load shall be taken over the bridge greater than 1½ tons gross per wheel except with tires 5in. broad or wider; and no load over 2 tons per wheel shall pass over except under the regulations for machines; and loads greater than 2½ tons per wheel are entirely prohibited from crossing over the bridge.

5. The permit shall be shown on demand to any railway inspector or ganger on the line of railway.

6. Any person or persons offending against any of these regulations, or giving untrue information concerning particulars required for entering in any permit according to these regulations, shall for every such offence be liable to a penalty not exceeding £10.

7. So far as applicable, the general by-laws and regulations for the time being respectively in force and affecting the traffic on the New Zealand railways shall extend and apply to the Maerewhenua Bridge.

In witness whereof the common seal of the New Zealand Railway Commissioners was hereunto affixed, this twenty-seventh day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, in the presence of

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

*Alteration and Addition 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 alteration in and addition to the scale of fares,



rates, and charges on the New Zealand Government railways, to come into force on and after the 6th day of November, 1893:—

**PART I. — PASSENGERS: GENERAL FARES AND REGULATIONS.**

**MONTHLY COMMUTATION TICKETS.**

Monthly fifty-trip tickets will be available for two months from date of issue.

The common seal of the New Zealand Railway Commissioners was hereto affixed, this twenty-seventh day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, in the presence of

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

*Return of Assets and Liabilities of the Bank of Australasia within New Zealand.*

**HALF-YEARLY** Return of the aggregate average amount of the Weekly Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of Australasia, within the Colony of New Zealand, from the 11th day of April, 1893, to the 16th day of October, 1893, inclusive. Published pursuant to the Royal Charter of Incorporation.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Bills in circulation not bearing interest ..		7,235	5	5
Notes in circulation not bearing interest ..		67,501	2	3
Bills and notes in circulation bearing interest ..				
Balances due to other banks ..				
Cash deposited not bearing interest ..		340,779	10	0
Cash deposited bearing interest ..		933,101	1	5
<b>Total liabilities within the colony ..</b>		<b>£1,348,616</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>1</b>

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coin and bullion ..		413,403	15	10
Landed property (bank premises) ..		61,361	11	0
Notes and bills of other banks ..		2,823	11	7
Balances due from other banks ..				
Debts due to the corporation, including notes, bills, and other securities ..		1,281,460	5	5
<b>Total assets within the colony ..</b>		<b>£1,759,054</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>10</b>

E. W. MORRAH, Inspector.  
J. W. PICKERSGILL, pro Accountant.

24th October, 1893.

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

In the matter of a parcel of land containing 5 acres (more or less), and being Lot 11, Section 5, in the Tuhimata Settlement, Parish of Opapeke, in the Provincial District of Auckland, the grantee of which was James Warren, late of Grahamstown, labourer, who is believed to have been dead a long while, and whose heir is unknown.

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 June, 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 24th day of October, 1893.

J. K. WARBURTON,  
Public Trustee.

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

In the matter of a parcel of land containing 5 acres (more or less), and being Allotment 20 of Section 1, Settlement of Patumahoe, and Parish of Puni, in the Provincial District of Auckland, of which the last known owner was James Weston, described as assistant-nurse, Auckland Hospital, said to have been dead about twenty years, and whose heir is unknown.

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 June, 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 24th day of October, 1893.

J. K. WARBURTON,  
Public Trustee.

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

In the matter of a parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 2 acres 1 rood 3 perches (more or less), and being Sections 73, 74, 75, and 76, and also a parcel of land containing by admeasurement 1 acre and 30 perches (more or less), and being Sections 77, 78, and 92, all in the Village of Tuamarina, and Provincial District of Marlborough, which were owned by Joseph Firby, who was drowned in the Wairau River in September, 1876, and whose heir-at-law is unknown.

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 June, 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 30th day of October, 1893.

J. K. WARBURTON,  
Public Trustee.

*Examination of Mine-managers and Engine-drivers.*

Mines Department,  
Wellington, 12th October, 1893.

AN examination of candidates for certificates as First- and Second-class Mine-managers and Engine-drivers under "The Mining Act, 1891," and "The Coal-mines Act, 1891," will be held on Monday, the 22nd January, 1894, and three following days, at places to be hereafter named. All applications, with necessary certificates, and fee of £1, must be addressed to "The Secretary of the Board of Examiners under the Mining Act or Coal-mines Act, Wellington," and must be received before the 1st January, 1894, or they will not be dealt with until the following examination.

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

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

THREE scholarships of the yearly value of £35, tenable for two years, are offered for competition. One of these scholarships, to be called the senior scholarship, is open to all Maoris under sixteen years of age at the end of the month preceding the date of the examination; the other two scholarships are junior scholarships, and are open to all Maoris under fifteen years of age at the end of the month preceding the date of the examination who have not been pupils at Te Aute or St. Stephen's, and whose attendance at school during the previous year is considered by the Inspector of Native Schools to have been satisfactory. The senior scholarship is offered for competition among Maori boys on the conditions laid down in the regulations of the Trustees of the Te Makarini Scholarships Fund, as printed in the Native Schools Code, 1893. Candidates for the junior scholarships will be examined in the subjects specified for Standard IV. in the Native Schools Code, 1893. The questions will, however, be more difficult than those set for the standard examinations. The examination will be held at convenient centres on the 18th and 19th December, 1893.

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

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

JAMES H. POPE,  
Inspector of Native Schools.

Wellington, 25th April, 1893.

Crown Lands Notices.



THE CHEVIOT ESTATE.

NOTICE is hereby given that FIFTY-FOUR FARMS, comprising 12,482 acres of First- and Second-class Agricultural Land, will be open for application for

LEASE IN PERPETUITY

on and after Monday, the 13th day of November, 1893, at the Land Offices, Christchurch, Timaru, and Cheviot.

Rents from 2s. to 11s. per acre per annum. Areas from 83 acres to 485 acres.

Also,

THREE GRAZING-FARMS,

comprising 2,506 acres, for Lease for twenty-one years.

SIXTY-SIX VILLAGE-SETTLEMENT ALLOTMENTS will be open for selection for LEASE IN PERPETUITY.

Rents from 3s. to 12s. per acre per annum. Areas from 4½ acres to 77 acres.

Also, for Sale by Auction, on the 17th November, at the Provincial Council Chamber, Christchurch, at 11 a.m.,

FOR CASH OR ON TERMS,

FORTY-NINE FARMS,

comprising 11,936 acres of First- and Second-class Agricultural Land.

Upset prices from £3 to £12 per acre. Areas from 31 acres to 573 acres.

And Thirty-three SECTIONS in the new

TOWN OF MACKENZIE.

Prices, £7 10s. to £30.

THE MANSION HOUSE AND 5,000 ACRES

of Land will also be offered for Sale in one lot, for Cash or Terms, on the 17th November. Upset, £25,000. Should the house and land not be sold, then 2,896 acres will be offered in 6 sections, on same terms. Prices, £2 15s. to £5 12s. per acre.

Plans and terms, with full particulars of the lands and a brief description of each section, can be obtained at any Land Office in the colony.

JOHN MCKENZIE,  
Minister of Lands.

Town and Rural Lands for Sale, and Sale of Totara, Rimu, and Matai Timber, Hawke's Bay Land District.

