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Lands taken for Construction of Streets in the Borough of Cambridge.

(L.S.) GLASGOW, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken, under "The Public Works Act, 1882," and its amendments, for a certain work, to wit, the construction of streets in the Borough of Cambridge:

And whereas the Borough Council of Cambridge has laid before the Governor the memorial, accompanied by a map, and also the statutory declaration, required by the said Act and the amendments thereof:

Now, therefore, I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by "The Public Works Act, 1882," and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in that behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto are hereby taken for the purpose above mentioned; and, further, that, subject hereto, the said lands shall vest in the Mayor, Councillors, and citizens of the Borough of Cambridge on and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

SCHEDULE.

THE several parcels of land mentioned in list hereunder:—

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in the Borough of	Shown on Plan marked
A. R. P. 0 0 7	Domain Reserve	Cambridge	S.G. 22148
1 0 23	Part of Sec. 578	"	S.G. 22148
1 0 38	" " 579	"	S.G. 22148

All in the Auckland Land District; as the said parcels of land are more particularly delineated on the plan marked as above mentioned, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

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

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Lands taken for Roads in Waiuku Road District.

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

WHEREAS the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken, under "The Public Works Act, 1882," and its amendments, for a certain work, to wit, the construction of roads in Waiuku Road District:

And whereas the Waiuku Road Board has laid before the Governor the memorial, accompanied by maps, and also the statutory declaration, required by the said Act and the amendments thereof:

Now, therefore, I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities in me vested by "The Public Works Act, 1882," and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in that behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto are hereby taken for the purposes of the construction of the said roads.

SCHEDULE.

THE several parcels of land mentioned in list hereunder:—

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of	Shown on Plan marked
A. R. P. 2 0 10	1	X.	Awitu ..	S.G. 22634.
2 2 24	2	X.	Awitu ..	S.G. 22634.
2 0 15	3	X.	Awitu ..	S.G. 22634.
1 2 2	4	X.	Awitu ..	S.G. 22634A.
1 2 4	5	X.	Awitu ..	S.G. 22634A.
0 2 17	6	X.	Awitu ..	S.G. 22634A.
0 0 8	8	X.	Awitu ..	S.G. 22634.
3 0 32	9	X.	Awitu ..	S.G. 22634A.
3 3 7	10	X.	Awitu ..	S.G. 22634A.

All in the Land District of Auckland; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plans marked as above mentioned, deposited in the Head Office of the Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Land District of Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

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

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Setting apart Land in Canterbury for Leasing as Small Grazing-runs under "The Land Act, 1892."

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

BY virtue and in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the one hundred and seventy-second section of "The Land Act, 1892," and of every other power and authority enabling me in that behalf, I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto shall be subject to the provisions of sections one hundred and seventy-two to one hundred and eighty-six of Part V. of "The Land Act, 1892," relating to small grazing-runs.

SCHEDULE.
CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—MACKENZIE COUNTY.

Section.	Survey District.	Block.	Area.
			Acres.
36459	{ Burke	{ IV., VIII. }	1,205
	{ Tengawai	{ I., V. }	
36460	{ Burke	{ VIII. }	880
	{ Tengawai	{ V. }	

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

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land brought within the Jurisdiction of the Native Land Court.

GLASGOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this seventh day of May, 1894.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE THE PREMIER PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the ownership of the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto requires to be ascertained, and it is also necessary to determine the relative shares or interests of the Native owners of the said lands:

And whereas it is expedient that the said several matters should be brought within the jurisdiction of the Native Land Court, in order that the same may be finally decided and dealt with:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by "The Native Land Court Act, 1886," and "The Native Land Court Act Amendment Act, 1889" (hereinafter termed "the said Acts"), and "The West Coast Settlement Reserves Act, 1892," and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby order and declare that the investigation and determination of the ownership of the lands described in the Schedule hereto, and of the relative shares or interests of any Natives therein, and also the determination of any matter or question which may arise in relation to the premises, shall be and the same are hereby brought within the jurisdiction of the Native Land Court established under the said Acts.

And it is hereby further declared that this order shall take effect on and after the first day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

SCHEDULE.

Number or Name of Reserve.	Section No.	Survey District.	Area.
			A. R. P.
Kawhiti ..	2 of Block IX. ..	Opaku ..	75 0 0
Kopua ..	54 of Block III. ..	Huiroa ..	0 2 0
" ..	55 of Block III. ..	" ..	0 2 0
" ..	56 of Block III. ..	" ..	0 2 0
Pohohitua ..	15 of Block I. ..	Ngatimaru	1 0 0
Puketui ..	17 of Block II. ..	" ..	46 0 0
Ngatoto ..	4 of Block XIII.	Upper Waitara	0 0 16

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Notifying Lands in Auckland for Sale by Public Auction.

GLASGOW, Governor.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one hundred and thirteenth section of "The Land Act, 1892," I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint Wednesday, the eleventh day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, as the time at which the lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall be sold by public auction, at Auckland, and I do hereby fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold as those mentioned in the said Schedule hereto opposite the description of such lands respectively.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
TOWN OF NGARUAWAHIA.		
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
140	0 1 7	5 17 6
PARISH OF TITIRANGI.		
176	4 3 7	23 19 6
177	5 0 0	25 0 0
178	5 0 0	25 0 0
179	5 0 0	25 0 0
PARISH OF ARARIMU.		
15A	10 0 0	10 0 0
FIRST-CLASS LANDS.—RODNEY COUNTY.—PARISH OF ORUAWHARO.		
N. 172	108 0 0	175 10 0
191A	64 2 0	115 17 6

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

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

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

GLASGOW, Governor.

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

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—HOBSON COUNTY.

Unsurveyed Second-class Land.

ALL that parcel of land in the Auckland Land District, situate in Block XIII., Mangakahia Survey District, and Blocks I. and II., Maungaru Survey District, and containing approximately 3,875 acres. Bounded towards the north-east by the Te Karaka Block and by the Tangowahine Stream; towards the north by part of the southern boundary of Mangakahia Survey District; towards the south-east by the Maungaru Block; towards the south by the Avoca Special Settlement; and towards the west by part of the eastern boundary of Blocks IV., Kaihu Survey District, and XVI., Tutamoe Survey District, to the point of commencement.

Description of land: Forest land, undulating and broken, with a little swamp at northern end; situated about fifteen miles from Dargaville and five miles from the Wairoa River. Cash price, 12s. per acre; occupation with right of purchase, 7.2d. per acre; lease in perpetuity, 5.8d. per acre.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fourteenth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Rural Land in the Canterbury Land District withdrawn from Sale or Selection.

GLASGOW, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon me by the sixth section of "The Land Act, 1892," I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby declare that from and after the day of the date hereof the notification issued on the eighteenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, opening land for sale or selection under the provisions of Part III. of "The Land Act, 1892," shall be and the same is hereby revoked in so far as it relates to the sections of land mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—MACKENZIE COUNTY.

Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Area.
36459	IV., VIII. I., V.	Burke	1,205
		Tengawai	
36460	VIII. V.	Burke	880
		Tengawai	

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twenty-first day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Revoking Warrant setting apart Land for Naval and Military Claims.

GLASGOW, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of all powers and authorities conferred upon me, I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby declare that from and after the day of the date hereof the warrant or instrument executed by the then Governor of the said colony, bearing date the twenty-sixth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, setting apart land for naval and military claims, in so far as it relates to the block mentioned in the Schedule hereto, is hereby revoked.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land in the Taranaki Land District, containing by admeasurement 2,909 acres 1 rood 14 perches, more or less, situated in Block XVI., on the map of the Egmont Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by the Surrey Road; towards the north-east by the Derby Road and by sections numbered 3, 2, and 1; towards the south by Block IV., Kaupokonui Survey District; and towards the west by the forest reserve, exclusive of section numbered 16.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twenty-first day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Trustee for the Herbert Cemetery appointed.

GLASGOW, Governor.

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

ALEXANDER ROBERTSON

to be a Trustee, in the place of William Craig, resigned, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Herbert Cemetery, in conjunction with the other persons appointed on the twenty-fifth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fourteenth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Deputy Registrar of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 7th May, 1894.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ALBERT JOSEPH MULLER

to be Deputy of Percy Paget White, Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the District of Temuka.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 14th May, 1894.

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

Name.	District.
WALTER ERNEST BURKE	Kaiapoi.
WILLIAM DANIEL JONES	Brunner.

A. J. CADMAN,
For the Colonial Secretary.

Shorthand and Type Writer appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 21st May, 1894.

IT is hereby notified that

JAMES GREY, Esq.,

has been appointed to be Shorthand and Type Writer to the Honourable the Premier. Appointment to date from the 1st May, 1894.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Cadet in Magistrate's Court appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 23rd May, 1894.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

EDWARD DARKER MOSELEY

to be a Cadet in the Magistrate's Court at Wellington, as from the 12th instant.

W. P. REEVES,
For Minister of Justice.

Member of Land Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 21st May, 1894.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ROBERT READ GROOM

to be a member of the Land Board of the Land District of Hawke's Bay, as from the 19th May, 1894.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Inspectors of Factories appointed.

Department of Labour,
Wellington, 17th May, 1894.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned persons Inspectors under "The Factories Act, 1891," and to assign to them the districts set opposite their names respectively:-

Name.	District.
GRACE NEILL	New Plymouth, Masterton, Napier.
JAMES SHANAGHAN	Dunedin.

W. P. REEVES.

Despatch.—As to Title of "Honourable" being retained by Presidents and Speakers of Legislative Chambers.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 23rd May, 1894.

THE following despatch, received from Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies, is published for general information.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

(Circular.) Downing Street, 10th March, 1894.
SIR,—I have recently received from the Governor of New South Wales a despatch, enclosing for my favourable consideration a copy of a letter from the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly suggesting that the Title of "Honourable" might be retained by Presidents of the Legislative Council and Speakers of the Legislative Assembly on quitting office, after they have served three years in their respective offices, as in the case of Executive Councillors.

