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*Lands set apart for Improved Farm Special Settlements, Otago Land District.*

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

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred by the one hundred and sixty-second section of "The Land Act, 1892," and of all other powers and authorities enabling me in this behalf, I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the blocks of land described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same are hereby set apart and declared open for special settlement.

SCHEDULE.

WOODLAND IMPROVED FARM SPECIAL SETTLEMENT.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 1,214 acres 2 roods 5 perches, more or less, being Sections Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, and 7, Block II., Woodland Survey District. Bounded towards the north by Blocks III. and I., Woodland Survey District; towards the east and south by the sea; and towards the west generally by Section No. 3 (E.R.) and Block VIII., Woodland Survey District: exclusive of roads.

RIMU IMPROVED FARM SPECIAL SETTLEMENT.

All that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 1,600 acres, more or less, situated in Block XV., Rimu Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east and east generally by the Maclennan River; towards the south generally by the Tahaukupu River; and towards the north-west by Kaler's Road.

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 seventh day of May, 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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*Land set apart for Village Settlements in the Otago Land District.*

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

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

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

| Survey District. | Section. | Block. | Area.  |
|------------------|----------|--------|--------|
| CLUTHA COUNTY.   |          |        |        |
| Glenomaru ..     | 56       | VI.    | 1 3 34 |
| Woodland ..      | 1        | X.     | 20 1 0 |
| VINCENT COUNTY.  |          |        |        |
| Lower Hawea ..   | 63       | XII.   | 5 1 16 |
| " ..             | 64       | XII.   | 5 0 0  |

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JOHN MCKENZIE,  
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.  
Marlborough County.

| Survey District. | Run No. | Area. |    |    |
|------------------|---------|-------|----|----|
|                  |         | A.    | R. | P. |
| Onamalutu .. ..  | 51      | 232   | 0  | 0  |
| " .. ..          | 63      | 1,017 | 0  | 0  |
| " .. ..          | 64      | 417   | 0  | 0  |
| " .. ..          | 65      | 540   | 0  | 0  |
| " .. ..          | 66      | 500   | 0  | 0  |
| " .. ..          | 67      | 378   | 0  | 0  |
| Orieri .. ..     | 68      | 721   | 0  | 0  |
| " .. ..          | 70      | 330   | 0  | 0  |
| " .. ..          | 71      | 231   | 0  | 0  |
| " .. ..          | 75      | 454   | 0  | 0  |
| Linkwater .. ..  | 72      | 362   | 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 eleventh day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

JOHN MCKENZIE,  
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Amended Description of Otago Mining District.

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

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by "The Mining Act, 1891" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby revoke the Proclamation constituting the Otago Mining District, published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 5, of the thirtieth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ninety, and in lieu thereof do hereby proclaim and declare that the portion of the colony particularly described in the Schedule hereto shall be the Mining District of Otago under the said Act, with the boundaries in the said Schedule mentioned; and I do hereby further proclaim and declare that this Proclamation shall take effect as from the first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO MINING DISTRICT.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District bounded towards the north by the Canterbury Land District, from Big Bay, on the west coast, to a point due north of Mount St. Bathans; towards the east by a straight line to that mountain; thence again towards the north by a straight line due east to the summit of the Hawkdun Mountains; towards the north-east by the summit of the said Hawkdun Mountains to Mount Ida; thence towards the north-west by a straight line to Kurow Mountain; thence by a straight line to the source of the Little Awakino Stream, and by that stream to the Waitaki River; again towards the north-east by the Waitaki River to the western boundary of the area formerly known as Awamoko Hundred; thence again towards the east by the said area formerly known as Awamoko Hundred to the area formerly known as Kakanui Hundred; towards the south and again towards the east by the said area formerly known as Kakanui Hundred to its south-

western corner; again towards the south by a straight line due west to a point due north of Scout Hill; thence again towards the east by a straight line through Scout Hill to a point due west of Trig. Station D (Mount Difficulty), Kauroo Survey District; thence again towards the north by a straight line through the said Trig. Station D to a point due north of the north-eastern corner of Section No. 2, Block VI., Kauroo Survey District aforesaid; again towards the east by a straight line to the said corner; again towards the south and east by Section No. 2 aforesaid to Section No. 7 of the said Block VI.; thence again towards the south and west and again towards the south and east by the said Section No. 7 to Section No. 5, Block XV., Otepopo Survey District; thence again towards the east, north-east, north-west, and south-west by the said Section No. 5 to Section No. 7 aforesaid; thence again towards the north by Section No. 7 aforesaid to Section No. 9, Block XV., Otepopo Survey District; thence again towards the east and north by the said Section No. 9 to Section No. 2 of the said Block XV.; thence again towards the east and north by the said Section No. 2 to its south-eastern corner; thence again towards the east by Sections Nos. 1, 8, 7, 6, and 3 of Block XV. aforesaid to Section No. 4; again towards the south and east by the said Section No. 4 to a point due east of Trig. Station P, Otepopo Survey District; thence again towards the south by a straight line through the said Trig. Station P to the summit of the Kakanui Mountains; thence again towards the north-east by the summit of the Kakanui Mountains to Run No. 109; thence again towards the north-west by Run No. 217B to Run No. 209; thence again towards the east generally by the said Run No. 209 and Run No. 11 to a stream forming the south-eastern boundary of Run No. 109 aforesaid; thence towards the south-east by that stream to the south branch of the Waiauakaru River; thence again towards the south-west by the south branch of the Waiauakaru River aforesaid to a point in line with the north-west boundary-line of the Moeraki Hundred; thence again towards the south-east by a straight line to and thence by the said Moeraki Hundred to the Waihemo or Shag River; thence again towards the north-east by the left bank of the said Waihemo or Shag River to a point in line with the north-western boundary-line of the area formerly known as Hawksbury Hundred; thence again towards the south-east by a straight line across the Waihemo or Shag River aforesaid, and by the said area formerly known as Hawksbury Hundred, to the south-western corner of Section No. 11, Block I., Dunback Survey District; thence again towards the north by the said Section No. 11 and Section No. 6 of the said Block I.; again towards the east by the Moeraki Survey District; again towards the south by Sections Nos. 3, 4, and 5 of Block I. aforesaid to the north-western corner of the last-mentioned section; thence again towards the south-east by the area formerly known as Hawksbury Hundred aforesaid to the north branch of the Waikouaiti River; thence by the said north branch and the south branch of the Waikouaiti River to a point due east of Trig. Station U, Waikouaiti Survey District; thence again towards the south by a straight line through the said Trig. Station U to the right bank of the Silver Stream; thence again towards the south-east by the said Silver Stream to the area formerly known as East Taieri Hundred; thence again towards the south by the said area formerly known as East Taieri Hundred to Block II., Dunedin and East Taieri Survey District; thence again towards the south-east by Sections Nos. 9, 8, 7, and 6, Block III., Dunedin and East Taieri Survey District, and a road; thence again towards the south-west by Sections Nos. 38, a road, 1 of 28, 2 of 28, 27, 26, a road, and Section No. 5, and a road, all of Block II. aforesaid, and by Sections Nos. 21, 20, 2 of 18, and 17, Block I., Dunedin and East Taieri Survey District, to the Taieri River; thence again towards the south-east by the left bank of that river to the road which forms the north-eastern boundaries of River Sections Nos. 49, 48, 47, and 46; thence again towards the north-east generally by that road and the road forming the north-eastern boundaries of River Sections Nos. 45, 44, 43, 42, 41, 40, 39, and 38; by the road forming the north-western boundaries of River Sections Nos. 37 and 36, the road forming the north-eastern boundaries of River Sections Nos. 36, 35, 34, and 33; by the road forming the north-western boundaries of Sections Nos. 16, 15, 14, and 13, Block XX., Taieri Survey District; by Sections 12 and 2, said Block XX., across the railway-line and by Section No. 11, Irregular Block; by a road forming the south-eastern boundaries of Sections Nos. 11 and 12, Irregular Block; by Section No. 41, Irregular Block; and by Block VIII., Dunedin and East Taieri Survey District, to the sea; thence again towards the south-east by the sea; again towards the south-west generally by the right bank of the Tokomairiro River to the northern branch of that river, thence by the right bank of the said northern branch to a point in line with the north-western boundary-line of Section No. 68, Block II., Table Hill Survey District; thence again towards the south-east by a right line to the said north-western boundary-line, and

by Section No. 68 aforesaid, and by Sections Nos. 67, 2 of 58, 66, 65, 64, 33, 61, 96, and 63, Block II., Table Hill Survey District, to the Tokomairiro Survey District; thence again towards the south-west by the said Tokomairiro Survey District; again towards the south-east by Sections Nos. 215 and 208, Block XXVI., Tokomairiro Survey District; again towards the north-east by the latter section; again towards the south-east by a closed road and Section No. 202, Block XXV., Tokomairiro Survey District, to its westernmost corner, thence by a straight line across a closed road, and across the south branch of the Tokomairiro River to the northernmost corner of Section No. 10, Block XLI., Tokomairiro Survey District; thence again towards the south-east by the said Block XLI.; again towards the south-west by Blocks XL and XLIII.; again towards the south-east by the said Block XLIII.; again towards the south-west by Block XLV.; again towards the south-east by the said Block XLV.; again towards the south-west by the Hillend Survey District to the south-western corner of Section No. 6, Block LIII., Tokomairiro Survey District; thence again towards the south-west by Section No. 16, Block IX., to its northernmost corner; thence again towards the south-east by Block XIII., Hillend Survey District, to the northernmost corner of Section No. 5 of that block; thence again towards the west and north-west by the Waitahuna East Survey District; again towards the south-west by Block IX., Waitahuna East Survey District, Block VIII., Waitahuna West Survey District, Sections Nos. 20 and 19, Block VII., Waitahuna West Survey District, and by Block IX. of the last-mentioned survey district to the northernmost corner of Section No. 15 of that block; thence again towards the south and south-east by Sections Nos. 15, a road, 17, 14, 13, a road, 18, and 11, Block IX., Waitahuna West Survey District, and Sections Nos. 16, 17, and 18, Block XI., Waitahuna West Survey District, to a point in line with the north-eastern boundary of Section No. 12 of the said Block XI.; thence again towards the south-west by the said Section No. 12 to Crookburn; thence again towards the south-east by Crookburn to the Clutha River; thence again towards the west by the said Clutha River to a point in line with the northern boundary-line of Section No. 26, Block II., Pomahaka Survey District; thence again towards the south and west generally by the Pomahaka Survey District to the Pomahaka River; thence again towards the south-east by a line across the said Pomahaka River, and by that line continued parallel to that river and 10 chains distant from the south bank thereof till it intersects the left bank of the Waipahi River; thence again towards the east and south by the said Waipahi River to the railway-crossing in Block X., Waipahee Survey District, thence by the Southern Trunk line of railway to the Borough of Gore, as described in the *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 63, of the 8th November, 1890, thence by that borough to the Mataura River; thence again towards the south-west by that river to the Eyre Stream; thence by that stream to Run No. 452; thence again towards the north-west by that run to Eyre Peak; thence again towards the south and west generally by the summit of the western watershed of the Wakatipu Lake to Round Peak; thence again towards the south by a straight line to Moffat Peak; thence again by a straight line to Mount Eglinton, and by the latter line produced to Te Anau Lake; thence again towards the east generally by the eastern shore of the said Te Anau Lake, by the left bank of the Waiiau River, by the eastern shore of the Manapori Lake, and again by the left bank of the said Waiiau River to the mouth of the Orawia Stream in the Waiiau Survey District; thence again towards the north-west by the said Orawia Stream to a point in line with the south-western boundary of Section No. 105, Waiiau Survey District; thence again towards the north-east and north-west generally by a straight line to the said Section No. 105, and thence by that section and Sections Nos. 82 and 7, Waiiau Survey District, to the Aparima Hundred; thence again towards the east by the said Aparima Hundred to Ferdunlaw; thence again towards the north-east by a straight line to the source of the eastern branch of the Purapurakino Stream, thence by that branch and the Purapurakino Stream and Jacob's River to the ocean; thence again towards the south-west and north-west generally by the ocean (inclusive of adjacent islands) to Big Bay aforesaid, the place of commencement: exclusive of the Borough of Roxburgh.

Also all that area in the Land Districts of Otago and Southland bounded towards the north generally by a line parallel to and one mile distant from high-water mark, from Bluff Harbour to Catlin's River; towards the north-east by the said Catlin's River; towards the south generally by the ocean; and towards the west by Bluff Harbour aforesaid: exclusive of the Township of Fortrose.

Also all that area known as Campbelltown Goldfield, in the Southland Land District, comprised between low-water and 1 chain above high-water mark of the ocean, from Section No. 1, Block V., Campbelltown Hundred, to Steep

Head, and round to the Pasturage Reserve; thence (sail strip being lessened in width to distance between high- and low-water marks) to the southern boundary of the said reserve; starting again at the original width, and continuing along the coast to Pilot Station Reserve, at Stirling's Point, Bluff Harbour. Also the additional areas comprised within the following Government reserves: That portion of the Stanley Township lying to the west of Mokomoko Inlet, the Pilot Station Reserve at Steep Head, and Section No. 1, Block IV., Campbelltown Hundred.

Also all that area known as the Stewart Island Goldfield, in the Southland Land District, being all that portion of Stewart Island north of latitude 46° 50'.

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 thirteenth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

A. J. CADMAN,  
Minister of Mines.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Changing the Name of Oxford (Auckland).*

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

WHEREAS there are now existing two places in the Colony of New Zealand bearing the same name, that is to say, the Township of Oxford in the County of Ashley, and the Township of Oxford in the Piako County, the last-named being the more recent in date of existence: And whereas, under the fourth section of "The Designation of Districts Act, 1894," I lately required the County Council of the Piako County, being the local authority having jurisdiction in that behalf, to submit a new name for such township for my approval, as mentioned in the said section: And whereas the said Council hath accordingly submitted to me the name of "Tirau" in lieu of the existing name of "Oxford":

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by sections two and four of "The Designation of Districts Act, 1894," and of all other powers and authorities enabling me in this behalf, I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the name of the Township of Oxford in the Piako County shall be and the same is hereby altered to "Tirau," and do assign the last-mentioned name to such township accordingly, and also do hereby proclaim and declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

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

A. J. CADMAN,  
For Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Changing the Name of Greytown (Otago).*

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

WHEREAS there are now existing two places in the Colony of New Zealand bearing the same name, that is to say, the Borough of Greytown, in the County of Wairarapa South, and the Township of Greytown, in the Taieri County, the last-named being the more recent in date of existence: And whereas, under the fourth section of "The Designation of Districts Act, 1894," I lately required the County Council of the Taieri County, being the local authority having jurisdiction in that behalf, to submit a new name for such township for my approval, as mentioned in the said section: And whereas the said Council hath accordingly submitted to me the name of "Allanton" in lieu of the existing name of "Greytown":

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by sections two and four of "The Designation of Districts Act, 1894," and of all other powers and authorities enabling me in this behalf, I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the name of the Township of Greytown, in the Tairāri County, shall be and the same is hereby altered to "Allanton," and do assign the last-mentioned name to such township accordingly, and also do hereby proclaim and declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

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

A. J. CADMAN,  
For Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Regulations for the Onslow Special Settlement Association.*

GLASGOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eleventh day of June, 1895.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the one hundred and sixty-third section of "The Land Act, 1892," it is enacted that the Governor in Council may from time to time make, alter, and repeal regulations fixing the terms and conditions upon which the lands in any special settlement shall be disposed of by lease in perpetuity:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by the hereinbefore in part recited Act, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby make the following regulations fixing the terms and conditions upon which the lands known as the Onslow Special Settlement Association Block, described in the Schedule to the said regulations, shall be disposed of, that is to say:—

REGULATIONS.

1. In the construction of these regulations, unless the context shall otherwise require, the following expressions shall have the meanings hereby assigned to them:—

"Association" means the Onslow Special Settlement Association, being a body of persons, not less than twelve in number, voluntarily associated together at Ashurst, in the Provincial District of Wellington, for the purpose of taking up the land as a special settlement of farm homesteads:

"Land" means the land described in the Schedule, set apart for a special settlement, to be dealt with under these regulations:

"Settler" means any member of the association or other person, not being a married woman, leasing land under these regulations:

"Receiver of Land Revenue" means Receiver of Land Revenue at Wellington, or other officer for the time being acting as such:

"Minister" means the Minister of Lands for the time being, or any member of the Executive acting for him:

"Commissioner" means the Commissioner of Crown Lands for the Land District of Wellington:

"Secretary" means the secretary of the association for the time being, and shall include any person acting in that capacity, and, if there shall be no secretary, then the chairman of the association:

"Substantial improvements of a permanent character" mean and include reclamation from swamps, clearing of bush, gorse, broom, sweetbriar, or scrub, cultivation, planting with trees or live hedges, the laying-out and cultivation of gardens, fencing, draining, making roads, sinking wells or water-tanks, constructing water-races, in any way improving the character or fertility of the soil, or the erection of any building:

"Cultivation" means—

- (1.) Fencing the land with timber or other durable materials, not being a brush fence; or
- (2.) Breaking up and laying down the same in English or other cultivated grass; or
- (3.) Breaking up and planting or sowing root or other crops therein:

"Lease" means a lease in perpetuity in terms of Part III. of "The Land Act, 1892."

2. The block of land to be dealt with under these regulations has been surveyed into sections of not more than 320 acres each, and the number of persons to be located thereon shall not be less than twelve.

3. The allotments of sections to members of the association shall be made at such time and in such manner as the association may, with the consent of the Commissioner, determine.

