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Land set apart for Village Settlements in the Wellington Land District.

GLASGOW, Governor.

By his Deputy,

(L.S.) JAMES PRENDERGAST.

A PROCLAMATION.

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

SCHEDULE.
WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Area.	Section.	Area.
MAKOHINE VILLAGE SETTLEMENT.			
<i>Tiriraukawa Survey District.</i>			
	A. R. P.		A. R. P.
1	9 2 19	7	13 1 0
2	10 0 0	8	13 2 0
3	10 1 20	9	14 0 0
4	9 1 7	10	14 2 0
5	9 1 22	11	13 0 22
6	7 0 35	12	28 2 0
NGAMATEA VILLAGE SETTLEMENT.			
<i>Ngamatea Survey District.</i>			
1	91 0 0	72	100 0 0
2	24 2 0	73	100 0 0
3	27 0 0		
MANGAMAHU VILLAGE SETTLEMENT.			
<i>Mangawhero Survey District.</i>			
1	10 0 3	8	17 3 5
2	12 0 18	9	15 1 24
3	13 1 32	10	14 1 0
4	13 1 24	11	12 2 29
5	12 2 10	12	12 1 24
7	19 1 8		

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 eighth day of November, 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!

Local Land Officer at Cheviot appointed.

GLASGOW, Governor.

By his Deputy,

(L.S.) JAMES PRENDERGAST.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by the twenty-third section of "The Land Act, 1892," it is enacted that the Governor, by Proclamation in the *Gazette*, may from time to time establish and define, abolish, alter, or reconstitute local districts for the sale or disposal of land, and in like manner from time to time may appoint Land Officers or other persons for conducting sales of land in such local districts, and for receiving applications for the sale, letting, disposal, or occupation of Crown lands, and for generally carrying into effect 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, do hereby appoint

JOHN SHANNON YOUNG

to be the Land Officer for conducting sales of land and for receiving applications for the sale, letting, and disposal or occupation of Crown lands, and for generally carrying into effect the provisions of the said Act within the Cheviot Local Land District, as established by Proclamation dated the tenth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

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 tenth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

R. J. SEDDON,
For the Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

ERRATUM.—In Proclamation of the 20th September, 1893, reserving land as endowments for primary education, and published in *Gazette* No. 72, page 1394, for "Parish of Pakiri," in the first line of the lands in Schedule, read "Pakiri Survey District."

Vesting Control of Litchfield's Bridge in Omaka Road Board.

GLASGOW, Governor.

By his Deputy,

(L.S.) JAMES PRENDERGAST.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section four of "The Public Works Acts Amendment Act, 1887" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor may, upon the terms and conditions in the said section mentioned, by Proclamation publicly notified, direct that any bridge already constructed, or which may hereafter be constructed, over or across any river or arm of the sea respectively shall, from and after a date to be fixed in such Proclamation, be under the exclusive care, control, and management of such local authority as shall be mentioned in that behalf in such Proclamation; and may, by any such Proclamation as aforesaid, fix and determine whether all or any, and, if so, what, part of the cost of maintaining, repairing, improving, or reconstructing any such bridge is to be paid by the local authority or local authorities, and, if so, by what local authority or authorities; and may, by any such Proclamation as aforesaid, direct how, when, and to whom any such payment is to be made:

And whereas it is expedient that provision should be made under the hereinbefore in part recited Act for the purposes hereinafter mentioned:

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 exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities in him vested by the said Act, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling him in this behalf, do hereby direct that the bridge mentioned in the Schedule hereto, and known as Litchfield's Bridge, shall, from and after the date of this Proclamation, be under the exclusive care, control, and management of the Omaka Road Board; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the powers aforesaid, I do hereby fix and determine that the cost of maintaining, repairing, improving, or reconstructing the said bridge is to be provided and paid by the local authorities hereinafter mentioned in the following proportions: namely, the Omaka Road Board, fifty per centum; and the Wairau Road Board, fifty per centum. And I do also hereby direct that the contribution hereby required to be made as aforesaid by the Wairau Road Board towards the cost of maintaining, repairing, improving, or reconstructing the said bridge shall be paid from time to time, in the proportion hereinbefore prescribed, by the Wairau Road Board, out of the Road Board Fund of the said Wairau Road District, within a period of ten days after a demand in writing, made by or on behalf of the Omaka Road Board, stating the amount so required to be paid and the purpose for which it is so required, shall have been left at the office of the Wairau Road Board; and the payments so to be made shall be made from time to time to the Clerk of the Omaka Road Board for and on behalf of the Omaka Road Board.

SCHEDULE.

THAT bridge over the Omaka River, known as Litchfield's Bridge, situated on the Middle Renwick Road, on the main road leading from Blenheim to the Wairau Valley, in the Omaka Road District, Land District of Marlborough: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 20572, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Land District of Wellington, and thereon marked in red.

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 eighth day of November, 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!

Defining the Middle Line of a Further Portion of the Otago Central Railway (Hyde-Kyeburn Section).

GLASGOW, Governor.

By his Deputy,

(L.S.) JAMES PRENDERGAST.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the Otago Central Railway (hereinafter termed "the said railway") is a railway the con-

struction of which is authorised by "The Public Works Act, 1879": And whereas the said railway has been partly constructed, and it has been determined to construct and maintain a further portion of the same:

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 powers and authorities conferred by "The Public Works Act, 1879," and "The Public Works Act, 1882," and in exercise of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the middle line of the said further portion of the said railway shall be that defined and set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

COMMENCING at a point on the eastern boundary of Section No. 18, Block III., Township of Hyde, and distant about 25 links from the south-east corner thereof, the said point being the termination of a portion of the railway as described in a Proclamation dated the 22nd July, 1892, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 62, of the 5th August, 1892; proceeding thence generally in a northerly direction for a distance of nine miles, and passing in, into, through, or over the following lands: viz., Sections 18 and 17, Block III., Township of Hyde; Railway Reserve, and Sections 16, 13, 12, 11, 10, and 9, Block VII.; 5, 4, and 13, Railway Reserve, and Section 11, Block III.; Railway Reserve, Block XIII., Rock and Pillar Survey District; and Railway Reserve and Coal Reserve, Block XVI., Maniototo Survey District; and terminating at a point in the said Railway Reserve distant about 5 chains in a north-westerly direction from the north-eastern corner of Section 16, Block XVI., including all adjoining and intervening places, lands, reserves, roads, streams, rivers, and watercourses; all in the Provincial District of Otago: as the same is delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 17080, a copy of which has been deposited in the office of the Registrar of the Supreme Court at Dunedin, in the said Provincial District of Otago.

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 tenth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

R. J. SEDDON,
Minister for Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Inglewood Recreation-ground brought under "The Public Domains Act, 1881."

GLASGOW, Governor.

By his Deputy,

JAMES PRENDERGAST.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this seventh day of November, 1893.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE DEPUTY-GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

BY virtue of the powers and authorities vested in me by the twenty-fourth section of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," I, Sir 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, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, do hereby order and declare that the reserve made for public recreation in the Land District of Taranaki, and known as the Inglewood Recreation-ground, and described in the Schedule hereto, shall be and the same is hereby brought under the operation of and declared to be subject to the provisions of "The Public Domains Act, 1881," and such domain shall hereafter be managed, administered, and dealt with in manner directed by the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Taranaki, containing by admeasurement 2 roods, more or less, being Sections Nos. 73 and 85, Town of Inglewood. Bounded on the north by Section No. 61, 225 links; on the east by Section No. 181, 224 links; on the south by Section No. 97, 225 links; on the west by Elliot Street, 224 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the office of the Chief Surveyor, New Plymouth.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Powers delegated to the Inglewood Town Board under "The Public Domains Act, 1881."

GLASGOW, Governor.

By his Deputy,

JAMES PRENDERGAST.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this seventh day of November, 1893.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE DEPUTY-GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the twelfth section of "The Public Domains Act, 1881," it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor, by Order in Council, may from time to time delegate all or any of the powers by the said Act conferred, save as is therein mentioned, to any person or persons for any period, and subject to such stipulations as may be specified in such order, and that every such delegation may from time to time in like manner be altered or revoked: And whereas, pursuant to "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," by an Order in Council of even date herewith, the land described in the Schedule thereto is declared to be brought under the operation of and to be subject to the provisions of the said "Public Domains Act, 1881":

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, by his duly-appointed Deputy, Sir James Prendergast, Knight, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony of New Zealand, doth by this present order delegate all the powers conferred by the Act first above mentioned, except the powers under or conferred by sections five and twelve thereof, to

THE INGLEWOOD TOWN BOARD,

who shall be known as the Inglewood Domain Board (hereinafter referred to as "the Board"), subject to the stipulations hereinafter contained, that is to say,—

1. The Board shall meet for the transaction of business on the third Monday in each month, at seven o'clock p.m., at the Town Board Office, Inglewood, or at such other time or place as may from time to time be fixed by the Board. The first meeting shall be held on Monday, the eighteenth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.
2. Special meetings may be convened by the Chairman or by any two members of the Board, provided that two days' notice of such meeting be given to each member, specifying the business to be transacted at such special meeting, and no other business than that so specified shall be transacted at such meeting.
3. Any three of the said Board shall form a quorum. Any meeting may be adjourned from time to time.
4. The members of the Board shall, at their first meeting, and thereafter at an annual meeting to be held on the third Monday in January in every succeeding year thereafter, elect one of themselves to be Chairman, who may join in the discussion, and shall have an original as well as a casting vote. The Chairman shall hold office until the election of his successor.
5. If at any meeting the Chairman is not present at the time appointed for holding the same, the members present shall choose some one of their number to be chairman of such meeting.
6. If, by resignation, death, or incapacity, or otherwise, the office of Chairman shall be or become vacant, the members may at any monthly or special meeting appoint a Chairman.
7. All questions shall be determined by the majority of votes of the members of the Board present at a meeting.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Greenwich Square (Waihola) Recreation-ground brought under "The Public Domains Act, 1881."

GLASGOW, Governor.

By his Deputy,

JAMES PRENDERGAST.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this seventh day of November, 1893.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE DEPUTY-GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

BY virtue of the powers and authorities vested in me by the twenty-fourth section of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," I, Sir 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, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, do hereby order and declare that the reserve made for public recreation in the Land District of Otago, and known as the Greenwich Square Recreation-ground, and described in the Schedule hereto, shall be and the same is hereby brought under the operation of and declared to be subject to the provisions of "The Public Domains Act, 1881"; and such domain shall hereafter be managed, administered, and dealt with in manner directed by the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Otago Land District, situate in the Township of Waihola, containing by admeasurement 1 acre 1 rood 11 perches, more or less, being Section No. 18, Block VI., known as Greenwich Square. Bounded towards the north-east by a street-line, 100 links in width; towards the south-east by Greenhithe Street; towards the south-west by Chatham Street; and towards the north-west by Greenhithe Street.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Powers delegated to the Greenwich Square (Waihola) Domain Board under "The Public Domains Act, 1881."

GLASGOW, Governor.

By his Deputy,

JAMES PRENDERGAST.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this seventh day of November, 1893.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE DEPUTY-GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the twelfth section of "The Public Domains Act, 1881," it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor, by Order in Council, may from time to time delegate all or any of the powers by the said Act conferred, save as is therein mentioned, to any person or persons for any period, and subject to such stipulations as may be specified in such order, and that every such delegation may from time to time in like manner be altered or revoked: And whereas, pursuant to "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," by an Order in Council of even date herewith, the land described in the Schedule thereto is declared to be brought under the operation of and to be subject to the provisions of the said "Public Domains Act, 1881":

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, by his duly-appointed Deputy, Sir James Prendergast, Knight, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony of New Zealand, doth by this present order delegate all the powers conferred by the Act first above mentioned, except the powers under or conferred by sections five and twelve, to the under-mentioned persons, who shall be known as the Greenwich Square (Waihola) Domain Board, namely,—

WILLIAM ADAMS,
JAMES CRANE,
DANIEL MCGILLIVRAY,
CHARLES ROBERTSON, and
JOHN H. WILSON

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

1. The Board shall meet for the transaction of business on the third Wednesday in each month, at eight o'clock p.m., at Waihola, or at such other time or place as may from time to time be fixed by the Board. The first meeting shall be held on Wednesday, the twentieth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.
2. Special meetings may be convened by the Chairman or by any two members of the Board, provided that two days' notice of such meeting be given to each member, specifying the business to be transacted at such special meeting, and no other business than that so specified shall be transacted at such meeting.
3. Any three of the said Board shall form a quorum. Any meeting may be adjourned from time to time.
4. The members of the Board shall, at their first meeting, and thereafter at an annual meeting to be held on the third Wednesday in January in every succeeding year thereafter,

elect one of themselves to be Chairman, who may join in the discussion, and shall have an original as well as a casting vote. The Chairman shall hold office until the election of his successor.

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

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

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

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

GLASGOW, Governor.

By his Deputy,

JAMES PRENDERGAST.

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

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

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

FIRST-CLASS LAND.

Wairarapa N.	Mangaone ..	11	XV.	A. R. P.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.																
					1	8	6	1	8	6	1	5	1	6	8												
		18	"	100	0	0	1	6	6	1	3	9	3	6	3	1	0	7	2	6	1	1	6	8	5	14	0
		17	"	200	0	0	1	11	0	0	1	6	6	7	15	0	1	2	8	8	6	4	0	6	4	0	
		40	XI., XV.	227	0	0	1	6	6	300	15	6	1	3	9	7	10	5	1	0	7	2	6	6	0	4	
		33	XI.	200	0	0	1	6	6	265	0	0	1	3	9	6	12	6	1	0	7	2	6	5	6	0	
		37	XI., XV.	200	0	0	1	10	6	305	0	0	1	6	3	7	12	6	1	2	6	4	6	2	0		
		38	"	200	0	0	1	12	6	325	0	0	1	7	5	8	2	6	1	3	6	6	10	0			
		39	"	200	0	0	1	8	6	285	0	0	1	5	1	7	2	6	1	1	6	8	5	14	0		

These sections are situated in the Pioneer Farm-homestead Association Block, eastward of Mangamahoe and Eketahuna, towards Alfredton, and consist of undulating country covered with mixed forest. Access is *via* Eketahuna-Alfredton Road, or the Mangamahoe Road.

