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View Hill Water-race, Oxford Road District, County of Ashley.

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

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the two hundred and sixty-seventh section of "The Counties Act, 1886," and section two of "The Water-supply Act Amendment Act, 1892," and at the request of the Oxford Road Board (the said "Counties Act, 1886," being suspended in the County of Ashley), I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare the lands described in the Schedule hereto to be a water-race as defined by the two hundred and sixty-sixth section of "The Counties Act, 1886," to be known as "The View Hill Water-race"; and, further, that the stream known as White's Creek, in the said county, shall be a stream which may be taken for the purpose of supplying the said water-race.

SCHEDULE.

DESCRIPTION OF VIEW HILL WATER-RACE.

ALL that strip of land, 30 links wide, situate in Blocks 5 and 6 in the Oxford Survey District, the centre-line of which commences at a point on the eastern bank of White's Creek, in Rural Section 19450, being 5808.4 links south-west of Trig. Station 31N, computed on a line bearing 227° 16' 30", and proceeds south-easterly through Section 19450, to and along a public road, at bearings and distances respectively of 131° 49', 75 links; 104° 01', 95 links; 129° 52', 259 links; 127° 04', 167.2 links; 101° 27', 125.4 links; to a point on the south-west boundary of Section 19450: thence easterly through the said section at bearings and distances of 96° 42', 220.5 links; 90° 37', 334.7 links; 74° 34', 611 links; 112° 33', 109.5 links; 98° 00', 229.8 links; 110° 37', 55.6 links; to a point on the eastern boundary of Section 19450 being 95 links from the south-east corner thereof: thence south-easterly across Section 19346, to and along the road forming the southern boundary of the last-mentioned section, at bearings and distances of 110° 37', 183.6 links; 88° 52', 94 links; 105° 33', 66 links; 123° 35', 62.8 links; 113° 40', 75.7 links; 132° 31', 30 links; 175° 35', 36.7 links; 143° 11', 59 links; 111° 33', 99.3 links; 97° 40', 69.8 links; to a point on the western boundary of Section 34533 being south of, and 20.2 links distant from, measured on a line bearing 168° 17' from, the westernmost corner of that section: thence easterly along the terrace in Section 34533, at distances and bearings of 108° 08', 140 links; 85° 17', 50.5 links; 56° 42', 60 links; 81° 13', 182 links; 43° 27', 50 links; 62° 55', 115 links; 86° 31', 150 links; 110° 46', 50 links; 134° 35', 200 links; 112° 48', 55 links; 69° 45', 145 links;

40° 52', 85 links; to a point on the road forming the northern boundary of the last-mentioned section: thence easterly and north-easterly along and across the said road at bearings and distances of 69° 25', 135 links; 90° 55', 182.3 links; 40° 43', 74 links: thence south-easterly, at a bearing of 137° 50', a distance of 25 links, to a point on the eastern boundary of Section 18279 being 5.4 links from the south-east corner thereof.

Also, all that strip of land, 15 links wide, situate in Block 6 in the Oxford Survey District, the centre-line of which commences at the point hereinbefore described on the eastern boundary of Section 18279, and proceeds south-easterly, south-westerly, and south-easterly through Sections 18120 and 19273, at bearings and distances of 137° 50', 10 links; 105° 03', 756.2 links; 194° 48', 50 links; 96° 44', 705.3 links; to a point on the eastern boundary of Section 19273: thence south-easterly across Sections 14647 and 9847, at bearings and distances of 108° 03', 295 links; 128° 58', 597 links; to a point 7.5 links north of the Main Road: thence north-easterly, easterly, and south-easterly, in Sections 9847 and 6706, at bearings and distances of 88° 50', 700 links; 90° 06', 181 links; 111° 48', 166.9 links: thence south-westerly across the Main Road, at a bearing of 206° 08', a distance of 92 links: thence easterly along the road, and through the severed portion of Native Reserve 897, at bearings and distances of 123° 10', 440 links; 107° 52', 261 links; 106° 37', 219 links; 84° 47', 152.4 links; 96° 54', 268 links; 6° 54', 10 links; 96° 54', 275 links: thence northerly across the Main Road, at a bearing of 9° 04', a distance of 100 links, to a point in Reserve 897 5 links north of the northern side of road: thence easterly, parallel to and 5 links distant from the north side of Main Road, at bearings and distances of 96° 05', 1086 links; and 102° 33', 360 links: thence southerly across the road, at a bearing of 192° 33', a distance of 110 links: thence easterly, parallel to the south side of road, a distance of 1206 links: thence northerly, at a bearing of 12° 33', a distance of 105 links, to a point on north side of road: thence north-easterly, across Native Reserve 897, at a bearing of 58° 53', a distance of 771 links, to the south-west boundary of Section 10304: thence north-easterly across Section 10304, a distance of 560 links, towards a point on the north-east boundary of that section being 980 links from the south-east corner thereof: thence south-easterly, parallel to the said north-eastern boundary, a distance of 40 links: thence north-easterly, a distance of 685 links, across Section 9220 and into Section 9208, passing through a point on the south-west boundary of the last-mentioned section being 1208 links from the south-west corner thereof: thence south-easterly, parallel to the said south-west boundary, a distance of 892 links: thence north-easterly, across Section 9208, at a bearing of 61° 56', a distance of 1004 links: thence easterly across Section 6498, a distance of 1291 links, to a point on the north-east boundary

ERRATA.—In Supplement to *New Zealand Gazette* No. 40, of 25th May, 1894, Justices of the Peace appointed, for "James McKeown Thomson" read "William McKeown Thomson"; and for "Robert Sparke Perrett" read "Robert Sparke Perrett."

of that section being 487 links from the south-east corner thereof: thence easterly across Section 6487, a distance of 745 links, to a point on the north-east boundary of that section being 166 links from the south-east corner thereof: thence north-easterly, south-easterly, north-easterly, south-easterly, and north-easterly, across the Rampaddock Road and Sections 5826, 2590, 1084, at bearings and distances of 54° 44', 605.5 links; 54° 03', 494 links; 71° 49', 175 links; 68° 21', 355 links; 145° 07', 119 links; 67° 12', 452 links; 145° 17', 153 links; 67° 28', 832.5 links; to a point on the north-east boundary of Section 1084, the said point being 166 links south-east of the southernmost corner of Section 6684, as shown on plan deposited in the Road Board Office, Oxford.

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 Auckland, this twenty-sixth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Division of the Borough of Pahiatua into Three Wards.

(L.S.) GLASGOW, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1886," section twenty-seven, it is enacted that, if not less than one-fourth of the burgesses of a borough petition the Governor praying him to divide such borough into wards, the Governor may, by Proclamation, divide such borough into not more than six wards, and shall in such Proclamation assign such names and boundaries to each ward as he thinks fit: And whereas not less than one-fourth of the burgesses of the Borough of Pahiatua have petitioned me to divide such borough into wards:

Now, therefore, I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance of the hereinbefore-recited authority, do hereby proclaim and declare that the Borough of Pahiatua shall be and the same is hereby divided into three wards, with the names and boundaries set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

WEST WARD.

ALL that portion of the Borough of Pahiatua bounded towards the north-east by the Wellington Corporation Endowment Block; towards the south-east by a line along the middle of main road, Masterton to Woodville; towards the south-west by a line along the middle of Mangatainoka Road; and towards the west by the right bank of the Mangatainoka River.

EAST WARD.

All that portion of the Borough of Pahiatua bounded towards the north-east by the Wellington Corporation Endowment Block; towards the south-east by Sections 18 and 22, Block VIII., Mangahao Survey District; towards the south-west generally by Subdivisions 129 and 127 of original Section 21 of the said Block VIII., and the south-eastern side of Huxley Street, to a point in line with the middle of Mangatainoka Road, thence by a line to and along the middle of that road; and towards the north-west by a line along the middle of the main road, Masterton to Woodville.

SOUTH WARD.

All that portion of the Borough of Pahiatua bounded towards the north-east generally by a line along the middle of Mangatainoka Road, and its production to the east side of Huxley Street, thence by subdivisional Sections 7, 8, and 9 of original Section 21, Block VIII., Mangahao Survey District, a road-line, and subdivisional Sections 10 and 180 of the said Section 21; towards the south-east by Section 22 of the said Block VIII.; towards the south-west by the road forming the north-eastern boundaries of Sections 28 and 27 of the said Block VIII.; towards the west by Section 1, Block VII., Mangahao Survey District; and towards the north and north-west by the right bank of the Mangatainoka River.

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 Auckland, this twenty-eighth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

"Fencing Act, 1881," brought into Operation in County of Hutt.

(L.S.) GLASGOW, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by a Proclamation dated the sixth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the ninth day of February, in the same year, the operation of "The Fencing Act, 1881," was suspended within the County of Hutt:

And whereas the Council of the County of Hutt did, on the eighth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, pass a resolution requesting the Governor to again bring "The Fencing Act, 1881," into operation within the said County of Hutt:

Now, therefore, I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by "The Fencing Act, 1881," do hereby proclaim and declare that "The Fencing Act, 1881," is hereby brought into operation in the County of Hutt, as the same is constituted by "The Counties Act, 1886."

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 Auckland, this thirty-first day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Extending the Close Season for Seals.

GLASGOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this fourth day of June, 1894.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE THE PREMIER PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Fisheries Conservation Act, 1884" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is, among other things, enacted that the Governor in Council may from time to time make, alter, and revoke regulations (which shall have force and effect only in any waters or places specified therein) for prescribing, among other things, a close season or close seasons for seals:

And whereas it is provided by the third section of "The Fisheries Conservation Act 1884 Amendment Act, 1887," that a penalty not exceeding five hundred pounds may be imposed in respect of the breach of any regulations respecting seals, and a further penalty of not exceeding twenty pounds for every seal illegally taken:

And whereas, by an Order in Council dated the thirtieth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, the months of January, February, March, April, May, and June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, were prescribed as the close season for seals; and whereas it is expedient to extend such close season, and to make the regulations hereinafter set forth, with respect to seals inhabiting or found within the waters of the colony hereinafter mentioned:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the said Act and "The Fisheries Conservation Act 1884 Amendment Act, 1887," and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby extend the close season to the thirtieth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, inclusive, and make the regulations set forth in the Schedule hereto; and with the like advice and consent doth order that such regulations shall have force and effect throughout the Colony of New Zealand, and in all salt, fresh, and brackish waters of the colony, and on all shores of such waters or any part thereof.

SCHEDULE.

REGULATIONS.

1. No person shall buy, sell, or expose for sale, or have in possession any seal, or the skins, oil, or blubber of any seal, taken during the close season hereby prescribed for the same.
2. Any person committing a breach of any of these regula-

tions shall be liable to a penalty of not less than £5 and not exceeding £500, and a further penalty of not exceeding £20 for every seal illegally taken.

3. Every penalty imposed by these regulations shall be recovered in a summary manner before any two or more Justices of the Peace.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Vaccination Station, Waverley District, appointed.

GLASGOW, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Public Health Act, 1876," I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the place mentioned in the second column of the Schedule hereto as and to be the place at which the Public Vaccinator appointed for the district mentioned in the first column of the said Schedule shall attend for the performance of vaccination, as required by the said Act; and I do hereby give notice that such Public Vaccinator will attend at the place aforesaid, for the purpose of performing such vaccination, on the days and at the hours set forth in the third column of the said Schedule opposite the name of such place; and, further, that at such place as last aforesaid the Public Vaccinator will attend, for the purpose of inspecting the progress of such vaccination in the persons so vaccinated, on the days and at the hours respectively set forth in the fourth column of the said Schedule opposite the name of such place.

SCHEDULE.

District for which Public Vaccinator appointed.	Place where Vaccination to be performed.	Days and Hours fixed for Performance of Vaccination.	Days and Hours fixed for inspecting the Progress of Vaccination.
Waverley ..	.. Residence of Dr. Money, Waverley	First Tuesday in each month, from 2 to 3 p.m.	Second Tuesday in each month, from 2 to 3 p.m.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Public Vaccinator, Waimangaroa District, appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 26th May, 1894.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES HARPER REID, Esq., M.B., &c., Univ. N.Z., to be a Public Vaccinator, under "The Public Health Act, 1876," for the District of Waimangaroa.
P. A. BUCKLEY.

Rangers under Animals Protection Acts, Auckland, Wellington, and Grey Districts, appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 26th May, 1894.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned persons to be Rangers, under "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and the Acts amending the same, for the districts set opposite their names.

Name.	..	..	District.
FRANK H. WOODHOUSE	..	..	Auckland.
THOMAS BURRELL	}	..	Wellington.
ERNEST SNOW			
EVERARD C. FARR			
WALTER ERNEST PEABSON			
PATRICK GILLON	..	..	Grey.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Rangers under the Animals Protection Acts, Taranaki, appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 31st May, 1894.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

James Richards,
William Hughes,
Thomas Mace,
Henry Mayne,
Arthur Gilbert,
Peter Hunter,
William Colson,
William Arthur Mason,
Charles Frederick Messenger, and
Henry Mehaffy

to be Rangers, under "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and the Acts amending the same, for the District of Taranaki.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Registrar of Electors, Egmont, appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 31st May, 1894.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN McDAVITT

to be Registrar of Electors, under "The Electoral Act, 1893," for the Electoral District of Egmont, *vice* W. A. Mason, resigned. Appointment to date from the 1st June, 1894.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Acting German Consul at Auckland recognised.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 1st June, 1894.

IT is hereby notified that Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies has instructed His Excellency the Governor to recognise

EUGENE LANGGUTH, Esq.,

as Acting-Consul for the German Empire at Auckland.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 4th June, 1894.

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

Name.	..	..	District.
JAMES JOHNSTONE GREENE	..	..	Charleston.
JOHN GRUBB	..	..	Napier.
EDWIN CLARK	..	..	Rakaia.
ARTHUR AUGUSTUS WINTERBURN	..	..	Arrow.
ALFRED CLARK	..	..	Otaki.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 4th June, 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.
THOMAS WARD	Waimate Plains.
GEORGE GRAHAM JOHNSTON	Opunake.
GEORGE DOUGLAS CAMERON	Napier.
WILLIAM NOSWORTHY	Wairau.
JOHN BAKER	Rotorua.
THOMAS THOMPSON, JUN.	Auckland.
ALEXANDER ADAM MAIR	Timaru.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Police Gaoler appointed.

Department of Justice (Prisons Branch),
Wellington, 28th May, 1894.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable ALEXANDER MCGILL

to be Police Gaoler at Hokianga, *vice* Constable Hogg, deceased.

W. P. REEVES,
For Minister of Justice.

Justices of the Peace resigned.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 31st May, 1894.

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

WILLIAM AVENTON KIELY, Esq., of Westport, and
JAMES NELSON WILLIAMS, Esq., of Hastings,

of their appointments as Justices of the Peace for the colony.

W. P. REEVES,
For Minister of Justice.

Clerk of Courts, &c., appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 31st May, 1894.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable JOHN BIRD

to be Clerk and Bailiff of the Magistrate's Court, Clerk of the Warden's Court, and Receiver of Gold Revenue and Mining Registrar at Charleston, from 22nd May, 1894, *vice* A. A. Winterburn.

W. P. REEVES,
For Minister of Justice.

Examiner of Titles appointed.

Head Office, Stamp Department,
Wellington, 31st May, 1894.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HENRY HOWARTH, Esq.,

to be Examiner of Titles for the Land Registration District of Wellington during pleasure. Such appointment to take effect on and from the 21st instant.

W. P. REEVES.

Official Visitor, Seacliff Lunatic Asylum, appointed.

Lunacy Department,
Wellington, 5th June, 1894.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES CARADUS, Esq., J.P.,

to be an Official Visitor of the Lunatic Asylum at Seacliff, under "The Lunatics Act, 1882."

W. P. REEVES.

Officer appointed to give Special Permission for Carriage of Deck Cargo.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 28th May, 1894.

IT is hereby notified that, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by "The Shipping and Seamen's Act, 1877," and subsection (3) of section 2 of "The Shipping and Seamen's Act 1877 Amendment Act, 1885,"

JAMES ROBERT BERTRAND,

Customs Officer at the Bluff, has been appointed to give special permission to the effect that horses, cattle, sheep, pigs, cargo, provisions, water, or stores may be carried on the upper deck of any steamship.

J. G. WARD.

Letters of Naturalisation issued.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 26th May, 1894.