I concur in the suggestion, and shall therefore be prepared in future to submit for the approval of the Queen the recommendation of the Governor of any colony having responsible Government that the President of the Legislative Council (if necessary) or the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly may, on quitting office after three years' service in their respective offices, be permitted to retain the title of "Honourable."

I have, &c.,
RIPON.

The Officer administering the Government
of New Zealand.

"The Rating Act, 1882," to be in Force in Otamatea County.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 22nd May, 1894.

THE following notice, received from the Clerk of the Otamatea County Council, is published in accordance with section 2 of "The Rating Acts Amendment Act, 1893."

P. A. BUCKLEY.

OTAMATEA COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLVED, in accordance with the provisions of subsection (6), section 2, of "The Rating Act Amendment Act, 1893," that "The Rating Act, 1882," be adopted by the Otamatea County Council, and that all assessments of properties situated in the said county shall be made in accordance with the provisions of the said Act.

I hereby declare the above to be a true copy of resolution passed at a meeting of the Otamatea County Council held on the 26th day of April, 1894.

JAMES HEMPHILL,
Clerk, Otamatea County Council.

"The Rating Act, 1882," to be in Force in Patangata County.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 23rd May, 1894.

THE following notice, received from the Clerk of the Patangata County Council, is published in accordance with section 2 of "The Rating Acts Amendment Act, 1893."

P. A. BUCKLEY.

PATANGATA COUNTY COUNCIL.

Copy of a resolution passed on the 9th May, 1894, by the Patangata County Council:—

"That the Council of the County of Patangata hereby determine that 'The Rating Act, 1882,' shall be in force within the County of Patangata as from the 1st day of January, 1895. That all assessments of property within the said county hereafter to be made under the provisions of subsection (6) of section 2 of 'The Rating Acts Amendment Act, 1893,' shall be made in accordance with the rateable value of such property as defined in section 2 of 'The Rating Act, 1882.'"

I hereby certify that the above is a true copy of a resolution passed by a majority of the Patangata County Council on the 9th day of May, 1894.

E. GILBERTSON,
Clerk to the Patangata County Council.
Patangata County Office,
Waipukurau, 19th May, 1894.

Notice under "The Justices of the Peace Act 1882 Amendment Act, 1886."

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 24th May, 1894.

IT is hereby notified that JOHN TIFFEN STEWART, Esq., of Wanganui, has, in accordance with the provisions of section 7 of "The Justices of the Peace Act 1882 Amendment Act, 1886," ceased to be a Justice of the Peace on and from the 24th May instant.

W. P. REEVES,
For Minister of Justice.

Justice of the Peace resigned.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 23rd May, 1894.

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

ANDREW DAVID MASON ALLAN, Esq.,
of Barry's Bay, Akaroa, of his appointment as a Justice of the Peace for the colony.

W. P. REEVES,
For Minister of Justice.

Native Interpreter's License revoked.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 23rd May, 1894.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to revoke the license granted to

WILLIAM WILLIAMS,
of Patea, authorising him to act as an Interpreter under "The Native Land Court Act, 1886"; and also to remove the said William Williams from his office as an Interpreter under the said Act.

W. P. REEVES,
In the absence of the Native Minister.

Native Interpreter's License revoked.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 23rd May, 1894.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to revoke the license granted to

CHARLES BROWN,
of New Plymouth, authorising him to act as an Interpreter under "The Native Land Court Act, 1886"; and also to remove the said Charles Brown from his office as an Interpreter under the said Act.

W. P. REEVES,
In the absence of the Native Minister.

Justice of the Peace removed from Office.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 23rd May, 1894.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased, in terms of section 7 of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882," to direct the removal of the name of

CHARLES BROWN,
of New Plymouth, from the Commission of the Peace; and it is hereby notified that such name has been removed accordingly, and that such removal will take effect on and from this 23rd day of May instant.

W. P. REEVES,
For Minister of Justice.

Notice to Mariners, No. 20 of 1894.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 9th May, 1894.

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

J. G. WARD.

BEACONS, INNER ROUTE TO TORRES STRAIT.

NOTICE is hereby given that Coast-pilot Hannah reports that the following beacons are down, or are considerably damaged, viz.:

Wye (y) Reef	Black beacon.
Chapman Island	Black beacon.
Tih Tih (tt)	Black beacon.
Chilcott Rocks	Red beacon.
Bow Reef	Black beacon.
Ellis Islet (No. VII.)	Black beacon.

In addition to those named it is possible that other beacons may be down also. Masters of vessels are therefore cautioned that the greatest care must be exercised in navigating the Inner Route in the absence of these beacons. They will be restored as soon as practicable.

JOHN MACKAY,
Pro Portmaster.
Marine Department,
Brisbane, 19th April, 1894.

Volunteer Officer resigned.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 14th May, 1894.

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

Wellington City Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant Thomas Wilson. Date of resignation, 23rd April, 1894.

W. P. REEVES,
For Minister of Defence.

Volunteer Officers resigned.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 21st May, 1894.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignations of the commissions held by the under-mentioned officer and honorary officers:—

Greymouth Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant Charles James. Date of resignation, 3rd May, 1894.

Greymouth Naval Artillery Volunteers.

Honorary Surgeon John Perret Millington. Date of resignation, 3rd May, 1894.

First Westland Rifle Volunteers.

Honorary Chaplain John Edwin Blackburn. Date of resignation, 30th April, 1894.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
For Minister of Defence.

Notice of Intention to take Land for part of Opuā-Waimate Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of "The Public Works Act, 1882," to execute a certain public work, to wit, the construction of portion of a road in the Kawakawa Survey District known as the Opuā-Waimate Road, and for the purposes of such public work the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken; and notice is further given that the plan of the said road and of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the post-office at Kawakawa, and is there open for inspection. And notice is hereby given that all persons affected by the execution of the said public work or by the taking of the said land shall, if they have any well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public work or to the taking of such land, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the Minister for Public Works, Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

THE parcel of land mentioned hereunder:—

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of	Survey District of
A. R. P. 8 0 8	Old Land-claim No. 1316..	Kawakawa.

In the Auckland Land District.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this twelfth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
For the Minister for Public Works.

Notice of the Laying-off of a Road over Land in the Wellington Land District.

NOTICE is hereby given, by direction of His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, under the authority of "The Native Land Court Act, 1886," and its amendments, that the road described in the Schedule hereto was, on the 29th October, 1883, duly taken and laid off through the land specified in the said Schedule, under the authority of the Governor of the said colony, by a warrant dated the 17th May, 1882.

SCHEDULE.

ROAD TO SECTION 12, BLOCK XIII., AOHANGA SURVEY DISTRICT, WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 7 acres 3 roods 33 perches, more or less,

situated in Block XIII., Aohanga Survey District, being a road not less than 100 links wide, the centre-line of which commences on the road from Mataikuna to Knob Saddle at a point marked "C" on the plan hereinafter mentioned, passing through Section No. 820 to the south-western boundary-line of Section No. 12 at a point marked "B" on the plan hereafter mentioned, a distance of 7957 links: be the aforesaid linkage more or less; as the same is particularly delineated upon plan marked P.W. 699, deposited in the District Land and Survey Office, Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured pink.

Dated this 14th day of May, 1894.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Special Claim cancelled.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 14th May, 1894.

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

George Wise, for the Larry's Creek Gold-mining Company: Section 27, Block VII., Reef-ton; 58 acres 1 rood 39 perches. No. 1517.

A. J. CADMAN,
Minister of Mines.

Civil Service Senior Examination.

Education Department,
Wellington, 21st September, 1893.

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

W. P. REEVES,
Minister of Education.

Bonus on Mineral Oil manufactured from Orepuki Shale.

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

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

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Bonus on Starch manufactured in New Zealand.—Amended Notice.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that a bonus of two pounds (£2) a ton will be paid on 100 tons of starch manufactured in the Colony of New Zealand in each of the years 1893 and 1894.

CONDITIONS.

1. Notice of intention to claim the bonus for 100 tons in 1893 must be given in writing to the Colonial Secretary not later than the 31st December, 1893. Notice of intention to claim the bonus for 100 tons in 1894 must be given in the same manner not later than the 31st December, 1894.
2. The claims must be made respectively before the 31st December, 1893 and 1894.
3. The first claimant who proves to the satisfaction of the Government that he has fulfilled all the conditions is to be the recipient of the bonus.

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

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

[NOTE.—The above notice is in lieu of notice dated 10th October, 1893, published in *Gazette* of 12th October, 1893.]

Bonuses for Encouragement of New Zealand Hemp (Phormium tenax) Industry.—Notice No. 387.

Department of Agriculture,
Wellington, 1st February, 1894.

BONUS No. 1.

A BONUS of £1,750 is offered for a machine or process for dressing New Zealand hemp (*Phormium tenax*) which shall be an improvement on the machines or processes now in use, and which shall, after trial, be found to materially reduce the cost of production, improve the product, or increase the quantity of dressed fibre.

The following are the conditions:—

1. All applications for the bonus must be sent addressed to the Hon. the Minister of Agriculture, Wellington, and must reach him not later than the 30th August, 1894. Each application must be accompanied by a description of the machine or process, particularly stating improvements on present machines or processes, and also the cost at which the machine or process can be supplied.

2. The applicants must be prepared to submit their machines or processes to examination at such time and place as the Government may direct.

3. The Government shall appoint a committee of three or more experts, to whom all applications shall be submitted. Such committee shall, after perusal, state what machines or processes they deem worthy of consideration, and may inspect the same at any place within the colony; and, having so inspected the whole or any of them, may direct that the whole or any of them be brought for further trial to such place as they may think fit.