Wairarapa N.	{ Mt. Cerberus Makuri .. }	26	{ I. VII. }	200	0	0	1	18	6	385	0	0	1	11	9	12	6	1	6	4	8	7	14	0
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This section is situated in the Coonor Farm-homestead Association Block, on the continuation of the Makuri Valley Road to the Towai Road. The soil is good, and is covered with mixed forest. The Makuri Valley Road is formed to within a short distance; and the mileage from Makuri Township is about ten miles, and from Pahiatua about twenty-six miles.

Wairarapa N.	Mangahao ..	1	II.	201	2	0	1	7	6	277	1	3	1	4	5	6	18	7	1	1	2	5	10	10
		2	"	200	0	0	1	7	6	275	0	0	1	4	5	6	17	6	1	1	2	5	10	0
		6	"	200	0	0	1	7	6	275	0	0	1	4	5	6	17	6	1	1	2	5	10	0
		2	XIX.	200	0	0	1	10	0	300	0	0	1	6	7	10	0	1	2	4	6	0	0	0
		6	"	200	0	0	1	10	0	300	0	0	1	6	7	10	0	1	2	4	6	0	0	0

These sections are situated in the Palmerston North Forest Reserve Farm-homestead Block, and lie on the dividing-range between Palmerston North and Pahiatua. Those sections in Block XIX. are on the main road between these towns, and those in Block II., Mangahao, some distance to the north. The sections in Block XIX. have some flat portions, and the balance throughout are hilly and broken, with fair soil, and covered with mixed timber. The average distance of the Association Block from Pahiatua is about eleven miles, and from Palmerston North thirteen miles.

Wanganui ..	Makotuku ..	8	III.	100	0	0	1	7	6	137	10	0	1	4	5	3	8	9	1	1	2	2	15	0
		15	II.	200	0	0	1	7	6	275	0	0	1	4	5	6	17	6	1	1	2	5	10	0

These sections are in the Waimarino Farm-homestead Association Block, and are practically level, with good soil covered with heavy mixed forest. They are situated from within two to three miles of the Township of Raetihi, and distant from seventeen to eighteen miles from Pipiriki on the Wanganui River.

Wanganui ..	Ngamatea ..	70	XVI.	143	0	0	1	7	6	196	12	6	1	1	5	4	18	4	1	1	2	3	18	8
		71	"	189	0	0	1	10	0	283	10	0	1	6	7	1	9	1	2	4	5	13	5	

These sections are situated in the Maungakaretu Block, and have frontages to Hale's Road, and slope towards the Wangahu River. The access is by Fordell, from which there is a dray road to Mangamahu for seventeen miles, and from thence by Hale's Road for fifteen miles and a half, which has been formed for dray traffic most of the way, the balance being a horse-road only. The general character of the sections is undulating, with good slopes, well watered, and covered with the usual mixed forest.

As witness the hand of Sir James Prendergast, Knight, Chief Justice, as such Deputy as aforesaid, this tenth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

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

Postmaster appointed to take and receive Statutory Declarations.

PURSUANT to the authority conferred upon me by the eighth section of "The Justices of the Peace Act Amendment Act, 1888," I, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby notify and declare that

JOHN SHANNON YOUNG,

being a person holding the office of Postmaster under "The Post Office Act, 1881," at Cheviot, is authorised to take and receive statutory declarations under the two hundred and thirty-fourth section of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

As witness the hand of Sir James Prendergast, Knight, Chief Justice, for and on behalf of His Excellency the Governor of the said Colony, and as his duly-appointed Deputy, this fourteenth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

GLASGOW, Governor.

By his Deputy,
JAMES PRENDERGAST.

Appointment of Consul at Sydney, representing Austria-Hungary, for New Zealand provisionally recognised.

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

HIS Excellency the Governor, by his Deputy, has been pleased to recognise provisionally the appointment of

JULIUS MERGELL, Esq.,

of Sydney, as Consul for Austria-Hungary for New Zealand.
P. A. BUCKLEY.

Member of Canterbury Land Board reappointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 8th November, 1893.

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

RICHARD MEREDITH

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

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

Licensed Interpreter appointed.

Wellington, 11th November, 1893.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to authorise

WILLIAM JOHN WHEELER,

of Port Awanui, to act as an Interpreter under the Native Land Court Acts.

R. J. SEDDON,
Native Minister.

Letters of Naturalisation issued.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 7th November, 1893.

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

Name.	Occupation.	Residence.
Kristoph Herrman Wallath	Carpenter ..	New Plymouth.
Johan Svante Janson..	Seaman ..	Westport.
Christian Nicolai Clausen	Farmer ..	Maharashtra.
Gustavus Adolphus Gaustad	Farmer ..	Tarata, New Plymouth.
Herman Robert Emil Tannhauser	Locksmith ..	Auckland.
Alfred Hotop	.. Chemist ..	Wellington.
Axel Stenberg	.. Labourer ..	Woodville.
Joseph Urick	.. Labourer ..	West Oxford.
Mads Rasmussen	.. Farmer ..	West Oxford.
John Bönisch	.. Labourer ..	West Oxford.
Simon Benson	.. Settler ..	Dargaville.
Carl Peter Anderson ..	Gum-digger ..	Maropiu.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Letters of Naturalisation issued.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 8th November, 1893.

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

Name.	Occupation.	Residence.
Jesse Rugsted	.. Labourer ..	St. Martin's, Opawa.
John Marie Ory	.. Railway Engine-driver ..	Dunedin.
Charles Bruns	.. Contractor ..	Dillman's, Kumara.
Niels Nielsen	.. Farmer ..	Dalefield.
Joe Yee Wah	.. Gold-miner ..	Kumara.
George Kung	.. Gold-miner ..	Kumara.
August Modier	.. Miner ..	Hayes Terrace, Kumara.
John Frederick Johnston	.. Mariner ..	Kaipoi.
Charles Kepler	.. Seaman ..	Port Chalmers.
Detlef Peter Mumm ..	.. Marine Engineer ..	Mokihinui.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Results of Polls for Proposed Loans (2), Cook County.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 14th November, 1893.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

COOK COUNTY COUNCIL.

At a poll of the ratepayers in the Maraetaha Special District, taken on Monday, 23rd October, 1893, upon a proposal by this Council to raise a loan of £550 for the construction of two bridges on the Mahia Road, the following votes were recorded:—

For the proposal, 1 voter, exercising 5 votes.

As the whole number of ratepayers on the special roll voted in favour of the proposal, I declare it carried.

CHARLES GRAY,
Chairman.

Gisborne, 27th October, 1893.

COOK COUNTY COUNCIL.—MUHUNGA LOAN.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Muhunga Special District, taken on the 30th October, 1893, upon a proposal by this Council to raise a loan of £225 for the purpose of widening and deepening the Muhunga Creek and Drain the following votes were recorded:—

For the proposal, 6 voters, exercising 10 votes; against the proposal, none: total number of voters on the special roll, 7, capable of exercising 11 votes.

As a majority of voters, exercising a majority of votes, voted in favour of the proposal, I declare it carried.

CHARLES GRAY,
Chairman.

31st October, 1893.

Results of Polls for Proposed Loans (2), Wirokino Road Board, County of Horowhenua.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 14th November, 1893.

THE following notices, received from the Chairman of the Wirokino Road Board, are published in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1886."

P. A. BUCKLEY.

WIROKINO ROAD BOARD.

RESULT of poll for proposed loan of £500, for the purpose of completing Muhunua Road West:—

I, John Davies, Chairman of the Wirokino Road Board, do hereby notify the result of the poll taken at Mr. Whaley's sawmill, Ohau, on Friday, the 3rd November, 1893, to be as follows:—

Number of ratepayers entitled to vote, 9; votes exercisable on special roll, 13: number of ratepayers who voted in favour, 6; number of votes exercised in favour, 10; votes not recorded, 3: majority of ratepayers in favour, 3; majority of votes in favour, 7.

I hereby declare that the proposal has been carried by a majority of ratepayers and more than half the exercisable number of votes, being the majority as by statute required.

JNO. DAVIES,
Chairman, Wirokino Road Board.

Kereru, 4th November, 1893.

WIROKINO ROAD BOARD.

RESULT of poll for proposed loan of £1,000, for the purpose of constructing cart-bridge over the Ohau River and completing the Muhunoa East Road:—

I, John Davies, Chairman of the Wirokino Road Board, do hereby notify the result of the poll taken at Mr. Whiley's sawmill, Ohau, on Friday, the 3rd November, 1893, to be as follows:—

Number of ratepayers entitled to vote, 16; votes exercisable on special roll, 24; number of ratepayers who voted in favour, 11; number of votes exercised in favour, 18; votes not recorded, 6; majority of ratepayers in favour, 6; majority of votes in favour, 12.

I hereby declare that the proposal has been carried by a majority of ratepayers and more than one-half the exercisable number of votes, being the majority as by statute required.

JNO. DAVIES,
Chairman, Wirokino Road Board.

Kereru, 4th November, 1893.

Special Order made by the Waimata Road Board, Cook County.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 15th November, 1893.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

COPY OF A SPECIAL ORDER BY THE WAIMATA ROAD BOARD, MADE AT A SPECIAL MEETING HELD ON THE 3RD DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1893.

RESOLVED, that a special rate of 3d. in the pound be made upon Sections 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, and 11, Whataupoko G, for a period of twenty-six years, commencing on the 10th April, 1894, and ending on the 9th April, 1920, for the purpose of providing interest upon a loan of £500, to be obtained under "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886," for the purpose of constructing the Matokitoki Road from Section 38, Hapara III., to Section 8, Whataupoko G. The rate to be due and payable in two instalments in each year, on the 1st day of June and 1st day of December respectively.

The common seal of the inhabitants of the Waimata Road District was hereto attached in the presence of

JOHN TOMBLESON,
Chairman, Waimata Road Board.

I hereby certify that the foregoing special order has been made in accordance with law, and that all the provisions of the Road Boards Act have been complied with.

JOHN TOMBLESON,
Chairman.

Special Order made by the Whataupoko Road Board, Cook County.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 15th November, 1893.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

WHATAUPOKO ROAD DISTRICT.

SPECIAL order made on the 31st October, 1893:—

Resolved, That a special rate of 3d. in the pound be made on the rateable value of a part of Matokitoki Block, north of Ormond Road, for a period of twenty-six years, commencing on the 1st April, 1894, and ending on the 31st March, 1920, to provide interest upon a joint loan of £500 to be raised by the Waimata and Whataupoko Boards for the purpose of constructing the Matokitoki Road from Section 38, Hapara III., to Section 8, Whataupoko G. The rate to be due and payable in two equal instalments on the 1st June and the 1st December in each year.

The common seal of the inhabitants of the Whataupoko Road District was hereto attached in the presence of

E. P. JOYCE, Chairman.
JOHN WARREN, Clerk.

I hereby certify that the foregoing special order has been made in accordance with the law, and that all the requirements of "The Road Boards Act, 1882," and "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1886," have been complied with.

JOHN WARREN, Clerk.

Notice to Mariners, No. 46 of 1893.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 10th November, 1893.

THE following Notices to Mariners, received from the Portmaster, Brisbane, Queensland, and the Department of Ports and Harbours, Melbourne, Victoria, are published for general information.

P. A. BUCKLEY,
For Minister having charge of Marine Department.

SECOND FLATS, FITZROY RIVER.—PARTIAL OBSTRUCTION TO FAIRWAY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the wreck of the steam-vessel "Wonoona" lies nearly at right angles to and with her stern almost touching the line of leading lights and beacons, No. 3 Cutting (Second Flats), Fitzroy River.

The obstruction will be marked in accordance with the regulation—i.e., from sunset to sunrise by two bright lights placed horizontally 6ft. to 12ft. apart, and between sunrise and sunset by two black balls similarly placed.

Masters of vessels are cautioned to use every precaution in passing.

T. M. ALMOND,
Portmaster.

Department of Ports and Harbours,
Brisbane, 16th October, 1893.

INNER ROUTE TO TORRES STRAIT.—SHOAL SOUTH OF COCKBURN REEF.

NOTICE is hereby given that Lieutenant and Commander Heming, of H.M.S. "Paluma," reports the existence of a shoal to the southward of Cockburn Reef, inner route to Torres Strait.

The shoal, which is a quarter of a mile in extent, lies 1½ miles to the northward of the recommended track, and the least depth of water on it is 17ft. at low-water springs.

From the shoal—

North Cockburn Island bears ..	N. 3° E.
Summit of Sir Charles Hardy, North Island ..	N. 79° E.
Summit of East Island, Home Group ..	S. 14° W.
North extreme of Sunday Island ..	S. 79° W.

JOHN MACKAY,
Pro Portmaster.

Department of Ports and Harbours,
Brisbane, 28th October, 1893.

VICTORIA, AUSTRALIA.—ESTABLISHMENT OF GAS BEACONS AND BUOYS, NEW CHANNEL, POINT HENRY, AND PORT PHILLIP BAY; AND REMOVAL OF GEELONG LIGHTSHIP AND GEELONG AND PORTARLINGTON BEACON-LIGHTS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the New Channel, Point Henry, extending from outer to inner harbours, Geelong, has been completed throughout its entire length of two nautical miles to a navigable depth of 22ft. at average low water, by a width of 110ft.; and that on and after Wednesday, the 20th December, 1893, seven all-round gas-lights, visible in clear weather about six miles distant, and showing white on the north side and red on the south side, will be exhibited 26ft. above the mean level of the sea from pile structures erected about 20ft. outside the north and south edges of the channel.