4. The land shall be disposed of by lease at an annual rental of 4 per cent. on the capital value fixed by the Minister.

5. One-third of the rents paid from time to time shall, for the first fifteen years, be paid to the local body of the district charged with the construction and maintenance of roads in the district, for the expenditure on roads in or leading to the block. Such expenditure to be first sanctioned by the Land Board for the Land District of Wellington.

6. All rents and moneys required to be paid for the land under these terms and conditions shall be paid to the Receiver of Land Revenue, and receipts given by him shall be sufficient discharge for the payment of the moneys therein respectively acknowledged to have been received.

7. The settlers shall be members of the association, and no settler shall be under seventeen years of age.

8. The secretary shall inform the Commissioner of the names of the settlers, pay a deposit of 10s. per member, and also furnish the Commissioner from time to time with minutes of proceedings of the association if so required.

9. The original or amended list of members, signed by the secretary of the association, and sent to the Commissioner, shall be *prima facie* evidence that the persons claiming to select land are members of the association.

10. Each settler shall put on the land comprised in his lease substantial improvements, as follows:—

- (a.) Within one year from the date of his lease, to a value equal to ten per centum of the price of the land;
- (b.) Within two years from the date of his lease, to a value equal to another ten per centum of the price of the land;
- (c.) And thereafter, but within six years from the date of his lease, to a value equal to another ten per centum 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 an amount equal to the net price of every acre of such land.

11. Residence and occupation of the land shall be in accordance with Part III. of "The Land Act, 1892."

12. No person who is the owner in fee or leasehold of any land in New Zealand which, together with the land included in his application or transfer under these regulations, would exceed 320 acres, and no person who has made an arrangement or agreement to permit any one, save his son or daughter, to acquire by purchase or otherwise the allotment in respect of which his application is made, shall be entitled to become a settler under these regulations.

13. Any settler who shall fail to comply with these regulations in any respect shall, upon sufficient proof thereof to the satisfaction of the Land Board of the district, forfeit his interest in the land selected, and the land shall thereafter be dealt with as ordinary Crown land; and these conditions shall be sufficient authority for such forfeiture.

14. The association may make such rules and regulations from time to time as it may deem necessary, subject to the approval of the Commissioner.

15. In case any doubt shall arise as to the sufficiency of the compliance with these regulations, with reference to the selection, occupation, or improvement of any land, or otherwise arising thereunder respectively, the same shall be settled by the Land Board.

16. Excepting as expressly modified by these regulations, the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892," and its amendments shall be deemed to have full force and effect over and upon the land herein referred to, and shall, *mutatis mutandis*, be read as if these regulations formed part of the Act.

*Schedule.*

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 2,400 acres, and comprising Sections 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 24, 25, 26, 27, and 28, Block I., Umutoi Survey District, in the Land District of Wellington.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Regulations for the Hunterville No. 1 Special Settlement Association.*

GLASGOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eleventh day of June, 1895.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the one hundred and sixty-third section of "The Land Act, 1892," it is enacted that the Governor in Council may from time to time make, alter, and repeal regulations fixing the terms and conditions upon which the lands in any special settlement shall be disposed of by lease in perpetuity:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by the hereinbefore in part recited Act, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby make the following regulations fixing the terms and conditions upon which the lands known as the Hunterville No. 1 Special Settlement Association Block, described in the Schedule to the said regulations, shall be disposed of, that is to say:—

REGULATIONS.

1. In the construction of these regulations, unless the context shall otherwise require, the following expressions shall have the meanings hereby assigned to them:—

"Association" means the Hunterville No. 1 Special Settlement Association, being a body of persons, not less than fifty in number, voluntarily associated together at Hunterville, in the Provincial District of Wellington, for the purpose of taking up the land as a special settlement of farm homesteads:

"Land" means the land described in the Schedule, set apart for a special settlement, to be dealt with under these regulations:

"Settler" means any member of the association or other person, not being a married woman, leasing land under these regulations:

"Receiver of Land Revenue" means Receiver of Land Revenue at Wellington, or other officer for the time being acting as such:

"Minister" means the Minister of Lands for the time being, or any member of the Executive acting for him:

"Commissioner" means the Commissioner of Crown Lands for the Land District of Wellington:

"Secretary" means the secretary of the association for the time being, and includes any person acting in that capacity, and, if there be no secretary, means the chairman of the association:

"Substantial improvements of a permanent character" mean and include reclamation from swamps, clearing of bush, gorse, broom, sweetbriar, or scrub, cultivation, planting with trees or live hedges, the laying-out and cultivation of gardens, fencing, draining, making roads, sinking wells or water-tanks, constructing water-races, in any way improving the character or fertility of the soil, or the erection of any building:

"Cultivation" means—

(1.) Fencing the land with timber or other durable materials, not being a brush fence; or

(2.) Breaking up and laying down the land in English or other cultivated grass; or

(3.) Breaking up and planting or sowing root or other crops therein:

"Lease" means a lease in perpetuity in terms of Part III. of "The Land Act, 1892."

2. The block of land to be dealt with under these regulations has been surveyed into sections of not more than 320 acres each, and the number of persons to be located thereon shall not be less than fifty.

3. The allotments of sections to members of the association shall be made at such time and in such manner as the association may, with the consent of the Commissioner, determine.

4. The land shall be disposed of by lease at an annual rental of 4 per cent. on the capital value fixed by the Minister.

5. One-third of the rents paid from time to time shall for the first fifteen years be paid to the local body of the district charged with the construction and maintenance of roads in the district, for the expenditure on roads in or leading to the block. Such expenditure to be first sanctioned by the Land Board for the Land District of Wellington.

6. All rents and moneys required to be paid for the land under these terms and conditions shall be paid to the Receiver of Land Revenue, and receipts given by him shall be sufficient discharge for the payment of the moneys therein respectively acknowledged to have been received.

7. The settlers shall be members of the association, and no settler shall be under seventeen years of age.

8. The secretary shall inform the Commissioner of the names of the settlers, pay a deposit of 10s. per member, and also furnish the Commissioner from time to time with minutes of proceedings of the association if so required.

9. The original or amended list of members, signed by the secretary of the association, and sent to the Commissioner, shall be *prima facie* evidence that the persons claiming to select land are members of the association.

10. Each settler shall put on the land comprised in his lease substantial improvements as follows:—

(a.) Within one year from the date of his lease, to a value equal to ten per centum of the price of the land;

(b.) Within two years from the date of his lease, to a value equal to another ten per centum of the price of the land;

(c.) And thereafter, but within six years from the date of his lease, to a value equal to another ten per centum 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 per acre.

11. Residence and occupation of the land shall be in accordance with Part III. of "The Land Act, 1892."

12. No person who is the owner in fee or leasehold of any land in New Zealand which, together with the land included in his application or transfer under these regulations, would exceed 320 acres, and no person who has made an arrangement or agreement to permit any one, save his son or daughter, to acquire by purchase or otherwise the allotment in respect of which his application is made, shall be entitled to become a settler under these regulations.

13. Any settler who shall fail to comply with these regulations in any respect shall, upon sufficient proof thereof to the satisfaction of the Land Board of the district, forfeit his interest in the land selected, and the land shall thereafter be dealt with as ordinary Crown land; and these conditions shall be sufficient authority for such forfeiture.

14. The association may make such rules and regulations from time to time as it may deem necessary, subject to the approval of the Commissioner.

15. In case any doubt shall arise as to the sufficiency of the compliance with these regulations, with reference to the selection, occupation, or improvement of any land, or otherwise arising thereunder respectively, the same shall be settled by the Land Board.

16. Excepting as expressly modified by these regulations, the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892," and its amendments shall be deemed to have full force and effect over and upon the land herein referred to, and shall, *mutatis mutandis*, be read as if these regulations formed part of the Act.

*Schedule.*

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 10,004 acres, and comprising Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, Block XIII., 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, Block XIV., 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 13, Block XV., Maungakaretu Survey District; and Sections 23, 27, 29, 30, 31, Block II., and 19, 20, 21, Block III., Tiriraukawa Survey District, in the Land District of Wellington.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Regulations for the Hunterville No. 2 Special Settlement Association.*

GLASGOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eleventh day of June, 1895.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the one hundred and sixty-third section of "The Land Act, 1892," it is enacted that the Governor in Council may from time to time make, alter, and repeal regulations fixing the terms and conditions upon which the lands in any special settlement shall be disposed of by lease in perpetuity:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by the hereinbefore in part recited Act, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby make the following regulations fixing the terms and conditions upon which the lands known as the Hunterville No. 2 Special Settlement Association Block, described in the Schedule to the said regulations, shall be disposed of, that is to say:—

## REGULATIONS.

1. In the construction of these regulations, unless the context shall otherwise require, the following expressions shall have the meanings hereby assigned to them:—

"Association" means the Hunterville No. 2 Special Settlement Association, being a body of persons, not less than forty-six in number, voluntarily associated together at Hunterville, in the Provincial District of Wellington, for the purpose of taking up the land as a special settlement of farm homesteads:

"Land" means the land described in the Schedule, set apart for a special settlement, to be dealt with under these regulations:

"Settler" means any member of the association or other person, not being a married woman, leasing land under these regulations:

"Receiver of Land Revenue" means Receiver of Land Revenue at Wellington, or other officer for the time being acting as such:

"Minister" means the Minister of Lands for the time being, or any member of the Executive acting for him:

"Commissioner" means the Commissioner of Crown Lands for the Land District of Wellington:

"Secretary" means the secretary of the association for the time being, and shall include any person acting in that capacity, and, if there shall be no secretary, then the chairman of the association:

"Substantial improvements of a permanent character" mean and include reclamation from swamps, clearing of bush, gorse, broom, sweetbriar, or scrub, cultivation, planting with trees or live hedges, the laying-out and cultivation of gardens, fencing, draining, making roads, sinking wells or water-tanks, constructing water-races, in any way improving the character or fertility of the soil, or the erection of any building:

"Cultivation" means—

(1.) Fencing the land with timber or other durable materials, not being a brush fence; or

(2.) Breaking up and laying down the same in English or other cultivated grass; or

(3.) Breaking up and planting or sowing root or other crops therein:

"Lease" means a lease in perpetuity in terms of Part III. of "The Land Act, 1892."

2. The block of land to be dealt with under these regulations has been surveyed into sections of not more than 320 acres each, and the number of persons to be located thereon shall not be less than forty-six.

3. The allotments of sections to members of the association shall be made at such time and in such manner as the association may, with the consent of the Commissioner, determine.

4. The land shall be disposed of by lease at an annual rental of 4 per cent. on the capital value fixed by the Minister.

5. One-third of the rents paid from time to time shall, for the first fifteen years, be paid to the local body of the district charged with the construction and maintenance of roads in the district, for the expenditure on roads in or leading to the block. Such expenditure to be first sanctioned by the Land Board for the Land District of Wellington.

6. All rents and moneys required to be paid for the land under these terms and conditions shall be paid to the Receiver of Land Revenue, and receipts given by him shall be sufficient discharge for the payment of the moneys therein respectively acknowledged to have been received.

7. The settlers shall be members of the association, and no settler shall be under seventeen years of age.

8. The secretary shall inform the Commissioner of the names of the settlers, pay a deposit of 10s. per member, and also furnish the Commissioner from time to time with minutes of proceedings of the association if so required.

9. The original or amended list of members, signed by the secretary of the association, and sent to the Commissioner, shall be *prima facie* evidence that the persons claiming to select land are members of the association.

10. Each settler shall put on the land comprised in his lease substantial improvements as follows:—

(a.) Within one year from the date of his lease, to a value equal to ten per centum of the price of the land;

(b.) Within two years from the date of his lease, to a value equal to another ten per centum of the price of the land;

(c.) And thereafter, but within six years from the date of his lease, to a value equal to another ten per centum 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 per acre.

11. Residence and occupation of the land shall be in accordance with Part III. of "The Land Act, 1892."

12. No person who is the owner in fee or leasehold of any land in New Zealand which, together with the land included in his application or transfer under these regulations, would exceed 320 acres, and no person who has made an arrangement or agreement to permit any one, save his son or daughter, to acquire by purchase or otherwise the allotment in respect of which his application is made, shall be entitled to become a settler under these regulations.

13. Any settler who shall fail to comply with these regulations in any respect shall, upon sufficient proof thereof to the satisfaction of the Land Board of the district, forfeit his interest in the land selected, and the land shall thereafter be dealt with as ordinary Crown land; and these conditions shall be sufficient authority for such forfeiture.

14. The association may make such rules and regulations from time to time as it may deem necessary, subject to the approval of the Commissioner.

15. In case any doubt shall arise as to the sufficiency of the compliance with these regulations, with reference to the selection, occupation, or improvement of any land, or otherwise arising thereunder respectively, the same shall be settled by the Land Board.

16. Excepting as expressly modified by these regulations, the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892," and its amendments shall be deemed to have full force and effect over and upon the land herein referred to, and shall, *mutatis mutandis*, be read as if these regulations formed part of the Act.

*Schedule.*

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 9,005 acres, and comprising Sections 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, Block I., Sections 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, 21, 22, 25, 26, Block II., and Sections 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, Block III., Tiriraukawa Survey District, in the Land District of Wellington.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

GLASGOW, Governor.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eleventh day of June, 1895.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

## SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Auckland Land District containing by admeasurement 28 acres 2 roods 32 perches, more or less, and being Section 26 of Block IX., Opuawhanga Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by Section 25 of Block IX. aforesaid, 1117 links; towards the south-east by a road reservation of varying width, 1687 and 1199 links; towards the south-west by Spithill's Block, 1126 links; and towards the north-west by a road reservation of varying width, 179 and 2441 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages a little more or less.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

GLASGOW, Governor.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eleventh day of June, 1895.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the twelfth section of "The Public Domains Act, 1881," it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor, by Order in Council, may from time to time



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

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

The WHANGAREI COUNTY COUNCIL,

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

GLASGOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eleventh day of June, 1895.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by "The Public Domains Act, 1881," His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby revoke certain Orders in Council, dated the eighth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, and the twenty-sixth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, making delegations of certain powers in manner as therein appears; and doth, with the like advice and consent, by this present Order, delegate, but only with respect to the pieces or parcels of land described in the Schedule hereto, all the powers conferred by the Act aforesaid, except the powers under or conferred by sections five and twelve thereof, to

The WAIPA COUNTY COUNCIL,

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

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

2. Special meetings may be convened by the Chairman or by any two members of the Board, provided that two days'

notice of such meeting be given to each member, specifying the business to be transacted at such special meeting, and no other business than that so specified shall be transacted at such meeting.

3. Any meeting may be adjourned from time to time.

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

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land in the Land District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 3 roods 20 perches, more or less, being Allotment No. 510 in the Town of Alexandra East. Bounded towards the north by a street 100 links wide, 325 links; towards the east by a street 150 links wide, 176 links; towards the south by a street 100 links wide, 137 links; again towards the east by a street 100 links wide, 162 links; again towards the south by a street 100 links wide, 188 links; and towards the west by a street 100 links wide, 388 links.

Also all that piece or parcel of land in the Land District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 1 acre 2 roods 16 perches, more or less, being Allotment No. 511 in the Town of Alexandra East. Bounded towards the north by a street 100 links wide, 188 links; towards the east by a street of width aforesaid, 162 links; again towards the north by a street 100 links wide, 137 links; again towards the east by a street 150 links wide, 400 links; towards the south by a street 150 links wide, 325 links; and towards the west by a street 100 links wide, 562 links.

Also all that piece or parcel of land in the Land District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 5 acres and 26 perches, more or less, being Allotment No. 512 in the Town of Alexandra East. Bounded towards the north by a street 100 links wide, 525 links; towards the east by Allotments Nos. 78, 79, 80, and 81, 1000 links; towards the south by a street 150 links wide, 525 links; and towards the west by a street 150 links wide, 500 links, by Allotment No. 506, 37 links, 224 links, and 37 links, and by a street 150 links wide, 276 links.

Also all that piece or parcel of land in the Land District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 120 acres, more or less, being called or known as the Town Belt of the Town of Alexandra East. Bounded towards the north generally by the Mangapiko River and a stream; towards the east generally by a road-line and the crossings of three roads, each 100 links wide, 480 and 11200 links respectively; towards the south generally by the Waipa River; towards the west by the Sherard Osborne Street and the crossings of three roads, each 100 links wide, 12100 links, to the place of commencement; be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

Also all that piece or parcel of land in the Land District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 340 acres, more or less, being called or known as the Town Belt of the Town of Alexandra West. Bounded towards the north-east generally by a road-line, 160 links, a stream, and Allotments Nos. 322 and 231A of the Town of Alexandra West, 470 and 500 links respectively; towards the south-east by a road-line, 490 and 2100 links; again towards the north-east by the termination of a road, 100 links, Allotments Nos. 317, 316, 315, and 314 of the aforesaid town, 864 links, the termination of a road, 100 links, Allotments Nos. 298, 297, 296, 295, and 294 of the aforesaid town, 1058 links, the termination of a road, 100 links, Allotments Nos. 271, 270, 269, 268, 268A, and 267 of the aforesaid town, 988 links, and the termination of a road, 100 links; towards the north-west generally by a road-line, Allotments Nos. 256, 255A, 255, and 253 of the aforesaid town, 866, 500, and 800 links respectively; again towards the north-east by a road-line, 2640 links; towards the east generally by a road-line, 220 links, the termination of a road, 125 links, Allotments Nos. 45, 45A, 44, and 43, 770 links, a road-line, 200 links, the termination of a road, 100 links, Allotments Nos. 30, 29, 28, 27, 26, and 25, 1146 and 22 links, the termination of a road, 100 links, Allotments Nos. 15, 14, 13, 12, and 11, 1000 links, the termination of a road, 100 links, Allotments Nos. 4, 3, and 3A, all of the aforesaid town, 400 links; towards the south by Section No. 305 of the Parish of Pirogongia, 8800 links; again towards the north-west generally by a road-line, 540, 1440, 900,

160, 620, 760, and 1540 links respectively; towards the south-west by the termination of a road, 105 links, and Sections Nos. 15 and 17 of the aforesaid Parish of Pirongia, 5270 links; and again towards the north-west by Section No. 17 aforesaid and Section No. 16 of the aforesaid parish, 3980 links, to the place of commencement: to be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Licensing the Northern Steamship Company (Limited) to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore of Ohiva River.*

GLASGOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eleventh day of June, 1895.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned under "The Harbours Act Amendment Act, 1883" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), the Northern Steamship Company (Limited), of Auckland (hereinafter called "the company"), has applied to the Governor in Council for a license under the said Act to occupy a part of the foreshore of the Ohiva River, in Ohiva Harbour, in order to erect and maintain a wharf and store thereon, and, in accordance with the one hundred and fifty-sixth section of "The Harbours Act, 1878," has deposited plans in the office of the Marine Department, at Wellington (marked M.D. 1994), showing the area of foreshore and land below low-water mark intended to be occupied, and the manner in which it is proposed to erect the wharf and store: And whereas the Governor in Council has approved of the purpose for which the said foreshore is to be occupied: And whereas it is expedient that a license should be granted and issued to the company under the said Act, for the purpose aforesaid, on the terms and conditions hereinafter expressed:

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

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

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to the part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark occupied by the said wharf and store, as shown on plan marked M.D. 1994.

