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

GLASGOW, Governor.

By his Deputy,

(L.S.)

JAMES PRENDERGAST.

A PROCLAMATION.

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

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

Waitaki County.

Survey District.	Section.	Block.	Area.
Maruenua	53	IX.	A. R. P. 600 0 0
"	54	"	795 0 0
"	10	XVI.	421 0 0

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 thirty-first day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

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Wards in Borough of Balclutha abolished.

GLASGOW, Governor.

By his Deputy,

(L.S.)

JAMES PRENDERGAST.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section thirty-one of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1886," it is provided that, if not less than one-half of the burgesses of each ward of a divided borough petition the Governor to abolish such wards, the Governor may, by Proclamation, declare such wards to be abolished, and such borough shall thereafter be deemed to be an undivided borough: And whereas not less than one-half of the burgesses of each ward of the divided Borough of Balclutha have petitioned me to abolish such wards:

Now, therefore, I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the hereinbefore-recited authority, do hereby proclaim and declare the wards of the Borough of Balclutha to be abolished, and that such borough shall hereafter be deemed to be an undivided borough.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

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

GLASGOW, Governor.

By his Deputy,

JAMES PRENDERGAST.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one hundred and thirty-sixth section of "The Land Act, 1892," I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, having received

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

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WHANGAROA COUNTY.
Unsurveyed Second-class Land.

ALL that parcel of land in the Auckland Land District, situate in Blocks IV. and VIII., Whangaroa Survey District, and containing approximately 440 acres. Bounded towards the north-east generally by the Kairawaru Block and by unadjudicated Native land; and towards the south and south-west by Section No. 2 of the Parish of Mahinepua to the point of commencement.

Description of land: Two-thirds very broken scrub land, remainder open; situated near coast, about five miles from Whangaroa Post-office.

Cash price, 5s. per acre; occupation with right of purchase, 3d. per acre per annum; lease in perpetuity, 2'4d. per acre per annum.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this thirty-first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

*Fixing Shooting Season for Native Game, License-fee, &c.,
Buller District.*

GLASGOW, Governor.

By his Deputy,
JAMES PRENDERGAST.

IN exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and "The Animals Protection Act Amendment Act, 1881," I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby notify that Native game, excepting tui, huia, white heron, and crested grebe, may be taken or killed within the Buller District, consisting of the County of Buller, from the first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, to the thirty-first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, both inclusive (subject, nevertheless, to the restrictions in the said Acts mentioned); and I do further notify that licenses to sell Native game shall be issued on payment of the sum of five pounds each; and the Chief Postmaster at Westport is hereby appointed to issue the said licenses.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Shooting Season for Imported and Native Game, License-fee, &c., Nelson District.

GLASGOW, Governor.

By his Deputy,
JAMES PRENDERGAST.

IN exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and the Acts amending the same, I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby notify that cock pheasants and quail may be taken or killed within the Nelson District, consisting of the Counties of Waimea and Collingwood, from the first day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, to the thirty-first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, both inclusive (subject, nevertheless, to the restrictions in the said Acts mentioned). And I do further notify that licenses to take or kill game within the said district shall be issued on payment of the sum of twenty shillings each, and that licenses to sell game and native game shall be issued on payment of the sum of five pounds each; and the Chief Postmaster at Nelson is hereby appointed to sign and issue the said licenses.

And I do further declare that native game, excepting tui, huia, white heron, and crested grebe, may be taken or killed within the above-mentioned district from the first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, to the thirty-first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, both days inclusive.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Notifying Land in Marlborough for Sale by Public Auction.

GLASGOW, Governor.

By his Deputy,

JAMES PRENDERGAST.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one hundred and thirteenth section of "The Land Act, 1892," I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint Wednesday, the tenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, as the time at which the land enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall be sold by public auction at Blenheim, and I do hereby fix the price at which the said land shall be sold as that mentioned in the said Schedule hereto opposite the description of such land.

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.

Survey District.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
Gore	1	A. R. P. 3,700 0 0	£ s. d. 1,480 0 0

Weighted with £185 cost of survey, and £1,425 as valuation for improvements.

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

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Changing the Purpose of a Reserve in Wellington.

GLASGOW, Governor.

By his Deputy,

JAMES PRENDERGAST.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto was heretofore duly reserved as a reserve for travelling stock, being a reserve in Class II. of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," and such land has not been vested in trust in any society, body corporate, or trustees:

And whereas it is expedient that such reserve shall be appropriated for the purposes of a public recreation-ground, being a reserve in Class III. of the aforesaid Act:

Now, therefore, I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the second section of "The Public Reserves Act Amendment Act, 1889," do by this notification declare that the said reserve shall from and after the first day of February instant be appropriated for the purposes of a public recreation-ground under Class III. of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," and I do hereby direct that this notification shall be published in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Land District of Wellington, containing by admeasurement 8 acres 2 roods 8 perches, more or less, being Suburban Section No. 115, Township of Newman, Mangaone Survey District. Bounded on the north-east, east, and south-west by public roads, 5750 links; and on the west by a public road, 250 links: be the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the District Survey Office, Wellington.

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

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Notifying Land in Taranaki for Sale by Public Auction.

GLASGOW, Governor.
By his Deputy,
JAMES PRENDERGAST.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one hundred and thirteenth section of "The Land Act, 1892," I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint Wednesday, the third day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, as the time at which the land enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall be sold by public auction, at New Plymouth, and I do hereby fix the price at which the said land shall be sold as that mentioned in the said Schedule hereto following the description of such land.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—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.

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

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

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

GLASGOW, Governor.
By his Deputy,
JAMES PRENDERGAST.

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

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

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

FIRST-CLASS LAND.

County.	Survey District.	Section.	Block.	A. R. P.			£ s. d.			s. d.			£ s. d.										
				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	s.	d.	£	s.	d.									
Southland	Invercargill Hd.	28	XXII.	22	1	2	2	0	0	44	10	6	2	0	1	2	3	1	7	2	0	17	10
		29	"	22	3	21	2	0	0	45	15	3	2	0	1	2	11	1	7	2	0	18	4
		30	"	23	2	16	2	0	0	47	4	0	2	0	1	3	7	1	7	2	0	18	11
		32	"	23	1	16	2	0	0	46	14	0	2	0	1	3	4	1	7	2	0	18	8
		33	"	22	2	32	2	0	0	45	8	0	2	0	1	2	8	1	7	2	0	18	2
"	"	34	"	22	0	5	2	0	0	44	1	3	2	0	1	2	0	1	7	2	0	17	8

Situated near Tisbury Railway-station, on Seaward Bush Railway; land bush-clad, low-lying in places; bush only fit for firewood; distance from Invercargill, about four miles.

Southland	New River Hun.	33	VI.	118	2	16	1	5	0	148	15	0	1	3	3	14	5	1	0	2	19	7
		37	"	57	1	28	1	5	0	71	5	0	1	3	1	15	8	1	0	1	8	6

Old sawmill workings; land fairly level, soil good; distance from Woodfield, about five miles. Section 37 is burdened with valuation for improvements, £30 (consisting of fencing, £20; clearing, £10).

Southland	Wyndham ..	58	III.	75	2	30	1	0	0	76	0	0	1	0	1	18	0	0	9	6	1	10	5
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Bush land, undulating, bush of no commercial value, soil fairly good; distance from Wyndham, about seven miles.

SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Southland	Oteramika ..	10	XII.	314	1	27	0	12	6	196	5	0	0	7	4	18	2	0	6	3	18	6
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Open, low-lying, swampy land, soil poor; distance from Mokotua Railway-station, about eight miles.

Southland	Campbelltown Hundred	24	XI.	110	0	37	0	12	6	68	15	0	0	7	1	14	5	0	6	1	7	6
		25	"	136	1	4	0	12	6	85	0	0	0	7	2	2	6	0	6	1	14	0

Open, low-lying, swampy land, soil poor, level; distance from Woodend, about seven miles. Section 25 is burdened with valuation for improvements, consisting of sheds, £5.

Southland	Wyndham ..	8	XI.	225	3	37	0	10	0	113	0	0	0	6	2	16	6	0	4	8	2	5	3
		9	"	266	1	7	0	10	0	133	0	0	0	6	3	6	6	0	4	8	2	13	2

These sections are almost entirely bush-clad, consisting of spurs, well watered; about ten miles south-east of Wyndham, and four miles north of Fortification Hill.

Southland	Wakaia ..	12	IV.	200	0	0	0	15	0	150	0	0	0	9	3	15	0	0	7	2	3	0	0
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Open land, undulating, soil fairly good; distance from Wakaia Township, about eleven miles.

Wallace ..	Waiau ..	45	..	199	0	30	0	15	0	149	5	0	0	9	3	14	8	0	7	2	2	19	8
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Open undulating land, soil fairly good; distance from Otautau, about fifteen miles. This section is burdened with improvements consisting of fencing, £80; ploughing, £20; total, £100.

Wallace ..	Taringatura..	290	..	200	0	0	0	15	0	150	0	0	0	9	3	15	0	0	7	2	3	0	0
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Open undulating land, soil fairly good; distance from Wrey's Bush Township, about thirteen miles.

Wallace ..	Wairaki ..	57	..	317	1	24	0	10	6	166	8	6	0	6	4	3	3	0	5	0	4	3	6	7
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Open hilly land, soil poor; distance from Nightcaps Railway-station, about seven miles.

Southland	Campbelltown Hundred	25	V.	44	2	20	0	10	0	22	6	3	0	6	0	11	2	0	4	8	0	9	0
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Open, low-lying, swampy land, soil poor; distance about two miles from Greenhills Railway-station. This section is burdened with improvements, consisting of house, £40; fencing, £10; total, £50.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this thirty-first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

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

GLASGOW, Governor.

By his Deputy,

JAMES PRENDERGAST.

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

SCHEDULE.

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.
SECOND-CLASS LAND.										
				A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.
Southland	Hokonui	822	..	419 2 16	0 10 0	210 0 0	0 6	5 5 0	0 4 8	4 4 0
"	"	823	..	416 2 0	0 7 6	156 7 6	0 4½	3 18 2	0 3 6	3 2 7
"	Forest Hill	348	..	158 2 22	0 10 0	79 10 0	0 6	1 19 9	0 4 8	1 11 10

Sections 822 and 823, Hokonui District: Fair soil, hilly, rough and broken; Section 822 has about 75 acres of open land, and 823 about 90 acres of open land, the rest is covered with mixed bush of no commercial value. Section 348, Forest Hill Hundred: Fair soil, stony, hilly, and covered with mixed bush of no commercial value. The whole of the above sections vary in height from 200ft. to 1,400ft. above sea-level, and are about ten miles from Centre Bush Railway-station.

Southland	Hokonui	824	..	269 3 0	0 13 9	185 12 6	0 8½	4 12 10	0 6 6	3 14 3
"	"	825	..	198 0 0	0 13 9	136 2 6	0 8½	3 8 1	0 6 6	2 14 5
"	"	826	..	208 0 0	0 13 9	143 0 0	0 8½	3 11 6	0 6 6	2 17 2
"	"	827	..	210 0 0	0 13 9	144 7 6	0 8½	3 12 2	0 6 6	2 17 9
"	"	828	..	215 0 0	0 13 9	147 16 3	0 8½	3 13 11	0 6 6	2 19 1
"	"	829	..	178 2 0	0 17 2½	153 16 7	0 10 31	3 16 11	0 8½	3 1 6
"	"	830	..	225 2 0	0 17 2½	194 4 5	0 10 31	4 17 1	0 8½	3 17 8

Section 824, Hokonui District: Fair soil, hilly, rough and broken; about 60 acres of open land, the rest mixed bush of no commercial value. Sections 825 to 830, Hokonui District: Fair soil, hilly, rough and broken, covered with mixed bush of no commercial value. The whole of the above sections are from 300ft. to 800ft. above sea-level, and are distant about from eight to ten miles from Centre Bush Railway-station.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this thirty-first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Withdrawing Notice of Entry into Negotiations by Her Majesty for the Acquisition of Native Lands.

GLASGOW, Governor.

By his Deputy,

JAMES PRENDERGAST.

WHEREAS, by publication in the *New Zealand Gazette* and *Kahiti*, on the thirteenth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, and the fourth day of October respectively, His Excellency the Governor gave notices pursuant to section fourteen of "The Native Land Purchases Act, 1892," that Her Majesty had entered into negotiation, for the acquisition of (*inter alia*) the Native lands respectively mentioned in the First and Second Schedules hereto:

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that His Excellency withdraws such notice in respect of the lands mentioned in the said First and Second Schedules hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

Name of Block.	Area.	Survey Districts.	No. of Plan.	Office in which Plan is deposited.
Tikapa-a-Hinekoepka No. 1	30	Waiapu	974	Survey Office, Gisborne.
Tikapa-a-Hinekoepka No. 2	56			
Tikapa-a-Hinekoepka No. 3	216			
Tikapa-a-Hinekoepka No. 4	191			
Tikapa-a-Hinekoepka No. 5	152			
Tikapa-a-Hinekoepka No. 6	114			
Tikapa-a-Hinekoepka No. 7	55	Opoiti	873B	"
Mangapoike No. 1A	440			

SECOND SCHEDULE.

Name of Block.	Area.	Survey District.	No. of Plan.	Office in which Plan is deposited.
Whakaangi No. 3A	604	Mangaoporo and Mata-kana	1024	Survey Office, Gisborne.

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

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

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

GLASGOW, Governor.
By his Deputy,
JAMES PRENDERGAST.

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SCHEDULE.
AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

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					Per Acre.	Total Price.	Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.	Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.
SECOND-CLASS LAND.										
A. R. P. £ s. d. £ s. d. s. d. £ s. d. s. d. £ s. d.										
Hokianga	Hokianga	1	II.	249 1 0	0 12 6	155 12 6	0 7½	3 17 10	0 6	3 2 3
Part of Museum Endowment Block, near Hokianga Heads, and comprises about 100 acres mixed forest land, containing 72 good kauri trees and 140 inferior and decayed trees; balance open land.										
Hokianga	Mangamuka	12	VII.	156 0 0	0 10 0	78 0 0	0 6	1 19 0	0 4 8	1 11 3
Situated at head of Wharewharekauri Creek, adjoining Federli Settlement, and comprising two-thirds mixed forest; balance being open land of fair quality.										
B. of Is.	Omapere	2	VII.	410 0 0	0 7 6	153 15 0	0 4 5	3 16 11	0 3 6	3 1 6
Undulating inferior land, near Okaihau Settlement, and being part mixed forest and part open land.										
B. of Is.	Motatau	5	XII.	50 0 0	0 5 0	12 10 0	0 3	0 6 3	0 2 4	0 5 0
About 12 acres swamp and some kahikatea bush, balance open poor land. Situated about sixteen miles from Kawakawa.										
Whangaroa	Kaeo Parish	S.W. 62	..	60 2 30	0 5 0	15 5 0	0 3	0 7 8	0 2 4	0 6 2
Open land, with more or less swamp; about six miles from Post-office, Kaeo.										
Whangarei	Parahaki	W. 73	..	48 0 0	0 5 0	12 0 0	0 3	0 6 0	0 2 4	0 4 10
Indifferent land, partly covered with furze. Situated five miles from Whangarei.										
Whangarei	Waipu Parish	127A	..	18 0 0	0 7 6	6 15 0	0 4 5	0 3 5	0 3 6	0 2 9
Broken land, covered with tea-tree, and of inferior quality. Situated about a mile from Waipu River entrance.										
Whangarei	Purua	21	X.	46 2 15	0 5 0	11 15 0	0 3	0 5 11	0 2 4	0 4 9
		22	..	54 1 15	0 5 0	13 10 0	0 3	0 6 9	0 2 4	0 5 5
Open land, about seven miles from Whangarei, weighted for improvements as follows: Section 21, £21; Section 22, £5.										
Mangonui	Kaikaka Parish	86	..	100 0 0	0 7 6	37 10 0	0 4 5	0 18 9	0 3 6	0 15 0
Undulating to broken heavy bush land, of clay and limestone formation; well watered, and of fair quality; 40 acres of bush has been felled and burnt. Access by Fairburn Road, from Mangonui, twenty-three miles, and thirteen miles from Kaitiaki.										
Otamatea	Hukatere	3	VI.	509 3 29	0 10 0	255 0 0	0 6	6 7 6	0 4 8	5 2 0
Mixed forest and open land. Situated on Wairoa Estuary, about six miles from Matakoho.										
Manukau	Waiuku W. Parish	80	..	52 2 0	0 5 0	13 5 0	0 3	0 6 8	0 2 4	0 5 4
Open poor land, principally drift sand. Situated at Maioro, about seven miles from Waiuku.										
Manukau	Waitara Parish	S.W. 52	..	21 2 0	0 5 0	5 10 0	0 3	0 2 9	0 2 4	0 2 3
Principally drift sand, with some fern and flax. Situated about six miles from Kohokohe.										

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this eighteenth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

JOHN McKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Inspectors of Abattoirs, &c., Borough of Cambridge and Counties of Geraldine and Levels, appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 12th February, 1895.

HIS Excellency the Governor, by his Deputy, has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned persons to be Inspectors of Abattoirs and Slaughterhouses, and of cattle intended for slaughter, under "The Abattoirs and Slaughterhouses Act, 1894," within the districts set opposite their names respectively:—

Name.	District.
THOMAS HARTLEY	Borough of Cambridge.
Constable EUGENE EGAN	County of Geraldine.
Constable WILLIAM WILLOUGHBY	County of Geraldine.
Mounted-Constable ROBERT CRAWFORD	County of Levels.
Mounted-Constable JOSEPH STANLEY	County of Levels.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Clerk in Magistrate's Court appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 20th February, 1895.

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

REES ESDAILE GORING THOMAS

to be a Clerk in the Magistrate's Court at Auckland from the 13th December, 1894, vice A. R. T. Haultain, retired.
A. J. CADMAN.

Deputy Commissioner of Stamps appointed.

Head Office, Stamp Department,
Wellington, 19th February, 1895.

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

Mr. WILLIAM PARKER

to be Deputy Commissioner of Stamps at Gisborne during the absence of Mr. W. W. Beswick, on leave. This appointment to take effect on and from the 7th instant.

W. P. REEVES.

Notice of Intention to change the Purpose of Portions of Reserves in Wellington Land District.

GLASGOW, Governor.

WHEREAS by "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," it is amongst other things enacted that the Governor may declare his intention to make, change, exchange, or alter the dedication of any public reserve now or hereafter vested in Her Majesty or the Governor for any of the purposes named in Class II. of the Schedule to the said Act, whether the same be granted or not; and in the case of any reserve made under the authority of section one hundred and forty-four of "The Land Act, 1877," if it shall, in the opinion of the Governor, be expedient to change the purpose of such reserve or any part thereof from the purpose or presumed purpose for which it was set apart to any other purpose, or if it shall, in the opinion of the Governor, be expedient to exchange any of the land comprised in such reserve for other land of equal value, to be dedicated to one or more purposes named in the said Class II., the Governor may, by notice gazetted, declare his intention to make such change, exchange, or dedication, as the case may be, and in such notice declare the manner and terms in which the same is intended to be so made:

Now, therefore, I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," aforesaid, declare my intention to change the specific purpose of the portion of the reserves described in the second column of the Schedule hereto from that named in the first column of the said Schedule to that named in the third column of the said Schedule respectively.

SCHEDULE.

Description and Purpose of Original Reserve.	Portion which it is intended to change.	Intended Purpose.
All that parcel of land in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 66 acres, more or less, being Section No. 83, Block VII., Mangahao Survey District. Bounded on the north-east by Suburban Section No. 113; on the east and south-east by a public road; and on the south-west and north-west by a public road: as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the District Survey Office, Wellington. For a stock reserve. <i>New Zealand Gazette</i> of 11th April, 1889, page 370.	All that parcel of land in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 5 acres, more or less, being part of Section No. 83, Block VII., Mangahao Survey District. Bounded on the north-east by Section No. 83, 785 links; on the south-east by Section No. 83, 772 links; on the south by Section No. 83, 371 links; and on the west by a road, 1061 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the District Land and Survey Office, Wellington.	Public cemetery reserve.
All that parcel of land in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 45 acres 2 roods, more or less, being Section No. 41A, Block XI., Apiti Survey District. Bounded on the north-east by a public road, 2844 links; on the south by Section No. 15, 3372 links; and on the north-west by a public road, 3808 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the District Land and Survey Office, Wellington. For a reserve for travelling stock. <i>New Zealand Gazette</i> of 18th August, 1888, page 904.	All that parcel of land in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 5 acres, more or less, being Section No. 41B, Block XI., Apiti Survey District. Bounded on the north-east by a road, 934 links; on the south by Section No. 41A, 1107 links; and on the north-west by a road, 1254 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the District Land and Survey Office, Wellington.	Public cemetery reserve.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twenty-second day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

JOHN McKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Volunteer Officers appointed.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 14th February, 1895.

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

Timaru Naval Artillery Volunteers.

Frank Archdall Raymond to be Sub-Lieutenant.

North Otago Mounted Rifle Volunteers.

Arthur William Gillies to be Lieutenant.

Napier Rifle Volunteers.

James Porteous Thompson to be Lieutenant.

Kumara Rifle Volunteers.

Walter Evenden to be Lieutenant.

Greymouth Rifle Volunteers.

Charles George Frederick Morice to be Lieutenant.

Brunnerton Rifle Volunteers.

John Millar Langdon to be Lieutenant.

Hastings Rifle Volunteers.

Bethel Charles Ware to be Lieutenant.

The commissions of all the above officers date from the 16th January, 1895.

R. J. SEDDON.

Volunteer Officer promoted.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 18th February, 1895.

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

Captain ALFRED ROGERS,

Blenheim Rifle Volunteers, as Major on the Unattached Active List, New Zealand Volunteers. Date of commission, 13th February, 1895.

R. J. SEDDON.

Special Order of Ashburton County Council altering the Boundaries of Ridings approved by Governor.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 12th February, 1895.

THE following special order, passed by the Ashburton County Council and approved by His Excellency the Governor, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Counties Act, 1886."

P. A. BUCKLEY.

SPECIAL ORDER.

WHEREAS by virtue of the powers vested in it by "The Road Boards Act, 1882," and "The Road Boards Act 1882 Amendment Act, 1883," and of all other powers enabling it on that behalf, this Council has altered the boundaries of the Upper Ashburton Road District and the Mount Somers Road District, whereby the Upper Ashburton Riding and the Mount Somers Riding of the County of Ashburton are no longer in conformity with the provisions of section 12 of "The Counties Act, 1886":

Now, the County Council of the County of Ashburton doth hereby order that the said ridings shall be and the same are hereby altered in manner following, that is say:—

The Upper Ashburton Riding shall consist of the Upper Ashburton Road District, the boundaries whereof are defined in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 11th day of October, 1894; the Mount Somers Riding shall consist of the Mount Somers Road District, the boundaries whereof are defined in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 11th day of October, 1894, and of the Anama Road District, the boundaries whereof are defined in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 14th day of January, 1895.

I hereby certify that the above special order has been duly made by the Ashburton County Council.

As witness my hand, this 4th day of February, 1895.

F. MAINWARING,
Clerk of the Ashburton County Council.

I approve of the above special order.

GLASGOW,
Governor
By his Deputy, JAMES PRENDERGAST.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan, Pohangina County Council.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 15th February, 1895.

THE following notice, received from the Chairman of the Pohangina County Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1886."
P. A. BUCKLEY.