Entering the channel from seaward the north or starboard-hand side will be indicated by four fixed white lights at about equal distances of 4,040ft. apart, and extending from the eastern to the western entrance of the channel, whilst the south or port-hand side will be marked by three fixed red lights at equal distances, but placed so as to alternate with the white lights. These white lights in line will also be in line with the perch buoy off Point Wilson.

Mariners in charge of steamships navigating this New Channel, Point Henry, or the South Channel, Geelong, shall cause the speed of such steamships to be so reduced that it shall not exceed five nautical miles per hour, and no sailing-vessel shall enter the New Channel, Point Henry, whilst any other vessel is proceeding through such channel in an opposite direction. These cautions will in due course form the subject of port regulations, the infringement of which will render the person in fault liable to a penalty not exceeding £100.

The buoys at present marking Prince George's Bank, Point Richards, and Wilson's Spit will on the same date, 20th December, be removed, and replaced with gas buoys showing occulting lights, visible in clear weather six miles distant, with from six to eight flashes and eclipses every minute. The Prince George's Bank buoy will show a white light, Point Richards red, and Wilson's Spit white.

REMOVAL OF GEELONG LIGHTSHIP AND GEELONG AND PORTARLINGTON BEACON-LIGHTS.

After the New Channel, Point Henry, has been lit for night traffic as above, the Geelong lightship in the North

Channel will be removed, and the lighted beacons in both the North and South Channels, Geelong, and the red beacon shore light, Portarlington, will also be discontinued.

By order.

ALEXR. WILSON,
Port Officer.

Harbour Office, Customs,
Melbourne, 18th October, 1893.

Volunteer Officer resigned.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 8th November, 1893.

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

Dunedin Naval Artillery Volunteers.

Sub-Lieutenant Robert Morrison. Date of resignation, 3rd November, 1893.

R. J. SEDDON.

Volunteer Corps disbanded.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 8th November, 1893.

HIS Excellency the Governor, by his Deputy, has been pleased to approve of the disbandment of the

Dunedin Irish Rifle Volunteers

as from the 13th September, 1893.

The commission held by the under-mentioned gentleman will therefore lapse in accordance with Paragraph 51, Volunteer Regulations, 1889: Stephen Marks, late Lieutenant.

R. J. SEDDON.

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.

Bonus on Mineral Oil manufactured from Orepuki Shale.

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

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

1. A bonus of 1s. per gallon (£5,000) will be paid on the first 100,000 gallons of mineral oil produced from shale obtained in the Orepuki district, Otago; the oil to be of a quality approved of by Government, and to be sold at a fair average market price.

2. Notice of intention to claim the aforesaid bonus must be given in writing to the Colonial Secretary not later than the 31st December, 1894.

3. The claim must be made before the 30th June, 1895.

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

5. The other conditions, as to quantity, priority, quality, and value, to be fulfilled to the satisfaction of an officer appointed for the purpose by the Government.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

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

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

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

Collection of noxious weeds: First prize, £10; second, £5. All specimens must have been gathered in the colony.

Each specimen must be mounted on paper 18in. by 11in., and bear, if possible, the popular and scientific name, also the locality where gathered.

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

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

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

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

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

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

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Agriculture.

Tenders for School-buildings, Painting, &c.

Education Department,
Wellington, 6th November, 1893.

TENDERS will be received at this office up to noon of the 30th November for the erection of a Native school and teacher's residence at Te Pupuke, Whangaroa Harbour, and up to noon of the 10th December for works on the East Coast as follows: Te Araroa, Hicks Bay—building addition to school, and painting school and residence; Tokomaru, Tokomaru Bay—building school; Wharekahika, Hicks Bay—painting school and residence; Rangitukia, Port Awanui—painting school and residence.

Plans, &c., may be seen, and forms of tender obtained, at the Public Works Office, Auckland; the Post-offices, Whangaroa and Kawakawa; the Resident Magistrates' Offices, Napier and Gisborne; and the school, Tuparoa.

In the case of the East Coast schools tenders may be for the works as a whole or for any one or more of the works; but in any tender for more than one the price at which the tenderer is willing to undertake each separate work must be stated.

Telegraphic tenders will be accepted, provided the original tender and deposit are lodged at the same time at one of the Government offices above mentioned.

WM. JAS. HABENS,
Secretary.

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.

Notice by the Public Trustee of his Election to administer Intestate Estates.

Public Trust Office,
Wellington, 14th November, 1893.

NOTICE.—It is hereby notified that, in pursuance of the provisions of section 8 of "The Public Trust Office Act Amendment Act, 1893," the Public Trustee, having elected to administer the property of the following persons, who, so far as is known, have died intestate within the Colony of New Zealand, did file his election in writing at the Supreme Court Office, at the place stated after the name of each such deceased person:—

John Aitken, late of Thames, in the Provincial District of Auckland. Filed at Auckland on the 10th November, 1893.

John Byrne, late of Blenheim, in the Provincial District of Marlborough. Filed at Blenheim on the 6th November, 1893.

John Kinley, late of Rangiora, in the Provincial District of Canterbury. Filed at Christchurch on the 10th November, 1893.

Patrick Roddy, late of Hunterville, in the Provincial District of Wellington. Filed at Wellington on the 13th November, 1893.

J. K. WARBURTON,
Public Trustee.

Will accepted by the Public Trustee.

Public Trust Office,
Wellington, 13th November, 1893.

In the matter of the will of ROBERT LEVIEN (otherwise Robert Pete Levien), late of Nelson, deceased.

IT is hereby notified that this will has been finally accepted, in accordance with the provisions of "The Public Trust Office Act, 1872," and that the Public Trustee is the Executor appointed under the said will.

J. K. WARBURTON,
Public Trustee.

Government Observatory.

METEOROLOGICAL Observations, Wellington, for the month of October, 1893. Altitude above the sea, 140ft. Observations taken at 9.30 a.m.

Date.	Barometer reduced and corrected, in Inches.	From Self-registering Instruments, for Twenty-four Hours previously.						Solar Radiation.	Terrestrial Radiation.	Rainfall, in Inches.	Veloc. Wind, in Miles.	Amount of Cloud, 0 to 10.	Direction of Wind.
		Max. Temp. in Shade.	Min. Temp. in Shade.	Mean Temp. in Shade.	Fah.	Fah.	Fah.						
1	30.200	60.0	45.0	52.5	113	32	..	200	4	N.			
2	30.265	62.5	48.5	55.5	120	34	..	225	3	N.W.			
3	30.203	61.0	51.0	56.0	124	39	..	340	3	N.W.			
4	30.221	60.7	50.0	55.3	122	37	..	195	5	S.			
5	30.462	67.0	49.3	58.1	114	38	..	110	3	S.			
6	30.367	62.0	45.0	53.5	119	33	..	110	3	N.W.			
7	30.309	65.0	54.0	59.5	120	42	..	250	4	N.W.			
8	30.230	67.0	53.0	60.0	125	40	..	350	4	N.			
9	30.366	70.0	53.0	61.5	130	39	..	50	6	N.			
10	30.243	63.3	55.5	59.4	129	43	..	340	5	N.W.			
11	30.028	60.0	56.0	58.0	90	46	..	410	5	N.W.			
12	30.018	61.5	57.0	59.2	118	47	.040	550	6	N.W.			
13	30.092	60.0	52.0	56.0	100	44	1.150	360	5	N.W.			
14	30.215	61.8	54.0	57.9	125	42	..	190	6	Calm			
15	30.070	69.0	52.0	60.5	128	40	..	50	5	N.			
16	29.726	71.8	55.0	63.4	130	41	..	108	5	N.W.			
17	29.636	68.0	57.0	62.5	127	44	.070	452	5	N.W.			
18	29.644	64.7	56.0	60.3	130	40	..	510	3	N.W.			
19	29.365	64.0	53.3	58.6	135	44	..	500	5	N.W.			
20	29.606	62.5	53.5	58.0	120	43	..	400	3	N.W.			
21	29.644	64.0	56.0	60.0	130	44	.070	565	6	N.W.			
22	29.650	62.0	55.0	58.5	120	44	.380	325	5	N.W.			
23	29.811	65.0	53.3	59.1	132	41	..	270	3	N.W.			
24	30.144	65.0	49.0	57.0	139	37	.009	60	4	S.			
25	30.100	67.0	50.0	58.5	125	35	..	140	5	N.W.			
26	30.053	63.0	53.3	58.1	128	38	..	220	5	N.W.			
27	30.168	63.8	53.5	58.6	132	40	.020	90	6	S.			
28	30.093	66.0	48.0	57.0	125	34	..	130	3	N.W.			
29	29.960	68.0	53.5	63.2	131	39	..	280	4	N.E.			
30	30.048	67.3	59.0	63.1	115	50	.100	250	7	S.			
31	30.063	63.0	51.0	57.0	105	43	.470	90	5	N.W.			
*	30.032	64.3	52.7	58.5	122.6	40.4	2.309	262	4.5	..			
†	29.845	..	..	53.6	..	..	4.830	..	..	..

* Means. † Same month previous years.

NOTE.—Fine weather up to 12th, with pleasant variable winds; very heavy rain on 12th, 1.15in. recorded on 13th for previous twenty-four hours; remainder of month generally showery, with intervals of fine weather. Prevailing N.W. wind and strong during middle of month; thunderstorm with vivid lightning on 21st; maximum temperature in shade 71°-8, minimum 45°; mean temperature of dew-point, 50°-2; mean humidity, 74; earthquake on 11th, at 12.40 a.m., slight.

R. B. GORE, Observer.

Crown Lands Notices.

Tin-mining Leases.

Department of Lands and Survey,
District Office, Invercargill, 27th October, 1893.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following tin-mining lease applications at Pegasus, Stewart Island, have been declared cancelled for non-payment of rents: viz., Nos. 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 54, 55, 56, 59, 60, 64, 66, 67, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 83, 86, 88, 89, 91, 93, 94, 118, 119, 121, 125, 135, 153, 154, 155.

Notice is further given that the above-mentioned areas will be open for application at this office in accordance with the regulations on Monday, the 4th December next.

G. W. WILLIAMS,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Town, Suburban, Rural, and Pastoral Lands open for Sale or Lease in the Otago Land District.

Crown Lands Office,
Dunedin, 14th September, 1893.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned town, suburban, rural, and pastoral lands will be submitted to public auction, for sale or lease, as is more particularly noted in the Schedule, on Tuesday, the 5th December, 1893.

SCHEDULE.
OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
TOWN LANDS. (For Cash Purchase.)			
Alexandra Town.			
10	V.	0 1 0	£ s. d. 5 0 0
11	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
11	VI.	0 1 0	5 0 0
Balclutha Town.			
5	XX.	1 2 0	40 0 0
1	XXI.	0 1 0	7 10 0
2	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
3	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
4	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
5	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
6	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
7	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
8	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
9	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
10	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
11	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
12	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
13	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
14	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
15	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
16	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
17	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
18	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
19	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
20	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
21	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
22	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
1	XXV.	0 1 0	7 10 0
2	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
3	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
4	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
5	"	0 1 18	10 17 6
6	"	0 1 18	10 17 6
7	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
8	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
9	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
12	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
13	"	0 1 0	7 10 0

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
<i>Kurow Township.</i>			
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
3	I.	0 1 0	7 10 0
4	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
5	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
6	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
7	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
8	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
2	II.	0 1 0	7 10 0
3	III.	0 1 0	7 10 0
4	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
5	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
6	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
7	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
8	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
9	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
10	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
11	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
12	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
13	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
14	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
15	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
16	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
2	IV.	0 1 0	7 10 0
3	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
4	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
5	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
6	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
11	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
12	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
13	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
14	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
15	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
16	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
17	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
18	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
3	V.	0 1 0	7 10 0
4	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
1	VII.	0 1 10	9 7 6
2	"	0 1 7	8 16 3
5	"	0 1 4	8 5 0
6	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
9	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
10	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
15	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
16	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
17	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
4	VIII.	0 1 0	7 10 0
5	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
6	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
7	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
8	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
9	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
10	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
15	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
16	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
17	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
18	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
19	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
1	X.	0 1 0	7 10 0
3	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
4	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
5	"	0 0 39	7 6 3
6	"	0 1 6	8 12 6
7	"	0 1 4	8 5 0
8	"	0 0 39	7 6 3
9	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
2	XI.	0 1 0	7 10 0
3	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
4	"	0 1 3	8 1 3
5	"	0 1 1	7 13 9
6	"	0 1 1	7 13 9
7	"	0 0 39	7 6 3
8	"	0 0 39	7 6 3
10	"	0 1 12	9 15 0
11	"	0 1 12	9 15 0

Livingstone Township.

14	I.	0 0 29	3 12 6
15	"	0 1 4	5 10 0

Naseby Town.