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

Name.	Occupation.	Residence.
John Falk Singh ..	Farmer ..	Blenheim.
Low Garp.. ..	Gardener ..	Wellington.
Joseph Simon Farry ..	Commercial Traveller	Dunedin.
John Kuch ..	Pork-butcher	Wellington.
Conrad Heinold ..	Pork-butcher	Wellington.
Ludwig Petery ..	Miner ..	Ohinemuri.
Anna Margretha Thornicroft	Domestic duties	Ravensbourne.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 2nd June, 1894.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

VINCENT COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLVED, That the Council of the County of Vincent hereby determine that "The Rating Act, 1882," shall be in force within the District of the County of Vincent; also that all assessments of property within the said District of the County of Vincent shall be made under the provisions of subsection (6) of section 2 of "The Rating Acts Amendment Act, 1893," according to the rateable value of such property as defined in section 2 of "The Rating Act, 1882."

I certify the foregoing to be a true copy of resolution passed at a meeting of the Council of the County of Vincent held on the 23rd day of May, 1894; also that said resolution has been approved by a majority of the members of the Council of the County of Vincent.

Dated at Clyde, this 28th day of May, 1894.

JNO. S. DICKIE,

Clerk of the Council of the County of Vincent.

Despatches.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 4th June, 1894.

THE following despatches, with enclosures, received from Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies, are published for general information.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

(Circular.) Downing Street, 20th March, 1894.

SIR,—I have the honour to transmit to you, for publication in the colony under your government, a copy of an order of Her Majesty the Queen in Council, dated the 3rd March, 1894, for giving effect to the treaty between Her Majesty and His Majesty the King of Portugal for the mutual extradition of fugitive criminals, signed at Lisbon on the 17th October, 1892, the ratifications of which were exchanged at Lisbon on the 13th November, 1893.

I have, &c.,

RIPON.

The Officer administering the Government
of New Zealand.

[Extract from the *London Gazette* of Friday, 9th March, 1894.]
ORDER IN COUNCIL.—EXTRADITION TREATY WITH PORTUGAL.

Windsor, 3rd March, 1894.

At the Court at Windsor, the 3rd day of March, 1894.

Present:

THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY,
LORD PRESIDENT, MARQUESS OF RIPON, EARL SPENCER,
MR. GLADSTONE, SIR WILLIAM VERNON HARCOURT.

WHEREAS by the Extradition Acts, 1870 and 1873, it was amongst other things enacted that, when an arrangement has been made with any foreign State with

respect to the surrender to such State of any fugitive criminals, Her Majesty may, by Order in Council, direct that the said Acts shall apply in the case of such foreign State; and that Her Majesty may, by the same or any subsequent Order, limit the operation of the Order, and restrict the same to fugitive criminals who are in or suspected of being in the part of Her Majesty's dominions specified in the Order, and render the operation thereof subject to such conditions, exceptions, and qualifications as may be deemed expedient; and that if, by any law made after the passing of the Act of 1870 by the Legislature of any British possession, provision is made for carrying into effect within such possession the surrender of fugitive criminals who are in or suspected of being in such British possession, Her Majesty may, by the Order in Council applying the said Acts in the case of any foreign State, or by any subsequent Order, suspend the operation within any such British possession of the said Acts, or of any part thereof, so far as it relates to such foreign State, and so long as such law continues in force there and no longer:

And whereas by an Act of the Parliament of Canada passed in 1886, and entitled, "An Act respecting the Extradition of Fugitive Criminals," provision is made for carrying into effect within the Dominion the surrender of fugitive criminals:

And whereas by an Order of Her Majesty the Queen in Council, dated the seventeenth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, it was directed that the operation of the Extradition Acts, 1870 and 1873, should be suspended within the Dominion of Canada so long as the provision of the said Act of the Parliament of Canada of 1886 should continue in force and no longer:

And whereas a treaty was concluded on the seventeenth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, between Her Majesty and His Majesty the King of Portugal for the mutual extradition of fugitive criminals, which treaty is in the terms following:—

Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Empress of India, and His Most Faithful Majesty the King of Portugal and of the Algarves, having judged it expedient, with a view to the better administration of justice and to the prevention of crime within their respective territories, that persons charged with or convicted of the crimes hereinafter enumerated, and being fugitives from justice, should, under certain circumstances, be reciprocally delivered up, the said high contracting parties have named as their Plenipotentiaries to conclude a treaty for this purpose, that is to say,—

Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Empress of India, Sir George Glynn Petre, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Her Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary at the Court of His Most Faithful Majesty, &c.; and

His Most Faithful Majesty the King of Portugal and of the Algarves, Dom Antonio Ayres de Gouvêa, Councillor of His Majesty, Peer of the Realm, Bishop of Bethsaida, retired Professor of the University of Coimbra, His Majesty's Minister and Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, &c.;

Who, having communicated to each other their respective full powers, found in good and due form, have agreed upon and concluded the following articles:—

ARTICLE I.

The high contracting parties engage to deliver up to each other those persons who, being accused or convicted of a crime or offence committed in the territory of the one party, shall be found within the territory of the other party, under the circumstances and conditions stated in the present treaty.

ARTICLE II.

The crimes or offences for which the extradition is to be granted are the following:—

1. Murder (including assassination, infanticide, and poisoning), or attempt or conspiracy to murder.
2. Manslaughter.
3. Maliciously wounding or inflicting grievous bodily harm.
4. Assault occasioning actual bodily harm.
5. Counterfeiting or altering money, either metallic or of any other kind representing the first named, or uttering counterfeit or altered money of any of those kinds.
6. Knowingly making any instrument, tool, or engine adapted and intended for counterfeiting coin.
7. Forgery, counterfeiting, or altering or uttering what is forged or counterfeited or altered.
8. Embezzlement or larceny.
9. Malicious injury to property, if the offence be indictable.
10. Obtaining money, goods, or valuable securities by false pretences.

11. Receiving money, valuable security, or other property, knowing the same to have been stolen, embezzled, or unlawfully obtained.

12. Crimes against bankruptcy law.

13. Fraud by a bailee, banker, agent, factor, trustee, or director or member or public officer of any company, made criminal by any law for the time being in force.

14. Perjury or subornation of perjury.

15. Rape.

16. Carnal knowledge or any attempt to have carnal knowledge of a girl under sixteen years of age.

17. Indecent assault.

18. Administering drugs or using instruments with intent to procure the miscarriage of a woman.

19. Abduction.

20. Bigamy.

21. Child-stealing.

22. Abandoning children, exposing or unlawfully detaining them.

23. Kidnapping and false imprisonment.

24. Burglary or housebreaking.

25. Arson.

26. Robbery with violence.

27. Any malicious act done with intent to endanger the safety of any person in a railway-train.

28. Threats, by letter or otherwise, with intent to extort.

29. Piracy by law of nations.

30. Sinking or destroying a vessel at sea, or attempting or conspiring to do so.

31. Assaults on board a ship on the high seas, with intent to destroy life or to do grievous bodily harm.

32. Revolt, or conspiracy to revolt, by two or more persons on board a ship on the high seas against the authority of the master.

33. Dealing in slaves in such a manner as to constitute a criminal offence against the laws of both States.

Extradition is also to be granted for participation in any of the aforesaid crimes, provided such participation be punishable by the laws of both the contracting parties.

Extradition may also be granted at the discretion of the State applied to in respect of any other crime for which, according to the laws of both the contracting parties for the time being in force, the grant can be made.

The Portuguese Government will not deliver up any person either guilty or accused of any crime punishable with death.

ARTICLE III.

The Portuguese Government will not grant the extradition of any Portuguese subject, and Her Britannic Majesty's Government will not grant the extradition of any British subject; but in the case of a naturalised subject this article shall only be applicable if the naturalisation was obtained previous to the commission of the crime giving rise to the application for extradition.

ARTICLE IV.

The extradition shall not take place if the person claimed on the part of the British Government, or the person claimed on the part of the Portuguese Government, has already been tried and discharged or punished, or is still under trial within the territories of the two high contracting parties respectively, for the crime for which his extradition is demanded.

If the person claimed on the part of the British Government, or if the person claimed on the part of the Portuguese Government, should be under examination, or is undergoing sentence under a conviction, for any other crime within the territories of the two high contracting parties respectively, his extradition shall be deferred until after he has been discharged, whether by acquittal, or on expiration of his sentence, or otherwise.

ARTICLE V.

The extradition shall not take place if, subsequently to the commission of the crime, or the institution of the penal prosecution or the conviction thereon, exemption from prosecution or punishment has been acquired by lapse of time, according to the laws of the State applied to.

ARTICLE VI.

A fugitive criminal shall not be surrendered if the offence in respect of which his surrender is demanded is one of a political character, or if he prove that the requisition for his surrender has, in fact, been made with a view to try or punish him for an offence of a political character.

ARTICLE VII.

A person surrendered can in no case be kept in prison or be brought to trial in the State to which the surrender has been made for any other crime, or on account of any other matters, than those for which the extradition shall have taken place, until he has been restored or had an opportunity of returning to the State by which he has been surrendered.

This stipulation does not apply to crimes committed after the extradition.

ARTICLE VIII.

The requisition for extradition shall be made through the diplomatic agents of the high contracting parties respectively.

The requisition for the extradition of an accused person must be accompanied by a warrant of arrest issued by the competent authority of the State requiring the extradition, and by such evidence as, according to the laws of the place where the accused is found, would justify his arrest if the crime had been committed there.

If the requisition relates to a person already convicted, it must be accompanied by the sentence of condemnation passed against the convicted person by the competent Court of the State that makes the requisition for extradition.

A sentence passed *in contumaciam* is not to be deemed a conviction, but circumstances may cause a person so sentenced *in contumaciam* to be dealt with as an accused person.

ARTICLE IX.

If the requisition for extradition be in accordance with the foregoing stipulations, the competent authorities of the State applied to shall proceed to the arrest of the fugitive.

ARTICLE X.

If the fugitive has been arrested in the British dominions, he shall forthwith be brought before a competent Magistrate, who is to examine him and conduct the preliminary investigation of the case, just as if the apprehension had taken place for a crime committed in the British dominions.

In the examinations which they have to make in accordance with the foregoing stipulations, the authorities of the British dominions shall admit as valid evidence the sworn depositions or the affirmations of witnesses taken in the dominions of Portugal, or copies thereof, and likewise the warrants and sentences issued therein, and certificates of, or judicial documents stating the fact of, a conviction, provided the same are authenticated as follows:—

1. A warrant must purport to be signed by a Portuguese Judge, Magistrate, or officer.

2. Depositions or affirmations, or the copies thereof, must purport to be certified under the hand of a Portuguese Judge, Magistrate, or officer to be the original depositions or affirmations, or to be the true copies thereof, as the case may require.

3. A certificate of or judicial document stating the fact of a conviction must purport to be certified by a Portuguese Judge, Magistrate, or officer.

4. In every case such warrant, deposition, affirmation, copy, certificate, or judicial document must be authenticated either by the oath of some witness, or by being sealed with the official seal of the Minister of Justice, or some other Portuguese Minister; but any other mode of authentication for the time being permitted by the law in that part of the British dominions where the examination is taken may be substituted for the foregoing.

ARTICLE XI.

If the fugitive has been arrested in the dominions of Portugal, his surrender shall be granted if, upon examination by a competent authority, it appears that the documents furnished by the British Government contain sufficient *prima facie* evidence to justify the extradition.

The Portuguese authorities shall admit as valid evidence records drawn up by the British authorities of the depositions of witnesses, or copies thereof, and records of conviction, or other judicial documents, or copies thereof: Provided that the said documents be signed or authenticated by an authority whose competence shall be certified by the seal of a Minister of State of Her Britannic Majesty.

ARTICLE XII.

The extradition shall not take place unless the evidence be found sufficient, according to the laws of the State applied to, either to justify the committal of the prisoner for trial, in case the crime had been committed in the territory of the said State, or to prove that the prisoner is the identical person convicted by the Courts of the State which makes the requisition, and that the crime of which he has been convicted is one in respect of which extradition could, at the time of such conviction, have been granted by the State applied to. In Her Britannic Majesty's dominions the fugitive criminal shall not be surrendered until the expiration of fifteen days from the date of his being committed to prison to await his surrender.

ARTICLE XIII.

If the individual claimed by one of the two high contracting parties in pursuance of the present treaty should be also claimed by one or several other Powers on account of other

crimes or offences committed upon their respective territories, his extradition shall be granted to that State whose demand is earliest in date.

ARTICLE XIV.

If sufficient evidence for the extradition be not produced within two months from the date of the apprehension of the fugitive, or within such further time as the State applied to, or the proper tribunal thereof, shall direct, the fugitive shall be set at liberty.

ARTICLE XV.

All articles seized which were in the possession of the person to be surrendered at the time of his apprehension shall, if the competent authority of the State applied to for the extradition has ordered the delivery thereof, be given up when the extradition takes place; and the said delivery shall extend not merely to the stolen articles, but to everything that may serve as a proof of the crime.

ARTICLE XVI.

All expenses connected with extradition shall be borne by the demanding State.

ARTICLE XVII.

The stipulations of the present treaty shall be applicable to the colonies and foreign possessions of both of the high contracting parties, so far as the laws for the time being in force in such colonies and foreign possessions respectively will allow.

The requisition for the surrender of a fugitive criminal who has taken refuge in any of such colonies or foreign possessions may be made to the Governor or chief authority of such colony or possession by the chief consular authority of the other State in such colony or possession.

Such requisitions may be disposed of, subject always, as nearly as may be, and so far as the law of such colony or foreign possession will allow, to the provisions of this treaty, by the said Governor or chief authority, who, however, shall be at liberty either to grant the surrender or to refer the matter to his Government.

The high contracting parties shall, however, be at liberty to make special arrangements in their respective colonies and foreign possessions for the surrender of criminals who may take refuge therein, on the basis, as nearly as may be, and so far as the law of such colony or foreign possession will allow, of the provisions of the present treaty.

Requisitions for the surrender of a fugitive criminal emanating from any colony or foreign possession of either of the high contracting parties shall be governed by the rules laid down in the preceding articles of the present treaty.

ARTICLE XVIII.

The present treaty shall come into force ten days after its publication, in conformity with the forms prescribed by the laws of the high contracting parties. It may be terminated by either of the high contracting parties at any time on giving to the other six months' notice of its intention to do so.

The treaty shall be ratified, and the ratifications shall be exchanged at Lisbon as soon as possible.

In witness whereof the respective Plenipotentiaries have signed the same, and have affixed thereto the seal of their arms.

Done in duplicate, at Lisbon, the seventeenth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two.

(L.S.) GEORGE G. PETRE.
(L.S.) A. AYRES DE GOUVÊA.

And whereas a protocol relative to the said treaty was signed at Lisbon on the thirtieth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, which protocol is in the terms following:—

The stipulations of the present treaty do not apply to extradition between British and Portuguese India, which is reserved for ulterior negotiation.

Done in duplicate, at Lisbon, the thirtieth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two.

GEORGE G. PETRE.
A. AYRES DE GOUVÊA.

And whereas the ratifications of the said treaty and protocol were exchanged at Lisbon on the thirteenth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of her Privy Council, and in virtue of the authority committed to her by the said recited Acts, doth order, and it is hereby ordered, that from and after the nineteenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, the said Acts shall apply in the case of Portugal, and of the said treaty and protocol with His Majesty the King of Portugal.

Provided always, and it is hereby further ordered, that the operation of the said Extradition Acts, 1870 and 1873, shall be suspended within the Dominion of Canada so far as relates to Portugal and to the said treaty and protocol, and so long as the provisions of the Canadian Act aforesaid of 1886 continue in force, and no longer.

C. L. PEEL.

(Circular.) Downing Street, 21st March, 1894.

SIR,—I have the honour to transmit to you, for publication in the colony under your government, a copy of an Order of Her Majesty the Queen in Council, dated the 10th of March, 1894, for giving effect to the treaty between Her Majesty and the President of the Republic of Liberia for the mutual extradition of fugitive criminals, signed at London on the 16th of December, 1892, the ratifications of which were exchanged at London on the 31st of January, 1894.

I have, &c.,
RIPON.

The Officer administering the Government
of New Zealand.

[Extract from the *London Gazette* of Tuesday, 13th March, 1894.]
ORDER IN COUNCIL.—EXTRADITION TREATY WITH LIBERIA.

Windsor, 10th March, 1894.

At the Court at Windsor, the 10th day of March, 1894.