POHANGINA COUNTY COUNCIL.

FOLLOWING is result of poll of ratepayers on proposal to borrow £4,900 for construction of roads in Coal Creek Riding of Pohangina County:—

Ratepayers on roll, 33, representing 34 votes: Votes recorded for proposal, 21; number of ratepayers voting, 21; votes against, 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 declare the proposal to be carried.

H. J. HAYNS,
Returning Officer and Clerk.

Pohangina, 11th February, 1895.

Following is result of poll of ratepayers on proposal to borrow £300 for construction of the following work in Coal Creek Riding of Pohangina County: To construct branch road from the Terrace Road to the Oroua River, in Kiwitea County:—

Ratepayers on roll, 25, representing 25 votes: Votes recorded for proposal, 14; number of ratepayers voting, 16; votes against, 2.

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.

H. J. HAYNS,
Returning Officer and County Clerk.

Pohangina, 11th February, 1895.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 18th February, 1895.

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

MANGANUI ROAD BOARD.

RESULT of poll of ratepayers of the Rutland Road Special Area, taken on Wednesday, the 6th February, 1895, upon the proposal to raise a loan of £70, under "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886"—(1) for the purpose of completing the formation and metalling of about 30 chains of the Rutland Road, from the Mountain Road westward, and about 7 chains, more or less, from the end of the present gravel to Mr. Body's section; (2) to pay out of such loan the cost of raising it; to strike as security on this loan a special rate of 1d. in the pound over the following lands: viz., Sections 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 239, 241, 242, 243, 244, and 245, Moa Survey District:—

Number of ratepayers on special roll, 7; number of votes exercisable, 7; Number of votes recorded for the proposal, 6; no votes were recorded against the proposal.

I therefore declare the proposal carried.

J. MACKAY,
Chairman.
HENRY WATSON,
Clerk.

14th February, 1895.

Notice to Imprestees under "The Public Revenues Act, 1891."

The Treasury,
Wellington, 21st February, 1895.

EVERY officer holding advances of public money is hereby required to pay to the Public Account, at the nearest branch of the Bank of New Zealand, the unexpended balance in his hand on or before Saturday, the 30th March proximo, and forthwith to transmit to the Treasury at Wellington the Bank receipt for such repayment, together with an account of his expenditure to the same date, as required by clause 4 of the Treasury Regulations.

As respects disbursements which officers may require to make immediately after the close of the financial year, requisitions for the amount required are to be made in such time as to enable them to reach Wellington not later than the 16th March, so that the requisite funds may be placed at the disposal of the officer on the 1st April.

R. J. SEDDON,
For Colonial Treasurer.

Notice of Intention to take Land compulsorily under "The Land for Settlements Act, 1894."

NOTICE is hereby given that it is the intention of the Governor to take compulsorily, under the powers in that behalf conferred by "The Land for Settlements Act, 1894," an area of land containing 4,288 acres, more or less, being the land described in the Schedule hereto.

Notice is further given that such land is hereby classed as first-class land within the meaning of the said Act; and that the name and address of the owner of the said land are as follow, viz.:—

The New Zealand and Australian Land Company (Limited), a company incorporated in England, and carrying on business in the colony, its principal place of business in the colony being in Bond Street, Dunedin, at the office of its attorney, Thomas Brydone.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 4,288 acres, more or less, situated in Blocks I. and II., Oamaru Survey District, and being sections and parts of sections as follow: Section No. 59, part Section No. 1 of 60, Section No. 62, part Section No. 63, Section No. 64, part Section No. 65, Section No. 67, part Section No. 68, and Sections Nos. 70 and 72, all of Block I.; parts Sections Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, Sections Nos. 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, parts Sections Nos. 11 and 18, Sections Nos. 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, part Section No. 28, Sections Nos. 29, 1 of 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, parts Sections Nos. 39, 40, 43, 44, Sections Nos. 1 of 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, parts sections Nos. 53, 59, 1 of 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, Sections Nos. 66 and 1 of 67, all of Block II.; and parts of Section No. 459R, in said Oamaru Survey District: as the above area is delineated upon a plan marked S.G. 18995, deposited in the Head Office of the Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured pink.

As witness my hand, this 16th day of February, 1895.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Southland Runs classified.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 16th February, 1895.

IT is hereby notified for public information that the Commissioners appointed in pursuance of section 189 of "The Land Act, 1892," have reported to His Excellency the Governor that the lands described in the Schedule hereto have been classified by them as therein noted.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

SCHEDULE.

CLASS I.—PASTORAL LANDS, being Lands suitable exclusively for Pasturage, and not capable of being used with Profit in Areas of a Carrying-capacity of less than Five Thousand Sheep.

Run No.	Area.	Description.
6	A. 11,240	Situated in the Lake County, east of the Longburn, and south of the Lochy River, and west of Lake Wakatipu.

CLASS II.—PASTORAL AGRICULTURAL LANDS, being Lands adapted in Part for Pasturage and in Part for Agricultural Purposes, but suitable for subdivision in Areas not exceeding 5,000 Acres.

Sections Nos.	Area.	Description.
34 and 35, Block I., Wendon District	A. R. P. 80 0 33	Situated in Southland County, between the Wakaia River and the Domeburn, and south of Wakaia Township.

JOHN MCINTYRE,
ANDREW KINROSS,
G. W. WILLIAMS,
Classification Commissioners.

Bonus on Starch.—Time for receiving Applications extended.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 17th January, 1895.

IT is hereby notified that the time within which notice of intention to claim the bonus on starch must be given has been extended to the 30th April, 1895. The notification as to conditions, &c., is republished hereunder.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

BONUS ON STARCH MANUFACTURED IN NEW ZEALAND.—AMENDED NOTICE.

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

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

CONDITIONS.

1. Notice of intention to claim the bonus for 100 tons in 1893 must be given in writing to the Colonial Secretary not later than the 31st December, 1893. Notice of intention to claim the bonus for 100 tons in 1894 must be given in the same manner not later than the 31st December, 1894.

2. The claims must be made respectively before the 31st December, 1893 and 1894.

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

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

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

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

Bonus for the Manufacture of Potassium Cyanide.

Department of Industries and Commerce,
Wellington, 17th January, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given that a bonus of £1,000 will be paid for the erection of a plant and the manufacture in New Zealand of the first 200 tons of crude cyanide of potassium from colonial produce.

1. The plant must be capable of producing at least 70 tons of crude cyanide of potassium annually.

2. The crude cyanide of potassium so manufactured shall contain at least 70 per cent. of *potassium cyanide*.

3. The bonus will be paid in two equal instalments, the first instalment being payable on the production of the first 100 tons, and the second instalment on the production of the second 100 tons, of crude cyanide of potassium containing the required percentage of *potassium cyanide*.

4. On the completion of the plant, notice in writing must be sent to the Minister of Industries and Commerce, Wellington, who will appoint an officer to inspect the same, together with the raw material then available from which the cyanide of potassium is proposed to be manufactured.

5. The officer so appointed shall from time to time inspect the process of manufacture, in order that he may satisfy himself that the whole of the cyanide of potassium is being manufactured from material of New Zealand production; and before any bonus is paid such officer will be required to certify that he is satisfied the crude cyanide of potassium is the product of New Zealand material only, and that it contains the required percentage of *potassium cyanide*.

6. The bonus must be claimed for the first 100 tons on or before the 31st March, 1897, and for the second 100 tons on or before the 30th September, 1898.

J. G. WARD.

Notice of Intention to take Land for a School.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of "The West Coast Settlements Act, 1892," and "The Public Works Act, 1894," to execute a certain public work, to wit, the construction of a school, on Subdivision No. 1 of Section 59, Block I., Hawera Survey District, and for the purposes of such public work the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken; and notice is further given that the plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the Post-office at Normanby, and is there open for inspection. And notice is hereby given that all persons affected by the execution of the said public work or by the taking of the said land shall, if they have any well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public work or to the taking of such land, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the Minister for Public Works, Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

THE parcel of land mentioned hereunder:—

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land required to be taken.	Being	Situated in Block No.	Survey District of
A. R. P. 5 0 0	Subdivision No. 1 of Section No. 59	I.	Hawera.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this ninth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

W. P. REEVES,
For Minister for Public Works.

Notice to Mariners, No. 6 of 1895.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 14th February, 1895.

THE following Notice to Mariners, received from the Department of Ports and Harbours, Melbourne, Victoria, is published for general information.

W. P. REEVES,
For Minister of Marine.

PORT PHILLIP BAY.—POINT GELLIBRAND, AND BREAKWATER RAILWAY PIER, WILLIAMSTOWN.

REFERRING to Notice to Mariners dated 6th February, 1895, it is hereby notified that on and after the 4th day of March, 1895, the present Point Gellibrand Lightship will be removed, and in lieu thereof will be moored a circular light-vessel, painted red, and surmounted by a round iron tower painted white, from the top of which will be exhibited a fourth-order dioptric fixed red light, elevated 38ft. above sea-level, and visible all round the horizon in ordinary clear weather at a distance of ten nautical miles.

In foggy weather a fog-horn will be sounded and a fog-rocket fired alternately every five minutes.

It is also notified that on and after the same date—viz., 4th March, 1895—the red light shown from the outer end of the Breakwater Railway Pier, Williamstown, will be changed to white.

By order.

Harbour Office, Customs,
Melbourne, 10th January, 1895.

ALEXR. WILSON,
Port Officer.

Senior Civil Service Examination, 1895.

Education Department,
Wellington, 19th February, 1895.

THE following list of the successful candidates at the Senior Civil Service Examination held last month is published in accordance with section 11 of regulations under "The Civil Service Reform Act, 1886."

W. P. REEVES.

SENIOR CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION.

Passed with distinction—

Jenkinson, Sidney Hartley, Christchurch.
Sims, Arthur, Christchurch.
Abbott, Claude Launcelot Manners, Auckland.
Baker, William Henry, Thames.
Erasmus, John James, Thames.

Passed—

Barr, William McLean, Wellington.
Buchanan, Charles, Wellington.
Cook, Wilfrid Wulstan, Wellington.
Davies, Herbert, Wellington.
Dickson, Hugh, Dunedin.
Dixon, George Finley, Christchurch.
Dixon, Henry James, Invercargill.
Donovan, Willie, Thames.
Duncan, Archibald, Christchurch.
Fowler, James Henry, Blenheim.
Fraser, John Andrew, Invercargill.
Furkert, Frederick William, Greymouth.
Hayes, William Patrick, Christchurch.
Henderson, Henry Hugh, Wanganui.
Hirter, Herman Randolph Louis, Wellington.
Holland, Albert George, Auckland.
Jackson, Thornton, Auckland.
Johnston, William, Nelson.
Jones, Winifred, Thames.
Klingenstein, Christian Ernest, Christchurch.
McIntosh, James, Napier.
Nolan, Bessie Margaret, Thames.

O'Donnell, John Henry, Wellington.
 Rodda, George Charles, Wellington.
 Scott, Robert David, Christchurch.
 Spence, William, Wellington.
 Ussher, Edgeworth Norwood, Dunedin.
 Watson, Robert William, New Plymouth.
 White, Mary Ann, Dunedin.
 Williams, Frederick Joseph, Hokitika.
 Wilson, William, Wellington.
 Wylie, Hugh, Auckland.

Passed examination in shorthand—
 Matthews, Charles E., Wellington.
 Smyth, James Robert, Wellington.

Civil Service Junior Examination, 1895.

Education Department,
 Wellington, 20th February, 1895.

AT the Civil Service Junior Examination held last month the candidates whose names follow stand in order of merit as here shown.

The names of candidates whose marks amount to less than one-third of the maximum are not published. The marks in any subject have not been counted if they are below one-third of the maximum for the subject.

The candidates whose names are marked with an asterisk do not desire to enter the Service.

W. P. REEVES.

CIVIL SERVICE JUNIOR EXAMINATION.

1. Thompson, George Edward, Dunedin.
2. Collie, Alfred, Dunedin.
3. Meredith, Vincent Robert Sissons, Auckland.
4. { Grant, William Gordon Donaldson, Auckland.
 Wright, Frances Hannah, Auckland.
6. McCaul, George William, Wanganui.
7. Fantham, Frank Charles John, Christchurch.
8. Cook, Wilfrid Wulstan, Wellington.
9. { Erasmus, John James, Thames.
 Morling, Albert Ernest, Christchurch.
11. Robertson, Flora Bell, Auckland.
12. Thomson, Frank David, Christchurch.
13. Wylie, Hugh, Auckland.
14. { Ewart, William James, Blenheim.
 Nolan, Bessie Margaret, Thames.
16. { *Donovan, Willie, Thames.
 Fraser, John Andrew, Invercargill.
18. Fowler, James Henry, Blenheim.
19. Fraser, George Alexander, Palmerston South.
20. { Haworth, Arthur, Greymouth.
 Lewis, Harold George, Wellington.
 Sims, Arthur, Christchurch.
23. Earle, Edward Percy, Invercargill.
24. Cutler, Arthur Harry, Christchurch.
25. Gilmour, David Haddow, Dunedin.
26. { Johnston, Ralph Alexander, Dunedin.
 Roberts, Thomas Edmund, Nelson.
28. Pilkington, Frederick, Dunedin.
29. { Hayes, William Patrick, Christchurch.
 McConnon, Henry William, Kumara.
 Thompson, Allan Robert, Christchurch.
 Campbell, James, Lawrence.
32. { Jordan, John Bathurst, Dunedin.
 Malfroy, Julius Cæsar, Hokitika.
 Fanning, Leo Aloysius, Christchurch.
35. { Gillespie, John Alexander Cameron, Thames.
 Whitelaw, James Peddie, Auckland.
38. Rowley, Fortescue William Thomas, Wellington.
39. Sherratt, Walter, Lawrence.
40. { Attwood, Frederick Charles, Auckland.
 *Hall, Mary Emma, Nelson.
42. Banks, James, Christchurch.
43. { Adams, Harrie Archdall, Auckland.
 Waldie, Percy Sawtell, Greymouth.
45. Black, Thomas, Timaru.
46. { Johnson, Henry Wilson, Dunedin.
 *Potts, Sarah W., Hokitika.
48. Reilly, Bertie Vivian, Dunedin.
49. Stevenson, William James, Lawrence.
50. { Gilmore, William Forbes, Palmerston South.
 Mill, John Chalmers, Auckland.
54. { Stables, Robert Hugh, Dunedin.
 Tennant, Thomas Farquhar, Dunedin.
58. { Daly, Elizabeth Jane, Hokitika.
 Barrance, Kimpton McIntosh, Auckland.
59. { *Douglas, Clarice Allan, New Plymouth.
 Klingenstein, Christian Ernest, Christchurch.
60. { Dixon, George Finley, Christchurch.
 Paterson, Robert Hutson, Dunedin.
 Bringans, John, Dunedin.
 Hill, Reginald Walter, Wellington.
 Ongley, Frederick William, Oamaru.

63. Moon, Mark Henry, Auckland.
64. { Armstrong, Norman Graham, Wanganui.
 *Halcombe, Norman Marshall, New Plymouth.
66. { Anderson, Henry Andrew, Greymouth.
 Macdonald, Walter Curror, Dunedin.
68. Cooke, Charles Restall, Nelson.
69. Patrick, James Erskine, Dunedin.
70. { McClure, Alexander William, Auckland.
 Smith, Sydney Bach, Dunedin.
72. Jamieson, William John, Greymouth.
73. { *Bishop, Thomas Otto, Greymouth.
 Coumbe, Alfred, Greymouth.
 Gibson, Ivie Sloan, Wellington.
 *Mandeno, Harry, Auckland.
77. { *Airey, Robert Charles, Auckland.
 Cumming, Ernest John Robert, Dunedin.
78. { *Jones, Winifred, Thames.
 Moore, Stuart Alexander, Dunedin.
81. Gollan, Walter, Auckland.
82. { Hunter, William James, Auckland.
 Lewis, Herbert, Invercargill.
 *Walls, Mary, Dunedin.
85. McNab, Charles Daniel, Lawrence.
86. Cormack, Henrietta, Lawrence.
87. Robinson, Ernest Crellin, New Plymouth.
88. *Donald, Agnes Maria, Auckland.
89. { Boyce, Charles George Morton, Nelson.
 Harman, Philip Rivers, Christchurch.
91. { Aickin, Reginald Arthur, Auckland.
 Mawson, John, Dunedin.
93. Willett, Neill Malcolm Campbell, Dunedin.
94. { Gray, Reginald Arthur, Christchurch.
 Greig, Ivy Constance, Dunedin.
 Law, Christina Morrison, Dunedin.
 Pretsch, Frederick James, Cromwell.
 McLeod, James, Dunedin.
98. { McLeod, Mary Anderson, Invercargill.
 Slowey, Rose, Westport.
 Allen, James Alexander, Invercargill.
101. Littlejohn, Arthur, Dunedin.
104. { Rae, Elizabeth, Auckland.
 Littlejohn, John, Dunedin.
105. { Clarke, James, Palmerston South.
 Dawson, Thomas Henry, Auckland.
 Wall, William Patrick, Kumara.
108. Dennehy, Daniel, Westport.
109. { Moir, Ernest Park, Dunedin.
 *Morrish, George Haymes, Kumara.
 *Thompson, Emily Jane, Wellington.
112. { Mulville, Neptune Roe, Napier.
 *Price, Norman William, Auckland.
114. { Armstead, James, Dunedin.
 Brass, James Hay, Invercargill.
115. { *Brown, Ethel Mary, New Plymouth.
 Cousins, Philip Sidney, Auckland.
 McKenzie, Robert, Dunedin.
119. McQueen, James Baron, Dunedin.
120. { *Abbott, Reginald Montague Vane, Auckland.
 Brown, Ernest Harrington, Invercargill.
 Dent, Alice Maude, Charleston.
121. Harrop, Arthur, Dunedin.
125. { *Langsford, Leila Violet, Auckland.
 Crowley, Honora, Hokitika.
129. { *Lusk, Mildred Alice Butler, Auckland.
 Mitchell, Boyd Thomson, Christchurch.
 *Thomas, Richard Edward, New Plymouth.
130. { Burns, Hector Kenneth, Auckland.
 Broadbent, William, Dunedin.
132. { *Grumitt, Robert Amos, Oamaru.
 Adams, Haslett Erne, Auckland.
134. { *Lynch, Francis James, Greymouth.
 Jenkins, Thomas Henry, Dunedin.
136. { *Ruthven, Agnes, Auckland.
 Farmer, Alexander Imrie, Auckland.
138. { Owens, Owen, Greymouth.
 *McKellar, Ina, Dunedin.
139. Gillies, William James, Thames.
140. { Benzoni, Frances Eleanor Sophia, Wellington.
 *Houlahan, John, Hokitika.
141. { Leslie, George Wallace, Wellington.
 *Nichols, William Edward, Wellington.
 Williams, John, Greymouth.
145. Tanner, Walter Alfred, Wellington.
146. Hales, Everett Olive, Wellington.
147. { Glaister, William David Murray, Dunedin.
 McCarthy, Andrew Paul, Auckland.
149. { *Hales, Ethelbert Dunlop, Wellington.
 *Tasker, Annie Harriett, Wellington.
151. *Cranwell, Ruskin Barritt, Auckland.
153. { Wood, Frederick William, Christchurch.
 *Dungan, Katie, Napier.
155. { *Peterson, Jonas Frederick, Westport.
 *Kinney, Katie, Christchurch.
 Neville, Robert Yorke, Dunedin.

157. { Fitzgerald, John, Hokitika.
Teixeira, William George, Auckland.
159. { *Field, Albert Thurlow, Auckland.
Ker, David George, Dunedin.
162. { Wood, William George, Wellington.
Mueller, Arthur James, Auckland.
163. *Sceats, John Robert, Auckland.
164. Keating, Thomas, Greymouth.
165. Connell, John, Dunedin.
166. { McMurtrie, John, Dunedin.
Smith, Thomas Marshall, Dunedin.
168. McLaren, Ella, Dunedin.
169. { Basley, Percy Herbert, Auckland.
Scott, John Benjamin, Dunedin.
171. Burke, Clara, Hokitika.
172. Wight, Frank, Christchurch.
173. { Loftus, Peter Ernest, Wanganui.
*Smith, William, Christchurch.
175. { Linklater, Joseph, Hokitika.
*McDonald, Alexander Francis, Timaru.
177. Atkinson, Herbert Swainson, Auckland.
178. { McGowan, Felix Joseph, Timaru.
Cooper, John Gunn, Timaru.
179. { *Goodwin, Winifred, Auckland.
Hurst, Ebenezer Alfred, Timaru.
Parkinson, Harry, Auckland.
183. { Fraser, Anne Beatrice, Auckland.
McIntosh, Robert, Lawrence.
185. Rouliston, Thomas Sinclair, Napier.
186. *Mara, Thomas O., Timaru.
187. { *Arkle, William Calcutt, Palmerston South.
Heyward, William Leonard, Nelson.
Provo, Gertrude Howe, Dunedin.
192. { *Simon, Margaret Jane, Dunedin.
Ziesler, Kaja, Timaru.
193. { Hill, John, Kumara.
Birrell, John Andrew, Oamaru.
196. { *Gavin, Harold A., Wellington.
McNeil, Thomas Borthwick, Dunedin.
Goodwin, Colin, Christchurch.
Kelly, Patrick James, Hokitika.
196. { King, John Edward, Auckland.
Leys, Charles Clifton, Auckland.
*McDonell, Alexander W., Invercargill.
202. *McRae, Teresa, Christchurch.
202. *O'Connor, Margaret, Greymouth.
203. *Wafer, Margaret, Christchurch.
204. { Rayne, Henry, Oamaru.
Takle, William, Auckland.
207. { Walshe, Elizabeth, Westport.
Walker, Charles Edward, Auckland.
208. { O'Leary, Denis, Auckland.
*Renshaw, Emma Brailsford, Thames.
210. Power, John, Greymouth.
211. { Costelloe, Andrew, Dunedin.
McIntosh, Charles Langley, Auckland.
213. Madden, Patrick Edward, Kumara.
214. { Pavitt, Harold Hastings, Greymouth.
Green, Bertram Martin, Auckland.
215. { *Peacocke, Raleigh Francis Egerton, Auckland.
Pemberton, Bertram Victor, Christchurch.
218. { Adams, Russell Gerald William, Blenheim.
O'Donnell, Henry Michael, Dunedin.
Falkiner, Richard, Invercargill.
220. { Hastings, Mary Gabriella, Dunedin.
*Sainsbury, Claud Russell, Napier.
223. { *Gallagher, Annie, Wellington.
Stedman, Arthur Lancelot, Timaru.
225. { McKeown, Patrick, Auckland.
*Remshardt, Ida May, Dunedin.
227. { Connor, Johanna, Dunedin.
Taylor, Arthur, Auckland.
229. { Graham, Charles Thomas, Christchurch.
Sunaway, Laura Ella, Timaru.
231. McAffer, Archibald Godfrey, Auckland.
232. Beale, Edwin Grey, Auckland.
233. { Haddrell, Walter Edward Frank, Christchurch.
McMillan, John Henry, Greymouth.
235. { Campbell, Richard William Herbert, Wellington.
*Cave, Winifred Maud, Auckland.
Duthie, Robert Alexander, Dunedin.
238. { *Gallagher, Bernard, Wellington.
*Jerram, James Havelock, Auckland.
Miles, Hugh, Dunedin.
241. { Allen, Herbert Edmund, Dunedin.
Walker, James, Nelson.
244. { Wooller, Harold James, Auckland.
Crabtree, Mabel, Auckland.
246. { Nalder, George Eustace, Christchurch.
Hutton, Robert Hogg, Dunedin.
248. { *Nolan, Leslie Adams, Dunedin.
Robinson, Haidee E. H. K., Dunedin.
249. Grigor, Agnes Bertha, Dunedin.