162	I.	0 0 1.5	5 0 0
179	"	0 0 3	3 0 0

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
<i>Pembroke Township.</i>			
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
3	XXV.	0 1 0	5 0 0
4	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
2	XXIX.	0 2 0	10 0 0
3	"	0 2 0	10 0 0
1	XXX.	0 1 0	5 0 0
<i>Queenstown.</i>			
6	XLVI.	0 1 4	5 10 0
7	"	0 1 4	5 10 0
8	"	0 1 8	6 0 0
9	"	0 1 1	5 2 6
SUBURBAN LANDS. (For Cash Purchase.)			
<i>Arrowtown Extension.</i>			
1	XXIX.	2 0 0	4 0 0
2	"	1 3 11	3 12 9
3	"	1 3 26	3 16 6
<i>Bastings Township.</i>			
11	III.	6 0 0	12 0 0
30	"	3 2 10	7 2 6
31	"	3 3 24	7 16 0
<i>Dunkeld Township.</i>			
2	VIII.	0 3 27	4 12 0
3	"	1 0 1	5 0 6
4	"	1 0 0	5 0 0
5	"	1 0 0	5 0 0
6	"	0 3 8	4 0 0
<i>Riverside Township.</i>			
14	II.	5 1 32	10 18 0
15	"	5 1 27	10 16 9
17	"	6 0 8	12 2 0
18	"	5 2 19	11 4 9
19	"	5 2 9	11 2 3
1	III.	4 3 19	14 12 3
2	"	4 3 12	14 9 6
6	"	5 3 25	11 16 3
7	"	5 2 13	11 3 3
9	"	6 1 19	12 14 9
10	"	6 3 38	13 19 6
11	"	8 0 6	16 1 6
RURAL LANDS. (For Cash Purchase.)			
<i>Glenomaru District.</i>			
52	VI.	0 2 18	5 0 0
62	"	0 1 7	7 0 0
64	"	0 1 32	10 0 0
68	"	0 2 5	10 0 0
75	"	0 1 8	7 0 0
77	"	0 1 23	7 0 0
79	"	0 2 8	6 0 0

Level land, of a sandy nature; situated at the junction of the Owaka and Catlin's Rivers, about a mile and a half from the post-office and school, Owaka, and two miles and a half from the proposed railway-station at the same township. These sections contain suitable sites for seaside residences.

Tuapeka East District.

77	XVIII.	0 2 21	3 0 0
78	"	0 1 7	2 0 0
80	"	0 1 22	2 10 0
85	"	0 1 20	2 10 0
86	"	0 1 8	3 0 0
88	"	1 0 23	5 0 0
89	"	0 0 13	1 0 0
91	"	0 1 26	1 0 0
92	"	0 2 1	2 0 0
93	"	0 2 11	2 0 0
94	"	0 2 3	2 0 0
95	"	1 0 10	4 0 0
96	"	0 2 10	2 0 0
97	"	0 1 15	3 10 0
123	XIX.	1 3 24	4 10 0
124	"	0 1 30	3 0 0
130	"	0 3 27	1 10 0
132	"	6 0 17	12 0 0

Steep, open land, known as Bluespur Township; situated on formed road, about three miles from Lawrence, where the railway terminates.

Subject to valuation for improvements: Section 162 (drillshed), £200; Section 179 (building), £150.

The land in Tuapeka East District will be offered subject to payment of valuations as follows:—Block XVIII.; Section 77, £25; Section 78, £35; Section 80, £60; Section 85, £65; Section 86, £50; Section 88, £75; Section 89, £10; Section 92, £1; Section 93, £40; Section 94, £3; Section 95, £50; Section 96, £2; Section 97, £75. Block XIX.: Section 123, £3; Section 124, £55; and Section 132, £8.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
56	XX.	0 3 21	7 10 0

Open level land of good quality; situated on main road, one mile from Lawrence Railway-station. This section is weighted with valuation for hut, blacksmith's shop, fencing, and other improvements, £57 4s.

PASTORAL LANDS.

(For Lease under Part VI. of "The Land Act, 1892.")

Run No.	Locality.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.	Term.
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	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	
483 Vincent County	24,100	0	0	5	0	0	21 years.

Adjoins Canterbury Province, and is traversed by two parallel mountain-ranges, one of which forms its eastern boundary. Between these runs the Dingleburn. The western boundary of the run is formed by Hunter River and the north-east portion of Lake Hawea. The country is of poor grazing quality, with fern on the lower and grass on the higher spurs. There are also grass flats near the mouths of the Dingleburn and Hunter Rivers. Distant from Gladstone by bridle-track about thirteen and a half miles.

1 Tuapeka De- pasturing Dis- trict	2,758	0	0	45	19	4	4 years.
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Subject to valuation for hut and fencing, £51 3s. 3d. Rough grazing-country, growing snow-tussock and grass. It is situated at the head of Tuapeka River, and is well watered. Part of Bellamy Station (Run 197E) is included in the above.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.	Term.
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Table Hill District.

	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	
37 VI.	172	3	37	7	10	0	14 years.

About six miles from Millburn Railway-station by formed road. Rough pastoral land, fronting Tokomairiro River.

GRAZING-RIGHT LEASE.

(Under Section 116 of Act.)

Maniototo District.

22 VI.	841	0	0	31	10	9	Year to year.
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Open level land, of fair grazing quality, watered; situated about eight miles south of Naseby, and traversed by the proposed Otago Central Railway. This section is known as the Township Reserve.

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

In the case of the town, suburban, and rural lands offered for cash, one-fifth of the purchase-money must be deposited on the fall of the hammer, and the remainder, together with Crown-grant fee (£1), within thirty days of date of sale. In the case of the lands offered for lease one half-year's rent must be paid on fall of hammer, together with license-fee (£1 1s.). The full amount of valuation must be lodged with purchase-money.

Immediate possession of the lands offered for lease will be given to purchasers.

Licenses of the pastoral runs will be sold generally in accordance with Part VI. of the Land Act.

Valuation for improvements will not be allowed on Section 22, Block VI., Maniototo District.

For further particulars apply at the District Lands and Survey Office, Dunedin.

J. P. MAITLAND,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Leases of Pastoral Runs, Kaingaroa Plains, Auckland Land District, for Sale at Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 4th November, 1893.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned pastoral runs will be submitted to public auction, at the District Lands and Survey Office, Auckland, on Wednesday, the 27th day of December next, at 11 a.m.

SCHEDULE.

KAINGAROA PLAINS, TAUPO.

Run No.	Locality.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.
		Acres.	£ s. d.
54	East Taupo, Rotorua, and Whakatane Counties.	20,100	40 4 0
55		19,460	39 0 0
56		17,413	34 16 0
57		34,688	52 1 0
58		29,312	43 19 0
59		56,556	56 10 0
60		54,744	54 15 0

Open land, covered with rough tussock. Term of lease, twenty-one years.

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

GERHARD MUELLER,
Commissioner, Crown Lands.

Suburban and Rural Lands in the Auckland Land District for Sale at Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 4th November, 1893.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned suburban and rural lands will be offered for sale by public auction, at this office, on Wednesday, the 27th day of December proximo, at 11 a.m.

SCHEDULE.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
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VILLAGE OF TAMATARAU.

(Classified as Suburban.)

	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
40, 56	0	3	1	3	2	0
33, 34, 35	2	0	6	8	5	0

BAY OF ISLANDS COUNTY.

Russell Survey District (Block V.).

19A	3	2	32	3	15	0
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Open land at Tapu Point. Subject to £80 for houses, fencing, and grassing.

HOKIANGA COUNTY.

Hokianga Survey District (Block II.).

(Museum Endowment.)

1	249	1	0	155	12	6
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Near Hokianga Heads. Comprises about 100 acres mixed forest land, containing 72 good kauri-trees and 140 inferior and decayed trees; and the balance open land. The section is a subdivision of Ngatuaka Block.

WHANGAREI COUNTY.

Parish of Owhiwa.

77A	2	1	24	2	10	0
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Open land on the main road near Parua Bay.

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

Plans may be seen on application at the office.

GERHARD MUELLER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Sale of Town, Suburban, and Rural Leaseholdings, Township of Rotorua, Hot Lakes District, Auckland Land District.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 4th November, 1893.

IT is hereby notified that the town, suburban, and rural lands described in the Schedule hereunder will be offered for lease by public auction for the term of ninety-nine years, at Rotorua, on Thursday, the 28th December, 1893, at 11 a.m.

SCHEDULE.

Section.	Area.	Upset Rent per Annum.	Section.	Area.	Upset Rent per Annum.
TOWN OF ROTORUA.					
Block IX.			Block XXXVI.		
1	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	1	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
2	0 1 0	4 0 0	2	0 1 0	4 0 0
3	0 1 0	3 0 0	3	0 1 0	4 0 0
4	0 1 0	4 0 0	4	0 1 0	4 0 0
5	0 1 0	4 0 0	5	0 1 0	4 0 0
6	0 1 0	3 0 0	6	0 1 0	4 0 0
7	0 1 0	3 0 0	7	0 1 0	4 0 0
8	0 1 0	4 0 0	8	0 1 0	4 0 0
Block X.			Block XXXVII.		
2	0 1 0	3 0 0	10	0 1 0	4 0 0
3	0 1 0	3 0 0	11	0 0 32	5 0 0
5	0 1 0	3 0 0	12	0 0 32	5 0 0
8	0 1 0	3 0 0	13	0 0 32	5 0 0
9	0 1 0	3 0 0	14	0 0 32	5 0 0
10	0 1 0	3 0 0	Block XXXVIII.		
11	0 0 32	4 0 0	1	0 0 32	5 0 0
12	0 0 32	3 0 0	2	0 0 32	5 0 0
13	0 0 32	3 0 0	3	0 0 32	5 0 0
14	0 0 32	4 0 0	4	0 0 32	5 0 0
Block XI.			Block XXXIX.		
1	0 0 32	4 0 0	5	0 1 0	5 0 0
2	0 0 32	3 0 0	6	0 1 0	5 0 0
3	0 0 32	3 0 0	7	0 1 0	5 0 0
5	0 1 0	3 0 0	8	0 1 0	5 0 0
8	0 1 0	3 0 0	9	0 1 0	5 0 0
9	0 1 0	3 0 0	10	0 1 0	5 0 0
10	0 1 0	4 0 0	Block XL.		
Block XV.			1	0 1 0	4 0 0
1	0 1 0	4 0 0	2	0 1 0	3 0 0
2	0 1 0	3 0 0	3	0 1 0	3 0 0
3	0 1 0	3 0 0	4	0 1 0	3 0 0
4	0 1 0	4 0 0	5	0 1 0	3 0 0
5	0 1 0	4 0 0	6	0 1 0	3 0 0
6	0 1 0	3 0 0	7	0 1 0	3 0 0
7	0 1 0	3 0 0	8	0 1 0	4 0 0
8	0 1 0	4 0 0	9	0 1 0	4 0 0
Block XVI.			10	0 1 0	3 0 0
3	0 1 0	3 0 0	11	0 1 0	3 0 0
4	0 1 0	3 0 0	12	0 1 0	3 0 0
7	0 1 0	3 0 0	13	0 1 0	3 0 0
8	0 1 0	4 0 0	14	0 1 0	3 0 0
Block XVII.			15	0 1 0	3 0 0
3	0 1 0	3 0 0	16	0 1 0	4 0 0
4	0 1 0	3 0 0	Block XLI.		
7	0 1 0	3 0 0	1	0 1 0	4 0 0
8	0 1 0	4 0 0	2	0 1 0	4 0 0
Block XXII.			3	0 1 0	4 0 0
13	0 1 0	3 0 0	4	0 1 0	4 0 0
14	0 1 0	3 0 0	5	0 1 0	4 0 0
15	0 1 0	3 0 0	6	0 1 0	4 0 0
16	0 1 0	4 0 0	7	0 1 0	4 0 0
Block XXX.			8	0 1 0	4 0 0
1	0 1 0	4 0 0	9	0 1 0	4 0 0
2	0 1 0	4 0 0	10	0 1 0	4 0 0
3	0 1 0	4 0 0	12	0 0 32	5 0 0
4	0 1 0	4 0 0	13	0 0 32	5 0 0
5	0 1 0	4 0 0	14	0 0 32	5 0 0
6	0 1 0	4 0 0	Block XLII.		
7	0 1 0	4 0 0	1	0 0 32	5 0 0
8	0 1 0	4 0 0	2	0 0 32	5 0 0
9	0 1 0	4 0 0	3	0 0 32	5 0 0
10	0 1 0	4 0 0	4	0 0 32	5 0 0
11	0 0 32	5 0 0	5	0 1 0	5 0 0
12	0 0 32	5 0 0	6	0 1 0	5 0 0
13	0 0 32	5 0 0	7	0 1 0	5 0 0
14	0 0 32	5 0 0	8	0 1 0	5 0 0
Block XXXI.			9	0 1 0	5 0 0
1	0 0 32	5 0 0	10	0 1 0	5 0 0
2	0 0 32	5 0 0	Block XLIII.		
3	0 0 32	5 0 0	1	0 1 0	5 0 0
4	0 0 32	5 0 0	2	0 1 0	5 0 0
5	0 1 0	5 0 0	3	0 1 0	5 0 0
6	0 1 0	5 0 0	8	0 1 0	5 0 0
7	0 1 0	5 0 0	9	0 1 0	5 0 0
8	0 1 0	5 0 0	10	0 1 0	5 0 0
9	0 1 0	5 0 0	11	0 1 0	5 0 0
10	0 1 0	5 0 0	TOWN OF ROTORUA EXTENSION.		
Whakarewarewa Sections.					
Block L.			Block LI.—continued.		
1	0 1 25	5 0 0	15	0 1 7	4 0 0
4	0 1 0	5 0 0	16	0 1 9	4 0 0
6	0 1 15	4 0 0	Block LII.		
7	0 1 15	4 0 0	9	0 1 0	4 0 0
Block LI.			10	0 1 0	5 0 0
13	0 1 18	5 0 0	15	0 1 0	4 0 0
14	0 1 22	4 0 0	16	0 1 0	5 0 0