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Napier, 17th October, 1893.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned Crown lands will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Crown Lands Office, Napier, on Wednesday, 27th December, 1893, at 2.30 p.m.

SCHEDULE.  
FOR SALE FOR CASH.

Section.	Locality.	Area.			Upset Price.	
		A.	R.	P.	£	s. d.
2	Tarawera Township	..	0	1	0	7 10 0
3	"	..	0	1	0	7 10 0
10	"	..	0	1	0	7 10 0
11	"	..	0	1	0	7 10 0
12	"	..	0	1	0	7 10 0
26	"	..	0	1	0	7 10 0
27	"	..	0	1	0	7 10 0
28	"	..	0	1	0	7 10 0
30	"	..	0	1	0	7 10 0
31	"	..	0	1	0	7 10 0
32	"	..	0	1	0	7 10 0
33	"	..	0	1	0	7 10 0
1	Block XIII., Waihua Survey District	11	0	0		8 5 0

Terms of Sale.—One-fifth of the purchase-money to be paid at the close of the auction, and the balance, together with £1 Crown-grant fee, within thirty days of the date of auction.

Description of Section 1, Block XIII., Waihua Survey District.—About 7 acres are under scrub, the remainder being open, sloping gently from sea-coast for about 5 chains, and then falling rapidly towards the creek. Pastoral land; soil good in the flat parts, but very poor where steep. Papa formation; no pumice. Well watered. About three miles from Mohaka Ferry. No road-access.

SALE OF TOTARA, RIMU, AND MATAI TIMBER.

Section.	Block.	District.	Estimated Number of Trees.	Estimated Superficial Feet.	Upset Price.
13	V.	Tautane	{ Totara, 400 Rimu, 100 Matai, 50	{ 200,000 50,000 30,000	£ s. 171 5

Terms of Sale.—The purchaser shall pay 50 per cent. of the purchase-money on the fall of the hammer, and the balance within thirty days from the date of sale. He shall have the sole use of the land, and the right to cut and remove all timber thereon, during a period of twelve months from the same date.

The following lands will be offered by public auction at the Crown Lands Office, Gisborne, on the same date, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE FOR CASH.

Locality.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
Gisborne (Town)	North portion of 51A	A. R. P. 0 2 0	£ s. d. 20 0 0

Terms of Sale.—One-fifth of the purchase-money to be paid at the close of the auction, and the balance, together with £1 Crown-grant fee, within thirty days of the date of auction.

THOMAS HUMPHRIES,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Land and Survey Office,  
Invercargill, 16th September, 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 7th November, 1893, at the rental noted opposite each run.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Run No.	Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Area.	Rent per Annum.
32	130	..	Takitimo	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
"	1	XVII.	Centre Hill	5,198 2 27	51 4 8
"	1	XVIII.	"		

High and broken country; northern aspect; front half well grassed with silver-tussock; back portion rocky, and poorly grassed with snow-tussock; contains also about 1,130 acres of birch bush; height above sea-level, from 1,300ft. to 5,000ft.; distance from Mossburn Railway-station about 15 miles. This run will be burdened with £76 16s., being half the value of boundary-fence.

33	133	..	Takitimo	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
"	2	X.	Centre Hill	2,321 3 39	21 15 5
"	1	XVIII.	"		

Hilly, poor land; poorly grassed with snow-tussock and a sparse mixture of silver-tussock; yellow-clay formation; southern aspect; height above sea-level, from 1,200ft. to 1,900ft.; distance from Mossburn Railway-station, about 12 miles. This run will be burdened with £94 4s., being half the value of boundary-fence.

34	132	..	Takitimo	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
"	1	X.	Centre Hill	2,531 1 12	23 14 7
"	2	XI.	"		
"	2	XVII.	"		
"	2	XVIII.	"		

Undulating poor land; poorly grassed with snow-tussock and a sparse mixture of silver-tussock; yellow-clay formation; eastern aspect; height above sea-level, from 1,300ft. to 1,900ft.; distance from Mossburn Railway-station, about 11 miles. This run will be burdened with £54 12s., 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 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."

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.

Small Grazing-runs, Auckland Land District, open for Application.

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Auckland, 16th October, 1893.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned small grazing-runs will be open for lease on application, at this office, on and after Wednesday, the 27th day of December, 1893, at annual rentals noted below.

In the event of more applications than one being received on the same day for the same run, priority of selection will be decided by ballot on the following day at 11 a.m.

WAIKATO COUNTY.—PARISH OF TAUPIRI.

(Being Subdivisions of Section 463, Auckland University College Endowment.)

- Run No. 1, 1,300 acres; upset annual rent, £8 2s. 6d.
- Run No. 2, 1,820 acres; upset annual rent, £11 7s. 6d.
- Run No. 3, 1,350 acres; upset annual rent, £8 8s. 9d.
- Run No. 4, 1,900 acres; upset annual rent, £11 17s. 6d.
- Run No. 5, 1,530 acres; upset annual rent, £9 11s. 3d.
- Run No. 6, 1,400 acres; upset annual rent, £8 15s.

Valuable for position near Huntly Railway-station, sixty-five miles from Auckland, on the main trunk line. The land is very broken, and of inferior quality. Each run is part open and part mixed bush.

Conditions of lease and other particulars may be obtained on application.

GERHARD MUELLER,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Land Office,  
Dunedin, 20th September, 1893.

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

SCHEDULE.  
OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

Survey District.	Run.	Area.	Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rental.
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MANIOTOTO COUNTY.

First-class Pastoral Country.

Swinburn	203A	A. R. P.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.	
		2,910	0	0	0	6	36

Subdivision of Pastoral Run 203A, Longlands Station; recently occupied by Mr. J. H. Preston. Cold country; highest altitude, 2,995ft.; situated on main Palmerston-Naseby Road, and adjacent to Shag River.

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."

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

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

J. P. MITTLAND,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Small Grazing-runs, Auckland Land District, open for Application.

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Auckland, 16th October, 1893.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned small grazing-runs will be open for lease on application,

at this office, on and after Wednesday, the 27th day of December, 1893, at the annual rentals noted below.

In the event of more applications than one being received on the same day for the same run, priority of selection will be decided by ballot on the following day, at 11 a.m.

RAGLAN COUNTY.—PARISH OF KARAMU.

(Being Subdivisions of Section 174, Auckland University College Endowment.)

- Run No. 1, 1,214 acres; annual rental, £15 3s. 6d.
- Run No. 2, 1,829 acres; annual rental, £22 17s. 3d.
- Run No. 3, 612 acres; annual rental, £7 13s.
- Run No. 4, 1,296 acres; annual rental, £16 4s.
- Run No. 5, 611 acres; annual rental, £7 12s. 9d.
- Run No. 6, 986 acres; annual rental, £12 6s. 6d.
- Run No. 7, 969 acres; annual rental, £12 2s. 3d.
- Run No. 8, 1,477 acres; annual rental, £18 9s. 3d.
- Run No. 9, 1,006 acres; annual rental, £12 11s. 6d.

Situated from two to four miles from Whatawhata, and about ten miles from Raglan, and comprises nearly all broken forest land of limestone formation and of good quality. The runs will make good grass-country when cleared.

GERHARD MUELLER,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in the Towns of Alexandra East and West for Sale, Auckland Land District.

