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*Duffer's Creek, in the Provincial District of Westland, declared to be a Watercourse.*

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

WHEREAS by the one hundred and fifty-second section of "The Mining Act, 1891" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor in Council may from time to time, by Proclamation published in the *Gazette*, proclaim and declare that any watercourse shall be a watercourse into which tailings, mining *débris*, and waste water of any kind used in, upon, or discharged from any claim or licensed holding shall be suffered to flow or be discharged:

And whereas not less than ninety days' notice has been published, in the manner provided by the said section, that application has been made to the Governor to proclaim the watercourse hereinafter mentioned and its tributaries to be watercourses for the purposes of the said section mentioned:

And whereas no objection to the issue of this Proclamation has been transmitted to the Governor, and His Excellency has decided to exercise the powers conferred upon him by the said Act:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Right Honourable David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers conferred by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby proclaim and declare that Duffer's Creek and its tributaries, in the Provincial District of Westland, shall be watercourses into which tailings, mining *débris*, and waste water of every kind used in, upon, or discharged from any claim or licensed holding adjacent to such watercourse shall be suffered to flow or be discharged; and, with the like advice and consent, His Excellency doth hereby prescribe that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the eighteenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

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

A. J. CADMAN,  
Minister of Mines.  
Approved in Council.  
ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.  
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

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*Land available for Selection by the Midland Railway Company set apart for Mining Purposes.*

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

WHEREAS in the contract bearing date the third day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, made between Her Majesty the Queen and the New Zealand Midland Railway Company (Limited), it is, among other things, provided that, subject to the conditions therein contained, all lands within the limits of the authorised area defined in the said contract shall be available for selection by the company, with certain exceptions: And whereas among such exceptions are included all lands which from time to time, in the opinion of the Governor, are or may be required for *bonâ fide* mining purposes and the several purposes connected therewith or incidental or conducive thereto, and which lands shall from time to time be set apart and defined by Proclamation to be issued in that behalf; but no more than ten thousand acres shall be so set apart or proclaimed in one block at any one time, and the lands so set apart and proclaimed from time to time shall not in the aggregate exceed seven hundred and fifty thousand acres: And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, the lands described in the Schedule hereto are required for *bonâ fide* mining purposes and the several purposes connected therewith, and the said lands are comprised in one block, containing ten thousand acres: And whereas it is expedient the said land should be set apart and defined by this Proclamation:

Now, therefore, I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of all powers and authorities enabling me in this behalf under the hereinbefore-mentioned contract or otherwise, do hereby proclaim and declare that the block of land defined and described in the Schedule hereto is set apart under the provisions of the said contract for *bonâ fide* mining purposes and the several purposes connected therewith.

SCHEDULE.

BLOCK No. LXXX.

ALL that area in the Land District of Nelson, situated in the Mawheranui Survey District, containing 10,000 acres, more or less. Bounded by a line commencing at a point on the southern boundary-line of Block X., Mawheranui Survey District, distant one mile and a half from its south-eastern corner, and proceeding thence along a right line bearing N. 64° E. for a distance of four miles fifteen chains; thence along a right line drawn to intersect another right line connecting Trig. Stations A R (Mawheranui) and L H (Abaura) at a point distant three miles and a half from the former trig. station; thence along a right line to the said Trig.

Station A R, and thence along a right line to the point of commencement: excepting from the above-described area all freehold and leasehold lands and reserves.

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

A. J. CADMAN,  
Minister of Mines.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Regulations relative to the Inscription of New Zealand Consols.*

GLASGOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-ninth day of November, 1894.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

PURSUANT to and in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by "The New Zealand Consols Act, 1894," His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, doth hereby make the following regulations for the purposes of the said Act, that is to say:—

REGULATIONS.

1. Every person into whose possession or control any money comes which is payable to the separate account mentioned in section 7 of "The New Zealand Consols Act, 1894," is a Receiver within the meaning of "The Public Revenues Act, 1891," and becomes thereby charged with all the liabilities imposed upon Receivers by the said Act.
2. Every Receiver or other person concerned in the receipt of deposits inscribable under "The New Zealand Consols Act, 1894," shall account to the Registrar as may be directed.
3. The Controller and Auditor-General for the time being may, with the approval of the Colonial Treasurer, direct a penalty, not exceeding £1 sterling, to be imposed on any officer who commits any breach of any regulation, or error in any account, or who neglects to send in any account at the time or in the form required by these regulations or by order of the Registrar, or who neglects to append thereto any vouchers, receipts, or other papers which are required to support such account. Any such penalty may be recovered by the Treasury by deducting the same from any salary or other moneys due or which may become due to such officer, or may be recovered by the Controller and Auditor-General as a debt owing to the Crown by such officer in any Court of competent jurisdiction, whether such officer shall or shall not have ceased to be in the public service.
4. Every officer will be held personally responsible for any loss which may accrue to the Government by reason of any default or negligence in the fulfilment of the duties imposed on him by "The New Zealand Consols Act, 1894," or by these regulations, or by the instructions he may from time to time receive from the Minister administering the Act, or from the Registrar.
5. Every deposit of money for inscription shall be accompanied by an application in the form in the First Schedule hereto. Such application shall be signed by the applicant and countersigned by the Receiver taking the deposit.
6. Every Receiver, being a Postmaster, shall give to the person paying any money by way of deposit under "The New Zealand Consols Act, 1894," a receipt in the form in the First Schedule hereto, and shall transmit to the Controller, General Post Office, at Wellington, the application for inscription, to be by the Controller forwarded to the Registrar.
7. Moneys tendered by way of deposit under "The New Zealand Consols Act, 1894," shall consist only of minted coin, bank-notes, postal notes, or cheques duly marked as good by the bank on which they are drawn.
8. All moneys received by any Receiver (being a Postmaster) by way of deposit for inscription shall be brought to charge by such Receiver, and such moneys shall form part of the balance held by him on Post Office account, and shall be in due course paid in by the Postmaster-General to the New Zealand Consols Account with the bank.
9. The Controller, General Post Office, Wellington, shall prepare a schedule of the moneys deposited for inscription, and shall, every day, or as often as may be deemed necessary by the Registrar, transmit such schedule to the Registrar, together with the applications for inscription and the bank receipt, in the form in the Second Schedule hereto, representing the amount paid in by the Postmaster-General to the New Zealand Consols Account as aforesaid.
10. The Receiver, other than a Postmaster, into whose hands deposits for inscription are paid shall pay the whole of his collections into the bank day by day, and shall obtain from the bank a receipt in the form aforesaid, and also an acknowledgment in a bank pass-book; and should he receive any money after the time when it would have been possible to pay it into the bank, the Receiver shall pay in such money with his collections of the following day.
11. Upon receipt by the Registrar of the deposit for inscription, or of the bank receipt relating thereto, he shall enter the amount of such deposit, together with the date upon which the deposit is made, in the Inscription Register to the credit of the depositor. The Inscription Register shall be in the form in the Third Schedule hereto.
12. The Registrar shall forward to the Consols-holder a receipt in the form of the Fourth Schedule hereto, but this receipt shall not be a negotiable document or of monetary value beyond its being proof of the original deposit for the purpose of inscription.
13. Upon payment of the prescribed fee, and receipt of an application in the form in the Fifth Schedule hereto, from any holder of Consols or from his duly-authorized agent, the Registrar shall give, in the form in the Sixth Schedule hereto, a copy of any entry in the register which relates to such holder's Consols.
14. Upon payment of the prescribed fee, and application in the form in the Seventh Schedule hereto, the Registrar shall duly transfer the amount of Consols standing to the credit of the holder, or such part as may be named in the application, to the transferee named therein.
15. Upon payment of the prescribed fee, and the application, in the form in the Eighth Schedule hereto, of the holder of Consols, the Registrar shall issue to the applicant a Consols certificate in the form in the Ninth Schedule hereto, and shall duly record the same in the register in the form in the Tenth Schedule hereto. Every such certificate shall be for £5 or a multiple of £5, and no certificate shall be issued except for the full period of the unexpired currency of the Consols.
16. Upon payment of the prescribed fee and delivery to the Registrar of a Consols certificate, the bearer of such certificate shall be entitled to the inscription of the amount of such certificate in the register, and thereupon the Registrar shall cancel the certificate.
17. Interest on Consols for which no certificate is issued shall be payable by warrant in the form in the Eleventh Schedule hereto. The particulars of such warrant shall be recorded in a book in the form in the Twelfth Schedule hereto. Such warrants are transferable by indorsement in manner provided on the form.
18. Interest on Consols for which a certificate is issued will be paid to the bearer thereof on presentation at any post-office money-order office in the colony, or at the Treasury, Wellington, in accordance with the amount indorsed on the back of the certificate, and upon the dates named thereon. The Postmaster or Registrar, upon payment being made of the interest then due, shall duly indorse his signature and the date of payment opposite the amount paid, as provided by the form referred to in the Ninth Schedule hereto.
19. Interest on Consols will be paid from the date of the receipt of the money by the Receiver up to and inclusive of the day upon which the first half-yearly dividend thereafter becomes payable.
20. Every Postmaster shall furnish to the Controller, General Post Office, at Wellington, by whom the same shall be forwarded to the Registrar of Inscribed Consols, a certificate, in the form in the Thirteenth Schedule hereto, of the amounts paid by him in respect of interest due and payable on Consols certificates, upon presentation and indorsement of the said certificates.
21. Fractions of a penny shall not be received or paid.
22. Any of the forms in the several Schedules hereto may be altered by or with the sanction of the Registrar.
23. In any case which is not provided for by "The New Zealand Consols Act, 1894," or by these regulations, and in any case in which special circumstances may render it inconvenient for the public service that these regulations should be strictly observed, the Receiver or other accounting officer shall apply to the Registrar for special instructions, and shall be bound thereby.
24. Entries to be made in the register pursuant to an order of a Judge of the Supreme Court shall be made in the same form as ordinary entries, with the addition of a note of the date of the order, and other particulars sufficient for purposes of reference.
25. The fees named in the Fourteenth Schedule shall be payable for the respective matters therein mentioned.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

(Under "The New Zealand Consols Act, 1894.") APPLICATION FOR INSCRIPTION.

To the Registrar of Inscribed Consols, Treasury, Wellington. I [We], of , having this day deposited at the sum of pounds shillings and pence, for investment in -per-cent. New Zealand Consols, hereby request that the same may be duly inscribed in the books of your office in the name of . Signature of depositor: Full address of depositor, together with name of nearest money-order office: Dated at this day of , 189 . Deposit duly received as above. Signature of Receiver: .

(Under "The New Zealand Consols Act, 1894.") INTERIM RECEIPT.

(Not negotiable.) RECEIVED from the sum of pounds shillings and pence, for the purpose of inscription in New Zealand -per-Cent. Inscribed Consols. £ : : . Signature of Receiver: .

NOTE.—This is an interim receipt pending official acknowledgment by the Registrar that the amount deposited has been duly inscribed. If such acknowledgment is not received by the depositor within thirty days of the date hereof, the Registrar at Wellington should be at once advised of the omission. First Form.—Application and Receipt. [Regulation 5.]

SECOND SCHEDULE. BANK RECEIPT.

RECEIVED into the Bank of New Zealand at , by the hands of , the sum of pounds shillings and pence sterling, to the credit of the New Zealand Consols Account. Dated this day of , 189 . For the Bank of New Zealand, Signature: . Second Form.—Bank Receipt. [Regulation 9.]

THIRD SCHEDULE. INSCRIPTION REGISTER.

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Third Form.—Inscription Register. [Regulation 11.]

FOURTH SCHEDULE.

(Under "The New Zealand Consols Act, 1894.") REGISTRAR'S RECEIPT.

(Not negotiable.) Office of the Registrar of Inscribed Consols, Wellington, 189 . £ : : . RECEIVED from , of , the sum of pounds shillings and pence for investment in -per-cent. New Zealand Inscribed Consols, which amount has this day been duly inscribed in the books of my office, under the name and address mentioned above. Dividends are payable on and after the 1st February and the 1st August in each year, unless the 1st falls on a Sunday or a public holiday, in which case they will be payable on the following day. This receipt has no monetary value except as evidence of the original deposit for purpose of inscription. Signature: Registrar.

Fourth Form.—Registrar's Receipt. [Regulation 12.]

FIFTH SCHEDULE.

(Under "The New Zealand Consols Act, 1894.") APPLICATION FOR COPY OF ENTRIES.

Place: . Date: , 189 . To the Registrar of Inscribed Consols, Treasury, Wellington. I [We] hereby make application for a certified copy of the entry or entries in the Inscription Register, as from the

day of , 18 , relating to the Consols of which I am [we are] the holder . The fee ( ) payable for such copy is enclosed herewith.

Signature: . Address: . Fifth Form.—Application for Copy. [Regulation 13.]

SIXTH SCHEDULE.

(Under "The New Zealand Consols Act, 1894.") CERTIFIED COPY OF ENTRIES IN INSCRIPTION REGISTER.

Office of the Registrar of Inscribed Consols, Wellington, 189 . IN accordance with the provisions of section 11 of "The New Zealand Consols Act, 1894," I hereby certify that the following is a correct copy of the entries in the Inscription Register, as from the day of , 18 , relating to the Consols of which , of , is [are] the holder . Copy of entries referred to as above: Signature: Registrar.

Sixth Form.—Copy of Entries. [Regulation 13.]

SEVENTH SCHEDULE.

APPLICATION FOR TRANSFER.

IN consideration of the sum of , the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, I [we], of , do assign the sum of pounds shillings and pence, being my [our] interest or share in the New Zealand -per-Cent. Inscribed Consols, under "The New Zealand Consols Act, 1894," and all my [our] property, right, and interest in and to the same, and the dividends thereon, unto , of , his [their] executors, administrators, or assigns, and the Registrar is hereby requested to transfer the same accordingly. The prescribed fee of is enclosed herewith.

Witness my [our] hand , this day of , 189 . Signature: .

Witnessed by— Signature: . Occupation: . Address: .

I [We], of , do hereby accept the above Consols, and apply for the transfer thereof to me [us]. Signature: .

Witnessed by— Signature: . Seventh Form.—Application for Transfer. [Regulation 14.]

EIGHTH SCHEDULE.

APPLICATION FOR CONSOLS CERTIFICATE.

Place: . Date: , 189 . To the Registrar of Inscribed Consols, Treasury, Wellington.

I [We], of , being the holder of New Zealand Inscribed Consols to the amount of pounds shillings and pence, do hereby make application for a Consols certificate in favour of bearer for the sum of pounds, to be issued to me [us] in accordance with and subject to the provisions contained in "The New Zealand Consols Act, 1894." The prescribed fee of is enclosed herewith. Signature: .

Witness— Signature: . Occupation: . Address: .

Eighth Form.—Application for Certificate. [Regulation 15.]

NINTH SCHEDULE.

CONSOLS CERTIFICATE.

No. £ THE bearer of this certificate will be entitled to payment of the sum of pounds sterling upon presentation hereof at the Treasury at Wellington, New Zealand, on the day of , 19 , together with such interest, computed at the rate of sterling per centum per annum, as may be found to be unpaid on the before-mentioned date in accordance with the indorsements of interest-payments made hereon.

The principal and interest are a charge upon and shall be paid out of the accruing income of the Consolidated Fund of the colony.

Interest hereon at the rate of sterling per centum per annum is payable half-yearly, on the and in each year, at any post-office money-order office within the colony.

The amount of interest paid is to be indorsed on the back hereof by the person making such payment.  
Dated at the office of the Registrar of Inscribed Consols, Wellington, 189 . , Registrar.

Countersigned— , Controller and Auditor-General.

Entered, folio

On the back, indorsements of the half-yearly dividends paid by the Postmaster are to be duly made.

Ninth Form.—Consols Certificate.] [Regulation 15.

TENTH SCHEDULE.

CONSOLS CERTIFICATE REGISTER.

ISSUE of £ certificates. Interest at the rate of per cent. per annum.

No.	Date.	Name of Applicant.	Inscription Ledger Folio.	Dividends of paid.							
				1 Feb., 18 .	1 Aug., 18 .	1 Feb., 18 .	1 Aug., 18 .	1 Feb., 18 .	1 Aug., 18 .		

Tenth Form.—Consols Certificate Register.] [Regulation 15.

ELEVENTH SCHEDULE.

(Under "The New Zealand Consols Act, 1894.")

DIVIDEND WARRANT.

To the Treasury at Wellington, or to the Postmaster at any post-office money-order office throughout the colony.

PLEASE pay or order the sum of pounds shillings and pence, being interest for half-year due 189 , on £ : : -per-cent. New Zealand Consols. £ : : , Registrar.

I hereby acknowledge to have received the above-mentioned sum in full payment of interest for half-year due as above.

Signature :

Eleventh Form.—Dividend Warrant.] [Regulation 17.

TWELFTH SCHEDULE.

DIVIDEND WARRANT REGISTER.

dividend, 189 . Inscribed -per-Cent. Consols.

No.	Name of Investor.	Address.	Principal.		Interest.		No.
			£	s. d.	£	s. d.	

Twelfth Form.—Dividend Warrant Register.] [Regulation 17.

THIRTEENTH SCHEDULE.

(Under "The New Zealand Consols Act, 1894.")

POSTMASTER'S INTEREST CERTIFICATE.

To the Registrar of Inscribed Consols, Treasury, Wellington.

I HEREBY certify that the understated amounts have this day been paid by me in respect of interest due upon New Zealand Consols certificates presented at this office, and that I have duly indorsed upon the said certificates the several amounts so paid, as under:—

No. of Consols Certificate.	Face-value of Certificate.	Due Date of Interest.	Half Year's Interest paid.	Folio of Register in Treasury.
	£		£ s. d.	
		Total interest paid		

(Office stamp.) , Postmaster.

Thirteenth Form.—Postmaster's Certificate.] [Regulation 20.

FOURTEENTH SCHEDULE.

SCALE OF FEES.

	s.	d.
For certified copy of entries in register .. ..	5	0
For application for transfer .. ..	1	0
For Consols certificate—		
For every one hundred pounds, or any aliquot part thereof, expressed in such certificate ..	1	0
For inscribing the amount of a Consols certificate—		
For every one hundred pounds, or any aliquot part thereof, expressed in such certificate ..	1	0

ALEX. WILLIS, Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

GLASGOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-ninth day of November, 1894.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

SECTIONS Nos. 18, 19, 21, 22, 23, and 24 of Block XXV., Jacob's River Hundred, Southland Land District, containing by admeasurement 11 acres 1 rood 34 perches.

ALEX. WILLIS, Clerk of the Executive Council.

Powers delegated to the Riverton Domain Board under "The Public Domains Act, 1881."

GLASGOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-ninth day of November, 1894.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony of New Zealand, doth by this present Order delegate all the powers conferred by the Act first above mentioned, except the powers under or conferred by sections five and twelve thereof, to

The MAYOR, COUNCILLORS, and BURGESSES of the BOROUGH OF RIVERTON,

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

1. The Board shall meet for the transaction of business on the third Monday in each month, at half-past seven o'clock p.m., at the Borough Council Offices, or at such other time or place as may from time to time be fixed by the Board. The first meeting shall be held on Monday, the twenty-first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

2. Special meetings may be convened by the Chairman or by any two members of the Board, provided that two days' notice of such meeting be given to each member, specifying the business to be transacted at such special meeting; and no other business than that so specified shall be transacted at such meeting.

3. Any three of the said Board shall form a quorum. Any meeting may be adjourned from time to time.

4. The members of the Board shall, at their first meeting, and thereafter at an annual meeting to be held on the third Monday in January in every succeeding year thereafter, elect one of themselves to be Chairman, who may join in the discussion, and shall have an original as well as a casting vote. The Chairman shall hold office until the election of his successor.

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

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

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

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Vesting the Fernhill Railway in the Hon. Sir Robert Stout, K.C.M.G.*

GLASGOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-ninth day of November, 1894.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Colliery Railways Vesting Act, 1893" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is among other things enacted that the Governor in Council may from time to time vest in the person or persons equitably owning the same, at his or their written request, any branch line of railway connecting any colliery or coal-fields with any portion of the railways vested in the New Zealand Railway Commissioners, and may also empower such person or persons to work and maintain the said branch railway, on such terms and conditions as he shall from time to time prescribe:

And whereas the branch line of railway from the main line of the Waitaki Bluff Railway to the Fernhill Colliery at Chain Hills, in the Provincial District of Otago, commonly known as the Fernhill Railway, is a colliery branch railway within the meaning of the said Act, and the Honourable Sir Robert Stout, K.C.M.G., of Dunedin, the equitable owner thereof, has made a written request that the same be vested in him under the powers conferred by the said Act:

And whereas the Governor is satisfied that all outstanding claims of the Queen or any other person against the said Sir Robert Stout in respect of the construction of the said branch railway are fully satisfied, and that there is no doubt or dispute about the ownership of such railway:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the said Act, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby declare that, on the date of the gazetting hereof, the said Fernhill Railway, as more particularly described in the Schedule hereto, shall become vested in the said Sir Robert Stout, subject to the provisions of the said Act; and that the following regulations shall apply to the management and working of the said railway: namely,—

REGULATIONS.