Section.	Area.	Upset Rent per Annum.	Section.	Area.	Upset Rent per Annum.
Tarewa Sections.					
Block LIII.			Block LV.		
1	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	1	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
2	0 1 0	4 0 0	2	0 1 0	3 0 0
3	0 1 0	4 0 0	Block LVI.		
4	0 1 0	3 0 0	1	0 1 0	3 0 0
5	0 1 0	3 0 0	2	0 0 32	3 0 0
SUBURBAN SECTIONS, TOWN OF ROTORUA.			3	0 1 29	3 0 0
1	2 3 6	2 0 0	27B	10 0 0	4 0 0
2	5 0 0	2 0 0	28	20 0 0	6 0 0
3	5 0 0	2 0 0	28A	10 0 0	4 0 0
4	5 0 0	2 0 0	28B	10 0 0	4 0 0
5	5 0 0	2 0 0	40	10 0 0	4 0 0
7	5 0 0	3 0 0	41	9 2 0	4 0 0
8	5 1 0	3 0 0	42	10 2 0	4 0 0
9	5 1 0	3 0 0	66	10 0 0	3 0 0
10	5 1 0	2 0 0	67	10 0 0	3 0 0
11	5 1 0	3 0 0	68	10 0 0	4 0 0
12	11 2 11	4 0 0	69	11 1 14	4 0 0
13	10 0 0	3 0 0	70	11 1 13	4 0 0
14	10 0 0	3 0 0	71	11 1 15	4 0 0
15	10 0 0	3 0 0	72	9 0 9	3 0 0
16	10 0 0	4 0 0	73	10 0 0	3 0 0
17	8 3 0	4 0 0	74	10 0 0	4 0 0
18	8 3 0	3 0 0	75	10 0 0	5 0 0
19	8 3 0	4 0 0	76	10 0 0	4 0 0
20	8 3 0	5 0 0	77	10 0 0	3 0 0
21	5 1 38	5 0 0	78	10 0 0	4 0 0
27	20 0 0	7 0 0	79	10 0 0	5 0 0
27A	10 0 0	5 0 0	RURAL SECTIONS, SUBURBS OF ROTORUA.		
31 40 0 0 10 0 0 53 16 2 1 3 0 0					
34 39 1 27 7 0 0 54 16 0 0 3 0 0					
35 40 1 18 6 0 0 55 14 2 0 2 0 0					
36 40 1 13 6 0 0 56 9 3 17 2 0 0					
37 40 0 17 8 0 0 57 12 1 5 3 0 0					
44 40 0 0 6 0 0 58 12 2 12 2 0 0					
45 23 0 0 5 0 0 59 16 0 14 3 0 0					
46 39 3 0 7 0 0 60 19 2 15 4 0 0					
47 46 2 0 7 0 0 61 52 2 0 6 0 0					
48 33 2 11 6 0 0 62 53 1 0 7 0 0					
49 36 0 0 6 0 0 63 59 2 0 6 0 0					
50 53 0 0 7 0 0 64 14 3 8 3 0 0					
51 35 2 0 5 0 0 65 18 0 2 3 0 0					
52 34 0 0 6 0 0					
NGONGOTAHA SUBURBAN SECTIONS.					
1	1 0 0	2 0 0	7	1 0 0	2 0 0
2	1 0 0	2 0 0	8	1 0 0	2 0 0
3	1 0 0	2 0 0	9	1 0 0	2 0 0
4	1 0 0	2 0 0	10	1 0 0	2 0 0

TOWN OF ROTORUA AND ROTORUA EXTENSION, ALSO TAREWA EXTENSION.

Improved Lands submitted again for Lease with reduced Rentals, and Value for Improvements added.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.	Value of Improvements.	Improvements consisting of
2,3,5	L.	A. R. P.	£	£ s. d.	Buildings, fencing, and water-service.
1	X.	0 3 38	15	4,180 0 0	Building & fencing.
4	X.	0 1 0	4	248 0 0	Building & fencing.
6,7	X.	0 1 0	3	184 11 0	Building & fencing.
4	XI.	0 2 0	8	208 17 0	Building & fencing.
1,2	XI.	0 0 32	4	33 12 0	Building.
6	XVI.	0 2 0	8	716 10 0	Buildings & fencing.
5	XVI.	0 1 0	5	649 0 0	Buildings & fencing.
5	XVI.	0 1 0	3	404 7 6	Buildings, fencing, and water.
13,14	XVI.	0 1 24	10	839 16 6	Buildings, fencing, and water.
2,4	XXI.	1 1 0	12	745 10 0	Buildings, fencing, and water.
2	XXVIII	0 2 20	6	301 7 0	Buildings & fencing.
1,2,3	LIV.	0 3 0	12	265 2 0	Buildings & fencing.
11	XL.	0 0 32	6	323 8 0	Buildings & fencing.
4,5,12	XLII.	0 3 0	18	3,776 6 0	Buildings, fencing, and water.

TOWN OF ROTORUA—continued.
Improved Lands—continued.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.	Value of Improvements.	Improvements consisting of
<i>Suburban and Rural Sections.</i>					
		A. R. P.	£	£ s. d.	
6	..	5 0 0	3	63 0 0	Fencing.
38	..	10 0 0	5	143 0 0	Buildings & fencing.
43	..	40 0 0	7	973 10 0	Buildings & fencing.
33	..	40 0 0	7	168 0 0	Buildings & fencing.
30	..	40 0 0	10	240 18 0	Buildings & fencing.
39	..	10 0 0	4	40 0 0	Fencing & grassing (Town Board).

Improved Lands held in Unauthorised Occupation, and now submitted to Auction, with Value of Improvements added.

6, 7	X.	0 2 0	8	208 17 0	Buildings & fencing.
2	XXVIII	0 2 20	6	301 7 0	Buildings & fencing.
1, 2, 3	LIV.	0 3 0	12	265 2 0	Buildings, fencing, &c.

GERHARD MUELLER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Town of Kihikihiki for Lease on Application.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 18th September, 1893.

IN accordance with a resolution of the Land Board it is hereby notified that the under-mentioned lots in the Township of Kihikihiki, having previously been offered for sale by public auction, shall, on and after the 29th day of November next, be open for application for lease for a term of ten years at the annual rentals set forth below.

SCHEDULE.
TOWN OF KIHIKIHI.

Section.	Area.	Annual Rental.	Section.	Area.	Annual Rental.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
25	1 0 0	1 0 0	251	1 0 0	1 0 0
83A	0 2 0	0 10 0	252	1 0 0	1 0 0
92	1 0 0	1 0 0	253	1 0 0	1 0 0
104	1 0 0	1 0 0	254	1 0 0	1 0 0
121	1 0 0	1 0 0	255	1 0 27	1 3 0
137	1 2 30	1 17 6	261	1 0 0	1 0 0
147	1 0 0	1 0 0	262	1 0 0	1 0 0
152	0 3 39	1 0 0	263	0 3 31	1 0 0
159	0 0 34	0 4 3	264	1 0 0	1 0 0
163	0 3 0	0 15 0	265	1 0 0	1 0 0
217	1 1 23	1 7 6	266	0 1 29	0 8 9
218	1 0 0	1 0 0	273	1 0 0	1 0 0
242	1 0 0	1 0 0	313	1 0 0	1 0 0
243	1 0 0	1 0 0	314	1 0 0	1 0 0
244	1 0 0	1 0 0	315	1 0 0	1 0 0
245	1 1 0	1 5 0	317	1 0 0	1 0 0
246	1 0 0	1 0 0	318	1 0 0	1 0 0
247	0 2 30	0 17 6	319	1 0 0	1 0 0
248	1 0 0	1 0 0	333	0 3 29	0 18 9
249	1 0 0	1 0 0	350	1 0 0	1 0 0
250	1 0 0	1 0 0	352	1 0 0	1 0 0

CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

Term of lease: Ten years, without right of renewal.
Rent payable half-yearly in advance.

No compensation for improvements will be paid during either the currency or at the termination of the leases; but lessees will have the right to remove all fencing and buildings prior to expiration of leases.

GERHARD MUELLER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Sale by Auction of Lease of University Reserve No. 28, Greymouth.

Crown Lands Office,
Hokitika, 4th November, 1893.

NOTICE is hereby given that the leaseholds of subdivisions of University Reserve No. 28, Town of Greymouth, set out hereunder, will be offered by public auction at the Land Office, Hokitika, on Thursday, the 28th

December next, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the upset prices noted, for the term of fourteen years; improvements of value of £200 attaching to Subdivision 28A (in favour of the Greymouth Hospital).

Sub-division.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.	Term.
A	A. R. P. 2 2 0	£ s. d. 2 10 0	Fourteen years from 1st January, 1894.
B	2 2 0	2 10 0	

Plans may be seen at the Land Office, Hokitika, and the Resident Magistrate's Court, Greymouth; other full particulars as to conditions of lease, &c., may be ascertained at the Land Office, Hokitika.

Payments to be made on the fall of the hammer, and consist of one year's rental in advance, lease-fee £1 ls., and the valuation for improvements, if any.

DAVID BARRON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Pastoral Runs, Hawke's Bay, open for License on Application.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Napier, 31st October, 1893.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned pastoral runs will be open for license for the term of twenty-one years, on application, on and after Friday, the 1st December, 1893, at the annual rental noted below. In case of more than one application for the same run on the same day, priority of selection will be decided by ballot on the following day, at 11 a.m.

SCHEDULE.

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

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

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

CONDITIONS.

1. Possession of the runs will be given to the purchasers of the licenses on the day of the Land Board approving their application.

2. No person or company may become the holder of more than one run under Part VI. of "The Land Act, 1892": Provided that the holder of any run under the said Act of a carrying-capacity of less than ten thousand sheep or two thousand head of cattle may become the lessee of an aggregate area sufficient to carry such a number of sheep or cattle. The holder of any small grazing-run under Part V. of "The Land Act, 1892," shall not be the holder of any run under Part VI. of the said Act.

3. The license shall be dated on the 1st March, 1894, and shall include in addition the whole period between the date of possession and the said 1st March, 1894.

4. The license shall be subject to the following conditions, amongst others:—

That if the licensee or any person claiming an interest through or under him shall make or cause to be made any agreement or contract, or shall give or cause to be given or taken any negotiable security, for the purpose of defeating or evading the provisions of, or shall in any way whatsoever directly or indirectly commit or be privy to a fraud upon, "The Land Act, 1892," the license shall be liable to be forfeited and revoked;

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

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

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

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

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

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

DECLARATION.

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

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

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

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

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

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

(Signature.)

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

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

T. HUMPHRIES,
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.

Locality and Description of Land.

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.

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.

Locality and Description of Land.

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.

Section.	Area.	Price.
TOWN OF ALEXANDRA EAST. (Classified as Suburban.)		
88	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
98	0 2 6	1 2 6
121	0 2 0	1 0 0
125A, 126, 126A	1 0 0	2 0 0
132, 132A, 133	1 1 5	2 11 6
137, 137A, 138, 138A, 139, 140	1 3 19	3 15 0
142, 142A	3 0 35	6 10 0
145, 145A, 147	0 3 32	2 0 0
153, 154	1 2 15	3 5 0
156	1 2 10	3 2 6
217, 218, 218A, 219, 219A, 220, 220A, 221, 221A, 222	0 1 36	1 0 0
227, 228, 231	5 2 0	11 0 0
237	3 1 14	6 15 0
275, 275A, 276, 277, 277A, 278, 278A	1 0 10	2 2 6
284, 284A	3 2 0	7 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

Section.	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.
TOWN OF CAMBRIDGE WEST. (Classified as suburban.)		
	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.
TOWN OF RUSSELL.		
	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
TOWN OF NGARUAWAHIA.		
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
PARISH OF RUAPEKAPEKA.		
98	17 1 0	34 10 0
Open land, adjoining Taumarere Railway-station.		
PARISH OF WAIWERA.		
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.		

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	£ 171 5 s.

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.

Native Land Court Notices.

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

Native Land Court Office,
Auckland, 7th November, 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 Whangaroa, on the 15th day of December, 1893, for investigating the transaction relative to the land mentioned in the Schedule hereunder, at which time and place all persons having any objection to the said transaction are hereby notified to attend.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,
Deputy-Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

PART OF LOT 16 OF TWO BLOCKS, COUNTY OF MANGONUI. 93-130. CONVEYANCE dated the 10th day of July, 1888, made by Henry Flavell, of Kaeo, to Thomas Simpson Hayes, of Kaeo.

"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, 8th November, 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 Native Land Court House, Shortland, Thames, on the 9th day of December, 1893, for investigating the transactions relative to the land mentioned in the Schedule hereunder, at which time and place all persons having any objections to the said transactions are hereby notified to attend.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,
Deputy-Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

PUKEWHAU BLOCK.

93-131. TRANSFER dated the 4th day of October, 1893, made by Wikitoria te Ngahue, Tamati Paetai, Te Amo Paetai, and Rangihoro Paetai, of Thames, to John Lynch, of Coromandel, hotelkeeper.

MURA-O-TE-AHI No. 2 BLOCK.

93-132. Transfer dated the 9th day of September, 1893, made by Mere Pereniki, Rihitoto Mataia, and W. G. Nicholls, of Ohinemuri, to William Grey Nicholls, of Ohinemuri, half-caste, Native interpreter.

KOTUKUWHAKAHO No. 1 BLOCK.

93-133. Transfer dated 25th day of July, 1893, made by Takerei te Putu, of Ohinemuri, to Patrick Sheehy, of Ohinemuri, farmer.

NGAHINAPOURI B BLOCK.

93-134. Transfer dated the 30th day of September, 1893, made by Karauria Paaka and others, of Ohinemuri, to William Grey Nicholls, of Ohinemuri, half-caste, Native interpreter.

KAIATENGANGA No. 2 BLOCK.

93-135. Transfer dated 27th day of October, 1893, made by Ema Ripihi, of Te Aroha, to Peter Maxwell, jun., of Thames, carter.

ARERO No. 2A BLOCK.

93-136. Transfer dated the 25th day of September, 1893, made by Kapihana te Tuhi, of Thames, to Te Arani Watana, of Thames.

KOPAENOA No. 3 BLOCK.

93-137. Lease dated the 5th day of October, 1893, made by Wiremu Tukumana te Taniwha, of Thames, to Alfred William Roe, of Thames, clerk.

NGAMOKO BLOCK.

93-138. Lease dated the 22nd day of July, 1893, made by Mere Kuru and others, of Ohinemuri, to Patrick Sheehy, of Ohinemuri, farmer.

ALLOTMENTS 11 AND 12, BLOCK 14, KAUAERANGA.