Present:

THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY,
LORD PRESIDENT, LORD PRIVY SEAL, EARL OF KIMBERLEY,
MR. SECRETARY FOWLER, MR. LEFEVRE, MR. BRYCE.

WHEREAS by the Extradition Acts, 1870 and 1873, it was amongst other things enacted that, where an arrangement has been made with any foreign State with respect to the surrender to such State of any fugitive criminals, Her Majesty may, by Order in Council, direct that the said Acts shall apply in the case of such foreign State; and that Her Majesty may, by the same or any subsequent Order, limit the operation of the Order, and restrict the same to fugitive criminals who are in or suspected of being in the part of Her Majesty's dominions specified in the Order, and render the operation thereof subject to such conditions, exceptions, and qualifications as may be deemed expedient; and that if, by any law made after the passing of the Act of 1870 by the Legislature of any British possession, provision is made for carrying into effect within such possession the surrender of fugitive criminals who are in or suspected of being in such British possession, Her Majesty may, by the Order in Council applying the said Acts in the case of any foreign State, or by any subsequent Order, suspend the operation within any such British possession of the said Acts, or of any part thereof, so far as it relates to such foreign State, and so long as such law continues in force there and no longer:

And whereas by an Act of the Parliament of Canada passed in one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, and entitled "An Act respecting the Extradition of Fugitive Criminals," provision is made for carrying into effect within the Dominion the surrender of fugitive criminals:

And whereas by an Order of Her Majesty the Queen in Council, dated the seventeenth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, it was directed that the operation of the Extradition Acts, 1870 and 1873, should be suspended within the Dominion of Canada so long as the provision of the said Act of the Parliament of Canada of 1886 should continue in force and no longer:

And whereas a treaty was concluded on the sixteenth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, between Her Majesty and the President of the Republic of Liberia for the mutual extradition of fugitive criminals, which treaty is in the terms following:—

Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Empress of India, and His Excellency the President of Liberia, having judged it expedient, with a view to the better administration of justice and to the prevention of crime within their respective territories, that persons charged with or convicted of the crimes hereinafter enumerated, and being fugitives from justice, should, under certain circumstances, be reciprocally delivered up; the said high contracting parties having named as their Plenipotentiaries to conclude a treaty for this purpose, that is to say,—

Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Empress of India, the Right Honourable Archibald Philip, Earl of Rosebery, Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs; and

His Excellency the President of Liberia, Henry Hayman, Esq., Consul-General of the Republic of Liberia in London;

Who, having communicated to each other their respective full powers, found in good and due form, have agreed upon and concluded the following articles:—

ARTICLE I.

The high contracting parties engage to deliver up to each other those persons who, being accused or convicted of a crime or offence committed in the territory of the one party, shall be found within the territory of the other, under the circumstances and conditions stated in the present treaty.

ARTICLE II.

The crimes or offences for which the extradition is to be granted are the following:—

1. Murder, or attempt or conspiracy to murder.
 2. Manslaughter.
 3. Assault occasioning actual bodily harm.
 4. Maliciously wounding or inflicting grievous bodily harm.
 5. Counterfeiting or altering money, or uttering counterfeit or altered money.
 6. Knowingly making any instrument, tool, or engine adapted and intended for counterfeiting coin.
 7. Forgery, counterfeiting, or altering, or uttering what is forged, or counterfeited, or altered.
 8. Embezzlement or larceny.
 9. Malicious injury to property, if the offence be indictable.
 10. Obtaining money, goods, or valuable securities by false pretences.
 11. Receiving money, valuable security, or other property, knowing the same to have been stolen, embezzled, or unlawfully obtained.
 12. Crimes against bankruptcy law.
 13. Fraud by a bailee, banker, agent, factor, trustee, or director or member or public officer of any company, made criminal by any law for the time being in force.
 14. Perjury, or subornation of perjury.
 15. Rape.
 16. Carnal knowledge, or any attempt to have carnal knowledge, of a girl under 16 years of age.
 17. Indecent assault.
 18. Administering drugs, or using instruments, with intent to procure the miscarriage of a woman.
 19. Abduction.
 20. Child-stealing.
 21. Abandoning children, exposing or unlawfully detaining them.
 22. Kidnapping and false imprisonment.
 23. Burglary or housebreaking.
 24. Arson.
 25. Robbery with violence.
 26. Any malicious act done with intent to endanger the safety of any person in a railway-train.
 27. Threats by letter or otherwise, with intent to extort.
 28. Piracy by law of nations.
 29. Sinking or destroying a vessel at sea, or attempting or conspiring to do so.
 30. Assaults on board a ship on the high seas, with intent to destroy life or do grievous bodily harm.
 31. Revolt, or conspiracy to revolt, by two or more persons on board a ship on the high seas, against the authority of the master.
 32. Dealing in slaves in such a manner as to constitute a criminal offence against the laws of both States.
- Extradition is also to be granted for participation in any of the aforesaid crimes, provided such participation be punishable by the laws of both the contracting parties.

ARTICLE III.

Either Government may, in its absolute discretion, refuse to deliver up its own subjects to the other Government.

ARTICLE IV.

The extradition shall not take place if the person claimed on the part of the British Government, or the person claimed on the part of the Liberian Government, has already been tried and discharged or punished, or is still under trial, within the territories of the two high contracting parties respectively, for the crime for which his extradition is demanded.

If the person claimed on the part of the British Government, or if the person claimed on the part of the Liberian Government, should be under examination, or is undergoing sentence under a conviction, for any other crime within the territories of the two high contracting parties respectively, his extradition shall be deferred until after he has been discharged, whether by acquittal, or on expiration of his sentence, or otherwise.

ARTICLE V.

The extradition shall not take place if, subsequently to the commission of the crime or the institution of the penal prosecution, or the conviction thereon, exemption from prosecution or punishment has been acquired by lapse of time, according to the laws of the State applied to.

ARTICLE VI.

A fugitive criminal shall not be surrendered if the offence in respect of which his surrender is demanded is one of a political character, or if he prove that the requisition for his surrender has in fact been made with a view to try or punish him for an offence of a political character.

ARTICLE VII.

A person surrendered can in no case be kept in prison or be brought to trial in the State to which the surrender has been made for any other crime or on account of any other matters than those for which the extradition shall have taken place, until he has been restored or had an opportunity of returning to the State by which he has been surrendered.

This stipulation does not apply to crimes committed after the extradition.

ARTICLE VIII.

The requisition for extradition shall be made in the following manner:—

Application on behalf of Her Britannic Majesty's Government for the surrender of a fugitive criminal in Liberia shall be made by Her Majesty's Consul at Monrovia.

Application on behalf of the Liberian Government for the surrender of a fugitive criminal in the United Kingdom shall be made by the diplomatic representative of Liberia in London, or, in the absence of such representative, by the Consul-General for Liberia in London.

The requisition for the extradition of the accused person must be accompanied by a warrant of arrest issued by the competent authority of the State requiring the extradition, and by such evidence as, according to the laws of the place where the accused is found, would justify his arrest if the crime had been committed there.

If the requisition relates to a person already convicted, it must be accompanied by the sentence of condemnation passed against the convicted person by the competent Court of the State that makes the requisition for extradition.

A sentence passed *in contumaciam* is not to be deemed a conviction, but a person so sentenced may be dealt with as an accused person.

ARTICLE IX.

If the requisition for extradition be in accordance with the foregoing stipulations, the competent authorities of the State applied to shall proceed to the arrest of the fugitive.

ARTICLE X.

If the fugitive has been arrested in the British dominions he shall forthwith be brought before a competent Magistrate, who is to examine him and to conduct the preliminary investigation of the case, just as if the apprehension had taken place for a crime committed in the British dominions.

In the examinations which they have to make in accordance with the foregoing stipulations, the authorities of the British dominions shall admit as valid evidence the sworn depositions or the affirmations of witnesses taken in Liberia, or copies thereof, and likewise the warrants and sentences issued therein, and certificates of, or judicial documents stating the fact of, a conviction, provided the same are authenticated as follows:—

1. A warrant must purport to be signed by a Judge, Magistrate, or officer of Liberia.

2. Depositions or affirmations, or the copies thereof, must purport to be certified, under the hand of a Judge, Magistrate, or officer of Liberia, to be the original depositions or affirmations, or to be the true copies thereof, as the case may require.

3. A certificate of or judicial document stating the fact of a conviction must purport to be certified by a Judge, Magistrate, or officer of Liberia.

4. In every case such warrant, deposition, affirmation, copy, certificate, or judicial document must be authenticated either by the oath of some witness or by being sealed with the official seal of the Minister of Justice or some other Minister of Liberia; but any other mode of authentication for the time being permitted by the law in that part of the British dominions where the examination is taken may be substituted for the foregoing.

ARTICLE XI.

If the fugitive has been arrested in Liberia his surrender shall be granted if, upon examination by a competent authority, it appears that the documents furnished by the British Government contain sufficient *prima facie* evidence to justify the extradition.

The authorities of Liberia shall admit as valid evidence records drawn up by the British authorities of the depositions of witnesses, or copies thereof, and records of conviction or other judicial documents, or copies thereof, provided that the said documents be signed or authenticated by an authority whose competence shall be certified by the seal of a Minister of State of Her Britannic Majesty.

ARTICLE XII.

The extradition shall not take place unless the evidence be found sufficient, according to the laws of the State applied to, either to justify the committal of the prisoner for trial, in case the crime has been committed in the territory of the said State, or to prove that the prisoner is the identical person convicted by the Courts of the State which makes the requisition, and that the crime of which he has been convicted is one in respect of which extradition could, at the time of such conviction, have been granted by the State applied to. The fugitive criminal shall not be surrendered until the expiration of fifteen days from the date of his being committed to prison to await his surrender.

ARTICLE XIII.

If the individual claimed by one of the two high contracting parties in pursuance of the present treaty should be also claimed by one or several other Powers, on account of other crimes or offences committed upon their respective territories, his extradition shall be granted to that State whose demand is earliest in date.

ARTICLE XIV.

If sufficient evidence for the extradition be not produced within three months from the date of the apprehension of the fugitive, or within such further time as the State applied to, or the proper tribunal thereof, shall direct, the fugitive shall be set at liberty.

ARTICLE XV.

All articles seized which were in the possession of the person to be surrendered at the time of his apprehension, shall, if the competent authority of the State applied to for the extradition has ordered the delivery thereof, be given up when the extradition takes place, and the said delivery shall extend not merely to the stolen articles, but to everything that may serve as a proof of the crime.

ARTICLE XVI.

All expenses connected with extradition shall be borne by the demanding State.

ARTICLE XVII.

The stipulations of the present treaty shall be applicable to the colonies and foreign possessions of Her Britannic Majesty, so far as the laws for the time being in force in such colonies and foreign possessions respectively will allow.

The requisition for the surrender of a fugitive criminal who has taken refuge in any of such colonies or foreign possessions may be made to the Governor or chief authority of such colony or possession by any person authorised to act in such colony or possession as a consular officer of Liberia, or, if there is no such consular officer in the colony, by the diplomatic representative of Liberia in London, or in his absence by the Liberian Consul-General.

Such requisitions may be disposed of, subject always, as nearly as may be, and so far as the law of such colony or foreign possession will allow, to the provisions of this treaty, by the said Governor or chief authority, who, however, shall be at liberty either to grant the surrender or to refer the matter to his Government.

Her Britannic Majesty shall, however, be at liberty to make special arrangements in the British colonies and foreign possessions for the surrender of criminals from Liberia who may take refuge within such colonies and foreign possessions, on the basis, as nearly as may be, and so far as the law of such colony or foreign possession will allow, of the provisions of the present treaty.

Requisitions for the surrender of a fugitive criminal emanating from any colony or foreign possession of Her Britannic Majesty shall be governed by the rules laid down in the preceding articles of the present treaty.

ARTICLE XVIII.

The present treaty shall come into force ten days after its publication, in conformity with the forms prescribed by the laws of the high contracting parties. It may be terminated by either of the high contracting parties at any time on giving to the other six months' notice of its intention to do so.

The treaty shall be ratified, and the ratifications shall be exchanged at London as soon as possible.

In witness whereof the respective Plenipotentiaries have signed the same, and have affixed thereto the seal of their arms.

Done at London, the sixteenth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two.

(L.S.) ROSEBERRY.
(L.S.) H. HAYMAN.

And whereas the ratifications of the said treaty were exchanged at London on the thirty-first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, and in virtue of the authority committed to her by the said recited Acts, doth order, and it is hereby ordered, that from and after the twenty-third day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, the said Acts shall apply in the case of Liberia, and of the said treaty with the Republic of Liberia.

Provided always, and it is hereby further ordered, that the operation of the said Extradition Acts, 1870 and 1873, shall be suspended within the Dominion of Canada so far as relates to Liberia and to the said treaty, and so long as the provisions of the Canadian Act aforesaid of 1886 continue in force, and no longer.

C. L. PEEL.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 4th June, 1894.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

PARIHAKA ROAD BOARD.—SPECIAL ORDER.

THAT, to secure the repayment of a loan of £600 raised under "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886," for the purpose of forming and metalling the Warea East Road, a special rate of 1½d. in the pound be made and levied over the following lands: viz., Sections 104, 105, 106, 107, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, Block VIII., and Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, Block IX., Cape Survey District, constituting the Warea East Special Rating District; such rate to be an annually-recurring rate for twenty-six years, and shall be payable in one instalment on the 1st October in each year.

I hereby certify that the above special order was duly made and recorded in the minute-book of the Parihaka Road Board at an ordinary meeting held on April 16th, and was confirmed at an ordinary meeting held on May 21st.

WM. MILLS,
Clerk, Parihaka Road Board.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 6th June, 1894.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

SPECIAL ORDERS MADE BY THE EKETAHUNA ROAD BOARD, WAIRARAPA NORTH COUNTY.

THAT, for the purpose of securing payment of the sum of £100, borrowed by the Board under "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886," for the purpose of formation and metalling on Broom Street and Bright Street, Parkville Township, on Broom Street on the portion lying between High Street and Bright Street, and on Bright Street from the north corner of Section 94 to south corner of Section 108, a special rate of 4d. in the pound be made and levied on the rateable value for the time being of the following properties: Town Sections 92, 93, 94, 99, 108, 109, 110, Suburban Sections 151, 152, 153, 154, all in Parkville Special Settlement Township. Such rate shall be an annually-recurring rate, and shall be paid in two half-yearly instalments for twenty-six years, on the 1st day of February and the 1st day of August in each year, till the debt is liquidated.

I hereby certify that the above special order has been duly made in accordance with the provisions of the Road Boards Act.

W. BAYLISS,
Clerk, Eketahuna Road Board.

That, for the purpose of securing payment of the sum of £2,500, borrowed by the Board under "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886," for the purpose of metalling North Road, Wellington No. 1 S.S. Block, from its junction with the Nireaha Road at Sections 8 and 47, Block I., to the main road, 314 chains; the formation and metalling of Ure's Road, 33 chains; the formation and metalling of the Nireaha Road from the northern boundaries of Sections 2 and 33, Block I., Mangaone, to the southern boundary of Section 54, Block V., Mangaone, 254 chains; the formation and metalling of the Mangatainoko Valley Road from its junction with the road through the Totara Reserve to the northern boundary of Section 1, Block I.,

Mangaone Survey District, 126 chains,—a special rate of 4½d. in the pound be made and levied on the rateable value for the time being of the following properties: Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 33, 34, 35, 36, 42, 66, Block I., and Sections 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 43, 44, 45, 46, Block V., all in the Mangaone Survey District: the eastern half of Section 12, fronting the Nireaha Road, as divided by a line at right angles to the dividing-line between Sections 12 and 15; the northern half of Section 13, fronting the Mangatainoko Valley Road, as divided by a line at right angles to the Mangatainoko Valley Road; the eastern half of Section 15, fronting the Nireaha Road, as divided by a line at right angles to the dividing-line between Sections 12 and 15; the northern half of Section 17, as divided by a line at right angles to the back line of the section, Block VII.; all in the Tararua Survey District: the southern half of Section 121, as divided by a line at right angles to the dividing-line between Sections 121 and 122, Block I., Mangaone Survey District; the northern half of Section 47, fronting North Road, as divided by a line at right angles to the dividing-line between Sections 47 and 48; the northern half of Section 48, fronting North Road, as divided by a line at right angles to the dividing-line between Sections 48 and 49; the northern half of Section 49, fronting North Road, as divided by a line at right angles to the dividing-line between Sections 49 and 50; the northern half of Section 50, fronting North Road, as divided by a line at right angles to the dividing-line between Sections 50 and 51; the northern half of Section 51, fronting North Road, as divided by a line at right angles to the dividing-line between Sections 50 and 51; the western half of Section 52, fronting Nireaha Road, as divided by a line at right angles to the dividing-line between Sections 52 and 53; the western half of Section 53, fronting Nireaha Road, as divided by a line at right angles to the dividing-line between Sections 52 and 53; the western half of Section 54, fronting Nireaha Road, as divided by a line at right angles to the dividing-line between Sections 53 and 54; the northern half of Section 67, fronting North Road, as divided by a line at right angles to the dividing-line between Sections 67 and 68; the western half of Section 68, fronting North Road, as divided by a line at right angles to the dividing-line between Sections 68 and 69; the western half of Section 69, fronting North Road, as divided by a line at right angles to the dividing-line between Sections 68 and 69; the western half of Section 70, fronting North Road, as divided by a line at right angles to the dividing-line between Sections 68 and 70, Block V.; all in the Mangaone Survey District. Such rate shall be an annually-recurring rate, and shall be paid in two half-yearly instalments for twenty-six years, on the 1st day of February and the 1st day of August in each year, until the debt is liquidated.