3. In consideration of the concessions and privileges granted by this Order in Council the company shall, on being supplied with a copy thereof, pay to the Minister the sum of five pounds, and thereafter an annual sum of two pounds, payable on the 1st day of June, dating from the 1st day of June, 1895.

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

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

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

7. Any person authorised by the Minister may at all reasonable times enter upon the said wharf and store and view

the state of repairs thereof; and upon such Minister leaving at or posting to the last known registered office of the company in New Zealand a notice in writing of any defect or want of repair in such wharf or store, requiring it within a reasonable time, to be therein prescribed, to repair the same, it shall with all convenient speed cause such defect to be removed or such repairs to be made.

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

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

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

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

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

13. In case the company shall—

- (1.) Commit or suffer a breach of the conditions herein before set forth, or any of them;
- (2.) Cease to use or occupy the said wharf and store for a period of thirty days;
- (3.) Be in any manner wound up or dissolved; or
- (4.) Fail to pay the sum specified in clause 3 of these conditions,

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

14. The erection of the wharf and store, or either of them, shall be sufficient evidence of the acceptance by the company of the terms and conditions of this Order in Council.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Extending Time for Preparation of Valuation List of County of Hawera.*

GLASGOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eleventh day of June, 1895.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it has been made to appear that the valuation list of the County of Hawera cannot be completed by or within the time mentioned in "The Rating Act, 1894":

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers vested in him by the said "Rating Act, 1894," and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby extend the time for completing the preparation of such valuation list until the thirty-first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, and doth also extend the time during which such valuation list shall lie open for inspection, and during which objections thereto may be made, until the twenty-fourth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.



*Extension of Time for Preparation of County Rolls, Collingwood.*

GLASGOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eleventh day of June, 1895.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it has been made to appear that, owing to unavoidable circumstances, the preparation of the rolls for the County of Collingwood, and the taking of certain steps consequent on such preparation, cannot be made and taken within the times limited by "The Counties Act, 1886," and it is expedient to extend the said times respectively:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers conferred upon him by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby order and declare that the several dates mentioned in the Schedule hereto shall be the respective dates for taking the several steps set out in the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

1. For preparing the rolls for ridings within the County of Collingwood: Until the 1st June, 1895.
2. Time for which such rolls shall be open for inspection: From the 1st June, 1895, to the 21st June, 1895.
3. Time for appeals against the said rolls: Until the 15th July, 1895.
4. Revision Courts may sit for hearing applications with reference to the said rolls, and adjourn: Until the 5th August, 1895.
5. Time when the said rolls, having been duly corrected and signed, shall come into force: On the 16th September, 1895.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Extension of Time for Preparation of County Rolls, Horowhenua.*

GLASGOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eleventh day of June, 1895.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it has been made to appear that, owing to unavoidable circumstances, the preparation of the rolls for the County of Horowhenua, and the taking of certain steps consequent on such preparation, cannot be made and taken within the times limited by "The Counties Act, 1886," and it is expedient to extend the said times respectively:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers conferred upon him by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby order and declare that the several dates mentioned in the Schedule hereto shall be the respective dates for taking the several steps set out in the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

1. For preparing the rolls for ridings within the County of Horowhenua: Until the 22nd June, 1895.
2. Time for which such rolls shall be open for inspection: From the 27th June, 1895, to the 15th July, 1895.
3. Time for appeals against the said rolls: Until the 31st July, 1895.
4. Revision Courts may sit for hearing applications with reference to the said rolls, and adjourn: Until the 15th August, 1895.
5. Time when the said rolls, having been duly corrected and signed, shall come into force: On the 16th August, 1895.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Extension of Time for Preparation of County Rolls, Inangahua.*

GLASGOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eleventh day of June, 1895.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it has been made to appear that, owing to unavoidable circumstances, the preparation of the

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rolls for the County of Inangahua, and the taking of certain steps consequent on such preparation, cannot be made and taken within the times limited by "The Counties Act, 1886," and it is expedient to extend the said times respectively:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Administrator of the Government of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers conferred upon him by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby order and declare that the several dates mentioned in the Schedule hereto shall be the respective dates for taking the several steps set out in the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

1. For preparing the rolls for ridings within the County of Inangahua: Until the 22nd June, 1895.
2. Time for which such rolls shall be open for inspection: From the 27th June, 1895, to the 15th July, 1895.
3. Time for appeals against the said rolls: Until the 31st July, 1895.
4. Revision Courts may sit for hearing applications with reference to the said rolls, and adjourn: Until the 20th August, 1895.
5. Time when the said rolls, having been duly corrected and signed, shall come into force: On the 1st September, 1895.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Revoking Regulation under "The Electric Lines Act, 1884," and making New Provision.*

GLASGOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eleventh day of June, 1895.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twenty-seventh day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, certain regulations were made, under the provisions of "The Electric Lines Act, 1884," for the transmission of telegrams by means of electric lines under the said Act: And whereas it is expedient to revoke one of such regulations and to make other provision in lieu thereof:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by "The Electric Lines Act, 1884," and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby order and declare that the regulation No. 19 of the regulations so published as aforesaid shall be and the same is hereby revoked, and in lieu thereof doth hereby make the regulation set forth in the Schedule hereto, and doth hereby order and declare that such amended regulation shall have effect on and after the first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

SCHEDULE.

19. TELEGRAMS redirected to a corrected address are liable to an additional charge of 6d. if delivery can be effected from the original receiving office, but if the corrected address requires the message to be re-telegraphed from the receiving office a charge will be made equal to the original amount paid.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Notifying that the Auckland Young Men's Christian Association may be registered as a Limited Company without the Addition of the word "Limited."*

GLASGOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eleventh day of June, 1895.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by "The Companies Act, 1882," His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, acting with the advice of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby direct that the association about to be formed under the said Act as a limited company under the name of "The Auckland Young Men's Christian Association" may, on application for that purpose, be registered with limited liability without the addition of the word "limited" to its name.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

By-laws and Regulations under "The Mangatu No. 1 Empowering Act, 1893," and Order in Council approving thereof, and for other Purposes under that Act.

IN pursuance and exercise of all powers and authorities enabling them in this behalf, and particularly of the power and authority contained in the sixth section of "The Mangatu No. 1 Empowering Act, 1893," the Committee appointed under the said Act, at a meeting of the said Committee duly held on the twenty-ninth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, made the by-laws and regulations set forth in the Schedule hereto.

#### SCHEDULE.

##### Interpretation.

1. In these by-laws and regulations, if not inconsistent with the context,—

"Person" means any owner, either male or female, and the trustee or trustees appointed for any owner under disability under "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867," and its amendments, and "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1888";

"Corporation" means Mangatu No. 1;

"Owner" means any person whose name appears in the Second Schedule to "The Mangatu No. 1 Empowering Act, 1893," and the successors according to Native custom of those in the said Schedule who have died since the 30th day of April, 1881, and includes the trustees for any owner under disability appointed under "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1867," and its amendments, and "The Maori Real Estate Management Act, 1888";

"Ordinary resolution" means any resolution passed by a majority in number of the owners present personally or by proxy at any ordinary meeting, and voting on such resolution;

"Special resolution" means any resolution passed by a majority of not less than three-fourths of the owners present personally or by proxy, and voting on such resolution, at any extraordinary meeting, and at any ordinary meeting when notice of intention to propose such special resolution has been duly given, as provided in these by-laws and regulations.

Words importing the singular number include the plural number, and words importing the plural number include the singular number, and words importing the masculine gender include females.

##### General Meetings.

2. A general meeting of the owners shall be held every year at Te Karaka, on the first Monday in the month of November, at such hour and place as the Committee may determine.

3. The above-mentioned annual general meeting shall be called "ordinary"; all other general meetings shall be called "extraordinary."

4. The Committee may, whenever they think fit, and they shall upon a requisition made in writing by not less than one-fifth in number of the owners, convene an extraordinary general meeting.

5. Any requisition made by the owners shall express the object of the meeting proposed to be called, and shall be left at the office in Gisborne of the corporation.

6. Upon the receipt of such requisition the Committee shall forthwith proceed to convene an extraordinary general meeting.

If the Committee do not proceed to convene the same within twenty-one days from the date of the requisition the requisitionists or any other owners amounting to the required number may themselves convene an extraordinary meeting.

7. Seven days' notice at the least, specifying the place, the day, and the hour of the meeting, and in the case of special business the general nature of such business, shall be given to the owners in manner hereinafter mentioned; but the non-receipt of such notice by any owner shall not invalidate the proceedings at any general meeting.

8. All business shall be deemed special that is transacted at an extraordinary meeting, and all that is transacted at an ordinary meeting, with the exception of the consideration of the accounts, balance-sheet, and the ordinary report of the Committee, and the election of new members of the Committee.

##### Proceedings at General Meetings.

9. No business shall be transacted at any general meeting unless a quorum of owners is present at the time when the meeting proceeds to business, and such quorum shall consist of one-tenth at least of the total number of the owners.

10. If within one hour of the time appointed for the meeting a quorum is not present, the meeting, if convened upon the requisition of owners, shall be dissolved.

In any other case it shall stand adjourned to the same day in the next week at the same time and place; and if at such adjourned meeting a quorum is not present it shall be adjourned *sine die*.

11. The Chairman (if any) of the Committee shall preside as Chairman at every general meeting of the owners.

12. If there is no such Chairman, or if at any meeting he is not present within fifteen minutes after the time appointed for holding the meeting, the owners present shall choose one of their number to be Chairman.

13. The Chairman may, with the consent of the meeting, adjourn any meeting from time to time and from place to place, but no business shall be transacted at any adjourned meeting other than the business left unfinished at the meeting from which the adjournment took place.

14. At any general meeting, unless a poll is demanded by at least five owners, a declaration by the Chairman that a resolution has been carried, and an entry to that effect in the book of proceedings of the corporate body, shall be sufficient evidence of the fact without proof of the number or proportion of the votes recorded in favour of or against such resolution.

15. If a poll is demanded by five or more owners, it shall be taken in such manner as the Chairman directs, and the result of such poll shall be deemed to be the resolution of the owners in general meeting. In the case of an equality of votes at any general meeting, the Chairman shall be entitled to a second or casting vote.

16. A copy of every resolution passed by the owners in general meeting shall be forthwith forwarded by the Chairman to the Public Trustee.

##### Votes of Owners.

17. Every owner shall have one vote and no more.

18. Votes may be given either personally or by proxy.

19. The instrument appointing the proxy shall be in writing under the hand of the appointer, and shall be attested by a Justice of the Peace or Clerk of the Magistrate's Court, Registrar of Native Land Court, or constable.

20. No person shall be appointed a proxy who is not an owner, and the instrument appointing him shall be deposited at the aforesaid office not less than forty-eight hours before the time of holding the meeting at which he proposes to vote.

21. Any instrument appointing a proxy shall be in the following form, or to the same effect:—

##### "Mangatu No. 1.

"I, [name], being an owner in the Mangatu No. 1, and entitled to vote, hereby appoint \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_, as my proxy to vote for me and on my behalf at the ordinary [or extraordinary, as the case may be] general meeting of the owners, to be held on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, and at any adjournment thereof, or at any meeting of the owners that may be held in the year.

"As witness my hand, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 189 \_\_\_\_.

"Signed by the said \_\_\_\_\_, in the presence of—  
[add occupation and residence]."

##### Remuneration of Committee.

22. The remuneration of the members of the Committee shall be determined by the owners in general meeting: Provided that, if in the opinion of the Public Trustee the amount so determined is excessive, he may reduce it to such sum as he deems reasonable.

##### Powers of Committee.

23. The continuing members of the Committee may act, notwithstanding any vacancy in their body, provided that the number of continuing members is not less than four.

##### Disqualification of Members of Committee.

24. The office of a member of the Committee shall be vacated—

(1.) If he hold any other office or place of profit under the corporation.

(2.) If he become bankrupt or insolvent.

(3.) If he is concerned in or participates in the profits of any contract with the corporation.

A member of the Committee shall not be deemed to be concerned in, or to participate in, the profits of any contract with the Corporation by reason only of his tendering for or taking a lease of land; but he shall not vote on any question relating to such lease or the tenders therefor.

##### Rotation of Members of the Committee.

25. At the first ordinary general meeting to be held after the election of the Committee, two of the members of the Committee for the time being shall retire from office, at the second ordinary meeting two others shall retire, and at the third ordinary general meeting the remaining three of the original members, or those elected in their places, shall retire.

26. The members to retire during the first and second years ensuing the election of the Committee shall, unless the members of the Committee agree among themselves, be determined by ballot.

27. In any subsequent year the members who have been longest in office shall retire by similar rotation.

28. A retiring member of the Committee shall be eligible for re-election.

29. The owners at the general meeting at which any members of the Committee retire in manner aforesaid shall fill up the vacated offices by electing a like number of members.

30. If at any meeting at which the election of members of the Committee ought to take place the places of the vacating members are not filled up the meeting shall stand adjourned till the same day in the next week, at the same time and place; and if at any such adjourned meeting the places of the vacating members of the Committee are not filled up the vacating members of the Committee, or such of them as have not had their places filled up shall continue in office until the ordinary meeting in the next year, and so on from time to time until their places are filled up.

31. Any casual vacancy occurring in the Committee may be filled up by the Committee at a meeting specially called for the purpose; but any person so chosen shall retain office so long only as the vacating member of the Committee would have retained the same if no vacancy had occurred.

32. The owners in general meeting may by special resolution remove any member of the Committee before the expiration of his period of office, and may by an ordinary resolution appoint some other person in his stead. The person so appointed shall hold office during such time only as the member of the Committee in whose place he is so appointed would have held the same if he had not been removed.

#### *Proceedings of Committee.*

33. The members of the Committee may meet together for the despatch of business, adjourn, and otherwise regulate their meetings as they think fit. The quorum shall be three.

34. Questions arising at any meeting shall be decided by a majority of the votes. In case of an equality of votes, the Chairman, in addition to his original vote, shall have a second or casting vote.

35. All meetings of the Committee shall be called by the Secretary; but a member of the Committee may at any time require the Secretary to summon a meeting of the Committee.

36. The members of the Committee may elect a Chairman of their meetings, and determine the period for which he is to hold office; but if no such Chairman is elected, or if at any meeting the Chairman is not present at the time appointed for holding the same, the members of the Committee present shall choose some one of their number to be Chairman of such meeting.

37. All acts done by any meeting of the Committee, or by any person acting as a member of the Committee, shall, notwithstanding that it be afterwards discovered that there was some defect in the appointment of any such member of the Committee or person acting as aforesaid, or that they or any of them were disqualified, be as valid as if every person had been duly appointed and was qualified to be a member of the Committee.

38. The Committee shall meet for the transaction of business at least once in every three months, and as often in the meantime as may be necessary and as the Committee may determine.

#### *Office.*

39. For the purposes of the corporation the Committee shall have an office in the Town of Gisborne, in the Provincial District of Auckland, to which all communications and notices may be addressed.

40. The Committee shall notify the Minister of Lands of the situation of the said office, and shall from time to time, when any change is made in such situation, notify the said Minister thereof.

41. The Committee shall paint or affix, and keep painted or affixed, the name of the corporation—to wit, "Mangatu No. 1"—on the outside of the said office, in a conspicuous position, in letters easily legible.

42. The name of the corporation shall be engraven in legible characters on its seal, and shall be mentioned in legible characters in all notices, advertisements, and other official publications of the corporation. The Committee shall have the custody of the seal.

43. The Committee shall keep at the said office a register containing the names, addresses, and occupations of the owners, and showing their respective interests; and such register shall at all times be open for inspection by owners, and also by the Public Trustee. The Committee shall forthwith report to the Public Trustee every fresh entry of ownership or interest made in the register, and shall also forward to him, under the hand of the Chairman, not later than the second Monday in October in every year, a certified list of owners, with their respective interests, as recorded in the register on that day.

#### *Accounts.*

44. The Committee and the Public Trustee shall cause true accounts to be kept,—

- (1.) Of the sums received and expended by the corporation, and the matter in respect of which such receipts and expenditure takes place; and
- (2.) Of the credits and liabilities of the corporation.