93-126. Transfer dated the 12th day of October, 1893, made by Peke Whati and Poata Makuini, both of Paeroa, to Charles Edward Purchas, of Thames, solicitor.

ALLOTMENTS 66B, 67, 68, AND 69, BLOCK 14, KAUAERANGA.

93-125. Transfer dated the 17th day of October, 1893, made by Peke Whati and Poata Makuini, both of Paeroa, to Patrick O'Reilly, of Thames, Roman Catholic clergyman.

Application for Probate.

Native Land Court Office,

Wellington, 13th November, 1893,

In the matter of the will of PITA HIMIONA TE ATAOTU, of Kaiapoi, deceased.

APPLICATION having been made by Hera Kuru te Ataotu that probate be granted of the aforesaid will: It is hereby notified that all persons opposing such application must lodge a caveat, in manner prescribed, within two calendar months after the date of the Gazette containing this notice.

H. F. EDGER,
Registrar.

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

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 8th November, 1893.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Wellington, on the 14th day of February, 1894, 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. F. EDGER, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1	Thomas Bayley (88-189)	Matarae No. 1.
2	Walter H. Dumnage, for Hirawanu Tapu (89-1244)	Awapatiki No. 2.
3	Hirawanu Tapu Maitarawhai (89-1601)	Awapatiki No. 2.
4	Heni te Rau, acting for Ngarere Pamariki and another (92-1681)	Wharekauri No. 1B.
5	Raumoa Pamariki (91-1881)	Wharekauri No. 1B.
6	Thomas Ritchie (87-2102)	Part of Wharekauri No. 1c.
7	Roera Meihana (93-832)	Otonga No. 1.
8	Takune Hekemapu (93-831)	Otonga No. 1.
9	Paina te Poki (93-2622)	Otonga No. 1.

"The Native Land Court Act, 1886," and its Amendments.—Notice of Sitting of Court to inquire into Applications for Rehearing.

Native Land Court Office, Wellington, 14th November, 1893.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Chief Judge of the Native Land Court will, with an Assessor, attend at Hastings, on the 11th day of December, 1893, to hear and determine the applications for rehearing set forth in the Schedule hereto. All persons interested in the said cases are hereby required to attend at the time and place aforesaid.

H. F. EDGER, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.
APPLICATIONS FOR REHEARING.

No.	Applicant.	Name of Block.	Decision appealed against.
1	A. C. Lewis, acting for Airini Tonore and others (92-2154)	Omahu No. 4	Order defining relative interests, dated 5th May, 1892.
2	A. C. Lewis, acting for Airini Tonore and others (92-2155)	Omahu No. 3	Order defining relative interests, dated 5th May, 1892.
3	Atareta Taupe (92-2308)	Estate of Renata te Ao	Probate of will, dated 18th March, 1893.
4	Wi Mahuri te Mataitaua (93-324)	Otawhao A	Partition order.
5	Rora te Peehi (92-3597)	Otawhao and Oringi	Succession order to interest of Rititia Hineipaia, dated 16th September, 1892.
6	Hori Niania (93-729)	Otawhao A	Succession order to interest of Hene-rieta te Hei, dated 13th December, 1892, made on partition.
7	Renata Tuihu (93-1219)	Karamu Reserve	Succession order to interest of Reihana Wahapaukena.
8	Winiata te Wharo and others (93-2328)	Owhaoko D	Partition order, dated 14th July, 1893.
9	Para Marewa and others (93-2701)	Tarawera	Succession order to interest of Hemi Taka.
10	Hana Hinemanu (93-2950)	Owhaoko C and Awarua No. 1.	Succession order to interest of Wi Wheko, dated 14th July, 1893.
11	Retimana te Rango and others (91-27)	Mangaohane	Partition order, dated 26th June, 1890.
12	J. M. Fraser, acting for Iraia Karauria (90-819)	Mangaohane	Partition order, dated 26th June, 1890.
13	Hoani Hata and others (93-3081)	Aropaonui and Tarawera	Succession order to interest of Te Taka Hemi.
14	Ani Kingi (93-3630)	Awarua	Succession order to interest of Te Awaawa.
15	Keita Ruta (93-3528)	Omahu No. 2	Succession order to interest of Wi Wheko.
16	Otimi Taiki and others (92-2290)	Otawhao and Whenuahou	Succession order to interest of Tahana Tahito.

Bankruptcy Notices.

In Bankruptcy.—In the District Court, holden at Wanganui.

NOTICE is hereby given that THOMAS ARTHUR DEWSON, of Wanganui, Wood-carver, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office on the 21st day of November, 1893, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

JOHN NOTMAN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Wanganui, 13th November, 1893.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that CHARLES TILLEARD NATUSCH, of Masterton, Architect, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, Masterton, on Friday, the 17th day of November, 1893, at 3 o'clock p.m.

W. B. CHENNELLS,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Masterton, 10th November, 1893.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN BLANCHARD WOODHEAD, of Temuka, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, Arcade Chambers, on the 17th day of November, 1893, at 3 o'clock p.m.

ALEX. MONTGOMERY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Timaru, 6th November, 1893.

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

No. 40.

NOTICE is hereby given that HUGH CHRISTIE, of Balclutha, Butcher, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the office of Mr. D. Stewart, Solicitor, Balclutha, on the 10th day of November, 1893, at 11.30 o'clock.

C. C. GRAHAM,
Dunedin, 6th November, 1893. Official Assignee.

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

No. 41.

NOTICE is hereby given that CHARLES GAMBLE, of Riccarton, East Taieri, Blacksmith, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 16th day of November, 1893, at 3 o'clock.

C. C. GRAHAM,
Dunedin, 10th November, 1893. Official Assignee.

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

No. 42.

NOTICE is hereby given that HENRY CAMELL CHITTOCK, of Waikoikoi, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the office of Mr. Neave, Solicitor, Gore, on the 21st day of November, 1893, at 2 o'clock.

C. C. GRAHAM,
Dunedin, 10th November, 1893. Official Assignee.

Vital Statistics, October, 1893.

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

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

BOROUGH.	Population of Principal Boroughs, with their Suburbs, Census, April, 1891.	ESTIMATED POPULATION OF BOROUGH. 1ST JANUARY, 1893.	TOTAL BIRTHS IN BOROUGH.	DEATHS IN BOROUGH REGISTERED IN OCTOBER, 1893.							Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population in the Year 1892.	
				Males.			Females.			Total Deaths.		Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, October, 1893.
				Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.			
Auckland	51,287	31,268	81	7	1	3	4	..	6	26	0.83	12.52
Wellington	34,190	33,786	81	5	1	17	1	1	8	33	0.98	12.37
Christchurch	47,846	16,704	22	3	..	5	..	..	10	18	1.08	11.89
Dunedin	45,869	23,302	43	..	..	9	2	1	4	16	0.72	11.59
Thames .. ..	..	5,196	9	..	..	2	..	..	3	5	0.96	12.52
New Plymouth .. ..	..	3,312	13	..	1	3	..	..	..	4	1.21	12.95
Napier .. ..	..	8,806	23	2	1	3	2	..	5	13	1.48	15.80
Wanganui .. ..	..	5,081	12	1	..	1	..	..	2	4	0.79	12.25
Palmerston North .. ..	..	5,793	16	1	..	1	2	..	..	4	0.69	12.48
Blenheim .. ..	..	3,262	13	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	0.30	11.92
Nelson .. ..	..	6,677	10	..	..	1	..	1	2	4	0.60	16.36
Greymouth .. ..	..	3,741	3	..	..	1	..	..	1	2	0.53	7.99
Hokitika .. ..	..	2,169	5	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	0.92	8.75
Lyttelton .. ..	..	3,966	5	..	..	2	..	1	2	5	1.24	9.25
Sydenham .. ..	..	10,310	18	..	..	4	2	..	1	7	0.68	12.73
Timaru .. ..	..	3,374	11	1	1	1	1	..	1	5	1.48	12.43
Oamaru .. ..	..	5,500	6	1	..	3	2	..	..	6	1.09	9.76
Caversham .. ..	..	4,887	10	1	..	2	..	..	2	5	1.02	14.49
Invercargill	8,551	5,320	10	..	..	2	1	..	3	6	1.13	10.74
Totals .. ..	..	..	391	22	5	68	17	4	50	166	..	..

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

The total births in the above boroughs amounted to 391, against 411 in September, a decrease of 20. The deaths in October were 166, a decrease of 56 on the number in September. Of the total deaths, males contributed 95; females, 71. Forty-eight of the deaths were of children under 5 years of age, being 28.92 per cent. of the whole number; 39 of these were under 1 year of age.

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

CLASSES.	CAUSES OF DEATH.	AUCKLAND.		WELLINGTON.		CHRISTCHURCH.		DUNEDIN.		TOTAL.	PROPORTIONS PER CENT.
		Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.		
I.	Specific Febrile or Zymotic Diseases	2	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	6	6.45
II.	Parasitic Diseases	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
III.	Dietetic Diseases	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
IV.	Constitutional Diseases	1	4	2	8	..	3	..	5	23	24.73
V.	Developmental Diseases	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	3.23
VI.	Local Diseases	3	6	5	14	3	10	2	7	50	53.76
VII.	Violence	..	3	..	2	..	..	..	1	6	6.45
VIII.	Ill-defined and Not-specified Causes	4	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	5	5.38
	Totals	12	14	8	25	3	15	3	13	93	100.00

CLASS I.—SPECIFIC FEBRILE OR ZYMOTIC DISEASES.	AUCKLAND.		WELLINGTON.		CHRISTCHURCH.		DUNEDIN.		TOTAL.
	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	
ORDER 1:—									
Miasmatic,—									
Measles	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Influenza	1	..	..	1
Whooping-cough	1	..	..	..	1	..	2
ORDER 2:—									
Diarrhoeal,—									
Diarrhoea	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
ORDER 5:—									
Venereal,—									
Syphilis..	1	..	..	..	..	1

	AUCKLAND.		WELLINGTON.		CHRISTCHURCH.		DUNEDIN.		TOTAL.
	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	
CLASS IV.—CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES.									
Rickets	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Cancer	1	..	3	..	1	..	2	7
Tabes Mesenterica	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Tubercular Meningitis	1	1	..	..	..	..	2
Phthisis Pulmonalis	3	..	4	..	1	..	3	11
Tubercular Ulceration (part not stated)	1	..	..	1
CLASS V.—DEVELOPMENTAL DISEASES.									
Premature Birth	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Imperforate Rectum	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Old Age	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
CLASS VI.—LOCAL DISEASES.									
ORDER 1:—									
<i>Diseases of Nervous System,—</i>									
Meningitis	1	..	2	..	2	5
Apoplexy	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
Senile Degeneration of Brain	1	..	..	..	..	1
Hemiplegia	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Paralysis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Insanity	2	..	..	..	..	2
Convulsions	2	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	4
Spinal Disease	1	..	..	..	..	1
Cerebral Disease (undescribed)	1	..	..	..	..	1
ORDER 3:—									
<i>Diseases of Circulatory System,—</i>									
Heart-disease	1	..	3	..	1	5
Fatty Heart	1	1
Syncope	1	..	..	..	1	2
ORDER 4:—									
<i>Diseases of Respiratory System,—</i>									
Croup	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Bronchitis	2	1	1	1	1	1	..	7
Pneumonia	1	1	1	1	..	4
Pleurisy	1	..	..	1
Congestion of Lungs	1	1
Hæmorrhage from Lungs	1	..	..	1
ORDER 5:—									
<i>Diseases of Digestive System,—</i>									
Ulcerative Stomatitis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Teething	2	..	..	..	..	..	2
Rupture	1	..	..	..	..	1
Peritonitis	1	..	..	1
Cirrhosis of Liver	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
ORDER 6:—									
<i>Diseases of Lymphatic System,—</i>									
Hodgkins's Disease	1	..	..	..	..	1
ORDER 7:—									
<i>Diseases of Urinary System,—</i>									
Bright's Disease	1	1
Cystitis	1	..	..	..	..	1
CLASS VII.—VIOLENCE.									
ORDER 1:—									
<i>Accident or Negligence,—</i>									
Fracture of skull	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Entangled in machinery	1	1
Accidentally burned	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
Overdose of morphia	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
ORDER 3:—									
<i>Suicide,—</i>									
By hanging	1	..	..	..	..	1
CLASS VIII.—ILL-DEFINED AND NOT-SPECIFIED CAUSES.									
Marasmus, Debility, Inanition	4	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	4
Tumour	1
Totals	12	14	8	25	3	15	3	13	93

The following remarks apply to the four principal boroughs only: The births in October were 227, against 216 in September—an increase of 11. The deaths amounted to 93, against 116 in September—a decrease of 23. There were 10 deaths of persons of 65 years and upwards: 3 men of 78 (2) and 83, and 2 women of 81 and 82, died at Auckland; 1 man of 85, at Wellington; 2 women of 72 and 86, at Christchurch; 1 man of 71 and 1 woman of 67, at Dunedin.

Of the four chief towns Christchurch had the highest death-rate per 1,000 persons living in October. At all of these towns the rates were lower than those for the previous month. Comparing with October, 1892, the rate this year for the corresponding month is higher at Auckland and Christchurch, but lower at Wellington and Dunedin:—

	Death-rate, Sept., 1893.	Death-rate, Oct., 1893.	Death-rate, Oct., 1892.
Auckland	0.90	0.83	0.59
Wellington	1.42	0.98	1.06
Christchurch	1.26	1.08	0.62
Dunedin	0.82	0.72	0.89

Specific Febrile or Zymotic Diseases.—A very low rate of mortality is observed, the total number of deaths being only 6 at the chief towns (or at the rate of 6.45 per cent of the deaths from all causes), against 17 in September, and 33 in August. The fall is chiefly in consequence of the epidemic of measles passing off. From this disease there were 26 deaths in August, 11 in September, and only 1 (at Auckland) in October. There was 1 death from whooping-cough at Wellington, and 1 at Dunedin, during last month. Influenza was fatal in 1 case at Christchurch.