1. Maximum rates to be charged for carriage of goods and passengers on the Fernhill Railway:—

	s.	d.
Minerals, per ton .. .. .	1	9
Other goods, per ton .. .. .	3	0
Timber, per 100ft. .. .. .	0	8
Passengers, each .. .. .	0	6

2. The owner shall be allowed to connect his line with the Government main line at the Abbotsford Station, in such manner as may be approved by the New Zealand Railway Commissioners, the owner to provide a siding on his own line outside the Abbotsford Station.

3. Trucks from the Government line for the owner's line to be placed in the owner's siding at Abbotsford by the Government engine, and trucks from the owner's line for the Government line to be taken by the Government engine from the owner's siding, at such times as may be arranged by the District Traffic Manager.

4. A charge of 1d. per ton to be made by the Commissioners for this service, in addition to classified rates for haulage of traffic.

5. The owner's line shall, before being used, be properly completed by the owner to the satisfaction of the Commissioners, and shall thereafter be maintained by and at the sole cost of the owner in such a manner as in the opinion of the Railway Commissioners is fit and proper to enable the Government engines and rolling-stock to be run thereon.

6. The Commissioners will supply the owner with an engine at £4 per day, or at 15s. per return trip, when available.

7. The owner shall pay to the Commissioners a rental of 2d. per truck for each Government truck or van which may be run loaded or partially loaded on the owner's line.

8. The owner shall be responsible for all damages occurring to the Commissioners' engines or rolling-stock when on the owner's line, reasonable wear-and-tear excepted. Payments to the owner of the allowances due to him, after deducting all the expenses chargeable against the owner, will be made four-weekly; and, provided the expenses chargeable against the owner exceed the receipts, the excess of such expenses above the receipts shall be refunded to the Commissioners by the owner for each four-weekly period within fourteen days from date of notice in writing given by or on behalf of the Commissioners to the owner.

9. Should the owner neglect or refuse to fulfil any of the conditions herein stipulated, the Commissioners may, without further process or motion, cease to work the traffic from the owner's line; and the owner shall have no claim for compensation or damages on account of such stoppage of traffic, or on account of any action arising therefrom.

10. Except as herein expressly provided, the provisions of sections 219, 220, and 221 of "The Public Works Act, 1894," shall apply to the management, working, and maintenance of the said railway.

11. For the purposes of these regulations the term "owner" includes the equitable owner.

SCHEDULE.

THAT line of railway from a point near the Abbotsford Station, on the Waitaki-Bluff Railway, to the Fernhill Colliery at Chain Hills, commonly known as the Fernhill Railway, the centre line of which is described in the Schedule to a Proclamation dated the 20th day of May, 1882, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 25th day of May, 1882, the total length thereof being 1 mile 60 chains or thereby: save and except that portion of the said Fernhill Railway, about 12 chains in length, which at the commencement thereof lies within the boundary of the land in Section No. 60, Block 7, Dunedin and East Taieri Survey District, owned and occupied by the New Zealand Railway Commissioners; as the said line of railway is shown in red on the plan marked P.W.D. 17333, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Removal of Restrictions on Alienation of Native Land.*

GLASGOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this third day of December, 1894.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS application has been made to the Governor in Council by Henare Kaihau, the Native owner of the land described in the second column of the Schedule hereto, praying that the restrictions on the alienation of such land contained in the Crown grant bearing date the twenty-second day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, described in the first column of the said Schedule, may be removed: And whereas inquiry has been duly made by the Native Land Court, and the said Court has reported that the provisions of the law in that behalf have been complied with: And whereas it appears expedient to grant such application:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on him by "The Native Land Act, 1888," and acting with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby order and declare that all restrictions imposed by the said Crown grant on the alienation of the said land are hereby removed.

SCHEDULE.

FIRST COLUMN.	SECOND COLUMN.
Particulars of Grant or Instrument containing Restrictions.	Description of Land.
Crown grant, Vol. xxi., folio 13, dated the 22nd July, 1881, in favour of Aihepene Kaihau, and containing the following restrictions: "Inalienable, except with the consent of the Governor, by sale or mortgage, or by lease for a longer period than twenty-one years."	All that parcel of land, containing 200 acres, being Allotments 116 and 117, Parish of Awitu.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Constituting Districts under "The Factories Act, 1894."*

GLASGOW, Governor.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this third day of December, 1894.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Factories Act, 1894" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time divide New Zealand, or any portion thereof, into such districts as he shall think fit, and notice of the constitution of every such district shall be given in the *Gazette* as occasion requires:

Now, therefore, I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by the said Act, do hereby divide the portions of the said colony enumerated in the Schedule hereto into districts for the purposes of the said Act, the descriptions and boundaries whereof shall be those set forth in the Schedule hereto; and I do hereby declare that for the purposes of the said Act each of such districts shall be known by the name set over the description of each such district respectively.

## SCHEDULE.

## TINUI FACTORY DISTRICT CONSTITUTED.

Bounded towards the north-east generally by the boundary-line between Hawke's Bay and Wellington Land Districts and by the Akitio River; towards the south-east generally by the sea to the Kaiwhata River; towards the south-west generally by the Kaiwhata River, by Small Grazing-runs Nos. 49 and 48, and the north-west boundary of Small Grazing-run No. 48 produced to the Ruamahanga Stream, and by that stream to the Wainuioru River; and towards the west generally by the Wainuioru River, the Maungaraki No. 1 Block, Brancepeth Road, and the Masterton-Waimata Road to the Taueru River, by that river, by Block XIV., Puketoi Survey District, by Section No. 128 and Section No. 127 of Block XI., Puketoi Survey District, to the Waita-whiti Stream, by that stream, by Sections Nos. 46, 26, 27, 22, 48, 20, and 50 to the north-western corner of said Section No. 50; thence by a right line to Puketoi Trig. Station, and by the summit of Puketoi Range.

## MASTERTON FACTORY DISTRICT EXTENDED.

Bounded towards the west generally by the summit of the Tararua Range; towards the north generally by a due east line to the source of the Ruamahanga River, by that river, by Section No. 4, Block IV., Mikimiki Survey District, by Sections Nos. 8, 9, and 7, Block I., Kopuaranga Survey District, across and by the Kopuaranga River, by Dreyer's Rock Road, by Ihurana Road, by a road bounding Sections Nos. 92, 93, 94, and 95, Block IV. of said district, by Sections Nos. 95, 96, and 16, by Sections Nos. 22, 27, and 26 of Block I., Mangapakeha Survey District, to the most easterly corner of Section No. 26, by the boundary-line between the College land and the Education Reserve to a point in line with the northern boundary-line of Section No. 143 of Block II. of said district, by a right line to and by that boundary-line to the Taueru River; towards the south-east by that river, across that river by the Masterton-Waimata Road, by Brancepeth Road, by the north-east boundary of Maungaraki No. I. Block, by Wainuioru River, by Sections Nos. 76, 77, 62, 54, 53, 43, and 36, Block XIV., Otahoua Survey District, by Section No. 35, by the southern boundary of Section No. 88 N.R., and by Section No. 22, Wi Kingi's Reserve, to the Taueru River, across and by that river; and towards the south-west by the south-west boundary of Section No. 16, Taueru Block, to the Waingawa River, by the Waingawa River to its source, and by a due west line to the summit of the Tararua Range.

## CARTERTON FACTORY DISTRICT EXTENDED.

Bounded towards the north-east generally by the Waingawa River from its source in the Tararua Mountains to a point in line with the western boundary-line of Section No. 16, Tauheru Block, across the Waingawa River, to and by that western boundary to the Tauheru River, across and by that river to Section No. 23 (next Wi Kingi's Reserve), by said Section No. 23, and Sections Nos. 88 and 34, Block XIII., Otahoua Survey District, by Sections Nos. 33, 44, 52, 63, and 75, Block XIV., by Section No. 80, by the Wainuioru River and the Ruamahanga Stream to a point in line with the north-western boundary of Small Grazing-run No. 48; thence by a right line to and by said north-western boundary and by the western and northern boundaries of Small Grazing-run No. 49 to the Kaiwhata River, and by that river to the sea; towards the south-east generally by the sea; towards the south-west generally by the Pahaoa River from the sea to its confluence with the Kaikaikuri Stream, thence by a right line to the Whangaehu Stream at the southernmost corner of Section No. 96, Block X., Hua-

ngaru Survey District, thence by the Whangaehu Stream, the Huangarua River, the Ruamahanga River, and the Waiohine River to the source of the last-named river near Mount Hector; and towards the north-west generally by a right line to Mount Hector, and by the summit of the Tararua Range.

## MARTINBOROUGH FACTORY DISTRICT EXTENDED.

Bounded towards the north-east generally by the Ruamahanga River, the Huangarua River, and the Whangaehu Stream to the southernmost corner of Section No. 96, Block X., Huangarua District, thence by a right line to the confluence of the Kaikaikuri Stream with the Pahaoa River, and thence by that river to the sea; towards the south-east and south-west by the sea, and towards the north-west generally by the Onoke Lake, the Ruamahanga River, Wairarapa Lake, and again by the Ruamahanga River to a point in line with the western boundary of Moiki Block, and by a right line to and by that boundary to the Uruokakite Block, and by that block to the Ruamahanga River: including Pukepuke-Onetea Island.

## FEATHERSTON FACTORY DISTRICT EXTENDED.

Bounded towards the north-west generally by the summit of the Rimutaka Range to a point due west of Tauherenikau Trig. Station; towards the north and north-east generally by a due east line to the Tauherenikau River, by that river, by a road-line bounding Sections Nos. 4, 1, 2, and 10 of Block IV., Wairarapa Survey District, Sections Nos. 14, 15, 16, and 17 of Block I., Huangarua Survey District, and passing through Sections Nos. 4, 3, 2, and 1 of Uruokakite Block to Section No. 36, Block V., Huangarua Survey District, and by the Uruokakite Block and the Moiki Block to the Ruamahanga River; towards the south-east generally by the Ruamahanga River, and the eastern shore of the Wairarapa Lake; again by the Ruamahanga River and the eastern shore of Onoke Lake, and by the sea.

## WELLINGTON FACTORY DISTRICT EXTENDED.

Bounded towards the north-east generally by the Waikanae River to a point due north of the north-eastern corner of Section No. 415; thence towards the south-east generally by a right line to the north-eastern corner of that section, by Sections Nos. 415, 414, 413, 410, 409, 406, 405, 402, 401, 398, 397, 392, 391, 388, 387, 384, 383, 380, 379, 376, 375, 372, 371, 367, 366, 363, 362, 359, and 358, all of Akatarawa Valley, by Section No. 1, Block XIV., Sections Nos. 32, 13, 12, 8, 7, 5, 3, and 1, Block XIII., Akatarawa Survey District, and Section No. 30, Block X., Paikakariki Survey District, by the road forming the western boundaries of Sections Nos. 30 and 31, Block X., passing through Sections Nos. 32, 34, 6, 4, 3, 11, 16, and 15, and bounding Sections Nos. 16 and 19, Block X., Paikakariki Survey District, passing through Sections Nos. 2, 6, 10, 7, and 14, and bounding Sections Nos. 15 and 16, Block IV., Belmont Survey District; passing through Sections Nos. 59, 57, 436, 433, 345, 342, and 332, Block III., and Sections Nos. 328, 323, 318, 319, 317, 312, 307, 190, 305, 304, 303, 302, 301, 300, 129, and 115, Block VIII., Belmont Survey District, by the northern and eastern boundaries of the Borough of Lower Hutt, and by the waters of Port Nicholson; and towards the south and north-west generally by the sea: including Mana and Kapiti Islands.

## MAKETU FACTORY DISTRICT CONSTITUTED.

Bounded towards the north generally by the sea; towards the east by the Whakatane River to a point due east of Te Aho-o-te-Atua; towards the south and south-west generally by a right line through Te Aho-o-te-Atua, by Waiohau No. 1B Block, by Waiohau No. 1A Block, by Waiohau No. 2 Block, across the Rangitaiki River, by Matahina B Block, by the Te Teko-Galatea Road, by Matahina A No. 2 Block, by northern portion Putauaki No. 2 Block, by the Tarawera River, across that river and by Ruruanga Stream, by Rotoma Block, Rotoma Lake, again by Rotoma Block, and by Tautare Block, by Rotoehu Lake, by Native land to the south-west corner of Run No. 4, by Pokopoko Stream, by Te Taheke Block, and by Mangorewa-Kaharoa Block; and towards the west generally by Allotment No. 5013c<sup>2</sup>, Waoku No. 2 Block, Waoku No. 2A Block, Otawa No. 1 Block, Otawa No. 2 Block, the Kaiate Stream, Waitao Stream, and by Tauranga Harbour.

## ROTORUA FACTORY DISTRICT CONSTITUTED.

Bounded towards the north-east generally by the eastern boundaries of Waoku No. 2A and Waoku No. 2 Blocks, and of Allotment No. 5013c<sup>2</sup>, by the northern boundaries of Mangorewa-Kaharoa Block and of Te Taheke Block, by Runs Nos. 4 and 5, by Kaikokopu No. 2 Native Reserve, by Runs Nos. 8 and 9, by the eastern shore of Roto-ehu, by part of the northern boundaries of Tautara and Rotoma Blocks, by the northern and eastern shores of Rotoma, by the eastern boundary of Rotoma Block, by Ruruanga Stream, by Tarawera River, by the northern and eastern boundaries of the northern portion of Putauaki No. 2 Block, by the north-eastern boundary of Matahina A No. 2 Block, by the

Te Teko-Galatea Road, the northern boundary of Matahina Block, across the Rangitaiki River, by the eastern boundaries of Waiohau No. 2 Block, Waiohau No. 1A Block, and Waiohau No. 1B Block to a point due west of Te Aho-o-te-Atua by a right line through Te Aho-o-te-Atua to the Whakatane River, by the Whakatane River following its easterly branch to the source, and by a line due east to the summit of the dividing-range; towards the south-east generally by the said summit, by a leading spur to the source of the Whirinaki Stream, by the Whirinaki Stream to Pohokura Block near Pokeroa Trig. Station, by Pohokura Block, and by the eastern and southern boundaries of Runanga No. 1A Block to the Taupo-Napier Road; and towards the south-west and west by the said road and its continuation, by Waikato River, by the Atiamuri-Lichfield Road, by the New Zealand Thames Valley Land Company's land, by Allotments Nos. 5401c, 5401B (Te Whetu), 5401A, again by the said land company's land, by Paengaroa No. 1 Blocks 4513 and 4513D to Mangapapa Stream, by that stream, by the southern boundary of Te Papa Parish, by Ohautiti No. 2 Block, Waitaha No. 2 Block, and Otawa No. 1 Block.

#### OPOTIKI FACTORY DISTRICT CONSTITUTED.

Bounded towards the north and north-west generally by the sea; towards the south-east by the summit of the dividing-range to a point due east of the source of the easterly branch of Whakatane River; and towards the south and west generally by a right line to the source of that branch, and by the said Whakatane River.

#### AWANUI FACTORY DISTRICT CONSTITUTED.

Bounded towards the north-east and south-east generally by the sea from Lottin Point to Tawhiti Block; towards the south generally by that block, Kaupeka-a-Haumia Block, Porokamoana Block, and Puketiti Block to the Mata River, by that river across and by Waitahaia Stream, by Ruatahanga Stream to its source, and thence by a right line to Kapua Trig. Station; and towards the north-west generally by the summit of dividing-range to Lottin Point.

#### TOLAGO FACTORY DISTRICT CONSTITUTED.

Bounded towards the north generally by a right line from Kapua Trig. Station to the source of Ruatahanga Stream, by that stream, by Waitahaia Stream, by the Mata River to a point in line with the southern boundary-line of the Rangikohua Block, across the said Mata River, and by the said Rangikohua Block and by the Waipiro Block to the sea; towards the east by the sea; towards the south-west generally by the Waimoku Stream, by Waimata North Block, by Runs Nos. 59 and 44, by Waihora No. 2B and Waihora No. 2A Blocks, by Waihora River, by Waipaoa River, by Waikohu River to its source, and by a due west line to the summit of the dividing-range; and towards the north-west generally by a line along that summit to Kapua Trig. Station first mentioned.

#### GISBORNE FACTORY DISTRICT EXTENDED.

Bounded towards the north generally by a due east line from the summit of the dividing-range to the source of the Waikohu River, by that river, the Waipaoa River, across the Waipaoa River, and by the Waihora River, by Runs Nos. 44A and 5B, by the north-eastern boundary of Waimata North Block, and by the Waimoku Stream to the sea; towards the south-east by the sea; towards the south by Paritu Block, Nuhaka Block, and Mangapoike No. 2 Block to and across the Tiniroto-Patutahi Road, by that road, by Mangaotara Stream, by the Hangaroa River, across the Hangaroa and by Mangapoiopio Stream to its source, by the leading spur to the summit of the south-western watershed of Hangaroa River, and by a line along that summit to the summit of the dividing-range, and towards the north-west by the summit of the dividing-range.

#### WAIROA FACTORY DISTRICT CONSTITUTED.

Bounded towards the north-east by the summit of the south-western watershed of the Hangaroa River, and by a leading spur to the source of the Mangapoiopio Stream, by that stream, by the Hangaroa River to a point opposite the mouth of the Mangaotara Stream, across the Hangaroa River, by the Mangaotara Stream, by the Tiniroto-Patutahi Road, by Whakaongaonga No. 2 Block, by Maraetaha No. 2A Block, by Haerengarenga Block, and by the northern boundary-lines of the Nuhaka and Paritu Blocks to the sea; towards the east and south generally by the sea; towards the south-west by the Waikare River, by Heru-a-turea Block, and by Run No. 6, to and across the Mohaka River, by that river to Te Hoe River, by Te Hoe River to its source, by a leading spur, and by the summit of the south-western watershed of Waiiau River to the summit of the dividing-range; and towards the north-west generally by the summit of the dividing-range.

#### TARADALE FACTORY DISTRICT EXTENDED.

Bounded towards the north-east by the summit of the south-western watershed of Waiiau River and by a leading

spur to the source of Te Hoe River, by that river and the Mohaka River, across the Mohaka River, by the north-eastern boundaries of Run No. 6 and of Heru-a-turea Block, and by the Waikare River; towards the east generally by the sea, by Alfred Street, on the Western Napier Spit, to the waters of the Inner Harbour; thence by a due south line to where a due west line drawn from the bridge north of Block CXXIV. intersects it, thence by a right line to and across the said bridge, by the right bank of the Tutaeakuri River, by the north side of the road-line past Sections Nos. 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, and 1, and of the road-line lying north of the Awaapuraho Creek, and by the north side of that road-line produced to the sea, and again by the sea; towards the south-west generally by the right bank of the Waitangi River, by Totara Creek, by the north-west boundary-lines of Te Puninga and Pakowhai Blocks to the Tutaeakuri-Waimate Creek, by that creek, by Korokipo Block and Sections Nos. 1 and 7 of Block II., Here-taunga Survey District, across the road to Tutaeakuri River, across and by that river to a point in line with Trig. Stations Nos. 65A and 26, thence by a line in direction of said Trig. Station 26 to the Ngaruroro River, and by the said river to its source; and towards the west and north-west by a leading spur to and by the summit of the dividing-range to the Taupo-Napier Road, by that road, by the southern and eastern boundaries of Runanga No. 1A Block, by the north-western and north-eastern boundaries of Pohokura Block to the Whirinaki Stream, near Pukeroa Trig. Station, by that stream to its source, and by a due east line thence to the summit of the dividing-range.

#### CLIVE FACTORY DISTRICT EXTENDED.

Bounded towards the north-west by the north-western boundaries of Pakowhai and Te Puninga Blocks, by Totara Creek and Waitangi River; towards the east by the sea; towards the south-west by the Purerere-Tamumu Road to the Omakare Stream, and by that stream and the Manga-maheki Stream to the Tukituki River; towards the north-west generally by the Tukituki River to a point in line with the south-east boundary-line of Section No. 12, Block XVI., Heretaunga Survey District, by a right line to and by that boundary-line, and by Section No. 10 of same block, by Mangateretere Creek, a line across the old bed of the Ngaruroro River, by the left bank of that bed and of the Ngaruroro River, and by the Tutaeakuri-Waimate Stream.