45. The books of accounts, including copies of the Public Trustee's Account, shall be kept at the office of the corporation, and, subject to any reasonable resolutions as to the time and manner of inspecting the same that may be imposed by the owners in general meeting, shall be open to the inspection of the owners during the hours of business.

46. Once at least in every year the Committee and the Public Trustee shall lay before the owners in general meeting a statement of the income and expenditure for the past year, made up to a date not more than three months before such meeting.

47. The statement so made shall show, arranged under the most convenient heads, the amount of gross income, distinguishing the several sources from which it has been derived, and the amount of gross expenditure, distinguishing the expenses of administration and management, salaries, and other like matters.

48. Every item of expenditure fairly chargeable against the year's income shall be brought into account, so that a just balance may be laid before the meeting, and in case where any item of expenditure which may in fairness be distributed over several years has been incurred in any one year the whole amount of such item shall be stated, with the addition of the reasons why only a portion of such expenditure is charged against the income of the year.

49. A balance-sheet shall be made out in every year, and laid before the owners in general meeting, and such balance-sheet shall contain a summary of the property and liabilities of the corporation, arranged under their proper heads.

#### *Audit.*

50. Once at least in every year the accounts of the corporation shall be examined and the correctness of the balance-sheet ascertained by the Controller and Auditor-General, who shall present a report each year to Parliament, stating the result of such audit.

#### *Notices.*

51. A notice may be served by the corporation upon any owner, either personally or by sending it through the post in a prepaid letter addressed to such owner at his usual or last known place of abode. Every such notice shall be in both Maori and English, and if posted shall be deemed to be served on the day next following that on which it would be delivered in due course of post.

52. Any summons, notice, or other document required to be served upon the corporation may be served by leaving the same, or sending it through the post in a prepaid and registered letter addressed to the corporation, at its said office, and any document so posted shall be deemed to be served on the day next following that on which it would be delivered in due course of post.

#### *Contracts.*

53. Contracts on behalf of the corporation may be made as follows, that is to say:—

- (1.) Any contract which if made between private persons would by law be required to be in writing may be made on behalf of the corporation in writing and under its common seal.
- (2.) All deeds necessary to give effect to any contract shall be signed by a majority of the Committee in the presence of a Judge of the Native Land Court, or other officer appointed by the Government for the purpose.
- (3.) Any contract which, if made between private persons, would by law be valid although made by parol only, and not reduced into writing, may be made by parol on behalf of the corporation by the Chairman and one other member of the Committee.
- (4.) No contract involving more than £50 (other than a contract to lease or sell land) shall be binding on the corporation or its assets unless the Public Trustee has consented thereto; but such consent shall not make him in any way liable under the contract so consented to.

54. All contracts made according to the provisions contained in the last foregoing regulations may in the same way be varied or discharged.

#### *Advances.*

55. For the purpose of providing funds wherewith to road, survey, and generally to open up for sale, lease, or settlement the lands of the corporation, it shall be lawful for the Public Trustee, out of any moneys standing to the credit of the Public Trustee's Account, or from any other source, to advance or raise from time to time such sums as the

Committee may recommend, in anticipation of the rents, issues, and profits of the said lands, and the proceeds of sale thereof.

56. All such sums shall be advanced or raised in such manner and on such terms as to interest, sinking fund, and otherwise, as the Public Trustee may think fit. All sinking funds shall be held and invested by the Public Trustee.

57. All sums so advanced or raised, together with the interest and the expenses payable in respect thereof, shall be a charge on all such rents, issues, profits, and proceeds as aforesaid.

58. With the consent of the Public Trustee, but not otherwise, the repayment of the capital sums so advanced or raised as aforesaid may be spread over several years, pursuant to clause 48 of these regulations. In such case the portion repaid in any year (as determined by the Committee, with the consent of the Public Trustee) shall be treated as an item of expenditure for that year, and the residue of the rents, issues, profits, and proceeds aforesaid of that year shall be deemed to be released from the aforesaid charges, which shall nevertheless continue to bind all future rents, issues, profits, and proceeds, until the whole of the sums so advanced or raised, with the interest thereon, have been fully repaid.

59. All leases made by the Committee on behalf of the corporation shall be by public tender, and shall be made as nearly as may be in accordance with the regulations in force from time to time in regard to Crown lands, provided that residence shall not be compulsory. No payment for survey shall be claimed in advance, and the individual holdings in special settlements may be increased by one-half.

60. With respect to every lease,—

- (1.) The term shall not exceed thirty years, and the Public Trustee shall be a party (but without entering into any covenant, express or implied).
- (2.) All the covenants and conditions on the lessee's part shall be expressed to be in favour of the Public Trustee, upon whom also shall be conferred all the powers of re-entry, distress, and other the powers and authorities usually conferred upon a lessor.
- (3.) The instrument of lease shall, before execution, be submitted to the Minister of Lands and also to the Public Trustee for their approval.

61. Plans in accordance with the Survey Regulations for the time being in force shall be prepared of all lands proposed to be leased, and such plans, with the terms and conditions of the leases, shall be exhibited at the office of the corporation during at least one month before tenders for the same are received. Notice of such plans and conditions being open for inspection, and of tenders being invited, shall be published in two successive numbers of the *Gazette* and *Kahiti*, and once in each of two consecutive weeks in a newspaper published in Gisborne, such publications to take place prior to the exhibition of such plans and conditions. Copies of all such plans, terms, and conditions, as and when prepared, shall be forwarded to the Minister of Lands.

62. The Committee, by and with the consent of a majority of the owners in general meeting assembled, may set apart one or more parts of the Mangatu No. 1 Block as sites for special settlements on the terms specified in "The Land Act, 1892," and regulations thereunder, and may call for applications for such land from associations.

63. The Committee, by and with the consent of a majority of the owners in general meeting assembled, shall have power to include in any lease a covenant by the corporation for payment in full of valuations of improvements at the expiration of such lease, and the Public Trustee may set apart each year such portion of the yearly rental as he thinks necessary as sinking funds for the purpose of providing a fund to pay for such improvements. All such sinking funds shall be held and invested by the Public Trustee.

In witness whereof the said Committee have hereunto caused the common seal of "Mangatu No. 1" to be hereunto affixed, this twenty-ninth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Sealed in the presence of—

SEAL.

Mangatu No. 1,  
Cook County.

H. TE KANI PERE,  
Chairman of Committee.  
PEKA KEREKERE,  
Member of Committee.  
MATENGA TAIHUKA,  
Member of Committee.

GLASGOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eleventh day of June, 1895.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority contained in the sixth section of "The Mangatu No. 1 Empowering Act, 1893," His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent

of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby assent to and approve of the by-laws and regulations made by the Committee of "Mangatu No. 1" as above set forth: And, also, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority contained in the tenth section of the said Act, His said Excellency, by and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, doth hereby order and determine that all matters of procedure for the purpose of carrying "The Mangatu No. 1 Empowering Act, 1893," into effect in every respect, including the future appointment of members of the Committee of "Mangatu No. 1," and the times and manner of such appointment, shall be conducted and take effect as prescribed in and by the said by-laws and regulations as effectually, to all intents and purposes, as if the same had been set forth at length in this Order in Council.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Extension of Time for Preparation of Grey County Rolls.*

GLASGOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eleventh day of June, 1895.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it has been made to appear that, owing to unavoidable circumstances, the preparation of the rolls for the County of Grey, and the taking of certain steps consequent on such preparation, cannot be made and taken within the times limited by "The Counties Act, 1886," and it is expedient to extend the said times respectively:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers conferred upon him by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby order and declare that the several dates mentioned in the Schedule hereto shall be the respective dates for taking the several steps set out in the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

1. For preparing the rolls for ridings within the County of Grey: Until the 9th May, 1895.
2. Time for which such rolls shall be open for inspection: From the 10th May, 1895, to the 29th May, 1895.
3. Time for appeals against the said rolls: Until the 13th June, 1895.
4. Revision Courts may sit for hearing applications with reference to the said rolls, and adjourn: Until the 29th June, 1895.
5. Time when the said rolls, having been duly corrected and signed, shall come into force: On the 1st July, 1895.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

GLASGOW, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one hundred and thirty-sixth section of "The Land Act, 1892," I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, having received the report of the Surveyor-General in this behalf, as in the said section is provided, do hereby declare that the rural lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale or selection on and after the seventh day of August, 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.—MANGONUI COUNTY.

*Unsurveyed Second-class Land.*

ALL that parcel of land in the Auckland Land District, situate in Block II., Rangaunu Survey District, and containing approximately 500 acres. Bounded towards the north by a right line running due east from the eastern angle of Section No. 1 of Block II., Rangaunu Survey District; towards the east by part of the eastern boundary of Block II. aforesaid for a distance of 110 chains; towards the south by a right line running due west to the shore of Rangaunu Bay; towards the south-west by Rangaunu Bay; and towards the north-west by Section No. 1 of Block II. aforesaid to the point of commencement.

Description of land: Open land, sandy soil, flat and undulating; situate about twelve miles from Awanui Post-office, fronting Rangaunu Bay.

Cash price, 7s. 6d. per acre; occupation with right of purchase, 4'5d. per acre per annum; lease in perpetuity, 3'6d. per acre per annum.

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

JOHN MCKENZIE,  
Minister of Lands.

*Notifying Lands in Auckland for Sale by Public Auction*

GLASGOW, Governor.

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

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

| Section. | Area. | Total Upset Price. |
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*Town of Opua (Block XXI.).*

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| 4 | 0  | 1  | 0  | 5 | 0  | 0  |
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| 6 | 0  | 1  | 0  | 5 | 0  | 0  |
| 7 | 0  | 1  | 0  | 5 | 0  | 0  |

*Suburbs of Weymouth.*

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|----|----|---|----|----|----|---|
| 5  | 5  | 1 | 2  | 10 | 10 | 0 |
| 7  | 6  | 2 | 39 | 13 | 10 | 0 |
| 8  | 7  | 3 | 35 | 15 | 18 | 9 |
| 23 | 11 | 1 | 0  | 22 | 10 | 0 |
| 25 | 8  | 1 | 20 | 16 | 15 | 0 |
| 45 | 3  | 0 | 0  | 6  | 0  | 0 |
| 46 | 4  | 2 | 0  | 9  | 0  | 0 |

*Village of Otau.*

|                                     |   |   |    |    |    |   |
|-------------------------------------|---|---|----|----|----|---|
| Lots 8, 15, Section 2               | 0 | 2 | 0  | 1  | 10 | 0 |
| Lot 11, Section 2                   | 0 | 1 | 0  | 0  | 15 | 0 |
| Lot 17, Section 2                   | 0 | 1 | 0  | 0  | 15 | 0 |
| Lot 23, Section 2                   | 0 | 1 | 0  | 0  | 15 | 0 |
| Lots 10, 10A, 11, 12, 13, Section 3 | 3 | 1 | 17 | 10 | 2  | 6 |
| Lot 3, Section 4                    | 0 | 1 | 0  | 0  | 15 | 0 |

*Suburbs of Pokeno.*

|                  |   |   |    |    |    |   |
|------------------|---|---|----|----|----|---|
| Lot 9, Section 1 | 8 | 0 | 30 | 16 | 17 | 6 |
|------------------|---|---|----|----|----|---|

Subject to £35 for grassing, &c.

*Parish of Hautapu, Waikato.*

|     |    |   |   |    |    |   |
|-----|----|---|---|----|----|---|
| 145 | 24 | 2 | 0 | 73 | 10 | 0 |
|-----|----|---|---|----|----|---|

Open land on Waikato River, seven miles below Cambridge.

*Thames County.—Tairua Survey District (Block II.).*

(Suburban Lots at Tairua.)

|     |   |   |    |    |    |   |
|-----|---|---|----|----|----|---|
| 2   | 4 | 0 | 0  | 8  | 0  | 0 |
| 3   | 3 | 3 | 29 | 7  | 17 | 6 |
| 4   | 7 | 0 | 7  | 14 | 2  | 0 |
| 5   | 4 | 0 | 13 | 8  | 4  | 0 |
| 6   | 2 | 2 | 22 | 5  | 5  | 6 |
| 7   | 2 | 2 | 0  | 5  | 0  | 0 |
| 8   | 1 | 2 | 35 | 3  | 8  | 9 |
| 9   | 1 | 3 | 10 | 3  | 12 | 6 |
| 10  | 9 | 0 | 0  | 18 | 0  | 0 |
| 10A | 1 | 1 | 15 | 2  | 13 | 9 |

Section 2, subject to £35 for house, fencing, and cultivations; Section 3, subject to £6 for grassing, &c.; Section 6, subject to £12 for house and cultivation; Section 7, subject to £61 for houses, fencing, and clearing; Section 8, subject to £22 for house, stable, and grassing; Section 9, subject to £30 for houses, fencing, and grassing; Section 10, subject to £67 for houses, clearing, fencing, and grassing; Section 10A, subject to £15 for house and cultivations.

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

JOHN MCKENZIE,  
Minister of Lands.

*Notifying Lands in Auckland for Sale by Public Auction.*

GLASGOW, Governor.

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

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

*Village of Atuaroa (Museum Endowment Block).*

LOTS 1 to 16 (inclusive), Block XL., containing 4 acres; total upset price, £12. Situated at Tepuke.

*Suburbs of Opotiki.*

Lot 31A, containing 6 acres 3 roods 13 perches; total upset price, £14. Situated opposite Opotiki Township.

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

JOHN MCKENZIE,  
Minister of Lands.

*Rural Land in the Marlborough Land District withdrawn from Sale or Selection.*

GLASGOW, Governor.

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

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.

*Marlborough County.*

| Survey District. | Block.             | Area.               |
|------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| Onamalutu .. ..  | Part VIII. and IX. | A. R. P.<br>850 0 0 |

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

JOHN MCKENZIE,  
Minister of Lands.

*Declaring Manukau Oyster Fishery within which Oysters may be taken.*

GLASGOW, Governor.

IN pursuance of the power and authority vested in me by section fifteen of "The Sea-fisheries Act, 1894," I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby declare the bays, estuaries, and tidal waters of Manukau Harbour situated inside a straight line drawn from the summit of Paratutu on the North Head to the lighthouse on the South Head of that harbour, to be a fishery under the name of "The Manukau Oyster Fishery." And I do hereby further declare and prescribe that it shall be lawful to take oysters, within the period prescribed in that behalf, in such oyster fishery.

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

W. P. REEVES.

*Making Rules for Validation Court.*

GLASGOW, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by "The Native Land (Validation of Titles) Act, 1893," I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby make and prescribe for the purposes of the said Act the additional rules set out in the Schedule hereto; and I do hereby further order and declare that such rules shall take effect on and after the first day of July proximo.

SCHEDULE.

1. RULES Nos. 3, 4, 11, 12, 21, 44, 48, and 49 of the general rules made on the 28th day of February, 1894, and the Third Schedule to the said rules, are hereby revoked, and the following rules and schedule of fees are hereby made and shall be read and construed as substituted in lieu thereof respectively:—

*Records of the Court.*

2. The records of the Court shall be kept in the office of the Registrar in the district within which the land is situated, and the Registrar shall record all applications, orders, decrees, and other proceedings whatever in the suit affecting lands or other property situated in that district.

*Filing of Applications, and Fees thereon.*

3. On payment to the Registrar of the fees for filing set forth in the Third Schedule, it shall be his duty to file the application, indorsing thereon the day and hour of filing, and a number showing the order in which it was received; but no application shall be filed by the Registrar which seeks relief from the Court in respect of any transaction dated since the passing of "The Native Land (Validation of Titles) Act, 1892," and the Court shall not entertain any suit or proceeding or any transaction with a Native found to have been initiated since that date.

The applicant shall cause copies of the said application to be printed, and also to be published in the *Government Gazette* and *Kahiti* and in one newspaper published in the district, as set down for hearing on the day named therein for hearing, and such application shall go into the Court list for that day in the order of its filing next after the cases (if any) already standing in the Court list for that day, or adjourned from some previous day to that day.

The applicant shall cause the Maori version of the filed application to be published at least once in the *Kahiti*, and the English version at least three times in the *Gazette* and also three times in the local newspaper. The first of each of said publications in the *Kahiti*, *Gazette*, and newspaper shall be made at least thirty days before the day named in the application as the day when applicant intends to apply for relief. The other publications shall be made at the discretion of the Registrar during the interval between the day of filing and the day for hearing. Copies of the *Gazette*, *Kahiti*, and newspaper containing the advertisement shall be lodged with the Registrar at least fourteen days before the day of hearing of the application. It shall be the duty of the Registrar to report to the Court in each instance whether due publication has been made.

The Judge, in his discretion, may order in any particular case that one publication in the *Gazette*, *Kahiti*, and newspaper shall be sufficient.

Printed copies of the application in English and Maori shall be furnished by the applicant for distribution by the Registrar in the manner prescribed by Rule 13.

*Service of Notices, &c., on Objectors.*

4. Every objector who appears before the Court shall forthwith after appearance lodge with the Registrar of the Court written notice, naming some place in the town wherein the Registrar's offices are situated where notices, orders, and other documents may be served upon such objector by leaving same at such place for him; and such service, if made at any time between 10 a.m. and 5 p.m., shall be deemed good service upon such objector on the day on which it is made, unless the Judge shall otherwise direct.

Until such notice naming a place for service be given to the Registrar and to the applicant, all notices of motion and of appeal, and all other documents requiring to be served upon such objector by his opponent or by the Court, may be served by leaving same with the Registrar of the Court, who may forthwith post the same to the address of the objector (if any) given in the application.

Any objector neglecting to lodge with the Registrar a notice naming a place for service as aforesaid shall not be entitled to object to any proceedings taken before the Court, or to orders made in his absence, on the ground that he had not received sufficient notice of the intended proceedings, or

that the notice or other document posted to him could not in due course of post reach him in time.