250. { Rishworth, Leonard Sydney, Nelson.
Sherriff, James Alexander, Dunedin.
252. { Hogan, James Thomas, Wanganui.
*Minifie, Charles Frederick N., Dunedin.
254. { Cook, William Reginald, Dunedin.
Linklater, Henry, Hokitika.

Notice as to the Day for closing under "The Shops and Shop-assistants Act, 1894."

WHEREAS the local authorities respectively mentioned in the first column of the Schedule hereto have duly notified to me that the days upon which the shops in their respective districts shall be closed, pursuant to the provisions of "The Shops and Shop-assistants Act, 1894," are the days set opposite their respective names in the second column of the said Schedule: Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred upon me by the said Act, I, William Pember Reeves, Minister of Labour, do hereby appoint that the said respective days shall be the days upon which all shops within the said respective districts shall be closed.

SCHEDULE.

Picton	Wednesday.
Cromwell	Wednesday.
Tolago Bay	Wednesday.

Dated at Wellington, this 20th day of February, 1895.

W. P. REEVES,
Minister of Labour.

Commissioner's Decisions under Tariff Acts.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Wellington, 20th February, 1895.

IN Commissioner's Order No. 508, page 296 of *Gazette* No. 12, of 14th February, the items—

"Bottoms, of iron, unfinished, for boiler-fitters,"
"Spouts and tops, of iron, unfinished, for boiler-fitters,"

should read—

"Bottoms, of iron, unfinished, for boiler-fillers,"
"Spouts and tops, of iron, unfinished, for boiler-fillers."

W. T. GLASGOW,
Secretary and Inspector.

Civil Service Senior Examination.

Education Department,
Wellington, 24th September, 1894.

IN pursuance of regulations under "The Civil Service Reform Act, 1886," notice is hereby given that for the Senior Examination of January, 1896, the period of literature will be the first half of the nineteenth century, and the special books will be Carlyle's "Sartor Resartus" and Milton's "Samson Agonistes."

W. P. REEVES,
Minister of Education.

Notice.—Section 118, Native Land Court Act, 1894.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 28th January, 1895.

THE attention of all persons interested is directed to section 118 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," which provides that *bonâ fide* transactions in Native lands may be completed under certain restrictions. All claims under this section must be notified as required by the Act and the rules made thereunder, before the 23rd day of April next, otherwise they will be excluded. Copies of the rules affecting such claims, and all other necessary information, may be obtained at any of the offices of the Native Land Court.

By order.
C. J. A. HASELDEN,
Under-Secretary.

Officiating Ministers for 1895.—Notice No. 5.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 20th February, 1895.

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

Congregational Independents.

The Reverend Duncan McNaughton.

GEO. DRURY,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Notice by Public Trustee under "The Unclaimed Lands Act, 1894."

In the matter of a parcel of land, containing 1 rood, more or less, being Subdivision 14A of Suburban Section 21 of the Town of Napier, in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, the last known owner of which was Albert Munday, described as of Napier, settler, who cannot now be found. This land is in the occupation of Mr. John Fulford, sen.

WHEREAS the Public Trustee has reason to believe that the above-described land has no known owner, and he, having instituted inquiry, has not ascertained who the owner is, and believes such owner is not in the colony:

Now, this is to give notice to the owner of the above-described land that, unless within six months from the date of the publication of this notice in the *New Zealand Gazette* the owner of the above-described land establishes his title thereto to the satisfaction of the Public Trustee, the Public Trustee will exercise the powers and authorities granted in "The Unclaimed Lands Act, 1894."

Dated this 14th day of February, 1895.

J. K. WARBURTON,
Public Trustee.

Notice by Public Trustee under "The Unclaimed Lands Act, 1894."

In the matter of a parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 40 acres, more or less, being eastern part of Allotment 96, in the Parish of Awhitu, in the Provincial District of Auckland—bounded on the north and north-east by a road, 1190, 114, and 1881 links; on the south-east by a road, 533, 265, 297, 497, and 880 links; and on the west by the other part of Allotment 96, 3416 links—of which the last-known owner is Benjamin Greenwood, whose whereabouts is unknown.

WHEREAS the Public Trustee has reason to believe that the above-described land has no known owner, and he, having instituted inquiry, has not ascertained who the owner is, and believes such owner is not in the colony:

Now, this is to give notice to the owner of the above-described land that, unless within six months from the date of the publication of this notice in the *New Zealand Gazette* the owner of the above-described land establishes his title thereto to the satisfaction of the Public Trustee, the Public Trustee will exercise the powers and authorities granted in "The Unclaimed Lands Act, 1894."

Dated this 19th day of February, 1895.

J. K. WARBURTON,
Public Trustee.

Notice by Public Trustee under "The Unclaimed Lands Act, 1894."

In the matter of a parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 50 acres, more or less, being Section 92, Parish of Waioeka, Opotiki Survey District, in the Provincial District of Auckland, of which the grantee is Philip Hellkessel, of whom nothing can be ascertained.

WHEREAS the Public Trustee has reason to believe that the above-described land has no known owner, and he, having instituted inquiry, has not ascertained who the owner is, and believes such owner is not in the colony:

Now, this is to give notice to the owner of the above-described land that, unless within six months from the date of the publication of this notice in the *New Zealand Gazette* the owner of the above-described land establishes his title thereto to the satisfaction of the Public Trustee, the Public Trustee will exercise the powers and authorities granted in "The Unclaimed Lands Act, 1894."

Dated this 19th day of February, 1895.

J. K. WARBURTON,
Public Trustee.

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

Public Trust Office,
Wellington, 19th February, 1895.

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 herereunder respectively set forth, their gross properties being estimated not to exceed £250 in each case.

John Lake Haynes, late of Hautapu, in the Provincial District of Auckland, labourer. Filed on the 13th day of February, 1895.

John Mander, late of Fairlie, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, accountant. Filed on the 13th day of February, 1895.

Patrick Carrick, late of Woodville, in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, labourer. Filed on the 13th day of February, 1895.

Thomas Gittins, late of Spring Creek, in the Provincial District of Marlborough, labourer. Filed on the 13th day of February, 1895.

Maki or Mete, late of Auckland, in the Provincial District of Auckland, seaman. Filed on the 13th day of February, 1895.

Carl Carlson, late of Port Chalmers, in the Provincial District of Otago, seaman. Filed on the 4th day of February, 1895.

J. K. WARBURTON,
Public Trustee.

Hokitika Savings-bank Balance-sheet for 1894.

RECEIPTS and Payments of the Hokitika Savings-bank for the Year ending 31st December, 1894.

RECEIPTS.		£	s.	d.
Cash in bank, 31st December, 1893,—				
Fixed deposits .. .. .	..	1,800	0	0
Open account with Bank of New Zealand..	..	417	6	3
Amount lodged by depositors .. .. .	..	3,311	18	4
Interest credited during year .. .. .	..	14	13	0
Interest credited, 31st December, 1894 ..	..	441	0	0
Interest on mortgages .. .. .	..	879	7	8
Interest from bank on deposits .. .. .	..	52	16	9
Mortgages repaid .. .. .	..	2,597	7	9
		<u>£9,514</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>9</u>

PAYMENTS.		£	s.	d.
Repaid depositors .. .. .	..	4,915	15	7
Interest credited depositors .. .. .	..	455	13	0
Charges .. .. .	..	207	6	6
Invested on mortgage .. .. .	..	1,738	9	8
Cash in Bank of New Zealand—				
On fixed deposits .. .. .	..	1,150	0	0
On open account .. .. .	..	1,047	5	0
		<u>£9,514</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>9</u>

WM. DUNCAN, Manager.

Audited and found correct.

R. W. WADE, Auditor.

24th January, 1894.

We certify that we have examined the above statement of receipts and payments of the Hokitika Savings-bank, and that, to the best of our belief, it contains a true and correct statement of the transactions of the bank during the year, and that the cash balance (deposited in the Bank of New Zealand, as above) amounts to £2,197 5s.

JAS. A. BONAR, Vice-President.
JAMES CHESNEY,
JAMES HOLMES,
H. L. ROBINSON,
D. MACFARLANE, } Trustees.

ASSETS and LIABILITIES of the Hokitika Savings-bank on the 31st December, 1894.

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Amount invested on mortgage .. .. .	..	10,562	7	8
Bank premises and office furniture .. .. .	..	81	1	6
Cash in Bank of New Zealand—				
On fixed deposits .. .. .	..	1,150	0	0
On open account .. .. .	..	1,047	5	0
		<u>£12,840</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>2</u>

To balance, excess of assets over liabilities .. £3,251 14 11

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Amount due depositors (515 in number) ..	..	9,588	19	3
Balance .. .. .	..	3,251	14	11
		<u>£12,840</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>2</u>

WM. DUNCAN, Manager.

Audited and found correct.

R. W. WADE, Auditor.

24th January, 1895.

We certify that, to the best of our belief, the above is a true and correct statement of the assets and liabilities of the Hokitika Savings-bank as at the 31st December, 1894.

JAS. A. BONAR, Vice-President.
JAMES CHESNEY,
JAMES HOLMES,
H. L. ROBINSON,
D. MACFARLANE, } Trustees.

Nelson Savings-bank Balance-sheet for 1894.

STATEMENT of the Accounts of the Nelson Savings-Bank, 31st December, 1894:—

	£	s.	d.
To Cash balance from last year	2,690	18	6
Deposits during year	5,217	9	3
Interest received on mortgages and fixed deposits	813	1	9
Mortgages and fixed deposits repaid	2,589	0	4
Rents received	153	17	6
Insurances repaid	21	10	6
Total	£11,485	17	10

	£	s.	d.
By Amount repaid depositors	7,297	1	9
Interest paid on closed accounts	40	19	3
Amount invested fixed deposit	2,000	0	0
Insurances protected	20	1	0
Charges Account	174	3	9
Repairs to properties	49	10	10
Insurances on properties	33	17	9
Rates and taxes on properties	36	18	1
Cash in Bank of New Zealand	1,833	5	5
Total	£11,485	17	10

A. A. SCAIFE,
Manager.

We hereby certify that we have examined the above statement, with the books and vouchers of the Nelson Savings-bank, and find the same correct, and that the sum of £1,833 5s. 5d. stands to the credit of the account at the Bank of New Zealand, Nelson.

AMBROSE E. MOORE, } Auditors.
R. B. JACKSON, }

STATEMENT of ASSETS and LIABILITIES of the NELSON SAVINGS-BANK, 31st December, 1894.

	£	s.	d.
To Amount due 939 depositors, interest included	19,398	6	9
Outstanding accounts (Secretary, 2 months' salary)	25	0	0
Balance	1,074	4	4
Total	£20,497	11	1

	£	s.	d.
By Mortgage securities and freehold properties	16,937	13	11
Interest on mortgages due and accrued	505	15	3
Balance Insurance Account	0	2	6
Bank premises	£1,772	14	8
Less amount written off	572	14	8
Total	£20,497	11	1

A. A. SCAIFE,
Manager.

We hereby certify that we have examined the above statement, with the books and vouchers of the bank, and find the same correct, and that the mortgage securities and freehold properties are in full force and virtue, and that the amount of £1,833 5s. 5d. stands to the credit of the account at the Bank of New Zealand, Nelson.

AMBROSE E. MOORE, } Auditors.
R. B. JACKSON, }

PROFIT and LOSS ACCOUNT of the NELSON SAVINGS-BANK for the Year ending 31st December, 1894.

	£	s.	d.
To Interest paid depositors	£40	19	3
Interest credited depositors	884	13	4
Total	925	12	7
Charges Account	174	3	9
Repairs to properties	49	10	10
Insurances on properties	33	17	9
Rates and taxes on properties	36	18	1
Outstanding account	25	0	0
Balance	1,074	4	4
Total	£2,319	7	4

	£	s.	d.
By Balance, 1st Jan., 1894	£1,867	8	3
Less Amount written off properties	593	14	4
Total	1,273	13	11
Interest received on mortgages and fixed deposits	£813	1	9
Rent received	153	17	6
Interest and rent due and accrued	505	15	3
Total	1,472	14	6
Less due and accrued, 1893	427	1	1
Total	1,045	13	5
Balance	£2,319	7	4

A. A. SCAIFE, Manager.
AMBROSE E. MOORE, } Auditors.
R. B. JACKSON, }
H. EDWARDS, Vice-President.
J. WILSON, } Trustees.
D. WINTON, }
JOHN SHARP, }
THOMAS FIELD, }

Trade-union registered.

Friendly Societies' Registry Office,
Wellington, 18th February, 1895.

THE Wellington Eight-hour Federated Union, situated at Wellington, is registered as a trade-union under "The Trade-union Act, 1878," this 18th day of February, 1895.
EDMUND MASON,
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

Government Observatory.

METEOROLOGICAL Observations, Wellington, for the month of January, 1895. Altitude above the sea, 140ft. Observations taken at 9.30 a.m.

Date.	Barometer reduced and corrected, in Inches.	From Self-registering Instruments, for Twenty-four Hours previously.					Terrestrial Radiation.	Rainfall, in Inches.	Veloc. Wind, in Miles.	Amount of Cloud, 0 to 10.	Direction of Wind.
		Max. Temp. in Shade.	Min. Temp. in Shade.	Mean Temp. in Shade.	Solar Radiation.	Fah.					
1	30-050	72-0	62-0	67-0	120	55	200	130	6	N.W.	
2	30-099	76-5	61-0	68-7	100	50	970	100	7	N.W.	
3	30-213	78-5	55-0	66-7	96	43	1-150	135	7	S.E.	
4	30-206	63-0	55-0	59-0	120	42	0-10	205	3	S.E.	
5	30-101	69-0	56-0	62-5	132	43	..	138	2	Calm	
6	29-900	75-0	61-0	68-0	140	50	..	150	4	N.W.	
7	29-939	77-0	66-0	71-5	143	54	..	100	5	N.	
8	29-735	73-0	64-0	68-5	130	52	..	200	4	N.W.	
9	29-806	75-0	58-0	66-5	133	47	2-250	218	9	S.E.	
10	30-018	67-0	53-0	60-0	79	41	500	320	8	S.E.	
11	30-048	60-0	54-0	57-0	75	44	0-050	300	7	S.E.	
12	29-892	70-0	59-0	64-5	110	48	760	70	6	N.	
13	29-950	75-0	57-0	66-0	130	50	008	200	5	N.W.	
14	29-842	76-0	64-0	70-0	140	56	..	250	4	N.W.	
15	29-878	77-0	61-0	69-0	136	46	..	110	3	E.	
16	29-670	78-0	62-3	70-1	140	50	030	240	3	N.W.	
17	29-870	77-0	54-0	65-5	142	38	..	220	3	N.W.	
18	29-692	73-0	59-7	66-3	137	45	..	410	5	N.W.	
19	29-800	68-0	50-0	59-0	142	35	070	150	4	N.W.	
20	29-830	67-0	52-5	59-7	135	49	..	300	4	N.W.	
21	30-160	72-0	50-0	61-0	139	43	..	250	4	S.E.	
22	30-300	66-0	47-0	56-5	138	36	..	270	3	S.E.	
23	30-354	68-0	50-0	59-0	130	40	..	200	3	Calm	
24	30-420	74-0	56-0	65-0	130	39	..	60	3	Calm	
25	30-315	79-0	61-1	70-0	139	42	..	140	2	N.W.	
26	30-135	74-0	61-5	67-7	127	46	..	310	3	N.W.	
27	30-050	74-0	60-0	67-0	140	50	..	400	3	S.E.	
28	29-992	74-0	57-0	65-5	145	51	..	200	4	S.	
29	29-840	75-0	62-7	68-8	135	46	..	170	2	N.W.	
30	29-740	78-0	59-0	68-5	130	42	..	180	4	N.W.	
31	29-654	70-0	55-0	62-5	116	37	045	420	2	N.W.	
*	29-983	72-6	57-5	65-0	127-3	45-4	6-043	211	4-2	..	
†	29-862	..	..	62-6	..	..	3-905 9 days	..	..	..

* Means. † Same month previous years.

NOTE.—Heavy rain during early part of month, with prevailing south-easterly winds; 1-15in. rain recorded on 3rd, and 2-25in. on 9th; still showery up to 12th, after which generally fine pleasant weather, with moderate wind prevailing from N.W. Maximum temperature in shade 79°, and minimum 47°; mean temperature of dew-point, 55°-7; mean humidity, 72.
R. B. GORE, Observer.

Crown Lands Notices.

Sale of Education Reserves, New Plymouth.

Lands and Survey Office,
New Plymouth, 8th January, 1895.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned education reserves in the Town of New Plymouth will be offered for sale by public auction, at this office, on Wednesday, 13th March, 1895, at noon.

SCHEDULE.

Part Section 1523, about 8½ perches. Upset price, £5.

1572,	"	"	"
1666,	"	"	"
1548,	"	"	"
1597,	"	"	"

One-fifth of the purchase-money must be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the balance, together with the transfer-fee, within thirty days, or the deposit will be forfeited. Plans of the sections may be seen at this office, where any other particulars may be obtained.

JOHN STRAUCHON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Rural Lands, Wellington, for Sale by Public Auction for Cash.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 8th January, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of "The Land Act, 1892," that the under-mentioned sections will be put up to auction at Eketahuna, at the upset price noted opposite each section, on Tuesday, the 5th day of March, 1895.

SCHEDULE.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.	Upset Price per Section.
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KOPUARANGA DISTRICT.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
211	2 0 32	1 5 0	2 15 0
212	2 2 32	1 5 0	3 7 6
15	42 0 0	2 0 0	84 0 0

Section 15, Block III., is situated at the junction of Dreyer's Rock and Barton Roads, eastward of Mauriceville Railway-station, and consists of undulating land, with good soil, the formation being clay, papa, and sandstone. The timber is chiefly rimu, rata, tawa, hinau, &c., with an undergrowth of supplejack, rangiora, &c.

41	VI.	158 0 0	2 0 0	316 0 0
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This section lies to the eastward of the Mauriceville Railway-station, from which it is distant about seven miles and a half, and is approached therefrom partly by dray- and partly by horse-roads. The section consists of fair to good soil on a limestone and papa formation, and is covered with mixed bush.

HASTWELL VILLAGE SETTLEMENT.

20	..	0 3 32	..	5 0 0
22	..	0 2 32	..	5 0 0
25	..	0 3 20	..	5 0 0
29	..	1 0 0	..	5 0 0

The Hastwell Village Settlement is situated on the main coach-road from Masterton to Eketahuna, and adjacent to the Wi Waka Section of the Wellington-Napier Railway. It is about two miles from Mangamahoe, nine miles from Eketahuna, and twenty-one miles from Masterton.

MANGAMAHOE VILLAGE SETTLEMENT.

12	..	1 0 0	..	5 0 0
13	..	1 0 0	..	5 0 0
14	..	1 0 0	..	5 0 0

This village is situated at the railway-station in the Kopuaranga District, Forty-mile Bush.

JOHN H. BAKER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Important Sale of Town and Suburban Sections in the Townships of Mangaweka (or Three-log Whare) and Taihape, situated in the southern part of the Awarua Block.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of "The Land Act, 1892," that the under-mentioned township and suburban sections will be submitted to public auction at Ohingaiti, on Wednesday, the 13th day of March, 1895, at 11 o'clock a.m.

SCHEDULE.
WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price, exclusive of Improvements.	Valuation for Improvements to be added.
MANGAWEKA TOWNSHIP.			
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1	0 1 0	6 0 0	0 7 6
2	0 1 0	6 0 0	0 7 6
3	0 1 0	6 0 0	0 7 6
4	0 1 0	6 0 0	0 7 6
5	0 1 0	7 10 0	2 7 6
6	0 1 0	7 10 0	0 7 6
7	0 1 0	7 10 0	2 0 0
9	0 1 0	7 0 0	..
10	0 1 0	7 0 0	..
11	0 1 0	6 0 0	..
12	0 1 0	7 0 0	0 7 6
14	0 1 0	7 10 0	0 7 6
15	0 1 0	7 10 0	..
16	0 1 0	7 10 0	0 7 6
17	0 1 0	7 10 0	..
20	0 1 0	7 10 0	2 7 6
22	0 1 0	15 0 0	173 0 0
23	0 1 0	10 0 0	2 10 0
24	0 1 0	15 0 0	2 10 0
25, 27	0 2 0	15 0 0	30 0 0
26	0 1 0	7 10 0	2 10 0
28	0 1 0	7 10 0	..
29	0 1 0	7 10 0	..
30	0 1 0	7 10 0	..
32	0 1 0	7 10 0	..
33	0 1 0	7 10 0	..
34	0 1 0	7 10 0	..
35	0 1 0	7 10 0	..
36	0 1 0	7 10 0	..
37	0 1 0	7 10 0	..
38	0 1 0	7 10 0	..
39	0 1 0	10 0 0	..
41	0 1 0	10 0 0	..
42	0 1 0	10 0 0	..
45, 47	0 2 0	14 0 0	28 0 0
46	0 1 0	7 0 0	4 10 0
48	0 1 0	7 0 0	15 10 0
49	0 1 0	7 0 0	0 5 0
50	0 1 20	8 10 0	10 0 0
51	0 1 0	7 10 0	..
53	0 1 0	5 0 0	..
55	0 1 0	5 0 0	..
57	0 1 0	5 0 0	..
59	0 1 0	5 0 0	..
65	0 1 0	10 0 0	..
67	0 1 26	10 0 0	..
119	0 2 7	12 10 0	..
79	0 1 0	10 0 0	..
83	0 1 0	7 0 0	0 5 0
85	0 1 0	7 0 0	0 7 6
87	0 1 0	7 0 0	0 10 0
89	0 1 0	7 0 0	0 10 0
91, 93	0 2 7	14 0 0	5 0 0
95	0 2 0	10 0 0	0 15 0
96	0 2 0	10 0 0	0 15 0
MANGAWEKA SUBURBAN.			
1	1 0 24	12 10 0	..
2	1 0 0	10 0 0	..
3	1 0 0	10 0 0	..
4	1 0 0	10 0 0	..
5	1 0 0	10 0 0	..
6	1 0 0	10 0 0	..
7	1 0 0	10 0 0	..
8	2 0 0	17 10 0	..
9	1 0 0	7 10 0	..
10	3 0 0	20 0 0	..
11	3 2 0	20 0 0	..
13	4 0 37	25 0 0	3 0 0
14	3 0 0	17 10 0	..
15	5 0 20	25 0 0	..
16	4 3 0	24 0 0	..
17	4 3 0	24 0 0	..
18	5 2 32	22 0 0	..
19	4 0 0	18 0 0	..
107, 110	2 3 33	15 0 0	3 0 0
108	1 2 0	10 0 0	2 0 0
109	1 1 11	12 10 0	..
111	1 0 32	10 10 0	1 0 0
112	1 1 5	12 10 0	3 0 0
114	2 0 26	15 0 0	..
115	1 0 0	12 10 0	1 10 0
116	1 3 19	15 0 0	..
117	1 2 9	15 0 0	..
118	1 0 30	20 0 0	20 0 0

Mangaweka, formerly known as Three-log Whare, is situated on the Main North Island Inland Road and railway-line, the latter being opened as far as Mangaonoho, distant about twelve miles.