I hereby certify that the above special order has been duly made in accordance with the provisions of the Road Boards Act.

W. BAYLISS,
Clerk, Eketahuna Road Board.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 6th June, 1894.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

MASTERTON ROAD DISTRICT.

PROPOSAL to raise a loan of £100 for metalling on the Opaki to Rangitumau Road, upon which a poll was taken on the 2nd June, 1894:—

Result of Poll.—Number of ratepayers on special roll, 20, exercising 20 votes: Number of ratepayers on special roll who voted in favour of the proposal, 11, exercising 11 votes; number of ratepayers on special roll who voted against the proposal, 2, exercising 2 votes; number of votes unrecorded, 7.

As a majority in number of the ratepayers voted in favour of the proposal, and the number so voting are entitled to more than one-half of the votes which can be exercised by the whole number of ratepayers, I declare the above proposal to be carried.

Masterton, 4th June, 1894. D. J. CAMERON,
Chairman.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan, Borough of Thames.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 6th June, 1894.

THE following notice, received from the Mayor of the Borough of Thames, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1886."

P. A. BUCKLEY.

THAMES BOROUGH COUNCIL.—UNDER "THE LOCAL BODIES' LOANS ACT, 1886."

NOTICE is hereby given that at the poll of burgesses of the Borough of Thames taken on Monday, 28th May, 1894, upon a proposal to borrow £1,000 on General Account and £1,000 on Waterworks Account, the following votes were recorded:—

For the proposal, 299; against, 20.

The number of votes on the roll being 686, and over one-half that number not having been cast in favour of the proposal, I declare it to have been rejected.

THOS. RADFORD,
Mayor.

Volunteer Officers resigned.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 28th May, 1894.

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

F Battery, New Zealand Regiment Artillery Volunteers.
Lieutenant Charles Dugald Kennedy. Date of resignation, 25th April, 1894.

Wellington City Rifle Volunteers.

Honorary Surgeon George William Cole. Date of resignation, 15th May, 1894.

Timaru Rifle Volunteers.

Captain Thomas Jowsey. Date of resignation, 9th May, 1894.

W. P. REEVES,
For the Defence Minister.

Bonus on Mineral Oil manufactured from Orepuki Shal.

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.

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.

Officiating Ministers for 1894.—Notice No. 19.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 4th June, 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 name of an Officiating Minister within the meaning of the said Act is published for general information:—

Congregational Independents.
The Reverend Brabazon Tooke Hallows, B.A.
E. J. VON DADELSZEN,
Registrar-General.

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

In the matter of a parcel of land containing by admeasurement 1 acre, more or less, being Section 542, fronting Hamilton Road and Vogel Street, in the Borough of Cambridge and Provincial District of Auckland, of which the last registered owner was Thomas Lamb, described as of Auckland, settler, whose whereabouts 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 March, 1895, 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 1st day of June, 1894.

J. K. WARBURTON,
Public Trustee.

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

Public Trust Office,
Wellington, 5th June, 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 person, who, so far as is known, has 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 such deceased person:—

Paul Frederick de Quincey, late of Auckland, in the Provincial District of Auckland. Filed at Auckland, on the 16th day of May, 1894.

J. K. WARBURTON,
Public Trustee.

Commissioner of the Supreme Court appointed.

NOTICE.—WILLIAM BINDLEY WEBB, Esq., of Port Adelaide, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of South Australia, has been this day appointed by his Honour the Chief Justice a Commissioner of the Supreme Court of New Zealand in South Australia, under the 2nd section of "The Commissioners of the Supreme Court Act, 1875," for the purpose of administering and taking all such oaths, affidavits, and affirmations as in the said section mentioned.

Dated at Wellington, this 31st day of May, 1894.

D. G. A. COOPER,
Registrar, Supreme Court.

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

TWO scholarships, of the yearly value of £35, tenable for two years, are offered for competition. These two scholarships are junior scholarships, and are open to all Maoris under fifteen years of age at the end of the month preceding the date of the examination who have not been pupils at Te Aute or St. Stephen's, and whose attendance at school during the previous year is considered by the Inspector of Native Schools to have been satisfactory. Candidates for these scholarships will be examined in the subjects specified for Standard IV. in the Native Schools Code, 1893. The questions will, however, be more difficult than those set for the standard examinations. The examination will be held at convenient centres on the 17th and 18th December, 1894.

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

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

JAMES H. POPE,
Inspector of Native Schools.

Wellington, 1st June, 1894.

Crown Lands Notices.

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. B. P.		
Domet 2	X.	} 13,540 0 0	} 3d.	} 84 12 6
" ..	.. 2	XI.		
Kakanui ..	.. 1	I.		
" ..	.. 1	II.		
" ..	.. 1	VIII.		
Kyeburn ..	.. 1	XIII.		
" 1	XIV.			

Subdivisions of parts of Pastoral Runs Nos. 300 and 301. The country is of sound grazing quality, containing about 4,000 acres of well-grassed land, about 4,000 acres fairly-grassed, and 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.

Domet 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, £18 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."

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, Canterbury, open for Lease on Application.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Christchurch, 21st May, 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, Christchurch, on and after Wednesday, the 18th July, 1894, at the annual rentals noted below. In case of more than one application being received for either of the runs on the same day, priority of selection will be decided by ballot on the following day, at 11 a.m.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—MACKENZIE COUNTY.—
BURKE AND TENGAWAI SURVEY DISTRICTS.

First-class Pastoral Country.

Section.	Survey District.	Block.	Ar a.	Rent per Acre.	Annual Rents.
36459	{ Burke .. Tengawai	{ IV., VIII. I., V. }	Acres. 1,205	s. d. 1 2	£ s. d. 70 5 10
36460	{ Burke .. Tengawai	{ VIII. V. }	880	1 1	47 13 4

These sections are situated adjacent to and south of Burke's Pass, being subdivisions of parts of the original Three Springs and Rollesby Stations, and comprise generally mountainous and hilly open tussock country of good quality, rocky and shingly on the main tops and spurs, with patches of undulating land and small flats. The sections are fairly well watered by springs and streams. The elevation of the country ranges from 1,700ft. to about 3,600ft. above sea-level; and it is subject to heavy falls of snow, which lie on the higher lands during the winter. The access is by the main roads connecting Burke's Pass with Fairlie and Albury, the distances from these places to the nearest points on the sections being respectively about one mile, twelve, and seventeen miles. The Duck Stream and other branch roads are unformed. These sections, except for the drawback of being subject to falls of snow, are by quality of soil and situation well adapted for pastoral pursuits.

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.

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."

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. W. A. MARCHANT,
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.		
			A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
8	371	Taringatura..	3,468	0	0	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
	A.	R.	P.			
118	2,500	0	0	Koitirangi ..	£ 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.

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.	
			Acres.	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
5	IX., X.	Opaku ..	1,358	0	3	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, Auckland, open for Application.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 7th May, 1894.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned small grazing-run will be open for lease on application on and after Wednesday, 11th July, 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.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—EAST TAUPO COUNTY.

Run No.	Survey District.	Area.	Annual Rental.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
20	{ Tokaanu .. Waitahanui .. Waitotaka .. Kaimanawa .. }	9,850 0 0	61 11 3

All very broken pastoral country, about one-half heavy tawhai forest, remainder open country, tussock-grass and tea-tree; accessible only by native track from Tokaanu, or from Tokaanu-Taupo Road; distant about twelve miles from Tokaanu, and twenty-six from Taupo.

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 ls. 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, 1832."

(Signature.)

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

* Place of abode or occupation. † Here specify.

GERHARD MUELLER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Leaseholds of Reserves in Westland for Sale by Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Hokitika, 3rd May, 1894.

NOTICE is hereby given that the leaseholds of subdivisions of Reserves Nos. 451, 463, and 465 will be offered by public auction, at the Land Office, Hokitika, on

Tuesday, the 26th day of June, 1894, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the term of fourteen years, at the annual rentals set out hereunder, and with valuations for improvements added as shown below.

SCHEDULE.

WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Survey District.	Reserve No.	Section No.	Block.	Area.	Fixed Annual Rental.	Valuation for Improvements.
				A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Kanieri and Mahinapua	451	859	I.	2 1 11	1 3 6	0 10 0
		860	"	2 2 9	1 5 6	6 0 0
		861	"	2 3 0	1 7 6	4 0 0
		862	"	2 0 20	1 1 3	2 10 0
"	"	863	"	2 0 30	1 2 0	1 0 0

The above are subdivisions of part of old Cattle Reserve No. 451, Hokitika R. The improvements consist chiefly of fencing.

Kanieri	..	1	I.	0 0 12	1 0 0	10 0 0
"	..	2	"	0 0 12	1 0 0	..
"	..	3	"	0 0 20	1 0 0	..
"	..	4	"	0 0 19	1 0 0	..
"	..	5	"	0 0 4	1 0 0	20 0 0
"	..	6	"	0 0 11-6	1 0 0	15 0 0
"	..	7	"	0 0 10-6	1 0 0	15 0 0
"	..	8	"	0 0 30	1 0 0	17 0 0
"	..	9	"	0 1 1	1 5 0	40 0 0
"	..	10	"	0 1 25	1 10 0	88 0 0
"	..	11	"	0 1 2	1 5 0	75 0 0
"	..	12	"	0 0 12-5	1 0 0	22 0 0
"	..	13	"	0 0 13-1	1 0 0	14 0 0
"	..	14	"	0 0 28	1 0 0	32 0 0
"	..	15	"	0 1 18	1 10 0	3 0 0
"	..	16	"	0 2 27	2 0 0	43 0 0
"	..	22	"	0 0 34	1 0 0	..

The above are subdivisions of Reserve No. 463, Cobden Quay, Kanieri Township.

Kanieri	..	17	I.	0 1 2	0 10 0	54 0 0
"	..	18	"	0 0 34	0 10 0	89 0 0
"	..	19	"	0 1 18	0 12 0	635 0 0
"	..	20	I. and V.	2 1 19	1 15 0	12 0 0
"	..	21	I.	0 0 27	0 10 0	60 0 0
"	..	23	"	0 1 36	0 15 0	..
"	..	24	"	0 3 14	1 0 0	2 10 0
"	..	25	"	0 3 14	1 0 0	..
"	..	26	I. and V.	1 1 36	1 5 0	..
"	..	27	I. and V.	2 1 15	1 15 0	..

The above are subdivisions of Reserve No. 465 (Government Buildings), Kanieri Township.

Bidding to be by bonus, and subject to payment of valuation for improvements.

Plans may be seen, and full particulars as to lease, &c., at the Land Office, Hokitika.

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

DAVID BARRON,
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.

Native Land Court Notices.

Application for Rehearing.

Native Land Court Office,
Auckland, 31st May, 1894.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Chief Judge of the Native Land Court will, with an Assessor, attend at Whangarei, on the 27th day of June, 1894, and then and there inquire into and determine upon the application for rehearing theretofore made upon the decision of the Native Land Court mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

All persons interested in the said application are requested to attend at the time and place aforesaid.

J. A. WILSON,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

DECISION made on the 30th day of September, 1893, declaring the Native owners of Omiru Block.

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

Native Land Court Office,
Wellington, 30th 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 Native Land Court, Turakina, on the 16th day of June, 1894, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, 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.

WAIROA SURVEY DISTRICT, BLOCK XII., SECTION 405, ALLOTMENT 66B.
94-133. LEASE, dated the 18th day of March, 1893, from Heta te Manurua to William Beaumont Fisher.

WAIROA SURVEY DISTRICT, BLOCK XII., SECTION 405, ALLOTMENT 70B.
94-134. Lease, dated the 3rd day of April, 1893, from Harata Rimutahi to William Beaumont Fisher.

MAUNGAKARETU No. 4B, No. 2.
94-135. Lease, dated the 9th day of May, 1894, from Taiawa te Ope to John Duncan.

KAHAROA No. 3.
94-141. Transfer, dated the 11th day of February, 1893, from Irihapeti Raukura and others to Thomas William Fisher.

MANGAMAHU No. 2 (PART OF).
94-142. Transfer, dated the 30th day of April, 1894, from Mere Ngatapu to Arthur Ellis and another.

BETWEEN ALEXANDER McDONALD AND KARENA MANAO-TAWHAKI.
94-142A. Writ of Sale issued by the Supreme Court, dated the 18th day of May, 1894.

WAIPU No. 1c (PART OF).
94-143. Mortgage, dated the 12th day of May, 1894, from Kewetone Papaka to Eruera Whakaahu.

Application for Probate.

Native Land Court Office,
Wellington, 31st May, 1894.

In the matter of the will of KORONEHO TITI, of Wairau, deceased.

APPLICATION having been made by Hakaraia Hemi that probate be granted of the aforesaid will:

It is hereby notified that all persons opposing such application must lodge a caveat, in manner prescribed, within two calendar months after the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,
Registrar.

Application for Letters of Administration.

Native Land Court Office,
Wellington, 4th June, 1894.

In the matter of the will of PATARA TE WHAKATAHURU, of Hurunuiorangi, deceased.

APPLICATION having been made by Wi Toi Natanahira that letters of administration be granted in respect of the aforesaid will:

It is hereby notified that all persons opposing such application must lodge a caveat, in manner prescribed, within two calendar months after the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,
Registrar.

Application for Letters of Administration.

Native Land Court Office,
Wellington, 4th June, 1894.

In the matter of the will of MIKAERA MARU, of Te Wai-poapoa, deceased.

APPLICATION having been made by Wi Toi Natanahira that letters of administration be granted in respect of the aforesaid will:

It is hereby notified that all persons opposing such application must lodge a caveat, in manner prescribed, within two calendar months after the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,
Registrar.

Application for Probate.

Native Land Court Office,
Wellington, 4th June, 1894.

In the matter of the will of REIHANA TE HURIPOKI, of Porangahau, deceased.

APPLICATION having been made by Henare te Atua that probate be granted of the aforesaid will:

It is hereby notified that all persons opposing such application must lodge a caveat, in manner prescribed, within two calendar months after the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,
Registrar.

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

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 30th May, 1894.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Turakina, on the 18th 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	Hohi Matene (Wh. 321-1)	Ruanui No. 1.
2	Eruera Whakaahu (W. 322-1)	Ruanui No. 2.

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

REGISTRAR'S OFFICE, WELLINGTON, 31st May, 1894.
NOTICE is hereby given that a rehearing has been ordered by the Chief Judge, to be heard at such time and place as may be hereafter appointed, in respect of the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written.
 H. DUNBAR JOHNSON, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Decision appealed against.
1	Ani Raumaewa (93-3925)	Awarua Nos. 2, 3, 3A, and 4A	Decisions made the 20th day of September, 1893, appointing a successor to Te Awaawa, deceased.