The cost of bringing the machines or appliances on to the ground, from within the colony, supplying the necessary shafting, motive-power, and buildings, to be defrayed by the Government. If any machine sent from beyond the colony is awarded the bonus or part thereof, then the cost of bringing such machine shall be borne by the Government.

The following shall be the basis of the test:—

The committee shall supply a sufficient and equal quantity of green hemp to each machine or process as a test.

The committee shall take into consideration—

The time occupied by each machine or process in the operation;

The cost of labour and time required after the fibre has left the machine or process before it is ready for baling;

The percentage of dressed fibre and tow produced by each machine or process;

The cost of producing the same;

The cost of the machine, and the simplicity and durability of the working parts.

On completion of the tests the committee shall furnish a report to the Minister on all the machines or processes which they have examined or tested, and shall state,—

1.) The machine or process which they consider on the whole the most efficient and economic.

(2.) Whether they consider that any machine or process tested so materially reduces the cost of production, or improves the product, as to be worthy of the whole bonus or of a part only.

(3.) Whether, in the event of no one machine or process being entitled to the whole bonus, they deem any machine or process worthy of a part of the bonus, and, if so, how much.

BONUS No. 2.

A bonus of £250 is offered for a process of utilising the waste products of the hemp.

The first three conditions of Bonus No. 1 to apply to this also.

The committee shall supply a sufficient and equal quantity of the waste products to each process as a test.

On completion of the tests the committee shall report to the Minister, and shall give the following particulars of each process: (a.) The nature of the article made. (b.) The quantity produced, and the cost of production. (c.) The

value of the product. (d.) Whether any of the processes are of sufficient importance to warrant the Minister in giving (1) the whole, or (2) any part, of the bonus; (3) if a part only, how much.

JOHN McKENZIE.

Minister of Agriculture.

Prizes for System of Marking Sheep.—Notice No. 390.

Department of Agriculture,
Wellington, 8th May, 1894.

THE under-mentioned prizes are offered for—

1st. A complete system of marking sheep, other than wool-branding, either wholly on the ear or partly on the ear and partly on the face, and to include provision for registered age- and stud-marks. First prize, £10; second prize, £5.

2nd. The best combination of ear-marks made with punch or nippers for ear only. (Samples of approved marks on application to any Stock Inspector.) First prize, £5; second prize, £2 10s.

All applications must be addressed "The Secretary for Agriculture, Wellington"; and must reach this office not later than the 30th June, 1894.

Each application must be marked with a motto only, and be accompanied with a sealed envelope bearing the same motto, and containing the name and address of the competitor.

The prize-winners lose all right to their schemes, but those of unsuccessful competitors will be returned to them on application.

The judge or judges have power to withhold any or all of the prizes if they are of opinion that none of the schemes submitted are worthy of an award.

JOHN McKENZIE,

Minister of Agriculture.

Road Board Elections.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 23rd May, 1894.

THE following notices of elections of members of Road Boards have been received at this office, and are published in accordance with the provisions of "The Road Boards Act, 1882."

HUGH POLLEN,
Under-Secretary.

Mangawai Road Board, County of Otamatea:

William Bond.
Thomas Eyre.
John Wharfe.

Ahuroa Road Board, County of Rodney:

Thomas Oliver Jenkins.
Alfred Woodcock, jun.

Ruarangi Road Board, County of Whangarei:

S. Boyd.
R. McConnell.
J. McClean.

North Albertland Road Board, County of Rodney:

William Bleckly Farrand.
Thomas Sturch.
Edmund Yates.

One-tree Hill Road Board, County of Eden:

Henry Bruce Morton.
William Gardner.
William Wall.

Arch Hill Road Board, County of Eden:

Thomas Armstrong.
Henry Thompson.
Charles Seaton Waddingham.

Avondale Road Board, County of Eden:

Harvey William Batkin.
Isaac Wymer.
James Malcolm.

Pukeatua Road Board, County of Eden:

Francis Poynton.
Evan Bond.
Michael Lennan.

Panmure Road Board, County of Eden:

Michael Finnerty.
Charles Funkie.
Henry Robertson.

Mount Eden Road Board, County of Eden :

William H. Cooper.
Richard Udy.
Thomas Thompson.
John Douglas.
Edwin Lewis.

Paparata Road Board, County of Manukau :

Frederick William Manning.
John N. Sawyer.
George Balme.

Pakuranga Road Board, County of Manukau :

Charles Roberts.
Edwin Roberts.
Robert Millen.

Pokeno Road Board, County of Manukau :

F. W. Pyne.
D. C. Sheffield.

Karaka Road Board, County of Manukau :

Alexander Veasey Urquhart.
Arthur T. Urquhart.

Taotaoroa Road Board, County of Piako :

Samuel Seddon.
Henry J. Turner.

Kirikiriroa Road Board, County of Waikato :

Edmund B. Cox.
George Edgecumbe.

Tamahere Road Board, County of Waikato :

Joseph Barugh.
Ashton T. F. Wheeler.

Cambridge Road Board, County of Waikato :

James Taylor.
Martin H. Pickering.

Pukekura Road Board, County of Waipa :

Richard W. Mears.
Richard Reynolds.
Thornton Walker.

Katikati Road Board, County of Tauranga :

William Andrews.
George M. Clure.
Thomas Henry.
John Wilson.

Makara Road Board, County of Hutt :

No. 5 Ward—
George Monk.

Waimate Road Board, County of Hawera :

Arthur McKeown.
Philip McCarthy.
William Borrie.
Frank Maomahon.
Joseph Sheat.
George Watson.
Arthur Coxhead.

Mangorei Road Board, County of Taranaki :

William Henry Coad.

Omata (No. 9) Road Board, County of Taranaki :

Tom Hart.
John Penwarden.

Moa Road Board, County of Taranaki :

Mark Hopson.
Alfred Chard.
H. August Haverbier.
Alfred Perry.
Thomas Henry Bridgeman.

Manganui Road Board, County of Stratford :

William Hathaway.
Joseph Mackay.
John Joseph Plews.
Ambrose Ridd.

Mount Somers Road Board, County of Ashburton :

Edward Horryng.
John Hood.
James Harrison.

Balmoral Road Board, County of Bruce :

James Smith.
John Martin Smith.
William Smith.

Wyndham Road Board, County of Southland :

Redan Subdivision—
Thomas Turnbull.

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

Public Trust Office,
Wellington, 22nd May, 1894.

NOTICE.—It is hereby notified that, in pursuance of the provisions of section 8 of "The Public Trust Office Acts 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:—

Robert Aitken, late of Orepuki, in the Provincial District of Otago. Filed at Invercargill on the 15th day of May, 1894.
John Reid Fairbairn, otherwise John Fairburn, otherwise John Fairbairn, late of Roxburgh, in the Provincial District of Otago. Filed at Dunedin on the 17th day of May, 1894.

J. K. WARBURTON,
Public Trustee.

Member of Public Trust Office Board appointed.

Public Trust Office,
Wellington, 17th May, 1894.

IT is hereby notified for general information that

Mr. HOANI TAINUI,

of Greymouth, has been duly appointed a member of the Public Trust Office Board (Native Reserves Branch), under section 2 of "The Westland and Nelson Native Reserves Act, 1887," vice the Reverend Teoti Pita Mutu, resigned.

J. K. WARBURTON,
Public Trustee.

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

In the matter of a parcel of land situate near the Government Town of Waimate, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, being part of Rural Section 2521 and middle part of Lot 4 on the plan of the subdivision thereof by the Messrs. Rhodes, fronting the Town Belt of the said Government Town of Waimate 50 links, by a depth of 650 links; of which the last known owner was John Thomson, or Robert Thomson, whose whereabouts, or whether he sold to any purchaser, is unknown.

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

Now, this is to give notice to all whom it may concern that, unless on or before the 31st day of December, 1894, the owner of the above-described land establishes his title thereto to the satisfaction of the Supreme Court or any Judge of such Court, the Public Trustee will take the steps prescribed by "The Land Transfer Act, 1885," to be registered as the owner of such land.

Dated this 15th day of May, 1894.

J. K. WARBURTON,
Public Trustee.

Officiating Ministers for 1894.—Notice No. 16.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 16th May, 1894.

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

IN pursuance of the provisions of section 15 of "The Marriage Act, 1880," I hereby notify that the names of

The Reverend WILLIAM HORSFALL and
The Reverend ALFRED ERNEST SPOONER

have been withdrawn from the list of Officiating Ministers at the request of the Bishop of the Diocese of Auckland, the above-named clergymen having left New Zealand.

E. J. VON DADELSZEN.

Officiating Ministers for 1894.—Notice No. 17.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 22nd May, 1894.

PURSUANT to the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, passed in the forty-fourth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, and intitled "The Marriage Act, 1880," the following names of Officiating Ministers within the meaning of the said Act are published for general information:—

Presbyterian Church of New Zealand.
 The Reverend Alexander Samuel Morrison, M.A.
Disciples of Christ.
 Mr. Robert C. Gilmour.

E. J. VON DADELSZEN,
 Registrar-General.

Branch of Friendly Society registered.

Friendly Societies' Registry Office,
 Wellington, 19th May, 1894.

THE Court Ohingaiti, No. 7924, situated at Ohingaiti, is registered as a branch of the Wellington District of the Ancient Order of Foresters Friendly Society, under "The Friendly Societies Act, 1882," this 19th day of May, 1894.

EDMUND MASON,
 Registrar of Friendly Societies.

Friendly Society registered.

Friendly Societies' Registry Office,
 Wellington, 19th May, 1894.

THE Morgan Lodge, No. 297, of the United Ancient Order of Druids, situated at Marton, is registered as a friendly society under "The Friendly Societies Act, 1882," this 19th day of May, 1894.