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Auckland, 16th October, 1893.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned town lots will be submitted for sale by public auction, at this office, on Friday, the 29th day of December next, at 11 a.m.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Lot.	Area.	Price.
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TOWN OF ALEXANDRA EAST.  
(Classified as Suburban.)

Lot.	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
88	0	2	6	1	2	6
98	0	2	0	1	0	0
121	1	0	0	2	0	0
125A, 126, 126A	1	1	5	2	11	6
132, 132A, 133	1	3	19	3	15	0
137, 137A, 138, 138A, 139, 140	3	0	35	6	10	0
142, 142A	0	3	32	2	0	0
145, 145A, 147	1	2	15	3	5	0
153, 154	1	2	10	3	2	6
156	0	1	36	1	0	0
217, 218, 218A, 219, 219A, 220, 220A, 221, 221A, 222	5	2	0	11	0	0
227, 228, 231	3	1	14	6	15	0
237	1	0	10	2	2	6
275, 275A, 276, 277, 277A, 278, 278A	3	2	0	7	0	0
284, 284A	1	0	0	2	0	0
308, 308A	1	0	0	2	0	0
322, 322A	1	0	0	2	0	0
335	1	0	0	2	0	0
342, 342A, 344, 344A	2	0	0	4	0	0
352, 352A	1	0	0	2	0	0
372	1	0	0	2	0	0
374, 374A	1	0	0	2	0	0
379, 379A	1	0	0	2	0	0
384, 384A	1	0	0	2	0	0
386A	0	2	0	1	0	0
389, 389A, 390, 391, 391A, 392, 392A, 394, 394A, 395, 395A, 390A	6	0	0	12	0	0
396, 396A, 397, 397A, 399, 401, 405, 405A	5	0	0	10	0	0
403, 403A	1	0	0	2	0	0
406, 406A, 408, 408A, 409, 409A, 411, 413, 414, 415	7	0	0	14	0	0
416, 417, 418	3	0	33	6	10	0
432, 433, 434	2	0	12	4	2	6
437A, 438	1	1	23	2	15	0
490, 491, 492, 494, 495, 496, 498, 499, 500, 501, 503	11	0	0	22	0	0
506	0	2	0	1	0	0
514	4	1	19	8	15	0
519	4	0	29	8	7	6

Lot.	Area.	Price.				
TOWN OF ALEXANDRA WEST. (Classified as Suburban.)						
	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
1	1	0	0	2	0	0
3, 3A	1	0	0	2	0	0
7, 7A	1	0	0	2	0	0
10	1	0	35	2	10	0
11	1	0	0	2	0	0
14	1	0	0	2	0	0
21	1	1	31	3	5	0
44, 45, 45A	2	0	0	4	0	0
57, 57A, 58, 58A	2	1	5	4	11	0
63	0	3	19	1	15	0
89A	0	1	4	0	11	0
83, 83A, 84, 84A	2	0	0	4	0	0
104	0	1	6	0	12	0
115A	0	2	5	1	1	0
121, 121A	0	2	15	1	3	0
131, 132	2	0	19	4	5	0
134, 134A	1	0	0	2	0	0
136	0	2	15	1	3	0
141, 141A	1	0	0	2	0	0
145A	0	1	23	0	15	0
148, 148A, 149, 149A	1	3	14	3	15	0
159	0	3	30	1	17	6
162, 162A, 163, 163A	1	3	34	4	0	0
176, 180, 180A	1	3	39	4	0	0
190, 190A	1	0	0	2	0	0
199, 199A	1	0	0	2	0	0
240, 240A	1	0	0	2	0	0
207, 207A, 208, 213, 213A, 214, 214A	3	1	30	6	17	0
216, 216A, 218, 218A, 220, 220A, 222, 222A, 221, 221A, 224, 224A	5	3	27	12	0	0
228A, 229, 229A, 230, 230A, 231, 231A	3	2	0	7	0	0
242, 242A	1	0	0	2	0	0
254, 254A, 255, 255A, 256	3	0	0	6	0	0
283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 291, 293	9	0	30	18	7	6
257, 257A, 258, 258A, 259, 259A, 261, 261A, 262, 262A, 263, 264, 265, 266, 266A, 326	9	0	26	18	7	6
267, 268, 268A, 269, 270, 271	4	3	10	10	0	0
294, 295, 296, 297, 298	5	0	28	10	7	6
299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304	6	1	27	12	17	6
322	12	0	0	24	0	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.

GERHARD MUELLER,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Auckland, 13th October, 1893.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned town, suburban, and rural lands will be submitted for sale by public auction, at this office, on Friday, the 29th day of December next, at 11 o'clock a.m.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
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TOWN OF CAMBRIDGE WEST.  
(Classified as suburban.)

Section.	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
435	1	0	0	3	0	0
436	1	0	0	3	0	0
438	1	0	0	3	0	0
563	0	1	39	1	10	0
564	1	0	0	3	0	0
565	1	0	0	3	0	0
579	3	2	0	10	10	0
368	1	0	0	3	0	0
369	1	0	0	3	0	0
370	1	0	0	3	0	0
374	1	0	0	3	0	0
170	1	0	0	3	0	0
290	1	0	0	3	0	0

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
<b>TOWN OF RUSSELL.</b>		
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
Lot 9, Block VII.	0 1 4	5 10 0
" 11, " VII.	0 1 37	10 0 0
" N.E. 3, Block XIV.	0 1 31	8 15 0
<b>TOWN OF NGARUAWAHIA.</b>		
636	0 1 14	11 5 0
637	0 0 17	3 15 0
638	0 0 23	4 7 0
639	0 0 29	5 12 6
<b>PARISH OF RUAPEKAPEKA.</b>		
98	17 1 0	34 10 0
Open land, adjoining Taumarere Railway-station.		
<b>PARISH OF WAIWERA.</b>		
134A	5 0 0	5 0 0
Broken bush land; accessible by road, six miles from Waiwera.		

TERMS OF SALE.

One-fifth of purchase-money to be paid on fall of hammer, and the balance, with Crown-grant fee, within thirty days thereafter.

GERHARD MUELLER,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

**Native Land Court Notices.**

*Application for Rehearing.—Otahu Block.*

Native Land Court Office,  
Gisborne, 27th October, 1893.

IN the matter of an order of the Native Land Court, made on the 6th day of June, 1890, declaring the Native owners of Otahu, and of an application made by Ruihi Tawai and others for a rehearing:

Whereas upon inquiry in open Court, held at Gisborne, on the 13th day of February, 1891, it was ordered by the Chief Judge that a rehearing as to the whole of the said land should be had, at a time and place to be notified:

Now, notice is hereby given that such rehearing will be had at Gisborne, on the 6th day of November, 1893, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

H. C. JACKSON,  
Deputy 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, 30th October, 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 24th day of November, 1893, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for investigating the cases mentioned in the Schedule hereunder, at which time and place all persons interested in the said cases, and having objections to the said dealings, are hereby notified to attend.

H. F. EDGER,  
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

PALMERSTON NORTH, SECTION 361.

93-354. LEASE dated the 28th day of April, 1893, from Hoani Meihana and others to Nils Berquist.

AORANGI No. 3G.