#### HASTINGS FACTORY DISTRICT EXTENDED.

Bounded towards the north by part of a right line passing through Trig. Stations 26 and 65A, and extending from the Ngaruroro River to the Tutaeakuri River; towards the north-east generally by the Tutaeakuri River, by the north-east boundaries of Sections Nos. 7 and 1, Block II., Heretaunga Survey District, and of Korokipo Block, by the Tutaeakuri-Waimate Creek, by the Ngaruroro River, and by the old bed of Ngaruroro River to a point opposite the exit of the Mangateretere Creek across that bed, and by that creek and by Sections Nos. 10 and 12, Block XVI., Heretaunga Survey District, to the Tukituki River; towards the south-east generally by that river; towards the south-west by Te Nga Whakatatara Block, Pokawa Block, Raukawa East Block, Raukawa West Block, by the southern boundary of Block No. 1 to the Maraekakahu Stream, and by the north-western boundary of Block No. 24 to the Mangaonuku River, by that river, by Block No. 3, by Blocks Nos. 11 and 76 to the western boundary of Block No. 76, thence by a right line to the north-east corner of a forest reserve, and by that forest reserve and its northern boundary produced to the summit of the Ruahine Range; and towards the west generally by that summit, by a leading spur to the junction of the Kaiaru Stream with the Taruarau River, across and by the Taruarau River, by the Moawhanga-Kuripapanga Road, and by the Ngaruroro River.

#### WAIPOAWA FACTORY DISTRICT EXTENDED.

Bounded towards the north-east generally by the production in a westerly direction of the northern boundary-line of a forest reserve in Wakarara Survey District, and by the said northern boundary-line to the north-eastern corner of said reserve, by a right line thence to the north-west corner of Block No. 76, by the northern boundaries of that block and of Blocks Nos. 11 and 3, by the Mangaonuku River, by the north-western boundary of Block No. 24 to the Maraekakahu Stream, by the southern boundary-line of Block No. 1, by the northern and north-eastern boundary-lines of Raukawa West Block, Raukawa East Block, Pokawa Block, and Te Nga Whakatatara Block; towards the south-east and south by the Tukituki River to its source, and by a due west line to the summit of the Ruahine Range; and towards the west by the said summit.

#### WAIPUKURAU FACTORY DISTRICT RECONSTITUTED.

Bounded towards the north-east generally by the Tukituki River, the Mangamaheki and Omakare Streams, and the Tamumu-Purerere Road; towards the south-east generally

by the sea; towards the south-west generally by the Porangahau River, by Taurakaitai Stream, by Waikopiro Block, and by the Manawatu River; and towards the north-west generally by the Woodville-Napier Railway-line, by Maharakeke Stream, and by Avoca River.

**ORMONDVILLE FACTORY DISTRICT EXTENDED.**

Bounded towards the west generally by the summit of the Ruahine Range; towards the north-east generally by a due east line to the source of the Tukituki River, and by that river; towards the south-west generally by the Avoca River, the Maharakeke Stream, the Napier-Woodville Railway-line, across and by the Manawatu River and the northern and eastern boundaries of Waikopiro Block; and towards the south-west generally by the south-eastern boundaries of that block, by the Manawatu River, by the Mangatewainui River, by Otanga Block (Manawatu No. 4b) to the Whakaruatapu River, by a due west line to the Mangatera Stream, by that stream and by the south-western boundary of Piripiri Block (Manawatu No. 2) to the summit of the Ruahine Range.

**DANEVIRKE FACTORY DISTRICT RECONSTITUTED.**

Bounded towards the north-west by the summit of the Ruahine Range; towards the north-east and south-east by Piripiri Block (Manawatu No. 2), by Mangatera Stream, by a due west line to the north-west corner of Otanga Block (Manawatu No. 4b), by the northern boundary of that block, by Mangatewainui River, by Manawatu River, by Waikopiro Block, by the north-eastern boundary of Mangapuaka Block, by the north-eastern and south-eastern boundaries of Manawakaitoi Block, and by the south-eastern boundary of Mangatoro Block; and towards the south-west generally by Puketoi No. 6 Block, by the southern boundaries of Mangatoro Block, Kaitoki Block, and Otawahao Block to the Manawatu River, by the Manawatu River to a point opposite the exit of the Oruakeretaki Stream across the Manawatu River, and by that stream to its source, and by a due west line thence to the summit of the Ruahine Range.

**WOODVILLE FACTORY DISTRICT EXTENDED.**

Bounded towards the north-west generally by the summit of the Ruahine Range; towards the north-east generally by a due east line to the source of the Oruakeretaki Stream, by that stream, by the Manawatu River, across that river, by Otawahao Block, Kaitoki Block, and Mangatoro Block; towards the south-east by the south-east boundaries of Puketoi No. 6 Block; and towards the south and south-west generally by the boundary between the Wellington and Hawke's Bay Land Districts, and by the Manawatu River.

**HERBERTVILLE FACTORY DISTRICT CONSTITUTED.**

Bounded towards the north generally by the Taurakaitai Stream and by Porangahau River; towards the south-east generally by the sea; towards the south-west by Akitio River and the boundary-lines between the Wellington and Hawke's Bay Land Districts; and towards the north-west generally by Puketoi No. 6 Block, by Mangatoro Block, by Manawakaitoi Block, by Mangapuaka Block, and by Waikopiro Block.

**OHINGAITI FACTORY DISTRICT CONSTITUTED.**

Bounded towards the west by Turakina River, towards the north by Pipipi and Raketapauma Blocks; towards the north-east and south-east by the Hautapu River and the Rangitikei River; and towards the south generally by the production of the north-eastern boundary of Section No. 5A, Rangatira Block, and by Section No. 5A, by Sections Nos. 7 and 11, by a road-line bounding Section No. 11A, by Sections Nos. 114, 113, 112, of Block II., Ongo Survey District, and 107 of Block I., Ongo Survey District, and by a road-line forming the south-west boundary of Sections Nos. 104, 103, and 102 to the Turakina River.

**WAVERLEY FACTORY DISTRICT EXTENDED.**

Bounded generally towards the north-west by the boundary-line between the Wellington and Taranaki Land Districts from the mouth of the Patea River, by the southern side of the road bounding Sections Nos. 24 and 76, Block VII., Carlyle Survey District, by the western side of New Taranaki Road, across that road, and by the road bounding Sections Nos. 7, 8, 10, and 11, Block VIII., Carlyle Survey District, and intersecting Section No. 25, Block VI., Wairoa Survey District, across and by the Whenuakura River, and by a road-line intersecting the Putahi Native Reserve, bounding Sections Nos. 446, Block IV., Carlyle Survey District, 448, 449, 452, and 438, and again by the Land District boundary-line to the Waitotara River; towards the north-east and south-east generally by that river, by the Manganui-o-tahu No. 1 Block, the Manganui-o-tahu Block, and the Kaiwi Stream; and towards the south-west by the sea.

**NASEBY FACTORY DISTRICT EXTENDED.**

Bounded towards the west by the summit of the range from North Rough Ridge Hill to Trig. Station L, Blackstone Survey District, thence by a right line towards Blackstone Hill; towards the north-west generally by a line along the summit of the western watersheds of the north branch of the Idaburn, of Hill's Creek, and of the east branch of the Otamatata River to a point due west of the source of Rambling Gorge Creek; towards the north by a right line to that source, and by the last-named creek, by Boundary Creek, by the east branch of the Otamatata River, and by the Hut Creek to its source; towards the north-east generally by a leading spur to Mount Domett, by the summit of the range over Mount Pisgah and Kakanui Peak to a point due east of the source of Houndburn; and towards the south generally by a right line to the source of the Houndburn, and by that stream, across and by the Taieri River, and by Cap Burn to a point due east of where the Sowburn crosses the road from Patearoa to Hamilton; thence by a due west line to that point, by the Sowburn, across and by the Taieri River, by the Stotburn to its source, and by a right line thence to North Rough Ridge Hill.

**BAY OF ISLANDS FACTORY DISTRICT CONSTITUTED.**

Bounded towards the north generally by the Whangaroa County; towards the north-east generally by the sea; towards the south-east by Whangarei County; and towards the south-west generally by the Whangarei-Kawakawa Road to the southern boundary-line of the Bay of Islands Coal Company's lease of 2,700 acres, thence by that boundary-line to the Waiharakeke Stream, thence across and by that stream, the south-western boundary-line of Section No. 162, Kawakawa Parish, and the Otiria Stream, to the Kawakawa-Ohaewai Road, thence by that road, the road intersecting Allotment No. 469, Patukauae, Allotment No. 379, Te Wai Taraira, Allotment No. 277, Porotu, and land granted to S. Hutton, E. M. Williams, and J. Williams, to the Waitangi River, at a point a little above its confluence with the Waiaruru River, thence by that road passing through allotments numbered and granted as follow: No. 4, James Busby; No. 4, G. Clarke; No. 5, Rev. C. Baker; No. 1, J. King; No. 6, S. Clarke; No. 2, J. Kemp, jun.; No. 3, E. Clarke; No. 1, Te Whau Block; No. 8, S. King; and No. 7, H. King, to the Whangaroa County boundary: including all adjacent islands.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Declaring Chairman of Clifton County Council a Member of Waitara Harbour Board.*

GLASGOW, Governor.

**ORDER IN COUNCIL.**

At the Government House, at Wellington, this third day of December, 1894.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is enacted by section nine of "The Harbours Act Amendment Act, 1894" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), that where in the terms of the principal Act the Chairman of any County Council is appointed a member of a Harbour Board by succession, and after the passing of such Act the county has been divided and a new county formed, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council to declare that the Chairman of the new County Council shall be the member in succession on the Harbour Board in place of the Chairman of the original county, anything in the principal Act to the contrary notwithstanding:

And whereas it was provided by the principal Act that the Chairman of the Council of the County of Taranaki shall be a member of the Waitara Harbour Board by succession:

And whereas since the passing of the principal Act the County of Taranaki has been divided, and the County of Clifton formed:

And whereas it is desirable, in exercise of the powers conferred by the said Act, to make the provision hereinafter set forth with respect to the representation of the Clifton County Council on the Waitara Harbour Board:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, and in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by the said Act, doth hereby declare that the Chairman of the Clifton County Council shall be the member in succession on the Waitara Harbour Board in place of the Chairman of the Council of the County of Taranaki, anything in the principal Act to the contrary notwithstanding.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.



*Licensing Messrs. Simich and Scoponich to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore of Otamatea River.*

GLASGOW, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this third day of December, 1894.

Present:  
HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned under "The Harbours Act Amendment Act, 1883" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), Charles Simich and Romolo Scoponich, of Batley, trading under the firm or title of "Simich and Scoponich," fish-canners, and hereinafter called "the licensees," have applied to the Governor in Council for a license under the said Act to occupy a part of the foreshore of the Otamatea River, in Kaipara Harbour, in order to erect and maintain a wharf thereon, and, in accordance with the one hundred and fifty-sixth section of "The Harbours Act, 1878," have deposited a plan in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington (marked M.D. 1968), showing the area of foreshore intended to be occupied, and the manner in which it is proposed to erect the wharf: And whereas the Governor in Council has approved of the purpose for which the said foreshore is to be occupied: And whereas it is expedient that a license should be granted and issued to the licensees under the said Act, for the purpose aforesaid, on the terms and conditions hereinafter expressed:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby approve of the object for which the said license is required by the licensees as aforesaid; and in further pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, doth hereby license and permit the licensees to use and occupy that part of the foreshore on which the wharf is to be erected, as shown on the plan so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of erecting and maintaining the said wharf, such license to be held and enjoyed by the licensees upon and subject to the following terms and conditions, that is to say:—

1. In these conditions the term "Minister" means the Minister having charge of the Marine Department, as defined by "The Shipping and Seamen's Act, 1877," and includes any officer, person, or authority acting by or under the direction of such Minister.

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to the part of the foreshore occupied by the said wharf, as shown on plan marked M.D. 1968.

3. In consideration of the concessions and privileges granted by this Order in Council the licensees shall, on being supplied with a copy thereof, pay to the Minister the sum of five pounds, and thereafter an annual sum of one pound, payable on the 1st day of December, dating from the 1st day of December, 1894.

4. All persons shall at all reasonable times, upon payment of the proper dues, have free and full liberty to use the said wharf, and all rights of ingress and egress thereon and therefrom.

5. Her Majesty, or the Governor, and all officers in the Government service acting in the execution of their duty, shall at all times have free ingress, passage, and egress into, through, and out of the said wharf without payment.

6. The licensees shall maintain the above-mentioned wharf in good order and repair, and shall at all times exhibit therefrom and maintain at their own cost suitable and necessary lights for the guidance of vessels: Provided that no light shall be exhibited until after it has been approved of by the Minister.

7. Any person authorised by the Minister may at all reasonable times enter upon the said wharf and view the state of repairs thereof; and upon such Minister leaving at or posting to the last-known address of the licensees or either of them a notice in writing of any defect or want of repair in such wharf, requiring them within a reasonable time, to be therein prescribed, to repair the same, they shall with all convenient speed cause such defect to be removed or such repairs to be made.

8. Nothing herein contained shall authorise the licensees to do or cause to be done anything repugnant to or inconsistent with any law relating to the Customs, or any regulation of the Commissioner of Trade and Customs, or with any provisions of "The Harbours Act, 1878," or its amendments, or any regulations made thereunder, and that are now or may hereafter be in force.

9. The ballast of all vessels loading at the said wharf shall be taken away by the licensees and deposited above high-water mark, or at such place as may be approved of by the Minister, by the Harbourmaster at Kaipara, or by any person appointed by the Minister for that purpose.

10. The rights, powers, and privileges conferred by or under this Order in Council shall continue to be in force for fourteen years from the date hereof, unless in the meantime such rights, powers, and privileges shall be altered, modified, or revoked by competent authority; and the licensees shall not assign, charge, or part with any such right, power, or privilege without the previous written consent of the Minister first obtained.

11. The said rights, powers, and privileges may be at any time resumed by the Governor, without payment of any compensation whatever, on giving to the licensees six calendar months' previous notice in writing. Any such notice shall be sufficient if given by the Minister and delivered at or posted to the last-known address of the licensees or either of them.

12. The licensees shall be liable for any injury which the said wharf may cause any vessel or boat to sustain through any default or neglect on their part.

13. In case the licensees shall—

- (1) Commit or suffer a breach of the conditions hereinafter set forth, or any of them;
- (2) Cease to use or occupy the said wharf for a period of thirty days;
- (3) Become bankrupt, or be in any manner brought under the operation of any Act for the time being in force relating to bankruptcy; or
- (4) Fail to pay the sums specified in clause 3 of these conditions,

then and in any of the said cases this Order in Council, and every license, right, power, or privilege, may be revoked and determined by the Governor in Council without any notice to the licensees or other proceeding whatsoever; and publication in the *New Zealand Gazette* of an Order in Council containing such revocation shall be sufficient notice to the licensees, and to all persons concerned or interested, that this Order in Council, and the license, rights, and privileges thereby granted and conferred, have been revoked and determined.

14. The erection of the wharf shall be sufficient evidence of the acceptance by the licensees of the terms and conditions of this Order in Council.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Licensing F. Killick to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore at New Brighton.*

GLASGOW, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this third day of December, 1894.

Present:  
HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, Frederick Killick, of Sydenham, dealer (hereinafter called "the licensee"), has applied to the Governor in Council for a license under "The Harbours Act Amendment Act, 1883" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), to occupy a part of the foreshore at New Brighton, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, in order to erect and maintain thereon swing-boats, and, in accordance with the one hundred and fifty-sixth section of "The Harbours Act, 1878," has deposited a plan in the office of the Marine Department, at Wellington (marked M.D. 1963), showing the place where it is intended to construct and maintain such swing-boats, and the area of foreshore to be occupied for such purpose: And whereas it has been made to appear to the Governor in Council that the proposed works will not be or tend to the injury of navigation; and the said plan has, prior to the making of this Order in Council, been approved by the Governor in Council without modification or addition: And whereas it is expedient that a license under the said Act, for the purpose aforesaid, should be granted and issued to the licensee, on the terms and conditions hereinafter expressed:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby approve of the purpose or object for which the said license is required by the licensee as aforesaid; and in further pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, and with the like advice and consent

as aforesaid, doth hereby license and permit the licensee to use and occupy that part of the foreshore which is particularly shown and delineated in green colour on the plan marked M.D. 1963 so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of constructing and maintaining thereon swing-boats, and which said license shall be held and enjoyed by the licensee upon and subject to the following terms and conditions, that is to say:—

1. In these conditions the term "Minister" means the Minister having charge of the Marine Department, as defined by "The Shipping and Seamen's Act, 1877," and includes any officer, person, or authority acting by or under the direction of such Minister.

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to the part of the foreshore shown, in green colour, on the plan marked M.D. 1963, and deposited in the office of the Marine Department, as aforesaid.

3. In consideration of the concessions and privileges granted by this Order in Council, the licensee shall pay to the Minister the sum of five pounds, and thereafter an annual sum of one pound, dating from the first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

4. Her Majesty, or the Governor, and all officers in the Government service acting in the execution of their duty, shall at all times have free ingress, passage, and egress into, through, and out of the said foreshore.

5. The licensee shall complete the erection of the said swing-boats in accordance with the approved plan marked M.D. 1963, within six calendar months from the date of this Order in Council.

6. The licensee shall during the subsistence of this Order in Council provide and maintain proper and sufficient swing-boats as will enable the public to use and enjoy the same and all other advantages hereby conferred in respect of the use and occupation of the foreshore, at such charge and under such regulations for the orderly use thereof as the licensee may from time to time in that behalf direct.

7. A legible written or printed copy of the scale of charges and regulations affecting the use of the swing-boats and advantages as aforesaid shall be put up and maintained by the licensee on the foreshore included in this license.

8. Nothing herein contained shall authorise the licensee to do or cause to be done anything repugnant to or inconsistent with any law relating to the Customs, or any regulation of the Commissioner of Trade and Customs, or with any provisions of "The Harbours Act, 1878," or its amendments, or any regulations made thereunder, and that are now or may hereafter be in force.

9. The rights, powers, and privileges conferred by or under this Order in Council shall continue in force for fourteen years from the date hereof, unless in the meantime such rights, powers, and privileges shall be altered, modified, or revoked by competent authority; and the licensee shall not assign, charge, or part with any such right, power, or privilege without the written consent of the Minister first obtained.

10. The said rights, powers, and privileges may at any time be resumed, and the license hereby granted revoked by the Governor, and the licensee may be required to remove the swing-boats and any piles or other erections used in connection therewith from the foreshore at his own cost, without payment of any compensation whatever, on giving to the licensee three calendar months' previous notice in writing. Any such notice shall be sufficient if given by the Minister, and delivered at or posted to the last known address of the licensee.

11. The licensee shall be liable for any injury which the said swing-boats or other erections may cause any vessel or boat to sustain through any default or neglect on his part.

12. In case the licensee shall—

- (1.) Commit or suffer a breach of the conditions hereinbefore set forth, or any of them;
- (2.) Cease to use or occupy the said swing-boats, or cease to provide and maintain swing-boats;
- (3.) Fail to pay the annual sum specified in clause three of these conditions;
- (4.) Become bankrupt or be in any manner brought under the operation of any Act for the time being in force relating to bankruptcy,

then and in either of the said cases this Order in Council, and every license, right, power, or privilege thereby conferred, may be revoked and determined by the Governor in Council without any notice to the licensee or other proceeding whatsoever; and publication in the *New Zealand Gazette* of an Order in Council containing such revocation shall be sufficient notice to the licensee, and to all persons concerned or interested, that this Order in Council, and the license, rights, and privileges thereby granted and conferred, have been revoked and determined.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Licensing Alexander Mackay to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore of Waipu River.*

GLASGOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this third day of December, 1894.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned under "The Harbours Act Amendment Act, 1883" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), Alexander Mackay, of Waipu, as trustee for the settlers who contribute in money or labour towards the erection of a wharf (and hereinafter called "the licensee"), has applied to the Governor in Council for a license under the said Act to occupy a part of the foreshore of the Waipu River, in the Provincial District of Auckland, in order to erect a wharf thereon, and, in accordance with the one hundred and fifty-sixth section of "The Harbours Act, 1878," has deposited a plan in the office of the Marine Department, at Wellington (marked M.D. 1967), showing the area of foreshore intended to be occupied, and the manner in which it is proposed to erect the wharf: And whereas the Governor in Council has approved of the purpose for which the said foreshore is to be occupied: And whereas it is expedient that a license should be granted and issued to the licensee under the said Act, for the purpose aforesaid, on the terms and conditions hereinafter expressed:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby approve of the object for which the said license is required by the licensee as aforesaid; and in further pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, doth hereby license and permit the licensee, as trustee for the settlers who contribute in money or labour towards the erection of the wharf, to use and occupy that part of the foreshore on which the wharf is to be erected, as shown on the plan so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of erecting and maintaining the said wharf, such license to be held and enjoyed by the licensee upon and subject to the following terms and conditions, that is to say:—

1. In these conditions the term "Minister" means the Minister having charge of the Marine Department, as defined by "The Shipping and Seamen's Act, 1877," and includes any officer, person, or authority acting by or under the direction of such Minister.