EDMUND MASON,
 Registrar of Friendly Societies.

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

THE New Zealand Railway Commissioners, in exercise and pursuance of the powers conferred by "The Government Railways Act, 1887," do hereby make the following alterations in and additions to the scale of fares, rates, and charges on the New Zealand Government Railways, to come into force on and after the 28th day of May, 1894:—

PART IV.—GOODS: LOCAL RATES.

GREYMOUTH-BRUNNERTON SECTION.

Timber loaded at Greymouth, previously carried to Greymouth by rail, will be charged 2d. per 100 superficial feet for haulage from sidings to ships.

PART VI.—WHARVES.

GREYMOUTH SECTION.—GREYMOUTH WHARF.

Charges for Use of Wharf.

For every vessel lying at a wharf, per ton register, per trip	s. d.
For every vessel coming in ballast for coal or timber, for the first four days, per ton register	0 1
For each additional day, per ton register	0 0½
The maximum charge on any vessel to be £5 10s. per trip.	
The minimum charge on any vessel coming for coal or timber in ballast to be	5 0
For every vessel, sailing or steam, with one-eighth cargo (or less), one-eighth rates to be charged.	
If with more than one-eighth but not more than one-fourth cargo, one-fourth rates to be charged.	
If with more than one-fourth but not more than one-half cargo, half rates to be charged.	
If with more than one-half cargo, full rates to be charged.	

Rates.

On all goods and luggage not otherwise specified, per ton weight or measurement, at the option of the department	2 0
Minimum charge	0 3
Wool, per bale	0 6
Flax and tow, per bale	0 3
Sheepskins, per bale not exceeding 2cwt.	0 3
Hides, each	0 1
Shingles, per 1,000	0 6
Palings, per 100	0 6
Slates, per 1,000	2 0
Minerals, per ton	0 6
Timber not otherwise specified, per 100 superficial feet	0 2
Timber (carried by rail for export)	Free
Cattle and horses, per head (first 20)	2 0
(each additional)	1 6
Sheep, pigs, goats, &c., per head (first 50)	0 3
(each additional)	0 1
Poultry, each	0 1
Vehicles, four-wheel	5 0
two-wheel	2 6

Goods for Transhipment.

When goods are landed on wharf ex ship, and redelivered to other ships, they will be charged 2s. 6d. per ton, according to ship's manifest, or by weight or measurement, at the option of the department, including wharfage, handling, and one week's storage, after which storage will be charged for.

Goods transhipped into lighters or vessels from vessels lying alongside the wharves, per ton .. 1 0

Crannage.

For use of steam crane on wharf, or in yard, per ton (minimum charge, 15s.)

Exceptional cargoes (as may be determined by the Railway Department) to be charged per day, or otherwise by special agreement.

The charge for crannage does not include the cost of haulage to the crane when the goods have been previously deposited at a distance therefrom.

Minimum charge for use of 12-ton steam-crane .. 20 0

Storage.

On goods not removed within 12 working-hours, per day, per ton

On timber not removed within one week, per 100ft. superficial, per day

The working-hours are from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. on week-days. No ship shall discharge or take in cargo at other times without written notice being given by the ship's officer to the Wharfinger, under a penalty of £5 for each offence.

The captain or agent of each vessel must supply the Wharfinger with a correct copy of the vessel's manifest prior to discharging any cargo, under a penalty of £5 for each offence.

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

JAMES MCKERROW, } Railway
 T. RONAYNE, } Commissioners.
 JOHN L. SCOTT, }

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

THE New Zealand Railway Commissioners, in exercise and pursuance of the powers conferred by "The Government Railways Act, 1887," do hereby make the following alterations in and additions to the scale of fares, rates, and charges on the New Zealand Government Railways, to come into force on and after the 28th day of May, 1894:—

PART VI.—WHARVES.

WESTPORT SECTION.—WESTPORT WHARF.

Charges for Use of Wharf.

For every vessel lying at a wharf, per day, per ton register	s. d.
Minimum charge	0 0½
Minimum charge	20 0
The maximum charge on any vessel to be £5 10s. per trip.	

Rates.

On all goods and luggage not otherwise specified, per ton weight or measurement, at the option of the department	2 0
Minimum charge	0 3
Wool, per bale	0 6
Flax and tow, per bale	0 3
Sheepskins, per bale not exceeding 2cwt.	0 3
Hides, each	0 1
Shingles, per 1,000	0 6
Palings, per 100	0 6
Slates, per 1,000	2 0
Minerals, per ton	0 6
Timber not otherwise specified, per 100 superficial feet	0 2
Timber (carried by rail for export)	Free
Cattle and horses, per head (first 20)	2 0
(each additional)	1 6
Sheep, pigs, goats, &c., per head (first 50)	0 3
(each additional)	0 1
Poultry, each	0 1
Vehicles, four-wheel	5 0
two-wheel	2 6

Goods for Transhipment.

When goods are landed on wharf ex ship, and redelivered to other ships, they will be charged 2s. 6d. per ton, according to ship's manifest, or by weight or measurement, at the option of the department, including wharfage, handling, and one week's storage, after which storage will be charged for.

Goods transhipped into lighters or vessels from vessels lying alongside the wharves, per ton .. 1 0

<i>Crannage.</i>	s. d.
For use of steam-crane on wharf or in yard, per ton (minimum charge, 15s.) ..	0 6
Exceptional cargoes (as may be determined by the Railway Department) to be charged per day, or otherwise by special agreement.	
The charge for crannage does not include the cost of haulage to the crane when the goods have been previously deposited at a distance therefrom.	
Minimum charge for use of 12-ton steam-crane ..	20 0
<i>Storage.</i>	
On goods not removed within 12 working-hours, per day, per ton ..	1 0
On timber not removed within one week, per 100ft. superficial, per day ..	0 2

The working-hours are from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. on week-days. No ship shall discharge or take in cargo at other times without written notice being given by the ship's officer to the Wharfinger, under a penalty of £5 for each offence. The captain or agent of each vessel must supply the Wharfinger with a correct copy of the vessel's manifest prior to discharging any cargo, under a penalty of £5 for each offence.

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

JAMES MCKERROW, }
T. RONAYNE, } Railway
JOHN L. SCOTT, } Commissioners.

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

THE New Zealand Railway Commissioners, in exercise and pursuance of the powers conferred by "The Government Railways Act, 1887," do hereby make the following alterations in and additions to the scale of fares, rates, and charges on the New Zealand Government Railways, to come into force on and after the 28th day of May, 1894:—

PART V.—CLASSIFICATION OF GOODS.

Wrought-iron fluming-pipes for mining purposes—minimum quantity, 2 tons per single truck, 5 tons per double-bogie truck—Class D. Any less quantity will be charged as such minimum, or at the classified rates for Class B. Owner's risk. *Special goods.*

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

JAMES MCKERROW, }
T. RONAYNE, } Railway
JOHN L. SCOTT, } Commissioners.

Alterations and Additions to the Special Scale of Fares, Rates, and Charges in Force for Traffic interchanged between Stations on the Greymouth Section of the New Zealand Government Railways and Stations on the New Zealand Midland Railway Company's Railway, and for Local Traffic on the New Zealand Midland Railway Company's Railway.

THE New Zealand Railway Commissioners, in exercise and pursuance of the powers conferred by "The Government Railways Act, 1887," do hereby make the following alterations in and additions to the special scale of fares, rates, and charges for traffic interchanged between stations on the Greymouth Section of the New Zealand Government Railways and stations on the New Zealand Midland Railway Company's Railway, and for local traffic on the New Zealand Midland Railway Company's Railway; to come into force on and after the 28th day of May, 1894:—

PART III.—GOODS.

REGULATIONS.

Class K.—Timber.

Timber consigned to Greymouth from Ngahere will be charged 6d. per 100 superficial feet over the Midland Company's line.

The common seal of the New Zealand Railway Commissioners was hereunto affixed, this twenty-third day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, in the presence of

JAMES MCKERROW, }
T. RONAYNE, } Railway
JOHN L. SCOTT, } Commissioners.

Crown Lands Notices.

Small Grazing-run, Hawke's Bay, open for Application.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Napier, 23th March, 1894.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned small grazing-run will be open for lease on application on and after Wednesday, 30th May, at the annual rental noted below. In case of more than one application for the 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.	
		A.	R. P.	£	s. d.
9	Pohui ..	2,534	0 0	30	0 0

High hilly country, covered with fern and stunted manuka. The spurs are in places narrow, rocky, and broken, and the gullies deep, with steep faces; in others, the ridges and spurs are broad, with easy faces, carrying a little grass. Soil, light pumice. There is a little timber in the gullies, chiefly rimu and red-birch, with a little stunted totara, sufficient for fencing purposes; well watered. Distant forty miles from Napier.

CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. The term of lease is twenty-one years, with the option of renewal for a further period of twenty-one years, at a rent to be fixed by valuation, and improvements being secured to lessee as provided by "The Land Act, 1892," section 182. Each lessee is required to make the declaration as per form printed hereon.
2. No person can lease more than one run.
3. Residence on the run is compulsory, and commences within three years in bush or swamp land, and within one year in open or partly open land, unless the lessee obtain the consent of the Land Board to reside on other land in his occupation.
4. Permanent improvements must be effected equal to one year's rental by the end of the first year, two years' rental by the end of the second year, and four years' rental at the end of the sixth year; and on bush land, in addition thereto, improvements must be made to the value of 10s. an acre if first-class land, or of 5s. an acre if second-class land.
5. One half-year's rent and £1 1s. for the lease must be paid immediately the application is declared successful; the rent to be paid half-yearly in advance during the term of the lease. The next payment of rent will become due on the 1st March, 1895.
6. The lessee has no right to purchase any part of the land; but he can select 150 acres around the homestead through which no road can be taken or other public privilege exercised without compensation.