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

REGISTRAR'S OFFICE, WELLINGTON, 31st May, 1894.
NOTICE is hereby given that rehearings have been refused by the Chief Judge in respect of each of the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written.
 H. DUNBAR JOHNSON, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Decision appealed against.
1	Retimana te Rango and others (91-27)	Mangaohane	Decision made the 26th day of June, 1890, upon partition.
2	Keita Ruta (93-3528)	Omahu No. 2	Decision made the 14th day of July, 1893, appointing successors to Wi Wheko, deceased.
3	Wi Matua and others (Na. 370-7)	Porangahau No. 1	Decision made the 6th day of December, 1893, upon partition.
4	Keita Ruta (Na. 370-19)	Porangahau No. 1	Decision made the 6th day of December, 1893, upon partition.
5	Heta Matua and Henare Matua (Na. 370-13)	Porangahau No. 1	Decision made the 6th day of December, 1893, upon partition.
6	Wi Matua and others (Na. 370-17)	Porangahau No. 1	Decision made the 6th day of December, 1893, upon partition.
7	Henare te Atua (Na. 370-3)	Porangahau No. 1	Decision made the 6th day of December, 1893, upon partition.
8	Arapata Meha (Na. 370-1)	Porangahau No. 1	Decision made the 6th day of December, 1893, upon partition.
9	Tipene Matua and others (Na. 370-5)	Porangahau No. 1	Decision made the 6th day of December, 1893, upon partition.
10	Rora te Peehi (92-3597)	Otawhao and Oringi	Decisions made the 16th day of September, 1892, appointing successors to Riritia Hineipaia, deceased.
11	Alfred L. D. Fraser, as agent for Pene te Umairangi, trustee for Reihana Tii te Umairangi (Na. 60-1)	Karamu Reserve	Decision made the 20th day of December, 1893, appointing successors to Ngawahie, deceased.
12	Ihaia Hutana (93-2570) .. ..	.. ..	Decision made the 26th day of July, 1893, dismissing an application by Ihaia Hutana for probate of will of Tahana Tahito, deceased.

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

REGISTRAR'S OFFICE, WELLINGTON, 6th June, 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 New Plymouth on the 20th 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.
DISTRICT OF NEW PLYMOUTH.		
1	William Humphries (N.P. 3-1)	.. .. Puketotara No. 3, Subdivision 29.
2	William Humphries (N.P. 3-3)	.. .. Puketotara No. 3, Subdivision 37.
3	G. Jordan (N.P. 3-5)	.. .. Puketotara No. 3, Subdivision 23.
DISTRICT OF WAITARA.		
4	Hokipera Pehimana (N.P. 530-1)	.. .. Waitara West No. 81.
5	Taroa te Ika .. ..	.. .. Ngakorako.

NOTE.—Waitara cases, if desired, can be adjourned to that place for hearing.

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 Tuawhatu No. 1A Block.

A. PERCIVAL BARKER, of Whataupoko, sheep-farmer, applies under the above-mentioned Act for the validation of his interests in the above block, containing 456 acres, more or less, situate in the Native Land Court District of Gisborne.

B. The applicant desires to appear before the Validation Court on Tuesday, the 31st day of July, 1894, at 10 a.m., or at the first sitting of the Court thereafter.

C. The nature of the transaction proposed for validation is,—

A Deed of Conveyance entered into and made by the several Native transferrors to Michael Mullooly, upon the dates and for the several considerations shown hereunder:—

Name of Native who executed said Conveyance.	Date of Execution of said Conveyance.	Consideration paid to Native who executed said Conveyance.
Taopoaka ..	7th July, 1881	£ 15
Tiopira Potango ..	30th July, 1881	15
Ruta Hape ..	10th Feb., 1882	15

D. The land the estates and interests in which were intended to be alienated is all that block known as Tuawhatu No. 1A, situate in the District of Poverty Bay; and the title of the said block at the time of the several alienations claimed to be validated was certificate of title dated the 30th day of June, 1881.

E. The estate or interest which the applicant seeks to obtain through the aid of the Court in the several estates and interests claimed is a freehold.

F. The manner in which he came to be invested with the title he now holds, and the dates and particulars of each conveyance or instrument, are as follows:—

1. Agreement for sale and purchase of (*inter alia*) Tuawhatu No. 1A Block, dated the 7th day of May, 1885, Michael Mullooly, with Percival Barker, the applicant.

2. Conveyance, dated the 12th day of October, 1885, Michael Mullooly to Percival Barker, of the shares and interests acquired by him in (*inter alia*) Tuawhatu No. 1A Block.

G. The address for service of the applicant in the Town of Gisborne is at the office of Cecil Albert de Lautour, solicitor.

H. The applicant desires that the estates and interests of the Native persons aforesaid, who executed the deed of conveyance set out under the letter c of this application, shall be bound by the decree of the Court, and for that purpose requires that copies of this application shall be served upon them 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 also be treated as parties to these proceedings, but the applicant is unable, except as hereinafter mentioned, to specify any names as those of persons entitled to object to the validation applied for.

The applicant is not aware of any other aboriginal native, nor of any European, who may properly claim to be an objector.

Dated this 5th day of May, 1894.

Signed by the applicant, Percival Barker, in the presence of C. A. de Lautour, solicitor, Gisborne.

P. BARKER.

To the Registrar of the Validation Court, Gisborne.

The Schedule hereinbefore referred to.

- Certificated surviving owners—
Tiopira Potango, Tolago Bay; Ruta Hape, Pakarae.
- Certificated owners who are dead, successors appointed; successors to be served—
Taopoaka, dead. Successor, Ruta Hape, of Pakarae.

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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 Tuawhatu No. 4 Block.

A. PERCIVAL BARKER, of Whataupoko, sheep-farmer, applies under the above-mentioned Act for the validation of his interests in the above block, containing 2,135 acres, more or less, situate in the Native Land Court District of Gisborne.

B. The applicant desires to appear before the Validation Court on Tuesday, the 31st day of July, 1894, at 10 a.m., or at the first sitting of the Court thereafter.

C. The nature of the transaction proposed for validation is,—

A Deed of Conveyance entered into and made by the several Native transferrors to Michael Mullooly, of Tolago Bay, settler, upon the dates and for the several considerations shown hereunder:—

Name of Native who executed said Conveyance.	Date of Execution of said Conveyance.	Consideration paid to Native who executed said Conveyance.
Peta Kahure ..	6 July, 1881 ..	£ 5 0
Kamariera Kahure ..	6 July, 1881 ..	5 0
Wiremu Kahure ..	6 July, 1881 ..	5 0
Kereama Piwaka ..	6 July, 1881 ..	5 0
Hori Peita ..	7 July, 1881 ..	4 10
Timoti Kahure ..	14 July, 1881 ..	5 0
(by his trustees, Wiremu Kahure and Peta Kahure)		
Tiopira Potango ..	30 July, 1881 ..	9 0
Ramari Puhipuhi ..	9 Sept., 1881 ..	2 0
Arapeta Rangiuia ..	26 Sept., 1881 ..	10 0
Tanatiu te Kani ..	26 Sept., 1881 ..	4 0
Pera Whakatete ..	26 Sept., 1881 ..	4 0
Hare Matenga ..	26 Sept., 1881 ..	10 0
Karaitiana Amaru ..	26 Sept., 1881 ..	10 0
Hetera Houpara ..	26 Sept., 1881 ..	4 0
Wiremu te Au or Konohi ..	26 Sept., 1881 ..	2 0
Rapata Taita ..	29 Sept., 1881 ..	5 0
Pera te Weri ..	29 Sept., 1881 ..	..
Karauria Pahura ..	13 Oct., 1881 ..	2 0
Hoani Piwaka ..	14 Oct., 1881 ..	5 0
Rutene te Eke ..	21 Oct., 1881 ..	2 0
Eruera Taruke ..	21 Oct., 1881 ..	5 0
Hapata Wiremu Maitai ..	16 Nov., 1881 ..	4 0
Rawiri Karaha ..	16 Nov., 1881 ..	4 0
Paora te Hura ..	4 Feb., 1882 ..	4 0
Mere Moeone ..	20 Feb., 1882 ..	5 0
Hataraka Rangiuia ..	7 Feb., 1882 ..	10 0
Ihaka Marino ..	7 Feb., 1882 ..	4 0
Tepora Ruru ..	7 Feb., 1882 ..	4 0
Mokena Pahoe ..	10 Feb., 1882 ..	4 0
Hiraina te Ota ..	10 Feb., 1882 ..	4 0
Ema Maitai ..	8 Mar., 1882 ..	4 0
Hone Maeha ..	13 Mar., 1882 ..	10 0
Hemi Kaitara ..	13 Mar., 1882 ..	4 0
Arapeta te Hau ..	15 Mar., 1882 ..	..
Rutene Kuhukuhu ..	21 Mar., 1882 ..	4 0
Kararama te Whare ..	27 Mar., 1882 ..	10 0
Hone Meihana ..	21 April, 1882 ..	10 0
Hone Hira te He ..	21 April, 1882 ..	10 0
Ereti Mariko ..	21 April, 1882 ..	10 0
Tama Pahura ..	21 April, 1882 ..	10 0
Mere Meihana ..	21 April, 1882 ..	4 0
Hariata Rotuhanga ..	21 April, 1882 ..	4 0
Ropiha Tamararo ..	2 May, 1882 ..	10 0
Ani Kawa ..	22 May, 1882 ..	4 0
Heta Mangungu ..	7 June, 1882 ..	4 0
Mihi Paraire ..	24 Nov., 1882 ..	2 0
Enoka Whakatete ..	22 Jan., 1883 ..	10 0
Eruera Harete ..	2 Aug., 1883 ..	2 0
Paki te Amaru ..	17 Jan., 1885 ..	4 0
Hare Nahonaho ..	25 June, 1886 ..	5 0
Emere Ngahue ..	2 Aug., 1886 ..	5 0
Hoana Angina ..	18 Aug., 1886 ..	5 0
Miriama te Mata ..	21 Aug., 1886 ..	4 0
Wi Kingi Hori ..	..	2 0
Katerina te Mihi ..	..	..
Kataraina Kahutia ..	..	..
Tamihana te Ao ..	4 Dec., 1886 ..	3 0

D. The land the estates and interests in which were intended to be alienated is all that block known as Tuawhatu No. 4, situate in the District of Poverty Bay; and the title of the said block at the time of the several alienations claimed to be validated was certificate of title dated the 1st day of July, 1881.

E. The estate or interest which the applicant seeks to obtain through the aid of the Court in the several estates and interests claimed is a freehold.

F. The manner in which he came to be invested with the title he now holds, and the dates and particulars of each conveyance or instrument, are as follows:—

1. Agreement for sale and purchase of (*inter alia*) Tuawhatu No. 4 Block, dated the 7th day of May, 1885, Michael Mullooly, with Percival Barker, the applicant.

2. Conveyance, dated the 12th day of October, 1885, Michael Mullooly to Percival Barker, of the shares and interests acquired by him in (*inter alia*) Tuawhatu No. 4 Block.

G. The address for service of the applicant in the Town of Gisborne is at the office of Cecil Albert de Lautour, solicitor.

H. The applicant desires that the estates and interests of the Native persons aforesaid, who executed the deed of conveyance set out under the letter c of this application, shall be bound by the decree of the Court, and for that purpose requires that copies of this application shall be served upon them 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 also be treated as parties to these proceedings; but the applicant is unable, except as hereinafter mentioned, to specify any names as those of persons entitled to object to the validation applied for.

The applicant is not aware of any other aboriginal native, nor of any European, who may properly claim to be an objector.

Dated this 5th day of May, 1894.

Signed by the applicant, Percival Barker, in the presence of C. A. de Lautour, solicitor, Gisborne.

P. BARKER.

To the Registrar of the Validation Court, Gisborne.

The Schedule hereinbefore referred to.

1. Certificated surviving owners—

Peta Kahure, Tolago Bay; Kamariera Kahure, Tolago Bay; Wiremu Kahure, Tolago Bay; Kereama Piwaka, Pakarae; Hori Peita, Pakarae; Tiopira Potango, Tolago Bay; Ramari Puhipuhi, Tolago Bay; Arapeta Rangiuia, Tolago Bay; Tanatui te Kani, Tolago Bay; Pera Whakatete, Pakarae; Hare Matenga, Tolago Bay; Karaitiana Amaru, Tolago Bay; Hetera Houpara, Tolago Bay; Wiremu te Au, or Konohi, Tolago Bay; Rapata Taita, Pakarae; Pera te Weri, Gisborne; Hoani Piwaka, Pakarae; Hapata Wiremu Maitai, Tolago Bay; Rawiri Karaha, Gisborne; Paora te Hura, Pakarae; Mere Mocone, Whatatutu; Hataraka Rangi, Tolago Bay; Ihaka Marino, Tolago Bay; Tepora Ruru, Te Karaka; Mokena Pahoe, Pakarae; Hiraina te Ota, Horoera, East Cape; Arapeta te Hau, Gisborne; Rutene Kuhukuhu, Tolago Bay; Hone Hira te He, Tolago Bay; Ereti Mariko, Tolago Bay; Tame Pahura, Tolago Bay; Mere Meihana, Matokitoki, Gisborne; Hariata Rotuhanga, Tolago Bay; Ropiha Tamararo, Tolago Bay; Heta Mangungu, Tolago Bay; Mihi Paraire, Gisborne; Eruera Harete, Gisborne; Ani Kawa, Waipare; Hare Nahonaho, Pakarae; Emere Ngahue, Tolago Bay; Hoana Angina, Pakarae; Miriama te Mata, Tolago Bay; Tamihana te Ao, Tolago Bay; Wi Kingi Hori, Tolago Bay; Katerina te Mihi, Tolago Bay.

2. Certificated owners who are dead, and successors appointed—

Timoti Kahure. Successors—Peta Kahure, Kamariera Kahure, Wiremu Kahure, all of Tolago Bay; and Mere Kahure, of Whatatutu.
 Karauria Pahura. Successor, Arapera Pahura, of Tolago Bay.
 Rutene te Eke. Successors—Mere Maki, Piriniha te Eke, Karaitiana te Eke, all of Gisborne; and Harata te Eke (dead).
 Harata te Eke. Successor, Rutene te Eke, jun. (minor); his trustees are E. F. Harris, Mihi Paraire, and Mere Whakaangi, all of Gisborne.
 Eruera Taruke. Successor, Te Hira Taruke, of Whangara.
 Ema Maitai. Successors—Hapata Maitai, Hirini Maitai, and Timoti Maitai, all of Tolago Bay.
 Hone Maeha. Successors—Hone Paerata and Miriama Kirikiri, both of Anaura.
 Karanama te Whare. Successor, Mahaki Paraone, of Te Karaka.

Hone Meihana. Successors—Ropiha Tamararo, of Tolago Bay; Arapeta te Hau, of Gisborne; and Ereti Mariko, of Tolago Bay.

Enoka Whakatete. Successor, Pera Whakatete, of Whangara.

Paki te Amaru. Successor, Karaitiana Amaru, of Tolago Bay.

Kataraina Kahutia. Successor, Himiona te Kani, of Tolago Bay.

Hemi Kaitara. Successors—Tiopira Kaitara, Hataraka Kaitara, and Hemi Rakaia, all of Tolago Bay; and Marara Paku, of Karaka. 332

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 Tuawhatu No. 2 Block.

A. PERCIVAL BARKER, of Whataupoko, sheep-farmer, applies under the above-mentioned Act for the validation of his interests in the above block, containing 1,784 acres, more or less, situated in the Native Land Court District of Gisborne.

B. The applicant desires to appear before the Validation Court on Tuesday, the 31st day of July, 1894, at 10 a.m., or at the first sitting of the Court thereafter.

C. The nature of the transaction proposed for validation is,—

A Conveyance, entered into and made by the several Native transferors to Michael Mullooly, of Tolago Bay, settler, upon the dates and for the considerations shown hereunder:—

Name of Native who executed said Conveyance.	Date of Execution of said Conveyance.	Consideration paid to Native who executed said Conveyance.
Hori Peita ..	8 July, 1881..	£ 5
Hirini Tikera ..	8 July, 1881..	5
Te Wiki Rangi ..	14 July, 1881..	5
Mere Tarahau ..	14 July, 1881..	5
Tahauru Kaitara	29 Aug., 1881..	5
Tamatui te Ota.		
Tanatui te Kani..	26 Sept., 1881	5
Ereti te Kani ..	26 Sept., 1881	5
Hohua Kawhea..	26 Sept., 1881	5
Rutene Kuhukuhu	26 Sept., 1881	5
Wi Wharekino ..	17 Oct., 1881..	5
Maraeate Apinga	17 Oct., 1881..	5
Mihi Pahura or Paraire	17 Oct., 1881..	5
Tiopira Tahoro ..	18 Oct., 1881..	4
Hoani Mataiha ..	7 Nov., 1881..	5
Hakopa Tora ..	4 Feb., 1882..	4
Rutene te Eke ..	4 Feb., 1882..	4
Winiata Koroua	7 Feb., 1882..	5
Eruera Taruke ..	7 Feb., 1882..	5
Ihaka Marino te Waru	7 Feb., 1882..	5
Te Hira Taihore	7 Feb., 1882..	5
Te Hira Taruke	10 Feb., 1882..	5
Mihi te Aouri ..	10 Feb., 1882..	5
Wiremu te Hau..	24 Feb., 1883..	5
Rua Huihui ..	28 Dec., 1886..	5
Peihana Takahirangi	28 Feb., 1886..	5

D. The land the estates and interests in which were intended to be alienated is all that block known as Tuawhatu No. 2, situate in the District of Poverty Bay; and the title of the said block at the time of the several alienations claimed to be validated was a certificate of title dated the 30th day of June, 1881.