93-355. Lease dated the 13th day of October, 1893, from Hoani Meihana te Rangiotu and others to Michael O'Connor and another.

SANDON, SECTION 145, PART OF.

93-394. Transfer dated the 29th day of September, 1893, from Tapa te Whata to the Bishop of Wellington.

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

Native Land Court Office,  
Auckland, 27th October, 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 Whangarei, on the 5th day of December, 1893, for investigating the transactions relative to the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereunder, at which time and place all persons having any objection to the said transactions are hereby notified to attend.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,  
Deputy Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

TAKOTOHAU A.

93-111. TRANSFER dated the 9th day of September, 1893, made by Taurau Kukupa, of Otaika, Whangarei, to John Frere Coulton, of Whangarei, farmer.

KIRIPAKA No. 1A.

93-119. Lease dated the 8th day of September, 1892, made by Ani Nehua and others, of Whangarei, to Alexander Tankard and another, of Whangarei.

WHAKAPAI No. 1.

93-120. Lease dated the 8th day of August, 1892, made by Eru Nehua and Haki Whangawhanga, of Whangarei, to Alexander Tankard and another, of Whangarei.

NORTH-WESTERN PORTION OF LOT 70, MAUNGAKARAMEA.  
93-124. Conveyance dated the 24th day of October, 1893, made by Walter Swanson, half-caste, of Auckland, to Thomas Sands, of Maungakaramea.

*"Native Land Court Act, 1886," and its Amendments.—Notice of Time and Place for Inspecting Plan after Interlocutory Order.—Ohura South L Block (Rangiriri).*

Native Land Court Office,  
Auckland, 21st October, 1893.

WHEREAS at a Court held at Otorohanga, on the 11th day of October, 1892, and following days, an order was made respecting the aforesaid block of land, that the names of Kahukarewao Miriama and others should be registered as the owners thereof, and that a certificate of their 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 office of George T. Wilkinson, Esquire, Government Native Agent, at Otorohanga, from the 28th day of November, 1893, to the 11th day of December, 1893.

All objections are to be lodged with the Registrar of the Native Land Court, at Auckland, on or before the 19th day of December, 1893.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,  
Deputy Registrar.

*"Native Land Court Act, 1886," and its Amendments.—Notice of Time and Place for Inspecting Plan after Interlocutory Order.—Ohura South K No. 5 Block.*

Native Land Court Office,  
Auckland, 21st October, 1893.

WHEREAS at a Court held at Otorohanga, on the 28th day of November, 1892, an order was made respecting the aforesaid block of land, that the names of Manuante Piripi Tuhaia and Tuao Ihimaera should be registered as the owners thereof, and that a certificate of their 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 office of George T. Wilkinson, Esquire, Government Native Agent, at Otorohanga, from the 28th day of November, 1893, to the 11th day of December, 1893.

All objections are to be lodged with the Registrar of the Native Land Court, at Auckland, on or before the 19th day of December, 1893.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,  
Deputy Registrar.

*"Native Land Court Act, 1886," and its Amendments.—  
Notice of Time and Place for Inspecting Plan after Interlocutory Order.—Umukaimata No. 4a Block.*

Native Land Court Office,  
Auckland, 21st October, 1893.

WHEREAS at a Court held at Otorohanga, on the 22nd day of July, 1892, and following days, an order was made respecting the aforesaid block of land, that the names of Taonui Hikaka and others should be registered as the owners thereof, and that a certificate of their 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 office of George T. Wilkinson, Esquire, Government Native Agent, at Otorohanga, from the 28th day of November, 1893, to the 11th day of December, 1893.

All objections are to be lodged with the Registrar of the Native Land Court, at Auckland, on or before the 19th day of December, 1893.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,  
Deputy Registrar.

*"Native Land Court Act, 1886," and its Amendments.—  
Notice of Time and Place for Inspecting Plan after Interlocutory Order.—Umukaimata No. 4 Block.*

Native Land Court Office,  
Auckland, 21st October, 1893.

WHEREAS at a Court held at Otorohanga, on the 22nd day of July, 1892, and following days, an order was made respecting the aforesaid block of land, that the names of Taonui Hikaka and others should be registered as the owners thereof, and that a certificate of their 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 office of George T. Wilkinson, Esquire, Government Native Agent, at Otorohanga, from the 28th day of November, 1893, to the 11th day of December, 1893.

All objections are to be lodged with the Registrar of the Native Land Court, at Auckland, on or before the 19th day of December, 1893.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,  
Deputy Registrar.

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

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 21st October, 1893.

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

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON, Deputy Registrar.

SCHEDULE.  
PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1	Hoani te Kahutaka, Hakaraia Peraniko, and Wi Hapi te Koata (82-5311)	Te Pokohu.
2	Hoani te Kahutaka, Hakaraia Peraniko, Harete Tamiuru, and Ngatiti te Whareangaanga (83-355)	Te Pokohu No. 1.
3	Hoani te Kahutaka (83-1195) .. .. .	Te Pokohu No. 2.
4	Nikora te Tuhi (83-1591) .. .. .	Te Pokohu No. 1.
5	Hoani te Kahutaka, Hakaraia Peraniko, and Harete Tamiuru (83-2087)	Te Pokohu.
6	Nikora te Tuhi (83-1589, 84-719) .. .. .	Rerewhakaitu.
7	Te Kiekie Tamaiwhana, Henare te Rangimotai, Maika te Kepa, Harete Rakera, and Mehaka te Huriwaka (85-2451)	Rerewhakaitu.
8	Takawheta Niheta Kaipara, Raureti Mokonuiarangi, Hakopa Takapou, Henare te Rangī, Akuhata te Hiko, Reha Paerau, Petera Paerau, Tanira Paerau, Areka Rotomahana, Te Ratana Whareauahi, and Hohepa Paerau (87-163)	Rerewhakaitu.
9	Tamati Tangihia, Wire Haweti, Huta Tangihia, and others (90-103)	Rerewhakaitu.
10	Pene Rangitikei, Ngamanu te Wharau, Minarapa, Te Puihi Kehukehu, Takotohiwi Iehu, Toka, Maihi Pateoro, Te Amotawa, Rapata, Wiremu, Tamehana Pateoro, and Pene Toetoe (87-3463)	Pupuaruhe.
11	Pene Toetoe, Wire, Tamehana te Puru, and Kerekeha (88-2183) ..	Pupuaruhe, Lot 29.
12	Ngamanu te Wharau, Pene Toetoe, Pene Rangitikei, Kerekeha, Wiri, Minarapa, and others (90-2017)	Pupuaruhe, Lot 29.
13	Ngawhika, Matahaere, Peneamene Rangitikei, Hare Wirihana, Kerekeha, Minarapa te Hurae, Wi Maruki, and others (83-707)	Pekapekatahi.
14	Pene Rangitikei, Ngamanu te Wharau, Minarapa, Te Puihi Kehukehu, Takotohiwi, Iehu, Toka, Maihi Pateoro, Te Amotawa, Rapata, Wiremu, Tamehana Pateoro, and Pene Toetoe (87-3465)	Pekapekatahi.
15	Ngamanu te Wharau, Pene Rangitikei, Maihi Pateoro, Minarapa, Te Puihi Kehukehu, and others (88-491)	Pekapekatahi.
16	Pene Toetoe, Wire, Tamehana te Puru, and Kerekeha (88-2181) ..	Pekapekatahi, Lot 32.
17	Ngamanu te Wharau, Pene Toetoe, Pene Rangitikei, Kerekeha, Wiri, Minarapa, and others (90-2019)	Pekapekatahi, Lot 32.
18	Harehare Aterea, Peraniko te Hura, Hori Nohotu, Rewi Rangiamio, Heta Tamati, Mirimana Tuhotu, and others (89-1875)	Heruiwi No. 4.
19	Ieni Tapihana (82-4405) .. .. .	Matata, Lot 6, 47 acres.
20	Whiripo te Puni, Perepe Tapihana, Akuhata Kiharoa (82-5555) ..	Matata, Lot 6.
21	Arekatara Rongowhitiao, Pore Motunau, Nepia te Rau, Ihaka Marino te Waru (90-2329)	Matata, Lot 6.
22	Hamiora Pio, Tamihana, Pene Haua, Tikitu, Ema Hamiora, me etahi atu (88-2023)	Ohui Matahina.
23	H. R. Burt (89-3113) .. .. .	Matahina.
24	Penetito Hawea, Timi Waata Rimini, Werahiko Tamaiarohi, Take Tunui, Hoani Tuhimata, Tamihana Paewaka, Himiona Tikitu, Pene Mokai, Paora Patu, and Hamiora Tumutara (91-191)	Matahina A No. 1.
25	Timi Waata Rimini, Tamati Waaka, Werahiko Tamaiarohi, Toma Pohutu, Waata Rangikotua, and others (91-1261)	Matahina A No. 1.
26	Te Ua Kapua, Te Raihi te Amorangi, Himiona Tikitu, Witeri Whakahau, Tarei Tauhe, Hiriwetere Motutere, Tamihana Paewaka, Pene Haua, Ngahe te Ihuwai, and Neke Kapua (91-2223)	Matahina A No. 1.