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to the part of the foreshore occupied by the said wharf, as shown on plan marked M.D. 1967.

3. In consideration of the concessions and privileges granted by this Order in Council the licensee shall pay to the Minister the annual sum of one shilling, payable on demand.

4. All persons shall at all reasonable times, upon payment of the proper dues, have free and full liberty to use the said wharf, and all rights of ingress and egress thereon and therefrom.

5. Her Majesty, or the Governor, and all officers in the Government service acting in the execution of their duty, shall at all times have free ingress, passage, and egress into, through, and out of the said wharf without payment.

6. The licensee shall maintain the above-mentioned wharf in good order and repair; and shall at all times exhibit therefrom and maintain at his own cost suitable and necessary lights for the guidance of vessels: Provided that no light shall be exhibited until after it has been approved of by the Minister.

7. Any person authorised by the Minister may at all reasonable times enter upon the said wharf and view the state of repairs thereof; and upon such Minister leaving at or posting to the last known address of the licensee a notice in writing of any defect or want of repair in such wharf, requiring him, within a reasonable time, to be therein prescribed, to repair the same, he shall with all convenient speed cause such defect to be removed or such repairs to be made.

8. Nothing herein contained shall authorise the licensee to do or cause to be done anything repugnant to or inconsistent with any law relating to the Customs, or any regulation of the Commissioner of Trade and Customs, or with any provisions of "The Harbours Act, 1878," or its amendments, or any regulations made thereunder, and that are now or may hereafter be in force.

9. The ballast of all vessels loading at the said wharf shall be taken away by the licensee and deposited above

high-water mark, or at such place as may be approved of by the Minister, or by any person appointed by the Minister for that purpose.

10. The rights, powers, and privileges conferred by or under this Order in Council shall continue to be in force for fourteen years from the date hereof, unless in the meantime such rights, powers, and privileges shall be altered, modified, or revoked by competent authority; and the licensee shall not assign, charge, or part with any such right, power, or privilege without the written consent of the Minister first obtained.

11. The said rights, powers, and privileges may be at any time resumed by the Governor, without payment of any compensation whatever, on giving to the licensee six calendar months' previous notice in writing. Any such notice shall be sufficient if given by the Minister and delivered at or posted to the last known address of the licensee.

12. The licensee shall be liable for any injury which the said wharf may cause any vessel or boat to sustain through any default or neglect on his part.

13. In case the licensee shall—

- (1.) Commit or suffer a breach of the conditions hereinbefore set forth, or any of them;
- (2.) Cease to use or occupy the said wharf for a period of thirty days;
- (3.) Become bankrupt, or be in any manner brought under the operation of any Act for the time being in force relating to bankruptcy; or
- (4.) Fail to pay the sum specified in clause 3 of these conditions,

then and in either of the said cases this Order in Council, and every license, right, power, or privilege, may be revoked and determined by the Governor in Council without any notice to the licensee or other proceeding whatsoever; and publication in the *New Zealand Gazette* of an Order in Council containing such revocation shall be sufficient notice to the licensee, and to all persons concerned or interested, that this Order in Council, and the license, rights, and privileges thereby granted and conferred, have been revoked and determined.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Regulations under "The Government Advances to Settlers Act, 1894."*

GLASGOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this third day of December, 1894.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authority vested in him in and by "The Government Advances to Settlers Act, 1894," and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby make the several regulations set forth in the Schedule hereto, and doth declare that such regulations shall come into force and take effect on the date of the publication thereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

SCHEDULE.

1. "The said Act" means "The Government Advances to Settlers Act, 1894."

"The Superintendent" means "the Government Advances to Settlers Office Superintendent" under the said Act.

"The General Board" means "the Government Advances to Settlers Board" under the said Act.

"The Advances to Settlers Office Account," and "the Advances to Settlers Office," mean respectively "the Government Advances to Settlers Office Account" and "the Government Advances to Settlers Office."

"The bank" means the bank appointed by the Governor under section 46 of the said Act to keep "the Advances to Settlers Office Account."

2. The Advances to Settlers Office shall be situated at the seat of Government, in such premises as the Colonial Treasurer from time to time directs.

3. The office shall be open for public business daily from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., and from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m., except on Saturdays, when it shall close at 1 p.m., and it shall not be open at all on Sundays, Good Friday, and Christmas Day, nor on such other days or times as shall be duly declared or appointed by Government to be public holidays.

4. The General Board shall meet for the despatch of business at such times and in such offices as shall be appointed by the Superintendent or by adjournment of a previous meeting.

5. Where the members present at a meeting of the General Board are equally divided on any question, the question shall be resolved in the negative.

6. There shall be a seal of the Advances to Settlers Office, which shall be of a circular form, of the diameter of one inch and one-half of an inch, having the Royal arms, with the words "New Zealand" underneath, in the centre, and around the same the words "Government Advances to Settlers Office," in Roman letters,  $\frac{3}{16}$  in length; and a new seal may be made, with the consent of the Colonial Treasurer, as occasion shall require.

The seal shall be kept at the Advances to Settlers Office, and in the custody of the Superintendent, under lock.

7. The minute-book in which the proceedings of the General Board shall be recorded shall be kept under the direction of such Board, and the minutes, when duly read and confirmed, and duly signed by the Chairman, shall be receivable as *prima facie* evidence of the various matters set forth in such minutes.

8. The cheques signed by the Superintendent on the Advances to Settlers Office Account shall be deemed to be sufficiently countersigned by the Audit Office in being countersigned by an Audit Officer, whose signature the Auditor and Controller-General may authorise the bank to accept.

9. The amounts payable within the colony out of the Advances to Settlers Office Account may be forwarded by the Superintendent to the Postmaster-General, to be paid by such Postmasters as the Superintendent may request, and as the Postmaster-General may authorise or direct to make such payments, and the Postmasters shall pay such amounts accordingly.

10. Every claim upon the Advances to Settlers Office must be made in the form and rendered in the manner required by the Superintendent.

11. Any person making a lodgment with a Postmaster of money payable to the Superintendent, or to the Advances to Settlers Office Account for credit of that account, shall enter and furnish the Postmaster, in two copies of the form required by him, with the particulars of the lodgment, and the Postmaster shall sign and deliver back to such person in acknowledgment of the receipt of the lodgment one of the two forms.

12. In any case which is not provided for by the said Act, or by the regulations thereunder, the special instructions of the Superintendent must be applied for and followed.

13. The manager of the bank shall make up at the close of business every day the pass-book of the Advances to Settlers Account, and send the same to the Superintendent, and at the same time send to the Auditor-General a statement showing the total receipts into, payments out of, and the balance of such account at the close of each day.

14. The mark of any payee unable to write, and the mark or signature of every Maori, must be witnessed by a person who, not being the paying officer or agent, is conversant with the English language.

15. A claimant unable personally to apply for payment may, by a special or general order on the form which the Superintendent may supply for the purpose, authorise the payment to be made to an agent. The special order shall be on or attached to the claim, but the general order shall be recorded in the Advances to Settlers Office, and quoted on each of the claims to which it may apply.

16. In the case of a special or general order given by a Maori not conversant with the English language, it must be certified, on the authority of a licensed interpreter, that he has translated the contents of the authority to the Maori, and that the latter understood them.

17. One month's pay at an annual salary shall be calculated at one-twelfth of such salary. Pay for a period less than a month shall be computed by multiplying the month's pay by the number of days in such period and dividing it by the number of days in the month.

18. Where wages or allowances are fixed by the day, the total number of days within the period shall be taken, unless it is stated that the working-days only are to be allowed.

19. The officer or agent authorised to pay a claim on the Advances to Settlers Office must be satisfied before paying it that the applicant for payment is entitled to receive the amount, and that any necessary document has been produced.

20. No claim on the Advances to Settlers Office shall be paid until it has been, to the satisfaction of the Superintendent or his paying agent, proved and certified to be correct, as may be required by the Superintendent, and receipted by the claimant or by the claimant's duly-authorised agent, and until the signature of the payee has been attested when such attestation is required by the Superintendent.

21. The officers and agents of the Superintendent will be held responsible for all errors in calculation of the accounts or claims which they certify to be correct, and for any loss due to their neglect of these regulations, or of the instructions given by the Superintendent.

22. All securities for the investment of moneys out of the Advances to Settlers Account shall be kept under two keys, in the custody respectively of the Superintendent and of the Chief Clerk of the Public Trust Office.

23. No application for an advance under the said Act shall be proceeded with until the fee for the valuation of the security has been duly paid by the applicant; and the following scale of valuation fees shall be substituted for the scale in the said Act, that is to say:—

*Scale of Valuation Fees to be paid by Applicant in any Event, and to accompany the Application.*

	£	s.	d.
On an application for a loan not exceeding £100 ..	0	10	6
Exceeding £100, but not exceeding £250 ..	1	1	0
Exceeding £250, but not exceeding £500 ..	1	11	6
Exceeding £500, but not exceeding £2,500 ..	2	2	0

24. The following scale of costs and fees payable for the preparation of mortgages for advances under the said Act shall be substituted for the scale in the said Act, that is to say:—

*Scale of Costs and Fees for Mortgages.*

Mortgages under "The Land Transfer Act, 1885."

Law costs of preparing, or perusing, and of registering mortgage (to be deducted from the advance),—

	£	s.	d.
If advance be not exceeding £500 ..	0	10	6
Exceeding £500 but not exceeding £1,000 ..	1	1	0
Exceeding £1,000 but not exceeding £2,500 ..	1	11	6

With cash disbursements, which are the same in every case, namely,—

Mortgage form ..	2s.
Search fee ..	2s.
Registration ..	10s.

Costs and fees for discharge of mortgage,—

Law costs ..	5s.	} With an additional 2s. for every certificate of title after the first.
Registration fee (if mortgage is discharged by the Aid to Settlers Office) ..	5s.	

Mortgages under "The Deeds Registration Act, 1868."

Costs of preparing, or perusing, and of registering mortgage, including disbursements (to be deducted from the advance),—

	£	s.	d.
If advance be not exceeding £500 ..	2	10	0
For every additional £500 ..	0	15	0
Costs of discharge, including registration fees ..	1	1	0

25. The Superintendent, with the sanction of the Board, may decline to proceed with an application for an advance which the Board has resolved to grant, if the title to the security for such advance is not delivered to the Superintendent or to his agent or solicitor within one month after the applicant for the advance has received notice of such resolution.

26. The Superintendent may decline to proceed with any application for an advance where the applicant does not furnish the particulars which the Superintendent may require relating to the security.

27. The Superintendent and every member of the staff whose fidelity is not guaranteed under "The Civil Service Officers' Guarantee Act, 1893," shall severally give security for the faithful discharge of their duties by the bond of a Fidelity Guarantee Company or Society to an amount according to the following scale:—

Amount of Security to be Given.	£
On salaries of £75 and upwards, but under £100 ..	300
" 100 " " " 150 ..	400
" 150 " " " 200 ..	600
" 200 " " " 250 ..	800
" 250 " " " 300 ..	1,000
" 300 " " " 350 ..	1,200
" 350 " " " 400 ..	1,400
" 400 " " " 450 ..	1,600
" 450 " " " 500 ..	1,800
" 500 " " " 550 ..	2,000
" 550 " " " 600 ..	2,200
" 600 " " " ..	2,500

28. The following form of application for loan shall be substituted for the form in the said Act, that is to say:—

*Application for Loan under "The Government Advances to Settlers Act, 1894."*

To the Superintendent,  
Government Advances to Settlers Office,  
Wellington.

SIR,—  
I, \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_, hereby apply for an advance on mortgage under the provisions of the above-mentioned Act, as per particulars at foot hereof and following, and I enclose £ \_\_\_\_\_, being the valuation-fee as per scale in margin.  
[Insert scale of valuation-fees.]

I am, Sir,  
Your obedient servant,  
Signature of the applicant :

Advance required: £ \_\_\_\_\_, for the purpose of [State shortly the purpose to which the money is to be applied].

Security:  
Class of land, not being urban or suburban lands (see margin) [Insert classes of land, as set forth in the said Act]:

Section:  
Block:  
Survey district:  
Area:  
Where situated:  
Measurement of frontage to street or road:  
Depth of the land:  
Where the title-deeds to the security are to be obtained:

If the land is freehold, state the volume and folio of the certificate of title under "The Land Transfer Act, 1885," or, if the title is registered under "The Deeds Registration Act, 1868," the number of the Crown grant, or the last registered number on the Deeds Register:

By whom the property is occupied, and, if by a tenant, state the rent and other terms of lease:

The particulars of any encumbrance on the property, with the name of any mortgagee:

If the land is leasehold, state whether all the covenants and conditions on the lessee's part contained or implied in the lease have been complied with up to the date of this application: . . . . . When lease commenced: . . . . .

18. The annual rent payable by lessee: £ . . . . . Whether lessee is residing on land or not: . . . . . If residing, how long the lessee has been so residing: . . . . .

If not residing, the reason why, and the conditions under which the land is unoccupied, or occupied otherwise than by the lessee:

Improvements: State—  
The buildings—date of erection, condition, and description, giving the materials:

The amount of existing insurance, and name of insurance office, number of the policy, and total amount of insurance obtainable:

The land—the area cleared of original bush or scrub, ; reclaimed from swamp, ; improved by sowing of English grasses, ; ploughed, ; now or lately cropped, with what crops and what result, . . . . .

The extent, condition, value, and description of the fencing, and the number of paddocks into which it subdivides the land:

What stock the land is now carrying and now capable of carrying:

Value of the land:—  
Present capital value, as estimated—

	Land without Improvements.	Improvements.		Total Capital Value.
		Buildings.	Other Improvements.	
By applicant ..	£	£	£	£
For local rating				
For a forced sale				

Present market rental of the whole property, as estimated by applicant: £ . . . . . Present market value of lessee's interest or title: £ . . . . . Total of all rates, taxes, or other charges to which the applicant's estate or interest in the property is liable: £ . . . . . The use made of the land for last three years, and the result to the land, beneficial or otherwise:

Character, features, position, and circumstances of the land:—

State the natural boundaries:  
How watered, and risk of pollution of water:  
The area flat, but not swamp: . . . . . The area in swamp:

The area in swamp which can be profitably drained: . . . . . The area of undulating land capable of being profitably ploughed: . . . . . The area in original bush or scrub: . . . . . The floods, river-encroachment, wetness, or drought to which the land is subject; the consequent injury or risk of injury, and expense:

The use to which the land is best adapted, agricultural or pastoral. If to both, to what extent for each purpose, and to what particular crops or stock:

The gorse, sweetbriar, or other noxious plants or weeds growing on the land:

Whether the land is free from rabbits:  
The use to which similar land in the immediate vicinity is commonly put:

The names of the roads giving access to the land, and their direction:

The distance, in miles, from nearest railway-station, ;  
from nearest post-office ( ), ; from nearest  
school,

Plan of land, showing roads, and their direction to nearest  
town or railway station :—

If the land offered as the security for the desired advance  
is of the class of land numbered in the margin of the first  
page of this application as (2), (3), or (4), the applicant must,  
before despatching this application, post to the Commissioner  
of Crown Lands for the district in which the land is situated  
a notice of this application, in order that the Commissioner  
may at once furnish the Superintendent with a report re-  
specting the leasehold. A copy of the form of notice can  
be obtained from any post-office.

The aforesaid notice of this application was posted on  
the day of , 189 , to the Commissioner of  
Crown Lands at

Dated at , this day of . 189 .

Applicant's full name :  
Occupation :  
Address :

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Fixing Sittings of District Courts.*

GLASGOW, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority in  
this behalf enabling me, I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the  
Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby fix and  
appoint that sittings of the District Courts of Ashburton,  
Timaru and Oamaru, Otago Goldfields, and Westland, for  
civil and criminal business, shall be held as follows, from  
and after the first day of January next, in lieu of those  
previously fixed and appointed :—

*Ashburton District.*

In the Courthouse, Ashburton, for civil business only, on  
10th January, 14th March, 17th May, 19th July, 13th Sep-  
tember, and 8th November.

*Timaru and Oamaru District.*

In the Courthouse, Timaru, for civil business only, on 15th  
January, 19th March, 21st May, 23rd July, and 17th Septem-  
ber. For civil and criminal business, on 12th November.

In the Courthouse, Oamaru, for civil business only, on  
21st March, 23rd May, 19th September, and 14th November.  
For civil and criminal business, on 17th January and 25th  
July.

*Otago Goldfields District.*

In the Courthouse, Lawrence, for civil and criminal busi-  
ness, on 29th May and 25th September.

In the Courthouse, Queenstown, for civil and criminal  
business, on 24th January and 1st August.

In the Courthouse, Naseby, for civil and criminal business,  
on 28th March and 21st November.

*Westland District.*

In the Courthouse, Westport, for civil business only, on  
18th April, 22nd August, and 5th December. For civil and  
criminal business, on 14th February, 20th June, and 17th  
October.

In the Courthouse, Greymouth, for civil business only, on  
22nd April, 26th August, and 21st October. For civil and  
criminal business, on 18th February, 24th June, and 9th De-  
cember.

In the Courthouse, Hokitika, for civil business only, on  
20th February, 26th April, 28th August, and 23rd October.  
For civil and criminal business, on 26th June and 13th De-  
cember.

In the Courthouse, Reefton, for civil business only, on  
22nd February, 24th April, 28th June, 30th August, 25th Oc-  
tober, and 11th December.

Provided that in case any of the days so fixed as aforesaid  
shall happen to be a holiday, then the Court appointed for  
that day shall be holden on the first day thereafter not being  
a holiday.

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

A. J. CADMAN.

*Trustees for Kowai Pass Cemetery appointed.*

GLASGOW, Governor.

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

previously appointed for the cemetery described in the  
Schedule hereto, and do hereby appoint the several persons  
whose names are specified in the first column of the Sche-  
dule hereto to be Trustees to provide for the maintenance  
and care of the public cemetery specified in the second  
column of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Names of Trustees.	Name of Public Cemetery, and Description of Land.
Hamilton McIlrath, John Olave Redfern, Matthew Naismith, William O'Shaugh- nessy, and Abraham Biggs.	KOWAI PASS. All that parcel of land in the Land District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 20 acres, more or less, being Section No. 1355 (in red), situate in the Malvern District, hav- ing 10 chains frontage on the Coal Tramway Reserve, and extending south-westerly 20 chains in a rect- angular block, north-west of and ad- joining Section No. 4342.

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

JOHN MCKENZIE,  
Minister of Lands.

*Sittings of Magistrates' Courts appointed.*

GLASGOW, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority  
vested in me by "The Magistrates' Courts Act, 1893,"  
I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of  
New Zealand, do hereby appoint the places named in the  
Schedule hereto to be places wherein Magistrates' Courts  
shall be held under the provisions of the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

Patterson's Hall .. .. .	Kaikohe.
The Herbertville Hall .. .. .	Herbertville.

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

A. J. CADMAN.

*Postmaster appointed to take and receive Statutory  
Declarations.*

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

CHRISTOPHER PARMER GARDNER,

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

As witness my hand, at Wellington, in the colony  
aforesaid, this thirtieth day of November, one  
thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

GLASGOW, Governor.

*Officer under "The Fisheries Conservation Act, 1884,"  
Ashburton, appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,

Wellington, 29th November, 1894.

IT is hereby notified that, in pursuance and exercise of the  
power and authority conferred by section 9 of "The  
Fisheries Conservation Act, 1884,"

FREDERICK WILLIAM JACKSON, of Ashburton,  
has been appointed an officer for the purposes of that Act  
within the County of Ashburton.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

*Member of Licensing Committee appointed.*

Department of Justice,

Wellington, 5th December, 1894.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to ap-  
point

PETER PARK BALLANTINE

to be a member of the Licensing Committee for the District  
of Buller, vice T. Brown, resigned.