DECLARATION.

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

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

(Signature.)

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

* Place of abode or occupation. † Here specify.

T. HUMPHRIES,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Reserve at Auckland for Lease by Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 17th April, 1894.

NOTICE is hereby given that the lease for a term of fourteen years of the plantation reserve, Section 218, Takapuna Parish, containing 5 acres 2 roods 7 perches, will be offered at public auction at this office on Friday, the 22nd day of June proximo, at 11 a.m. Upset annual rent, £1 10s.

Description: Open land on the Birkenhead to Lucas Creek Road, about four miles from the Birkenhead Wharf.

Term of Lease: Fourteen years from the 1st July, 1894, without any right of renewal.

Rent payable half-yearly in advance on the 1st January and 1st July in every year.

No valuation for improvements will be allowed during either the currency or at the termination of the lease, but the lessee will have the right to remove fences and buildings that may be erected by him.

GERHARD MUELLER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Small Grazing-runs open for Lease on Application.

District Lands Office,
Dunedin, 14th May, 1894.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned small grazing-runs will be open for lease on application, at the District Lands Office, on and after the 4th July, 1894, at the half-yearly rental noted opposite the runs. In case of more than one application for the runs on the same day, priority of selection will be decided by ballot on the following day, at 11 a.m.

SCHEDULE.
WAITAKI COUNTY.

Survey District.	Section.	Block.	Area.			Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.
			A.	R.	P.		
Domest ..	2	X.	13,540	0	0	3d.	84 12 6
" ..	2	XI.					
Kakanui ..	1	I.					
" ..	1	II.					
" ..	1	VIII.					
Kyeburn ..	1	XIII.	9,640	0	0	3d.	60 5 0
" ..	1	XIV.					

Subdivisions of parts of Pastoral Runs Nos. 300 and 301. The country is of sound grazing quality, containing about 4,000 acres of well-grassed land, about 4,000 acres fairly-grassed, and the remainder poorly-grassed and broken. It averages an altitude of 2,800ft., is well watered, and fronts the main Livingstone-Naseby Road. The run contains a capital homestead-site, around which are several hundred acres of arable land. Livingstone is six miles and Tokarahi Railway-station eleven miles distant. Valuation for house and fencing, £57 14s., which amount must be paid immediately the result of the ballot is declared. This run was lately surrendered by James Chapman.

Survey District.	Section.	Block.	Area.			Rate per Acre.	Annual Rental.
			A.	R.	P.		
Domest ..	1	X.	9,640	0	0	3d.	60 5 0
" ..	3	XI.					
Kyeburn ..	1	X.					
" ..	2	XIII.					
Kakanui ..	2	I.					

Subdivisions of parts of Pastoral Runs 300 and 301. This is a very compact run, good aspect, and it is well grassed throughout, silver-tussock on lower slopes and snow-grass on higher levels. Situated about nine miles from Livingstone, and about fourteen from Tokarahi Railway-station; average altitude about 2,800ft. above the sea-level. Lately surrendered by Robert Little. Valuation for improvement, £13 5s. This amount must either be lodged with application, or must be paid immediately the result of the ballot is declared.

CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. The term of lease is twenty-one years, with the option of renewal for a further period of twenty-one years, at a rent to be fixed by valuation, and improvements being secured to lessee as provided by "The Land Act, 1892," section 182. Each lessee is required to make the declaration as per form printed below.
2. No person can lease more than one run.
3. Residence on the run is compulsory, and commences within three years in bush or swamp land, and within one year in open or partly open land, unless the lessee obtain

the consent of the Land Board to reside on other land in his occupation.

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

5. One half-year's rent and £1 1s. for the lease must be paid immediately the application is declared successful; the rent to be paid half-yearly in advance during the term of the lease. The next payment of rent will become due on the 1st March, 1895.

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

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

DECLARATION.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

(Signature.)

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

* Place of abode or occupation. † Here specify.

J. P. MAITLAND,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Small Grazing-runs, Taranaki, open for Lease on Application.

District Lands and Survey Office,
New Plymouth, 25th April, 1894.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned small grazing-runs will be open for lease on application, at the District Lands and Survey Office, New Plymouth, on and after Wednesday, the 27th day of June, 1894, at the annual rental noted opposite each run. In the case of more than one application for the runs on the same day, priority of selection will be decided by ballot on the following day, at 11 a.m.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

First-class Pastoral Country.

No. of Run.	Block.	Survey District.	Area.	Rate per Acre.	Annual Rental.
5	IX., X.	Opaku ..	Acres. 1,358	s. d. 0 3	£ s. d. 16 19 6
*6	V., VI., IX., X.	Opaku ..	2,616	0 3	32 14 0

* Weighted with £100, value of improvements.

These lands are situate on the Patea River, access being obtained by the Maben Road and by the Ball Road, the latter being formed for dray-traffic as far as Run No. 3, within two miles of the block, thence by a good pack-track into the block. The country is very rough; that portion of No. 5 next to the Patea River is not so broken. On the south-west corner of No. 6 fifty acres of bush have been felled and grassed. The soil is of fair quality, and well watered. The timber is light, consisting of rata, rimu, tawa, and the usual undergrowth.

Plans and further particulars may be obtained on application at this office.

JOHN STRAUCHON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Small Grazing-run, Southland, open for Application.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 20th April, 1894.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned small grazing-run will be open for lease on application on and after Wednesday, the 13th June, 1894, at the annual rental noted below. In case of more than one application for the run on the same day, priority of selection will be decided by ballot on the following day, at 11 a.m.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

First-class Pastoral Country.

Run No.	Section.	Survey District.	Area.	Rent per Annum.
8	371	Taringatura..	A. R. P. 3,468 0 0	£ s. d. 65 0 6

Tussock country, well watered; part can be ploughed; has a fair sprinkling of English grasses; height above sea-level, from 600ft. to 1,000ft.; distance from Dipton, about eight miles and a quarter. This run will be burdened with £70 13s., being half the value of boundary-fences.

CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

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

2. No person can lease more than one run.

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

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

5. One half-year's rent and £1 1s. for the lease must accompany the application; the rent to be paid half-yearly in advance during the term of the lease. The next payment of rent will become due on the 1st March, 1895.

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

DECLARATION.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

(Signature.)

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

* Place of abode or occupation. † Here specify.

G. W. WILLIAMS,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

License of Pastoral Run for Sale by Auction.

Crown Lands Office,
Hokitika, 21st May, 1894.

NOTICE is hereby given that the license of the pastoral run set out below will be offered by public auction at the Land Office, Hokitika, on Tuesday, the 10th day of July next, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the price and for the term given, and subject to any rights of renewal or resumption as may be prescribed by the Land Acts.

Maps may be seen at the Land Office, Hokitika, where other full particulars as to conditions of sale, license, &c., and as to declarations to be taken, may be ascertained.

Payment to be made on the fall of the hammer, and to consist of six months' rent in advance and license-fee, £1 1s.

No. of Run.	Area.	Locality.	Upset Annual Rental.	Term: Ten Years from
118	A. R. P. 2,500 0 0	Koitirangi ..	£ s. d. 2 10 0	1st September, 1894.

Run No. 118, 2,500 acres, between Hokitika and Kokatahi Rivers, comprising the whole of Koitirangi Hill; limestone formation, bush feed, cattle country; average altitude, 600ft.; access by Special-settlement Road and Hokitika River-bed. Bounded on the north by Cropp's Swamp and surveyed lands; on the east by G. C. line; on the south by Hokitika River; and on the west by Hokitika River and surveyed land.

DAVID BARRON,
Commissioner 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, 12th May, 1894.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Trust Commissioner will, under the authority and for the purposes of the said Acts, hold a Court at the Resident Magistrate's Court House, High Street, Auckland, on Monday, the 4th day of June, 1894, at 2 p.m., for investigating the transactions relative to the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereunder, at which time and place all persons having any objections to the said transactions are hereby notified to attend.

J. A. WILSON,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

TE WHARAU.

94-34. MORTGAGE, dated the 23rd day of December, 1893, made by Tame Panapa, Te Hira Pateoro, and Kirihipina Pateoro, all of Orakei, to Edmund Thomas Dufaur, of Auckland, solicitor.

INTEREST IN TE WHARAU.

94-47. Conveyance, dated the 30th day of March, 1894, made by Ngahuia Moihi, of Pukaki, Onehunga, to Tame Panapa, of Kaipara.

INTEREST IN MOEHAU NO. 1, OR WAIKAWAU.

94-67. Transfer, dated the 17th day of April, 1894, made by Haki Tukaramaene, of Mirana, to the Kauri Timber Company (Limited).

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

Native Land Court Office,
Wellington, 21st May, 1894.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Trust Commissioner will, under the authority and for the purposes of the said Acts, hold a Court at the Resident Magistrate's Court, Wellington, on the 6th day of June, 1894, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for investigating the cases mentioned in the Schedule hereunder, at which time and place all persons interested in the said cases, and having objections to the said dealings, are hereby notified to attend.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

HUTT DISTRICT, SECTION 16, SUBDIVISION 28.
93-938. TRANSFER, dated the 13th day of July, 1893, from
Katene Anaru to John Stevenson.

URUOKAKITE SOUTH B, No. 5.

94-130. Conveyance, dated the 6th day of March, 1894,
from Hamuera Ihaka to John Craig McKerrow.

URUOKAKITE SOUTH B, No. 5.

94-131. Conveyance, dated the 5th day of March, 1894,
from Te Kani Ihaka to John Craig McKerrow.

URUOKAKITE SOUTH B, No. 5.

94-132. Conveyance, dated the 28th day of March, 1894,
from Hera Ihaka and another to John Craig McKerrow.

MAUNGARAKI No. 3.

94-136. Deed of gift, dated the 27th day of February,
1894, from Hoani Kitakita to Mere Paaka.