5. The names of all persons who appear before the Court at any time before final decree as objectors, but whose names have not been inserted by the applicant on his application, shall be indorsed by the Registrar or a Clerk of the Court in the application as objectors, together with the date of their first appearance before the Court as objectors.

*Recording Evidence.*

6. All evidence given in Maori at the hearing before the Court shall be written out in Maori at the time it is being given, and shall be read over to the witness, and, after it has been acknowledged by him to be correct or has been corrected by him, as the case may be, shall be signed by the witness and countersigned by the interpreter.

7. All evidence given in English shall be written out by the Registrar or a Clerk of the Court at the time it is being given, and shall be read over by the witness, and, after it has been acknowledged to be correct or has been corrected by him, as the case may be, shall be signed by the witness and countersigned by the Registrar or Clerk.

The English translation given in Court by the interpreter of the evidence of each Maori witness shall be recorded by the Registrar or Clerk, and signed by the interpreter and by the Registrar or Clerk.

Such written evidence in Maori and English, and such translation when so signed as aforesaid, shall become records in the case then being heard, and for all purposes shall thenceforth be treated by all Courts as the evidence that was then given and the translation that was then made to the Court.

SCHEDULE.

*Court and Office Fees.*

|   | £  | s.        | d.  |
|---|----|-----------|---|
| 1. On inspection of any record .. ..  | 0  | 2         | 0   |
| 2. On filing application for relief .. ..   | 3  | 0         | 0   |
| 3. For filing objector's appearance in Court, and address for service (payable on appearance) .. ..                       | 1  | 0         | 0   |
| 4. For filing summons to attend before Judge in Chambers, and for filing any notice of motion .. ..                       | 0  | 10        | 0   |
| 5. On filing affidavit .. ..  | 0  | 5         | 0   |
| 6. On filing and authenticating with Court seal a voluntary arrangement .. ..   | 1  | 0         | 0   |
| For sealing each copy .. ..   | 0  | 5         | 0   |
| 7. On filing any document not above specified or otherwise herein provided for .. ..                                      | 0  | 5         | 0   |
| 8. Hearing-fee payable by each party who addresses Judge in Chambers, for each hour or fraction of an hour .. ..          | 0  | 10        | 0   |
| 9. For sealing order made on motion before Judge in Chambers .. ..  | 0  | 10        | 0   |
| 10. For sealing subpoena (original) .. ..   | 0  | 3         | 0   |
| For sealing subpoena (copy) .. ..   | 0  | 1         | 0   |
| 11. Swearing witness .. ..  | 0  | 2         | 0   |
| 12. For cross-examining witness .. ..   | 0  | 2         | 0   |
| 13. Sealing order for Commission to examine witnesses .. ..   | 1  | 0         | 0   |
| 14. Applicant's hearing-fee in Court on first rising to address Court, for each day or part of a day .. ..                | 1  | 0         | 0   |
| 15. Objector's hearing-fee in Court on first rising to address Court, for first two days, each day .. ..                  | 1  | 0         | 0   |
| Ditto on third day .. ..  | 1  | 10        | 0   |
| Ditto on every subsequent day, on first rising .. ..  | 2  | 0         | 0   |
| 16. For marking exhibit when tendered in evidence at hearing .. ..  | 0  | 2         | 0   |
| 17. Certified copy of any filed document, per folio .. ..   | 0  | 1         | 6   |
| Sealing same .. ..  | 0  | 3         | 0   |
| Plan on same .. ..  | 0  | 5         | 0   |
| 18. On filing draft order or decree for approval of Judge .. ..   | 0  | 10        | 0   |
| 19. For sealing order or decree of Court, and filing same .. ..   | 1  | 0         | 0   |
| 20. For sealing and examining each copy or duplicate for use under sections 13 and 14 of Act .. ..                        | 0  | 10        | 0   |
| 21. <i>Ad valorem</i> fees on every order or decree of Court granting an estate or interest in a specified parcel of land | £1 | per cent. | upon the value ascertained as per rules, but in no case to be less than £5. |



|   |  |  |  |
|---|--|--|--|
| <p>22. <i>Ad valorem</i> fees on every order or decree of Court for payment of a specified sum of money</p> <p>23. For sealing order for arrest of witness who has wilfully disobeyed his subpoena, or otherwise treated the process of the Court with contempt</p> <p>For sealing duplicate of same for filing in Supreme Court for execution by Sheriff .. .. .</p> <p>24. For sealing order for injunction</p> <p>For sealing duplicate of same for filing in Supreme Court for execution by Sheriff .. .. .</p> | <p>£1 per cent. upon the amount ordered to be paid, but in no case to be less than £5.</p> <p>£ s. d.<br/>1 0 0</p> <p>0 10 0</p> <p>1 0 0</p> <p>0 10 0</p> | <p>25. Sheriffs' fees, &amp;c., on executing writs issued under orders of Validation Court</p> <p>26. For sealing any order of Court not otherwise herein provided for .. .. .</p> <p>For sealing duplicate or copy of same ..</p> | <p>Same as allowed on similar writs in Supreme Court (see sections 10, 13, 14 of Act).</p> <p>£ s. d.<br/>1 0 0</p> <p>0 5 0</p> |
|---|--|--|--|

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

R. J. SEDDON.

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

GLASGOW, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one hundred and thirty-sixth section of "The Land Act, 1892," I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, having received the report of the Surveyor-General in this behalf, as in the said section is provided, do hereby declare that the rural lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale or selection on and after the seventh day of August, 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 land 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.

MARLBOROUGH 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.

|             |           |     |     |          |         |         |       |         |       |         |
|-------------|-----------|-----|-----|----------|---------|---------|-------|---------|-------|---------|
| Marlborough | Onamalutu | 145 | XI. | A. R. P. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | s. d. | £ s. d. | s. d. | £ s. d. |
|             |           |     |     | 27 0 0   | 2 0 0   | 54 0 0  | 2 0   | 1 7 0   | 1 7   | 1 1 7   |

Weighted with £50, valuation for improvements. Section all in grass; about twenty acres agricultural; well watered; accessible by road. About seventeen miles from Blenheim.

SECOND-CLASS LAND.

|             |           |   |     |        |        |         |     |        |       |        |
|-------------|-----------|---|-----|--------|--------|---------|-----|--------|-------|--------|
| Marlborough | Onamalutu | 5 | XI. | 55 0 0 | 0 10 0 | 27 10 0 | 0 6 | 0 13 9 | 0 4 8 | 0 11 0 |
|-------------|-----------|---|-----|--------|--------|---------|-----|--------|-------|--------|

Thirty-five acres burnt, very broken, fair soil, poorly watered; accessible by road. About fifteen miles from Blenheim.

|             |           |    |     |        |        |        |     |        |       |        |
|-------------|-----------|----|-----|--------|--------|--------|-----|--------|-------|--------|
| Marlborough | Onamalutu | 12 | XI. | 50 0 0 | 0 10 0 | 25 0 0 | 0 6 | 0 12 6 | 0 4 8 | 0 10 0 |
|-------------|-----------|----|-----|--------|--------|--------|-----|--------|-------|--------|

Weighted with £50, value of improvements. Twenty acres level, felled and grassed; good soil on flat, well watered; accessible by road. About sixteen miles from Blenheim.

|             |           |   |       |         |        |         |       |        |       |         |
|-------------|-----------|---|-------|---------|--------|---------|-------|--------|-------|---------|
| Marlborough | Onamalutu | 5 | VIII. | 89 0 0  | 0 10 0 | 44 10 0 | 0 6   | 1 2 3  | 0 4 8 | 0 17 10 |
| "           | "         | 6 | "     | 86 0 0  | 0 10 0 | 43 0 0  | 0 6   | 1 1 6  | 0 4 8 | 0 17 2  |
| "           | "         | 7 | "     | 45 0 0  | 0 10 0 | 22 10 0 | 0 6   | 0 11 3 | 0 4 8 | 0 9 0   |
| "           | "         | 8 | "     | 38 2 0  | 0 10 0 | 17 0 0  | 0 6   | 0 8 6  | 0 4 8 | 0 6 10  |
| "           | "         | 3 | XII.  | 212 0 0 | 0 8 0  | 84 16 0 | 0 4 8 | 2 2 2  | 0 3 8 | 1 13 11 |

Fern, scrub, and birch bush; poor soil; well watered; accessible by road. About twelve miles from Blenheim.

|        |        |   |     |         |        |        |     |        |       |       |
|--------|--------|---|-----|---------|--------|--------|-----|--------|-------|-------|
| Sounds | Oriero | 9 | II. | 126 0 0 | 0 10 0 | 63 0 0 | 0 6 | 1 11 6 | 0 4 8 | 1 5 2 |
|--------|--------|---|-----|---------|--------|--------|-----|--------|-------|-------|

All bush; small flat, remainder hilly; well watered; clay soil; accessible by formed track from Wet Inlet. About twelve miles from Picton *via* Torea Neck, partly by water and partly by road.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this eleventh day of June, 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.

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 thirty-first day of July, 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. |

FIRST-CLASS LAND.

|            |             | A. | R.   | P. | s. | d. | £  | s. | d. | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |   |   |   |
|------------|-------------|----|------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|---|----|----|----|----|---|----|----|---|---|---|
| Wallace .. | Longwood .. | 10 | VII. | 49 | 2  | 19 | 20 | 0  | 50 | 0  | 0  | 1 | 0  | 1  | 5  | 0  | 0 | 9  | 6  | 1 | 0 | 0 |

Undulating land, covered with timber fit only for firewood. Distant about two miles from Wakapatu Railway-station.

SECOND-CLASS LAND.

|           |                      | A. | R.   | P. | s. | d. | £  | s. | d. | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |    |    |   |
|-----------|----------------------|----|------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|---|----|----|----|----|---|----|----|----|----|---|
| Southland | Campbelltown Hundred | 4  | III. | 54 | 0  | 36 | 12 | 6  | 33 | 17 | 10 | 0 | 7  | 0  | 16 | 11 | 0 | 6  | 0  | 18 | 7  |   |
| "         | Ditto ..             | 5  | "    | 62 | 3  | 34 | 12 | 6  | 39 | 7  | 0  | 0 | 7  | 0  | 19 | 8  | 0 | 6  | 0  | 15 | 9  |   |
| "         | " ..                 | 6  | "    | 72 | 1  | 24 | 12 | 6  | 45 | 5  | 0  | 0 | 7  | 0  | 1  | 2  | 8 | 0  | 6  | 0  | 18 | 1 |
| "         | " ..                 | 41 | "    | 91 | 3  | 29 | 10 | 0  | 45 | 19 | 4  | 0 | 6  | 1  | 3  | 0  | 0 | 4  | 8  | 0  | 18 | 5 |

Low-lying swampy land, partly covered with manuka scrub. Distance from Woodend, about four miles.

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

JOHN MCKENZIE,  
Minister of Lands.

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

GLASGOW, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one hundred and thirty-sixth section of "The Land Act, 1892," I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, having received the report of the Surveyor-General in this behalf, as in the said section is provided, do hereby declare that the rural lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale or selection on and after the seventh day of August, 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.  
CANTERBURY 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 SURVEYED LAND.

Reserve 2165.

|           |               | A. | R. | P.  | £ | s. | d. | £  | s. | d.  | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |    |   |
|-----------|---------------|----|----|-----|---|----|----|----|----|-----|----|----|---|----|----|----|----|---|----|----|----|---|
| Ashburton | South Rakaiia | 1  | I. | 373 | 3 | 38 | 2  | 10 | 0  | 984 | 19 | 5  | 2 | 6  | 23 | 7  | 6  | 2 | 0  | 18 | 14 | 0 |
| "         | "             | 3  | "  | 311 | 2 | 0  | 2  | 10 | 0  | 778 | 15 | 0  | 2 | 6  | 19 | 9  | 5  | 2 | 0  | 15 | 11 | 6 |

These sections form part of the block known as the Police Reserve, Seafield; situated about five miles west of Kyle Post-office, and ten miles south-east of the Dromore Railway-station, and comprise open, level, plain land of fair quality. A county water-race runs along the common boundary of the two sections.

Reserve 1881.

|           |          | A. | R. | P. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |   |   |
|-----------|----------|----|----|----|---|----|----|---|----|----|----|----|---|----|----|----|----|---|----|----|---|---|
| Ashburton | Hinds .. | 6  | .. | 40 | 0 | 0  | 1  | 5 | 0  | 50 | 0  | 0  | 1 | 3  | 1  | 5  | 0  | 1 | 0  | 1  | 0 | 0 |
| "         | " ..     | 42 | V. | 50 | 0 | 0  | 1  | 5 | 0  | 62 | 10 | 0  | 1 | 3  | 1  | 11 | 3  | 1 | 0  | 1  | 5 | 0 |

These sections are situated in the Hinds Village Settlement, at distances of a mile and a mile and three-quarters to the westward of the Hinds Railway-station, and comprise open, level, plain land of light quality. Section 6 is intersected by a county water-race. The sections are weighted with valuations for improvements as follows: On Section 6, cottage and fencing, £40; on Section 42, fencing, £15, which sums must be paid at the time of application, or immediately the result of the ballot is declared, in addition to the usual deposit and fees.

Reserve 1881.

|             |              | A. | R.   | P.  | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d.  | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |    |   |
|-------------|--------------|----|------|-----|---|----|----|---|----|-----|----|----|---|----|----|----|----|---|----|----|----|---|
| Geraldine.. | Geraldine .. | 27 | VII. | 144 | 0 | 0  | 1  | 5 | 0  | 180 | 0  | 0  | 1 | 3  | 4  | 10 | 0  | 1 | 0  | 3  | 12 | 0 |

Reserve 1371.

|             |              | A. | R.   | P.  | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d.  | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |   |    |
|-------------|--------------|----|------|-----|---|----|----|---|----|-----|----|----|---|----|----|----|----|---|----|----|---|----|
| Geraldine.. | Geraldine .. | 41 | VII. | 169 | 2 | 23 | 1  | 5 | 0  | 212 | 1  | 1  | 1 | 3  | 5  | 6  | 0  | 1 | 0  | 4  | 4 | 10 |

These sections are situated south-west of, and about two miles from, the South Rangitata Railway-station, and comprise open, level, stony land, suitable for pastoral purposes. The sections are weighted with valuations for improvements as follows: On Section 27, hut and fencing, £14 10s.; on Section 41, fencing, £5 10s., which sums must be paid at the time of application, or immediately the result of the ballot is declared, in addition to the usual deposit and fees.

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

JOHN MCKENZIE,  
Minister of Lands.

*Trustee for the Waimate Cemetery appointed.*

GLASGOW, Governor.

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

ALFRED GARLAND

to be a Trustee, in the place of Charles Russell, resigned, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Waimate Cemetery, in conjunction with the other persons appointed by warrant under the hand of His Excellency the Governor on the twenty-fourth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

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

JOHN MCKENZIE,  
Minister of Lands.

*Trustees for the Maintenance of the Whananaki Public Cemetery appointed.*

GLASGOW, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the sixth section of "The Cemeteries Act, 1882," I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the several persons whose names are specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto to be Trustees to provide for the maintenance and care of the public cemetery specified in the second column of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

| Names of Trustees.   | Name of Public Cemetery, and Description of Land.   |
|--|---|
|  | WHANANAKI.  |
| John C. Johnson,<br>Andrew Sterling,<br>Falkner W. Macken,<br>John K. Grassick,<br>William Lee, and<br>Thomas Henry Winwood<br>Morris. | All that parcel of land in the Land District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 10 acres, more or less, and being Section 25 of Block IX., Opuawhanga Survey District. Bounded generally towards the west, north, and east by a road reservation of varying width, 226, 872, 582, 264, 569, and 351 links respectively; and towards the south-west by Section 26 of Block IX. aforesaid, 1117 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages a little more or less. |

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

JOHN MCKENZIE,  
Minister of Lands.

*Sitting of Magistrate's Court appointed.*

GLASGOW, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by "The Magistrates' Courts Act, 1893," I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint

The SCHOOLHOUSE, Macrae's,

to be a place wherein a Magistrate's Court shall be held under the provisions of the said Act, in lieu of the place appointed by warrant dated the twenty-eighth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the eleventh day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

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

W. P. REEVES.

*Public Vaccinator, Oamaru District, appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 6th June, 1895.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES WHITTON, Esq., M.D., Queen's Univ. Irel., &c., to be a Public Vaccinator, under "The Public Health Act, 1876," for the District of Oamaru, *vice* Dr. W. Stewart, resigned.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

*Inspector of Weights and Measures, Timaru, appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 10th June, 1895.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable THOMAS HENRY HELLYER BEDDEK

to be an Inspector of Weights and Measures, under "The Weights and Measures Act, 1868," and the Acts amending the same, for the District of Timaru.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

*Inspector of Weights and Measures, Tapanui, appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 11th June, 1895.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable WILLIAM MATHIESON

to be an Inspector of Weights and Measures, under "The Weights and Measures Act, 1868," and the Acts amending the same, for the Borough of Tapanui.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

*Public Vaccinator, Waikouaiti District, appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 11th June, 1895.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ALFRED JAMES NEALE, Esq., M.D., Univ. Edin.,

to be a Public Vaccinator, under "The Public Health Act, 1876," for the District of Waikouaiti.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

*Clerk of Courts, &c., appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 11th June, 1895.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable WILLIAM MATHIESON

to be Clerk of the Magistrate's and Warden's Courts and Receiver of Gold Revenue and Mining Registrar at Tapanui, from the 5th day of June, 1895, *vice* Constable F. Parker.

W. P. REEVES.

*Member of Otago Land Board reappointed.*

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 7th June, 1895.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to reappoint

WILLIAM DALLAS

to be a member of the Land Board of the Land District of Otago, as from the 4th June, 1895.