E. The estate or interest which the applicant seeks to obtain through the aid of the Court in the several estates and interests claimed is a freehold.

F. The manner in which he came to be invested with the title he now holds, and the dates and particulars of each conveyance or instrument, are as follows:—

1. Agreement for sale and purchase of (*inter alia*) Tuawhatu No. 2 Block, dated the 7th day of May, 1885, Michael Mullooly, with Percival Barker, the applicant.

2. Conveyance, dated the 12th day of October, 1885, Michael Mullooly to Percival Barker, of the shares and interests acquired by him in (*inter alia*) Tuawhatu No. 2 Block.

g. The address for service of the applicant in the Town of Gisborne is at the office of Cecil Albert de Lautour, solicitor.

h. The applicant desires that the estates and interests of the Native persons aforesaid who executed the deed of conveyance set out under the letter c of this application shall be bound by the decree of the Court, and for that purpose requires that copies of this application shall be served upon them 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 also be treated as parties to these proceedings, but the applicant is unable (except as hereinafter mentioned) to specify any names as those of persons entitled to object to the validation applied for.

The applicant is not aware of any other aboriginal native, nor of any European, who may properly claim to be an objector.

Dated this 5th day of May, 1894.

Signed by the said Percival Barker, the applicant, in the presence of C. A. de Lautour, solicitor, Gisborne.

P. BARKER.

To the Registrar of the Validation Court, Gisborne.

The Schedule hereinbefore referred to.

1. Certificated surviving owners—
 Hori Peita, Tolago Bay; Hirini Tikera, Tolago Bay; Tamati Teota, Tolago Bay; Tanatiu te Kani, Tolago Bay; Ereti te Kani, Tolago Bay; Rutene Kuhukuhu, Tolago Bay; Wi Wharekino, Gisborne; Maraea te Apinga, Gisborne; Mihi Pahura or Paraire, Gisborne; Tiopira Tahoro, Tolago Bay; Hoani Matiaha, Pakarae; Ihaka Marino te Waru, Tolago Bay; Te Hira Taruke, Whangara; Wiremu te Hau, Whangarei, Auckland; Peihana Takahirangi, Gisborne.
2. Certificated owners who are dead, and their successors—
 Te Wiki Rangi. Successor—Harata Makuru, of Tolago Bay.
 Mere Tarahau. Successors—Hone te Rua and Peihana, both of Gisborne.
 Tahauru Kaitara. Successor—Marara Paku, of Karaka.
 Hohua Kawhea. Successor—Rameka Makuru, of Tolago Bay.
 Hakopa Tora. Successors—Tamihana te Ao, of Tolago Bay; Ani Karaka, of Whangara; and Huhana Whakarau, of Wairoa.
 Rutene te Eke. Successors—Mere Maki, Piriniha te Eke, Karaitiana te Eke, all of Gisborne; and Harata te Eke (dead).
 Harata te Eke. Successor—Rutene te Eke, jun., (minor); his trustees are E. F. Harris, Mihi Paraire, and Mere Whakaangi.
 Winiata Koroua. Successors—Hariata Koroua, Pirihia Koroua, Rutene Koroua, all of Whangara; and Hoana Epanaia, of Mahia.
 Eruera Taruke. Successor—Te Hira Taruke, of Whangara.
 Te Hira Taihore. Successor—Miriamia Moraki, of Tolago Bay.
 Mihi te Aouri. Successors—Hoani Matiaha, Wi Wharekino, both of Pakarae.
 Rua Huihui. Successors—Hone te Rua and Peihana Takahirangi, both of Gisborne. 333

Name of Native who executed said Conveyance.	Date of Execution of said Conveyance.
Hiria Raerena, successor to Raniara Raerena, deceased	28th August, 1883.
Herewini te Hau	9th March, 1883.
Makere te Hau	13th Feb., 1884.
Koti te Kaka	27th Feb., 1883.
Wi te Hau	26th Jan., 1883.
Paraone Taiao	26th Jan., 1883.
Hare Hautapu	27th Jan., 1883.
Mere Rangiua and Nopera Rangiua (by their trustee, Arapeta Rangiua)	12th Feb., 1884.
Hori Kapekape	29th Jan., 1883.
Horomona te Hui	26th Jan., 1883.
Te Ngarara Rungarunga	1st Feb., 1883.
Hori Raerena	25th Jan., 1884.
Miriamia Romia	26th Jan., 1883.
Raiha Peneti	26th Jan., 1883.
Keepa Peneti	29th Jan., 1883.
Ketekete (by her trustee, Peniamine Huhu)	19th Feb., 1884.
Te Ahiwera te Hau	9th Feb., 1884.
Tuihana Paku	27th Jan., 1883.
Maraea Wharekino	9th June, 1883.
Hekiera Rehutai	24th Feb., 1883.
Whare Hinahina	26th Jan., 1883.
Pine te Ao	7th Feb., 1883.
Piripi Pahina	30th April, 1883.
Ropata Wahawaha	11th May, 1883.
Hakarara Hiakai	26th Jan., 1883.
Heni Huhu	22nd Feb., 1883.
Heni Raerena	28th August, 1883.
Hera Paho, successor to Raniara Kaweua	5th Dec., 1883.
Wahipene Kaweua, successor to Raniara Kaweua	31st Jan., 1883.
Hori Whare	7th Feb., 1883.
Maharata te Hui	10th Feb., 1883.
Neri Rumanga	7th Feb., 1883.
Tiripa Poai	26th Jan., 1883.
Raiha Whare	22nd Feb., 1883.
Mere Taihi	10th Feb., 1883.
Harata Kuhukuhu and Mate-nga Rakaitapu, successors to Paku Kuhukuhu	29th June, 1883.
Hami Puha	27th Jan., 1883.
Rameka Takurua	29th June, 1883.
Ropihana Huatau	2nd Feb., 1883.
Harata te Ihi	2nd June, 1883.
Apirana Pahina	9th July, 1883.
Hakopa Tipaata	29th Jan., 1883.
Patoromu Noti	13th Feb., 1883.
Hoani Pani	1st Feb., 1883.
Keretiana	28th August, 1883.
Wiremu te Hau	15th Oct., 1883.
Kararaina Rakaitapu Kuhukuhu and Hami Rakaitapu, successors to Paku Kuhukuhu	7th Feb., 1884.

The said deed of conveyance is dated the 26th day of January, 1883.

2. Deed of Conveyance, dated the 24th day of December, 1886, entered into and made by Heni Ngakai to the applicant for the consideration of £25.
3. Deed of Conveyance, dated the 3rd day of May, 1890, entered into and made by Te Rina Paruparu to the applicant for the consideration of £35.
4. Deed of Conveyance, dated the 6th day of January, 1891, entered into and made by Mikaere Kaweua to the applicant for the consideration of £10.
5. Deed of Conveyance, dated the 9th day of May, 1892, entered into and made by Eruera Taopirau to the applicant for the consideration of £12.

D. The land the estates and interests in which were intended to be alienated is all that block known as Poroikamoana, situate in the District of Poverty Bay; and the title of the said block at the time of the several alienations claimed to be validated was memorial of ownership, dated the 12th day of June, 1876.

E. The estate or interest which the applicant seeks to obtain through the aid of the Court in the several estates and interests is a freehold.

F. The applicant came to be vested with the title he now holds by direct purchase from the several vendors, whose names are set out under letter c of this application.

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 Poroikamoana Block.

A. JAMES NELSON WILLIAMS, of Frimley, Hawke's Bay, sheep-farmer, applies under the above-mentioned Act for the validation of his interests in the above block, containing 1,888 acres and 33 perches, more or less, situate in the Native Land Court District of Gisborne.

B. The applicant desires to appear before the Validation Court on Tuesday, the 31st day of July, 1894, at 10 a.m., or at the first sitting of the Court thereafter.

C. The nature of the transaction proposed for validation is,—

1. Deed of Conveyance entered into and made by the following Native transferrors to the applicant, upon the dates set out hereunder, and for the consideration of £521 13s. 4d., viz. :—

g. The address for service of the applicant in the Town of Gisborne is at the office of Cecil Albert de Lautour, solicitor.
 h. The applicant desires that the estates and interests of the Native persons aforesaid who executed the several deeds of conveyance set out under the letter c of this application shall be bound by the decree of the Court, and for that purpose requires that copies of this application shall be served upon them or their representatives according to the list set forth in the Schedule hereto.

The applicant will also at the hearing rely upon Deed of Conveyance, dated the 10th day of August, 1893, and made by the Native vendors in confirmation of previous deeds of transfer or conveyance or otherwise, for the considerations and at the respective dates shown hereunder:—

Name of Native who executed said Conveyance.	Date of Execution of said Conveyance.	Consideration paid to Native who executed said Conveyance.
Ketekete, <i>alias</i> Ketekete Tnauki	10th Aug., 1893	£ 5 s. 5
Nopera Rangiuia	15th Aug., 1893	6 0
Mary Moore (Mere Rangiuia)	15th Aug., 1893	6 0
Arapeta Rangiuia (as trustee for Nopera Rangiuia and Mere Rangiuia)	15th Aug., 1893.	
Wahipene Kaweua	29th Aug., 1893	4 0
Herewini te Hau (as trustee for Wahipene Kaweua)	6th Sept., 1893.	
Pine Amine Huhu (as trustee for Ketekete)	7th Sept., 1893.	

The applicant will also rely upon the finding of the Judge of the Native Land Court at Gisborne upon an inquiry in open Court made on the 6th day of November, 1893, in terms of "The Native Land Act 1886 Amendment Act, 1888," finding the purchase by the applicant of all the shares and estates of the Native owners in the Porokiamoana Block to be equitable, and the transaction of purchase *bona fide*.

The applicant desires that all others who may claim to be interested in the validation applied for shall also be treated as parties to these proceedings, but the applicant is unable, except as hereinafter mentioned, to specify any names as those of persons entitled to object to the validation applied for.

The applicant is not aware of any other aboriginal native who may properly claim to be an objector.

Dated this 8th day of May, 1894.

Signed by the applicant, James Nelson Williams, in the presence of A. E. Stanton, solicitor's clerk, Napier.

J. N. WILLIAMS.

To the Registrar of the Validation Court, Gisborne.

The Schedule hereinbefore referred to.

1. Surviving owners whose shares are claimed by the applicant enrolled in the memorial of ownership issued under "The Native Land Act, 1873," for Porokiamoana—

Herewini te Hau, Tokomaru; Makere te Hau, Tokomaru; Wi te Hau, Tokomaru; Koti te Kaka, Tokomaru; Paraone Taiao, Tokomaru; Hare Hautapu, Tolago Bay; Mere Rangiuia (by her trustee, Arapeta Rangiuia), Tolago Bay; Nopera Rangiuia (by his trustee, Arapeta Rangiuia), Tolago Bay; Hori Kapekape, Anaura; Horomona te Hui, Tokomaru; Te Ngarara Rungarunga, Tokomaru; Hori Raerena, Tokomaru; Raiha Peneti, Tokomaru; Kepa Peneti, Waerenga-a-hika; Ketekete (by her trustee, Peniamine Huhu), Tokomaru; Te Ahiwera te Hau, Tokomaru; Tuihana Paku, Tokomaru; Maraea Wharekino, Tokomaru; Hekiera Rehutai, Tokomaru; Pine te Ao, Tokomaru; Piripi Pahina, Tokomaru; Ropata Wahawaha, Waiomatatini; Hakaraia Hiakai, Tokomaru; Heni Huhu, Anaura; Heni Raerena, Tokomaru; Hera Paho (successor to one-third of Raniera Kaweua), Tokomaru; Wahipene Kaweua (successor to one-third Raniera Kaweua), Waerenga-a-hika; Hori Whare, Tokomaru; Maharata te Hui, Tokomaru; Neri Rumanga, Tokomaru; Tiripa Poai, Tokomaru; Raiha Whare, Te Arai; Mere Taihi, Wai-piro Bay; Hami Puha, Whatatutu; Rameka Takurua, Tokomaru; Harata te Ihi, Waiomatatini; Apirana Pahina, Tokomaru; Hakopa Tipaata, Tokomaru; Hoani Pani, Tokomaru; Keretiana, Tokomaru; Wiremu te Hau, Tokomaru; Kararaina Rakaitapu (successor to Paku Kuhukuhu), Tolago Bay; Mikaere

Kaweua (successor to one-third of Raniera Kaweua), Chatham Islands; Eruera Taopirau, Te Karaka; Te Rina Faruparu, Tokomaru; Heni Ngakai, Tokomaru.

- Deceased owners and their probable successors—
 Wharehinahina. Probable successors—Raiha Whare, Ruariki Whare, Pe Whare, all of Tokomaru.
 Hiria Raerena. Probable successors—Hori Raerena, Ketu Raerena, Turu Raerena, and Taipara Raerena, all of Tokomaru, and Horiana Harding, of Gisborne.
 Patoromu Noti. Probable successors—Himiona Katipa and others who are minors. Notice to be sent to their trustee, Matenga Taihuka, both of Parihimanuhi, Waerenga-a-hika.
 Miriama Romia. Probable successor—Rutene Porotiti, of Waipare.
 Ropohana Huatau. Probable successors—Hare Huatau and Hana Rangiuia, both of Tolago Bay. 336

"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 WEDNESDAY, the 4th JULY, 1894, to fix the Rent for a NEW LEASE to SAMUEL WOODS of PARAPARA BLOCK, part of the Whareroa Native Reserve, containing 23 acres 2 roods 4 perches (more or less), being Land comprised in Confirmed Lease No. 55.

TO Tamaohungia Puiwaitaha, Tangiora, Tuai-wa, Rahiri, Kunako, Te Ratoia, Wairaka, Te Ngaruru, Te Hau te ki, Te Kau, Karoro, Rangitupoki, Rangimatakite, Taiteariki, Takirau, Marokopa, Kerei, Whaipakanga, Maraea Tamaki (trustee, Te Piki Tamaohungia), Te Oiroa (trustee, Te Piki Tamaohungia), Te Waka Taparuru, Tikapa, Te Hokio, Kawarau, Papaka, Ngahaporoaki, Ratoia, Te Awarua, Tamaka, Weurangi, Tamawhero, Tamatauhare, Ruarangi, Te Ipuwai, Te Kokiri, Peata te Hirata, Hiromona te Uamairangi, Haipene Iharaia, Eia Heremaiti, Puketete Heremaiti, Te Rangitotiu, Erana Ringarau, Te Rangiwetuki, Te Hikaka, Rongo te Rawhiti (trustee, Te Ngaruru), Huatuhu, Te Uruotonga, Tutu, Te Puamoewa, Te Roti Moerangi, Rotimoerangi Paenga, Poki Mininiki (trustees, Mere Mininiki and Mahuri), Hemi, Mere Ngapaku, Rangimuu, Wi Poki, Haweturi, Maraea Haweturi (trustee, Haweturi), Pokere Haweturi (trustee, Haweturi), Taihuria Haweturi (trustee, Haweturi), Pokai Whenua, Iotara, Te Motunui, Tamahiri, Turiakina, Moutoko, Haipene, Te Piki, Taringa, Huritiniupe, Te Pokaitua, Te Waka, Whanaupunga, Eruera Rotoia, Te Mutu, Te Oro, Rangihina, Rangiwanga, Koheta (trustee, Te Ngaruru), Tauwhiri, Terawha, Tihirangi, Te Kawaho, Te Kowhai, Te Pirihii, Te Rangirunga, Tuare, Wharematu, Iwaochia Nihera Raukura, Ngatara, Te Rangihirama, Tukohu, Ngatara Ruka Mininiki, Te Muroa, Hemi Watene, Hema Watene, Ngarangi, Mauriri, Ngata, Onetu, Rangitaniwha, Tekezi, Fureraukawa, Komaka, Kaio, Wairaka, Pua Raukato, Puamoewa, Puaraurenga, Tapahi, Puzeraukawa, Komaka, Puanui, Te Wen, Mahara, Koheta (trustee, Te Ngaruru), Panenui (trustee, Te Ngaruru), Tawhiti, Tamaka, Te Urutahi, Uruotonga, Kimirongo, Awarua, Te Ao Awarua, Te Bahurumai, Urutahi, Heta, Tupotohaka, Tamahiroa, Te Onetu, Mihi, Piga, Ngapeita, Tipirangi, Te Puri, Te Kurare, Rangiamohia, Rangiahuta, Rangiapaki, Kuratamahi, Kuraroa, Mahuri, Te Pirihii Tukawanga, Ngaiwha, Hinekete, Te Matehaere, Te Kiri, Miriana, Hinekoraangi, Korie, Ngarewarewa, Tukohu, Piki, Pua Mahurangi Pahuru, Hineao, Tukupoto, Rahirikau, Kumenga, Mereana Hawaiki, Waikatere, Waiawa, Tutepurangi and the other Native owners of all that piece of land situate in the County of Patea, being portion of the Whareroa Native Reserve, Parapara Block, and containing by admeasurement 23 acres 2 roods 4 perches (more or less), being the land comprised in confirmed lease No. 55, and to Samuel Woods, of Hawera, grain merchant, lessee.