The township itself is situated at the junction of the road now under construction to Pemberton and the special settlements to the eastward, and will eventually be the main outlet to a very large area on the eastern side of the Rangitikei River.

The land is level (with the exception of that near the railway-line), of good quality, and the whole has originally been heavily timbered. Clearings, buildings, and other improvements have, however, been made in both the town and suburbs, and the sections affected are weighted with the values of these. That portion of the township which yet remains to be felled is now being done at the expense of the Government.

TAIHAPE TOWNSHIP.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price per Allotment.	
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.
		A. R. P.		
1	I.	0 1 0	12	10 0
2	"	0 1 0	8	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	0 0
8	"	0 1 0	6	0 0
9	"	0 1 0	6	0 0
2	II.	0 1 0	8	10 0
3	"	0 1 0	7	10 0
4	"	0 1 0	7	10 0
5	"	0 1 0	7	10 0
6	"	0 1 0	7	10 0
7	"	0 1 0	7	0 0
8	"	0 1 0	6	0 0
1	III.	0 1 0	10	0 0
2	"	0 1 0	7	10 0
4	"	0 1 0	7	10 0
5	"	0 1 0	8	10 0
6	"	0 1 0	12	10 0
1	IV.	0 1 0	10	0 0
3	"	0 1 0	7	10 0
4	"	0 1 0	7	10 0
5	"	0 1 0	8	10 0
1	V.	0 1 0	10	0 0
2	"	0 1 0	7	10 0
4	"	0 1 0	7	10 0
5	"	0 1 0	10	0 0
2	VI.	0 1 0	7	10 0
3	"	0 1 0	7	10 0
4	"	0 1 0	7	10 0
5	"	0 1 0	10	0 0
1	VII.	0 1 0	10	0 0
2	"	0 1 0	6	0 0
1	VIII.	0 1 0	7	10 0
2	"	0 1 0	5	0 0
3	"	0 1 0	5	0 0
4	"	0 1 0	6	0 0
5	"	0 1 0	10	0 0

The sections being offered form a part only of the township, which it is intended to offer later on. It is situated on the main inland road from Hunterville, near the Hautapu River crossing, in the Awarua Block, and will probably form an important centre when the large areas of Crown and Native lands in the Awarua Block become settled upon. The proposed North Island Railway has been surveyed through the township.

TERMS OF SALE.

One-fifth of the purchase-money, together with the amount with which the section is weighted for improvements (if any), to be paid at the close of the auction, and the balance, together with £1 Crown-grant fee, within thirty days, or the deposit will be forfeited. There are no restrictions or limitations imposed upon purchasers of these sections.

JOHN H. BAKER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Village-homestead Lands in the Cheviot Estate open for Selection.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Christchurch, 8th January, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned village-homestead allotments, situate in the Cheviot Estate, will be open for selection upon the terms and conditions stated hereunder on and after Wednesday, 6th March, 1895.

SCHEDULE.
CHEVIOT COUNTY.
First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Price.		Lease in Perpetuity.	
			Per Acre.	Total Price.	Rent Per Acre.	Half yearly Rent.

HOMEVIEW VILLAGE.

Lowry Peaks Survey District.

A. R. P. £ s. d. £ s. d. s. d. £ s. d.
16 | XII. | 5 0 0 | 12 0 0 | 60 0 0 | 12 0 | 1 10 0
About 200ft. above sea-level; flat agricultural land, 12in. to 18in. black soil; good English grass; bounded in parts by plantation and quick hedge; no water visible.

Cheviot Survey District.

31 | VII. | 5 0 0 | 12 0 0 | 60 0 0 | 12 0 | 1 10 0
38 | " | 5 0 0 | 12 0 0 | 60 0 0 | 12 0 | 1 10 0
About 200ft. above sea-level; flat agricultural land, 9in. to 15in. of rich soil, in good English grass. Section 31 has a small permanent spring.

5 | VII. | 40 0 0 | 5 0 0 | 200 0 0 | 5 0 | 5 0 0
Well-grassed downs, three-fourths easily ploughable; black soil, with clay subsoil, broken by gully; good surface-sown English grasses; about one mile from homestead.

PORT ROBINSON VILLAGE.

Cheviot Survey District.

14 | XI. | 24 0 0 | 10 0 0 | 240 0 0 | 10 0 | 6 0 0
All open, broken, agricultural and pastoral land; soil, very good sandy loam, well watered; about 10 acres in English grass, balance good tussock and English grass; accessible by good road, three-quarters of a mile from Port Robinson.

DOMETT VILLAGE.

Lowry Peaks Survey District.

25 | XVI. | 57 0 0 | 8 0 0 | 456 0 0 | 8 0 | 11 8 0
Twenty acres rich swampy flat, uncultivated; remainder good flat, in stubble; gravel bottom.

27 | XVI. | 33 0 15 | 7 0 0 | 231 13 2 | 7 0 | 5 15 10
Five acres rich swampy flat, in stubble; rest good flat, gravel bottom.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

- The lands to be dealt with under these conditions are first-class lands, and are village-homestead allotments, open for selection on lease in perpetuity, under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892" (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), and "The Cheviot Estate Disposition Act, 1893."
- The day on which the lands shall be open for selection shall be Wednesday, the 6th day of March, 1895.
- The rental stated opposite each allotment of land shall be the price at which such land shall be open for selection.
- Every applicant shall make the declaration prescribed, and shall, immediately after the application has been approved, or declared successful at the ballot, pay a sum equal to one half-year's rent of the land applied for. Such payment shall be in discharge of the half-year's rent due on the 1st day of January or July following the day of application. He shall also pay the sum of £1 1s. for the preparation of the lease and the registration thereof.
- When applications are made on the same day for the same land, or part of the same land, then the order of selection shall be decided by ballot.
- Each applicant shall state his or her residence, occupation, and condition in life (namely, whether married or single), and shall make the declaration prescribed.
- Each applicant shall also undertake to pay the first half-year's rent, together with the lease and registration fee of £1 1s., immediately upon being declared the successful applicant.
- All rents must be paid half-yearly, in advance, on the 1st days of January and July in each year.
- The lessee must reside on the land selected within one year from the date of selection, and thereafter such residence shall be continuous for a period of ten years. The Land Board may dispense with residence if the lessee reside and continue to reside on lands contiguous to the lands held under lease.
- The lessee shall put on the land comprised in his lease substantial improvements as under:—
 - Within one year from the date of his lease, to a value equal to 2½ per cent. of the price of the land;
 - Within two years from the date of his lease, to a value equal to another 2½ per cent. of the price of the land;
 - And within six years from the date of his lease, to a value equal to another 2½ per cent. of the price of the land;
 and in addition thereto shall, within six years from the date of his lease, put substantial improvements of a permanent character to the value of £1 for every acre of land.

Improvements existing on the land at the time of lease shall be deemed to be improvements made under this clause.

Substantial improvements of a permanent character mean and include reclamation from swamps, clearing of gorse, broom, sweetbriar, or scrub, cultivation, planting gardens, fencing, draining, making roads, sinking wells or water-tanks, constructing water-races, sheep-dips, making embankments or protective works of any kind, or in any way improving the character or fertility of the soil, and include the erection of any building.

11. The Government reserves a right of erecting telegraph or telephone lines over the lands during the term of lease, and a right of ingress and egress to such lines when erected.

12. 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.

13. The lessee must once a year properly cut and trim all live fences now on the land, or which may be planted upon the land during the term, and stub all gorse not growing as fences, and also stub all broom, sweetbriar, and other noxious plants.

14. The lessee must take alternately white and root crops; and on the removal of the third crop the land must be sown down with good cultivated permanent grasses and clovers, and be allowed to remain as pasture for at least two years from the harvesting of last crop before being again cropped.

15. The lessee must not cut the cultivated grass for hay or seed the first year of the course.

16. At all times during the lease the land must be so farmed that not less than one-third of the farm be maintained in permanent pasture. But the conditions as to cropping shall not apply to sections of five acres or under.

17. The lessee must not burn any straw grown upon the land.

18. The lessee must once a year properly clean, clear from weeds, and keep open all creeks, drains, ditches, and water-courses 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.

19. In the event of the lessee failing to comply with any of the covenants hereinbefore mentioned relating to the trimming of live fences, and 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.

20. All buildings erected upon the land shall be kept in good order and repair.

21. The lessee shall be liable for all rates, taxes, and assessments during the term.

22. No lessee shall subdivide, sublet, or transfer the land held by him under these regulations, except under and subject to the provisions of Part I. of the said Act.

23. No lessee in the Homeview Village shall hold more than one lot, except in cases where the lots do not exceed 20 acres, when the lessee may hold an area not exceeding 20 acres; and in the Domett Village no lessee shall hold more than 100 acres: and such area shall be held for his sole use and benefit, and not for the use or benefit of any other person whomsoever.

24. All the provisions of the said Act, so far as applicable, shall extend and apply to the lands affected by these regulations, and to the applications and leases to be made and issued thereunder, and generally to the interests created, and the persons whose rights, liabilities, or interests are thereby affected; and the mention of any particular provision of the said Act shall not be deemed to exclude any other provision of the said Act applicable to the particular case.

DECLARATION ON APPLYING FOR A VILLAGE-HOMESTEAD LEASE UNDER "THE LAND ACT, 1892," AND "THE CHEVIOT ESTATE DISPOSITION ACT, 1893."

I, A.B., 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 applying for a lease of land forming part of the Cheviot Estate.

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

4. That, including the lands now applied for, I am not the owner, tenant, or occupier, directly or indirectly, either by myself or jointly with any other person or persons, of any lands anywhere in the colony exceeding in the whole 640 acres (in case of a married woman, 320 acres) of first-class land.

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 _____, 189____, before me—C.D., a Justice of the Peace in and for the Colony of New Zealand.

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

Rural Lands, Otago, for Lease by Auction.

Crown Lands Office,
Dunedin, 15th January, 1895.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned lands will be offered for lease by public auction, at this office, at noon on Wednesday, the 13th March, 1895.

Sections 1, 2, and 3, Block XVII., Coast District, and the land known as Goat Island: Area, 175 acres, more or less; term, fourteen years from 1st January, 1895; upset annual rental, £20.

This area comprises two islands situated at the mouth of the Clutha River, about four miles from Kaitangata, containing about 60 acres good alluvial land, 40 acres light grazing-land, while the balance is sand-hills.

CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. That not more than two white crops be taken off in succession.

2. That the lessee keeps the gorse in check and prevents the further spreading of same.

3. That if at any time during the currency of the lease the whole or any part of the islands is required for harbour or river-diversion purposes, the lease may be determined without the lessee being entitled to compensation for improvements, but the lessee will be allowed time to remove any such improvements.

Possession will be given on date of sale.
The purchaser of the lease must deposit one half-year's rent, together with a lease-fee of £1 1s., on the fall of the hammer.

J. P. MAITLAND,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Mangaweka Village Homestead Settlement open for Application.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 8th January, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned village-homestead allotments will be open for application on and after Wednesday, the 13th day of March, 1895.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

MANGAWEKA VILLAGE-HOMESTEAD SETTLEMENT.

First-class Land.

Section.	Area.	Weighted for Improvements.			Half-yearly Rental.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
20	A. R. P.	3	0	0	0	4	0
23	1 0 0	6	0	0	0	2	0
24	1 1 8	16	0	0	0	2	4
26	5 0 0	3	0	0	0	10	0
28	6 0 0	..	..	..	0	12	0
29	6 0 0	..	..	..	0	12	0
30	11 0 0	..	..	..	0	17	7
35	7 3 30	..	..	..	0	12	10
36	5 3 16	..	..	..	0	12	0
37	5 3 16	..	..	..	0	10	0
38	8 2 17	..	..	..	0	12	0
39	6 2 28	..	..	..	0	12	0
40	6 0 13	30	0	0	0	12	0
41	5 1 18	24	0	0	0	12	0
42	4 0 16	1	0	0	0	8	10
43	2 0 25	34	0	0	0	5	3
43A	1 2 4	..	..	..	0	3	3
44	2 1 34	24	0	0	0	6	0
45	2 2 0	32	0	0	0	6	0
46	2 1 0	1	10	0	0	4	10
47	2 3 7	30	0	0	0	8	5
48	6 0 0	30	0	0	0	12	0
49	7 1 9	..	..	..	0	12	10

SECOND SCHEDULE.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. THE lands enumerated above are first-class lands, and are divided into village-homestead allotments, open for selection on lease in perpetuity, under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892" (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act").

2. The day on which the lands shall be open for selection shall be Wednesday, the 13th day of March, 1895.

3. The rental stated above shall be the price at which the land shall be open for selection.

4. Applications for leases shall be made in manner as provided in Part I. of the said Act; and all such applications shall be made to the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Wellington, and at Ohingaiti, and leases will be issued in accordance with the provisions of Part I. aforesaid.

5. Each applicant shall state his or her residence, occupation, and condition in life (namely, whether married or single), and will be required to make the declaration hereby prescribed.

6. Each applicant shall pay the first half-year's rent, together with the lease- and registration-fee and the valuation for improvements (if any), immediately the application has been approved or declared successful at the ballot.

7. All rents must be paid half-yearly, in advance, on the 1st days of January and July in each year, as provided in section 157 of the said Act; and the first half-year's rent is payable as before provided. The next payment of rent will become due on the 1st January, 1896.

8. No person shall apply for or hold more than one allotment, and such allotment shall be held for his sole use and benefit, and not for the use or benefit of any other person whomsoever. No married woman shall be eligible as a selector; but this provision shall not apply to any married woman who may become a transferee under a will or by virtue of an intestacy.

9. The lessee must reside on the land leased within one year from the date of lease, and thereafter such residence shall be continuous.

10. Improvements and residence on the land comprised in each lease shall, subject to clause No. 9, be as provided in Part III. of the said Act. The provisions of section 144, and all other provisions of the said Act with respect to substantial improvements, shall apply accordingly to lessees under these regulations. The provisions of section 141, and all other provisions of the said Act in respect of compulsory residence, shall, subject to clause No. 9, apply accordingly to lessees under these regulations.

Substantial improvements of a permanent character mean and include reclamation from swamps, clearing of bush, gorse, broom, sweetbriar, or scrub, cultivation, planting gardens, fencing, draining, making roads, sinking wells or water-tanks, constructing water-races, sheep-dips, making embankments or protective works of any kind, in any way improving the character or fertility of the soil, or the erection of any non-movable building.

11. No lessee shall subdivide, sublet, or transfer the land held by him under these regulations, except under and subject to the provisions of Part I. of the said Act.

12. All the provisions of the said Act, so far as applicable, shall extend and apply to the lands affected by these regulations, and to the applications and leases to be made and issued thereunder, and generally to the interests created, and the persons whose rights, liabilities, or interests are thereby affected; and the mention of any particular provision of the said Act shall not be deemed to exclude any other provision of the said Act applicable to the particular case.

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY APPLICANT.

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 applying for the purchase of a lease of Section No. _____, Village Settlement.

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

4. That I am not the owner, or lessee, or occupier, directly or indirectly, either by myself or jointly with any other person or persons, of any lands anywhere in the colony exceeding in the whole one acre.

5. That I have not, within one year from the date hereof, surrendered a lease with perpetual right of renewal or lease in perpetuity of the lands for a lease whereof I am now applying.

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." A.B.

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

JOHN H. BAKER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Sections in Pongaroa Township for Sale by Public Auction, for Cash.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 8th January, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of "The Land Act, 1892," that the under-mentioned township sections will be put up to public auction, at the Public Hall, Eketahuna, at the upset price noted opposite each section, on Tuesday, the 5th day of March, 1895.

SCHEDULE.

PONGAROA TOWNSHIP.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price per Allotment.	
			£	s. d.
1	I.	A. R. P.	0	1 0
2	"	0	1 0	15 0 0
5	"	0	1 10	10 0 0
6	"	0	1 0	7 10 0
7	"	0	1 0	7 10 0
9	"	0	1 0	7 10 0
11	"	0	1 21	7 0 0
12	"	0	1 15	7 10 0
13	"	0	1 0	10 0 0
14	"	0	1 0	7 10 0
16	"	0	1 0	7 10 0
17	"	0	1 0	10 0 0
18	"	0	2 14	12 10 0
21	"	0	1 13	7 0 0
19	"	0	2 10	10 10 0
1	II.	0	1 0	10 0 0
2	"	0	1 0	7 10 0
3	"	0	1 0	6 0 0
5	"	0	1 0	6 0 0
6	"	0	1 0	6 0 0
7	"	0	1 0	6 0 0
8	"	0	1 0	6 0 0
10	"	1	0 24	23 0 0
11	"	0	2 26	13 10 0
12	"	0	2 14	12 0 0
13	"	0	1 15	7 10 0
15	"	0	1 12	7 10 0

This township is situated on the main Alfredton-Weber Road, at its junction with the Pongaroa Road from Makuri, in the Pongaroa Village, on the eastern side of the Puketois, and in the centre of a large district taken up under special-settlement conditions; being distant about thirty miles from Pahiatua, forty-two miles from Eketahuna, forty miles from Danevirke, and seventeen miles from the Achanga Landing-place, on the east coast, which at present is accessible by bullock-drays. The Alfredton-Weber Road is now formed from Alfredton to within about five miles and a half of the township, and the road from Makuri towards Pongaroa is in the course of construction for horse traffic, and is made to within about seven miles of the township.

TERMS OF SALE.

One-fifth of the purchase-money must be deposited on the fall of the hammer, and the balance, with £1 Crown-grant fee, within thirty days, or the deposit will be forfeited. There are no restrictions or limitations imposed upon purchasers of these sections.

JOHN H. BAKER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Leases of Reserves, Canterbury Land District, for Sale by Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Christchurch, 17th December, 1894.

IT is hereby notified, in terms of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," that the leases of the under-mentioned reserves for the terms specified will be offered at public auction, at this office, on Wednesday, the 27th February, 1895, at 11 o'clock a.m.

SCHEDULE.

Survey District.	Block.	Re-serve.	Sub-division.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.	Term of Lease.
ASHLEY COUNTY.						
Stonyhurst ..	XV.	159	1	A. R. P. £ s. d.	11 5 0	14
" ..	"	159	2	50 0 0	6 15 0	14
" ..	"	159	3	30 3 0	6 18 5	14
" ..	"	159	4	10 1 16	2 11 9	14
" ..	"	159	6	21 3 0	4 12 4	14
" ..	"	159	7	9 2 0	2 0 5	14
" ..	"	159	8	50 0 0	10 12 6	14
" ..	"	159	9	58 0 25	12 7 2	14
Mt. Thomas	XII.	1855	..	140 1 26	7 0 0	7
Mairaki ..	X.	2705	..	94 1 16	4 14 3	7
Oxford ..	VIII.	2718	..	43 2 0	3 5 3	7
SELWYN COUNTY.						
Halswell ..	VI.	*	..	7	3 10 18	0 7
Christchurch	IX.	702	..	785 3 0	39 5 9	7
Rolleston ..	XII.					
ASHBURTON COUNTY.						
Hinds ..	VI.	1262	..	9 2 31	1 19 0	7
GERALDINE COUNTY.						
Kapunatiki ..	III.	2746	..	206 0 0	10 6 0	7
" ..	"	2749	..	27 1 0	1 7 3	7
" ..	"	2750	..	91 2 0	4 11 6	7
" ..	{ II. } { III. }	2751	..	153 0 0	7 13 0	7
WAIMATE COUNTY.						
Waimate ..	XIV.	950	..	2 1 38	2 9 9	7
" ..	"	951	..	0 2 5	0 10 0	7
" ..	"	952	..	0 2 37	0 15 0	7

* Little River Railway Reserve.

LOCALITIES AND DESCRIPTIONS OF RESERVES.

Reserve 159: These subdivisions are situated in the Motunau Township Reserve, at the mouth of the river of that name, and comprise generally open level and terrace land, limestone formation, and soil of good quality. The vegetation consists of tussock and English grasses. There is a formed road from Cabbage-tree Flat to and through the sections. The elevation ranges from 30ft. to 200ft. above sea-level.

Reserve 1855 is situated at White Rock homestead, on the eastern side of the Karetu River, about four miles from Loburn, and comprises hilly and undulating land, clay formation, soil of fair quality, the vegetation consisting of manuka, fern, gorse, and tussock.

Reserve 2705 is situated on the north bank of the Eyre River, about two miles westerly from the Horrelville Railway-station on the Kaiapoi-Oxford line, and comprises open, stony, and scrubby river-bed land, subject to occasional floods.

Reserve 2718 is situated on the north bank of the Eyre River, adjacent to the township of West Oxford, and comprises river-bed land partly covered with scrub.

The Little River Railway Reserve is situated adjacent to the property of J. J. Herrick, Esq., about half a mile to the southward of Tai Tapu, and comprises open flat land of excellent quality.

Reserve 702 is situated at a distance of about eight miles in a north-westerly direction from the Templeton Railway-station, and one and a quarter miles from Yaldhurst, and comprises inferior, open, stony, river-bed land, light soil and sand.

Reserve 1262 is situated adjacent to and on the north-east side of the Hinds Township, and comprises open land of fair quality.

Reserves 2746, 2749, 2750, and 2751 are situated on the north-eastern and south-western sides of the Rangitata Island, adjacent to the properties of Mr. J. Buck and Rudenklau's trustees, and comprise river-bed lands carrying native grasses.

Reserves 950, 951, and 952 are situated in the Waimate Township.

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.

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

3. The leases shall be for the terms specified in the schedule, but shall be subject to termination by twelve months' notice in the event of the land being required by Government.

4. The lands are let for grazing purposes, and lessees will not be permitted to break up or crop any of the same without the written permission of the Land Board first had and obtained.

5. Upon the fall of the hammer every lessee shall pay a lease-fee of £1 1s., together with a half-year's rent in the case of reserves whose annual rental exceeds £5, and one year's rent in the case of reserves whose annual rental is below £5.

6. The lessee shall prevent the growth or spread of gorse, broom, and sweetbriar on the land comprised in his lease, 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.

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

Further particulars may be obtained on application at the District Lands and Survey Office, Christchurch.

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

Village Homestead Lands, Wellington, open for Selection.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 8th January, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned village-homestead allotments will be open for selection on and after Tuesday, the 5th day of March, 1895.

SCHEDULE.

MANGARAMARAMA VILLAGE HOMESTEAD SETTLEMENT.
First-class Land.

Section.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity.	
		Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.
74	A. R. P. 12 0 0	s. d. 4 4 8	£ s. d. 1 6 5

This section is weighted with £85 9s. for improvements. It is all level, and consists of good alluvial soil, well watered. It is situated about two miles and a quarter from the Mangatainoka Creamery, with access by a formed road.

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This section is weighted with £122 for improvements. It is level, with rich and fertile alluvial soil; and about half of it has been felled and burned. It is situated about two miles and a half from the Mangatainoka Township.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. The lands enumerated above are first-class lands, and are village-homestead allotments, open for selection on lease in perpetuity, under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892" (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act").

2. The day on which the lands shall be open for selection shall be Tuesday, the fifth day of March, 1895.

3. The rental stated above shall be the price at which the land shall be open for selection.

4. Applications for leases shall be made in manner as provided in Part I. of the said Act; and all such applications shall be made to the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Wellington, and at Eketahuna, and leases will be issued in accordance with the provisions of Part I. aforesaid.

5. Each applicant shall state his or her residence, occupation, and condition in life (namely, whether married or single), and will be required to make the declaration hereby prescribed.