MAUNGARAKI No. 3.

94-137. Deed of gift, dated the 27th day of February, 1894,
from Oriwia Kitakita to Mere Paaka.

WAERENGA No. 6.

94-138. Conveyance, dated the 9th day of December, 1893,
from Manahi Paora to George Bell.

NGAWAKAAKUPE No. 1.

94-139. Mortgage, dated the 2nd day of May, 1894, from
Atarea Punua to Charles Harris and another.

MAUNGARAKI No. 3.

94-140. Mortgage, dated the 17th day of May, 1894, from
Pamariki Paaka and another to Franklin Webb.

Sitting of Court to determine Relative Interests.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a sitting of the Native
Land Court to be held at Otaki on the 5th day of
June, 1894, as above notified, the Court will, in pursuance
of section 42 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1886," pro-
ceed to inquire and decide the relative shares or interests,
as amongst themselves, of certain persons appointed to
succeed to the interests of certain deceased original owners
in the lands named in the Schedule hereto.

The Court will proceed to make these inquiries in exercise
of the authority conferred by section 21 of "The Native
Land Court Act 1886 Amendment Act, 1888."

Dated this 21st day of May, 1894.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

No.	Name of Land.
1	Horowhenua 3b, No. 1 (89-793).
2	Horowhenua 3b, No. 5 (89-798).
3	Horowhenua 3c, No. 4 (89-798).

Subdivision No. 9, Horowhenua Block.—Land referred to the Native Land Court for Inquiry under Section 51 of
"The Native Land Court Act, 1886."

Native Land Court Office, Wellington, 21st May, 1894.

IN pursuance of an Order in Council, dated the 19th day of August, 1890, declaring that it shall be within the jurisdiction
of the Native Land Court to ascertain and determine which of the descendants of Te Whatanui are entitled, and in
what proportions, to a share in the above-named block, and to make such order or orders in that behalf as the nature of
the case may require, it is hereby notified that at a sitting of the Native Land Court to be held at Otaki on the 5th day
of June, 1894, the Court will proceed to inquire into the above case, in accordance with the terms of the said Order in
Council, and to make such order or orders in that behalf as the nature of the case may require.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON, Registrar.

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

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 21st May, 1894.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the
Native Land Court sitting at Otaki on the 5th day of June, 1894, or as soon thereafter as the business of the
Court will allow.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1	Heni te Rei, Rei Parewhanake (O. 236-1)	Ngawhakangutu.
2	Ropata Ranapiri (O. 500-1)	Whakahokiaatapango No. 2.
3	Ropata Ranapiri (O. 354-1)	Piritaha No. 8A.
4	Karepa Kapukai, Hoani Hawea (O. 253-1)	Ngakaroro No. 2F (railway-line).
5	Hera Tuhangahanga (O. 258-3)	Ngakaroro No. 3b.
6	Te Wai Rangitahua, Ropata Rangitahua (O. 446-1)	Taonui-Ahuaturanga 6E, No. 3.
7	Hera Tuhangahanga (O. 286-1)	Otaki Township, Section 50.
8	Peehi te Kakakura, Maaka Pukehi (O. 286-1)	Otaki Township, Section 52.
9	Anihaera Reweti and others (O. 309-2)	Otaki, Sections 102, 104, and 106.
10	Meihana te Hatete (O. 477-1)	Tuwahakatupua No. 1.
11	Hakaraia te Whena (O. 435-9)	Taumanuka No. 4.
12	Meretini Kuka (O. 435-13)	Taumanuka No. 4.
13	Mohi Wharewhiti and others (O. 21-5)	Awahohonu No. 3.
14	Karehana te Whena, Hapaira te Whena, Ari te Whatene (O. 153-3)	Manawatu-Kukutauaki 4c, Section 5.
15	Enereta Rikihana, Te Arai Watene, Karehana te Whena, and others (O. 155-5)	Manawatu-Kukutauaki 4c, Section 5.
16	Ropata Ranapiri (O. 153-1)	Manawatu-Kukutauaki 4b, Section 1.
17	Hoani Meihana and others (O. 16-1)	Aorangi No. 3G, Block IV.
18	Hara Tauranga (O. 4-1)	Aorangi No. 1, Section 3B.
19	Francis Loudon (W. 143-5)	Subdivision 1A, Section 2, Hutt.
20	Hara Tauranga (O. 41-1)	Kopani No. 347 (Carnarvon N.R.).
21	Tauhu Roera (O. 214-3)	Muhunoa No. 3A.
22	Matine Hemara, Heta Hemara, Tiaki Hawea (O. 119-3)	Katihiku No. 4.
23	Riria Hiahia (O. 149-11)	Manawatu-Kukutauaki No. 3, Section 2.
24	Wiremu Kipa, Moroati Kipa, Maraea Peehi, and others (O. 468-1)	Tuahiwi No. 1.
25	Henare Roera (by his solicitor Sir W. Buller) (O. 214-5)	Muhunoa No. 3A.

REMOVAL OF RESTRICTIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1	Te Rei Tamihana (O. 382-3)	Pukehou 4g, Section 8.
2	P. H. Taipua, P. H. Taipua (for U. K. Taipua), Hihira Moroati (trustee for U. K. Taipua) (O. 169-1)	Otawhiwhi No. 7g.
3	Teo Tipene (for Taniora Anaru), Hohepine Love (W. 35-17) ..	Whakahukuwai (Hutt), Subdivision 18, Section 16.
4	Aterea Rota Tauehe, Netahio Tauehe (O. 271-13)	Ohau No. 3, Subdivision 21.
5	Teone Hape Pohio (N.O. 92-1739)	Waikouaiti, Section 35, Block XII.
6	Mereana Patukino, Kiniwe Roera (O. 214-1)	Muhunoa No. 3A.
7	Pane te Oenuku (O. 263-3)	Pahiko-Ngakaroro No. 6.
8	Kerakeha Paehua, Hiwi Piahana, Akapita te Tewe, Arekatera, Eria te Ra, Meropa te Kootu, Te Rei Tamihana, Ruta Enoka Hetekia, Merania Hotene, Ngahorihori Natana, and others (O. 377-1)	Pukehou 4c, Section 7.
9	Anihaera Reweti, Riria Hopihona, Nina Hopihona, Ariki Hopihona, Mohi Hekiera (O. 491-11)	Waiorongomai No. 9 (9B).
10	Te Rei Parewhanake, Ropata te Ao, Anawaihi Ropata, Hori te Waru, Heni Mahima, Hema R. Te Ao (O. 491-13)	Waiorongomai No. 9 (9D).
11	Tanhu Roera, Karaitiana te Tupe, Turia Roera, Paranihia Kuiti (J. 94-496)	Otaki, Section 91.
12	Messrs. Kirk and Atkinson (for Messrs. Stuart and Davies) (J. 94-444)	Manawatu-Kukutauaki 4B, Section 1A.
13	Tamihana Whareakaka and others (J. 94-241)	Manawatu-Kukutauaki 4A, Section 2.
14	Messrs. Brown and Dean (for W. F. B. Brown) (J. 94-334)	Manawatu-Kukutauaki 4B, Section 4.
15	Hakaraia te Wera (93-1944)	Waimakaira.
16	Tapori, Pine Whareakaka, Wiremu te Hira (J. 94-241) ..	Manawatu-Kukutauaki 4A, No. 2.
17	Te Wiata te Horu, Hapeta Rangikatukua (O. 491-19) ..	Waiorongomai No. 9E.
18	Mihipeka Pehara (for Miriana te Marerahi) (O. 93-1) ..	Huritini No. 6.

APPLICATION FOR THE DETERMINATION OF RELATIVE INTERESTS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1	H. Taipua (trustee for Mita Arama) (93-3200)	Waiwiri East.

OTHER BUSINESS.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 4 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT 1886 AMENDMENT ACT, 1888."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1	Messrs. Chapman, Fitzgerald, and Tripp (for the Horowhenua County Council) (O. 450-1)	Titokitoki No. 1B.

Application to the Validation Court under "The Native Land (Validation of Titles) Act, 1893."

IN THE VALIDATION COURT,
HOLDEN AT GISBORNE.

In the matter of "The Native Land (Validation of Titles) Act, 1893" and in the matter of the Wharekaka No. 1 Block.

A. ANDREW REEVES, of Tolago Bay, in the District of Poverty Bay, sheep-farmer, applies under the above-mentioned Act for the validation of the estates and interests, purchased, as appears from the conveyances hereinafter mentioned, from twenty-seven Natives, in all that parcel of land situated in the Gisborne Native Land Court District, in the District of Poverty Bay, containing by admeasurement 1,114 acres, more or less, being the land called or known as the Wharekaka No. 1 Block.

B. The applicant desires to appear before the Validation Court on Monday, the 18th day of June, 1894, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, or at the first sitting of the Court thereafter.

C. The natures of the transactions proposed for validation are,—

1. A Conveyance, bearing date the 17th day of October, 1877, from the Natives hereinafter mentioned to Robert Cooper, for the total consideration of £557, of all their estates and interests in the said Wharekaka No. 1 Block, which conveyance was executed by the several Natives whose names are hereunder immediately set forth, upon the several dates set opposite to the respective names of the said Natives, as follows:—

Name of Native who executed said Conveyance.	Date of Execution of said Conveyance.
Himiona Mokeke	17th Oct., 1877.
Karauria Pahura	17th Oct., 1877.
Hami Toropo	17th Oct., 1877.
Heremia Taurewa	18th Oct., 1877.
Patara Rangi	18th Oct., 1877.
Rutene Tamitami	23rd Oct., 1877.
Hirini Haereone, <i>alias</i> Hirini Taketake	25th Oct., 1877.
Eru Mokeke	6th Nov., 1877.
Hirau	7th Nov., 1877.
Maraea Kaipuke	10th Nov., 1877.
Pane Korama	10th Nov., 1877.
Ihaia Ingoa	12th Nov., 1877.
Ruihi Takaroki	13th Nov., 1877.
Arapera Pahura	27th Dec., 1877.
Hori Kirimana	19th July, 1878.
Pateriki Pahura	21st March, 1879.
Katene Haua, <i>alias</i> Te Haua Tamitami, as one of the successors to Hakaraia Tamitami	5th April, 1879.
Rutene Tamitami, as one of the successors to Hakaraia Tamitami	28th July, 1881.
Waru	5th Oct., 1881.