## APPLICATIONS FOR THE DETERMINATION OF RELATIVE INTERESTS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1	Te Rapatahi Pahunui, Tiaki Rewiri, Rewiri Parera, Henare Wharehuia, Hona Wikiriwhi, and others (88-2037)	Rangitaiki, Lot 29.
2	Tiaki Rewiri, Ngahau Pahunui, Rewiri Parera, Hona Wikiriwhi, Henare Wharehu, and others (88-1865)	Rangitaiki, Lot 32.
3	H. K. Tunui, Te Riwini Ako, Tamanohoaka te Whakanoho, Heketoro Hikairo, and Tahawera Wiapa (88-2185)	Te Pahau, Lot 38.
4	Tamanohoaka te Whakanoho, H. K. Tunui, Kopae Ihakara, Rewi Petera, Puroku Tunui, Rapaera, and others (89-2125)	Rauporoa.
5	Hamiora Tumutara Pio, Karekare Hamiora, Hone Meihana, K. P. Meihana, Werahiko Tamaiarohi, Eru Hamiora, Oke Pukeoroa, Koreua Whatapapa, Moko Tukehu, Raerino Meremere, Renata Katu, Te Wharangi Hoani, Haimona Arapeta, and others (92-273)	Matahina A, No. 1D.

## APPLICATION FOR THE DETERMINATION OF THE INTEREST OF THE CROWN.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1	The Governor (89-967) .. .. .	Rangitaiki, Lot 38.

## APPLICATIONS UNDER "THE NATIVE EQUITABLE OWNERS ACT, 1886."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1	Tiaki Rewiri, Ngahau Pahunui, Rewiri Parera, Hurinui, Hona, and others (90-3263)	Rangitaiki, Lot 29.
2	Tiaki Rewiri, Ngahau Pahunui, Rewiri Parera, Hona, Hurinui, Apanui and others (90-3265)	Rangitaiki, Lot 32.
3	Hori Karaka Tunui, Tamanohoaka te Whakonoho, Menehira Pauro, Puroku Tunui, Atonia Raimona, Te Wharewera Kaperiere, Kuaha Ropiha, Himiona Ropiha, and others (90-1033)	Rauporoa (Rangitaiki, Lot 38).
4	Ihaha Motunau, Kipihana Whiua, Manahi, Ahitana Tunoke, Peneamene, Katene Motunau, Haira Himiona, Paurini te Toki, and Ihaka Marino (89-277)	Matata, Lot 6.
5	Hamiora Tumutara Pio, Oke Pukeoroa, Hoani te Wharangi, Tamihana Paewaka, Hipirini Wharekauri, Pene Haua, Te Raihi Pokohu, Hori Karekare, Hamuera Toru, and others (91-469)	Matahina A 1, Matahina A 2.
6	Matutara Hatua, Hiri Motutere, Tiopira Hukiki, Mata Rangitukehu, and others (91-471)	Matahina.
7	Raerino Meremere, Hamu te Mahorongu, Ngairo Aniheta, Te Urikore Araroa, Wahakore Ihaka, Himiona Tikitu, Kaa Tikitu, Rorikaro Tuniho, Timi Waiti, Meriana Rikimatai (91-885)	Matahina No. 1, No. 2.

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

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 27th October, 1893.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at New Plymouth, on the 13th day of November, 1893, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

H. F. EDGER, Registrar.

## SCHEDULE.

## PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1	Mere Taura (93-3434) .. .. .	Kaipakopako No. 133.
2	Hokipera (93-3435) .. .. .	Rua-o-te-Kohu.

## REMOVAL OF RESTRICTIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1	Henare Punaruku (J. 93-1649) .. .. .	Section 18, Block IV., Waitara Survey District, and Section 16, Block I., Upper Waitara Survey District.











RETURN of the NUMBER, TONNAGE, and CREWS of VESSELS ENTERED INWARDS at the several PORTS of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1893.

PORTS OF ARRIVAL.	Sailing or Steam Vessels.	WHENCE.						BRITISH.									FOREIGN.									TOTALS.									Corresponding Quarter, 1892.							
		United Kingdom.		British Possessions.		Foreign Countries and Whale Fisheries.		With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.										
		With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.					
Auckland	Sailing Steam	..	7	23	16	1	9	24	5776	171	28	41591	1395	24	5776	171	28	41591	1395	4	7756	385	4	7756	385	32	49347	1780	24	5776	171	32	49347	1780	22	5199	153	31	43949	1702		
Total	..	7	..	39	..	10	..	52	47367	1566	..	..	..	52	47367	1566	..	..	..	4	7756	385	..	..	..	4	7756	385	56	55123	1951	..	..	..	56	55123	1951	53	49148	1855		
Kaipara	Sailing	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	371	15	..	..	..	2	371	15	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	371	15	..	..	..	2	371	15	5	1590	42	..	..	..		
Wanganui	Sailing	..	..	3	..	..	..	3	687	23	..	..	..	3	687	23	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	687	23	..	..	..	3	687	23	3	562	22	..	..	..		
Wellington	Sailing Steam	3	2	1	16	4	1	6	3849	84	19	32355	906	6	3849	84	19	32355	906	2	1190	20	2	1190	20	8	5039	104	19	32355	906	8	5039	104	15	25183	771	12	6510	138		
Total	..	5	..	17	..	5	..	25	36204	990	..	..	..	25	36204	990	2	1190	20	..	..	..	2	1190	20	27	37394	1010	..	..	..	27	37394	1010	27	31693	909	..	..	..		
Napier	Sailing	..	..	4	..	..	..	4	1131	29	..	..	..	4	1131	29	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	1131	29	..	..	..	4	1131	29	5	1074	33	..	..	..		
Nelson	Sailing	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	728	18	..	..	..	1	728	18	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	728	18	..	..	..	1	728	18	1	841	22	..	..	..		
Westport	Sailing	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	395	9	..	..	..	1	395	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	395	9	..	..	..	1	395	9	..	..	..	..	..	..		
Greymouth	Sailing	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	142	6	..	..	..
Lyttelton	Sailing Steam	..	..	6	2	..	..	6	2748	69	2	2182	33	8	4930	102	2	2142	70	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	2748	69	2	2182	33	8	4930	102	3	1397	32	7	11355	258		
Total	..	..	..	8	2	..	..	8	4890	139	2	2182	33	10	7072	172	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	4890	139	2	2182	33	10	7072	172	10	12752	290	..	..	..		
Timaru	Sailing Steam	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	316	8	1	652	17	2	968	25	1	2425	49	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	316	8	1	652	17	2	968	25	2	885	21	1	2425	54		
Total	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	2	2741	57	1	652	17	3	3393	74	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2741	57	1	652	17	3	3393	74	3	3310	75	..	..	..		