6. Each applicant shall pay the first half-year's rent, together with the lease and registration fee, and the amount with which the section is weighted for improvements, immediately the application has been approved or declared successful at the ballot.

7. All rents must be paid half-yearly, in advance, on the 1st days of January and July in each year, as provided in section 157 of the said Act; and the first half-year's rent is payable as before provided. The next payment of rent will become due on the 1st January, 1896.

8. No lessee shall hold more than one allotment, and such allotment shall be held for his sole use and benefit, and not for the use or benefit of any other person whomsoever. No married woman shall be eligible as a selector; but this provision shall not apply to any married woman who may become a transferee under a will or by virtue of an intestacy.

9. The lessee must reside on the land leased within one year from the date of lease, and thereafter such residence shall be continuous.

10. Improvements and residence on the land comprised in each lease shall, subject to clause No. 9, be as provided in Part III. of the said Act. The provisions of section 144, and all other provisions of the said Act with respect to substantial improvements, shall apply accordingly to lessees under these regulations. The provisions of section 141, and all other provisions of the said Act in respect of compulsory residence, shall, subject to clause No. 9, apply accordingly to lessees under these regulations.

Substantial improvements of a permanent character mean and include reclamation from swamps, clearing of bush, gorse, broom, sweetbriar, or scrub, cultivation, planting gardens, fencing, draining, making roads, sinking wells or water-tanks, constructing water-races, sheep-dips, making embankments or protective works of any kind, in any way improving the character or fertility of the soil, or the erection of any non-movable building.

11. No lessee shall subdivide, sublet, or transfer the land held by him under these regulations, except under and subject to the provisions of Part I. of the said Act.

12. All the provisions of the said Act, so far as applicable, shall extend and apply to the lands affected by these regulations, and to the applications and leases to be made and issued thereunder, and generally to the interests created, and the person whose rights, liabilities, or interests are thereby affected; and the mention of any particular provision of the said Act shall not be deemed to exclude any other provision of the said Act applicable to the particular case.

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY APPLICANT.

I, A.B., 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 applying for the purchase of a lease of Section Mangaramarama Village Settlement.

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

4. That I am not the owner, or lessee, or occupier, directly or indirectly, either by myself or jointly with any other person or persons, of any lands anywhere in the colony exceeding in the whole one acre.

5. That I have not, within one year from the date hereof, surrendered a lease with perpetual right of renewal or lease in perpetuity of the lands for a lease whereof I am now applying.

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."

A.B.

Declared at this day of 189, before me—, a Justice of the Peace in and for the Colony of New Zealand.

JOHN H. BAKER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Auckland for Sale by Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 26th January, 1895.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned suburban and rural lands will be submitted for sale by public auction, at this office, on Friday, the 22nd day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.:

Town of Hamilton West: Lot 58, 1 rood 13 perches; upset price, £6 12s. 6d.

Weymouth Suburbs (Manukau County): Lot 39, 9 acres 3 roods 8 perches; upset price, £19 12s. Lots 43 and 44, each 5 acres; upset price per lot, £10.

Paparoa Parish (Otamatea County): Section N.E. part 76, 10½ acres; upset price, £7 17s. 6d. Open land, about six miles from Pahi, and intersected by the main road.

One-fifth of the purchase-money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the balance, with Crown-grant fee £1, within thirty days thereafter, otherwise the one-fifth 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.

Small Grazing-runs open for Lease on Application.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Blenheim, 23rd January, 1895.

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 20th March, 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.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.—LINKWATER SURVEY DISTRICT.

First-class Pastoral Country.

Run No.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.
S.G.R. 62	20	XII.	A. R. P. 559 0 0	s. d. 0 3	£ s. d. 3 10 0
" 69	21	XII.	466 0 0	0 3	2 18 3

These runs adjoin the Town of Picton; they are well watered, and are mostly covered with bush, principally birch.

CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

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

2. No person can lease more than one run.

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

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

5. One half-year's rent and £1 1s. for the lease must be paid immediately the application is declared successful; the rent to be paid half-yearly in advance during the term of the lease. The next payment of rent will become due on the 1st March, 1896.

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 189, before me—, a Justice of the Peace in and for the Colony of New Zealand.

* Place of abode or occupation. † Here specify.

SIDNEY WEETMAN,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Small Grazing-runs open for Lease on Application.

District Lands Office,
Dunedin, 23rd January, 1895.

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 28th 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.—MANIOTOTO COUNTY.

First-class Pastoral Country.

Survey District.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Rent per Acre.		Half-yearly Rent.		
				s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Kyeburn..	5	I.	A. R. P. 189 1 15	1	0	4	14	6
Maniototo	26	III.	75 0 0	1	0	1	17	6
"	27	"	79 0 0	1	0	1	19	6
"	28	"	199 0 38	1	0	4	19	6
"	29	"	153 3 19	1	0	3	17	0
Naseby ..	46	I.	89 3 31	1	0	2	5	0

Kyeburn District: Section 5, Block I., contains open agricultural land of an undulating nature, fairly well watered; situated about two and a half miles from Naseby on the main road. Maniototo District: Block III., Sections 26 and 27 contain open undulating pastoral land, not well watered; situated within easy distance from Naseby, and accessible by good road: Section 28 contains open undulating pastoral land, and is situated about three miles from Naseby; the road has not yet been formed to this section: Section 29 contains open agricultural and pastoral land, soil light, fairly well watered; situated about three and a half miles from Naseby on the main road. Naseby District: Section 46, Block I., contains undulating agricultural land, not well watered; situated within a mile of Naseby. The altitude of all these sections is 1,800ft.

CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. The term of lease is twenty-one years, with the option of renewal for a further period of twenty-one years, at a rent to be fixed by valuation, and improvements being secured to lessee as provided by "The Land Act, 1892," section 182. Each lessee is required to make the declaration as per form printed below.
2. No person can lease more than one run.

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

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

5. One half-year's rent and £1 1s. for the lease must be paid immediately the application is declared successful; the rent to be paid half-yearly in advance during the term of the lease. The next payment of rent will become due on the 1st March, 1896.

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 _____
 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.

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.					
Southland	{ Extension Makarewa 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.

Forfeited Sections, Wellington, for Sale by Auction for Cash.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 15th January, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of "The Land Act, 1892," that the under-mentioned forfeited sections, town lands, and village allotments will be sold by public auction at the upset prices noted opposite each section, at the Argyle Hall, Hunterville, on Monday, the 11th day of March, 1895.

SCHEDULE.

Section.	Village.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.			Total Upset Price.		
			A. R. P.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	
50, 51	Hunterville Village Settlement	8 1 5	10	0	0	82	16	3
Weighted with £20 12s. 6d. for improvements.								
60, 61	Hunterville Village Settlement	10 3 23	8	0	0	87	3	0
Weighted with £27 5s. for improvements. Amount of advances on Sections 60 and 61, £20.								
TOWN AND VILLAGE ALLOTMENTS.								
170	Hunterville Village Settlement	0 0 29	..	..	..	16	0	0
171	Ditto	0 0 32	..	..	..	16	0	0
239	"	0 3 20	..	..	..	20	0	0
240	"	0 3 14	..	..	..	20	0	0
242	"	0 3 8	..	..	..	20	0	0
243	"	0 0 38	..	..	..	16	0	0
244	"	0 1 1	..	..	..	16	0	0
246	"	0 1 10	..	..	..	16	0	0
247	"	0 1 15	..	..	..	16	0	0
248	"	0 1 16	..	..	..	16	0	0
9	West Waitapu Village Settlement	1 0 0	..	..	..	5	0	0

One-fifth of the purchase-money, together with the amount of the valuation for improvements (if any), to be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the balance, with Crown-grant fee, 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. There are no restrictions or limitations imposed upon purchasers of these sections.

Full particulars may be ascertained and plans obtained at the District Land and Survey Office, Wellington, and at Hunterville.

JOHN H. BAKER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Pastoral Leases, Otago Land District, for Sale by Auction.

Crown Lands Office,
Dunedin, 17th January, 1895.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned pastoral lands will be submitted to public auction at the Crown Lands Office, Dunedin, on Thursday, the 28th day of February next, at 11 a.m.

PASTORAL LANDS.

(Under Part VI. of "The Land Act, 1892.")

Run 362b (Class I.), Waitaki County.—Area, about 29,700 acres; term, twenty-one years; upset annual rental, £75. Situated about ten miles from Naseby, near the head of the Otamatakau River, and is watered by its branches; altitude, 3,000ft. to 5,000ft. Present licensee, Naseby Pastoral Investment Company (Limited).

Run 236b (Class II.), Vincent County.—Area, about 37,152 acres; term, six years; upset annual rental, £600. Part of the Tarras Station, embracing runs formerly numbered 236b, 236c, 236d, 237d, and 237e; situated about fourteen miles north-east of Cromwell, and extending from the Clutha River to the summit of the Dunstan Mountains; watered by the Lower Lindis and its tributaries; altitude, 800ft. to 5,000ft. Present licensees, Messrs. Spence and Parker.

Run 51a (Class II.), Tuapeka and Bruce Counties.—Area, about 10,460 acres; term, five years; upset annual rental, £150. Situated on the Waipori River, in Waipori District, about four miles west of Berwick; altitude, 1,000ft. to 2,000ft. Present licensee, New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Company (Limited).

Run 140a (Class II.), Tuapeka County.—Area, about 5,840 acres; term, five years; upset annual rental, £40. Situated about two miles south of Tapanui, on the slopes of the Blue Mountains; altitude, 1,300ft. to 2,300ft. Present licensee, Mr. William Sheath.

Run 225b (Class II.), Maniototo County.—Area, about 3,200 acres; term, fifteen years; upset annual rental, £50. Situated one mile south of St. Bathans, between Manuherikia River and Dunstan Creek; altitude, 1,600ft. to 2,200ft. Present licensee, Mr. F. G. Dalgety.

Run 258 (Class II.), Southland and Clutha Counties.—Area, about 13,550 acres; term, three years; upset annual rental, £200. Part of Clutha Trust Endowment, embracing runs formerly numbered 258 and 258a; situated three miles south of Kuriwao, between Waipahi River on the north-east and Catlin's River on the south-east; altitude, 700ft. to 2,000ft. Present licensee, Mr. Alexander Burt.

Run 129 (Class II.), Clutha County.—Area, about 11,600 acres; term, five years; upset annual rental, £190. Part of Clutha Trust Endowment, lying to the south-east and adjoining Run 258, and situated about nine miles south-west of Waipepa Railway-station in a direct line; watered by the Upper Catlin's River; altitude, 1,000ft. to 2,300ft. Present licensees, Messrs. Brough Brothers.

Sections 44, 50, and 52, Block I., and Sections 13 and 14, Block XV., Crookston District (Class II.), Tuapeka County.—Area, about 295 acres; term, five years; upset annual rental, £2. Situated two miles north of Beaumont, or one mile south of Bastings; the highest point is 980ft. Present licensee, Mr. Adam Stevenson.

Section 1a, Block X., Waipori (Class II.), Bruce County.—Area, about 1,064 acres; term, seven years; upset annual rental, £10. Situated on the Meggat Burn, about five miles west of Berwick; the highest point is 1,900ft. Present licensee, Mr. W. R. Moore.

Run 134a, Waitaki County.—Area, about 22,580 acres; term, twenty-one years; upset annual rental, £200. Situated about five miles south of Livingstone, between the northern and southern branches of the Kakanui River, and extending back to the summit of the Kakanui Mountains; altitude, 2,000ft. to 5,000ft. Last licensee, Mr. William Gardiner.

Run 335b, Vincent County.—Area, about 27,050 acres; term, twenty-one years; upset annual rental, £10. Situated four miles north of Gladstone, on the east shore of Lake Hawea, and is bounded on the south by the Timaru River; altitude, 1,100ft. to 6,000ft. Last licensee, Mr. Hector McLean.

Run 337 and 337a (grouped), Lake County.—Area, about 49,540 acres; term, twenty-one years; upset annual rental, £15. Situated about twenty miles by land, and twelve miles by water, from Pembroke, on the west shore of Lake Wanaka, and is watered by the Minaret and Albert Burns; altitude, 930ft. to 7,000ft. Last licensee, Mr. W. H. Dansey.

Runs 239, 338b, and 338c (grouped), Vincent County.—Area, 43,970 acres; term, twenty-one years; upset annual rental, £25. Situated between Lakes Hawea and Wanaka, about five and seven miles north of Newcastle and Pembroke respectively; altitude, 930ft. to 4,500ft. Last licensees, Mesdames Muir and McLeod.

Run 34 (Class I.), Lake County.—Area, about 7,200 acres; term, twenty-one years; upset annual rental, £10. Situated about four miles above Skipper's, on the Shotover River; altitude, 1,500ft. to 3,700ft. Last licensee, Mr. James Commins.

Sections 18, 20, 21, and 27, Block VII., Table Hill District, Tuapeka and Bruce Counties.—Area, 722 acres 1 rood 30 perches; term, ten years; upset annual rental, £20; valuation for improvements, £119 19s. 6d. Situated about two miles north-east of Round Hill Railway-station, on the Lawrence railway-line; altitude, 1,200ft. Last licensee, Mrs. S. Dewes.

Possession of the runs will be given on the 1st March, 1895.

Possession of Runs 134a, 335b, 337 and 337a (grouped), 239, 338b and 338c (grouped), and 34, and Sections 18, 20, 21, and 27, Block VII., Table Hill, will be given on the 1st March, 1895.

Possession of Runs 362b, 236b, 51a, 140a, 228b, 258, and 129, and Sections 44, 50, and 52, Block I., and 13 and 14, Block XV., Crookston District (grouped), and 1a, Block X., Waipori District, will be given on the 1st March, 1896.

Valuations, if any, must be paid on day of sale; and such payments with respect to runs expiring in 1896 must be made to the Receiver of Land Revenue, Dunedin, before the licensee will be let into possession. The amount of such valuation shall, exclusive of the value of a rabbit-proof fence, in no case exceed three times the amount of the average annual rental paid under the expired or expiring lease or license during the term thereof, and five times such amount in cases where the annual rent does not exceed £50.

The above runs will be sold generally in accordance with the provisions of Part VI. of "The Land Act, 1892."

Purchasers must deposit statutory declaration required by section 62 of "The Land Act, 1892," and pay the first half-year's rent (together with license-fee, £1 1s.) on the fall of the hammer.

J. P. MAITLAND,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Village-homestead Lands, Wellington, open for Selection.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 15th January, 1895.

THE under-mentioned village-homestead allotments will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity, at the District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington, and at the Argyle Hall, Hunterville, on Monday, 11th March, 1895.

If more than one application be received for the same section on the same day, then the order of selection shall be decided by ballot on the following day, at 11 a.m., at the Argyle Hall, Hunterville.

SCHEDULE.
FIRST-CLASS LAND.

Village of	Section.	Block.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity.	
				Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.
Marshall	12, 13, 14, 26, 27	..	A. R. P. 6 3 4	s. d. 2 4 8	£ s. d. 0 8 1
	16, 17, 28, 29, 30	..	4 3 11	2 4 8	0 5 10
	20, 21, 22, 23	..	4 3 21	2 4 8	0 5 11
	39, 40, 41, 42, 43	..	6 2 2	2 4 8	0 7 9

The Village of Marshall is situated at Curl's Clearing, in the Otamakapua Block, about thirty-two miles from Feilding and eight miles from the projected Marton-Te Awamutu Railway; the road has been partly formed to within two miles of the village. The area comprises flat and undulating open land of fair quality, well watered by the Kivitea; ample provision has been made for reserves for public purposes, including school, recreation, public buildings, and cemetery. The elevation of the land is about 1,300ft. above the sea-level. The climate is favourable for agricultural and pastoral pursuits. As the position is central to a large area of country, the sections are suitable for occupation by a working-man or small settler.

West Waitapu	24	..	2 0 0	4 0	0 4 0
Ditto	*25	..	3 0 20	3 9 6	0 5 11

*Weighted with £3 10s. for improvements.

The Village of West Waitapu is situated at the junction of Williamson's and Waituna Roads. The sections are nearly all level, a small portion of the area of each being undulating. The soil is good throughout, on different formation, consisting of gravel, sandstone, and clay. The timber consists of tawa, rimu, rata, kotukutuku, karamea, &c., with the usual undergrowth. The village as a whole is fairly well watered by streams running through it. The access is by a formed road, *via* Waituna and Sinclair's Roads, from Feilding, and is distant therefrom about fifteen miles and a half.

Welford	1, 3, 4	..	22 3 4	2 9 6	1 11 11
"	6	..	5 0 34	4 0	0 10 5
"	7	..	4 2 32	4 0	0 9 5

The Village of Welford is situated at the junction of the Tapuae and Pararanga Roads, in the West Waitapu Block, and consists of level and hilly country. The soil is generally good. Portions of all the sections have been cleared. The timber consists of rata, hinau, maire, tawa, rimu, &c., and the usual undergrowth. The access is from Feilding, *via* Makino, Sinclair, and Mackay's Roads, and Waitapu Village, the distance from Feilding being about eighteen miles.

Poukiore	2, 4, 6, 8	..	5 0 35	3 7 2	0 9 5
"	10, 15, 16	..	4 2 2	3 7 2	0 8 2
"	18, 19, 20, 21, 22	..	6 2 27	3 7 2	0 12 0

The Village of Poukiore is situated in the Porewa Valley, about five miles and a half from Hunterville, on the Muri-motu Road, the land being either level or easy sloping ground, whilst the soil is good to first class. The bush is of the usual mixed character—tawa, rata, hinau, rimu, &c.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

- The lands enumerated above are first-class lands, and are village-homestead allotments, open for selection on lease in perpetuity under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892" (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act").
- The day on which the lands shall be open for selection shall be Monday, the eleventh day of March, 1895.
- The rental stated above shall be the price at which the land shall be open for selection.
- Applications for leases shall be made in manner as provided in Part I. of the said Act; and all such applications shall be made to the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Wellington, and at Hunterville, and leases will be issued in accordance with the provisions of Part I. aforesaid.

5. Each applicant shall state his or her residence, occupation, and condition in life (namely, whether married or single), and will be required to make the declaration hereby prescribed.

6. Each applicant shall pay the first half-year's rent, together with the lease and registration fee and the valuation for improvements (if any), immediately the application has been approved or declared successful at the ballot.

7. All rents must be paid half-yearly, in advance, on the 1st days of January and July in each year, as provided in section 157 of the said Act; and the first half-year's rent is payable as before provided. The next payment of rent will become due on the 1st January, 1896.

8. No person shall apply for or hold more than one allotment, and such allotment shall be held for his sole use and benefit, and not for the use or benefit of any other person whomsoever. No married woman shall be eligible as a selector; but this provision shall not apply to any married woman who may become a transferee under a will or by virtue of an intestacy.

9. The lessee must reside on the land leased within one year from the date of lease, and thereafter such residence shall be continuous.

10. Improvements and residence on the land comprised in each lease shall, subject to clause No. 9, be as provided in Part III. of the said Act. The provisions of section 144, and all other provisions of the said Act with respect to substantial improvements, shall apply accordingly to lessees under these regulations. The provisions of section 141, and all other provisions of the said Act in respect of compulsory residence, shall, subject to clause No. 9, apply accordingly to lessees under these regulations.

Substantial improvements of a permanent character mean and include reclamation from swamps, clearing of bush, gorse, broom, sweetbriar, or scrub, cultivation, planting gardens, fencing, draining, making roads, sinking wells or water-tanks, constructing water-races, sheep-dips, making embankments or protective works of any kind, in any way improving the character or fertility of the soil, or the erection of any non-movable building.

11. No lessee shall subdivide, sublet, or transfer the land held by him under these regulations, except under and subject to the provisions of Part I. of the said Act.

12. All the provisions of the said Act, so far as applicable, shall extend and apply to the lands affected by these regulations, and to the applications and leases to be made and issued thereunder, and generally to the interests created, and the persons whose rights, liabilities, or interests are thereby affected; and the mention of any particular provision of the said Act shall not be deemed to exclude any other provision of the said Act applicable to the particular case.

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY APPLICANT.

- I, _____, of _____, do solemnly and sincerely declare—
- That I am of the age of seventeen years and upwards.
 - That I am the person who, subject to the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892," am applying for the purchase of a lease of Section _____, Village Settlement.
 - That I am acquiring such lease solely for my own use and benefit, and not directly or indirectly for the use or benefit of any other person or persons whomsoever.
 - That I am not the owner, or lessee, or occupier, directly or indirectly, either by myself or jointly with any other person or persons, of any lands anywhere in the colony exceeding in the whole one acre.
 - That I have not, within one year from the date hereof, surrendered a lease with perpetual right of renewal or lease in perpetuity of the lands for a lease whereof I am now applying.

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 intitled "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882." A.B.

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

JOHN H. BAKER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Small Grazing-runs, Auckland, open for Application.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 28th January, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned small grazing-runs will be open for lease, on application at this office, on and after Wednesday, the 27th day of March, 1895, at the annual rentals noted below.

RAGLAN COUNTY, PARISH OF KARAMU.

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

- Run No. 1, 1,214 acres; annual rent, £30 7s.
- Run No. 2, 1,829 acres; annual rent, £45 14s. 6d.
- Run No. 4, 1,296 acres; annual rent, £32 8s.

Run No. 5, 611 acres; annual rent, £15 5s. 6d.
 Run No. 6, 986 acres; annual rent, £24 13s.
 Run No. 7, 969 acres; annual rent, £24 4s. 6d.
 Run No. 8, 1,477 acres; annual rent, £36 18s. 6d.
 Run No. 9, 1,006 acres; annual rent, £25 3s.
 Situated from two to four miles from Whatawhata, and about ten miles from Raglan, and comprising nearly all broken forest land, of limestone formation and of good quality. The runs will make good grass country when cleared.

GERHARD MUELLER,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Small Grazing-runs open for Lease on Application.

District Lands Office,
 Dunedin, 18th February, 1895.

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 3rd April, 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.—WAITAKI COUNTY.
First-class Pastoral Country.

Survey District.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.
Maruenua	53	IX.	A. R. P. s. d. 600 0 0 0 7	£ s. d. 8 15 0	
"	54	"	795 0 0 0 8	13 5 0	
"	10	XVI.	421 0 0 0 7	6 2 9	

Good grazing-country, containing capital homestead sites; well watered, but rather cut up by water-races. Situated from one to two miles from Livingstone, and seven miles from Tokorahi Railway-station. Section 54 is subject to valuation for fencing to the extent of £19 19s., which amount must be lodged with the application or paid immediately the result of the ballot is declared.

CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

- 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.
 - No person can lease more than one run.
 - 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.
 - 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.
 - One half-year's rent and £1 1s. for the lease must be paid immediately the application is declared successful; the rent to be paid half-yearly in advance during the term of the lease. The next payment of rent will become due on the 1st March, 1896.
 - 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—
- That I am of the age of seventeen years and upwards.
 - 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. †
 - 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.
 - 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.
 - 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.
 - 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.

* Place of abode or occupation. † Here specify.

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.

J. P. MAITLAND,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Southland Land District.—Auction of Pastoral Lease.

District Lands and Survey Office,
 Invercargill, 12th February, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given that Run No. 6 will be submitted to auction, in the Land Office, Invercargill, at noon on Wednesday, the 3rd April, 1895.