Constitutional Diseases.—There were 15 deaths from tubercular diseases, comprising 11 from phthisis, 2 from tubercular meningitis, 1 from tabes mesenterica, and 1 from tubercular ulceration of a part not defined. The deaths from cancer numbered 7, which with one from rickets make the total number of 23, being the same as in the previous month.

Local Diseases.—The total number of deaths at the four centres was 50 in October, against 55 in September. Of the 50 deaths last month, 15 were from diseases of the respiratory system, 18 from diseases of the nervous system, 8 from diseases of the heart, and 6 from diseases of the digestive system.

Violent Deaths.—The total number was 6, 5 of which were accidental, and 1 a suicide. A child of 8 years died from fracture of the skull; a girl of 11 years was burned to death by her clothes catching fire; and another of 7 years died from burns. A herbalist was found dead, presumably from an overdose of morphia, and a miller was killed by becoming entangled in his machinery. The suicide was that of a storeman who hanged himself.

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

TOWNS.	SIX PRINCIPAL SPECIFIC FEBRILE OR ZYMOTIC DISEASES.												PRINCIPAL LUNG-DISEASES.							
	Measles.		Scarlet Fever.		Typhoid and other Fever.		Diphtheria.		Whooping-cough.		Diarrhoeal Diseases.		Bronchitis.		Pleurisy.		Pneumonia.		Congestion of Lungs.	
	Oct.	Sept.	Oct.	Sept.	Oct.	Sept.	Oct.	Sept.	Oct.	Sept.	Oct.	Sept.	Oct.	Sept.	Oct.	Sept.	Oct.	Sept.	Oct.	Sept.
Auckland	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wellington .. .. .	..	8	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	2	2	..	..	1	1	..	1
Christchurch .. .. .	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	1	..	2	2	..	..
Dunedin .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	2	1	..
Totals	1	11	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	2	1	..	7	5	1	..	4	5	1	1

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 14th November, 1893.

E. J. VON DADELSZEN,
Registrar-General.

PROVISIONAL METEOROLOGICAL RETURN FOR OCTOBER, 1893.

	AUCKLAND.	WELLINGTON.	LINCOLN, CANTERBURY.	DUNEDIN.
Mean Temperature in shade for month ..	59.8	58.5	57.7	53.9
Average same month previous years ...	57.3	53.6	52.6	50.4
Maximum Temperature in shade, and date	71.0 on 10th	71.8 on 16th	78.2 on 12th	75.0 on 29th
Minimum Temperature in shade, and date	46.0 on 1st	45.0 on 1st, 6th	38.2 on 1st	38.0 on 1st
Maximum Solar Radiation, and date ..	137.0 on 19th	139.0 on 24th	128.8 on 8th	130.0 on 31st
Minimum Terrestrial Radiation, and date	42.0 on 1st	32.0 on 1st	30.2 on 1st	29.0 on 1st
Mean Humidity (Saturation=100) ..	87	74	75	71
Average same month previous years ...	76	77	71	70
Total Rainfall, in inches	1.070	2.309	0.560	5.636
Average same month previous years...	3.240	4.830	1.726	2.489
Number of Days of Rain	10	9	6	16
Average same month previous years ...	17	13	10	15

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

Meteorological Office, Wellington, November, 1893.

JAMES HECTOR,
Director.

Traffic Returns.

NEW ZEALAND RAILWAYS.—Traffic Returns for the four weeks ending 14th October, 1893, and for the corresponding four weeks, 1892.

KAWAKAWA SECTION.

	1893.			1892.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	66	36	102	41	74	115
2nd Class	162	204	366	147	162	309
Total	228	240	468	188	236	424
Season Tickets	..	..	0	..	..	0
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	152	..	..	103
Horses	..	..	3	..	..	14
Carriages	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dogs	..	..	5	..	..	3
Total	..	..	160	..	..	120
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cattle	..	..	..	..	..	..
Calves	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sheep	..	..	..	..	..	90
Pigs	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	..	..	..	..	..	90
			Tons.			Tons.
Chaff, &c.	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wool	..	..	..	..	..	..
Firewood	..	..	36	..	..	36
Timber	..	..	2	..	..	22
Grain	..	..	..	..	..	..
Merchandise	..	..	141	..	..	165
Minerals	..	..	722	..	..	1,280
Total	..	..	901	..	..	1,453
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	..	..	23 11 1	..	..	21 5 11
Parcels and Luggage	..	..	7 0 4	..	..	12 12 10
Goods	..	..	133 1 11	..	..	203 10 2
Miscellaneous	..	..	0 15 7	..	..	5 1 1
Rents and Commission	..	..	1 18 4	..	..	3 8 4
Total	..	..	£166 7 3	..	..	£245 18 4

WHANGAREI SECTION.

	1893.			1892.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	172	..	172	203	..	203
2nd Class	631	..	631	498	..	498
Total	803	..	803	701	..	701
Season Tickets	..	..	0	..	..	0
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	..	..	..	..
Horses	..	..	..	..	..	..
Carriages	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dogs	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	..	..	..	..	..	..
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cattle	..	..	20	..	..	12
Calves	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sheep	..	..	..	..	..	..
Pigs	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	..	..	20	..	..	12
			Tons.			Tons.
Chaff, &c.	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wool	..	..	..	..	..	..
Firewood	..	..	..	..	..	..
Timber	..	..	44	..	..	3
Grain	..	..	..	..	..	..
Merchandise	..	..	496	..	..	398
Minerals	..	..	1,401	..	..	134
Total	..	..	1,941	..	..	535
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	..	..	22 4 6	..	..	20 1 3
Parcels and Luggage	..	..	0 6 7	..	..	1 0 3
Goods	..	..	223 17 3	..	..	82 4 11
Miscellaneous	..	..	2 6 6	..	..	..
Rents and Commission	..	..	3 8 0	..	..	3 8 0
Total	..	..	£252 2 10	..	..	£106 14 5

KAIHU SECTION.

	1893.			1892.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	..	..	1,237	..	..	..
2nd Class	179	1,058	1,237	..	..	..
Total	179	1,058	1,237	..	..	..
Season Tickets	..	..	0	..	..	0
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	121	..	..	..
Horses	..	..	..	..	..	..
Carriages	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dogs	..	..	7	..	..	..
Total	..	..	128	..	..	..
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cattle	..	..	..	..	..	..
Calves	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sheep	..	..	..	..	..	..
Pigs	..	..	2	..	..	..
Total	..	..	2	..	..	..
			Tons.			Tons.
Chaff, &c.	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wool	..	..	..	..	..	..
Firewood	..	..	96	..	..	..
Timber	..	..	125	..	..	..
Grain	..	..	..	..	..	..
Merchandise	..	..	173	..	..	..
Minerals	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	..	..	394	..	..	..
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	..	..	56 10 10	..	..	..
Parcels and Luggage	..	..	3 14 4	..	..	..
Goods	..	..	106 1 4	..	..	..
Miscellaneous	..	..	0 0 4	..	..	..
Rents and Commission	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	..	..	£166 6 10	..	..	..

AUCKLAND SECTION.

	1893.			1892.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	1,194	2,832	4,026	1,149	2,388	3,537
2nd Class	6,494	16,776	23,270	6,331	15,202	21,533
Total	7,688	19,608	27,296	7,480	17,590	25,070
Season Tickets	..	..	252	..	..	265
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	3,724	..	..	3,181
Horses	..	..	53	..	..	67
Carriages	..	..	2	..	..	2
Dogs	..	..	169	..	..	151
Total	..	..	3,948	..	..	3,401
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays	..	..	10	..	..	4
Cattle	..	..	990	..	..	1,067
Calves	..	..	31	..	..	326
Sheep	..	..	4,919	..	..	2,943
Pigs	..	..	21	..	..	84
Total	..	..	5,971	..	..	4,424
			Tons.			Tons.
Chaff, &c.	..	..	588	..	..	424
Wool	..	..	14	..	..	5
Firewood	..	..	90	..	..	162
Timber	..	..	1,423	..	..	1,250
Grain	..	..	1,019	..	..	777
Merchandise	..	..	2,636	..	..	2,314
Minerals	..	..	5,658	..	..	5,626
Total	..	..	11,478	..	..	10,558
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	..	..	2,552 9 1	..	..	2,464 12 3
Parcels and Luggage	..	..	326 3 8	..	..	297 11 1
Goods	..	..	5,513 15 11	..	..	5,033 7 0
Miscellaneous	..	..	26 18 2	..	..	34 14 1
Rents and Commission	..	..	278 16 2	..	..	264 16 10
Total	..	..	£8,698 3 0	..	..	£8,095 1 3

NAPIER-TARANAKI SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1893.			1892.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	2,368	12,310	14,678	2,172	10,518	12,690
2nd Class	10,821	33,998	44,819	10,081	28,876	38,957
Total	13,189	46,308	59,497	12,253	39,394	51,647
Season Tickets263	..	..	..263
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	5,496	..	..	4,871
Horses	302	..	..	279
Carriages	26	..	..	5
Dogs	482	..	..	484
Total	6,306	..	..	5,639
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays	13	..	..	21
Cattle	619	..	..	406
Calves	17	..	..	83
Sheep	4,702	..	..	5,761
Pigs	304	..	..	566
Total	5,655	..	..	6,837
Chaff, &c.	Tons. 186	..	..	Tons. 214
Wool	242	..	..	268
Firewood	2,716	..	..	2,400
Timber	3,877	..	..	2,726
Grain	1,664	..	..	1,623
Merchandise	4,488	..	..	3,679
Minerals	1,064	..	..	1,306
Total	14,237	..	..	12,216
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	7,046 0 8	..	..	5,921 3 1
Parcels and Luggage	768 5 11	..	..	613 9 1
Goods	6,826 0 3	..	..	5,399 18 3
Miscellaneous	185 9 1	..	..	215 0 6
Rents and Commission	522 15 0	..	..	355 0 4
Total	£15,348 10 11	..	..	£12,504 11 3

WELLINGTON SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1893.			1892.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	739	4,946	5,685	569	4,622	5,191
2nd Class	3,455	15,246	18,701	2,986	14,778	17,764
Total	4,194	20,192	24,386	3,555	19,400	22,955
Season Tickets276	..	..	..286
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	3,938	..	..	3,084
Horses	41	..	..	56
Carriages	5	..	..	7
Dogs	162	..	..	138
Total	4,146	..	..	3,285
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays	3	..	..	7
Cattle	218	..	..	336
Calves	58	..	..	21
Sheep	1,190	..	..	1,849
Pigs	65	..	..	131
Total	1,534	..	..	2,344
Chaff, &c.	Tons. 126	..	..	Tons. 186
Wool	86	..	..	60
Firewood	600	..	..	750
Timber	1,489	..	..	1,640
Grain	332	..	..	402
Merchandise	1,338	..	..	1,006
Minerals	1,422	..	..	890
Total	5,393	..	..	4,934
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	2,027 0 10	..	..	1,912 15 8
Parcels and Luggage	299 7 2	..	..	278 5 9
Goods	2,628 5 0	..	..	2,636 4 2
Miscellaneous	9 13 6	..	..	16 8 2
Rents and Commission	290 3 11	..	..	282 1 4
Total	£5,254 10 5	..	..	£5,125 15 1

HURUNUI-BLUFF SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1893.			1892.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	3,840	22,562	26,402	3,586	22,292	25,878
2nd Class	19,441	80,722	100,163	17,876	77,618	95,494
Total	23,281	103,284	126,565	21,462	99,910	121,372
Season Tickets	1,453	..	..	1,425
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	19,562	..	..	18,365
Horses	574	..	..	725
Carriages	27	..	..	41
Dogs	875	..	..	858
Total	21,038	..	..	19,989
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays	31	..	..	31
Cattle	1,231	..	..	1,215
Calves	22	..	..	131
Sheep	42,219	..	..	57,657
Pigs	1,779	..	..	1,791
Total	45,282	..	..	60,825
Chaff, &c.	Tons. 2,010	..	..	Tons. 2,400
Wool	1,637	..	..	1,497
Firewood	1,938	..	..	2,022
Timber	8,233	..	..	6,749
Grain	20,512	..	..	26,063
Merchandise	16,643	..	..	19,902
Minerals	27,617	..	..	28,773
Total	78,590	..	..	87,406
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	12,988 17 4	..	..	12,530 15 11
Parcels and Luggage	2,104 8 3	..	..	2,110 8 5
Goods	26,071 19 2	..	..	27,480 16 5
Miscellaneous	770 19 8	..	..	723 18 0
Rents and Commission	1,713 17 8	..	..	1,604 16 8
Total	£43,650 2 1	..	..	£44,450 15 5

GREYMOUTH SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1893.			1892.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	67	474	541	110	450	560
2nd Class	841	3,520	4,361	697	3,558	4,255
Total	908	3,994	4,902	807	4,008	4,815
Season Tickets	43	..	..	38
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	360	..	..	288
Horses	2	..	..	..
Carriages	1	..	..	..
Dogs	15	..	..	15
Total	378	..	..	303
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays	3
Cattle
Calves	2
Sheep	226
Pigs	10	..	..	10
Total	10	..	..	241
Chaff, &c.	Tons. 24	..	..	Tons. 12
Wool
Firewood	6	..	..	..
Timber	760	..	..	499
Grain	133	..	..	127
Merchandise	386	..	..	389
Minerals	7,285	..	..	14,397
Total	8,594	..	..	15,424
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	205 2 7	..	..	210 19 6
Parcels and Luggage	10 7 10	..	..	7 19 1
Goods	1,081 9 5	..	..	1,825 4 11
Miscellaneous	174 10 0	..	..	53 10 2
Rents and Commission	15 15 6	..	..	17 11 9
Total	£1,487 5 4	..	..	£2,115 5 5