RETURN of the NUMBER, TONNAGE, and CREWS of VESSELS ENTERED INWARDS at the several PORTS of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1893—continued.

PORTS OF ARRIVAL.	Sailing or Steam Vessels.	WHENCE.						BRITISH.									FOREIGN.									TOTALS.									Corresponding Quarter, 1892.				
		United Kingdom.		British Possessions.		Foreign Countries and Whale Fisheries.		With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.							
		With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.		
Oamaru	..	Steam	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	2428	52	..	..	..	1	2428	52	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dunedin	}	Sailing	4	..	5	..	1	..	9	5834	146	..	..	..	9	5834	146	1	733	12	..	..	..	..	1	733	12	10	6567	158	..	..	..	10	6567	158	7	4425	91
		Steam	5	..	..	..	..	..	5	13875	373	..	..	..	5	13875	373	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	13875	373	..	..	..	5	13875	373	4	11225	298
Total	..	..	9	..	5	..	1	..	14	19709	519	..	..	..	14	19709	519	1	733	12	..	..	..	..	1	733	12	15	20442	531	..	..	..	15	20442	531	11	15650	389
Bluff Harb'ur	}	Sailing	..	..	8	1	..	..	7	2183	63	1	826	16	8	3009	79	1	252	9	..	..	..	..	1	252	9	8	2435	72	1	826	16	9	3261	88	5	1479	43
		Steam	..	..	10	..	..	..	10	11363	600	..	..	..	10	11363	600	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	11363	600	..	..	..	10	11363	600	13	15666	758
Total	..	..	..	..	18	1	..	..	17	13546	663	1	826	16	18	14372	679	1	252	9	..	..	..	..	1	252	9	18	13798	672	1	826	16	19	14624	688	18	17145	801
Total ship'ng inwards	}	Sailing	8	..	54	4	6	..	64	24018	635	4	3660	66	68	27678	701	4	2175	41	..	..	..	..	4	2175	41	68	26193	676	4	3660	66	72	29853	742	..	..	..
		Steam	14	..	46	..	10	..	68	106179	3445	..	..	..	66	106179	3445	4	7756	385	..	..	..	..	4	7756	385	70	113935	3830	..	..	..	70	113935	3830	..	..	..
Total	..	..	22	..	100	4	16	..	130	130197	4080	4	3660	66	134	133857	4146	8	9931	426	..	..	..	..	8	9931	426	138	140128	4506	4	3660	66	142	143788	4572	..	..	..
Correspndng. Quar., 1892	}	Sailing	5	..	43	3	15	..	55	18011	490	1	425	10	56	18436	500	8	4398	82	2	1270	21	10	5668	103	63	22409	572	3	1695	31	..	..	..	66	24104	603	
		Steam	12	..	50	1	8	..	65	97737	3368	1	2425	54	66	100162	3422	5	9641	419	..	..	..	5	9641	419	70	107378	3787	1	2425	54	..	..	..	71	109803	3841	
Total	..	..	17	..	93	4	23	..	120	115748	3858	2	2850	64	122	118598	3922	13	14039	501	2	1270	21	15	15309	522	133	129787	4359	4	4120	85	..	..	..	137	133907	4444	

Department of Trade and Customs, Wellington, 30th October, 1893.

W. T. GLASGOW, Secretary and Inspector.

RETURN of the NUMBER, TONNAGE, and CREWS of VESSELS CLEARED OUTWARDS at the several PORTS of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1893.

PORTS OF DEPARTURE.	Sailing or Steam Vessels.	CLEARED FOR						BRITISH.									FOREIGN.									TOTALS.									Corresponding Quarter, 1892.		
		United Kingdom.		British Possessions.		Foreign Countries and Whale Fisheries.		With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.			Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
		With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.						
Auckland	Sailing	..	..	16	5	4	2	18	4211	130	6	2629	60	24	6840	190	2	1096	18	1	793	13	3	1889	31	20	5307	148	7	3422	73	27	8729	221	31	7592	211
	Steam	..	..	16	3	9	..	21	19431	883	3	3525	91	24	22956	974	4	7756	385	..	..	..	4	7756	385	25	27187	1268	3	3525	91	28	30712	1359	24	27206	1282
Total	..	..	..	32	8	13	2	39	23642	1013	9	6154	151	48	29796	1164	6	8852	403	1	793	13	7	9645	416	45	32494	1416	10	6947	164	55	39441	1580	55	34798	1493
Kaipara	Sailing	..	..	14	..	..	..	14	3495	110	..	..	..	14	3495	110	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	14	3495	110	..	..	..	14	3495	110	13	3183	94	
Wanganui	Sailing	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	189	7	1	284	9	2	473	16	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	189	7	1	284	9	2	473	16	..	..	..		
Wellington	Sailing	..	..	..	1	3	..	1	114	5	1	1047	18	2	1161	23	2	1756	28	..	..	..	2	1756	28	3	1870	33	1	1047	18	4	2917	51	8	5177	112
	Steam	4	..	8	3	1	..	13	23411	670	3	3980	91	16	27391	761	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	23411	670	3	3980	91	16	27391	761	12	19906	583	
Total	..	4	..	8	4	4	..	14	23525	675	4	5027	109	18	28552	784	2	1756	28	..	..	..	2	1756	28	16	25281	703	4	5027	109	20	30308	812	20	25083	695
Napier	Sailing	..	..	1	3	..	..	1	222	7	3	814	22	4	1036	29	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	222	7	3	814	22	4	1036	29	2	592	15	
Westport	Sailing	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	395	9	..	..	..	1	395	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	395	9	..	..	..	1	395	9	..	..	..	
Greymouth	Sailing	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	159	7	..	..	..	1	159	7	1	385	10	..	..	..	1	385	10	2	544	17	..	..	..	2	544	17	2	380	15
Lyttelton	Sailing	3	..	3	1	..	..	6	4247	86	1	341	9	7	4588	95	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	4247	86	1	341	9	7	4588	95	7	5557	105	
	Steam	8	..	1	..	..	..	9	26364	737	..	..	..	9	26364	737	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	26364	737	..	..	..	9	26364	737	13	30123	947	
Total	..	11	..	4	1	..	..	15	30611	823	1	341	9	16	30952	832	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15	30611	823	1	341	9	16	30952	832	20	35680	1052	
Timaru	Sailing	4	..	..	..	..	..	4	3564	69	..	..	..	4	3564	69	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	3564	69	..	..	..	4	3564	69	6	4115	85	
	Steam	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1588	38	
Total	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	4	3564	69	..	..	..	4	3564	69	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	3564	69	..	..	..	4	3564	69	8	5703	123	

RETURN of the NUMBER, TONNAGE, and CREWS of VESSELS CLEARED OUTWARDS at the several PORTS of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1893—continued.