Whereas the above-named Samuel Woods has given notice to me, under the provisions of section 8 of "The West Coast Settlement Reserves Act, 1892," that he desires to obtain under that section a new lease of the land above described; and I consider his application ought to be given effect to: Now, therefore, I do hereby appoint a meeting to take place between the said Samuel Woods and all the Native owners of all 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 Wednesday, the 4th day of July, 1894, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, as the time when, such meeting shall take place.

Dated this 1st day of June, 1894.
 J. K. WARBURTON,
 Public Trustee.

"THE WEST COAST SETTLEMENT RESERVES ACT, 1892."

NOTICE to NATIVE OWNERS and LESSEE of a MEETING to be held at the COURTHOUSE, WAITARA, at 10 o'clock a.m. on MONDAY, the 2nd JULY, 1894, to fix the RENT for a NEW LEASE to JAMES BAYLY, Jun., of Section No. 97, Block V., WAITARA, containing 74 acres (more or less), being Land comprised in Memorandum of Lease registered No. 778.

TO Rameka Paratene (Paratene Nikorima, trustee), Tikapa te Motuuruurua (Paratene Nikorima, trustee), Te Kiri Tahanga, Te Kau Wairei, Wareta te Wana, Kiri Nganeko, Pirini, Kamarei, Hukinga Huia, Te One Tahuri, Te Awaiti Tahuri, Piripi Mohi, Pourere, Eraia Pakirikiri, Ropata Ngarongomate, Tare te Rutu, Amiria Hakaraia, Te Wairingi Paratene, Hine-mate Paratene, Hoera Paratene, Meiha Paratene, Tao Paratene, Ranuka Paratene, Tetihi Paratene, Pereniki Paratene (Paratene, trustee), Te Wairingiringi Paratene, Hoana Patara, Roka Tumaiwaho, Paramauri Kipa, Ruiha Tangotango, Maraea Tamati, Wakareinga, Hemangaru, Harata, Eruni te Rangurihau, Tawhanga Eruera, Paremauri, and the other Native owners of all that piece of land situate in the Waitara Survey District, being Section No. 97, Block V., and containing by admeasurement 74 acres (more or less), being the land comprised in memorandum of lease registered No. 778, to James Bayly, jun., of Waitara East, farmer, lessee:

Whereas the above-named James Bayly, jun., has given notice to me, under the provisions of section 8 of "The West Coast Settlement Reserves Act, 1892," that he desires to obtain under that section a new lease of the land above described; and I consider his application ought to be given effect to: Now, therefore, I do hereby appoint a meeting to take place between the said James Bayly, jun., 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, Waitara, as the place where, and Monday, the 2nd day of July, 1894, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, as the time, when such meeting shall take place.

Dated this 1st day of June, 1894.

J. K. WARBURTON,

Public Trustee.

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"THE WEST COAST SETTLEMENT RESERVES ACT, 1892."

NOTICE to NATIVE OWNERS and LESSEE of a MEETING to be held at the COURTHOUSE, MANAIA, at 11 o'clock a.m. on THURSDAY, 5th JULY, 1894, to fix the RENT for a NEW LEASE to EDA HOLLYWOOD of Section 140, Block IV., WAIMATE, containing 63 acres (more or less), being Land comprised in Memorandum of Lease registered No. 724.

TO Pi Katene, Karere, Katene, Ngahaka Katene, Te Puni Pai Katene, Tapuirangi Katene (Haeo, trustee), Pipi, Tapuirangi, Ngapaku Katene, Ngapaku, Hauwhenua, Huatahi, Tapona, Punahau, Nauora, Taketake, Ngatai, Tangirua, Tahuoi, Matohe, Kawhena, Ngarama, Ngati, Ngatokorua, Kirimaro, John Carr (Charles Carr, trustee), Ngawhare, Te Iki, Te Piki (kaumatua), Mahau, Te Piki te Iki, Hori, Whareherehere, Kiri Taupata, Tamawhero, Paerangi, Hiwi, Ngahuia, Rangiwhehu, Motuhanga, Te Raho, Ruihi, Motumahanga, Huia, Te Rauna, Taniwha, Kohunga, Maha, Ngaro, Tuku, Tanke, Te Whirowhiro, Hauwhenua, Heao, Ngahaka, Kiore, Tawiri, Waiaata, Ngawai Tarawhiti, Awhio, Te Rupaipira, Pouwhareumu, Whakataka, Taha, Waipatara, Hihī, Haukopa, Ngoko, Whakarua, Tarewa Kotuku, Atutahi, Pirikahu, Tini Pirikahu, Taroi Pirikahu, Koroneho Pirikahu (Whakarua te Kareha, trustee), 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 Waimate Survey District, being Section 140, Block IV., and containing by admeasurement 63 acres (more or less), being the land comprised in memorandum of lease registered No. 724, to Eda Hollywood, of Gisborne, as lessee.

Whereas the above-named Eda Hollywood 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 Eda Hollywood 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, Manaiā, as the place where, and Thursday, the 5th day of July, 1894, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, as the time when, such meeting shall take place.

Dated this 1st day of June, 1894.

J. K. WARBURTON,

Public Trustee.

No. 130.]

"THE WEST COAST SETTLEMENT RESERVES ACT, 1892."

NOTICE to NATIVE OWNERS and LESSEE of a MEETING to be held at the COURTHOUSE, HAWERA, at 9 o'clock a.m. on WEDNESDAY, the 4th JULY, 1894, to fix the RENT for a NEW LEASE to ISABELLA BODDIE of Section 11, Block II., HAWERA, containing 118 acres (more or less), being Land comprised in Memorandums of Leases registered Nos. 431 and 885.

TO Tukarangatai, Te Mira, Rahiri, Hurunga, Tara Waka, Rangimawe, Te Putaka, Mange, Te Onetu, Nunumi, Rangitaniwha, Te Whakaheke, Tamawhero, Tonga, Kake, Te Raukehu, Tumahuki, Turahae, Puhara, Piki Puhara, Tonga (Te Mira, trustee), Ngakau (Te Mira, trustee), Urunga, Hone Whakapau, Te Manu Karioi, Hinenia, Rangipahi, Matakirangi, Te Kenui, Rangipuri, Tahiwī, Ngapuhi, Rongoapiti, Hinerangi, Kuru, Kei, Te Aio, Te Toroa, Toirehe, Tauria, Taiakune, Tuhia, Hone Taka, Tutawa, Kapua, Potaka, Hinemaire, Te Rere, Rehia, Hawhaiki, Te Para Ruakere, Poriana, Mata, Ngatarā, Whataranika, Kumenga, Kehu, Hinauri, Tioko, Ngakawe, Hautaweru, Rourangi, Wharepuni, Tahuoi, Karewai, Pukore, Whakawiria, Te Angiangi, Rokia, Te Ingoingi, Tuhia Wharepouri, Puaroto, Hariona, Te Kahuiti, Whakarakaka, Tamahiri, Rewi, Rangihina, Tukahu, Harei, Te Pakeke, Hone Kotuku, Puiakohu, Mereana, Mounu, Ngana, Punahau, Hauwhenua, Awhio, Maku, Makurangi, Rangitupoki, Hinerangi, Hinerangi te Mihi, Turaukawa, Te Kahui Tainini, Rangitaura, Te Ratahi, Ngauta, Te Moengaroa, Ngatioma, Waitipu, Wiremu Kahui, Te Rangiwihoro, Taumana, Te Haupupa, Tonga-auros, Ko Tenaihi, Taupiri, Toerangi, Tumuhuki Rongonui, Ngataruwhai Matiu, Waitaoro, Tamahere, Te Kokori, Matareinga, Hone te Poho, Tamatea, Rangawhenua, Kereona, Moni, Rangimamau, Tuwehe, Hinetau, Hinehau, Rangipuri, Mary Bailey, Te Whareaitu, Waipuhiao, Arhonga, Te Kiri, Mereana Hawaiki, and the other Native owners of all that piece of land situate in the Hawera Survey District, being Section No. 11, Block II., and containing by admeasurement 118 acres (more or less), being the land comprised in memorandums of leases registered Nos. 431 and 885, to Isabella Boddie, of Normanby, as lessee.

Whereas the above-named Isabella Boddie 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 Isabella Boddie 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 Wednesday, the 4th day of July, 1894, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, as the time when, such meeting shall take place.

Dated this 1st day of June, 1894.

J. K. WARBURTON,

Public Trustee.

No. 132.]

"THE WEST COAST SETTLEMENT RESERVES ACT, 1892."

NOTICE to NATIVE OWNERS and LESSEE of a MEETING to be held at the COURTHOUSE, MANAIA, at 2 o'clock p.m. on THURSDAY, the 5th JULY, 1894, to fix the RENT for a NEW LEASE to LEONARD MAXWELL TAUNTON of Sections 35, 36, and 37, Block VII., WAIMATE, containing 199 acres (more or less), being the Land comprised in Memorandum of Lease registered No. 714.

TO Manaia Hukunui and the other Native owners of all that piece of land situate in the Waimate Survey District, being Sections 35, 36, and 37, Block VII., and containing by admeasurement 199 acres (more or less), being the land comprised in memorandum of lease, registered No. 714, to Leonard Maxwell Taunton, of Stratford, farmer.

Whereas the above-named Leonard Maxwell Taunton has given notice to me, under the provisions of section 8 of "The West Coast Settlement Reserves Act, 1892," that he desires to obtain under that section a new lease of the land above described; and I consider his application ought to be given effect to: Now, therefore, I do hereby appoint a meeting to take place between the said Leonard Maxwell Taunton 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, Manaiā, as the place where, and Thursday, the 5th day of July, 1894, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, as the time when, such meeting shall take place.

Dated this 1st day of June, 1894.

J. K. WARBURTON,

Public Trustee.

No. 128.]

"THE WEST COAST SETTLEMENT
RESERVES ACT, 1892."

NOTICE to NATIVE OWNERS and LESSEE of a MEETING to be held at the COURTHOUSE, MANAIA, at 9 o'clock a.m. on THURSDAY, the 5th JULY, 1894, to fix the Rent for a New LEASE to JOHN BOGUE of Section 148, Block IV., Waimate, containing 37 acres 32 perches (more or less), being the Land comprised in Memorandum of Lease registered No. 524.

TO Ngaumu, Makawe, Komene, Tamatua, Te Manu Kapakapa, Takatua Kaumatua, Te Kepa, Te Manu, Kawai te Pohi (trustee, Ohia), Toro, Ohia, Te Pahi, Komene Tuhina, Aminia Ngapuatia, Pahau, Rangī, Te Kahu Pokoro, Mui (Ranginua), Here, Wharepuka, Makawe, Takatua, Te Angi (trustee, Takatua), Ranginua, Kawakau, Te Hawhiti, Bahirunga, Takatua, Hura, Toha, Tutahione, Tainakore Titokowaru (trustee, Makawe), Tiori, Te Unahi, Topahi, Amiria (Ngapuatea), Te Hau (Paimaiwaho), Ngawairo-ngoā, Tango, Ngaraina, Kaiwai te Poki (trustee, Ohia), Auroora, Tango, Tangi, Ngaraina, Whare-awea, Whareawhea, Te Noti (Tanginui), Rua tamaiti, Pari, Makawe, Kawakawa, Hinemanu, Uenuku, Wharepuka, Whariki, Ruahoaata, Hine-ahinga, Hineawhinga Ngarewa, Hira, Ngapaki, Titau, Rawhiri Hurewai, and the other Native owners of all that piece of land situate in the Waimate Survey District, being Section 148, Block IV., and containing by admeasurement 37 acres 32 perches (more or less), being the land comprised in memorandum of lease registered No. 524, to John Bogue, of Okaiawa, farmer, as lessee.

Whereas the above-named John Bogue has given notice to me, under the provisions of section 8 of "The West Coast Settlement Reserves Act, 1892," that he desires to obtain under that section a new lease of the land above described; and I consider his application ought to be given effect to: Now, therefore, I do hereby appoint a meeting to take place between the said John Bogue 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, Manaia, as the place where, and Thursday, the 5th day of July, 1894, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, as the time when, such meeting shall take place.

Dated this 1st day of June, 1894.

J. K. WARBURTON,
Public Trustee.

No. 131.]

"THE WEST COAST SETTLEMENT
RESERVES ACT, 1892."

NOTICE to NATIVE OWNERS and LESSEES of a MEETING to be held at the COURTHOUSE, WAITARA, at 2 o'clock p.m. on MONDAY, the 2nd JULY, 1894, to fix the Rent for a New LEASE to THOMAS BOWLER, JEREMIAH CLIFFORD, and JEREMIAH HENRY FLYNN of Section No. 9, Block VI., WAITARA SURVEY DISTRICT, containing 125 acres 2 roods 7 perches (more or less), being the Land comprised in Memorandum of Lease registered No. 744.

TO Pitama Pirika, Ani Piti, Ngaro Tutere, Kuruhira Piri, Renata Kauereia, Manurau (Meretini, trustee), Tohia, Mahutu, Kohi Epina Karoro (Katene Epina Karoro, trustee), Katene Epina Karoro, Pitama Pirika, Herewini Rawiri, Hone Hough, Pirihita Pitama, Tuteri Piti, Hera Honeyfield, Kara Honeyfield, Ngarau Taituha, Rakopa, Te Morehu, Wi Te Puke, Tanu, Waikiao, Ngahiwi Tamiha, Te Aupiki Tamihana, and the other Native owners of all that piece of land situate in the Waitara Survey District, being Section No. 9, Block VI., and containing by admeasurement in all 125 acres 2 roods 7 perches (more or less), being the land comprised in memorandum of lease registered No. 744, to Thomas Bowler, Jeremiah Clifford, and Jeremiah Henry Flynn, of Waitara, farmers, lessees.

Whereas the above-named Thomas Bowler, Jeremiah Clifford, and Jeremiah Henry Flynn have given notice to me, under the provisions of section 8 of "The West Coast Settlement Reserves Act, 1892," that they desire to obtain under that section a new lease of the land above described; and I consider their application ought to be given effect to: Now, therefore, I do hereby appoint a meeting to take place between the said Thomas Bowler, Jeremiah Clifford, and Jeremiah Henry Flynn 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, Waitara, as the place where, and Monday, the 2nd day of July, 1894, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, as the time when, such meeting shall take place.

Dated this 1st day of June, 1894.

J. K. WARBURTON,
Public Trustee.

No. 129.]

"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, Nanora, Taketake, Ngatai Tangirua, Tahuoi, Ngaripo, 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, Whareherere, Kiri Taupata, Tamawhero, Paerangi, Hiwi, Ngahua, Rangiwetu, Motuhanga, Te Raho, Ruihi, Motumahanga, Huiā, Te Rauna, Taniwha, Korohunga, Maha, Ngaro, Tuku, Tanke, Te Whirowhiro, Heao, Ngahaka, Kiore, Tawiri, Waita, Ngawai Tarawhiti, Awihio, Te Rupapira, Pouwharemu, Whakataka, Teha, Waipatara, Hihī, Haukopa, Ngoku, Whakaruā, 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.