A. J. CADMAN.

*Coroner resigned.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 1st December, 1894.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation by  
WILLIAM BROWNING TOSSWILL, Esq., J.P.,  
of his appointment as a Coroner for the colony.  
A. J. CADMAN.

*Female Official Visitors appointed.*

Prisons Department,  
Wellington, 4th December, 1894.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the persons hereafter named to be Official Visitors at the prisons respectively stated after their names:—

Names.	Prisons.
Euphemia Nevison .. ..	Dunedin.
Evelin Willett Cunningham .. ..	Lyttelton.
Katherine Hooper Tarn .. ..	Wellington.
Annie Maria Dolby .. ..	Auckland.
Eliza Collings .. ..	Auckland.
Fanny Cooke .. ..	Nelson.
Ada E. Trask .. ..	Nelson.

A. J. CADMAN,  
Minister of Justice.

*Volunteer Officers appointed.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 3rd December, 1894.

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

*Waiuku Cavalry Volunteers.*

Samuel Decimus Currie to be Lieutenant.

*Otago Hussar Volunteers.*

Herbert Price to be Lieutenant.

*Dunedin Naval Artillery Volunteers.*

William James Strong to be Sub-lieutenant.

*A Battery, New Zealand Regiment Artillery Volunteers.*

John Thomas Bosworth to be Lieutenant.

*B Battery, New Zealand Regiment Artillery Volunteers.*

Hugh Mark Morris to be Lieutenant.

*Wanganui Rifle Volunteers.*

John Redmond to be Lieutenant.

*Te Aroha Rifle Volunteers.*

Lieutenant John Archibald Cochrane to be Captain.

The commissions of the above officers all date from the 3rd October, 1894.

A. J. CADMAN,  
For the Defence Minister.

*Volunteer Officer and Honorary Officer appointed.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 5th December, 1894.

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

*Taranaki Rifle Volunteers.*

Reginald Bayley to be Captain, under paragraph 53, "Volunteer Regulations, 1889." Date of commission, 26th November, 1894.

*Hamilton Light Infantry Volunteers.*

William Steele to be Honorary Captain. Date of commission, 30th August, 1894.

P. A. BUCKLEY,  
For the Defence Minister.

*Additional Trustee, Volunteer Drill-shed, appointed.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 5th December, 1894.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the appointment of

Captain LATHAM OSBORNE BEALE, Jun.,

Dunedin Engineer Volunteers, as an additional Trustee of the Dunedin Volunteer Garrison Hall, under "The Volunteer Drill-sheds and Lands Act, 1888," and the Act amending the same. Date of appointment, 5th December, 1894.

P. A. BUCKLEY,  
For the Defence Minister.

*Danish Consul, Auckland, to receive Residue of Intestate Estates in certain Cases under Public Trust Office Acts.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 3rd December, 1894.

**T**HE following notification is published in accordance with section 6 of "The Public Trust Office Acts Amendment Act, 1891," and section 21 of "The Interpretation Act, 1888."

P. A. BUCKLEY.

It having been made to appear that the Consul for the Kingdom of Denmark, resident at Auckland, in the Colony of New Zealand, is the Chief Consular Officer in New Zealand for such country within the meaning of the sixth section of "The Public Trust Office Acts Amendment Act, 1891," and that he has been duly nominated for the purpose of receiving any residue of any intestate estate which shall properly come or belong to the next-of-kin of any deceased intestate resident within the jurisdiction of the said kingdom, it is hereby notified, pursuant to the terms of the above-mentioned section, that the sanction of the Right Honourable the Marquess of Ripon, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State for the United Kingdom, has been given to such nomination as aforesaid.

Dated at Wellington, this twenty-ninth day of November, 1894.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

*Result of Poll for Proposed Loan, Stratford County Council.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 3rd December, 1894.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

## STRATFORD COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESULT of poll taken on the 25th day of November, 1894, on the proposal to borrow £400, under "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886," to complete metalling of Sole Road:—

Number of ratepayers on special roll, 10; number of votes exercisable, 10; Number of ratepayers voting in favour of the proposal, 7; number of votes recorded in favour of the proposal, 7; number of ratepayers voting against the proposal, nil.

I declare the proposal to be carried.

WM. MONKHOUSE,  
Chairman.

Dated at Stratford, 28th November, 1894.

*Result of Poll for Proposed Loan, Stratford Town Board.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 3rd December, 1894.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

## STRATFORD TOWN BOARD.

PAGE Street loan of £130. Result of poll taken 27th November, 1894:—

Number of ratepayers on roll, 8, representing 26 votes: Number of votes recorded in favour, 15; number of votes recorded against, nil; number of votes not recorded, 11; number of voters voting in favour, 5; number of voters voting against, nil; number of ratepayers not voting, 3.

A majority of ratepayers, exercising a majority of votes, having voted for the proposal, I therefore declare the proposal carried.

JAS. B. PATON, Chairman.

Dated at Stratford, this 27th day of November, 1894.

T. HARRY PENN, Clerk.

*Result of Poll for Proposed Loan, Te Horo Road Board, County of Horowhenua.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 3rd December, 1894.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

## TE HORO ROAD DISTRICT.—SPECIAL DISTRICT No. 3.

**T**HE following is the result of a poll of ratepayers of the above district, taken on the 26th instant, on the proposal to

borrow £500 from the Colonial Treasurer under "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886," for the construction of the extension of the Waihoanga Road:—

Ratepayers on the roll, 4; votes exercisable on the roll, 7; Number of ratepayers who voted for proposal, 3; number of votes recorded in favour of proposal, 5; ratepayers who voted against proposal, nil.

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 that can be exercised by the whole number of ratepayers, I hereby declare the proposal to be carried.

W. H. SIMCOX,  
Chairman, Te Horo Road Board.  
Otaki, 29th November, 1894.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 3rd December, 1894.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

**MAURICEVILLE ROAD BOARD.**

THE following is the result of a poll taken on the 10th instant at the house of Mr. W. Gray, Dreyer's Rock Road, on a proposal to borrow £700 under "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886," for the purpose of forming Cleland's Road from the junction with Wangaeahu Road to Section 108, Block VII., Kopuaranga:—

Number of ratepayers on special roll, 5, representing 5 votes; Number of ratepayers who voted for the proposal, 3, representing 3 votes.

As a majority of the ratepayers on the special roll recorded a majority of the votes in favour of the proposal, I hereby declare the same to be carried.

CHARLES FORSBERG,  
Chairman.

Mauriceville, 24th November, 1894.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 3rd December, 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.—COPY OF SPECIAL ORDER.**

THAT, to secure the repayment of a loan of £1,800, raised under "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886," for the purpose of forming and metalling the Kahui East Road from the South Road to a point 10 chains along the frontage of Section 4, Block 15, Cape Survey District, and also to fall and stump the said road from the end of present falling to the Forest Reserve, a special rate of 4½d. in the pound be made and levied over the following lands: viz., Subsections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 of Section 18, Subsections 1, 2 of Section 123, and Section 121, Block 1, and Sections 18, 19, 20, 23, 24, 25, 26, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, Block 2, and Sections 3, 4, 5, 7, Block 3, Opunake Survey District; and Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 18, 19, 20, 21, 17, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, Block 14, and Sections 4, 5, Block 15, Cape Survey District; and all the unoccupied lands abutting on either side of the Kahui East Road between the South Road and the Forest Reserve. Such rate to be an annually-recurring rate for twenty-six years, and shall be payable in one instalment at the office of the Board, Rahotu, on the 1st January 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 a meeting held on 22nd October, and confirmed at a special meeting held on 26th November.

WILLIAM MILLS,  
Clerk, Parihaka Road Board.  
Rahotu, 27th November, 1894.

*Application to proclaim certain Rivers and Creeks, together with all their Tributaries, Watercourses for the Deposit of Tailings.*

IN pursuance of the powers vested in him by section 152 of "The Mining Act, 1891," His Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified that application has been

made to him to proclaim the following watercourses in the Provincial Districts of Auckland and Nelson to be watercourses into which tailings, mining debris, and waste water of every kind used in, upon, or discharged from any claim or licensed holding adjacent to such watercourses shall be suffered to flow or be discharged:—

*Auckland Provincial District.*

1. That river known as the Waihou or Thames River, and all its tributaries, from its source to where it discharges into the Firth of Thames.
2. That river known as the Ohinemuri River, and all its tributaries, from its source to its confluence with the Waihou or Thames River.
3. That creek known as Kuaotunu Creek, which flows northerly, from its source to where it discharges into the sea near Te Waihiriri, and also the several tributaries thereof.

*Nelson Provincial District.*

4. That creek known as Noble's Creek, and all its tributaries, from its source in the Napoleon Hills to where it discharges into the Waipuna River.
5. That creek known as Orwell Creek, and all its tributaries, from its source in the Napoleon Hills to where it discharges into the Grey River.
6. That river known as the Kaituna River, which flows easterly, from its source in the Tasman Mountains to its confluence with the Aorere River, and also the several tributaries thereof.
7. That creek known as Stanton's Creek, and all its tributaries, from its source near the Collingwood Caves to its junction with Appo's Creek, near the point where that creek discharges into the Aorere River.
8. That creek known as Doctor's Creek, and all its tributaries, from its source to the point where it discharges into the Aorere River.
9. That creek known as Coal Creek, and all its tributaries, from its source to where it discharges into the Buller River, about five miles from Westport.

Dated at Wellington, this 28th day of November, 1894.

A. J. CADMAN,  
Minister of Mines.

*Notice to Mariners, No. 48 of 1894.*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 1st December, 1894.

THE following Notice to Mariners, received from the Lyttelton Harbour Board, is published for general information.

A. J. CADMAN,  
for Minister of Marine.

**DREDGING OPERATIONS, PORT OF LYTTELTON.**

THE Lyttelton Harbour Board direct special attention to the dredging operations now proceeding at Lyttelton, and caution all masters of steamers and sailing-vessels to pass the dredge and her moorings on the side on which a red flag or ball is shown in the daytime, and two lights (green over white) which will be shown at night.

Attention is also directed to Harbour Regulation No. 34.

F. WAYMOUTH,  
Chairman of Lyttelton Harbour Board.  
Lyttelton Harbour Board Office,  
Christchurch, 28th November, 1894.

*Bonus on Mineral Oil manufactured from Orepuki Shale.*

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

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

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

*Declaring Natural Oyster-bed to be closed.*

WHEREAS it is provided by the eighteenth section of "The Sea-fisheries Act, 1894," that whenever any person shall, after the passing of this Act, have discovered on or near the coast of New Zealand a natural oyster-bed he may apply to the Collector at the port nearest to the place on or near the coast where such natural oyster-bed shall be for the issue to him of an exclusive license for the use of such oyster-bed or any part thereof; and that the Minister for the time being having charge of the Marine Department may declare such oyster-bed to be closed for a period not exceeding six months, or until such person's claim has been settled:

And whereas F. B. Farmar, Thomas Eckford, and Richard Cullen, of Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington (hereinafter called "the applicants"), claim that they have discovered a natural oyster-bed on or near the coast of New Zealand—that is to say, situate within a line starting at a point three miles from the coast off Cape Campbell, and running parallel to the coast and three miles from it to a point in latitude forty-one degrees thirty minutes south—and the applicants have applied for an exclusive license for the use of such oyster-bed:

Now, therefore, I, Joseph George Ward, the Minister having Charge of the Marine Department, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by the said Act, do hereby declare that the natural oyster-bed hereinbefore described shall be closed for a period of six months as from the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, unless in the meantime the claim of the applicants be settled, and a notification thereof be published in the said *Gazette*.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this sixth day of December, 1894.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister having Charge of Marine Department.

*Road Board Elections.*

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

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

HUGH POLLEN,  
Under-Secretary.

- Arch Hill Road Board, County of Eden:  
William James Macdermott.
- Pakuranga Road Board, County of Manukau:  
Robert Massey.
- South Malvern Road Board, County of Selwyn.  
Alexander Gunn.

*Officiating Ministers for 1894.—Notice No. 33.*

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 1st December, 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:—

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

The Reverend Charles Stuart Bowden.

E. J. VON DADELSZEN,  
Registrar-General.

*Notice published pursuant to the Provisions of Section 15 of "The Public Trust Office Consolidation Act, 1894."*

Public Trust Office,  
Wellington, 5th December, 1894.

NOTICE is hereby given that, no person having taken out administration, the Public Trustee has filed in the office of the Supreme Court at Wellington an election to administer the several intestate estates of the persons deceased whose names, residences, and occupations, so far as known, are hereunder respectively set forth, their gross properties being estimated not to exceed £250 in each case.

Christina Sophia Schuratin Topp, late of Auckland, in the Provincial District of Auckland, widow. Filed on the 26th day of November, 1894.

Francis Kinnaird, late of Hokitika, in the Provincial District of Westland, miner. Filed on the 26th day of November, 1894.

Charles Richards, late of Auckland, in the Provincial District of Auckland, master mariner. Filed on the 26th day of November, 1894.

Robert Close, late of Duvauchelle's Bay, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, shipwright. Filed on the 26th day of November, 1894.

Robert Hazle, late of Greymouth, in the Provincial District of Westland, seaman. Filed on the 26th day of November, 1894.

Philippa Angove, late of Auckland, in the Provincial District of Auckland, widow. Filed on the 26th day of November, 1894.

J. K. WARBURTON,  
Public Trustee.

*Crown Lands Notices.*

*Lands in Marlborough for Lease by Auction.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Blenheim, 3rd December, 1894.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned lands will be offered for lease by auction for a term of three years, at this office, on Wednesday, the 16th January, 1895.

SCHEDULE.

Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Area.			Upset Rental per Annum.		
			A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
23	XIV.	Clifford Bay	100	0	0	15	0	0
102 (part of)	"	"	114	0	0	17	0	0

Terms of lease: Three years, subject to six months' notice in the event of the land being required for sale or public purposes.

One half-year's rent and £1 1s. lease-fee to be paid on the fall of the hammer.

SIDNEY WEETMAN,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Pastoral Lands in Canterbury for Lease by Public Auction.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Christchurch, 26th November, 1894.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of "The Land Act, 1892," and "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," that the under-mentioned pastoral licenses will be submitted to public auction, at the Local Lands and Survey Office, Timaru, on Wednesday, the 13th February, 1895, at 11 o'clock a.m.

SCHEDULE.

PASTORAL LICENSES UNDER "THE LAND ACT, 1892," MACKENZIE COUNTY.

Run No.	Survey District.	Block.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.
206	Strachey ..	II., III., VI., VII.	Acres. 2,970	£ s. d. 74 5 0
215	Pukaki West ..	XV.	266	6 13 0
216	{ Pukaki West ..	XV. }	734	18 7 0
	{ Strachey ..	III. }		
217	Pukaki ..	XIII.	507½	12 13 6
218	Pukaki West ..	III., VII.	271	6 15 6

Term of License.—Seven years, subject to termination on twelve months' notice.

PASTORAL LICENSES UNDER "THE PUBLIC RESERVES ACT, 1881."

Reserve No.	Survey District.	Block.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.
182	Pukaki ..	XIII.	Acres. 156	£ s. d. 3 18 0
183	{ Pukaki West ..	XV. }	180	4 10 0
	{ Strachey ..	III. }		

Term of License.—Seven years, subject to termination on twelve months' notice.

Run No. 206 is situated on the Ben Ohau Run No. 87, adjacent to the River Twizel, between the Ohau and Pukaki Rivers, and comprises well-grassed plains at an elevation of about 1,500ft. above sea-level; Runs Nos. 215, 216, and 217,



and Reserves Nos. 182 and 183 are situated at the southern extremity of Lake Pukaki, adjacent to the Pukaki Ferry; and Run No. 218 is situated at the north-western extremity of the lake, immediately to the south of the boundary creek between Glentanner and Rhoborough Downs Stations. They comprise hilly and flat pastoral country, some portions of which are very stony, the vegetation consisting of tussock and other native grasses. The general elevation ranges from 1,600ft. to 2,000ft. above sea-level. The coach-road from Fairlie to Mount Cook runs through some of the blocks.

CONDITIONS.

The following conditions of licenses under "The Land Act, 1892," will also, so far as possible, be applicable to licenses under "The Public Reserves Act, 1881."

1. Possession of the runs will be given to the purchasers of the licenses on the day of sale.
2. No person or company may become the holder of more than one run under Part VI. of "The Land Act, 1892": Provided that the holder of any run under the said Act of a carrying-capacity of less than ten thousand sheep or two thousand head of cattle may become the lessee of an aggregate area sufficient to carry such a number of sheep or cattle. The holder of any small grazing-run under Part V. of "The Land Act, 1892," shall not be the holder of any run under Part VI. of the said Act.
3. The license shall be dated on the 1st March, 1895, and shall include, in addition, the whole period between the date of possession and the said 1st March, 1895.
4. The license shall be subject to the following conditions amongst others:—

- (1.) That if the licensee or any person claiming an interest through or under him shall make or cause to be made any agreement or contract, or shall give or cause to be given or taken any negotiable security, for the purpose of defeating or evading the provisions of, or shall in any way whatsoever directly or indirectly commit or be privy to a fraud upon, "The Land Act, 1892," the license shall be liable to be forfeited and revoked;
- (2.) That the licensee shall prevent the destruction or burning of timber or bush on the land comprised in the license;
- (3.) That the licensee shall prevent the growth or spread of gorse, broom, and sweetbriar on the land comprised in the license, and shall with all reasonable speed remove or cause to be removed all gorse, sweetbriar, broom, or other noxious weeds or plants, as may be directed by the Commissioner; and
- (4.) That the licensee shall destroy all rabbits on the land comprised in the license, and shall prevent their increase or spread, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner or an officer appointed by him to inspect the ground.

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

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

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

DECLARATION.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_, do solemnly and sincerely declare,—

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

J. W. A. MARCHANT,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Small Grazing-runs open for Lease on Application.

District Lands Office,  
Dunedin, 23rd November, 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 13th February, 1895, 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.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

Survey District.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.
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FIRST-CLASS PASTORAL COUNTRY.

Taieri County.

A. R. P. s. d.				£ s. d.						
Nenthorn..	2	VII.	4,519	0	0	0	7	65	18	0
" ..	3	VIII.								

This is good grazing-country; well watered; has frontage to Taieri River. It contains a good homestead-site, and is situated between Mount Stoker and Three-o'Clock Creek, about fourteen miles from Middlemarch. It is accessible by a well-formed road. Valuation for improvements, payable with application, or immediately the result of the ballot is declared, £848. This run was lately surrendered by Donald McLeod.

Waitaki County.

Run No.	Area.	Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.
Domet ..	17A	3,120 0 0	0 4 1/2   29 5 0

This run is very steep and broken where it faces the Otekaike and towards the Maruenua, but there are some very good slopes near the top of it; soil light; well watered. Distance from Kyeburn, on west, six miles; from Otekaike, to north-east, nine miles (both accessible by track); and from Livingstone, to south-east, seven miles (by road). Altitude averages 2,500ft. Valuation for improvements, payable with application, or immediately the result of the ballot is declared, £80.

SECOND-CLASS PASTORAL COUNTRY.

Waitaki County.

Section.	Area.	Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.
Domet ..	1 VIII.	10,977 0 0	0 0 2 18   50 0 0
" ..	1 X.		
" ..	3 XI.		
Kyeburn ..	1 X.		
" ..	2 XIII.		
Kakanui ..	2 I.		

Subdivisions of parts of Pastoral Runs Nos. 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 miles from Tokarahi Railway-station. Average altitude, about 2,800ft. above the sea-level. Lately surrendered by Robert Little. Valuation for improvements, payable with application, or immediately the result of the ballot is declared, £10.

Section.	Area.	Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.
Domet ..	2 X.	13,540 0 0	0 0 1 59   45 0 0
" ..	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 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 lie several hundred acres of arable land. Livingstone is six miles and Tokarahi Railway-station eleven miles distant. Valuation for house and fencing, £50, which amount must either be lodged with application or paid immediately the result of the ballot is declared. This run was last held by James Chapman.

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 September, 1895.

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

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

DECLARATION.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_, do solemnly and sincerely declare—

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

(Signature.)

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

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

J. P. MAITLAND,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Cheviot Estate.—Tenders for Purchase of Gates.

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Christchurch, 26th November, 1894.

TENDERS are invited for the purchase, singly or together, of twelve gates, the property of the Crown, situate on the public roads, Cheviot, as shown on plans to be seen at the Post-office, Cheviot, and at this office. Tenders, marked outside "Tender for Gates," and addressed to the undersigned, will be received up to noon of 23rd January, 1895.

J. W. A. MARCHANT,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Town and Suburban Lands at Cheviot for Sale by Auction.