Run No. 6, Halfway Bay, Lake Wakatipu, Lake County, 11,240 acres. High summer country, ten miles from Kingston, from 1,000ft. to 6,000ft. above sea-level; snow-grass, fern, and other sparse native vegetation. Term, four years from 1st March, 1895. Upset annual rental, £5.

G. W. WILLIAMS,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Leases of Public Reserves, Wellington, for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
 Wellington, 15th January, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given that the leases of the under-mentioned sections will be submitted to public auction, at the Argyle Hall, Hunterville, on Monday, the 11th March, 1895.

SCHEDULE.

Section.	District.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental per Allotment.	Term of Lease.
259	Hunterville	A. R. P. s. d. 0 1 12	£ s. d. 10 0 0	14 years.
3	Hunterville	0 1 15	10 0 0	14 years.
1	Marshall ..	8 3 24	1 0 0	From year to year.

Terms of Sale: A deposit of a half-year's rent and £1 1s. lease-fee must be paid on the fall of the hammer. The terms of the leases will be as stated above. No allowance whatsoever shall be payable on account of improvements effected by the lessees.

JOHN H. BAKER,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Pastoral Runs, Southland Land District, to be offered for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
 Invercargill, 23th January, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned pastoral runs will be offered for lease by public auction at this office, on Wednesday, the 20th March, 1895, at noon.

Run No. 512, being the Antipodes Islands, containing 1,510 acres; term, twenty-one years; upset annual rental, £1.

Run No. 513, being the Bounty Islands, containing 335 acres 2 roods; term, twenty-one years; upset annual rental, £1.

Run No. 514, being the Enderby and Rose Islands, containing 1,995 acres; term, twenty-one years; upset annual rental, £1.

Six months' rent in advance and license-fee (£1 1s.) to be paid on the fall of the hammer.

G. W. WILLIAMS,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Auckland for Sale by Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
 Auckland, 26th January, 1895.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned rural lands will be offered for sale by public auction at this office on Friday, the 22nd day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.:

Russell Survey District (Bay of Islands County): Section 7, Block I., 7 acres; upset price, £7. Open land, with swampy gully, near Russell, and lying between the recreation reserve and cemetery.

Maungakaramea Parish (Whangarei County): Section 136, 4 acres; upset price, £24. Situated near Maungakaramea Wharf, and weighted with £588 10s. for improvements effected.

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

GERHARD MUELLER,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Officers appointed.

Post Office and Telegraph Department,
General Post Office, Wellington, 13th February, 1895.
W. P. REEVES,

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments in the Post Office and Telegraph Department.

For the Postmaster-General and Electric Telegraph Commissioner.
PERMANENT.

Name.	Position.	Office.	Salary.	Date.
Corsbie, Eva Maud	Cadette, Tel. Exchange ..	Christchurch	£40	20 Aug., 1894.
Leach, Ruby Evelyn	Cadette, Tel. Exchange ..	Christchurch	40	7 Aug., "
Lezard, Rachel	Cadette, Tel. Exchange ..	Christchurch	40	13 Aug., "
Malcon, Mary	Cadette, Tel. Exchange ..	Napier	40	20 Aug., "
McDonald, James Alexander ..	Letter-carrier	Danevirke	50	1 Aug., "
Monaghan, Henrietta	Cadette, Tel. Exchange ..	Wellington	40	13 Aug., "
Sandford, Isabel Ada	Cadette, Tel. Exchange ..	Christchurch	40	7 Aug., "
West, Ethel Kathleen	Cadette, Tel. Exchange ..	Wellington	40	13 Aug., "

NON-PERMANENT.

Name.	Place.	District.	Date.
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POSTMASTERS.

Atkinson, Arnold Hugh	Pakihikura	Wellington	1 Jan., 1895.
Burling, Arthur	Waterfalls	Wellington	1 Jan., "
Capon, John Joseph Curtis	Winchmore	Christchurch	1 Jan., "
Condon, Thomas	Mahitahi	Hokitika	1 Jan., "
Fletcher, Joshua	Titirangi	Blenheim	1 Jan., "
Gilshnan, Edward	Cardiff	New Plymouth	20 Jan., "
Hall, George Edward	Reikorangi	Wellington	1 Jan., "
Hayman, Frederick James	Kimberley	Christchurch	1 Jan., "
Hocguard, Abraham	Anakoa Bay	Blenheim	1 Jan., "
Ingram, William	Ingram's	Wanganui	1 Jan., "
Johnson, William Daniel	Watershed Road	Wanganui	16 Jan., "
Kernahan, Hannah Irwin	Southburn	Timaru	1 Jan., "
McLarin, Charlotte Mary	Mangaituroa	Wanganui	1 Jan., "
Milne, Annie	Kaitawa	Wellington	1 Jan., "
Moore, John	Patumahoe	Auckland	1 Jan., "
Mossman, William	Waerangaokuri	Gisborne	1 Aug., "
Noble, Matilda	Waitakare	Auckland	1 Jan., "
Paulsen, Jens Peter	Arch Hill	Auckland	1 Jan., "
Rogers, George William	Kapuni	Wanganui	1 Jan., "
Shelley, Jeremiah	Medbury	Christchurch	1 Jan., "
Tindill, Alfred	Springlands	Blenheim	1 Jan., "
Todd, Joseph William	Coutts' Island	Christchurch	1 Jan., "
Webb, Charles	Taioma	Dunedin	10 Jan., "

POSTMASTERS AND TELEPHONISTS.

Ashby, Edwin	Moutoa	Wellington	1 Jan., 1895.
Bowmar, Sarah	Mangawhai	Auckland	1 Jan., "
Langley, Arthur Edward	Kawhia	Auckland	1 Jan., "
Pote, Henry	Mangatoki	Wanganui	1 Jan., "
Wallis, Louisa Sarah	Kaikohe	Auckland	21 Nov., 1894.
Wilson, Sarah	Kuri Bush	Dunedin	1 Jan., 1895.

TELEPHONISTS.

Ferkins, Annie	Brooklyn	Wellington	14 Dec., 1894.
*Humphrey, Mary	Makara	Wellington	4 Jan., 1895.
Jorgensen, Victor	Kilbirnie	Wellington	17 Dec., 1894.
*Walker, George	Nuhaka	Napier	14 Dec., "

* Now Postmaster and Telephonist.

Offices opened and closed.

Post Office and Telegraph Department,
General Post Office, Wellington, 18th February, 1895.
W. P. REEVES,

THE following particulars of offices opened and closed are published for general information.

For the Postmaster-General and Electric Telegraph Commissioner.

Office.	District.	Date.
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POST-OFFICES OPENED.

Anakoa Bay	Blenheim	1 January, 1895.
Ingram's	Wanganui	1 January, "
Mahitahi	Hokitika	1 January, "
Moutoa	Wellington	1 January, "
Reikorangi	Wellington	1 January, "
Southburn	Timaru	1 January, "
Springlands	Blenheim	1 January, "
Titirangi	Blenheim	1 January, "
Waterfalls	Wellington	1 January, "
Watershed Road	Wanganui	16 January, "

POST-OFFICES CLOSED.

Awahou	Auckland	31 December, 1894.
Heatherlea	Wellington	31 December, "
Horowhenua	Wellington	31 December, "

MONEY-ORDER OFFICE AND POST-OFFICE SAVINGS-BANK OPENED.

Kaikohe	Auckland	24 January, 1895.
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TELEPHONE-OFFICES OPENED.

Barry's Bay*	Christchurch	28 January, 1895.
French Farm†	"	28 January, "
Island Bay†	Wellington	23 January, "
Sandymount*	Dunedin	16 January, "
Wainui*	Christchurch	28 January, "

* Now post-office and telephone.

† No post-office.

Rainfall for January, 1895.

Station.	Observer.	Total Fall, in Inches.	Days of Rain.	Maximum Fall, and Date (for Previous Twenty-four Hours).
Okaihau	H. C. Burleigh	6.90	19	2.24 on 8th.
Kaitiaki (Whangaroa Harbour)	W. G. Puckey	4.92	8	2.00 on 8th.
Parengarenga	A. R. Crane	3.61	4	1.85 on 13th.
Pakarakā (Bay of Islands)	Hon. H. Williams, M.L.C.	5.56	11	1.88 on 8th.
Auckland	Government Observer	2.72	15	1.17 on 13th.
Cuvier Island (Hauraki Gulf)	Lightkeeper .. .. .	..	..	..
Tolago Bay	A. Reeves	2.73	6	1.05 on 4th.
Athenree-Katikati (Thames)	L. A. Shadwell	7.24	14	1.90 on 4th.
Te Aroha	P. Snewin	4.02	9	0.70 on 5th.
Rotorua	Dr. Ginders	5.77	14	2.15 on 29th.
Gisborne	H. W. Williams	3.49	14	0.89 on 11th.
Mahia Peninsula	G. C. Ormond	2.97	7	..
Matahiia (Gisborne)	F. J. Kemp	3.25	15	1.20 on 11th.
Patutahi (Poverty Bay)	H. N. Watson	1.96	10	0.58 on 4th.
Waipiro (Gisborne)	S. Dodgshun	4.38	12	1.74 on 11th.
Te Aute (Hawke's Bay)	R. Tacou	3.69	8	1.32 on 10th.
Petane (Hawke's Bay)	W. H. Smith	4.06	12	1.21 on 4th.
Napier	E. Lyndon	2.65	9	0.75 on 4th.
Hastings	J. N. Williams	2.77	7	0.70 on 10th.
Maraekakaho Station (Hawke's Bay)	A. Lockie	2.96	10	0.90 on 10th.
Te Kowhai (Patoka, Hawke's Bay)	J. H. Absolom	7.94	8	1.50 on 3rd.
Rakamoana (Hawke's Bay)	J. Moore	6.52	14	2.16 on 4th.
Waikaremoana	A. Mills	4.41	12	1.07 on 4th.
Mangakuri	G. C. Williams	2.41	7	1.54 on 10th.
Erehwon (Hawke's Bay)	W. J. Birch	4.88	14	1.38 on 10th.
Waimarama (Hawke's Bay)	Thomas R. Moore	2.47	8	0.80 on 9th.
Mount Vernon (Hawke's Bay)	R. Harding	3.18	14	1.20 on 3rd.
Tutira Lake (Hawke's Bay)	H. Guthrie-Smith	3.20	12	0.52 on 2nd.
Gwavas (Hawke's Bay)	J. Nicoll	3.61	13	1.17 on 9th.
Wairamarama (Raglan)	H. V. Rutherford	4.83	9	1.46 on 6th.
New Plymouth	E. Veale	6.76	15	1.72 on 5th.
Inglewood	Miss N. Trimble	6.07	18	1.86 on 5th.
Ngatimaru	Miss A. Hutchinson	5.34	13	1.43 on 5th and 12th.
Opuhi (Otakeho, Taranaki)	D. Wilkie	5.15	14	2.06 on 5th.
Marehema (Upper Waitotara)	E. F. Liffiton	4.74	15	0.94 on 10th.
Stratford	Miss Bobin	5.34	16	2.24 on 5th.
Opunake	A. H. Moore	5.32	17	2.01 on 5th.
Manaia	G. A. Hurley	6.58	10	2.75 on 5th.
Kaponga (Wanganui)	F. S. Canning	5.75	11	2.06 on 4th.
Hawera (Waipapa)	J. Livingston	5.30	13	2.13 on 5th.
Wanganui	W. L. Mountfort	3.31	14	0.50 on 14th.
Kaitoke (Wanganui)	A. Wychodil	2.46	12	0.43 on 1st.
Wanganui (No. 2 Line)	H. I. Jones	3.53	13	0.52 on 13th.
Campbelltown	H. Sanson	2.86	12	0.77 on 1st.
Feilding	S. Goodbehere	2.69	14	1.04 on 2nd.
Colyton (Feilding)	R. L. Pudney	2.45	13	0.70 on 2nd.
Ormondville	J. C. Westall	7.23	14	3.08 on 3rd.
Woodville	E. A. Hagen	5.03	16	1.50 on 2nd.
Palmerston North	Captain S. Brown .. .. .	..	..	..
Ashurst	Henry Barnes	3.84	12	1.68 on 1st.
Otaki	M. H. Ayre	2.51	14	0.46 on 11th.
Kereru	Miss Dunlop .. .. .	..	..	..
Ramatawa (Newmarket)	W. H. Herbert	4.29	14	1.35 on 11th.
Pahiatua	W. Tossill	4.19	15	1.00 on 1st.
Masterton	B. Couborne	4.54	9	1.73 on 11th.
Otauhao	J. Bennett	4.58	9	1.40 on 10th and 11th.
Carterton	H. Braithwaite	2.80	10	0.86 on 3rd.
Featherston	H. C. Smith	4.61	9	1.70 on 11th.
Dry River (near Martinborough)	C. Phillips .. .. .	..	..	..
Summit (Rimutaka)	M. Cronin	8.53	13	2.12 on 11th.
Upper Hutt	M. Maher	3.80	10	1.05 on 2nd.
Taita	T. Mason	4.96	12	1.84 on 9th.
Petone	Sir J. Hector	5.81	12	2.13 on 9th.
Wellington Observatory	Government Observer	6.04	12	2.25 on 9th.
Pukerua	W. Bell	3.32	13	1.13 on 9th.
Wainuiomata Reservoir	J. Quaintance	4.59	10	1.58 on 9th.
Wellington Reservoir	W. Edmonds	4.71	12	1.50 on 9th.
Stephen's Island	Lightkeeper	3.05	8	1.00 on 12th.
Blenheim	N. T. Prichard	4.46	14	1.57 on 8th.
Nelson	Dr. Hudson	5.88	16	1.50 on 8th.
Flaxbourne	W. Tatchell	6.53	10	1.80 on 2nd.
Cape Campbell	Lightkeeper	4.27	6	1.70 on 9th.
Kaikoura	Miss E. Collins	8.17	14	2.10 on 2nd.
Kekerangu	W. J. White	6.25	10	2.91 on 2nd.
The Brothers	Lightkeeper .. .. .	..	..	..
Farewell Spit	Lightkeeper	4.68	13	1.29 on 9th.
Highfield (Waiau)	J. A. Northcote	6.07	12	1.52 on 10th.
Lincoln	P. Marshall	2.19	13	0.66 on 2nd.
Akaroa	Miss Jacobson	2.30	13	0.67 on 2nd.
Christchurch	A. L. Taylor	2.23	12	0.55 on 2nd.
Rhodes Convalescent Home, Port Hills, Christchurch	Mrs. Macpherson	2.02	10	0.50 on 2nd.
Linwood (Christchurch)	J. A. Biltcliff	2.19	14	0.40 on 9th.
Hororata (Selwyn)	Hon. Sir J. Hall, K.C.M.G.	3.48	20	0.59 on 2nd.
Kapunatiki (Rangitata)	Hon. W. Rolleston	1.49	16	0.31 on 31st.

Rainfall for January, 1895—continued.

Station.	Observer.	Total Fall, in Inches.	Days of Rain.	Maximum Fall, and Date (for Previous Twenty-four Hours).
Peel Forest	W. E. Barker .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Ruanui	J. F. Studholme	5.36	22	1.76 on 10th.
Methven	H. G. Baker	5.05	19	1.34 on 2nd.
Drayton (Methven)	E. Chapman	4.86	18	1.40 on 2nd.
Pleasant Valley (Geraldine)	Captain E. F. Temple	3.81	19	0.72 on 9th.
Windsor Park (Oamaru)	E. Menlove	1.51	17	0.25 on 1st.
Dunedin	Government Observer	3.48	16	0.57 on 1st.
Kaitangata	W. M. Shore	3.76	16	1.18 on 1st.
Middlemarch (Otago)	D. Crawford	7.25	14	1.40 on 1st.
St. Bathans (Otago)	J. Ewing	2.65	12	0.63 on 9th.
Kyeburn (Otago)	R. W. Glendinning	1.62	14	0.28 on 9th.
Westport	S. A. Leach	9.19	19	1.46 on 6th.
Hokitika	A. D. Macfarlane	8.91	14	2.03 on 8th.
Greymouth	J. Conner	10.66	15	2.00 on 6th.
Balclutha	C. C. Halliday	2.35	9	0.75 on 2nd.
Bealey	J. Ryan	4.35	13	1.12 on 7th.
Kauroo (Maheno)	R. A. Chaffey	2.12	13	1.07 on 1st.
Dipton	R. D. MacLachlan	4.38	12	0.88 on 8th.
Wyndham (Southland)	W. H. Rodney	6.89	11	1.43 on 31st.
Invercargill	J. L. Bush	4.72	15	0.65 on 20th.
Otautau	N. A. McLaren	6.38	15	1.85 on 31st.
Puysegur Point	Lightkeeper .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Queenstown	L. Hotop	2.28	9	0.54 on 8th.
Chatham Islands	A. Shand .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Resolution Island (Dusky Sound)	R. Henry .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .

Meteorological Office, Wellington, New Zealand.

J. HECTOR, Director.

Native Land Court Notices.

Rehearing.—Makauri and Taruheru Blocks.

Native Land Court Office,
Gisborne, 16th February, 1895.

IN the matter of a decision given by the Court while acting under the provisions of the Poututu Jurisdiction Act, being Judgments Nos. 6 to 10 of the Poututu Inquiry, and affecting the Makauri and Taruheru Blocks; and in the matter of an application for a rehearing made to this Court in writing within three months of the said decision.

Whereas upon inquiry held in open Court by the Chief Judge of the said Court, assisted by an Assessor, it was ordered that a rehearing upon such decisions be had:

Notice is hereby given that a sitting of the Court will be held at Gisborne, on the 30th day of March, 1895, for the purpose of rehearing the said matter.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

Rehearing.—Kaiaua Block.

Native Land Court Office,
Gisborne, 16th February, 1895.

IN the matter of a decision of the Court made the 24th day of February, 1894, upon the hearing of a claim for the investigation of the title to land known as Kaiaua; and in the matter of applications made to the Court for a rehearing upon the said claim.

Whereas upon inquiry in open Court before the Chief Judge of the said Court, assisted by an Assessor, it was ordered that a rehearing upon such claim be had, subject to the following conditions: "That the cost of the rehearing and the inquiry into the application for rehearing be paid to the successful party on the rehearing, the amount of the cost of the rehearing to be in the discretion of the Court on the rehearing, and the amount of the cost of the inquiry to be £5 5s.":

Notice is hereby given that a sitting of the Court will be held at Gisborne, on the 30th day of March, 1895, for the purpose of rehearing the said claim.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

Rehearing.—Puninga Block.

Native Land Court Office,
Gisborne, 16th February, 1895.

IN the matter of a decision of the Court made on the 3rd day of October, 1891, upon the hearing of a claim for partition of the land known as Puninga Block, and of an application by Pera Kuhukuhu and others for a rehearing made to this Court within three months of the said decision.

Whereas upon inquiry in open Court before the Chief Judge of the said Court, assisted by an Assessor, it was ordered on the 15th June, 1892, that a rehearing upon such claim be had:

Notice is hereby given that a sitting of the Court will be held at Gisborne, on the 30th day of March, 1895, for the purpose of rehearing the said claim.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

Rehearing.—Anaura Block.

Native Land Court Office,
Gisborne, 16th February, 1895.

IN the matter of a decision of the Court given on the 9th day of May, 1891, upon the hearing of a claim for succession to the interest of Te Teira Makahuri in the Anaura Block; and in the matter of an application for a rehearing made to this Court in writing within three months of the said decision.

Whereas upon inquiry in open Court by the Chief Judge of the said Court, assisted by an Assessor, it was ordered that a rehearing upon such claim be had:

Notice is hereby given that a sitting of the Court will be held at Gisborne, on the 30th day of March, 1895, for the purpose of rehearing the said claim.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

Rehearing.—Oweta Block.

Native Land Court Office,
Gisborne, 16th February, 1895.

IN the matter of a decision of the Court made the 18th day of February, 1891, upon the hearing of a claim for succession to the interest of Hori Karaka in the land known as Oweta Block, and of an application by Heni Kara and others for a rehearing made to this Court within three months of the said decision.

Whereas upon inquiry in open Court before the Chief Judge of the said Court, assisted by an Assessor, it was ordered on the 23rd May, 1892, that a rehearing upon such claim be had:

Notice is hereby given that a sitting of the Court will be held at Gisborne, on the 30th day of March, 1895, for the purpose of rehearing the said claim.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

Rehearing.—Estate of Rihara Katikati.

Native Land Court Office,
Gisborne, 16th February, 1895.

IN the matter of a decision of the Court made the 10th day of October, 1892, upon the hearing of an application for a grant of letters of administration in the estate of Rihara Katikati, and of an application made to this Court by Tiemi Wirihana for a rehearing upon the said claim.

Whereas upon inquiry in open Court before the Chief Judge of the said Court, assisted by an Assessor, it was ordered that a rehearing upon such claim be had:

Notice is hereby given that a sitting of the Court will be held at Gisborne, on the 30th day of March, 1895, for the purpose of rehearing the said claim.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

"The Native Land Court Act, 1894."

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 12th February, 1895.
 NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Wellington on the 12th day of March, 1895, to hear and determine the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, in respect of which applications have been received by the Registrar, and all such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.

[Wellington, 95-13.]

SCHEDULE.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON, Registrar.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	Lease (93-99)	9th August, 1892	Kenepuru No. 4A ..	Atanatiu te Kairangi and others to John Whitehouse.
2	Lease (93-175)	30th January, 1892	Johnsonville, Block XI., Section 8, Lot 26	Motakou, <i>alias</i> Ngaueho, to George Thomas Bennett.
3	Lease (93-183)	25th January, 1893	Johnsonville, Block XI., Section 8, Lot 27	Ihaka te Rou to Jane Bennett.
4	Transfer (93-215)	1st June, 1893	Pipitea Pa, Lots 12 and 16	Ani Hirini and others to John Thompson.
5	Transfer (93-346)	18th October, 1892	Hutt, Section 16, Subdivision 30	Mawene Hohua and others to James William Batie and another.
6	Transfer (93-371)	30th May, 1893	Whareroa, Subdivision No. 1	Waata Naenae to Michael James Lynch and another.
7	Transfer (93-393)	7th September, 1893	Pipitea Pa, Lot 3 ..	Ani Enoka to George Beetham.
8	Lease (94-22)	19th August, 1893	Johnsonville, Section 8, Subdivision 27	Josephine Love to George Cowper Waddington.
9	Transfer (94-276)	23rd July, 1894	Onepoto	Peehi te Kakakura to William Jillett.
10	Lease (94-321)	23rd July, 1894	Koangaumu, Sections 8 and 9	Erenora Tungia to William Dormer.
11	Transfer (94-367)	1st October, 1894	Taupo No. 3	Erenora Tungia to the Wellington and Manawatu Railway Company (Limited).
12	Transfer (94-368)	20th August, 1894	Oroi Native Reserve ..	Heta Hemi to Edward Joshua Riddiford.
13	Transfer (94-369)	18th September, 1894	Oroi Native Reserve ..	Ani Ratima and another to Edward Joshua Riddiford.
14	Transfer (94-414)	12th October, 1894	Wairaka, Section 8 ..	Hoani Warena to James Wall.
15	Transfer (94-415)	18th September, 1894	Wairaka, Section 10 ..	Tiripa Tunui to James Wall.
16	Transfer (94-416)	6th September, 1894	Wairaka, Section 16 ..	Aperahama Mira to James Wall.
17	Transfer (94-417)	28th September, 1894	Wairaka, Section 9 ..	Wiremu te Hemara to James Wall.
18	Transfer (94-418)	6th September, 1894	Wairaka, Section 14 ..	Raiha Puaha to James Wall.
19	Transfer (94-421)	19th October, 1894	Kaiwhara, Section 5 ..	Arthur Stuart Menteath and James Futter to John Thompson.
20	Transfer (94-422)	14th May, 1894	Kaiwhara, Section 5 ..	Hone Retimana, trustee for Hohua Warena, and others to John Thompson.
21	Transfer (94-450)	6th November, 1894	Pipitea Pa, Lot 22 ..	Hone Ngaukaka and others to Teo Tipene.
22	Transfer (94-547)	23rd November, 1894	Takaka, Section 13, Subdivision No. 1A	Mere Wirihana to Sarah Jane Reilly and others.
23	Transfer (95-9)	20th November, 1894	Polhill Gully, Block XV.B, Section 3	Kuraheke Pumipi to William Adams and another.
24	Transfer (95-49)	20th November, 1894	Polhill Gully, Block XV.B, Section 3	Kuraheke Pumipi to William Adams and another.

PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
35	Teo Tipene and others	Hutt, Section 16, Subdivision 8.
36	Teo Tipene and others	Hutt, Section 16, Subdivision 9.
37	Katene Anaru	Pitoone No. 16, Subdivision 28.
38	Mohi Karena	Te Korokoro.
39	Wera te Teira	Otari.
40	Matenga te Hiko	Pukerua No. 3C, No. 2.
41	John Anderson	Polhill Gully, Lot 1, Section 41.
42	Meri Makirangi	Polhill Gully, Lot 2, Section 41.
43	J. Thompson	Pipitea No. 12.
44	J. Thompson	Pipitea No. 16.
45	Archibald Mackay and others	Whareroa No. 2.
46	Taniora Anaru and others	Hutt, Subdivision 1B, Section 3.
47	Tautara Renata	Te Momi West, Section 8.
48	Ripeka Karena and others	Te Momi East, Section 1, Subdivision 2.
49	Pirihira Karena	Te Momi, Section 20, Subdivision 2.
50	Rangi te Puni and others	Parangarahu.
51	Honiana te Puni and others	Parangarahu.
52	Ani Matene and another	Parangarahu No. 1.
53	Hori te Puni	Parangarahu No. 1.
54	Hare Parata and others	Waiwhetu Pa.
55	Karehana Weta and others	Paekakariki.
56	Ngawaina Hanikamu and another	Paekakariki No. 1.
57	Francis Loudon	Hutt, Sections 2 and 3, Subdivision 5.
58	J. Thompson	Hutt, Section 36, Subdivision 7.
59	Heremaia te Wheoro	Makara, Section 22.
60	Hori Paengahuru	Kaiwharawhara Pa.

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 91 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1886," FOR RIGHT-OF-WAY.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
103	Hanikamu te Hiko, Raiha Puaha (91-1341)	Pukerua No. 2, Section 1.
104	Hanikamu te Hiko, Raiha Puaha (91-1341)	Pukerua No. 3c.

APPLICATIONS TO DETERMINE RELATIVE INTERESTS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
105	Eruera Renata	Hutt, Sections 1 and 2, Subdivision 8.
106	Komene Patara Rangiatea and others	Hutt, Section 16, Subdivisions 5 and 6.
107	Eruera Renata	Waiwhetu, Section 19, Subdivision 13.
108	Eruera Renata	Korokoro South No. 1.
109	Meri te Puni and others	Raumanuka, Section 42, Subdivision 3.
110	Eruera Renata	Taita, Section 57, Subdivision No. 5.
111	Eruera Renata	Taita, Section 58, Subdivision No. 9.
112	Eruera Renata	Momi, Section 20, Subdivision 14.
113	Rangi te Puni and others	Parangarahu.
114	Eruera Renata	Parangarahu No. 4.

REMOVAL OF RESTRICTIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
115	Josephine Love	Whakahukuwai, Section 16, Subdivision 26.
116	Rora Waiti and another	Maungaraki No. 5.
117	Ema te Puni and others	Raumanuka, Section 42, Subdivision 3.
118	Turia Warahi and another	Williamstown, Sections 2 and 7.
119	Teo Tipene	Williamstown, Sections 7 and 9.
120	Kuraheke Pumipi and another	Williamstown, Subdivision 8, Section 26, Block XII.
121	Tare Warahi	Williamstown.
122	Eruera Hohua	Hutt, Section 16, Subdivision 30.
123	Heremaia te Wheoro	Makara, Section 22.
124	Arihia Puketapu and others	Ngahauranga, Section 6.
125	Tame Parata	Waikouaiti, Block XII., Section 18.

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY LIENS.

No.	Name of Surveyor.	Name of Land.	Amount.
126	Surveyor-General	Pukerua No. 3A	£ s. d. 7 10 0
127	Surveyor-General	Pukerua No. 3B	7 10 0
128	Surveyor-General	Pukerua No. 3c	61 0 0
129	Everard W. Seaton	Raumanuka, Section 42, Subdivision No. 3	9 10 0
130	A. O. N. O'Donahoo	Porirua, Subdivision 1, Section 9 ..	5 4 0
131	A. O. N. O'Donahoo	Porirua, Subdivision 2, Section 9 ..	3 5 0
132	A. O. N. O'Donahoo	Porirua, Subdivision 3, Section 9 ..	3 15 0
133	A. O. N. O'Donahoo	Porirua, Subdivision 4, Section 9 ..	3 10 0
134	A. O. N. O'Donahoo	Porirua, Subdivision 5, Section 9, Subdivision 7	3 10 0
135	A. O. N. O'Donahoo	Porirua, Subdivision 6, Section 7 ..	4 4 0
136	A. O. N. O'Donahoo	Porirua, Subdivision 7, Section 7 ..	3 10 0

APPLICATION FOR COMPENSATION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Area of Land taken.
137	The Hutt Park Railway Company (Limited)	Hutt, Section 2, Subdivision 1A, Lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7	15 perches.
		Hutt, Section 2, Subdivision 1A	8 $\frac{7}{10}$ perches.
		Hutt, Section 2, Subdivision 1A	30 $\frac{7}{10}$ perches.

APPLICATION FOR PROBATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased Person.
138	Messrs. Chapman and Tripp	Heremaia Tau.

Land brought within the Jurisdiction of the Native Land Court under Section 15 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894."

THE ONEPOTO AND IKA-A-MARU NATIVE RESERVES.

Native Land Court Office, Wellington, 12th February, 1895.

IN pursuance of an Order in Council, dated the 7th day of January, 1895, declaring that it shall be within the jurisdiction of the Native Land Court to ascertain and determine who are the aboriginal Natives entitled, and in what proportions, to a share or shares in the above-named reserves, and to make such order or orders in that behalf as the nature of the case may require, it is hereby notified that at a sitting of the Native Land Court to be held at Wellington on the 12th day of March, 1895, the Court will proceed to inquire into the above cases in accordance with the terms of the said Order in Council, and to make such order or orders in that behalf as the nature of the case may require.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON, Registrar.

"The Native Land Court Act, 1894."

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 19th February, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Palmerston North on the 15th day of March, 1895, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON, Registrar.

[Wellington, 95-14.]

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	Mortgage (94-448A) ..	10th July, 1894	Aorangi No. 3H, part of	Ahenata te Ra and another to Jacob Nannstead.
2	Transfer (94-536) ..	1st November, 1894	Horowhenua No. 3D, No. 4	Pirihira Hautapu to Ditler Gothard Monrad.
3	Transfer (94-538) ..	21st December, 1894	Tuwahakapua No. 2C, No. 1	Wiri te Uruotea to Gilbert Mair.
4	Transfer (95-13) ..	18th September, 1894	Tuwahakapua No. 1G, No. 1	Hare Rakena te Aweawe and others to William Akers.
5	Transfer (95-14) ..	8th December, 1894	Aorangi No. 3H, part of	Koeti te Rangimauiora and another to Frederick Gillett.
6	Agreement for sale (95-48)	14th March, 1882	Hadfield Town, Sections 109, 110, and 112	Between Natana Pipito and Peka Pipito.
7	Lease (95-50) .. ..	.. ..	Tamaki	Ihaia te Ngarara and another to John Christian Richter and others.

PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
8	Rihi Tapuae	Manawatu-Kukutauaki No. 2D.

"The Native Land Court Act, 1894."

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 15th February, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Hastings on the 5th day of March, 1895, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON, Registrar.

[Wellington, 95-11.]

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 39 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
98	Paora Ropiha (Na. 91-1)	Mangangarara.

PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
99	George Beetham and others	Te Apiti No. 2C.
100	George Beetham and others	Te Apiti No. 2D.
101	George Beetham and others	Te Apiti No. 2E.

"The Native Land Court Act, 1894."

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 15th February, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Whanganui on the 26th day of February, 1895, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON, Registrar.

[Wellington, 95-12.]

SCHEDULE.

PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
328	Eparaima Pake	Takahangapounamu.
329	Ketu Ngawerewere	Takahangapounamu.

"The Native Land Court Act, 1894."

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 18th February, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matter mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Otaki on the 1st day of March, 1895, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON, Registrar.

[Wellington, 95-13.]

SCHEDULE.
PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
11	Riria Wirihana	Oturoa.

Application for Probate.

Native Land Court Office,
Auckland, 18th February, 1895.

In the matter of the will of EREATARA TINIRAU, of Whitianga, deceased.

APPLICATION having been made by Rahera Tanui and Erana te Onerere that probate be granted of the aforesaid will:

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

JAS. W. BROWNE,
Registrar.

Application for Probate.

Native Land Court Office,
Auckland, 16th February, 1895.

In the matter of the will of TE WIRIWIRI, otherwise TE KAINGAAHI, late of Rangiriri, deceased.

APPLICATION having been made by Awahi Waiwera that probate be granted of the aforesaid will:

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

JAS. W. BROWNE,
Registrar.

Application for Letters of Administration with Will annexed.

Native Land Court Office,
Auckland, 16th February, 1895.

In the matter of the will of REWI MANIAPOTO MANGA, late of Pukekawa, near Kihikihi, deceased.

APPLICATION having been made by Arthur Hyam Nathan that letters of administration with the aforesaid will be granted:

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

JAS. W. BROWNE,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS William Muhunga Broughton, of Omaha, Napier, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have leased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Omaha No. 3 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 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 Napier 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, Esq., 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 5th day of March, 1895, at 10 a.m.

Dated at Wellington, this 12th day of February, 1895.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,
Registrar.

[The above notice is in substitution for a notice of sitting at Whanganui, which appeared in *Gazette* No. 12, of the 14th February, 1895, page 312, which is hereby cancelled.]

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

WHEREAS Thomas William Fisher, of Waitotara, farmer, a person claiming to have leased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Kaharoa No. 3 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 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 Robert Ward, Esq., 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, Whanganui, on the 5th day of March, 1895, at 10 a.m.

Dated at Wellington, this 19th day of February, 1895.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS George Gillespie Storey, of Port Awanui, in the District of Waiau, a storekeeper, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Omaewa No. 1c 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS it is claimed on behalf of the Assets Company (Limited), of Edinburgh, Scotland, and of New Zealand, that the said company had purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Matatuotonga Block, and had been prior to the date of the passing of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," in negotiation for the purchase or lease of certain other shares or interests therein: And whereas the said company has caused such claim to be notified 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Alfred Robert Hale Swindley, of Coromandel, gentleman, a person claiming to have leased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Waihuka B2 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Alfred Robert Hale Swindley, of Coromandel, gentleman, a person claiming to have leased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Waihuka B1 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS George Dixon, of Anaura, East Coast, station-manager, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Rotokautuku No. 2G Block, and to have been prior to the date of the passing of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," in negotiation for the purchase or 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS George Dixon, of Anaura, East Coast, station-manager, a person claiming to have leased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Takamore Block, and to have been prior to the date of the passing of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," in negotiation for the purchase or 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS John Frederick Tiffen, of Napier, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Mangatu No. 2D 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Frederick John Tiffen, of Napier, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Mangatu No. 2F 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Frederick John Tiffen, of Napier, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Puhatikotiko No. 3B 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Frederick John Tiffen, of Napier, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Puhatikotiko No. 7B 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Messrs. Bayly Brothers, of Gisborne, sheep-farmers, persons claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Umumango No. 1B¹ 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, have 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 have 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Messrs. Bayly Brothers, of Gisborne, sheep-farmers, persons claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Umumango No. 1B² 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, have 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 have 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Henri Loisel, of Waihau, near Tolago Bay, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in Tokomaru South No. 1B 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 of the Native Land Court has referred the said claim to James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Henri Loisel, of Waihau, near Tolago Bay, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Tokomaru No. 4 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Henri Loisel, of Waihau, near Tolago Bay, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Tokomaru No. 2B 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Henri Loisel, of Waihau, near Tolago Bay, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Tokomaru No. 3B 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Everard Hannon Henderson, of Hicks Bay, East Coast, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have leased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Matakaoa 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Robert Colebrook, of Waerengaahika, store-keeper, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Mangaoae No. 18 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Mary Bloomfield, widow, of Gisborne, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Umukapua Block, and to have been prior to the date of the passing of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," in negotiation for the purchase or 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 may be held as provided by section 118 of the said Act: And whereas the Chief Judge has referred the said claim to James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Percival Barker, of Gisborne, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Roto-o-tahi Block, and to have been prior to the date of the passing of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," in negotiation for the purchase or 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Percival Barker, of Gisborne, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Kirikiriroa Block, and to have been prior to the date of the passing of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," in negotiation for the purchase or 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS it is claimed on behalf of the Assets Company (Limited), of Edinburgh, Scotland, and of New Zealand, that the said company had purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Rangatira Block, and had been prior to the date of the passing of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," in negotiation for the purchase or lease of certain other shares or interests therein: And whereas the said company has caused such claim to be notified 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Percival Barker, of Gisborne, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Tuawhatu No. 3 Block, and to have been prior to the date of the passing of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," in negotiation for the purchase or 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS it is claimed on behalf of the Assets Company (Limited), of Edinburgh, Scotland, and of New Zealand, that the said company had purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Ngatawaka-waka Block, and had been prior to the date of the passing of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," in negotiation for the purchase or lease of certain other shares or interests therein: And whereas the said company has caused such claim to be notified 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS it is claimed on behalf of the Assets Company (Limited), of Edinburgh, Scotland, and of New Zealand, that the said company had purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Manukawhitikitiki Block, and had been prior to the date of the passing of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," in negotiation for the purchase or lease of certain other shares or interests therein: And whereas the said company has caused such claim to be notified 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Percival Barker, of Gisborne, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Tuawhatu No. 4 Block, and to have been prior to the date of the passing of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," in negotiation for the purchase or 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Patrick McLoughlin, of Gisborne, contractor, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in Kaiti No. 295 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Patrick McLoughlin, of Gisborne, contractor, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Kaiti 290 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS James Matthews, of Hampden, Hawke's Bay, storekeeper, a person claiming to have leased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Orua 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS James Matthews, of Hampden, Hawke's Bay, storekeeper, a person claiming to have leased from certain Native owners shares or interests in the Makarika 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Percival Barker, of Gisborne, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Tuawhātu 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 or 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Percival Barker, of Gisborne, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Tuawhātu No. 1B Block, and to have been prior to the date of the passing of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," in negotiation for the purchase or 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Alfred Robert Hale Swindley, of Coromandel, gentleman, claiming to have leased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Puke-manuka A 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Alfred Robert Hale Swindley, of Coromandel, gentleman, a person claiming to have leased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Puke-manuka B 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Elsdon Best, of Wellington, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Wharikirauponga A or 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 purchase or 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Elsdon Best, of Wellington, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Pukemanuka C 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Thomas Fraser, of Pouawa, near Gisborne, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have leased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Waimata South 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 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

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Registrar.

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

WHEREAS William O'Meara and Keita Kutai, of Waihora, near Gisborne, persons claiming to have leased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Paraeroa 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, have 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 have 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS William O'Meara and Keita Kutai, of Waihora, near Gisborne, persons claiming to have leased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in Waihora No. 2c 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, have 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 have 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Robert Harper, of Gisborne, draper, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in Kaiti No. 244 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 of the Native Land Court has referred the said claim to James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Thomas Sydney Williams, of Waipiro, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Raparapaririki No. 6 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Sir George Stoddart Whitmore, of Tuparoa, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have leased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Pritarau 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Raymond Walter Kemp, Thomas Henry Reginald Gardiner, and James Vaulkner Williams, of Anaura, sheep-farmers, persons claiming to have leased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Waione 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, have 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 have 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

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

WHEREAS Raymond Walter Kemp, Thomas Henry Reginald Gardiner, and James Vaulkner Williams, of Anaura, sheep-farmers, persons claiming to have leased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Waihoa 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, have 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 have 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Raymond Walter Kemp, Thomas Henry Reginald Gardiner, and James Vaulkner Williams, of Anaura, sheep-farmers, persons claiming to have leased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Tangoiro 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, have 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 have 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

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

WHEREAS Raymond Walter Kemp, Thomas Henry Reginald Gardiner, and James Vaulkner Williams, of Anaura, sheep-farmers, persons claiming to have leased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Nuhiti 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, have 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 have 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Walter Raymond Kemp, Thomas Henry Reginald Gardiner, and James Vaulkner Williams, of Anaura, sheep-farmers, persons claiming to have leased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Nuhiti 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 lease of certain other shares or interests therein, have 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 have 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS it is claimed on behalf of the Bank of New South Wales that the said bank had purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Pouawa No. 2H Block, and had 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: And whereas the said bank has caused such claim to be notified to the Chief Judge of the Native Land Court, and 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Messrs. Bayly Brothers, of Gisborne, sheep-farmers, persons claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Umumango No. 1c 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, have 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 have 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Messrs. Bayly Brothers, of Gisborne, sheep-farmers, persons claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Umumango No. 1A 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, have 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 have 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Edward Murphy, of Te Arai, near Gisborne, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Panikau No. 2A Block, and to have been prior to the date of the passing of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," in negotiation for the purchase or 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS it is claimed on behalf of the Assets Company (Limited), of Edinburgh, Scotland, and of New Zealand, that the said company had purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Manukawhitikitiki No. 1 Block, and had been prior to the date of the passing of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," in negotiation for the purchase or lease of certain other shares or interests therein: And whereas the said company has caused such claim to be notified 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Charles Gray, of Whataupoko, near Gisborne, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in Waihora No. 2B 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Sarah Ruth Cooper, wife of William Cooper, of Kaiti, near Gisborne, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Kaiti 282 Block, and to have been prior to the date of the passing of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," in negotiation for the purchase or 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

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JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Sarah Ruth Cooper, wife of William Cooper, of Kaiti, near Gisborne, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Kaiti 281 Block, and to have been prior to the date of the passing of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," in negotiation for the purchase or 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

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

WHEREAS Sarah Ruth Cooper, wife of William Cooper, of Kaiti, near Gisborne, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Kaiti 303B Block, and to have been prior to the date of the passing of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," in negotiation for the purchase or 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

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

WHEREAS Sarah Ruth Cooper, wife of William Cooper, of Kaiti, near Gisborne, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Waingaromia No. 5 Block, and to have been prior to the date of the passing of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," in negotiation for the purchase or 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS John Clark, of Opou, near Gisborne, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Whatatuna No. 6 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS it is claimed on behalf of the Assets Company (Limited), of Edinburgh, Scotland, and of New Zealand, that the said company had purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Manukawhikitiki No. 2 Block, and had been prior to the date of the passing of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," in negotiation for the purchase or lease of certain other shares or interests therein: And whereas the said company has caused such claim to be notified 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Sarah Ruth Cooper, wife of William Cooper, of Kaiti, near Gisborne, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Waingaromia A Block, and to have been prior to the date of the passing of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," in negotiation for the purchase or 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

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JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Sarah Ruth Cooper, wife of William Cooper, of Kaiti, near Gisborne, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Waingaromia No. 4 Block, and to have been prior to the date of the passing of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," in negotiation for the purchase or 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Sarah Ruth Cooper, wife of William Cooper, of Kaiti, near Gisborne, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Hauomatuku No. 5B Block, and to have been prior to the date of the passing of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," in negotiation for the purchase or 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

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WHEREAS Sarah Ruth Cooper, wife of William Cooper, of Kaiti, near Gisborne, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Hauomatuku No. 1B Block, and to have been prior to the date of the passing of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," in negotiation for the purchase or 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Edward Murphy, of Te Arai, near Gisborne, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Panikau No. 5A Block, and to have been prior to the date of the passing of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," in negotiation for the purchase or 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

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Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Edward Murphy, of Te Arai, near Gisborne, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Panikau No. 4A Block, and to have been prior to the date of the passing of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," in negotiation for the purchase or 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Edward Murphy, of Te Arai, near Gisborne, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Panikau No. 3A Block, and to have been prior to the date of the passing of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," in negotiation for the purchase or 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 James Booth, Esq., a Commissioner under the said Act, for inquiry as aforesaid: I hereby give notice that such inquiry will be held at the Native Land Court House, at Gisborne, on the 19th day of March, 1895, at 11 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of February, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

Rules under "The Native Land Court Act, 1894."

WHEREAS by "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," it is enacted that the Chief Judge of the Native Land Court may from time to time, with the approval of the Governor in Council, make and prescribe rules of practice and procedure and forms of proceedings in the various matters in which jurisdiction is or may be conferred on the said Court, and for regulating the sittings of the said Court, and for fixing the fees to be paid under the said Act, and the time and mode of payment, and for enforcing payment thereof:

Now, therefore, I, George Boutflower Davy, Chief Judge of the said Court, do hereby, for the purposes aforesaid, and each and every of them, and in exercise of the power and authority in that behalf vested in me by the hereinbefore-recited Act, make the rules and regulations and prescribe the forms of procedure following:—

PROCEDURE UNDER SECTION 120 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894."

1. THE approval of a Judge to a renewal of lease under section 120 of the Act may be given by indorsement on the deed or instrument of renewal either before or after the execution thereof. It shall not be necessary that such approval shall be given in open Court.

2. A copy of such deed or instrument and indorsement, certified by the Judge as correct, shall be filed with the Registrar for the district within which the land is situate, and shall be forwarded by him to the Court with the application for confirmation of such renewal under section 53 of the Act. It shall be the duty of the Court, before confirming such renewal, to satisfy itself that the instrument presented for confirmation is in accordance with the certified copy.

3. The fee for filing such copy shall be five shillings (5s.), payable by stamp affixed thereto.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 30th day of January, 1895.

G. B. DAVY,
Chief Judge.

Approved in Council.
J. F. ANDREWS,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Bankruptcy Notices.

In Bankruptcy.

In the estate of JOHN ADEANE, of Gisborne, Saddler.

A FIRST and final dividend, of 17s. 10d. in the pound, in the above estate, is now payable at my office, Gladstone Road.

JOHN COLEMAN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Gisborne, 9th February, 1895.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM HEAPHY, of Reefton, Miner, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, at Reefton, on Tuesday, the 19th day of February, 1895, at 3 o'clock.

W. HINDMARSH,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Reefton, 12th February, 1895.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that NOEL LEE BUCHANAN, of Gough's Bay, Long Bay Road, Farm Overseer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 22nd day of February, 1895, at 2.30 o'clock.

G. L. GREENWOOD,
Official Assignee.

Christchurch, 13th February, 1895.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN SEYMOUR THEOBALD, of Christchurch, Librarian, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 21st day of February, 1895, at 11 o'clock.