2. A Conveyance, bearing date the 17th day of November, 1879, from the Natives hereinafter mentioned to

Michael Mullooly, for the total consideration of £27 10s., of all their estates and interests in the said Wharekaka No. 1 Block, which conveyance was executed by the several Natives whose names are hereunder immediately set forth, upon the several dates and for the several considerations set opposite to the respective names of the said Natives, as follows:—

Name of Native who executed said Conveyance.	Date of Execution of said Conveyance.	Consideration paid to Native who executed said Conveyance.
Heremia Taurewa	17th Nov., 1879	£ s. 5 0
Karauria Pahura	17th Nov., 1879	5 0
Arapera Pahura..	17th Nov., 1879	2 10
Hori Kirimana ..	17th Nov., 1879	5 0
Eru Mokeke ..	17th Nov., 1879	5 0
Hami Toropo ..	17th Nov., 1879	5 0

3. A Conveyance, bearing date the 4th day of September, 1880, from the Natives hereinafter mentioned to Michael Mullooly, for the total consideration of £100, of all their estate and interest in the said Wharekaka No. 1 Block, which conveyance was executed by the several Natives whose names are hereunder immediately set forth, upon the several dates and for the several considerations set opposite to the respective names of the said Natives, as follows:—

Name of Native who executed said Conveyance.	Date of Execution of said Conveyance.	Consideration paid to Native who executed said Conveyance.
Himiona te Kani	4th Sept., 1880	£ 50
Tanatiu te Kani, Himiona te Kani as trustee for Tanatiu te Kani	4th Sept., 1880	50

4. A Conveyance, bearing date the 25th day of September, 1880, from the Natives hereinafter mentioned to Michael Mullooly, for the total consideration of £115, of all their estates and interests in the said Wharekaka No. 1 Block, which conveyance was executed by the several Natives whose names are hereunder immediately set forth, upon the several dates and for the several considerations set opposite to the respective names of the said Natives, as follows:—

Name of Native who executed said Conveyance.	Date of Execution of said Conveyance.	Consideration paid to Native who executed said Conveyance.
Pirimona Tapona	25th Sept., 1880	£ 20
Pera Kapotaiaha	25th Sept., 1880	20
Wi Kingi Hori ..	25th Sept., 1880	50
Wi Tuku ..	25th Sept., 1880	25

5. A Conveyance, bearing date the 26th day of January, 1881, from Hoana Kautuku to Michael Mullooly, for the total consideration of £25, of all the estate and interest of the said Hoana Kautuku in the said Wharekaka No. 1 Block.
6. A Conveyance or Transfer, bearing date the 30th day of June, 1887, from Harete Kingi to John Gibson Kinross, for the total consideration of £100, of all the estate and interest of the said Harete Kingi in the said Wharekaka No. 1 Block.

d. The estates and interests in land by the said conveyances intended to be alienated are the whole of the estates and interests in fee-simple of the Natives hereinbefore mentioned as having executed the said conveyances described in paragraph c hereof, in the land known as the Wharekaka No. 1 Block (hereinbefore described), and the title to which said Wharekaka No. 1 Block at the time the said conveyances were executed by the said Natives was a Memorial of Ownership, bearing date the 21st day of July, 1876, issued by the

Native Land Court of New Zealand in favour of thirty owners.

e. The estate or interest in the said Wharekaka No. 1 Block which the applicant seeks to obtain through the aid of the Court is an estate in fee-simple.

f. The manner in which and the persons through whom the applicant came to be invested with the title or right he now holds, and the dates and particulars of the conveyances and mortgages under which the said applicant came to be invested with the said title or right, are as follows:—

1. The conveyances (previously described in paragraph c hereof), bearing date respectively the 17th day of October, 1877, the 17th day of November, 1879, the 4th day of September, 1880, the 25th day of September, 1880, the 26th day of January, 1881, and the 30th day of June, 1887.
2. Conveyance, bearing date the day of May, 1886, from Robert Cooper to John Gibson Kinross and Andrew Graham.
3. Conveyance, bearing date the 19th day of May, 1887, from Andrew Graham to John Gibson Kinross.
4. Mortgage, bearing date the 19th day of March, 1883, from Michael Mullooly to George Burgoyne Owen.
5. Conveyance, bearing date the 29th day of June, 1887, from George Burgoyne Owen to John Gibson Kinross.
6. Mortgage, bearing date the 20th day of August, 1887, from John Gibson Kinross to Dalgety and Co. (Limited).
7. Conveyance, bearing date the 1st day of October, 1889, from Dalgety and Co. (Limited) and the Official Assignee in Kinross's estate to Andrew Reeves.

g. The address for service of the applicant in the Town of Gisborne is at the office of Messrs. Nolan and Skeet, solicitors, off Gladstone Road, in the Town of Gisborne.

h. The applicant desires the said estates and interests in fee-simple in the said Wharekaka No. 1 Block of the said Natives whose names are set forth in paragraph c hereof, being the persons who executed the said conveyances (as previously mentioned), bound by the decrees of the Court, and for that purpose requires that copies of this application shall be served on the said Natives or their representatives (according to the list set forth in the Schedule hereto).

The applicant desires that all others who may claim to be interested in the validation applied for shall be treated as parties to these proceedings; but the applicant is unable (except as hereinbefore mentioned) to specify any names.

Dated at Gisborne, this 5th day of May, 1894.

ANDREW REEVES,
By his Solicitors and Agents,
NOLAN AND SKEET.

To the Registrar of the Validation Court, Gisborne.

The Schedule hereinbefore referred to.

Names of surviving Natives who have signed the said conveyances of their interests in the Wharekaka No. 1 Block—

Hami Toropo, Tolago Bay; Heremia Taurewa, Tolago Bay; Patara Rangi, Tolago Bay; Rutene Tamitami, Te Arai Bridge; Eru Mokeke, Tolago Bay; Ruihi Takaroki, Tolago Bay; Wi Kingi Hori, Tolago Bay; Arapera Pahura, Tolago Bay; Hori Kirimana, Tolago Bay; Himiona Mokeke, Tolago Bay; Katene Haua *alias* Te Haua Tamitami, as a successor to Hakaraia Tamitami, Tolago Bay; Rutene Tamitami, as a successor to Hakaraia Tamitami, Te Arai Bridge; Waru, Tolago Bay; Himiona te Kani, Tolago Bay; Tanatiu te Kani, Tolago Bay; Pera Kapotaiaha, Tolago Bay; Harete Kingi, Tolago Bay; Pane Korama, Tolago Bay.

Names of dead Natives who have signed the said conveyances—

Karauria Pahura. Probable successor, Arapera Pahura, Tolago Bay.
Hirini Haereone, *alias* Hirini Taketake. Probable successors, Harata Haereone, Makauri; Rohena Haereone, Makauri; Heni Haereone, Makauri.
Hirau. Probable successor, Heremia Taurewa, Tolago Bay.
Maraea Kaipuke. Probable successor, Pane Korama, Tolago Bay.
Ihaia Ingoa. Probable successor, Wi Takeke, Kawakawa, East Coast.
Wi Tuku. Probable successor, Harata Makuru, Tolago Bay.
Pirimona Tapona. Probable successors, Himiona te Kani, Tolago Bay; Te Reinga, Tolago Bay; Timoti te Kahu, Tolago Bay.
Hoana Kautuku. Probable successors, Himiona Kautuku, Tolago Bay; Pirihiira te Kuru, Tolago Bay.
Pateriki Pahura. Probable successors, Tame Pahura, Tolago Bay; Eruera Rangiua, Gisborne; Katerina Rangiua, Gisborne.

Bankruptcy Notices.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ALFRED GEORGE STEVENS, of Parnell, Messenger, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 25th day of May, 1894, at 11 o'clock.

J. LAWSON,
Official Assignee.
18th May, 1894.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES SENIOR, of Collarbone Creek, Thames, Miner, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at Mr. T. W. Clark's office, Queen Street, Thames, on the 28th day of May, 1894, at 2.30 o'clock.

J. LAWSON,
Official Assignee.
15th May, 1894.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that CHARLES FREDERICK LYS, of Hastings, Tailor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, Napier, on the 25th day of May, 1894, at 11 o'clock.

J. F. JARDINE,
Deputy Official Assignee.
Napier, 16th May, 1894.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that SAM HERBERT NEWMAN, of Hastings, Horsetrainer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, Hastings, on the 28th day of May, 1894, at 2.30 o'clock.

J. F. JARDINE,
Deputy Official Assignee.
Napier, 18th May, 1894.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that THOMAS MACWOOD JACKSON, of Birmingham, Butcher, was adjudged bankrupt, on creditors' petition, on the 11th day of May, 1894; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, Feilding, on the 22nd day of May, 1894, at 3 o'clock.

G. J. SCOTT,
Deputy Official Assignee.
Palmerston North, 16th May, 1894.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that HENRY CHARLES FREDERICK LAMPP, of Stanway, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, Feilding, on the 22nd day of May, 1894, at 2 o'clock.

G. J. SCOTT,
Deputy Official Assignee.
Palmerston North, 16th May, 1894.

In Bankruptcy.

Estate of BERNARD SHEERIN.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first and final dividend, of 20s. in the pound, is now payable at my office on all approved claims.