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 26th November, 1894.

IT is hereby notified, in terms of "The Land Act, 1892," and "The Cheviot Estate Disposition Act, 1893," that the under-mentioned allotments of town and suburban lands

will be offered for sale for cash at public auction, at the District Land Office, Cheviot, at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, the 23rd day of January, 1895.

One-fifth of the purchase-money must be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the balance, with Crown-grant fee, £1, within thirty days thereafter; otherwise the part of the purchase-money paid by way of deposit will be forfeited, and the contract for the sale of the land be null and void.

SCHEDULE.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price per Section.
TOWN OF MACKENZIE.			
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
2	XII.	0 1 0	7 10 0
4	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
5	"	0 1 0	10 0 0
6	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
7	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
8	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
9	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
10	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
11	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
12	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
14	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
15	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
16	"	0 1 0	10 0 0
17	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
18	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
19	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
20	"	0 1 0	12 0 0
2	XVII.	0 1 0	10 0 0
4	"	0 1 0	10 0 0
7	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
13	"	0 1 0	15 0 0
8	XXII.	0 1 0	7 10 0
9	"	0 1 0	15 0 0
5	XXV.	0 1 0	15 0 0
1	XXVIII.	0 1 0	7 10 0
2	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
3	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
4	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
5	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
7	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
8	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
9	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
10	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
13	"	0 1 0	10 0 0
14	"	0 1 0	10 0 0
15	"	0 1 0	10 0 0
17	"	0 1 27	9 0 0
18	"	0 1 37	10 0 0
1	XXIX.	0 1 0	7 10 0
3	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
4	"	0 1 15	10 0 0
5	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
6	"	0 2 0	12 0 0
7	"	0 1 22	8 0 0
8	"	0 2 30	14 0 0

MACKENZIE SUBURBAN, CHEVIOT SURVEY DISTRICT.

77	VII.	1 0 0	14 0 0
78	"	1 0 0	13 0 0
79	"	1 0 0	14 0 0
80	"	1 0 0	15 0 0
81	"	0 3 29	20 0 0
82	"	1 0 0	20 0 0
84	"	1 0 0	15 0 0
85	"	1 0 0	15 0 0
86	"	1 0 3	15 5 8

These sections are situated on the south side of and contiguous to the Mackenzie Township, and comprise open grass level land of light but fair quality. Owing to their splendid central position, these sections have a special value, and are eminently well adapted for business sites, such as factories, sale- or timber-yards, and also for villa residences, gardens, and paddocks.

In the event of any of the suburban lots not being disposed of at auction, they will remain open for selection, in terms of "The Land Act, 1892," at the upset prices specified.

JOHN MCKENZIE,  
Minister of Lands.

Land in Auckland for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Auckland, 10th November, 1894.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-noted town, suburban, and rural lands will be submitted for sale by public auction at this office on Friday, the 18th day of January, 1895, at 11 o'clock a.m.

SCHEDULE.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price per Lot.
TOWN OF NGARUAWAHIA.		
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
127	0 1 7	5 17 6
128	0 1 7	5 17 6
129	0 1 7	5 17 6
130	0 1 7	5 17 6
131	0 1 7	5 17 6
132	0 1 17.6	7 2 6
133	0 0 34.7	4 5 0
134	0 0 37.7	4 12 6
135	0 1 7	5 17 6
136	0 1 7	5 17 6
137	0 1 7	5 17 6
138	0 1 7	5 17 6
139	0 1 7	5 17 6
260	0 1 7	5 17 6
261	0 1 7	5 17 6
264	0 1 7	5 17 6
265	0 1 7	5 17 6
266	0 1 7	5 17 6
281	0 1 7	5 17 6
282	0 1 7	5 17 6
283	0 1 7	5 17 6
284	0 1 7	5 17 6
285	0 1 7	5 17 6
286	0 1 7	5 17 6
287	0 1 7	5 17 6
304	0 1 7	5 17 6
305	0 1 7	5 17 6
306	0 1 7	5 17 6
307	0 1 7	5 17 6
308	0 1 7	5 17 6
394	0 1 3	5 7 6
454	0 0 30.8	3 15 0
455	0 0 27.8	3 7 6
473	0 0 25	3 2 6
474	0 0 33	4 2 6
475	0 0 33	4 2 6
476	0 0 33	4 2 6
477	0 0 33	4 2 6
478	0 1 1	5 2 6
479	0 0 35	4 7 6
480	0 0 32	4 0 0
481	0 0 32	4 0 0
482	0 0 32	4 0 0
483	0 0 32	4 0 0
484	0 0 32	4 0 0
485	0 0 32	4 0 0
486	0 0 36	4 10 0
487	0 1 0	5 0 0
488	0 0 36	4 10 0
489	0 0 36	4 10 0
490	0 0 36	4 10 0
491	0 0 36	4 10 0
492	0 0 26	3 5 0
SMALL LOTS NEAR PANMURE (AUCKLAND).		
70 (Sec. I.)	4 0 0	16 0 0
SUBURBS OF WEYMOUTH.		
50, 51, 52	2 3 32	6 0 0
WAITEMATA COUNTY.		
Parish of Mairerahi.		
48A	10 0 0	10 0 0
Open land lying between Section 48 and Inlet, Kaipara Harbour.		
WAIPA COUNTY.		
Parish of Pukete.		
56	11 0 28	11 3 0
Open land near Hamilton.		
RAGLAN COUNTY.		
Parish of Karamu.		
126	10 0 0	7 10 0
Open land, with small quantity bush; situated three miles from Harapepe, on the Karuwharuwha Stream.		
WHANGAREI COUNTY.		
Parish of Waipu.		
329A	50 0 28	76 5 0

Situated about five miles from Waipu, and containing about 250,000ft. green and dead kauri timber, which could be driven into Waihoihoi Stream.

Terms of Sale.—One-fifth of the purchase-money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the balance, with Crown-grant fee, within thirty days thereafter, otherwise the one-fifth deposit will be forfeited and the contract for the sale of the land be null and void.

GERHARD MUELLER,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Crown Lands and Leases of Railway Reserves, Taranaki, for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,  
New Plymouth, 26th October, 1894.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned lands will be submitted to public auction, at the District Lands and Survey Office, New Plymouth, on Wednesday, the 19th December, 1894, at 12 o'clock noon.

SCHEDULE.

MOA DISTRICT.

Block IX., Huiroa Survey District.

Section 291: Area, 4 acres 1 rood; upset price, £12 15s. Situate between the Mountain Road and the railway-line, and close to the Waipuku Village. The land is covered with bush, and broken with a gully running across the centre.

VILLAGE OF KAPONGA.

Block XI., Kaipokonui Survey District.

Section 20: Area, 1 acre; upset price, £10. Section 25: Area, 2 roods; upset price, £12. Situate on the main road from Eltham to Opunake, about eight miles from the former township. The sections comprise flat grassed land, with good soil.

Terms of Sale: One-fifth of the purchase-money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the balance, together with £1 Crown-grant fee, within thirty days, or the deposit will be forfeited.

Plans, &c., may be obtained at the principal post-offices and railway-stations throughout the district, and full particulars upon application at this office.

ELTHAM-OPUNAKE RAILWAY RESERVE LEASES.

No. of Subsec- tion.	Block.	Survey District.	Area.	Upset Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.
			A. R. P.	s. d.	£ s. d.
4	X.	Opunake..	3 2 5	1 0	0 1 9
Nearly all river-bed.					
5	X.	Opunake..	4 2 4	1 0	0 2 3
Heavy bush; swampy in parts.					
6	X.	Opunake..	3 3 22	1 0	0 2 0
Heavy bush; swampy in parts.					
10	XI.	Opunake..	16 2 11	1 0	0 8 3
Felled and grassed; fenced on one side.					
11	XI.	Opunake..	13 2 3	1 0	0 6 9
Heavy bush.					
17	X.	Kaupokonui	17 3 12	1 0	0 9 0
Felled and grassed; fenced on one side.					
20	X.	Kaupokonui	12 0 16	1 0	0 6 0
Half an acre in grass, remainder heavy bush; fenced on one side.					

Terms of lease: Ten years. The land under bush to be cleared and laid down in English grasses within five years from the date of lease. One half-year's rent and £1 ls. lease-fee to be paid on the fall of the hammer. Leases of reserves to be signed by successful purchasers within thirty days from date of notice that they are ready for execution. Further particulars may be obtained upon application at this office.

JOHN STRAUCHON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

## Lands at Cheviot for Lease by Auction.

Department of Lands and Survey,

Wellington, 26th November, 1894.

It is hereby notified, in terms of "The Cheviot Estate Disposition Act, 1893," and "The Land Act, 1892," that the lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto will be offered for lease on the terms specified, at public auction, at the District Land Office, Cheviot, at 11 o'clock a.m. on Wednesday, the 23rd day of January, 1895.

SCHEDULE.  
GRAZING LICENSES.

Section.	Survey District.	Block.	Area.	Rent per Acre	Rent per Annum.	Term of License.
<i>Town of Mackenzie.</i>						
40, Mackenzie Suburban	..	..	6 3 3	6 0	2 0 8	Twelve months.
Flat open land of good quality; well grassed.						
Parts 71, 72, 73, and Town Belt	Cheviot	VII.	184 3 0	6 0	55 8 6	Twelve months.
Part of 27 and Drain Reserve	Lowry Peaks	XII.	94 0 0	6 0	28 4 0	"
Part 28	..	..	29 0 0	6 0	8 14 0	"
Flat open land of good quality; well grassed.						
<i>Spotswood Village.</i>						
33 to 46	Cheviot	IV.	133 1 18	4 0	26 13 6	Three years' lease, subject to six months' notice in event of the land being required for sale or public purposes.
47 to 52	"	"	10 0 30.5	4 0	2 0 9	
53, 54, 63	"	"	14 1 11	4 0	2 17 3	
55 to 62	"	"	14 3 26.7	4 0	2 19 8	
66 to 68	"	"	3 0 0	4 0	0 12 0	
Level open country; good soil; well grassed.						
<i>Mina Village.</i>						
2, Reserve, and Block III., Mina North	..	..	60 0 32	5 0	15 1 0	Three years' lease.
1, 3, Reserve, and Blocks I. and II., Mina North	..	..	43 0 10	5 0	10 15 3	"
6, 13, and Block IV., Mina North	..	..	52 0 39	5 0	13 1 3	"
4, 5, and Blocks V. and VI., Mina North	..	..	57 3 3	5 0	14 8 10	"
8, 9, and Block II., Mina South	..	..	56 1 28	5 0	14 2 2	"
7, 10, and Block I., Mina South	..	..	37 0 28	5 0	9 5 11	"
11, and Blocks IV. and VI., Mina South	..	..	18 3 6	5 0	4 11 5	"
12, and Blocks III. and V., Mina South	..	..	17 0 27	5 0	4 5 10	"
Generally open flat land of good quality; well grassed.						
<i>Domett Village.</i>						
43, and Block II., Domett	Lowry Peaks	XVI.	6 1 4	4 0	1 5 1	Three years.
44, Railway, and Block III., Domett	"	"	77 2 20	4 0	15 10 6	"
30 to 34, 45, Railway, and Block IV., Domett	"	"	63 2 31	4 0	12 14 9	"
35 to 42, School Reserve, and Block V., Domett	"	"	62 3 29	4 0	12 11 9	"

Section 43 and Block II. comprises good well-grassed land. Section 44, &c., partly low well-grassed down-land; balance, good flat valley-land. Sections 30 to 34, &c., principally low well-grassed down-land. Sections 35 to 42, &c., well-grassed flat land, good soil, recently in stubble.

Recreation Reserve at Cheviot .. XI. | 12 3 0 | 4 0 | 2 11 0 | Yearly.  
Port Robinson

This section is situated at Port Robinson, and comprises open flat well-grassed table-land of good quality.

In event of any of the lots not being disposed of at auction, they will remain open for selection, in terms of "The Land Act, 1892," on lease, at the upset rental, for the balance of the term.

## CONDITIONS.

1. There are no restrictions or limitations as to the number of lots which one person may acquire, and no declaration is required. Residence and improvements are not compulsory. No compensation shall be claimed by the lessees, nor shall any be allowed by the Government on account of improvements effected by the lessee, nor for any other cause; but lessees shall be allowed one month from the date of determination of their leases within which to remove any buildings or fences which they may have erected upon the lands comprised in their leases.

The lease of the Recreation Reserve at Port Robinson shall be subject to the right of the public to use and enjoy the same for sports, games, and recreation purposes.

2. Possession will be given on the day of sale.

3. The licenses shall be for the terms specified in the Schedule, but shall be subject to six months' notice in the event of the land being required for sale, or for other special public purpose.

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

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

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

- (3.) That the licensee shall destroy all rabbits on the land comprised in the license, and shall prevent their increase or spread, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Crown Lands or an officer appointed by him to inspect the ground.
- 5. The licensee shall have the exclusive right of pasturage over the lands specified in his license, but shall have no right to the soil, or timber, or minerals thereon or therein.
- 6. One half-year's rent shall be paid in every instance, and in the case of all leases exceeding a term of six months a license-fee of £1 1s. shall be paid on the fall of the hammer. The rent shall be paid half-yearly in advance, on the 1st day of March and the 1st day of September in each year during the term of the license. Should the half-yearly rental at any period not be paid within thirty days, a penalty of 10 per cent. in addition will be enforced. The half-year's rent payable on the fall of the hammer shall be considered the rent due on the 1st March, 1895.
- 7. The lessee shall not cut or trim the live fences now on the land without the consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands, and he shall stub all gorse, broom, sweetbriar, and other noxious plants.
- 8. The lessee must properly clean, clear from weeds, and keep open all creeks, drains, ditches, and watercourses which now are or may be upon the land, and the Commissioner of Crown Lands shall have the power at any time to enter upon and make any drain through the land that he may deem necessary.
- 9. The lessee shall be liable for all rates, taxes, and assessments during the term.
- 10. A right to search for and take gravel for making or maintaining roads from any of the lands disposed of is reserved; payment to be made for surface damage only.
- 11. The Government reserves a right of ingress and egress to the telegraph line which passes through some of the lands to be disposed of.
- 12. Lessees shall fence off all trees and plantations, and shall not permit any trespass therein, or damage thereto, and shall be held responsible for their safe custody.
- 13. In the event of the lessee failing to comply with any of the covenants hereinbefore mentioned relating to the stubbing gorse, broom, and sweetbriar, and to the cleaning, clearing from weeds, and keeping open all creeks, drains, ditches, and watercourses, it shall be lawful for the Commissioner of Crown Lands to have such work done, and to recover the cost of the same from the lessee.

JOHN MCKENZIE,  
Minister of Lands.

*Land in Southland for Sale or Selection.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Invercargill, 30th October, 1894.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned land will be open for sale or selection on and after the 27th February, 1895, and may, at the option of the applicant, be purchased for cash, or be selected for occupation with right of purchase, or on lease in perpetuity.

SCHEDULE.  
SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

County.	District.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Price.		Occupation with Right of Purchase: Rent, 5 per Cent.		Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 4 per Cent.	
					Per Acre.	Total Price.	Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.	Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.
FIRST-CLASS LAND.										
				A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.
Southland	{ Extension Ma-karewa Village, Invercargill Hund. }	11	V.	15 2 20	4 0 0	62 10 0	4 0	1 11 3	3 2	1 5 0

Land low-lying, covered with timber only fit for firewood; soil good; height above sea-level about 50ft. Distance from Invercargill about seven miles.

G. W. WILLIAMS,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Sale of Lands, Pomahaka Estate.*

Crown Lands Office,  
Dunedin, 5th December, 1894.

NOTICE is hereby given that Section 59, Block X.; Sections 45 and 49, Block XI.; Sections 13 and 21, 7 and 8, Block XIII.; Sections 16 and 17, Block XIV., Pomahaka Survey District, may be applied for by the adjacent owners or by any other person on and after Tuesday, the 8th January, 1895, in any area not exceeding 640 acres.

J. P. MAITLAND,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Small Grazing-runs, Otago, open for Lease.*

Crown Lands Office,  
Dunedin, 19th November, 1894.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned small grazing-runs will be open for lease on application on and after Wednesday, the 23rd January, 1895, at the half-yearly rentals noted below. In case of more than one application for the same run on the same day, priority of selection will be decided by ballot on the following day, at 11 a.m.

SCHEDULE.

FIRST-CLASS PASTORAL COUNTRY.

Survey District.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Rent per Acre.	Half yearly Rent.
MANIOTOTO COUNTY.					
			A. R. P.	s. d.	£ s. d.
Maniototo	16	XI.	517 0 30	0 9	9 13 11
"	19	"	502 0 0	0 9	9 8 3

Subdivisions of Pastoral Run 206F, Taieri Lake Station, containing open pastoral land of fair quality; situated about eleven miles from Naseby, two miles from the proposed railway-station at Ryan's Crossing, and eighteen miles from Hyde; altitude, from 1,800ft. to 1,500ft.

WAITAKI COUNTY.

Maruenua	48	IX.	1930 0 0	0 9	36 3 9
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Open, broken, mixed agricultural and pastoral country, good black soil, well watered; situated close to Livingstone Township. Valuation for improvements, payable with application or immediately the result of the ballot is declared, £192 7s. This run was lately surrendered by John Sutherland.

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 September, 1895.
  6. The lessee has no right to purchase any part of the land; but he can select 150 acres around the homestead through which no road can be taken or other public privilege exercised without compensation.
- NOTE.—One-fourth of the rent paid during the first fifteen years is returned to the local body, to be spent in improving the access to the land.

DECLARATION.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, of\* \_\_\_\_\_, do solemnly and sincerely declare—

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

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

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

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

J. P. MAITLAND,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Pastoral Lands, Westland, open for Lease on Application.

Lands and Survey Office,  
Hokitika, 2nd November, 1894.

IN accordance with section 197 of "The Land Act, 1892," I hereby give notice that the under-mentioned pastoral runs, having been submitted to public auction and not sold, will be open for application, at the upset rental, on and after the 18th day of December, 1894:—

- Run No. 57, Mariner's Peak, 7,500 acres.
- Run No. 70, Haast and Waita Rivers, 12,500 acres.
- Run No. 80, Mount Argentine, 6,000 acres.
- Run No. 90, Bald Hill Range, 5,500 acres.

Subject to the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892," Part VI. All for the term of ten years each, and at the annual rental of £1 per 1,000 acres. Possession to be given on the date of granting of application.

D. BARRON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Rural Lands in Canterbury for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Christchurch, 26th October, 1894.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of "The Immigrants' Land Act, 1873," and "The Land Act, 1892," that the under-mentioned rural lands will be offered for sale by public auction at this office on Wednesday, the 19th December, 1894, at 12 noon.

SCHEDULE.

ASHBURTON COUNTY.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.	Total Upset Price.
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Alford Survey District.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
34244   IX., X.	85 0 0	1 10 0	127 10 0
36521   X.	6 1 10	1 10 0	9 9 5

These sections are situated on opposite sides of the south branch of the Ashburton River, Section 36521, on the north-eastern side of the river, having frontage on the main road from the Mount Somers Township to the coal-pits, the distance in a north-westerly direction from the Mount Somers Railway-station being about seven miles. Section 34244, on the south-western side of the river, adjoins the properties of the late Hon. W. S. Peter and S. F. Barber, Esq. The River Ashburton, at this point, can be easily forded at ordinary times. The sections comprise open, level, ploughable land of fair quality, singly in patches, and partly surface-sown with English grass.

Hinds Survey District.

36522   IX.	19 1 28	2 10 0	48 11 3
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This section is situated adjacent to the properties of J. Studholme, jun., Esq., and Messrs. Pateman and Stone, having frontage on the Boundary Road, about four miles and three-quarters south-westward from the Hinds Railway-station, and comprises open, level agricultural land, of fair quality.

TERMS OF SALE.

A deposit of one-fifth of the purchase-money shall be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the balance, together with a Crown-grant fee of £1, within thirty days thereafter, or the deposit will be forfeited and the sale cancelled.

Full particulars may be ascertained and plans obtained at this office.

J. W. A. MARCHANT,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Auckland for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Auckland, 13th October, 1894.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned Crown lands will be offered for sale by public auction at the Crown Lands Office, Auckland, on Friday, the 14th day of December next, at 11 a.m.

SCHEDULE.

WAITAKEREI Suburbs (Waitemata County): Lots 1, 2, and 3, each containing 4 acres 3 roods 32 perches; upset price per lot, £10. Lot 4, containing 4 acres 3 roods 9 perches; upset price, £10. Small lots adjoining the Waitakerei Railway-station.