PORTS OF DEPARTURE.	Sailing or Steam Vessels.	CLEARED FOR						BRITISH.									FOREIGN.									TOTALS.									Corresponding Quarter, 1892.			
		United Kingdom.		British Possessions.		Foreign Countries and Whale Fisheries.		With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.			With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	Totals.										
		With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.				
Dunedin	Sailing Steam	..	2	..	1	..	..	2	4853	103	1	403	8	1	403	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	4853	103	1	403	8	4	1513	35		
Total ..	..	2	..	1	..	..	2	4853	103	1	403	8	3	5256	111	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	4853	103	1	403	8	3	5256	111	8	12719	317
Bluff Harbo'r	Sailing Steam	2	..	4	1	..	6	3679	77	1	338	9	7	4017	86	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	3679	77	1	338	9	7	4017	86	7	5516	97
Total ..	..	3	..	12	..	..	15	21087	764	..	..	..	15	21087	764	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15	21087	764	..	..	..	15	21087	764	17	21220	921
Total Ship'ng outwards	Sailing Steam	9	..	42	12	8	53	20275	507	14	5856	135	67	26131	642	5	3237	56	1	793	13	6	4030	69	58	23512	563	15	6649	148	73	30161	711	..	..	..		
Total ..	..	17	..	37	6	10	60	95146	3157	6	7505	182	66	102651	3339	4	7756	385	..	..	..	4	7756	385	64	102902	3542	6	7505	182	70	110407	3724	..	..	..		
Correspndng. Quar., 1892	Sailing Steam	14	..	42	7	14	57	20942	527	9	3190	81	66	24132	603	13	8995	150	1	498	11	14	9493	161	70	29937	677	10	3688	92	..	..	..	80	33625	769		
Total ..	..	16	..	47	1	8	67	102744	3648	1	749	22	68	103493	3670	4	7756	383	..	..	..	4	7756	383	71	110500	4031	1	749	22	..	..	..	72	111249	4053		
Total ..	..	30	..	89	8	22	124	123636	4175	10	3939	103	134	127625	4273	17	16751	533	1	498	11	18	17249	544	141	140437	4708	11	4437	114	..	..	..	152	144874	4822		

Department of Trade and Customs, Wellington, 30th October, 1893.

W. T. GLASGOW,  
Secretary and Inspector.

**Bankruptcy Notices.***In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at Auckland.*

NOTICE is hereby given that ROBERT CROMPTON SPEER, of Auckland, Agent, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 31st day of October, 1893, at 11 o'clock.

24th October, 1893.

J. LAWSON,  
Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at Gisborne.*

NOTICE is hereby given that ALBERT PRITCHARD, of Waerenga-a-hika, Settler, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 10th day of November, 1893, at 2.30 o'clock.

27th October, 1893.

JOHN COLEMAN,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at Napier.*

NOTICE is hereby given that ALEXANDER STUART, of Hastings, Clothier, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, Napier, on the 8th day of November, 1893, at 11 o'clock.

Napier, 27th October, 1893.

J. F. JARDINE,  
Deputy Assignee.

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

In the matter of "The Bankruptcy Act, 1892"; and in the matter of EDWARD LOCKYER INGPEN, of Woodville, a bankrupt.

NOTICE is hereby given that the public examination of the above-named bankrupt is fixed for the 6th day of November, 1893, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the sitting of the above-named Court in Bankruptcy at the Courthouse at Wellington.

Dated this 30th day of October, 1893.

J. F. JARDINE,  
Deputy Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.*

In the estate of JOSEPH HALL, of Lower Hutt, Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first and final dividend of 3s. 1½d. in the pound is now payable at my office, Supreme Court Buildings, Wellington.

JAMES ASHCROFT,  
Wellington, 31st October, 1893. Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.—Tenders for Book-debts.*

TENDERS are invited for the purchase of the remainder of the book-debts in the under-mentioned bankrupt estates, to be lodged at my office not later than noon on Friday, the 10th day of November, 1893, namely:—

John Hutton, Fishmonger, Wellington.  
Mary Ann McLean, Grocer, Wellington.  
Amelia J. Rollason, Boardinghouse-keeper, Wellington.

Conditions of tender and further particulars can be obtained at my office, Supreme Court Buildings.

JAMES ASHCROFT,  
Official Assignee.

Wellington, 31st October, 1893.

*In Bankruptcy.*

NOTICE is hereby given that CHARLES HENRY WARNEFORD, of Nelson, Draper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, at Hardy Street, Nelson, on Monday, the 30th day of October, 1893, at 3 o'clock p.m.

A. A. SCAIFFE,  
Nelson, 25th October, 1893. Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that THOMAS BROWN, of Little Akaloa, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 31st day of October, 1893, at 3 o'clock.

G. L. GREENWOOD,  
Christchurch, 24th October, 1893. Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM BROWN, of Little Akaloa, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 31st day of October, 1893, at 3 o'clock.

G. L. GREENWOOD,  
Christchurch, 24th October, 1893. Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.*

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN TURNBULL, of Herbert, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, at Oamaru, on Wednesday, the 1st day of November, 1893, at 3 o'clock.

E. A. ATKINSON,  
23rd October, 1893. Deputy Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.—In the District Court of Otago Goldfields, holden at Lawrence.*

NOTICE is hereby given that ROBERT SHEDDAN, of Lawrence, Painter and Glazier, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, Lawrence, on Friday, the 3rd day of November, 1893, at 2 o'clock.

RICHARD PILLING, JUN.,  
Lawrence, 27th October, 1893. Deputy Official Assignee.

**Land Transfer Act Notices.**

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

7102. WILLIAM DEVENISH MEARES.—40 acres 1 rood 29 perches, Rural Section 8044, Block IV., Leeston Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

7322. CAROLINE DEARSLEY.—2 acres and 3 perches, part Rural Section 203, Block VII., Christchurch Survey District. Occupied by Joseph Richards.

7327. WILLIAM PENROSE, the elder.—2 roods 23·7 perches, Lots 29 and 30, Plan 816, part Rural Section 1946, Block I., Patiti Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

7328. WILLIAM PARISH.—78 acres 1 rood 33 perches, Rural Sections 10621, 11103, and 12208, Block XII., Leeston Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

7329. EDWIN WHITE.—1 acre, Lots 51 and 52, Plan 44, Town District of Southbridge. Occupied by Applicant.

7330. HARRY BELL JOHNSTONE.—1 acre 2 roods, Lots 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, and 470, Township of Selwyn, part Rural Section 4105, Block V., Leeston Survey District. Occupied by John Bain.