JOHN MCKENZIE,  
Minister of Lands.

*Harbourmaster at Russell appointed.*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 6th June, 1895.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased, in pursuance of the power and authority vested by section 13 of "The Harbours Act, 1878," to appoint

HENRY STEPHENSON

to be Harbourmaster for the Port of Russell.

W. P. REEVES,  
For Minister of Marine.

*Inspector appointed under "The Sea-fisheries Act, 1894."*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 6th June, 1895.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased, in pursuance of the power and authority vested by subsection (2) of section 6 of "The Sea-fisheries Act, 1894," to appoint

MICHAEL JOSEPH WILDERMOTH,

of Greymouth, police constable, to be an Inspector of Sea-fishing under the above-mentioned Act.

W. P. REEVES,  
For Minister of Marine.

*Inspectors of Factories appointed.*

Department of Labour,  
Wellington, 10th June, 1895.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned persons to be Inspectors under "The Factories Act, 1894," and to assign to them the districts set opposite their names, viz. :—

| Name.                                 | District.  |
|---------------------------------------|--|
| Constable WILLIAM MATHIESON           | South Island of the Colony of New Zealand, and the islands adjacent thereto. |
| Constable THOMAS HENRY HELLYER BEDDEK |  |
| W. P. REEVES.                         |  |

Minister of Labour.

*Clerk of Award appointed, and his Office located.*

Office of the Minister of Labour,  
Wellington, 12th June, 1895.

FOR the purposes of "The Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1894," His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the person mentioned in the first column of the Schedule hereto to be a Clerk of Award in and for the industrial district set opposite his name in the second column thereof; and also to declare that in such industrial district the Clerk's office shall be in the Supreme Court Office in the town set opposite such industrial district in the third column of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

| Clerk.                | District.                      | Town in which Office is located. |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Hastings Mayow Lee .. | Wellington Industrial District | Wellington.                      |

W. P. REEVES,  
Minister of Labour.

*Registrar of Brands, Tapanui District, appointed.—  
Notice No. 418.*

Department of Agriculture (Live-stock Branch),  
Wellington, 8th June, 1895.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

CHARLES CLENDON EMPSON

to be a Registrar of Brands for the Tapanui Branding District, in terms of "The Stock Act, 1893"—to date from the 1st May, 1895—*vice* R. H. Hassall, transferred.

A. J. CADMAN,  
For Minister of Agriculture.

*Letters of Naturalisation issued.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 6th June, 1895.

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

| Name.                   | Occupation.    | Residence. |
|-------------------------|----------------|------------|
| Otto Edward True ..     | Mariner ..     | Waiwetu.   |
| Joe Tie ..              | Gardener ..    | Danevirke. |
| Wong Ah Nui ..          | Cook ..        | Wanganui.  |
| Henry William Roeske .. | Farmer ..      | Wangapeka. |
| Wah Kee ..              | Storekeeper .. | Woodville. |
| Unh Gin Lum ..          | Gardener ..    | Timaru.    |

P. A. BUCKLEY.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 11th June, 1895.

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

P. A. BUCKLEY.

[NOTE.—This notice is in substitution of the notice published on page 590 of *New Zealand Gazette* No. 21, of 21st March, 1895.]

MAURICEVILLE ROAD BOARD.

RESULT of the poll taken at Mauriceville Railway-station, on the 16th day of March, 1895, on a proposal to borrow £250,

under "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886," and its amendments, for the purpose of forming and partly metalling Johnston's Road:—

Number of ratepayers on special roll, 6, representing 6 votes: 4 ratepayers recorded 4 votes for the proposal.

As a majority of ratepayers recorded a majority of votes in favour of the proposal, I hereby declare the proposal carried.

CHARLES FORSBERG,  
Chairman.

8th June, 1895.

*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.

*Road Board Elections.*

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

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

HUGH POLLEN,  
Under-Secretary.

Ahuroa Road District, County of Rodney:  
Adam Davie Martin.

Egmont Road District, County of Taranaki:  
Samuel Rundle.  
Frank Salway.  
Walter Bishop, jun.  
Aaron Marsh.  
Henry Osborne Skelton.

Waiwakaiho Road District, County of Taranaki:  
Thomas James.

Manganui Road District, County of Stratford:  
Joseph Mackay.

Wirokino Road District, County of Horowhenua:  
No. 1 Ward—  
Alfred Browne.  
No. 3 Ward—  
James Gardner.

Little River Road District, County of Akaroa:  
H. D. Buchanan.  
J. C. C. Gebbie.  
W. H. Montgomery.  
Henry White.  
J. H. Parkinson.

Tai Tapu Road District, County of Akaroa:  
William Gilmour.  
Robt. A. Forbes.  
Thomas Leatham.  
Josh. John Herrick.  
Thomas Macartney.

Rangitata Road District, County of Ashburton:  
Charles John Harper.  
Robert Tarbotton.  
Frank Peter.  
Edward George Wright.  
James Wright Sawle.

Tuturau Road District, County of Southland:

- Cecil F. Adams.
- Andrew Brown.
- James Galt.
- James Mitchell.
- Finlay McKay.
- Montgomery Perkins.
- William J. Smith.
- Richard Wilson.
- John Waddell.

Knapdale Road District, County of Southland:

- William Calder.
- John Dickson.
- Duncan Gilchrist.
- James Kirk.
- William Key.
- Adam John Nichol.
- Alexander Peters.
- John Robertson.
- Alexander Syme.

By-laws regulating Traffic on Interior Roads in the Wellington Land District.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by section 130 of "The Public Works Act, 1894," I, John McKenzie, Minister of Lands, do, in respect of the Government roads known as the Ohingaiti-Tokaanu Road, the Pipiriki-Waiouru Road, the Maowhango-Te Horo Road, and the Parapara Raetibi-Ohura Road, hereby make the following by-laws:—

1. The use of bullocks as traction animals on the said roads is prohibited for the period from 1st May, 1895, to 1st November, 1895.

2. The haulage or transportation on the said roads of any engine or machine coming under the definition of "heavy traffic," within the meaning of clause (a) of subsection (1) of section 130 of "The Public Works Act, 1894," during the months of May, June, July, August, and September in any year, shall cease.

3. The width of tires of all vehicles upon the said roads, whether plying for hire or not, shall bear the following proportion to the number of animals employed to draw the same, that is to say:—

| If the Number of Animals used to draw a Vehicle having Two Wheels be | Then the Minimum Width of Tire of any such Vehicle |                          |
|--|--|--------------------------|
|  | If without Springs shall be                        | If with Springs shall be |
| 2 .. .. .  | 2½ inches  | 1½ inches.               |
| 3 .. .. .  | 3 "  | 2 "                      |
| 4 .. .. .  | 4 "  | 2½ "                     |
| 5 .. .. .  | 5 "  | 3 "                      |
| 6 .. .. .  | 6 "  | 3½ "                     |

| If the Number of Animals used to draw a Vehicle having Four Wheels be | Then the Minimum Width of Tire of any such Vehicle |                          |
|---|--|--------------------------|
|   | If without Springs shall be                        | If with Springs shall be |
| 2 .. .. .   | 2½ inches  | 1½ inches.               |
| 3 .. .. .   | 3 "  | 2 "                      |
| 5 .. .. .   | 4 "  | 2½ "                     |
| 7 .. .. .   | 5 "  | 3 "                      |
| 10 .. .. .  | 6 "  | 3½ "                     |

4. If any person shall commit a breach of any of the foregoing by-laws, he shall be liable, upon conviction for such breach, to a penalty of £5: Provided that the Court before which proceedings may be taken in respect of such breach may, if it think fit, impose such lower penalty as it may think adequate to the particular case.

The by-law regulating width of tires on wheels of vehicles to be used on parts of the above-named roads, dated 15th November, 1893, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 90, of the 23rd November, 1893, is hereby cancelled.

As witness my hand, this eighth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

JOHN MCKENZIE,  
Minister of Lands.

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

IN accordance with "The Government Railways Act, 1894," I, Alfred Jerome Cadman, the Minister for Railways, do hereby make the following alterations in and additions to the scale of fares, rates, and charges on the New Zealand Government railways, to come into force on and after the 17th day of June, 1895:—

PART I.—PASSENGERS: GENERAL FARES AND REGULATIONS.

Students of Agricultural and Technical Colleges travelling for Field Instruction.

On Fridays and Saturdays students of Agricultural and Technical Colleges, in parties of not less than five, when travelling for field instruction, will be charged single fares for the double journey. Tickets will be available for return up to the following Monday. Application for this concession must be made to the District Manager.

PART IV.—GOODS: LOCAL RATES.

HURUNUI—BLUFF SECTION.

Class K.—Timber.

Timber, other than white-pine, for export to places outside the Colony of New Zealand, consigned direct to ship at Lyttelton, will be charged as follows at per 100 superficial feet:—

|                          | s. | d. |
|--------------------------|----|----|
| From View Hill .. .. .   | 1  | 9  |
| From West Oxford .. .. . | 1  | 8  |

As witness my hand, this tenth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

A. J. CADMAN,  
Minister for Railways.

Officiating Ministers for 1895.—Notice No. 17.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 12th June, 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:—

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

The Reverend Arthur James Beck.

E. J. von DADELSZEN,  
Registrar-General.

Commissioner's Decisions under Tariff Acts.

Department of Trade and Customs,  
Wellington, 12th June, 1895.

IT is hereby notified for public information that the Hon. the Commissioner of Trade and Customs has decided to interpret "The Customs and Excise Duties Act, 1888," in relation to the under-mentioned articles as follows:—

NOTE.—"Not otherwise enumerated" appears as n.o.e.; "other kinds" as o.k.; "articles and materials suited only for, and to be used solely in, the fabrication of goods in the colony" as a. & m.s. Articles marked thus \* are revised decisions.

| Articles, and how classed.                                 | Rate of Duty. |
|--|---------------|
| Cod-liver oil, Scott's Emulsion of; as druggists' sundries | 15 per cent.  |
| Iron plates, lead-coated; as n.o.e. .. .. .                | Free.         |
| Splicing-tubes, umbrella-makers'; as minor articles        | Free.         |
| *Type-cabinets; as printing materials .. .. .              | Free.         |

W. T. GLASGOW,  
Secretary and Inspector.

Commissioner's Order No. 518.]

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

Public Trust Office,  
Wellington, 11th June, 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 hereunder respectively set forth, their gross properties being estimated not to exceed £250 in each case.

Alfred Healey Stevens, late of Tauranga, in the Provincial District of Auckland, settler. Filed on the 6th day of June, 1895.

Harry Richards, late of Racecourse Hill, Riccarton, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, station cook. Filed on the 3rd day of June, 1895.

Charlotte Elizabeth Tulley, late of Christchurch, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, spinster. Filed on the 7th day of June, 1895.

J. K. WARBURTON,  
Public Trustee.

Public Notice under "The Stock Act, 1893," re Swine-fever.  
—No. 413.

Department of Agriculture (Live-stock Branch),  
Wellington, 3rd May, 1895.

IT having been reported to me that the disease known as "swine-fever" exists amongst pigs belonging to Mr. J. C. Anderson, of Stirling, farmer, and running on his farm-lands, comprising Sections 6, 7, 8, 9, in Block XIII., North Molyneux District, I therefore, in accordance with section 14, subsection (4), of "The Stock Act, 1893," hereby declare such lands to be an infected place from which no swine, carcase, or any portion thereof, or any fodder or fittings, &c., shall be removed, except under the direction of an Inspector of Stock.

JOHN D. RITCHIE,  
Chief Inspector of Stock.

Crown Lands Notices.

Pastoral Lands in Otago Land District for Lease by Public Auction.

Crown Lands Office,  
Dunedin, 27th May, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given that a yearly license, from the 1st July, 1895, to occupy for pastoral purposes, under section 116 of "The Land Act, 1892," Section 10, Block XV., Maniototo District, will be offered at auction on the 10th July, 1895. Area, 419 acres 2 roods 16 perches; upset annual rental, £31 10s.

The purchaser will be required to deposit the year's rent and license-fee (£1 1s.) on fall of hammer.

Possession will be given on day of sale.

J. P. MITTLAND,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Blenheim, 11th June, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned small grazing-runs will be open for lease on application, at the District Lands and Survey Office, Blenheim, on and after Wednesday, the 31st July, 1895, at the annual rental noted below. If more than one application be received for the run on the same day, priority of selection will be decided by ballot on the following day, at 11 a.m.

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.  
First-class Pastoral Country.

| Run No.                    | Section.  | Block.          | Area. | Rent per Acre. | Annual Rental. |
|----------------------------|-----------|-----------------|-------|----------------|----------------|
| ONAMALUTU SURVEY DISTRICT. |           |                 |       |                |                |
|                            |           |                 | A.    | R.             | P.             |
|                            |           |                 | s.    | d.             |                |
| 51                         | 6, 13     | XI.             | 232   | 0              | 0              |
|                            |           |                 | 0     | 3              |                |
| 63                         | { 1<br>10 | { X.<br>XI. }   | 1,017 | 0              | 0              |
|                            |           |                 | 0     | 3              |                |
| 64                         | { 4<br>9  | { X.<br>XI. }   | 417   | 0              | 0              |
|                            |           |                 | 0     | 3              |                |
| 65                         | { 2<br>1  | { VII.<br>IX. } | 540   | 0              | 0              |
|                            |           |                 | 0     | 3              |                |
| 66                         | 3         | XI.             | 500   | 0              | 0              |
|                            |           |                 | 0     | 3              |                |
| 67                         | 4         | "               | 378   | 0              | 0              |
|                            |           |                 | 0     | 3              |                |
| ORIERI SURVEY DISTRICT.    |           |                 |       |                |                |
| 68                         | 8         | II.             | 721   | 0              | 0              |
|                            |           |                 | 0     | 2              | 4              |
| 70                         | 5         | "               | 330   | 0              | 0              |
|                            |           |                 | 0     | 3              |                |
| 71                         | 6         | "               | 231   | 0              | 0              |
|                            |           |                 | 0     | 2              | 4              |
| 75                         | 7         | "               | 454   | 0              | 0              |
|                            |           |                 | 0     | 3              |                |
| LINKWATER SURVEY DISTRICT. |           |                 |       |                |                |
| 72                         | 10        | III.            | 362   | 0              | 0              |
|                            |           |                 | 0     | 2              | 7              |
|                            |           |                 | 4     | 8              | 0              |

Run No. 51.—30 acres cleared and in grass, remainder fern, scrub, manuka, and birch; well-watered, very broken, soil good in gullies; accessible by road, about fourteen miles from Blenheim. Weighted with £130, value of improvements.

Run No. 63.—Principally fern, scrub, and birch bush; good soil in gullies; accessible by road, about seventeen miles from Blenheim.

Run No. 64.—40 acres cleared and in grass, remainder very broken, with good soil in gullies, fern, scrub, and birch bush; accessible by road, about seventeen miles from Blenheim. Weighted with £300, value of improvements.

Run No. 65.—90 acres cleared and in grass, remainder very broken, with good soil in gullies, fern, scrub, and birch bush; accessible by road, about seventeen miles from Blenheim. Weighted with £200, value of improvements.

Run No. 66.—10 acres cleared and in grass, remainder fern, scrub, and birch bush; accessible by road, about seventeen miles from Blenheim. Weighted with £200, value of improvements.

Run No. 67.—42 acres cleared and in grass, remainder fern, scrub, and birch; well watered; accessible by road, about fifteen miles from Blenheim. Weighted with £130, value of improvements.

Run No. 68.—Principally bush, portion scrub and fern; clay soil, well watered; accessible by formed track from Mautau-a-maui Bay.

Run No. 70.—All bush, very broken on northern slopes, very good soil in south-western corner.

Run No. 71.—All bush, very broken on northern slopes, well watered.

Run No. 72.—Nearly all heavy birch bush, steep slopes, poor soil, portion of good land with mixed bush near southern end; well watered.

Run No. 75.—All bush; small flat, remainder hilly; well watered; accessible by formed track.

Runs numbered 68 to 75 are situated from eleven to thirteen miles from Picton via Torea Neck.

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.

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.

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

S. WEETMAN,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Lands in Marlborough to be offered for Lease.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Blenheim, 7th June, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given that leases, for a term of seven years, of the under-mentioned sections will be offered by auction, at Kaikoura, on Wednesday, the 31st day of July, 1895, at 11 a.m.:—

| District.        | Sections.  | Area.    | Upset Annual Rent. |
|------------------|------------|----------|--------------------|
| Town of Kaikoura | 249 to 253 | A. R. P. | £ s. d.            |
| "                | G          | 2 2 4    | 2 10 6             |
| "                | H          | 4 2 9    | 4 11 0             |
| "                | I          | 3 2 31   | 3 14 0             |
| "                | J          | 3 2 15   | 3 12 0             |
| "                | J          | 4 3 36   | 4 19 6             |

In the event of any of the above blocks not being re-offered at the end of the term, the lessees to be allowed to remove their fencing; and if relet, but not to the present occupiers, the sections to be weighted with the value of the fencing.

RESERVES FOR LEASING UNDER "THE PUBLIC RESERVES ACT, 1881."

|                  |               |        |        |
|------------------|---------------|--------|--------|
| Town of Kaikoura | 274 to 278    | 2 1 14 | 3 0 0  |
| Mount Fyffe*     | 203, Block X. | 29 0 0 | 15 0 0 |

\* Weighted with £20, valuation for improvements.

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

SIDNEY WEETMAN,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Wellington, 4th May, 1895.

IT is hereby notified, in terms of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," that the leases of the under-mentioned sections will be offered at public auction, at the Public Hall, Levin, on Tuesday, the 18th June, 1895, at 11 o'clock a.m.