Pukekohe Parish: Lot 270, Section 2, 3 acres; upset price, £21. Situated in the Pukekohe Settlement, about two miles and a quarter from the railway-station.

Kaukapakapa Parish (Waitemata County): Section 81A, 4½ acres; upset price, £8 10s.

Terms of sale: One-fifth of the purchase-money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the balance, together with grant-fee, £1, within thirty days thereafter; otherwise the part of the purchase-money paid by way of deposit shall be forfeited, and the contract for the sale of the land be null and void.

GERHARD MUELLER,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

THE New Zealand Railway Commissioners, in exercise and pursuance of the powers conferred by "The Government Railways Act, 1887," do hereby make the following alterations in and additions to the scale of fares, rates, and charges on the New Zealand Government railways, to come into force on and after the 8th day of December, 1894.

PART I.—PASSENGERS.  
SECTIONAL FARES FOR MESSRS. COOK AND SON'S TOURS.

From	To	Single Fares.		Return Fares.*		
		Days available for, including Day of Issue.	First Class.	Second Class.	First Class.	Second Class.
Auckland .. .. .	Helensville .. .. .	4	7/1	4/9	10/	6/8
Helensville .. .. .	Auckland .. .. .	4	7/1	4/9	10/	6/8
Auckland .. .. .	Swanson .. .. .	1	3/7	2/5	4/9	3/3
Swanson .. .. .	Auckland .. .. .	1	3/7	2/5	4/9	3/3
Auckland .. .. .	Morrinsville .. .. .	8	19/4	12/10	27/2	18/1
Morrinsville .. .. .	Auckland .. .. .	8	19/4	12/10	27/2	18/1
Auckland .. .. .	Rotorua .. .. .	8	32/1	21/4	45/2	30/1
Rotorua .. .. .	Auckland .. .. .	8	32/1	21/4	45/2	30/1
Frankton .. .. .	Rotorua .. .. .	4	16/4	10/10	23/	15/3
Rotorua .. .. .	Frankton .. .. .	4	16/4	10/10	23/	15/3
Morrinsville .. .. .	Okoroire .. .. .	1	5/5	3/8	7/8	5/1
Okoroire .. .. .	Morrinsville .. .. .	1	5/5	3/8	7/8	5/1
Morrinsville .. .. .	Rotorua .. .. .	4	12/11	8/7	18/3	12/1
Rotorua .. .. .	Morrinsville .. .. .	4	12/11	8/7	18/3	12/1
Te Aroha .. .. .	Rotorua .. .. .	4	15/2	10/1	21/5	14/3
Rotorua .. .. .	Te Aroha .. .. .	4	15/2	10/1	21/5	14/3
Okoroire .. .. .	Rotorua .. .. .	4	7/6	5/	10/6	7/
Rotorua .. .. .	Okoroire .. .. .	4	7/6	5/	10/6	7/
Rotorua .. .. .	Woodville .. .. .	4	17/10	11/11	25/1	16/9
Napier .. .. .	Woodville .. .. .	4	17/10	11/11	25/1	16/9
Woodville .. .. .	Napier .. .. .	4	17/10	11/11	25/1	16/9
Woodville .. .. .	Palmerston North .. .. .	1	3/9	2/6	5/	3/4
Palmerston North .. .. .	Woodville .. .. .	1	3/9	2/6	5/	3/4
Palmerston North .. .. .	Mangaonoho .. .. .	4	9/9	6/6	13/8	9/2
Mangaonoho .. .. .	Palmerston North .. .. .	4	9/9	6/6	13/8	9/2
Nelson .. .. .	Foxhill .. .. .	1	4/5	2/11	5/11	3/11
Foxhill .. .. .	Nelson .. .. .	1	4/5	2/11	5/11	3/11
Greymouth .. .. .	Hokitika .. .. .	1	5/	3/4	6/8	4/5
Hokitika .. .. .	Greymouth .. .. .	1	5/	3/4	6/8	4/5
Greymouth .. .. .	Kumara .. .. .	1	2/4	1/7	3/1	2/1
Kumara .. .. .	Greymouth .. .. .	1	2/4	1/7	3/1	2/1

\* Tickets for return journeys are available for return for a calendar month from the date of issue, with the exception of return tickets from Auckland to Rotorua, which are available for return for three calendar months from the date of issue.

Tickets for these tours are issued subject to the conditions contained in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 46, of the 28th August, 1890.

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

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

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

No.	Name of Deceased.	Colonial Residence.	Supposed British or Foreign Residence.	Date of Order, or of Filing of Election to administer.	Value or Estimated Value of Estate.	Time of Deceased's Death.	Remarks.
1	Anderson, Jane ..	Oamaru ..	Aberdeen ..	.. ..	Under £25	31 May, 1894	Relatives known.
2	Angove, Philippa ..	Auckland ..	Kent ..	26 Nov., 1894	£30	6 Sept., 1894	Relatives known.
3	Bell, James ..	Waikari ..	Inverness ..	.. ..	£150	14 Oct., 1894	Relatives known.
4	Benson, William ..	Beaconsfield ..	.. ..	21 Nov., 1894	£3500	21 Sept., 1894	Will annexed.
5	Blue, Archibald ..	Bannockburn ..	Scotland ..	.. ..	£190	20 Oct., 1894	Relatives known.
6	Cannon, Thomas ..	Wellington ..	.. ..	.. ..	£5	14 July, 1894	Relatives known.
7	Douglas, James ..	Woodstock ..	Hull, England	.. ..	£5	1 Nov., 1894	Relatives unkn'n.
8	Jones, Francis B. ..	Wellington ..	.. ..	17 Nov., 1894	£770	3 Oct., 1894	Probate.
9	Jopp or Jope, Daniel	Matakanui ..	Devon ..	.. ..	£50	19 Oct., 1894	Relatives known.
10	Kinnaird, Francis ..	Hokitika ..	Ireland ..	26 Nov., 1894	£15	20 Oct., 1894	.. ..
11	Lalor, James M. ..	Greymouth ..	Ireland ..	19 Nov., 1894	£61	28 July, 1894	.. ..
12	Lucas, Sarah J. ..	Christchurch ..	Smithwick, Eng.	17 Nov., 1894	£850	28 April, 1894	Relatives known.
13	Morris, James Mill	Nelson Creek ..	.. ..	17 Nov., 1894	£450	4 Oct., 1894	Will annexed.
14	Mortley, Edward ..	Cook's River ..	Kent, England	.. ..	£50	25 Oct., 1894	.. ..
15	McLean, Hector ..	Havelock, H.B.	.. ..	17 Nov., 1894	£1225	14 Sept., 1894	.. ..
16	Nash, James ..	Timaru ..	Bath, England	17 Nov., 1894	£450	1 Oct., 1894	.. ..
17	Peterson, Thomas ..	Whale's Flat ..	.. ..	20 Nov., 1894	£35	18 Oct., 1894	.. ..
18	Richards, Charles ..	Auckland ..	.. ..	26 Nov., 1894	£15	2 Sept., 1894	Relatives known.
19	Roennan, Edward ..	Thames ..	.. ..	.. ..	£50	26 Oct., 1894	.. ..
20	Scott, Albert A. ..	Wellington ..	.. ..	17 Nov., 1894	£200	5 Oct., 1894	Will annexed.
21	Shae, Michael ..	Coromandel ..	.. ..	.. ..	£5	28 Sept., 1894	.. ..
22	Spence, James ..	Wellington ..	.. ..	.. ..	£5	7 Nov., 1894	.. ..
23	Stander, Walter A.	New Plymouth	London ..	.. ..	£5	6 Nov., 1894	Relatives known.
24	Stewart, Hector ..	St. Bathans ..	Scotland ..	.. ..	£50	22 Oct., 1894	Relatives known.
25	Stocks, William ..	Christchurch ..	.. ..	10 Nov., 1894	£4100	29 Sept., 1894	Will annexed.
26	Topp, Christina S. S.	Auckland ..	Germany ..	26 Nov., 1894	£10	23 Oct., 1894	.. ..
27	Waldin, Thomas ..	Clareville ..	.. ..	16 Nov., 1894	£800	11 Oct., 1894	Will annexed.
28	Wilbraham, John ..	Makarewa ..	.. ..	17 Nov., 1894	£150	14 Oct., 1894	Probate.

J. K. WARBURTON,  
Public Trustee.

Dated at Wellington, this 4th day of December, 1894.

**Bankruptcy Notices.**

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

NOTICE is hereby given that GILBERT HAMILTON, of Auckland, Baker, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 3rd day of December, 1894, at 2.30 o'clock.  
 J. LAWSON,  
 23rd November, 1894. Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM LONERGAN, of Auckland, Tailor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 3rd day of December, 1894, at 11 o'clock.  
 J. LAWSON,  
 26th November, 1894. Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.*

In the estate of H. NAPHTALI.

A DIVIDEND of 1s. in the pound in the above estate is payable at my office on all admitted claims. Bills of exchange and promissory notes must be produced.  
 J. F. JARDINE,  
 Napier, 27th November, 1894. Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that CHARLES WILLIAM FINDLAY, of Palmerston North, Bootmaker, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 14th day of December, 1894, at 2.30 o'clock.  
 G. J. SCOTT,  
 Palmerston North, 3rd December, 1894. Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that CHARLES JAMES STEEVENS, of Nelson, Photographer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, at Nelson, on Monday, the 10th day of December, 1894, at 3 o'clock p.m.  
 A. A. SCAIFE,  
 Nelson, 3rd December, 1894. Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that DAVID KERR, of Tinwald, Contractor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 8th day of December, 1894, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon.  
 JOHN DAVISON,  
 3rd December, 1894. Deputy Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.*

Estate of WILLIAM MOORE, of Timaru, Farmer, lately Hotelkeeper.

A FIRST and final dividend, of 8½d. in the pound, on all accepted proved claims is now payable at my office, Arcade Chambers, Timaru.  
 ALEX. MONTGOMERY,  
 Timaru, 28th November, 1894. Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN ASKENBECK, of Half-Ounce, Miner, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 3rd day of December, 1894, at 12 o'clock noon.  
 ROBT. WM. RUSSELL,  
 Greymouth, 24th November, 1894. Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that CHARLES DAVID SCOTT, of Christchurch, Furniture-dealer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 11th day of December, 1894, at 2 o'clock.  
 G. L. GREENWOOD,  
 Official Assignee.

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

No. 89.  
 NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES WILSON, of Dunedin, Brewer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Tuesday, the 11th day of December, 1894, at 3 o'clock.  
 C. C. GRAHAM,  
 Dunedin, 3rd December, 1894. Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.—In the District Court, holden at Invercargill.*

NOTICE is hereby given that ALFRED QUERTIER, formerly of Oaklands, Wyndham, now of Waikaka, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, Gore, on the 27th day of November, 1894, at 2 o'clock.  
 CHARLES ROUT,  
 Invercargill, 20th November, 1894. Deputy Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.—In the District Court, holden at Invercargill.*

NOTICE is hereby given that CHARLES CATTANACH, of Gore, Hotelkeeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 3rd day of December, 1894, at 2 o'clock.  
 CHARLES ROUT,  
 Invercargill, 28th November, 1894. Deputy Official Assignee.

**Native Land Court Notices.**

“The Native Land Court Act, 1894.”

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 3rd December, 1894.  
 NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Hawera on the 18th day of December, 1894, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATION FOR RESCISSION OF PROBATE TO ENABLE APPLICATION FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION UNDER THE WILL AND CODICIL TO BE MADE AND DEALT WITH.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased Testator.
1	Rori te Matekohuru (N.L.C., Wh. 92-261)	Wi Weke Pikauterangi.

APPLICATION FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION UNDER THE WILL AND CODICIL.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased Testator.
1	Rori te Matekohuru (P. 95-1)	Wi Weke Pikauterangi.



## "The Native Land Court Act, 1894."

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 3rd December, 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 Greytown North on the 15th day of December, 1894, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON, Registrar.

## SCHEDULE.

## APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	Lease (94-452) .. ..	23rd December, 1889	Matakitaki .. ..	Piripi te Maari and others to Charles Pharazyn.
2	Lease (94-453) .. ..	25th November, 1892	Te Kopi No. 2 .. ..	Roka Ihakara and others to Charles Pharazyn.
3	Lease (94-454) .. ..	23rd December, 1889	Te Kopi No. 2 .. ..	Hemi te Miha and others to Charles Pharazyn.
4	Mortgage (94-455) .. ..	22nd October, 1894	Te Kopi No. 2, Sub-division No. 3	Iraia te Whaiti to Charles Pharazyn.
5	Deed of Covenant (94-456)	22nd October, 1894	Te Kopi No. 2 and other lands	Iraia te Whaiti and another with Charles Pharazyn.
6	Mortgage (94-457) .. ..	22nd October, 1894	Kawakawa and Matakitaki	Iraia te Whaiti to Charles Pharazyn.
7	Mortgage (94-458) .. ..	22nd October, 1894	Kawakawa and other lands	Iraia te Whaiti to Charles Pharazyn.
8	Mortgage (94-459) .. ..	22nd October, 1894	Te Kopi .. ..	Iraia te Whaiti to Charles Pharazyn.
9	Mortgage (94-460) .. ..	22nd October, 1894	Te Kopi No. 2, Sub-division 3	Iraia te Whaiti and another to Charles Pharazyn.
10	Mortgage (94-461) .. ..	22nd October, 1894	Te Kopi No. 2, Sub-division 3	Hone te Whaiti (Paraone) and another to Charles Pharazyn.
11	Mortgage (94-462) .. ..	22nd October, 1894	Watarangi and other lands	Iraia te Whaiti to Charles Pharazyn.
12	Mortgage (94-463) .. ..	22nd October, 1894	Kawakawa No. 2 and Matakitaki No. 2	Iraia te Whaiti to Charles Pharazyn.
13	Mortgage (94-464) .. ..	22nd October, 1894	Kawakawa No. 2 and Matakitaki No. 2	Hone te Whaiti (Paraone) and another to Charles Pharazyn.
14	Lease (94-465) .. ..	26th October, 1894	Pahaoa No. 7, part of	Hiria Raharuhi and others to William McLaren.
15	Conveyance (94-466) .. ..	28th November, 1894	Taratahi, part of Section 391	Manuere Ngatuere to John Udy.
16	Lease (94-467) .. ..	5th September, 1893	Turanganui No. 1 and No. 3	Retini Tamihana and others to John Purvis Russell.
17	Lease (94-468) .. ..	19th July, 1893	Kawakawa No. 2 .. ..	Meiha te Miha and others to Iraia te Whaiti.
18	Transfer (94-469) .. ..	20th October, 1894	Tahuroa, part of .. ..	Hamuera Tamahau Mahupuku to Peter Lee McLaren.
19	Transfer (94-470) .. ..	16th October, 1894	Pahaoa No. 5, part of	Ihakara Karaitiana to William McLaren.
20	Transfer (94-471) .. ..	26th July, 1894	Pahaoa No. 1 .. ..	Te Hokotoki Paora to William McLaren.
21	Lease (94-472) .. ..	13th August, 1894	Te Tipua .. ..	Hui te Miha to John McMaster.
22	Transfer (94-473) .. ..	13th August, 1894	Papawai No. 12 .. ..	Heta Harawira to Richard Tilson.
23	Lease (94-474) .. ..	9th January, 1894	Matakitaki No. 4 .. ..	Hiria Karauria and another to Iraia te Whaiti.
24	Transfer (94-475) .. ..	21st August, 1894	Purekutu .. ..	Ramari Eramiha to Alexander McKenzie.
25	Lease (94-476) .. ..	15th December, 1893	Matakitaki No. 2 .. ..	Ruihi Aporo and others to Iraia te Whaiti.
26	Lease (94-477) .. ..	26th July, 1893	Kawakawa No. 3 .. ..	Makeri Kiriti and others to Iraia te Whaiti.
27	Lease (94-478) .. ..	20th October, 1893	Ngawakaakupe No. 3, part of	Hamuera Tamahau Mahupuku and another to John Hildebrand Tully and others.
28	Lease (94-479) .. ..	20th October, 1893	Ngawakaakupe No. 3, part of	Hamuera Tamahau Mahupuku and another to John Hildebrand Tully and others.
29	Lease (94-480) .. ..	20th December, 1893	Pirinoa Native Reserve	Hohepa Aporo and others to Piripi te Maari.
30	Lease (94-481) .. ..	8th November, 1893	Pahaoa No. 10 .. ..	Ihaia Koko and others to William McLaren.

## Notice of Inquiry under Section 118 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894."

WHEREAS John Studholme, the younger, of Hawke's Bay, runholder, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Mangaohane No. 1 Block, and to have been prior to the date of the passing of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," in negotiation for the lease of certain other shares or interests therein, has notified such claim to the Chief Judge of the Native Land Court, and to the Commissioner of Crown Lands for the Hawke's Bay District, and has requested that an inquiry into the circumstances thereof may be held as provided by section 118 of the said Act: And whereas the Chief Judge has referred the said claim to Herbert Frank Edger, Esquire, a Judge of the Native Land Court, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, Hastings, on the 15th day of December, 1894, at 10 a.m.

Dated at Wellington, this 3rd day of December, 1894.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,  
Registrar.

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## Notice of Inquiry under Section 118 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894."

WHEREAS John Studholme, the younger, of Hawke's Bay, runholder, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Mangaohane No. 2 Block, and to have been prior to the date of the passing of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," in negotiation for the purchase of certain other shares or interests therein, has notified such claim to the Chief Judge of the Native Land Court, and to the Commissioner of Crown Lands for the Hawke's Bay District, and has requested that an inquiry into the circumstances thereof may be held as provided by section 118 of the said Act: And whereas the Chief Judge has referred the said claim to Herbert Frank Edger, Esquire, a Judge of the Native Land Court, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, Hastings, on the 15th day of December, 1894, at 10 a.m.

Dated at Wellington, this 3rd day of December, 1894.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,  
Registrar.

Notice of Inquiry under Section 118 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894."

WHEREAS William Rathbone, of Waipawa, sheep-farmer, and James Matthews, of Hampden, sheep-farmer, persons claiming to have acquired from certain of the Native owners a leasehold interest in the Manawatu No. 2 or Piripiri Block, and to have been prior to the date of the passing of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," in negotiation for the lease of certain other shares or interests therein, has notified such claim to the Chief Judge of the Native Land Court, and to the Commissioner of Crown Lands for

the Wellington and Napier Districts, and has requested that an inquiry into the circumstances thereof may be held as provided by section 118 of the said Act: And whereas the Chief Judge has referred the said claim to Herbert Frank Edger, Esquire, a Judge of the Native Land Court, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, Hastings, on the 15th day of December, 1894, at 10 a.m.

Dated at Wellington, this 3rd day of December, 1894.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,  
Registrar.

"The Native Land Court Act, 1894."