No. 125.]

Bankruptcy Notices.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that CHARLES WILLIAM COTCHING, of Auckland, Agent, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 4th day of June, 1894, at 11 o'clock.

J. LAWSON,
Official Assignee.

28th May, 1894.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN WHITEMAN, of Auckland, Chimney-sweep, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 7th day of June, 1894, at 11 o'clock.

J. LAWSON,
Official Assignee.

31st May, 1894.

In Bankruptcy.—In the District Court of Taranaki, holden at Hawera.

NOTICE is hereby given that FRANCIS ALFRED CRAMER, of Stratford, Baker, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at Mr. Liardet's office, Stratford, on the 11th day of June, 1894, at 2 o'clock.

C. A. BUDGE,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Hawera, 4th June, 1894.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES HAIG, of Wanganui, Saddler, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, Wanganui, on Monday, the 11th day of June, 1894, at 2.30 p.m.

JOHN NOTMAN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Wanganui, 4th June, 1894.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that PETER RUGSTED, of Taonui, near Feilding, Carrier, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, Feilding, on Wednesday, the 13th day of June, 1894, at 2 o'clock.

G. J. SCOTT,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Palmerston North, 2nd June, 1894.

In Bankruptcy.

In the estate of JAMES HEDLEY POTTER, Clerk, Wellington.

NOTICE is hereby given that provision has been made for the payment of a dividend of 10s. in the pound on the proved debts in this estate. All claims must be lodged with me on or before Saturday, the 9th day of June instant, in order to participate in the dividend which will be due and payable on the 15th instant.

JAMES ASHCROFT,
Official Assignee.

Wellington, 1st June, 1894.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that HENRY GEORGE BEDELL and ROBERT BENNETT WARD, of Wellington, Plumbers and Gasfitters, trading under the style or firm of "Bedell and Ward," were this day adjudged bankrupts; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Friday, the 8th day of June, 1894, at 11 o'clock.

JAMES ASHCROFT,
Official Assignee.

Wellington, 2nd June, 1894.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ALBERT CARSTEN, of Nelson, Storekeeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, at Nelson, on Tuesday, the 12th day of June, 1894, at 3 o'clock p.m.

A. A. SCAIFE,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Nelson, 31st May, 1894.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM SWORDS, of Fernside, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 7th day of June, 1894, at 11 o'clock.

G. L. GREENWOOD,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN ROBERT NICOLLE, of Glentunnel, late South Malvern, Hotelkeeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 8th day of June, 1894, at 11 o'clock.

G. L. GREENWOOD,
Official Assignee.

Christchurch, 1st June, 1894.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that DANIEL BUCKLEY, of Kyle, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 6th day of June, 1894, at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon.

JOHN DAVISON,
Deputy Official Assignee.

30th May, 1894.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that STEPHEN ARCHELAUS HOSKIN, of Otaio, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to

be holden at my office, at Arcade, Timaru, on Friday, the 8th day of June, 1894, at 11 o'clock.

ALEX. MONTGOMERY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Timaru, 1st June, 1894.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that PHILIP HENRY BOND LUSCOMBE, of Makikihi, Farmer, 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 11th day of June, 1894, at 11 o'clock.

ALEX. MONTGOMERY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Timaru, 4th June, 1894.

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

No. 22.

NOTICE is hereby given that THOMAS JOHNSTON, of Oamaru, Tailor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, Oamaru, on Friday, the 18th day of May, 1894, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

E. A. ATKINSON,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Oamaru, 10th May, 1894.

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

No. 23.

NOTICE is hereby given that ROBERT HOLMS and WILLIAM LAIRD, of Duntroon, Croppers, trading as "Holms and Laird," were this day adjudged bankrupts; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, Oamaru, on Friday, the 18th day of May, 1894, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

E. A. ATKINSON,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Oamaru, 11th May, 1894.

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

No. 24.

NOTICE is hereby given that EDWARD RICHMOND, of Oamaru, Plasterer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon the first meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, Tyne Street, on Friday, the 1st day of June, 1894, at 11 o'clock a.m.

E. A. ATKINSON,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Oamaru, 25th May, 1894.

In Bankruptcy.—In the District Court, Otago Goldfields, holden at Naseby.

NOTICE is hereby given that SAMUEL INDER, of Blackstone Hill, Hotelkeeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 11th day of June, 1894, at 2 o'clock.

ROBERT F. INDER,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

No. 64.

NOTICE is hereby given that SAMUEL LEONARD PADGETT, of Kaitangata, Tailor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Tuesday, the 5th day of June, 1894, at 11.30 o'clock.

C. C. GRAHAM,
Official Assignee.

Dunedin, 29th May, 1894.

In Bankruptcy.

DIVIDENDS upon all proved claims in the under-mentioned estates will be payable at my office, No. 12, Rattray Street, Dunedin, on and after Tuesday, the 5th June, 1894:—

Cole, W. R., of Dunedin, Butcher: Second and final, of 2½d. in the pound.

McDonald, Arthur Thomas, of Dunedin, Woolbroker: Third and final, of 2½d. in the pound.

Kerr, J. H. H., of Dunedin, Manufacturer: First and interim, of 5s. in the pound.

C. C. GRAHAM,
Official Assignee.

Dunedin, 2nd June, 1894.

PARTICULARS of the Estates of Deceased Persons which have been placed under the Charge of the PUBLIC TRUSTEE for Management during the Month of May, 1894.

No.	Name of Deceased.	Colonial Residence.	Supposed British or Foreign Residence.	Date of Order, or Date of Filing of Election.	Value or Estimated Value of Personal Estate.	Time of Deceased's Death.	Remarks.
1	Agorio, Andrea ..	Wellington ..	Italy ..	..	Under £4	5 May, 1894	
2	Allwell, Andrew ..	Christchurch ..	England ..	..	£21	2 April, 1894	Relatives known.
3	Bound, James ..	Henderson ..	..	..	£1	9 April, 1894	
4	Briggs, John ..	Kaikohe ..	Hobart ..	19 May, 1894	£11	11 Mar., 1894	
5	Burton, Charles M.	Helensville ..	England ..	..	£85	9 April, 1894	Relatives known.
6	Caille, James ..	Dunedin ..	Ireland ..	..	£62	22 April, 1894	
7	Clark, Charles ..	Christchurch ..	..	..	£2	1 April, 1894	Relatives known.
8	Collins, Michael ..	Rimu ..	Ireland ..	16 May, 1894	£5	12 Jan., 1894	Relatives known.
9	De Quincey, Paul Frederick	Auckland ..	..	16 May, 1894	£140	15 April, 1894	Relatives known.
10	Edwards, James ..	Molesworth ..	England ..	..	£20	18 April, 1894	
11	Fairburn, John Reid	Roxburgh ..	..	17 May, 1894	£30	26 Aug., 1893	Relatives known.
12	Harper, Robert ..	Auckland ..	Ireland ..	..	£9	29 April, 1894	Relatives known.
13	Hinde, William ..	Cardrona ..	..	..	£13	20 Mar., 1894	Relatives known.
14	Kelly, John ..	Aylesbury ..	..	2 June, 1894	£250	12 Jan., 1894	Will annexed.
15	Kitchen, Arthur ..	Whangaruru ..	New Zealand ..	..	£12	9 April, 1894	
16	Lakeman, Thomas	Casper's Flat ..	England ..	..	£27	8 May, 1894	
17	Laidler, Edward Matthew	Riverton ..	England ..	..	£2	26 April, 1894	
18	Leader, Margaret ..	Christchurch ..	County Cork ..	..	£9	8 Mar., 1894	Relatives known.
19	Leader, Patrick ..	Christchurch ..	..	2 June, 1894	£120	27 April, 1893	Will annexed.
20	Lovett, A. F. ..	Nokomai ..	Ireland ..	2 June, 1894	£315	4 Mar., 1894	
21	Miller, George, alias Walter Miller	Toko ..	..	..	£6	31 Mar., 1894	
22	Milne, Alexander ..	Tipapa ..	Aberdeen ..	2 June, 1894	£723	9 April, 1894	Relatives known.
23	McLean, Alexander	Tapanui ..	Scotland ..	..	£2	4 May, 1894	Relatives known.
24	Nielsen, Neil ..	Havelock ..	Sweden ..	..	£2	19 April, 1894	
25	O'Brien, Denis ..	Seaward Bush	Ireland ..	..	..	13 April, 1894	
26	Sealy, Jessie ..	Auckland ..	Nova Scotia ..	..	£221	6 May, 1894	Relatives known.
27	Slade, James ..	Ashburton ..	..	2 June, 1894	£100	10 Mar., 1894	Will annexed.
28	Spiers, Bridget ..	Blue Spur ..	..	2 June, 1894	£150	..	Will annexed.
29	Thompson, William	Goldsbrough ..	Cork, Ireland ..	..	£6	8 April, 1894	
30	Todd, Henry ..	Dunedin ..	Ireland ..	..	£6	20 Mar., 1894	Relatives known.
31	Ward, Joseph ..	Cambrians ..	..	19 May, 1894	£51	22 Jan., 1894	Relatives known.
32	Webbe, Jane ..	Gisborne ..	..	..	£23	17 May, 1894	
33	Wilson, William J.	"Mararoa" ..	..	..	£120	..	

Dated at Wellington, this 4th day of June, 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 after the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

7426. JOHN ANDERSON and CHARLES JAMES WILSON.—Section 834 and part 836, High Street and Cashel Street, City of Christchurch. Occupied by G. King and Co. (Limited), H. Matson and Co., W. Robinson, and others.

7438. CAROLINE MARY MILLTON.—164 acres 2 roods 29 perches, Rural Section 9976, Block IX., Leeston Survey District. Occupied by James Stackhouse.

7450. CHARLES EDWARD WALKER.—19 acres 3 roods 36 perches, Rural Section 2528, Block IV., Ophi Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

7453. EDWIN COXHEAD MOULDEY.—1 rood, Section 76, Town of Lyttelton. Occupied by Applicant and W. H. Turner.

7455. PETER MARTIN JOHNSTON and CHARLES JAMES MARSHALL.—1 rood, Section 1072, City of Christchurch. Occupied by P. M. Johnston.

7456. CATHERINE FULTON.—2½ perches, part Rural Section 226A, Borough of Rangiora. Occupied by William Gower.

7457. MELBOURNE JESSE WATKINS.—2 roods, part Rural Section 5787, Township of Leeston. Occupied by William McVinnie.

7458. ROBERT PEPPERELL.—2 roods, Sections 950 and 952, City of Christchurch. Occupied by Mrs. De Weston and Mrs. De Benham.

7459. ANNE ELIZABETH BIGWOOD.—2 roods 30½ perches, part Rural Section 188, Block X., Christchurch Survey District. Unoccupied.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 2nd day of June, 1894, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

J. M. BATHAM,
District Land Registrar.

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APPLICATION having been made to me to register a dealing affecting Subdivision 1 of Section 4, and Subdivision 1 of Section 6, Polhill's Gully Native Reserve, being the land comprised in certificate of title, Vol. Ixiv., folio 190, and also for the issue of a provisional certificate therefor, and evidence having been lodged as to the loss of the original certificate, I hereby give notice that I will register such dealing and issue a provisional certificate as requested unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 21st day of June, 1894.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington, this 6th day of June, 1894.

J. W. SHAW,
Deputy District Land Registrar.

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In the matter of a lease No. 475, the Patea Harbour Board to Peter Carter Gowland, of Block 3, Town of Patea.

NOTICE of re-entry and determination of the above lease, on the ground of default of payment of rent, will be entered on the Register on the application of the registered proprietor unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one calendar month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 31st day of May, 1894, at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth.

W. STUART,
District Land Registrar.

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

1248. THOMAS COX PARSONS.—150 acres, Section 24, District of Takaka. Occupied by James Manson the younger, Thomas Manson, and Isaac Jefford Manson.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 1st day of June, 1894, at the Lands Registry Office, Nelson.

H. W. ROBINSON,
District Land Registrar.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1835," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one calendar month from the date of the gazetting of this notice.

DONALD SUTHERLAND.—2 roods, being Allotments 17 and 18, Block II., Township of Clinton, being part of Section 31, Block I., Hundred of Invercargill. Occupied by Rachel Hannah Kissell. No. 2572.

THE NEW ZEALAND MORTGAGE AND INVESTMENT ASSOCIATION (LIMITED).—67 acres 2 roods, being Section 211, District of Hokonui. Occupied by one Robert Anderson. No. 2574.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.
Dated this 31st day of May, 1894, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

F. G. MORGAN,
District Land Registrar.

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Private Advertisements.

To the Registrar-General, Wellington.

I CHARLES HENRY SMITH-HOZIER, Fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons, Licentiate of the Royal College of Surgeons, Licentiate in Medicine and Licentiate in Midwifery of the King and Queen's College of Physicians, Ireland, Licentiate in Midwifery, Coombe Hospital, Dublin, now residing at Gisborne, in the Provincial District of Auckland, hereby give notice that it is my intention to apply to you, on the 2nd day of July, 1894, to have my name placed on the Medical Register of the Colony of New Zealand, and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualifications for public inspection with the Registrar-General at Wellington.

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CHARLES HENRY SMITH-HOZIER.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership lately subsisting between the undersigned PHILIP JOSEPH HENNESSY and THOMAS WESTWOOD, in the business of General Storekeepers, trading under the style of "Hennessy, Westwood, and Co.," in the Township of Foxton, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The said Philip Joseph Hennessy will for the future carry on the business on his own account, and will receive all debts due to and pay all debts owing by the said late firm.

As witness our hands, this 30th day of May, 1894.

PHILIP JOSEPH HENNESSY.
THOMAS WESTWOOD.

Witness to signatures of both parties—Edmund Osborne, Storekeeper, Foxton. 344

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership lately subsisting between the undersigned THOMAS BARMBY and WILLIAM GEORGE SOMERVILLE, carrying on business as Printers, Lithographers, Bookbinders, and General Stationers, under the style or firm of J. Wilkie and Co., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent as from the first day of May now last past. All debts due to or owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said William George Somerville, who will continue to carry on the said business under the present style or firm of "J. Wilkie and Co."

As witness our hands, this 1st day of June, 1894.

THOMAS BARMBY.
W. G. SOMERVILLE.

Witness to the signature of Thomas Barmby—J. White, Solicitor, Dunedin.

Witness to the signature of William George Somerville—J. H. Hosking, Solicitor, Dunedin. 350

PHARMACY BOARD OF NEW ZEALAND.—ELECTION OF ONE MEMBER.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is my intention to proceed, on Friday, the 29th day of June inst., to hold an election of one fit and proper person to serve as a member of the Pharmacy Board of New Zealand.

All candidates must be nominated in the manner provided by the regulations on or before Friday, the 15th day of June. Nominations will be received by the Registrar at 53, Adelaide Road, Wellington, between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., and must be delivered before 4 o'clock p.m. on the 15th day of June, 1894.

Dated this 7th day of June, 1894.

GEO. W. WILTON,
Registrar.

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In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1882," and of the Woodville Farmers' Co-operative Company (Limited).

THE creditors of the above-named company are required, on or before the 28th day of June, 1894, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their solicitors (if any), to John Massey Stacpoole and Robert Eldon Grinlinton, of Woodville, the liquidators of the said company; and, if so required by notice in writing from the said liquidators, are, by their solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at the Registrar's Office in the Supreme Court House, at Wellington, at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or, in default thereof, they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

Dated this 29th day of May, 1894.

J. M. STACPOOLE,
R. E. GRINLINTON, } Liquidators.

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IN pursuance of the provisions of "THE FOREIGN COMPANIES ACT, 1884," the MUTUAL LIFE ASSOCIATION OF AUSTRALASIA hereby notifies that its principal offices and places of business in the Colony of New Zealand are as follows:—

- City of WELLINGTON, corner of Featherston and Brandon Streets.
- City of AUCKLAND, 30, Queen Street.
- City of CHRISTCHURCH, 160, Hereford Street.
- City of DUNEDIN, corner of Princes and Dowling Streets.

Dated this 1st day of June, 1894.

ALFRED GILBERT,
Attorney for New Zealand.

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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.

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R. BLAIR.

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