7332. MARY HOARE.—50 acres, Rural Section 9943, Block V., Arowhenua Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

7333. RICHARD HOARE.—20 acres, Rural Section 12912, Block V., Arowhenua Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

7334. MICHAEL QUINN.—2 acres 3 roods 37 perches, part Rural Section 2950, Block III., Arowhenua Survey District. Unoccupied.

7335. JOHN REYNOLDS.—9 acres, Rural Section 4230, Block XIII., Pigeon Bay Survey District. Occupied by the Canterbury Central Co-operative Dairy Company (Limited) and the Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 24th day of October, 1893, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

J. M. BATHAM,  
District Land Registrar.



**A** PPLICATION having been made to me to register a discharge of Mortgage No. 4929, from CARL ANDERSON to JACOB NANNESTAD, over Lots 72 and 73, subdivision of Suburban Section 5, Township of Danevirke, comprised in certificate of title, vol. xxii., folio 172, and evidence having been furnished of the loss of the original mortgage, I hereby give notice that I shall dispense with the production of the said mortgage and register the said discharge, unless a caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 16th day of November, 1893.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Napier, the 30th day of October, 1893.

617 G. G. BRIDGES,  
District Land Registrar.

**W**HEREAS a dealing has been presented for registration affecting the land comprised in certificate of title, volume xxxi., folio 53, issued to PATRICK CLANCY, for Lot 76, part of the Karamuramu Block, called Campbelltown, and evidence has been adduced of the loss of the duplicate certificate of title:

Now, notice is hereby given of my intention to register such dealing without requiring the production of the duplicate certificate of title, and to issue a provisional certificate of title in lieu thereof, at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 27th day of October, 1893, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

618 EDWIN BAMFORD,  
District Land Registrar.

**A** PPLICATION having been made to me to register a dealing over Section 5, Block I., Aohanga Survey District, comprised in Crown lease, vol. 2A, folio 45, whereof JULIUS OLIVER EASTWOOD is the registered Lessee, and evidence having been lodged with me of the loss of the original lease, I hereby give notice that I will dispense with the production of the original lease and register such dealing as requested, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 16th day of November, 1893.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington, this 1st day of November, 1893.

620 GEO. B. DAVY,  
District Land Registrar.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1885," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 2nd day of December, 1893.

2348. J. STAPLES AND COMPANY (LIMITED).—Sections 78, 80, 82, and 84, Greytown. In occupation of F. H. Wood.

2358. THOMAS DICKSON.—Part of Section 148, City of Wellington, with right-of-way off Ghuznee Street. In occupation of Mrs. Cross.

2365. JACOB JOSEPH.—Part of Section 512, City of Wellington (Willis Street). In occupation of Messrs. E. Reeves and others.

2369. WALTER WOODS JOHNSTON and Others (Trustees and Executors of JOHN JOHNSTON, deceased). 119 acres and 22 perches, Section 57, Karori District. In occupation of C. J. Johnston.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.  
Dated this 1st day of November, 1893, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

619 GEO. B. DAVY,  
District Land Registrar.

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

ALBERT CRACROFT FOKES and FREDERICK PEARSE FOKES.—Part of Allotment 27, Parish of Whangape, containing 3,790 acres 1 rood 7 perches. Unoccupied. 3065.

ELIZA MACFARLANE, RICHARD HENRY MACFARLANE, GEORGE WALTER MACFARLANE, EDWARD CREMOR MACFARLANE, FREDERICK WASHINGTON MACFARLANE, CLARENCE WILLIAM MACFARLANE, and HELEN BLANCH CORNWALL.—Parts of Allotments 7A and 8A, Parish of Waipareira, containing 1,481 acres 3 roods 14 perches. Unoccupied. 3074.

WILLIAM AITKEN.—Part of Allotments 24 and 25, Section 4, City of Auckland, containing 1 rood 4½ perches. Unoccupied. 3075.

WILLIAM HARKENS and PETER WHITFIELD MOULDEN.—Lot 7 of the subdivision of Allotments 4, 5, and 56, Section 29, City of Auckland, containing 15 perches. Occupied by Applicants. 3077.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.  
Dated this 28th day of October, 1893, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

621 EDWIN BAMFORD,  
District Land Registrar.

**A** PPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title for Lots 9 and 42 of Section 1 of Allotments 19 and others of Section 5, Suburbs of Auckland, being the land contained in Vol. xxxviii., folio 126, of the Register-book, and a statutory declaration of the loss of the original certificate of title having been lodged with me, I give notice that I will issue such provisional register as requested, unless caveat forbidding the same be lodged at this office within fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 23rd day of October, 1893, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

612 EDWIN BAMFORD,  
District Land Registrar.

### Mining Notices.

#### THE SIX-MILE BEACH DREDGING COMPANY (LIMITED).

**N**OTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the Six-mile Beach Dredging Company (Limited), held at the registered office of the company, Crawford Street, Dunedin, on Thursday, the 5th day of October, 1893, the following extraordinary resolution was passed: namely, "That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this meeting that the company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable that it be wound up, and, accordingly, that it be wound up voluntarily."

And RICHARD HENRY LEARY, of Dunedin, Public Accountant, was duly appointed Liquidator for the purpose of the winding-up of the company.

615 GEORGE FENWICK,  
Chairman of the Meeting.  
Dunedin, 5th October, 1893.

#### ENTERPRISE GOLD-DREDGING COMPANY (NO LIABILITY).

##### NOTICE OF INCREASE OF CAPITAL.

**I**n the undersigned, Manager, hereby give notice that an increase in the capital of the above-named company was, on the 24th day of October, 1893, resolved on. The mode adopted for the increase is by issuing sixteen hundred new shares of one pound each, in addition to the six hundred shares now existing in the company. Two hundred of the said shares to be preference shares, fully paid up to one pound each.

616 C. S. REEVES,  
Manager.  
Dunedin, 24th October, 1893.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the registered office of the Hesperides Gold-mining Company (Limited) is situated at Esk Street, Invercargill.

611 Dated this 17th day of October, 1893.  
ROBT. MCOWEN,  
D. L. MATHESON, } Directors.  
T. D. A. MOFFETT, }

#### DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between HUGH JOHN CLARK COURTS, of Ngaira, GEORGE THOMAS BAYLY, of Mokoia, FRED. BAYLY, of Toko, and MATTHEW JOHN GOODSON, of Waihi, all in the Provincial District of Taranaki, as Graziers and Farmers on portion of Tutaeariari No. 1 Block, situate in the Ngaira Survey District, has this day been dissolved by the retirement therefrom of the said Hugh John Clark Courts.

The business will in future be carried on by the said George Thomas Bayly, Fred. Bayly, and Matthew John Goodson, who will receive all amounts owing to, and pay all sums due by, the said Partnership.

614 Dated at Hawera this 21st day of October, 1893.  
HUGH J. C. COURTS.  
GEO. T. BAYLY.  
FRED. BAYLY.  
M. J. GOODSON.

Witness to all signatures—Cecil Wray, Articled Clerk, Hawera.

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