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 3rd December, 1894.  
NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Levin on the 17th day of December, 1894, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.  
H. DUNBAR JOHNSON, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	Lease (94-482) .. ..	18th October, 1894 ..	Awahohonu A No. 3, Subdivision 4B	Hakaraia te Whena to John William Swainson.
2	Lease (94-483) .. ..	16th October, 1894 ..	Manawatu-Kukutaauaki No. 7D, Subdivision 2A, No. 1	Tamihana te Hoia to William Robert Franklin.
3	Lease (94-484) .. ..	20th October, 1894 ..	Pukehou No. 4A, Subdivision 2	Mere te Wano to George Bevan.
4	Transfer (94-485) .. ..	18th October, 1894 ..	Manawatu-Kukutaauaki No. 7D, No. 1, Subdivision 3	Tamihana te Hoia and another to Tiaki Hawea and others.
5	Lease (94-486) .. ..	15th October, 1894 ..	Manawatu-Kukutaauaki No. 7D, No. 1, Subdivision 1	Tamihana te Hoia to John Davies.
6	Transfer (94-487) .. ..	10th October, 1894 ..	Awahohonu A No. 3, Subdivision No. 3	Hira Maeke to John William Swainson.
7	Transfer (94-488) .. ..	18th October, 1894 ..	Manawatu-Kukutaauaki No. 7D, No. 1, Subdivision No. 10	Tamihana te Hoia and another to Tiaki Hawea and others.
8	Lease (94-391) .. ..	21st July, 1894 .. ..	Manawatu-Kukutaauaki No. 3, Section 1A	Hunia te Hana and others to Percy Edward Baldwin.
9	Lease (94-392) .. ..	26th September, 1894	Manawatu-Kukutaauaki No. 3, Section 1A	Aputa Tukumarua and another to Percy Edward Baldwin.
10	Lease (94-393) .. ..	21st July, 1894 .. ..	Manawatu-Kukutaauaki No. 3, Section 1A	Rangiahuta to Percy Edward Baldwin.
11	Lease (94-394) .. ..	15th August, 1894 ..	Manawatu-Kukutaauaki No. 3, Section 1A	Hanita Natana to Percy Edward Baldwin.
12	Lease (94-395) .. ..	29th September, 1894	Manawatu-Kukutaauaki No. 3, Section 1A	Peka Pipito to Percy Edward Baldwin.
13	Lease (94-396) .. ..	29th September, 1894	Manawatu-Kukutaauaki No. 3, Section 1B	Tireni Hangina and others to Percy Edward Baldwin.
14	Lease (94-397) .. ..	23rd July, 1894 .. ..	Manawatu-Kukutaauaki No. 3, Section 1B	Hiko Maiki and others to Percy Edward Baldwin.
15	Lease (94-398) .. ..	23rd July, 1894 .. ..	Manawatu-Kukutaauaki No. 3, Section 1B	Arihia Maiki and others to Percy Edward Baldwin.
16	Lease (94-399) .. ..	11th September, 1894	Horowhenua No. 9 ..	Wiremu Pomare to G. B. Baldwin.
17	Transfer (94-404) .. ..	24th September, 1894	Manawatu-Kukutaauaki No. 3, Section 1B	Maihi Hangina to Percy Edward Baldwin.
18	Transfer (94-406) .. ..	23rd July, 1894 .. ..	Manawatu-Kukutaauaki No. 3, Section 1B	Mere Piripi and another to Percy Edward Baldwin.
19	Lease (94-407) .. ..	4th October, 1894 ..	Manawatu-Kukutaauaki No. 4D, Section 6	Tamara te Angiangi to Thomas Bevan, jun.
20	Mortgage (94-451) .. ..	18th May, 1894 .. ..	Piritaha No. 1 .. ..	Ropata Ranapiri to Messrs. Laery and Company (Limited).
21	Transfer (94-491) .. ..	12th October, 1894 ..	Takapu No. 1, Subdivision No. 7	Paraha Menehira and another to John Davies.

PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1	Percy Edward Baldwin .. ..	Manawatu-Kukutaauaki No. 3, Section 1B.

"THE WEST COAST SETTLEMENT RESERVES ACT, 1892."

**Reserves for Leasing by Tender.**

THE Public Trustee hereby notifies that tenders will be received at the Public Trust Office, Wellington, up to 10 o'clock a.m. on Saturday, the 5th day of January, 1895, for leases, under the provisions of "The West Coast Settlement Reserves Act, 1892," and the regulations dated the 13th day of February, 1893, published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 23rd day of February, 1893, and *Kahiti* of the 23rd day of February, 1893, of the under-mentioned reserves, in lots as numbered, and on the terms stated below.

Lot No.	Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Area.			Upset Rent per Acre.			Total Upset Rent per Annum.
				A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	
1	1	Pts. 2 and 6	Opunake	249	3	0	0	1	3	£ 15 12 2
2	2	Pts. 2 and 6	"	228	3	0	0	1	3	14 6 0
3	3	Pts. 2 and 6	"	276	3	20	0	1	3	17 6 2
4	4	Pts. 2, 3, 6, & 7	"	263	3	0	0	1	3	16 9 8
5	5	Pts. 2 and 3	"	255	3	0	0	1	3	15 19 8
6	6	3	"	250	3	0	0	1	0	12 10 9
7	7	3	"	227	0	0	0	1	0	11 7 0
8	8	3	"	226	1	0	0	1	0	11 6 3
9	9	3	"	214	0	0	0	0	10	8 18 4
10	10	3	"	214	0	0	0	0	10	8 18 4
11	11	3	"	214	0	0	0	0	9	8 0 6
12	12	Pts. 3 and 4	"	231	2	0	0	0	9	8 13 8
13	13	4	"	269	0	0	0	0	8	8 19 4
14	14	6	"	239	3	23	0	1	3	14 19 10
15	15	Pts. 6 and 7	"	189	0	24	0	1	3	11 16 5
16	16	Pts. 3 and 7	"	188	2	20	0	1	0	9 8 8
17	17	Pts. 3 and 7	"	184	3	0	0	0	10	7 14 0
18	18	Pts. 3 and 7	"	185	3	0	0	0	10	7 14 10
19	19	Pts. 3 and 7	"	178	0	0	0	0	10	7 8 4
20	20	Pts. 3 and 7	"	257	0	0	0	0	9	9 12 9
21	21	Pts. 3 and 7	"	235	0	0	0	0	9	8 16 3
22	22	Pts. 3 and 4	"	246	0	22	0	0	9	9 4 7
23	23	Pts. 3 and 4	"	263	3	30	0	0	9	9 18 0
24	24	4	"	300	3	20	0	0	9	11 5 9
25	25	4	"	337	0	0	0	0	8	11 4 8
26	26	6	"	153	0	36	0	1	3	9 11 6
27	27	Pts. 6 and 7	"	155	2	10	0	1	3	9 14 6
28	28	Pts. 6 and 7	"	196	3	2	0	1	3	13 6 0
29	29	7	"	190	1	0	0	1	0	9 10 3
30	30	7	"	192	3	30	0	1	0	9 12 10
31	31	7	"	178	0	17	0	1	0	8 18 2
32	32	Pts. 3 and 7	"	184	2	16	0	1	0	9 4 6
33	Subdiv. 1	6	Hawera	110	0	0	0	13	6	74 5 0
34	Subdiv. 2	6	"	109	0	0	0	10	0	54 10 0
35*	Subdiv. 3	6	"	149	3	0	0	9	0	67 7 9
36	Subdiv. 4	6	"	107	0	0	0	10	0	53 10 0
37	Subdiv. 5	6	"	30	0	0	0	11	0	16 10 0
38	71 and 72	Waitara East	Waitara	34	3	25	0	5	0	8 14 6
39	Subdiv. 1	Hapotiki	Hawera	137	0	0	0	2	6	17 2 6
40	Subdiv. 2	Hapotiki	"	220	0	0	0	2	6	27 10 0
41	Subdiv. 3	Hapotiki	"	141	0	0	0	2	6	17 12 6
42	Subdiv. 1	Mokoia	"	313	1	27	0	1	0	15 13 5
43	Subdiv. 1	Ngatihawe	"	356	0	0	0	1	0	17 16 0

\* The lease of this section will be subject to a clause reserving a right-of-way or access to a native burial-place existing upon it.  
As soon as possible after the acceptance of tenders for the leases, tenders will be called for felling the bush 1 chain wide and clearing a track in the centre 12ft. wide on the Ngariki Road from its junction with the Okahu Road to Section 13, and on the Kina Road not already cleared to its junction with the Wiremu Road, and for felling the bush 1 chain wide on the Arawhata Road to Section 25.

The term of years for which the lease will be granted will in each case be twenty-one years, computed from the date when the person tendering is declared the lessee.  
Such lease is perpetually renewable every twenty-one years, as provided by the above Act.

The rent is payable by equal half-yearly instalments in advance.  
Tenders must be enclosed in a sealed envelope, addressed to the Public Trustee, Wellington, and marked on the outside as follows: "West Coast Settlement Reserves. Tender for lease of Lot No. , as advertised in the newspaper on the day of 1894."

Envelopes for such purpose and printed forms of tender and declaration can be obtained of the Postmasters at Opunake, Manaia, Normanby, Waitotara, Waverley, Stratford, Waitara, Okato, Puniho, Pungarehu; the agents of the Public Trustee at Hawera, Palmerston North, and Patea; the office of W. Rennell, Esq., Reserves Agent, New Plymouth; or at the office of the Public Trustee, Wellington.

If any person desires to tender for more than one lot, a separate tender for each lot must be made, and separate declarations, as required by section 50 of the Schedule to the said Act, furnished.

Every tender must be accompanied by six months' rent at the rate tendered, the sum of £3 3s. to pay for the lease and registration thereof, and the amount of stamp duty payable on the lease and counterpart. Marked cheques will be received (which must include bank exchange), or post-office orders.

Successful tenderers will be notified in writing by the Public Trustee of the acceptance of their tenders, and must, within thirty days after notice by registered letter shall have been posted in the General Post Office, Wellington, addressed to the tenderer at the address given in the tender, execute leases in triplicate.

All rates and taxes due in respect of the above lands accruing after the 31st March, 1895, must be paid by the lessee.

Every tender, where the rental tendered is less than the upset rental fixed as aforesaid, will be informal and incapable of being accepted, and no tender will be accepted unless the same is closed up and accompanied by the statutory declaration as provided by section 50 of the above Act, together with such six months' rent and £3 3s. as above mentioned.

The highest tenderer, if his tender equals or exceeds the upset rental, will be declared the lessee, and be entitled to possession so soon as he has executed the lease thereof in triplicate, and has complied with all other conditions lawfully prescribed in that behalf.

If the rent tendered by two or more persons is of the same amount, and is higher than that offered by other tenderers, the Public Trustee will, after opening all the tenders, decide by lot, in such manner as he thinks fit, which of such persons shall be declared the lessee.

The deposits and fees paid by the unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them upon application.

If any person declared a lessee fails to execute his lease within thirty days after being required by notice so to do, then his deposit and the above-mentioned sum of £3 3s. will be absolutely forfeited to the Public Trustee, and the right of such person to obtain such lease will absolutely cease and determine.

The lease and the provisions thereof to be executed by the successful tenderer and the Public Trustee are set out in the above-mentioned regulations, but the Public Trustee reserves the right to make any modifications therein as he thinks fit.

Persons proposing to tender are referred to the above-mentioned Act and regulations, which are to be deemed part of this notice.

If from any cause whatever the Public Trustee is unable to grant a lease of any of the lands above referred to, the successful tenderer shall have no claim for damages or compensation.

The area of each lot is believed to be correctly described in the foregoing list, but if the area is less than that specified in such list the successful tenderer shall be bound to take a lease of such lesser area without any allowance of compensation.

If the area of any lot is larger than that set out in the said list the Public Trustee reserves the right, by notice in writing to the successful tenderer, to annul the contract, but without payment of any compensation or damages whatever.

This notice is to be deemed part of any contract for the grant of a lease of any of the above-mentioned lands to any successful tenderer.

J. K. WARBURTON,  
Public Trustee.

Public Trust Office, Wellington, 16th November, 1894.

*Examination of Mine-managers.*

Mines Department,  
Wellington, 3rd November, 1894.

**A**N examination of candidates for certificates as First- and Second-class Mine-managers under "The Mining Act, 1891," and "The Coal-mines Act, 1891," will be held on Tuesday, the 29th January, 1895, and three following days, at places to be hereafter named. All applications, with necessary certificates, and fee of £1, must be addressed to "The Secretary of the Board of Examiners under the Mining Act or Coal-mines Act, Wellington," and must be received before the 1st January, 1895, or they will not be dealt with until the following examination.

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

*Land Transfer Act Notices.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land herein- after described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1885," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one calendar month from the date of publication hereof in the *Gazette*.

Section 13, Block I., Town of Oamaru.—DAVID GEDYDE, Applicant. Occupied by George Dalgleish. No. 4095.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 3rd day of December, 1894, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

H. TURTON,  
District Land Registrar.

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**A** STATUTORY declaration of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. Ixix., folio 238, whereof PETERINA JOHNSON CLARK is the registered proprietor, having been lodged with me, and an application having been made for the issue of a provisional certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I will issue the provisional certificate of title as requested at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch, the 4th day of December, 1894.

J. M. BATHAM,  
District Land Registrar.

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

7469. JOHN COLLIER.—5 acres and 11½ perches, parts Rural Section 309, Borough of Sumner. Unoccupied.

7541. HORACE CLARENCE SHRIMPTON.—2 roods, part Rural Section 1766, Block X., Arowhenua Survey District. Unoccupied.

7552. ELIZABETH CATHERINE McINMAN.—27½ perches, part Rural Section 79, Borough of Sydenham. Occupied by Applicant.

7553. MARY HARVEY.—4 acres 2 roods 24 perches, part Rural Section 5732, Block XIII., Rakaia Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

7554. THOMAS DIXON.—61 acres, Rural Section 10591, Blocks III., Southbridge, and XV., Leeston Survey Districts. Unoccupied.

7555. ELIZA BRITTON.—3 acres 3 roods 11 perches, part Rural Section 5732, Block XIII., Rakaia Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

7556. MIRIAM BAXTER.—1 rood 39½ perches, part Rural Section 3728, Block XIV., Waimate Survey District. Occupied by Mrs. J. Rankin.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 1st day of December, 1894, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

J. M. BATHAM,  
District Land Registrar.

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**A**PPPLICATION having been made to me by DAVID BRUCE, MOSES SOMES BREACH, and JOHN GILMOUR for the issue to them of a provisional certificate of title for Sections 405 and 443, Town of Stratford, contained in certificate of title, Vol. vi., folio 110, and a statutory declaration having been lodged with me of the loss of such certificate:

I hereby give notice that I shall issue the provisional certificate of title as requested, at the expiration of fourteen days after the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice, unless in the meantime a caveat be lodged forbidding the same.

Dated this 23rd day of November, 1894, at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth.

W. STUART,  
District Land Registrar.

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*Mining Notice.*

**I** the undersigned, hereby make application to register the Waverley Gold-mining Company as a no-liability company, under the provisions of "The Mining Companies Act, 1894."

1. The name of the company is to be the Waverley Gold-mining Company (No Liability).

2. The place of operations is at Karangahake, Ohinemuri, District of Hauraki.

3. The registered office of the company will be situated at No. 11, New Zealand Insurance Buildings, Queen Street, Auckland.

4. The value of the company's property, including claim, is six thousand five hundred pounds.

5. The number of shares in the company is sixty-five thousand, of two shillings each.

6. The number of shares subscribed for is sixty thousand.

7. The name of the Manager is Dennis Gilmore MacDonnell.

8. The names, addresses, and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follow:—

	No. of Shares.
William Scott Wilson, Auckland, Printer ..	2,250
Joseph Liston Wilson, Auckland, Printer ..	2,250
Henry Thomson Gorrie, Auckland, Commission Agent	2,250
Charles Cookman McMillan, Auckland, Merchant ..	1,500
James Kirker, Auckland, Insurance Manager ..	1,500
David Whamond Duthie, Auckland, Banker ..	1,500
Alfred Buckland, Auckland, Auctioneer ..	1,500
William Reynolds Vines, Auckland, Gentleman ..	1,500
Thomas Morrin, Auckland, Merchant ..	1,500
John Henry Upton, Auckland, Stationer ..	1,500
William Gorrie, Auckland, Stationer ..	1,500
John Russell Gray, Auckland, Importer ..	1,500
James Reid, Auckland, Sharebroker ..	1,500
Charles Clayforth, Auckland, Broker ..	1,500
James Henry Smith, Auckland, Accountant ..	1,500
William Culpán, Auckland, Accountant ..	1,500
Duncan E. Clerk, Auckland, Agent ..	1,500
James Heron, Auckland, Builder ..	1,500
Joseph James Craig, Auckland, Merchant ..	1,500
William Hellaby, Auckland, Butcher ..	1,500
Edward M. Coleman, Auckland, Solicitor ..	1,500
John Edward Haven, Auckland, Accountant ..	1,500
William Frater, Auckland, Land Agent ..	1,500
Dennis Gilmore MacDonnell, Auckland, Legal Manager ..	3,000
James Biden Fairs, Auckland, Accountant ..	750
James Henry Fleming, Paeroa, Mining Agent ..	8,000
Edith Mary Fleming, Paeroa, Domestic Duties ..	3,000
William Tregoweth, Paeroa, Miner ..	6,000
Richard Tregoweth, Karangahake, Miner ..	1,000
Albert Tregoweth, Karangahake, Miner ..	1,000
Ezra Cartwright, Thames, Miner ..	500
<b>Total ..</b>	<b>60,000</b>

Dated this 27th day of November, 1894.

D. G. MACDONNELL,  
Manager.

Witness to signature—Frederick L. Prime, J.P.

I, Dennis Gilmore MacDonnell, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

1. I am the Manager of the said intended company.

2. The above statement is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true in every particular.

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."

D. G. MACDONNELL.

Taken before me, this 27th day of November, 1894—  
Frederick L. Prime, J.P. 624

*Private Advertisements.**DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned as farmers, on the Old Renwick Road, has been dissolved as from the 8th day of November, 1894, by mutual consent.

JAMES DALZIEL,  
WILLIAM DALZIEL.

Witness to the signature of both parties—Thomas Comp-  
ton, Accountant, Blenheim. 623

## LANGDOWN AND SON.

NOTICE is hereby given that we, the undersigned WILLIAM LANGDOWN and WILLIAM HERBERT LANGDOWN, trading as Flour and Oatmeal Millers, under the style of "Langdown and Son," have sold the premises and business situate at Sydenham to Mr. C. B. COGAN, who is authorised to continue to carry on the business under the former style of Langdown and Son; but we, the said William Langdown and William Herbert Langdown have no interest or share in the concern.

C. B. COGAN, W. LANGDOWN, W. H. LANGDOWN.

Witness to the signatures of the said William Langdown, and William Herbert Langdown, and Cecil Bertram Cogan—W. H. Wynn-Williams, Solicitor, Christchurch. 625

## NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned, HENRY MONTEITH and JOHN O'MEARA, as auctioneers, at Woodville and elsewhere, under the style or firm of "Monteith and O'Meara," has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will in future be carried on by the said Henry Monteith in his own name.

H. MONTEITH.  
J. O'MEARA.

Witness to signatures—E. J. Gothard, Solicitor, Woodville. 629

I, JOHN WILLIAM GORMLEY, Licentiate Royal College of Surgeons, Ireland, Licentiate King's and Queen's College of Physicians, Ireland, Licentiate Midwifery, King's and Queen's College of Physicians, Ireland, now residing in Auckland, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 1st January, 1895, to have my name placed on the Medical Register for the Colony of New Zealand, and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Registrar of Births and Deaths at Auckland.

JOHN WILLIAM GORMLEY,  
Auckland.

Dated at Auckland, 1st December, 1894. 630

## BANK OF NEW ZEALAND.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Bank of New Zealand Board of Directors, in pursuance of section 5 of "The Bank of New Zealand Share Guarantee Act, 1894," have made a call of £3 6s. 8d. per share on all ordinary shares, as defined by "The Bank of New Zealand Share Guarantee Act, 1894"; and that such call will be payable by three instalments at the office of the Bank of New Zealand in Wellington by shareholders on the colonial registers, and at the office of the Bank of New Zealand in London by shareholders on the London register: the first instalment, of £1 2s., on 1st February, 1895; the second instalment, of £1 2s., on 1st August, 1895; and the third instalment, of £1 2s. 8d., on 25th November, 1895.

C. G. ANDREWS,  
Acting General Manager.

Wellington, 6th December, 1894. 633

A GENERAL Meeting of the Otara Gold-dredging Company (Limited), (in liquidation), will be held at the office of Mr. J. Hercus, Exchange Court, Princes Street, Dunedin, on Friday, the 15th day of February, 1895, at 5 p.m., for the purpose of receiving the report and balance-sheet of the Liquidator.

WILLIAM ELDER,  
Liquidator.

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I, WALTER HISLOP, Manager of the Perpetual Trustees, Estate, and Agency Company of New Zealand (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare,—

1. That the liability of members is limited.
2. That the capital of the company is £106,250, divided into 25,000 shares of £4 5s. each.
3. That the number of shares issued is 21,669.
4. That calls to the amount of 7s. 6d. per share have been made, under which the sum of £8,125 17s. 6d. has been received.
5. That the amount of all moneys received on account of estates under administration is £4,205 13s. 8d.
6. That the amount of all moneys paid on account of estates under administration is £5,297 1s. 3d.
7. That the amount of the balance held to the credit of estates under administration is £1,669 9s. 9d.
8. That the liabilities of the company on the 1st day of November last were: Debts owing to sundry persons by the company—viz., on judgment, nil; on specialty, nil; on notes or bills, nil; on simple contracts, £10,287 3s. 10d.; on estimated liabilities, nil.

9. That the assets of the company on that date were—Government securities, nil; bills of exchange and promissory notes, nil; cash at banker's and on deposit, £92 6s. 10d.; other securities, £17,262 14s. 5d.

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

WALTER HISLOP.

Declared by the said Walter Hislop, at Dunedin, this 4th day of December, 1894, before me—A. Bartleman, a Justice of the Peace in and for the Colony of New Zealand. 635

In the matter of "The Foreign Companies Act, 1884," and its amendments.

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Dated this 17th day of November, 1894.

ED. KERSEY COOPER,  
Attorney for the said Company.

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