G. L. GREENWOOD,
Official Assignee.

Christchurch, 14th February, 1895.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that BENJAMIN SAVILLE, of Christchurch, Bicycle-manufacturer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 25th day of February, 1895, at 11 o'clock.

G. L. GREENWOOD,
Official Assignee.

Christchurch, 18th February, 1895.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES FULTON MARSHALL, of Woolston, near Christchurch, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 25th day of February, 1895, at 2 o'clock.

G. L. GREENWOOD,
Official Assignee.

Christchurch, 18th February, 1895.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that statements of accounts and balance-sheets in respect of the under-mentioned estates, together with the report of the Audit Office thereon, have been duly filed in the above Court; and I hereby further give notice that at the sitting of the said Court to be holden on Tuesday, the 5th day of March, 1895, I intend to apply for an order releasing me from the administration of the said estates.

Dated this 15th day of February, 1895.

Jones, John Maitd., late of St. Alban's, now of Dunedin, Commission Agent.

Parkerson, Edward, of Sumner, Accountant.

Fletcher, John Lowther, Waireka, near Hawkins, Farmer.

Gilling, Abraham, Kaikoura, Labourer.

McDowall, Jane Mary, of Christchurch, Widow.

Sherwin, Matthew James, Christchurch, Hotelkeeper.

Staunton, Henry, Christchurch, Shoemaker.

King, George, Christchurch, Dyer.

Noonan, Robert, Akaroa, Hotelkeeper.

Thomas, Thomas Weary, Teddington, Farmer.

Graham, George, Papanui, Farmer.

Higham, William, late of Wheat-sheaf, Hotelkeeper, now of Christchurch, out of business.

Swords, William, Fernside, Farmer.

Nicolle, John Robert, Glentunnel, late of South Malvern, Hotelkeeper.

Hullen, Henry, late of Ashburton, Farmer, now of Christchurch, out of business.

Saunders, Harry, Christchurch, Hotelkeeper.

Hickman, George Sayce, Christchurch, Commission Agent.

Orr, Samuel, Christchurch, Accountant.

Bullivant, Thomas, Christchurch, late Hotelkeeper, out of business.

Watson, John Thomas, Christchurch, Auctioneer.

Lodge, Emma, Lyttelton, late Licensee of the Crown Hotel.

Quarterman, Harry, Annat, Farmer.

Hardaker, Eri, Sydenham, Engine-driver.

G. L. GREENWOOD,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN MOSES BOURNE, of Tinwald, Storekeeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 18th day of February, 1895, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

JOHN DAVISON,
Deputy Official Assignee.

12th February, 1895.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN DALEY, of Waikaia, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at Mr. Valentine's office, Riversdale, on the 27th day of February, 1895, at 4 o'clock p.m.

R. PILLING, JUN.,
Deputy Assignee.

Lawrence, 18th February, 1895.

Land Transfer Act Notices.

EVIDENCE of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. xxxv., folio 34, in favour of MICHAEL EDWARD MCGARRY, for Lot 9 of Allotment 24, Section 2, Parish of Takapuna, having been lodged with me, and application made to issue a provisional certificate of title:

Notice is hereby given of my intention to issue a provisional certificate of title accordingly at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 15th day of February, 1895, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

EDWIN BAMFORD,
District Land Registrar.

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

1125. JAMES ERSKINE.—Section 140, Town of Gisborne. In occupation of Applicant and tenants.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 14th day of February, 1895, at the Lands Registry Office, Napier.

G. G. BRIDGES,
District Land Registrar.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1885," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 21st day of March, 1895.

2465. THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE (estate of ISAAC GREEN, deceased).—17 perches, part of Section 461, City of Wellington. Unoccupied.

2466. ARTHUR EDWARD RUSSELL and HERBERT HENRY RUSSELL.—27 acres 2 roods 31 perches, Section 406, Palmerston North, Kairanga Survey District. In occupation of Applicants.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 20th day of February, 1895, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

J. W. SHAW,
Deputy District Land Registrar.

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

3153. HERBERT FRANK EDGER and KATE MILLIGAN EVANS.—Portions of Allotments 2 and 3, Section 3, of the subdivision of Allotments 8 and 9, Section 8, Suburbs of Auckland, containing 1 acre and 24 perches. Unoccupied.

3154. JAMES COTTRELL.—Allotments 4 and part of 5, Parish of Puniu, containing 50 acres. In Applicant's occupation.

3156. JAMES FRASER.—Allotment 61, Suburban Section 2, Parish of Pukekohe, containing 10 acres and 31 perches. In Applicant's occupation.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 18th day of February, 1895, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

EDWIN BAMFORD,
District Land Registrar.

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Mining Notices.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Davis and Carr's Terrace Sluicing Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: 8th March, 1890; 13th March, 1890.

Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Cullensville; W. A. Collins.

Nominal capital: £2,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £864 15s.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £242.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same: £864 15s.; £242.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £500.

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

Number of shares allotted: 1,355.

Amount paid up per share: 17s.

Amount called up per share: 17s.

Number and amount of calls in arrear: 460; £46.

Number of shares forfeited: 460.

Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: 460.

Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 24.

Total amount of dividends declared: £575.

Total amount of dividends paid: £575.

Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.

Amount of cash at banker's: £11 14s.

Amount of cash in hand: £1 17s. 5d.

Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.

Amount of contingent liabilities of company: Nil.

I, W. A. Collins, of Cullensville, Manager of the Davis and Carr's Terrace Sluicing Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st day of December, 1894; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

W. A. COLLINS,
Manager.

Declared at Picton, this 12th day of February, 1895, before me—Thomas Philpotts, J.P.

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STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The Greenstone Sluicing Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: 8th December, 1888. Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Hokitika; Leonard Northcroft.

Nominal capital: £7,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £7,000.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £2,702 10s.

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

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £2,300.

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 7,000.

Number of shares allotted: 7,000.

Amount paid up per share: 11s. 6d.

Amount called up per share: 11s. 6d.

Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.

Number of shares forfeited: Nil.

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

Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 40.

Total amount of dividends declared: £1,750.

Total amount of dividends paid: £1,750.

Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.

Amount of cash at banker's: Nil.

Amount of cash in hand: Nil.

Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.

Amount of debts considered good: Nil.

Amount of contingent liabilities of company: £737 19s. 5d.

I, Leonard Northcroft, of Hokitika, the Manager of the above company, do hereby solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company at the 31st day of December, 1894; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

LEO. NORTHCROFT,
Manager.

Declared at Hokitika, this 31st day of January, 1895, before me—James Holmes, J.P.

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STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The United Italy Quartz-mining Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: 30th January, 1882; 24th March, 1882.

Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Reefton; W. G. Collings.

Nominal capital: £24,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £24,000.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £4,150.

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

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid (being 10s. per share, considered paid up on the formation of company): £12,000.

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 24,000.

Number of shares allotted: 24,000.

Amount paid up per share: 3s. 5½d.

Amount called up per share: 3s. 5½d.

Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.
 Number of shares forfeited during the year: Nil.
 Number of forfeited shares sold during the year, and money received for same: Nil.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 30.
 Total amount of dividends declared since formation of company: £300.
 Total amount of dividends paid since formation of company: £300, being 3d. per share.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash at banker's: £176.
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
 Amount of debts directly due to company: £44.
 Amount of debts considered good: £5.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company: £30.
 Present number of shareholders: 31.
 Number of men employed during year; 6 (on tribute).
 Quantity and value of gold produced during year: 470oz.; £1,880.
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 1,026oz.; £4,104.

I, William Goodwin Collings, of Reefton, the Manager of the United Italy Quartz-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company at the present date; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

W. G. COLLINGS,
 Manager.

Declared this 13th day of February, 1895, before me—
 George Casley, J.P. 172

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The Inglewood Extended Quartz-mining Company (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration: 12th July, 1882; 25th August, 1882.
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Reefton: W. G. Collings.
 Nominal capital: £24,000.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £24,000.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £8,550.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same: Nil.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: 10s. per share on 24,000, considered paid up on formation of company.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 24,000.
 Number of shares allotted: 24,000.
 Amount paid up per share: 7s. 1½d.
 Amount called up per share: 7s. 1½d.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.
 Number of shares forfeited during the year: Nil.
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 46.
 Total amount of dividends declared: £1,500.
 Total amount of dividends paid: £1,500.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash at banker's: Nil.
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
 Amount of debts directly due to company: £40.
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company: £35.
 Present number of shareholders: 38.
 Number of men employed during year: 6 (on tribute).
 Quantity and value of gold produced during year; 70oz.; £280.
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 5,300oz.; £22,564.

I, William Goodwin Collings, of Reefton, the Manager of the Inglewood Extended Quartz-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company at the present date; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

W. G. COLLINGS,
 Manager.

Declared this 13th day of February, 1895, before me—
 George Casley, J.P. 173

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The Round Hill Mining Company (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration: 30th July, 1892.
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Dunedin; Richard Henry Leary.
 Nominal capital: £50,000.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £24,046 13s. 4d.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £17,506 13s. 4d.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same: £20,006 13s. 4d.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £6,540.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 10,000.
 Number of shares allotted: 5,348.
 Amount paid up per share: £4 6s. 8d. on 3,740 shares, and £5 on 300 shares.
 Amount called up per share: £4 6s. 8d. on 3,740 shares, and £5 on 300 shares.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 7.
 Present number of shareholders: Share Register in England.
 Number of men employed by company: Average about 25.
 Quantity and value of gold produced during the preceding year: 1,181oz. 16dwt. 9gr.; £5,052 11s. 9d.
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 2,483oz. 6dwt. 9gr.; £10,473 5s. 5d.
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during the preceding year: £3,385 14s. 6d.
 Total expenditure since registration: £18,244 18s. 8d.
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash at banker's: £64 16s. 2d.
 Amount of cash in hand: £43 12s.
 Amount of debts directly due to company: £100.
 Amount of debts considered good: £75.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company: £600.

I, Sidney Cooper Leary, of Dunedin, the Acting Manager of the Round Hill Mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company at the 31st day of December, 1894; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

S. C. LEARY,
 Acting Manager.

Declared at Dunedin, this 13th day of February, 1895, before me—James Hazlett, J.P. 176

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The Deep Creek Sluicing Company (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration: 12th September, 1893.
 Whether in active operation or not: Let on tribute.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Blenheim; Edward Purser.
 Nominal capital: £6,000.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £2,085.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £611 11s.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same: Nil.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £1,000; 4,000 shares paid to 5s.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 4,177.
 Number of shares allotted: 8,177.
 Amount paid up per share: 2s. 6d.
 Amount called up per share: 4s.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: No. 1 call, £4 17s. 6d.; No. 2, £33 5s.; No. 3, £86 6s.
 Number of shares forfeited: 3,453.
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 78.
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash at banker's: Nil.
 Amount of cash in hand: £3 2s. 6d.
 Amount of debts directly due to company: £126 8s. 6d.
 Amount of debts considered good: £90.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company: £293 12s. 6d.

I, Edward Purser, the Manager of the Deep Creek Sluicing Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st day of December, 1894; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

EDWARD PURSER,
Manager.

Declared at Blenheim, this 14th day of February, 1895,
before me—William Macey, J.P. 177

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The Waiotahi Gold-mining Company (Limited).
When formed, and date of registration: 28th July, 1871; 1st August, 1871.
Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: 91, Queen Street, Auckland; Francis Angus White.
Nominal capital: £18,000.
Amount of capital subscribed: £18,000.
Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £15,000.
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same: Nil.
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.
Number of shares into which capital is divided: 6,000.
Number of shares allotted: 6,000.
Amount paid up per share: £2 10s.
Amount called up per share: £2 10s.
Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.
Number of shares forfeited: Nil.
Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.
Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 8.
Total amount of dividends declared: £30,750.
Total amount of dividends paid: £30,747 10s.
Total amount of unclaimed dividends: £2 10s.
Amount of cash at banker's: £307 10s. 5d.
Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.
Amount of debts considered good: Nil.
Amount of contingent liabilities of company: £47 9s. 8d.

I, Francis Angus White, of Auckland, the Manager of the Waiotahi Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st day of December, 1894; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

F. A. WHITE,
Manager.

Declared at Auckland, this 6th day of February, 1895,
before me—D. B. McDonald, J.P. 178

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The New Moanataiari Gold-mining Company (Limited).
When formed, and date of registration: 12th November, 1888; 16th November, 1888.
Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: 91, Queen Street, Auckland; Francis Angus White.
Nominal capital: £25,000.
Amount of capital subscribed: £24,955.
Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £9,905 2s.
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same: £2,670; nil.
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £2,670.
Number of shares into which capital is divided: 50,000.
Number of shares allotted: 49,910.
Amount paid up per share: 5s.
Amount called up per share: 5s.
Number and amount of calls in arrear: 1; 10s.
Number of shares forfeited: Nil.
Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.
Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 346.
Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
Amount of cash at banker's: Nil.
Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
Amount of debts directly due to company: £92 4s. 6d.
Amount of debts considered good: £92 4s. 6d.
Amount of contingent liabilities of company: £723 1s.

I, Francis Angus White, of Auckland, the Manager of the New Moanataiari Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st day of December, 1894; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

FRANCIS ANGUS WHITE,
Manager.

Declared at Auckland, this 6th day of February, 1895,
before me—D. B. McDonald, J.P. 179

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The Addison's Gold-sluicing Company (Limited).
When formed, and date of registration: 25th August, 1894; 11th September, 1894.
Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Westport; Arthur W. Mills, Secretary.
Nominal capital: £4,000.
Amount of capital subscribed: £2,200.
Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £183 15s.
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same: Nil.
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.
Number of shares into which capital is divided: 4,000.
Number of shares allotted: 2,200.
Amount paid up per share: Various amounts.
Amount called up per share: 2s. 6d.
Number and amount of calls in arrear: —; £91 5s.
Number of shares forfeited: Nil.
Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.
Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 23.
Present number of shareholders: 23.
Number of men employed by company: 4.
Quantity of gold or silver produced during the preceding year: Nil.
Total quantity of gold or silver produced since registration: Nil.
Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during the preceding year: £181 7s.
Total expenditure since registration: £181 7s.
Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
Amount of cash at banker's: £2 8s.
Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
Amount of debts directly due to company: £91 5s.
Amount of debts considered good: £91 5s.
Amount of contingent liabilities of company: About £50.

I, Arthur William Mills, of Westport, the Secretary of the Addison's Gold-sluicing Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st day of December, 1894; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

ARTHUR W. MILLS,
Secretary.

Declared at Westport, this 8th day of February, 1895,
before me—Wm. Gothard, J.P. 166

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The Nelson Creek Gold-mining Company (Limited).
When formed, and date of registration: 25th June, 1892; 7th July, 1892.
Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Christchurch; Albert Lamb Smith.
Nominal capital: £28,000.
Amount of capital subscribed: £26,050.
Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £3,957 15s. 10d.
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same: £26,050.
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £21,000.
Number of shares into which capital is divided: 28,000.
Number of shares allotted: 26,050.
Amount paid up per share: 18s. on 5,050 shares.
Amount called up per share: 18s. on 5,050 shares.
Number and amount of calls in arrear: —; £446 0s. 2d.
Number of shares forfeited: 185.
Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.

Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 12.
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash at banker's: £120 3s. 11d.
 Amount of cash in hand: £10.
 Amount of debts directly due to company: £446 Os. 2d.
 Amount of debts considered good: £446 Os. 2d.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company: £168 10s. 7d.

I, Albert Lamb Smith, of Christchurch, the Manager of the Nelson Creek Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company at the present date; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

A. L. SMITH,
 Manager.

Declared at Christchurch, this 12th day of February, 1895,
 before me—C. M. Gray, J.P. 167

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The Hazelbank Gold-mining Company (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration: 4th September, 1890; 30th September, 1890.
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: 91, Queen Street, Auckland; Francis Angus White.
 Nominal capital: £10,500.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £10,500.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £3,146 5s.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same: £2,100; nil.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £2,100.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 42,000.
 Number of shares allotted: 42,000.
 Amount paid up per share: 2s. 6d.
 Amount called up per share: 2s. 6d.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: 1; £3 15s.
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 33.
 Total amount of dividends declared: £3,150.
 Total amount of dividends paid: £3,150.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash at banker's: Nil.
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company: £312 9s. 6d.

I, Francis Angus White, of Auckland, the Manager of the Hazelbank Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company at the 31st December, 1894; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

F. A. WHITE,
 Manager.

Declared at Auckland, this 6th day of February, 1895,
 before me—D. B. McDonald, J.P. 180

THE TAPU FLUKE GOLD-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

At a meeting of this company held on the 24th January, 1895, it was resolved, "That the present 4,500 shares of £1 each be subdivided into 45,000 shares of 2s. each."
 For the Tapu Fluke Gold-mining Company (Limited).

ARTHUR WRIGHT, } Directors.
 A. T. H. THORNE, }
 W. H. CHURTON, Manager.

Auckland, 6th February, 1895. 182

Private Advertisements.

AKAROA AND WAINUI ROAD BOARD.

"THE PUBLIC WORKS ACT, 1894."

NOTICE is hereby given that the Akaroa and Wainui Road Board intends to take, under the provisions of this Act, for the purposes of a road, the under-mentioned parcels of land, Terawera Valley, Little River:—

DESCRIPTION OF PARTS R.S. 3895 AND LOT 3, RESERVE 222 (WHITE).

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 24 perches, being parts of Rural Section 3895 and Reserve 222, situate in the Pigeon Bay Survey District, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, the boundaries of which are as follows: Commencing at the point of intersection of the north-east boundary of R.S. 3895 with the south-east side of railway and road reserve; thence south-west along the railway and road reserve, 233.8 links; thence north-easterly 428.5 links, bearing 67deg. 57min., to the railway and road reserve; thence westerly along the said railway and road reserve, 189.5 links, to an angle in the same; thence south-westerly along the said railway and road reserve, 27.9 links, to the commencing-point.

DESCRIPTION OF PARTS OF LOT 3, RESERVE 222 (WHITE).

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 3 acres 1 rood 12.5 perches, being part of Lot 3, Reserve 222, situate in the Pigeon Bay Survey District, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, the boundaries of which are as follows: Commencing at a point on the south side of the railway and road reserve 535.9 links east of an angle in the said railway and road reserve, the said angle being 27.9 links north-east of the intersection of the north-eastern boundary of R.S. 3895 with the said railway and road reserve; thence from the commencing-point by lines having the following bearings and distances: 129deg. 42min., 593.4 links; 73deg. 16min. 30sec., 433 links; 125deg. 11min. 30sec., 373.8 links; 73deg. 42min. 30sec., 19 links, to the eastern boundary of Lot 3, Reserve 222; thence true north 457.7 links to the railway and road reserve; thence westerly along the railway and road reserve, 1194.9 links, to the commencing-point: save and except a road 1 chain wide, and containing 1 rood 19 perches, running through the above-described parcel of land.

DESCRIPTION OF PARTS OF LOTS 6 AND 7, RESERVE 222 (WATKINS).

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 3 acres, being parts of Lots 6 and 7, Reserve 222, situate in the Pigeon Bay Survey District, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, the boundaries of which are as follows: Commencing at a point on the southern side of railway and road reserve, the said point being the northernmost corner of Lot 6, Reserve 222; thence south 457.7 links: thence by lines with the following bearings and distances—73deg. 42min. 30sec., 734.9 links; 67deg. 57min., 336.2 links, to a road forming the north-eastern boundary of Lots 7 and 8: thence north-westerly along the said road, 158.1 links, to the railway and road reserve; thence westerly along the said railway and road reserve, 915.2 links, to the commencing-point.

DESCRIPTION OF PART OF LOT 17, RESERVE 220-221 (WATKINS).

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 2 acres 2 roods 30 perches, being part of Lot 17, Reserve 220-221, situate in the Pigeon Bay Survey District, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, the boundaries of which are as follows: Commencing at the point of intersection of the south side of the railway and road reserve with the north-eastern side of the road forming the north-eastern boundary of Lots 7 and 8, Reserve 222: thence by lines with the following bearings and distances—139deg. 45min. 30sec., 163.1 links; 101deg. 57min., 170.5 links; 140deg. 48min., 273 links; 60deg. 56min. 30sec., 396.2 links; 70deg. 53min., 302.7 links; 85deg. 47min., 161.8 links; 30deg. 55min., 320.5 links; 16deg. 39min., 400 (scaled) to a road: thence south-westerly along the said road to a point at the south side of the terminus of the railway and road reserve; thence westerly along the railway and road reserve, a total distance of 1181 links, to the commencing-point.

A plan of said parcels of land is open for inspection at all reasonable hours at Mr. Joyce's store, Duvauchelle's Bay.

All persons affected are hereby called upon to set forth in writing any well-grounded objection to the taking of the said parcels of land, and to send such writing, within forty days from the 5th day of February, 1895, to the Akaroa and Wainui Road Board Office, Duvauchelle's Bay.

ERNEST COMBES, C.E.,
 Clerk and Engineer.

Duvauchelle's Bay, 2nd February, 1895. 168

NOTICE is hereby given that HUGH GILLIGAN has this day retired from the firm of Barry Brothers and Co., carrying on business as Wood and Coal Merchants and Carriers, at Hastings, and that the business of the firm will be carried on as before by us, the undersigned.

Dated this 11th day of February, 1895.
 174 BARRY BROTHERS AND CO.

MANAGERS, OAMARU CEMETERY.

STATEMENT of receipts and expenditure for the year ending 31st December, 1894.

Dr.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To Amount of F.D. Account at 31st December, 1893 ..	500	0	0			
Amount in National Bank ..	116	4	1			
Amount in hand ..	0	1	9	616	5	10
Ground fees ..	109	4	0			
Interment fees ..	74	2	6			
				188	6	6
Interest on F.D. Account ..				23	0	0
				£822	12	4
Cr.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
By Salary, sexton ..	100	0	0			
Salary, secretary ..	25	0	0			
Audit fees ..	2	2	0			
Extra labour ..	5	12	6			
Insurance ..	1	5	0			
Oamaru Borough rates ..	5	8	0			
Tools, &c. ..	0	18	6			
Repairs to tools ..	0	19	4			
Timber account ..	4	14	9			
Printing ..	4	2	6			
Painting account ..	8	6	0			
Sundries ..	1	12	0	160	0	7
F.D. at 31st December, 1894 ..	600	0	0			
Bank account current, £63, less 10s. overpaid ..	62	10	0			
Cash in hand ..	0	1	9	662	11	9
				£822	12	4

We have examined the vouchers, and compared balance-sheet with the books, and found same correct.

J. CHURCH, } Auditors.
CHAS. W. COOKE, }
E. A. ATKINSON, } Secretary.

Oamaru, 4th January, 1895. 186

AUCKLAND SAVINGS-BANK.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with section 23 of "The Savings-bank Act, 1858," that the Trustees will reduce the rate of interest payable to depositors to 4 per cent. per annum from the 1st day of July, 1895.

Dated at Auckland, this 18th day of February, 1895.

R. CAMERON,
Manager.

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INVERCARGILL SAVINGS-BANK.

Invercargill, 18th February, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given that on 1st of June next the rate of interest on deposits in this bank will be reduced to 4 per cent. per annum.

By direction of the Trustees.

THOMAS BRODRICK,
Manager.

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To Mr. W. J. Hall, Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, Dunedin.

I, MATTHEW CAMPBELL, Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery, of the New Zealand University, now residing at Dunedin, hereby give notice that I intend applying, on the 14th March, 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 Dunedin.

Dated at Dunedin, 13th February, 1895.

MATTHEW CAMPBELL,
Dunedin.

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