Plans and form of lease can be seen and particulars obtained at this office.

The terms of the leases will be as stated opposite each section.

No allowance whatsoever shall be payable on account of improvements effected by the lessees.

A deposit of a half-year's rent and £1 11s. lease-fee must be deposited on the fall of the hammer.

SCHEDULE.

WAIOPEHU SURVEY DISTRICT.

| Section.   | Block. | District.      | Area.    | Upset Annual Rental. |
|------------|--------|----------------|----------|----------------------|
| 51         | VII.   | Mount Robinson | A. R. P. | £ s. d.              |
| 3          | XVIII. | Levin Township | 15 3 12  | 11 17 5              |
| 322        | ..     | Shannon        | 0 2 30   | 1 0 0                |
| 340        | ..     | "              | 0 1 13   | 1 0 0                |
| 44         | ..     | Manukau        | 0 1 0    | 1 10 0               |
| 5 and 6    | ..     | "              | 1 0 0    | 1 0 0                |
| 17         | ..     | "              | 0 2 0    | 0 12 6               |
| 29, 30, 31 | ..     | "              | 0 2 0    | 0 7 6                |
|            | ..     | "              | 1 0 0    | 1 0 0                |

Term of Lease: Section 51, 14 years; Sections 3, 322, 340, and 44, 7 years; Sections 5 and 6, 17, and 29, 30, 31, from year to year.

JOHN H. BAKER,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*University Reserves, Patea County, for Lease.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
New Plymouth, 6th May, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned subdivisions of the University Reserve, Carlyle and Opaku Survey Districts, will be offered for sale by public auction at the Town Hall, Waverley, on Wednesday, the 3rd July, 1895, at 12 o'clock noon.

SCHEDULE.

UNIVERSITY RESERVE LEASES, PATEA COUNTY.

| Section.                 | Block. | Area.  | Upset Rent per Acre. | Half-yearly Rent. | Valuation for Improvements. |
|--------------------------|--------|--------|----------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------|
| CARLYLE SURVEY DISTRICT. |        |        |                      |                   |                             |
|                          |        | Acres. | s. d.                | £ s. d.           | £ s. d.                     |
| 1                        | V.     | 350    | 1 0                  | 8 15 0            | 620 0 0                     |
| 2                        | "      | 300    | 1 3                  | 9 7 6             | 473 10 0                    |
| OPAKU SURVEY DISTRICT.   |        |        |                      |                   |                             |
| 1                        | XI.    | 654    | 0 6                  | 8 3 6             | ..                          |
| 1                        | XII.   | 720    | 0 6                  | 9 0 0             | ..                          |
| 1                        | XV.    | 420    | 1 6                  | 15 15 0           | 821 0 0                     |
| 2                        | "      | 1,050  | 0 6                  | 13 2 6            | 1,410 0 0                   |
| 3                        | "      | 1,070  | 0 4                  | 10 0 8            | 322 0 0                     |
| 4                        | "      | 1,000  | 0 6                  | 12 10 0           | 424 15 0                    |
| 5                        | "      | 665    | 0 6                  | 8 6 3             | 210 0 0                     |
| 6                        | "      | 970    | 0 6                  | 12 2 6            | ..                          |

This reserve is situated about nine miles and a half from Waverley, and lies between the Okahutiria Road and the Whenuakura River. All broken forest-country, except where clearings have been made by the present lessees. The southern end of the block is accessible by the Kohi Road, which is a good cart-road. The Okahutiria is formed as a bridle-road to near the southern boundary of Section 5, and the remainder is under contract.

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The leases will be for a term of thirty years, commencing from the 1st July, 1895; upset rental per annum as noted in the Schedule.

Rent is to be paid half-yearly in advance on the 1st January and the 1st July in each year. In the event of the outgoing lessee becoming the highest bidder for the new lease, a year's rent and a lease-fee of £1 1s. to be paid on the fall of the hammer. Should any other person become the highest bidder, the amount of valuation for improvements to be paid on the fall of the hammer, together with a half-year's rent, and lease-fee.

There being no improvements effected on Section 1, Block XI., Section 1, Block XII., and Section 6, Block XV., Opaku, the highest bidder will pay a half-year's rent and lease-fee only.

Valuation for improvements made during the term of new lease will be paid by incoming tenant up to £2 per acre; but no valuation will be paid by the Crown or University Council in the event of the land not being again leased.

JOHN STRAUCHON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Auction of Pastoral Lease, Southland Land District (under Part VI. of "The Land Act, 1892").*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Invercargill, 21st May, 1895.

IT is hereby notified that Run No. 515 will be submitted to public auction at the Land Office, Invercargill, on Wednesday, the 10th July, 1895, at noon.

Run No. 515, Port William, Stewart Island County.—1,000 acres undulating country, from 10ft. to 1,000ft. above sea-level, principally covered with bush and scrub; distance from Half-moon Bay, about eight miles. Term, twenty-one years from 1st March, 1896. Upset annual rental, £5.

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.

G. W. WILLIAMS,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

## Native Land Court Notices.

"The Native Lands Claims and Boundaries Adjustment and Titles Empowering Act, 1894."

Native Land Court Office, Wellington, 8th June, 1895.  
**W**HEREAS by "The Native Lands Claims and Boundaries Adjustment and Titles Empowering Act, 1894," the Native Land Court was empowered and directed to rehear the decision of the said Court upon the investigation of the title to the Native reserve known as Wairau, on a petition by Te Oti Makitanara, on behalf of himself and others, for a rehearing:

Now, therefore, I hereby give notice that in pursuance of the said Act a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Picton on the 9th day of July, 1895, for the purpose of such rehearing. All persons interested in the said rehearing are hereby notified to attend at the time and place aforesaid.

[Wellington, 95-39.]

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON, Registrar.

"The Native Land Court Act, 1894."

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 7th June, 1895.  
**N**OTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Te Waitohi (Picton) on the 9th day of July, 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.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON, Registrar.

[Wellington, 95-37.]

## SCHEDULE.

## PARTITION.

| No. | Name of Applicant.  | Name of Land.                |
|-----|---|------------------------------|
| 3   | Hone te Uakihī .. .. .  | Hitaua.                      |
| 4   | Neta Huria Kinana .. .. .   | Hitaua.                      |
| 5   | Hamuera Meihana and others .. .. .  | Te Hora.                     |
| 6   | Hone Paratene Tamanuiarangi .. .. .   | Te Hikuotewaero.             |
| 7   | Tare Parata .. .. .   | Te Hikuotewaero.             |
| 8   | Ihaia te Awanui, Teoti Wira, Tuihana Hakaraia, and Pirihira te Awanui               | Mangamaunu.                  |
| 9   | Mata Taki, Miriama Paneta, Tini Motini, Matene Taki, Wi Poharama, and Taki Aperaima | Mangamaunu.                  |
| 10  | Taiaha Rangiihia W. Kerei and others .. .. .  | Panepane No. 1 (Mangamaunu). |
| 11  | Taiaha Rangiihia W. Kerei and others .. .. .  | Otaumaha No. 3 (Mangamaunu). |
| 12  | Taiaha Rangiihia W. Kerei .. .. .   | Pakanui No. 2 (Mangamaunu).  |
| 13  | Te Harawira te Keepa .. .. .  | Mangamaunu (98 acres).       |
| 14  | Te Harawira te Keepa .. .. .  | Mangamaunu.                  |
| 15  | M. R. te Kahuariki .. .. .  | Mangamaunu.                  |
| 16  | H. te W. Tapiha and others .. .. .  | Mangamaunu (4,563 acres).    |
| 17  | H. te W. Tapiha and others .. .. .  | Mangamaunu (98 acres).       |
| 18  | H. te W. Tapiha, M. R. te Kahuariki, Taiaha R. W. Kerei, and others                 | Mangamaunu (4,563 acres).    |
| 19  | H. te W. Tapiha .. .. .   | Mangamaunu (4,563 acres).    |
| 20  | H. te W. Tapiha, Hariata Pitini, M. R. te Kahuariki, and others                     | Mikonui N.                   |
| 21  | Ngamuka Raniera .. .. .   | Ruapuputa (Oruapuputa).      |
| 22  | H. te W. Tapiha .. .. .   | Omihi K.                     |
| 23  | M. R. te Kahuariki and others .. .. .   | Pukaka 2c.                   |
| 24  | Kainu Meihana, Puhipuhi Meihana, and others .. .. .                                 | Taituku No. 30.              |
| 25  | Enoka Hohepa, Hematini Enoka, Raima Hone, and Tareruka Hohepa                       | Waikawa.                     |
| 26  | Teera Tahui and Meri Titahi Pohaka .. .. .  | Mangamaunu.                  |
| 27  | Haimona Patete .. .. .  | Wairau.                      |
| 28  | H. te W. Tapiha and others .. .. .  | Mikonui N.                   |
| 29  | H. te W. Tapiha .. .. .   | Tarapuhi.                    |
| 30  | Te Harawira te Keepa .. .. .  | Oaro.                        |
| 31  | M. R. te Kahuariki .. .. .  | Opokihī.                     |
| 32  | H. te W. Tapiha and others .. .. .  | Waiharakeke.                 |
| 33  | H. te W. Tapiha and others .. .. .  | Opokihī.                     |
| 34  | H. te W. Tapiha and others .. .. .  | Haututu No. 1.               |
| 35  | M. R. te Kahuariki .. .. .  | Mikonui.                     |
| 36  | M. R. te Kahuariki .. .. .  | Pukaka.                      |
| 37  | H. te W. Tapiha and others .. .. .  | Omihi Pa.                    |
| 38  | H. te W. Tapiha and others .. .. .  | Omihi Pa (? Paritu).         |
| 39  | H. te W. Tapiha and others .. .. .  | Pukaka.                      |
| 40  | H. te W. Tapiha and others .. .. .  | Tarapuhi.                    |
| 41  | H. te W. Tapiha and others .. .. .  | Kaikoura Pa E.               |
| 42  | H. te W. Tapiha and others .. .. .  | Mikonui.                     |
| 43  | Haimona Patete .. .. .  | Ruapaka, Lots 25 and 26.     |
| 44  | Haimona Patete .. .. .  | Arorangi, Lot 36.            |

## REMOVAL OF RESTRICTIONS.

| No. | Name of Applicant.   | Name of Land.                   |
|-----|--|---------------------------------|
| 144 | Karewa, Rau Karewa, Maikara, Mihi Rawhiti, Karewa Retimana, Nihana Pakira, Heni Hineahi, Rea Takurua, Matiu Tamaawai, and others | Toreamoana, Section 2, Block I. |

## APPLICATION FOR DEFINITION OF THE RELATIVE INTERESTS.

| No. | Name of Applicant.                 | Name of Land.      |
|-----|------------------------------------|--------------------|
| 146 | H. te W. Tapiha and others .. .. . | Papatea (part of). |

APPLICATION FOR PROBATE.

| No. | Name of Applicant.             | Name of Deceased.    | Name of Person objecting. |
|-----|--------------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|
| 147 | Teoti Wira Tamahorangi .. .. . | Erihapoti Rauhina .. | H. te W. Tapiha.          |

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

THE several applications (Claims Nos. 317 to 329, inclusive) of Josiah Pratt Hamlin under section 118 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," in respect of the under-mentioned lands, which applications were notified for hearing at Gisborne on the 17th day of June, 1895 (*Gazette* of 23rd May, 1895, No. 38, pages 854, 856, 857, and 858), will be heard at Hastings on the 22nd day of June, 1895.

The following are the lands affected: Kairangi, Te Rewa, Tukimokihī No. 3, Ohuia No. 1, Wairau, Kiwi, Ruarakai-putara No. 1, Ngarutepo, Ruarakai-putara No. 4, Ohuia No. 3 (two claims), and Ohuia No. 4 (two claims).

Dated at Wellington, this 10th day of June, 1895.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,  
Registrar.

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

Native Land Court Office,  
Auckland, 6th June, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given that the sittings of the Native Land Court and the Native Appellate Court, which were notified to be held at Whangarei on the 26th day of June, 1895, have been adjourned to the 10th day of July, 1895.

JAS. W. BROWNE,  
[Auckland, 95-38.] Registrar.

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

Native Land Court Office,  
Wellington, 8th June, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Native Appellate Court will sit at Hastings on the 1st day of July, 1895, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow, to hear and determine the applications for rehearing of the decisions of the Native Land Court set forth in the Schedule hereto. All persons interested in the said applications are hereby notified to attend at the time and place aforesaid.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,  
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

[Wellington, 95-38.]

APPEALS LODGED.

10. APPEAL lodged by Airini Tonore and others against the decision of the Court, dated the 27th October, 1894, appointing a successor to the interest of Renata Kawepo in Pukehamoamo.

11. Appeal lodged by William Muhunga Broughton against the decision of the Court, dated the 27th October, 1894, appointing a successor to the interest of Renata Kawepo in Pukehamoamo.

12. Appeal lodged by Maraea Puri and others against the decision of the Court, dated the 27th October, 1894, making partition of Owhaoko C.

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

WHEREAS Harry Woodford St. Hill, of Havelock, Hawke's Bay, a person claiming to have leased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Mangamaire 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 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 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 22nd day of June, 1895, at 10 a.m.

Dated at Wellington, this 6th day of June, 1895.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,  
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Ashton St. Hill, of Wangashu, Hawke's Bay, a person claiming to have leased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Porangahau 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 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 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 22nd day of June, 1895, at 10 a.m.

Dated at Wellington, this 6th day of June, 1895.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,  
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Charles Henry St. Hill, of Wangaeahu, Hawke's Bay, a person claiming to have leased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Porangahau 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 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 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 22nd day of June, 1895, at 10 a.m.

Dated at Wellington, this 6th day of June, 1895.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,  
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Arthur James Cotterill and George Edward Gordon Richardson, both of Napier, trustees and executors under the will of Hutton Troutbeck, deceased, persons claiming to have purchased and leased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Petane Block, and to have been prior to the date of the passing of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," in negotiation for the purchase and 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 Napier 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 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 22nd day of June, 1895, at 10 a.m.

Dated at Wellington, this 6th day of June, 1895.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,  
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Airini Donnelly, of Crissoge, and Iraia Karauria, of Omahu, Hawke's Bay, persons claiming to have purchased the share or interest of one of the Native owners in the Mangachane 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 Napier and Wellington 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 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 22nd day of June, 1895, at 10 a.m.

Dated at Wellington, this 7th day of June, 1895.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,  
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Airini Donnelly, of Crissoge, and Iraia Karauria, of Omahu, persons claiming to have purchased the share or interest of one of the Native owners of the Mangaohane No. 1 Block, and to have been prior to the date of the passing of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," in negotiation for the 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 Napier and Wellington Districts, 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 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 22nd day of June, 1895, at 10 a.m.

Dated at Wellington, this 7th day of June, 1895.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,  
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS George Beetham, of Wellington, and Charles Edward Beetham and Norman Beetham, both of Te Apiti, Hawke's Bay, persons claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Te Apiti No. 2<sup>d</sup> 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 Napier 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 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 22nd day of June, 1895, at 10 a.m.

Dated at Wellington, this 7th day of June, 1895.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,  
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Mary Eveline St. Hill, of Havelock, Hawke's Bay, a person claiming to have leased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Mangamaire 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 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 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 22nd day of June, 1895, at 10 a.m.

Dated at Wellington, this 7th day of June, 1895.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,  
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS John Holden, of Hampden, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Te Awaoteatua 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 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 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 22nd day of June, 1895, at 10 a.m.

Dated at Wellington, this 7th day of June, 1895.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,  
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Lawrence Higgins, of Moteo, Hawke's Bay, a person claiming to have leased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Kakiraawa Block, Lot 2, 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 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 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 22nd day of June, 1895, at 10 a.m.

Dated at Wellington, this 7th day of June, 1895.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,  
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Charles Cowlett, of Tokaanu, Taupo, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have leased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Owhaoko 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 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 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 22nd day of June, 1895, at 10 a.m.

Dated at Wellington, this 7th day of June, 1895.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,  
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS John Cowlett, of Tokaanu, Taupo, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have leased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Owhaoko 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 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 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 22nd day of June, 1895, at 10 a.m.

Dated at Wellington, this 7th day of June, 1895.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,  
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS John Holden, of Hampden, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have leased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Te Awaoteatua 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 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 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 22nd day of June, 1895, at 10 a.m.

Dated at Wellington, this 7th day of June, 1895.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,  
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS James Nelson Williams, of Frimley, Hawke's Bay, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have leased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Mangaroa 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 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 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 22nd day of June, 1895, at 10 a.m.

Dated at Wellington, this 7th day of June, 1895.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,  
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Alfred Henry Price, of Tangarewa, Takapau, sheep-farmer, a person claiming to have leased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Mangareia 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 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 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 22nd day of June, 1895, at 10 a.m.

Dated at Wellington, this 7th day of June, 1895.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,  
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Lawrence Higgins, of Moteo, a person claiming to have leased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Kahumoko 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 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 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 22nd day of June, 1895, at 10 a.m.

Dated at Wellington, this 7th day of June, 1895.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,  
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS A. Southey Baker, and J. Nannestad, persons claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Tipapakuku 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 the share or interest of Atenata Wharekiri therein, have notified such claim to the Chief Judge of the Native Land Court, and to the Commissioner of Crown Lands for the Napier 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 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 22nd day of June, 1895, at 10 a.m.

Dated at Wellington, this 7th day of June, 1895.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,  
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS George Beetham, of Wellington, and Charles Edward Beetham and Norman Beetham, both of Te Apati, Hawke's Bay, persons claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Te Apati 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 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 Napier 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 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 22nd day of June, 1895, at 10 a.m.