G. J. SCOTT,
Deputy Official Assignee.
Palmerston North, 14th May, 1894.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE GRAHAM, of Papanui, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 22nd day of May, 1894, at 11 o'clock.

G. L. GREENWOOD,
Official Assignee.
Christchurch, 15th May, 1894.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM HIGHAM, late of Wheatsheaf Hotel, Hotelkeeper, now of Christchurch, out of business, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 25th day of May, 1894, at 11 o'clock.

G. L. GREENWOOD,
Official Assignee.
Christchurch, 19th May, 1894.

In Bankruptcy.—In the District Court of Westland, holden at Greymouth.

NOTICE is hereby given that ALEXANDER MCKENZIE, of Lake Brunner, Boatman, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 19th day of May, 1894, at 4 o'clock.

ROBT. WM. RUSSELL,
Deputy Official Assignee.
Greymouth, 11th May, 1894.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ROBERT BRIEN, of Studholme Junction, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, at Arcade, Timaru, on Monday, the 21st day of May, 1894, at 11 o'clock.

ALEX. MONTGOMERY,
Deputy Official Assignee.
Timaru, 15th May, 1894.

In Bankruptcy.

Estate of MATTHEW BURGIN BROWN, of Fairview, near Timaru, Farmer.

A FIRST and final dividend, of 11d. in the pound, on all accepted proved claims is now payable at my office, Arcade, Timaru.

ALEX. MONTGOMERY,
Deputy Official Assignee.
Timaru, 16th May, 1894.

"THE WEST COAST SETTLEMENT RESERVES ACT, 1892."

NOTICE TO NATIVE OWNERS and LESSEE of a MEETING to be held at the COURTHOUSE, HAWERA, at 11 o'clock a.m. on MONDAY, the 18th June, 1894, to fix the Rent for a NEW LEASE to SARAH JANE MCGUIRE of Section No. 64, Block I., HAWERA, containing 100 Acres (more or less), being Land comprised in Memorandum of Lease registered No. 415.

TO Pi Katene, Karere Katene, Ngahaka Katene, Te Puni Pai Katene, Tapuirangi Katene (Heao, trustee), Ngapaku Katene, Pipi, Tapuirangi, Ngapaku, Hauwhenua, Huatahi, Tapena, Punahau, Nauora, Taketake, Ngatai Tangirua, Tahuoi, Ngariro, Matohe, Te Hira, Kawhena, Ngarama, Ngati, Ngatokorua, Kirimaro, John Carr (Charles Carr, trustee), Ngawhare, Te Iki, Te Piki (haumatua), Mahau, Te Piki te Iki, Hori, Whareherehere, Kiri Taupata, Tamawhero, Paerangi, Hiwi, Ngahua, Rangiwhehu, Motuhanga, Te Raho, Ruihi, Motumahanga, Huia, Te Rauna, Taniwha, Kohunga, Maha, Ngaro, Tuku, Tauke, Te Whirowhiro, Heao, Ngahaka, Kiore, Tawiri, Walata, Ngawai Tarawhiti, Awhio, Te Rupapira, Pouwhareumu, Whakataka, Taha, Waipatara, Hihii, Haukopa, Ngoku, Whakarua, Tarewa Kotuku, Atutahi Pirikahu, Tini Pirikahu, Taroi Pirikahu, Koroneho Pirikahu (Whakarua-te-Kareha, trustee), Pirikaha, Tutae, Ngataitangirua, Te Whatu, Rangihawe, Te Heke, Taumana, Hore, Whakawiria, Tohukore, Pawa, and the other Native owners of all that piece of land situate in the Hawera Survey District, being Section 64, Block I., and containing by admeasurement 100 acres (more or less), being the land comprised in memorandum of lease, registered No. 415, to Sarah Jane McGuire, of Hawera, as transferee.

Whereas the above-named Sarah Jane McGuire has given notice to me under the provisions of section 8 of "The West Coast Settlement Reserves Act, 1892," that she desires to obtain under that section a new lease of the land above described; and I consider her application ought to be given effect to: Now, therefore, I do hereby appoint a meeting to take place between the said Sarah Jane McGuire and all the Native owners of the above-described land, for the purpose of fixing the rent to be paid for the said land for the first twenty-one years of the new lease; and I fix the Courthouse, Hawera, as the place where, and Monday, the 18th day of June, 1894, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, as the time when, such meeting shall take place.

Dated this 21st day of May, 1894.
J. K. WARBURTON,
Public Trustee.

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 from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

7443. HENRY BAILEY.—56 acres 3 roods 30 perches, Rural Section 11100, Block VI., Okain's Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

7444. EMILY DORA MILLIKEN.—3 acres and 12 perches, part Rural Section 60, Block X., Christchurch Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

7446. JOHN JAMES THOMSON.—2 acres 2 roods 39 perches, with right-of-way, part Rural Section 48, Block XV., Christchurch Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

7447. JOHN BRESLIN.—26 acres and 34 perches, Rural Section 5285, Block II., Akaroa Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

7448. JOHN WILSON.—1 acre and 3 perches, part Rural Sections 2062 and 2078, Block IV., Rangiora Survey District. Unoccupied.

7449. EMILY SUTHERLAND.—20 perches, part Rural Section 79, Borough of Sydenham. Occupied by Mrs. Wiltshire.

7451. JOHN WILLIAM OVERTON.—104 acres 2 roods 35 perches, Rural Section 2622 and part 1480 and 2627, Block XIII., Christchurch Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

7452. FRANCIS JOHN FOX and WILDER BARRY FOX.—874 acres, Rural Sections 9748, 9749, 9750, 9751, Blocks III. and IV., Waitohi Survey District. Occupied by W. B. Fox.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 19th day of May, 1894, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch. J. M. BATHAM,
321 District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1885," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 25th day of June, 1894.

2409. EDWARD PEARCE and CHARLES JOHN JOHNSTON (Executors of CHARLES SHARP, deceased).—87 acres 3 roods 16 perches, part of Section 3, Porirua District. In occupation of Robert Hannah.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 23rd day of May, 1894, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington. J. W. SHAW,
322 Deputy District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title in the names of RASMUS ANDERSON, PETER RASMUSSEN, and HEMMING CHRISTIAN JENSEN, all of Halcombe, settlers, for part Section 4 of Subdivision F, Manchester Block, on deposited Plan 91, being the land described in certificate of title, Vol. xxxvii., folio 75, and evidence having been lodged as to the loss of the original certificate, I give notice that I will issue the certificate as requested unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 8th day of June, 1894.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington, this 23rd day of May, 1894. J. W. SHAW,
324 Deputy District Land Registrar.

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

1111. GEORGE BEETHAM, CHARLES EDWARD BEETHAM, and NORMAN BEETHAM, Applicants.—498 acres and 19 perches, Te Apati, No. 2A. In occupation of Applicants.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 21st day of May, 1894, at the Lands Registry Office, Napier. G. G. BRIDGES,
825 District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me to register a dealing affecting an undivided moiety in the Whakahemate Block, comprised in certificate of title, Vol. lxxiii., folio 21, of which PARAONE PAHORO is registered proprietor, and cause having been shown why production of original of said certificate should be dispensed with, I hereby give notice that I will dispense with such production and register said dealing unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 9th day of June, 1894.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington, the 23rd day of May, 1894. J. W. SHAW,
823 Deputy District Land Registrar.

Mining Notice.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The New Eldorado Sluicing Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: 17th April, 1893.

Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Dunedin; John R. Hooper.

Nominal capital: £2,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £1,911.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £341.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same: £341.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £1,570.

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 2,000.

Number of shares allotted: 1,911.

Amount paid up per share: £1.

Amount called up per share: £1.

Number and amount of calls in arrear: 150; £150.

Number of shares forfeited: Nil.

Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.

Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 5.

Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.

Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.

Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.

Amount of cash at banker's: £16 5s. 6d.

Amount of cash in hand: Nil.

Amount of debts directly due to the company: Nil.

Amount of debts considered good: Nil.

Amount of contingent liabilities of company: £54 19s. 2d.

I, John Rossi Hooper, the Secretary of the New Eldorado Sluicing Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December last; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882." JOHN R. HOOPER.

Declared at Dunedin, this 5th day of May, 1894, before me—Edwin J. Spence, J.P. 318

Private Advertisements.

SOUTHLAND COUNTY.

WALLACETOWN CEMETERY TRUST.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. JAMES WILSON, of Argyle, Waianiwa, has been appointed a Trustee for Wallacetown Cemetery, in place of Mr. John Wilson, resigned. R. P. MACGOUN,
320 County Clerk and Treasurer.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership lately existing between the undersigned as Aërated-water and Cordial Manufacturers at Napier, under the firm of "Thomson, Gifford, and Co.," was, on the 25th day of April, 1894, dissolved by mutual consent, and that all debts due and owing to or by the late firm will be received and paid by the firm of "Gifford, Plowman, and Co.," who will continue the business of the late firm.

Dated this 16th day of May, 1894.

ALEX. THOMSON.

F. J. CHASE.

WILLIAM GIFFORD

(Executor late T. H. GIFFORD).

Witness—E. A. P. Sainsbury, Law Clerk, Napier. 319

In the matter of "The Foreign Companies Act, 1884," and of the Guardian Fire and Life Assurance Company (Limited).

IN conformity with and for the purpose of section 7 of the above Act, notice is hereby given that I have been appointed Agent for the Guardian Fire and Life Assurance Company (Limited) in Auckland and district, and that the office or place of business of the aforesaid company is in Queen Street, Auckland. R. BLAIR.
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In the matter of "The Foreign Companies Act, 1884," and of the China Traders' Insurance Company (Limited).

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

JAMES WHITTALL,

Attorney for the China Traders' Insurance Company (Limited) for the Colony of New Zealand. 311