WESTPORT SECTION.						
PASSENGERS,—	1893.			1892.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	6	8	14	..	..	..
2nd Class	680	2,424	3,104	382	1,324	1,706
Total	686	2,432	3,118	382	1,324	1,706
Season Tickets	38	..	..	6
PARCELS, ETC.,—						
Parcels	No. 344	..	..	No. 215
Horses
Carriages
Dogs	5	..	..	3
Total	349	..	..	218
GOODS,—						
Drays	No. ..	..	..	No. ..
Cattle
Calves
Sheep	31	..	..	..
Pigs	2	..	..	..
Total	33	..	..	..
REVENUE,—						
Chaff, &c.	Tons. ..	..	..	Tons. 48
Wool
Firewood	90	..	..	126
Timber	357	..	..	235
Grain	11	..	..	9
Merchandise	286	..	..	180
Minerals	18,918	..	..	15,353
Total	19,612	..	..	15,901
REVENUE,—						
Passengers	£ 190 3 0	..	..	£ 116 5 8
Parcels and Luggage	14 8 2	..	..	7 15 0
Goods	2,533 1 0	..	..	1,950 7 9
Miscellaneous	74 0 8	..	..	26 1 3
Rents and Commission	36 15 4	..	..	46 3 4
Total	£2,848 8 2	..	..	£2,146 13 0
NELSON SECTION.						
PASSENGERS,—	1893.			1892.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	23	40	63	24	78	102
2nd Class	624	2,556	3,180	643	2,530	3,173
Total	647	2,596	3,243	667	2,608	3,275
Season Tickets	79	..	..	40
PARCELS, ETC.,—						
Parcels	No. 239	..	..	No. 261
Horses
Carriages
Dogs	7	..	..	4
Total	246	..	..	265
GOODS,—						
Drays	No. ..	..	..	No. ..
Cattle
Calves	1
Sheep
Pigs
Total	1

NELSON SECTION—continued.						
PASSENGERS,—	1893.			1892.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	89	416	505	97	228	325
2nd Class	390	1,154	1,544	467	1,202	1,669
Total	479	1,570	2,049	564	1,430	1,994
Season Tickets	35	..	..	34
PARCELS, ETC.,—						
Parcels	No. 115	..	..	No. 87
Horses	1
Carriages
Dogs	16	..	..	8
Total	131	..	..	96
GOODS,—						
Drays	No. ..	..	..	No. 2
Cattle	2	..	..	..
Calves	1
Sheep
Pigs	12	..	..	1
Total	14	..	..	4
REVENUE,—						
Chaff, &c.	Tons. 42	..	..	Tons. 48
Wool	15	..	..	1
Firewood	252	..	..	396
Timber
Grain	53	..	..	120
Merchandise	84	..	..	155
Minerals	27	..	..	186
Total	473	..	..	906
REVENUE,—						
Passengers	£ 133 19 5	..	..	£ 138 11 10
Parcels and Luggage	4 18 11	..	..	15 1 4
Goods	125 7 8	..	..	214 8 3
Miscellaneous	6 13 3	..	..	8 18 11
Rents and Commission	33 16 0	..	..	30 16 0
Total	£304 15 3	..	..	£407 16 4

A. C. FIFE,
Accountant, New Zealand Railways.
Railway Department, 14th November, 1893.

N.Z.R.—FINANCIAL YEAR 1893-94.

RAILWAY WORKING ACCOUNT, showing the Revenue and Expenditure to the Termination of the Four-weekly Period ending 14th October, 1893.

Section.	Miles open for Traffic.	REVENUE.		EXPENDITURE.		FOR A TWELVE-MONTHLY PERIOD, AVERAGE TO DATE.		
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Per Cent. of Revenue.	Revenue per Mile of Railway.	Expenditure per Mile of Railway.
NORTH ISLAND,—								
Kawakawa ..	8	£ s. d. 166 7 3	£ s. d. 1,440 11 5	£ s. d. 149 13 6	£ s. d. 1,332 16 5	92.52	£ s. d. 334 8 4	£ s. d. 309 8 1
Whangarei ..	7	252 2 10	1,807 7 7	141 11 11	1,378 5 9	76.26	479 10 2	365 13 4
Kaihu ..	17	166 6 10	955 14 9	103 11 4	920 6 9	96.30	104 8 2	100 10 10
Auckland ..	265	8,698 3 0	59,159 10 2	5,677 14 9	43,174 7 7	72.98	414 11 11	302 11 5
Napier-Taranaki ..	332	15,348 10 11	101,097 3 10	9,895 0 11	68,997 10 3	68.25	566 9 10	386 12 6
Wellington ..	92	5,254 10 5	39,941 9 3	3,639 3 7	28,281 8 4	70.81	806 5 5	570 17 11
Total ..	721	29,886 1 3	204,401 17 0	19,606 16 0	144,084 15 1	70.49		
MIDDLE ISLAND,—								
Hurunui-Bluff ..	1,101	43,650 2 1	347,723 17 4	32,740 2 7	218,177 11 1	62.74	556 10 8	368 0 4
Greymouth ..	8	1,487 5 4	12,215 12 7	1,069 3 7	6,940 2 1	56.81	2,835 15 5	1,611 1 11
Westport ..	27	2,848 8 2	20,038 5 8	2,221 1 11	11,215 10 5	55.97	1,691 10 10	946 15 3
Nelson ..	23	574 9 5	4,908 10 0	862 1 2	5,098 9 0	103.87	396 6 9	411 13 6
Picton ..	21	304 15 3	3,366 19 10	404 0 9	3,752 15 8	111.46	302 7 9	337 0 9
Total ..	1,180	48,865 0 3	388,253 5 5	37,296 10 0	245,184 8 3	63.15		
Grand total ..	1,901	78,751 1 6	592,655 2 5	56,903 6 0	389,269 3 4	65.68		

CORRESPONDING PERIOD LAST YEAR.

NORTH ISLAND,—								
Kawakawa ..	8	£ s. d. 245 18 4	£ s. d. 1,470 11 11	£ s. d. 190 12 7	£ s. d. 1,178 16 5	80.16	£ s. d. 341 7 9	£ s. d. 273 13 1
Whangarei ..	7	106 14 5	1,416 5 11	184 16 4	1,077 9 3	76.08	375 15 0	285 17 2
Auckland ..	265	8,095 1 3	57,341 12 6	4,651 3 2	40,711 3 3	71.00	401 17 1	285 6 2
Napier-Taranaki ..	328	12,504 11 3	92,916 7 5	9,400 8 0	64,778 15 11	69.72	526 1 11	366 15 7
Wellington ..	91	5,125 15 1	37,004 9 10	4,135 12 1	28,086 3 7	75.90	755 3 11	573 3 9
Total ..	699	26,078 0 4	190,149 7 7	18,562 12 2	135,832 8 5	71.43		
MIDDLE ISLAND,—								
Hurunui-Bluff ..	1,101	44,450 15 5	365,936 11 2	35,892 6 4	244,840 10 11	66.91	617 5 1	412 19 10
Greymouth ..	8	2,115 5 5	14,694 10 8	1,171 18 5	9,184 11 0	62.50	3,411 4 8	2,132 2 7
Westport ..	20	2,146 13 0	16,167 5 10	1,221 9 7	8,578 0 8	53.06	1,501 4 11	796 10 8
Nelson ..	23	679 0 8	4,767 15 0	894 10 3	4,863 6 2	102.00	384 19 6	392 13 9
Picton ..	18	407 16 4	3,751 4 1	525 5 7	4,266 11 11	113.74	387 0 7	440 4 1
Total ..	1,170	49,799 10 10	405,317 6 9	39,705 10 2	271,733 0 8	67.04		
Grand total ..	1,869	75,877 11 2	595,466 14 4	58,268 2 4	407,565 9 1	68.44		

Railway Department, 14th November, 1893.

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

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of TRAFFIC on ALL SECTIONS from 1st April, 1893, to 14th October, 1893.

All Sections.	Passengers.					Season Tickets.	Number.					Number.					
	First Class.		Second Class.		Total.		Total.	Parcels.	Horses.	Carriages.	Dogs.	Total.	Drays, &c.	Cattle.	Calves.	Sheep.	Pigs.	Total.
	S.	R.	S.	R.	Total.												
1893	61,722	308,908	314,985	1,178,606	1,864,221	10,383	235,058	5,780	434	14,241	255,513	381	19,941	2,049	595,863	24,518	642,752
1892	58,114	302,024	299,471	1,113,728	1,773,337	9,698	215,992	6,343	437	14,623	237,395	387	16,275	2,196	590,530	26,324	635,712
Inc.	3,608	6,884	15,514	64,878	90,884	685	19,066	..	..	..	18,118	..	3,666	..	5,333	..	7,040
Dec.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	563	3	382	..	6	..	147	..	1,806	..

All Sections.	Tons.																								
	Chaff, &c.		Wool.		Firewood.		Timber.		Grain.		Merchandise.		Minerals.		Total.										
	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.									
1893	..	25,020	0	0	13,503	16	0	48,018	0	0	99,039	15	0	276,314	16	0	198,746	9	0	500,339	1	0	1,161,031	17	0
1892	..	19,768	0	0	13,938	0	0	49,420	0	0	89,676	19	0	343,713	14	0	204,555	19	0	502,960	15	0	1,224,033	7	0
Increase	..	5,252	0	0	..	..	..	9,362	16	0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Decrease	434	4	0	1,402	0	0	..	..	67,398	18	0	5,809	10	0	2,571	14	0	63,001	10	0	

ESTIMATED COST of CONSTRUCTION, ALL LINES, to 31st March, 1893, as furnished by Public Works Department, including Public Works Loan Expenditure on Harbour Works forming Part of the Railway System.

Section.	Cost of Opened Lines.		Cost of Unopened Lines.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Kawakawa	90,337	0 0	..	..
Whangarei-Kamo	70,145	0 0	15,080	0 0
Kaihu	49,622	0 0	..	..
Marton-Te Awamutu (north end)	184,584	0 0	71,287	0 0
Auckland	1,727,703	0 0	252,940	0 0
Napier	860,318	0 0	..	..
Marton-Te Awamutu (south end)	103,587	0 0	49,776	0 0
Wanganui	1,427,489	0 0	..	..
Wellington-Foxton (private line)	..	..	42,117	0 0
Wellington	1,067,812	0 0	25,383	0 0
Surveys .. .. .	..	..	27,502	0 0
Miscellaneous .. .. .	..	..	5,169	0 0
Hurunui-Bluff	8,328,213	0 0	72,906	0 0
Greymouth	200,283	0 0	15,959	0 0
Greymouth Harbour Works	..	..	127,234	0 0
Greymouth-Hokitika .. .. .	..	..	153,327	0 0
Westport	227,496	0 0	..	..
Westport Harbour Works	..	..	14,111	0 0
Nelson	165,609	0 0	12,500	0 0
Picton	204,917	0 0	56,341	0 0
Stock .. .. .	..	..	48,968	0 0
Stock in suspense	25,000	0 0	..	..
Surveys .. .. .	..	..	37,644	0 0
Miscellaneous .. .. .	..	..	5,168	0 0
Total	14,733,120	0 0	1,033,412	0 0

Railway Department, 14th November, 1893.

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

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.

1103. WILLIAM ROBERT BLYTHE, Applicant.—14 perches, Lots 4 and 5; and 10 perches, Lot 8, of the Tutaeo-Mahu No. 2 Block. In occupation of Applicant.

1106. HENRY SMITH, Applicant.—3 acres and 32 perches, Lots 1 to 5, subdivision of Section 16, Pukahu Block. In occupation of Applicant.

1107. HUGH CAMPBELL, Applicant.—3,397 acres 2 roods 5 perches, Pekapeka No. 2 Block. In occupation of Applicant.

1108. NELSON BROS. (LIMITED).—219 acres, part of Blocks 93 and 103, Puketapu. In occupation of Ralph Henry Carr Ellison.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 13th day of November, 1893, at the Lands Registry Office, Napier.

G. G. BRIDGES,
District Land Registrar.

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Private Advertisements.

"FRIENDLY SOCIETIES ACT, 1882."—CANCELLING OF REGISTRY.

Friendly Societies' Registry Office,
Wellington, 15th November, 1893.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Registrar of Friendly Societies has, pursuant to section 10 of "The Friendly Societies Act, 1882," by writing under his hand dated this 15th day of November, 1893, cancelled the registry of the Harmon Lodge, Register No. 146 (47), held at Longburn, branch of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of New Zealand, on the ground that the said branch has ceased to exist.

EDMUND MASON,
Registrar.

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Friendly Societies' Registry Office,
Wellington, 15th November, 1893.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Registrar of Friendly Societies has, pursuant to section 10 of "The Friendly Societies Act, 1882," by writing under his hand dated this 15th day of November, 1893, cancelled the registry of the Star of the North Lodge, Register No. 197 (16), held at Palmerston North, branch of the Protestant Alliance Friendly Society of Australasia, on the ground that the said branch has ceased to exist.

EDMUND MASON,
Registrar.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership business heretofore carried on by the undersigned at Feilding as Bootmakers, under the style or firm of "Keen Bros.," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 30th day of September last past.

Dated this 8th day of November, 1893.

FRED. KEEN.
JOHN KEEN.

Witness to signatures — W. A. Sandilands, Solicitor,
Feilding. 633

THE ORMOND CHEESE, BUTTER, AND BACON
FACTORY COMPANY (LIMITED).

6th November, 1893.

THE affairs of the above company being now fully wound up, a General Meeting of shareholders is hereby convened, to be held at Gisborne, on the 11th day of January, 1894, at the hour of 12 noon, to receive final accounts, report and balance-sheet, and explanation of Liquidators.

W. K. CHAMBERS, } Liquidators.
ANDR. GRAHAM, }

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