Dated at Wellington, this 7th day of June, 1895.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,  
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS George Edward Gordon Richardson and Arthur James Cotterill, both of Napier, executors and trustees of the will of Hutton Troutbeck, deceased, persons claiming to have leased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Pakuratahi 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 Napier 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 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 22nd day of June, 1895, at 10 a.m.

Dated at Wellington, this 7th day of June, 1895.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,  
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Thomas Holden and Jonathan Holden, both of Hampden, Hawke's Bay, persons claiming to have leased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in Tikokino Sections 16 and 17 Blocks, 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 Napier 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 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 22nd day of June, 1895, at 10 a.m.

Dated at Wellington, this 7th day of June, 1895.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,  
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Thomas Holden and Jonathan Holden, both of Hampden, Hawke's Bay, persons claiming to have leased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Tikokino Block, Subdivisions 13A and 15A of Sections 13 and 15, 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 Napier 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 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 22nd day of June, 1895, at 10 a.m.

Dated at Wellington, this 7th day of June, 1895.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,  
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Wiremu Pere and Peka Kerekere, both of Gisborne, persons claiming to have leased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Poututu A 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 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 Napier 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 a Commissioner 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, Gisborne, on the 15th day of July, 1895, at 10 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 10th day of June, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,  
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Wiremu Pere and Peka Kerekere, both of Gisborne, persons claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Poututu A 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, have notified such claim to the Chief Judge of the Native Land Court, and to the Commissioner of Crown Lands for the Napier 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 a Commissioner 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, Gisborne, on the 15th day of July, 1895, at 10 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 10th day of June, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,  
Registrar.

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

IN THE VALIDATION COURT,  
HOLDEN AT GISBORNE.

In the matter of "The Native Land (Validation of Titles) Act, 1893"; and in the matter of the Poututu A, Poututu B, Poututu C, Makauri, Taruheru, and Tahoka Blocks.

A. WE, Wiremu Pere and Peka Kerekere, both of Waerengaahika, in the County of Cook and Colony of New Zealand, sheep-farmers, hereby apply to the Validation Court for validation of an agreement bearing date on or about the 11th day of April, 1891, made between the said applicants and Percival Barker, of Whataupoko, in the said county, sheep-farmer.

B. We desire to appear before the Validation Court on Monday, the 8th day of July, 1895, at the hour of half-past 10 o'clock in the forenoon, or so soon thereafter as counsel can be heard.

C. The nature of the transaction proposed for validation is an agreement made between us, the said applicants, and one Percival Barker, of Whataupoko, sheep-farmer, for the sale by him, the said Percival Barker, to us, the said applicants, of all the interests claimed by him, the said Percival Barker, in the above-mentioned blocks of land, which said agreement bears date on or about the 11th day of April, 1891.

D. The title to the three Poututu Blocks is under orders of partition made by the Native Land Court of New Zealand under "The Poututu Jurisdiction Act, 1891," and the title to the Makauri, Taruheru, and Tahoka Blocks is under the Poverty Bay Grants Acts, 1869 and 1871.

E. The estate or interest in the said lands which the said applicants seek to obtain is an estate in fee-simple.

F. The place in the Town of Gisborne for service of notices, orders, or other documents upon us, the applicants, is at the office of Messrs. Rees and Day, in Gladstone Road, Gisborne.

G. We desire the estates and interests of the said Percival Barker, and of Wiremu Paraone, Mereana Paraone, Tamati Tiwhatiwha, Mahaki Paraone, and William Henry Tucker, and also the estate and interest (if any) of the Official Assignee in Bankruptcy of the property of the said Wiremu Paraone, bound by the decree of the Court; and for that

purpose require that copies of this application shall be served upon them or their representatives. The addresses of the said several persons before mentioned as objectors are set forth in the list herewith.

Dated at Gisborne, this 25th day of May, 1895.

WIREMU PERE,  
PEKA KEREKERE  
(By their Solicitor and Agent,  
VICTOR GRACE DAY).

To the Registrar of the Validation Court,  
Gisborne.

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

IN THE VALIDATION COURT,  
HOLDEN AT GISBORNE.

In the matter of "The Native Land (Validation of Titles) Act, 1893"; and in the matter of the Koutu Block and the several subdivisions thereof—viz., No. 1 and Nos. 2A to 9A inclusive.

A. THE ASSETS COMPANY (LIMITED), of Edinburgh, Scotland, and of New Zealand, applies under the above-mentioned Act for the validation of its interests in the Koutu Block, originally containing 271 acres, more or less, being thirteen contracts of sale made by the Native vendors following, that is to say: Mereana Paraone, Wi Mahuika, Wi Mahuika as purchaser of the share of Rapata Wahawaha, Wi Mahuika as successor to Kihitu Mahuika, Ka Pahoho, Ka Pahoho as successor to Matiu Hemoaiahi, Tipene Tutahi, Paora Taniwha, Arapeta Taniwha, Eruera Taituha, Wikitoria te Amo as successor to Paora Matuakore, Kereama Waihopi, and Hemi Whakarau.

B. The applicant desires to appear before the Validation Court on Monday, the 8th day of July, 1895, at 10 a.m., or at the first sitting of the Court thereafter.

C. The nature of the transactions proposed for validation are:—

- (1.) Transfer of undivided interest in Koutu No. 1, dated the 4th June, 1884, Mereana Paraone to the Assets Company; consideration, £90.
- (2.) Transfer of undivided interest in Koutu No. 2A, Wi Mahuika to the Assets Company, 19th November, 1886, consideration £70; Rapata Wahawaha to Wi Mahuika, 29th November, 1886, consideration £10; Wi Mahuika (share of Rapata Wahawaha) to the Assets Company, 11th December, 1886, consideration £70; Wi Mahuika, as successor to Kihitu Mahuika, to the Assets Company, 24th January, 1893, consideration £100.
- (3.) Transfer of undivided interest in Koutu No. 3A, dated in or about the month of December, 1886, Ka Pahoho, and Ka Pahoho as successor to Matiu te Hemoaiahi, to the Assets Company; consideration, £120.
- (4.) Transfer of undivided interest in Koutu No. 5A, dated in or about the month of December, 1886, Tipene Tutahi to the Assets Company; consideration, £62 5s.
- (5.) Transfer of undivided interest in Koutu No. 6A, in or about the month of December, 1886, Paora Taniwha (or Whakaangi), £55; Arapeta Taniwha, £60; and Eruera Taituha, £100, to the Assets Company.
- (6.) Transfer of undivided interest in Koutu No. 8A, dated 27th October, 1893, Wikitoria te Amo, as successor to Paora Matuakore, to the Assets Company; consideration, £79, made up of £74 paid upon agreement of sale, and £5 upon transfer.
- (7.) Transfer of undivided interest in Koutu No. 9A, dated 11th February, 1891, Kereama Waihopi to the Assets Company, in confirmation of deed of conveyance of the 28th April, 1878; consideration, £8 and £8.
- (8.) Transfer of undivided interest in Koutu No. 9A, 2nd February, 1891, Hemi Whakarau to the Assets Company, in confirmation of deed of conveyance, 28th April, 1878; consideration, £7 and £7.

D. The land the estates and interests in which were intended to be alienated is all those blocks known as Koutu No. 1, Koutu No. 2A, Koutu No. 3A, Koutu No. 5A, Koutu No. 6A, Koutu No. 8A, and Koutu No. 9A, situate in the district of Poverty Bay; and the title to the said blocks at the time of the several alienations claimed to be validated was a memorial of ownership, or were orders for certificates of title under the Land Transfer Act, dated the 6th of December, 1886, being orders of partition of said memorial.

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



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

g. The applicant desires that the estates and interests of the Native persons aforesaid who executed the deeds of transfer set out under the letter c of this application shall be bound by the decree of the Court, and for that purpose requires that copies of this application shall be served upon them or their representatives according to the list lodged herewith.

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

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

Dated this 27th day of March, 1895.

THE ASSETS COMPANY (LIMITED)

(By its Solicitor and Agent,

C. A. DE LAUTOUR.)

To the Registrar of the Validation Court, Gisborne.

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

IN THE VALIDATION COURT,  
HOLDEN AT GISBORNE.

In the matter of "The Native Land (Validation of Titles) Act, 1893"; and in the matter of the Makauri, Taruheru, and Tahoka Blocks.

A. WILLIAM HENRY TUCKER, of Makauri, in the District of Poverty Bay, sheep-farmer, hereby applies, under the provisions of the above Act, to the Validation Court for the Gisborne District for the validation of the purchases made by him from the Sheriff of the District of Poverty Bay of the right, title, and interest of Wiremu Paraone in the Makauri, Taruheru, and Tahoka Blocks.

B. He desires to appear before the Validation Court on Monday, the 8th day of July, 1895, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, or so soon thereafter as he may be heard in support of this application, and to ask for relief.

C. The nature of the transactions proposed for validation is the purchase by him, by deed of conveyance dated the 12th day of August, 1887, from the Sheriff of the District of Poverty Bay, acting under a writ of sale issued by the Supreme Court of New Zealand in Action No. 56, Gisborne Registry, to him of all the estate, right, title, and interest of Wiremu Paraone in the Makauri, Taruheru, and Tahoka Blocks respectively, in consideration of the sum of £112.

D. All the estate, right, title, and interest of the said Wiremu Paraone in the said Makauri, Taruheru, and Tahoka Blocks as an original owner therein respectively, and as the purchaser of the shares and interests of Tamati Tiwhatiwha in the said blocks respectively, these latter shares being subject to a certain annuity to the said Tamati Tiwhatiwha, his assigns or appointees. The title of the said Wiremu Paraone to the said blocks at the time of purchase was Crown grant and conveyance from Tamati Tiwhatiwha.

E. An estate in fee-simple, free from encumbrances save the said annuity.

F. The applicant came to be invested with the title he now holds by deed of conveyance from the said Sheriff as aforesaid.

The address for service of the applicant in Gisborne is at the office of his solicitor, Hugh Joseph Finn, situate in Gladstone Road, Gisborne.

The applicant desires that the estates and interests of the said Wiremu Paraone be bound by the decree of this Court, and that all other persons whomsoever be bound by such decree, and for that purpose requires that copies of this application shall be served on Mereana Paraone, Wiremu Paraone, and Mahaki Paraone, all of Makauri, aboriginal natives, and on John Robert Hurrey, of Matoki, Whataupoko, near Gisborne, and Percival Barker, of Whataupoko, sheep-farmer.

Dated this 25th day of May, 1895.

WILLIAM HENRY TUCKER

(By his Solicitor and Agent,

HUGH J. FINN.)

To the Registrar of the Validation Court for the District of Gisborne.

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*Rainfall Return for 1894.*

| Station.  | Total Fall, in Inches, in Year. | Number of Days of Rain in Year. | Maximum Fall and Date in any Twenty-four Hours in Year. |
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| <b>NORTH ISLAND.</b>  |                                 |                                 |   |
| <i>(A.) North-east Aspect—North Cape to East Cape.</i>              |                                 |                                 |   |
| Pakaraka .. .. .  | 71.00                           | 133                             | 6.30 on 19th September.                                 |
| Auckland .. .. .  | 41.11                           | 180                             | 3.15 on 17th November.                                  |
| Cuvier Island*  | .. .. .                         | ..                              | .. .. .   |
| Te Aroha† .. .. .   | 47.94                           | 117                             | 2.50 on 19th November.                                  |
| Rotorua .. .. .   | 51.31                           | 139                             | 2.11 on 3rd February.                                   |
| Tauranga .. .. .  | 43.32                           | 122                             | 2.33 on 1st February.                                   |
| <i>(B.) North-west Aspect—Cape Maria van Diemen to Cape Egmont.</i> |                                 |                                 |   |
| Kaitia .. .. .  | 60.40                           | 174                             | 3.15 on 19th September.                                 |
| New Plymouth .. .. .  | 63.12                           | 153                             | 3.16 on 3rd January.                                    |
| Inglewood .. .. .   | 94.84                           | 187                             | 3.57 on 19th January.                                   |
| Ngatimaru .. .. .   | 70.38                           | 165                             | 3.18 on 3rd January.                                    |
| <i>(C.) South-west Aspect—Cape Egmont to Cape Terawhiti.</i>        |                                 |                                 |   |
| Opuhi .. .. .   | 36.40                           | 140                             | 1.41 on 2nd January.                                    |
| Upper Waitotara .. .. .   | 56.99                           | 188                             | 2.60 on 26th February.                                  |
| Stratford .. .. .   | 65.82                           | 183                             | 3.68 on 4th May.  |
| Opunake .. .. .   | 32.27                           | 169                             | 1.21 on 19th November.                                  |
| Manaia .. .. .  | 36.64                           | 130                             | 3.50 on 10th July.                                      |
| Hawera .. .. .  | 37.62                           | 143                             | 2.33 on 10th July.                                      |
| Kaponga .. .. .   | 47.87                           | 135                             | 1.60 on 2nd February and 9th July.                      |
| Wanganui .. .. .  | 33.93                           | 132                             | 2.34 on 30th May.                                       |
| Kaitoke .. .. .   | 27.49                           | 143                             | 2.33 on 30th May.                                       |
| No. 2 Line, Wanganui .. .. .  | 36.08                           | 121                             | 3.00 on 30th May.                                       |
| Campbelltown North .. .. .  | 30.60                           | 102                             | 1.41 on 25th February.                                  |
| Feilding .. .. .  | 30.25                           | 154                             | 2.25 on 30th May.                                       |
| Colyton .. .. .   | 34.94                           | 153                             | 2.33 on 30th May.                                       |
| Ashurst .. .. .   | 38.59                           | 163                             | 4.98 on 29th May.                                       |
| Palmerston North .. .. .  | 37.30                           | 160                             | 2.50 on 29th May.                                       |
| Otaki .. .. .   | 32.64                           | 146                             | 2.66 on 3rd May.  |
| Kereru .. .. .  | 44.51                           | 82                              | 3.66 on 31st July.                                      |
| Pukerua .. .. .   | 37.01                           | 161                             | 3.25 on 25th February.                                  |

\* Incomplete.

† Eleven months only.

Rainfall Return for 1894—continued.

| Station.   | Total Fall, in Inches, in Year. | Number of Days of Rain in Year. | Maximum Fall and Date in any Twenty-four Hours in Year. |
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| NORTH ISLAND—continued.                            |                                 |                                 |   |
| (D.) South-east Aspect—East Cape to Cape Palliser. |                                 |                                 |   |
| Tolago Bay .. .. .                                 | 71.33                           | 86                              | 7.80 on 2nd April.                                      |
| Gisborne .. .. .                                   | 62.90                           | 148                             | 7.50 on 18th June.                                      |
| Matahiia .. .. .                                   | 61.65                           | 120                             | 2.66 on 3rd February.                                   |
| Patutahi .. .. .                                   | 47.41                           | 132                             | 3.41 on 2nd April.                                      |
| Waipiro .. .. .                                    | 54.17                           | 116                             | 4.22 on 19th June.                                      |
| Mahia .. .. .                                      | 66.46                           | ..                              | 7.72 on 18th June.                                      |
| Waikaremoana* .. .. .                              | ..                              | ..                              | ..  |
| Napier .. .. .                                     | 40.64                           | 96                              | 6.24 on 1st April.                                      |
| Te Aute .. .. .                                    | 38.66                           | 136                             | 3.62 on 2nd April.                                      |
| Mangakuri .. .. .                                  | 45.24                           | 118                             | 4.45 on 4th January.                                    |
| Erehwon .. .. .                                    | 40.62                           | 142                             | 2.57 on 2nd April.                                      |
| Te Kowhai .. .. .                                  | 78.11                           | 139                             | 9.29 on 2nd April.                                      |
| Gwayas .. .. .                                     | 45.35                           | 165                             | 4.30 on 2nd April.                                      |
| Waimarama .. .. .                                  | 36.25                           | 111                             | 3.26 on 3rd January.                                    |
| Mount Vernon .. .. .                               | 34.66                           | 155                             | 3.20 on 2nd April.                                      |
| Ormondville .. .. .                                | 54.60                           | 165                             | 5.01 on 1st April.                                      |
| Woodville .. .. .                                  | 47.10                           | 151                             | 1.71 on 1st April.                                      |
| Pahiatua .. .. .                                   | 41.83                           | 152                             | 1.90 on 2nd April.                                      |
| Newman .. .. .                                     | 62.71                           | 192                             | 2.23 on 10th August.                                    |
| Otahuao .. .. .                                    | 34.73                           | 120                             | 2.38 on 30th May.                                       |
| Masterton .. .. .                                  | 31.68                           | 120                             | 2.03 on 29th May.                                       |
| Carterton .. .. .                                  | 37.64                           | 118                             | 2.24 on 26th February.                                  |
| Featherston .. .. .                                | 34.28                           | 115                             | 2.34 on 4th January.                                    |
| Summit .. .. .                                     | 78.93                           | 157                             | 2.84 on 27th May.                                       |
| Upper Hutt .. .. .                                 | 45.82                           | 112                             | 2.30 on 25th February.                                  |
| Taita .. .. .                                      | 55.54                           | 157                             | 2.07 on 18th March.                                     |
| Petone .. .. .                                     | 49.96                           | 152                             | 2.90 on 18th March.                                     |
| Wellington .. .. .                                 | 51.00                           | 175                             | 2.55 on 18th March.                                     |
| Wainuiomata .. .. .                                | 77.99                           | 123                             | 4.55 on 30th May.                                       |
| Karori .. .. .                                     | 41.66                           | 154                             | 2.38 on 18th March.                                     |
| SOUTH ISLAND.                                      |                                 |                                 |   |
| (A.) North Aspect—Cape Campbell to Cape Koamaru.   |                                 |                                 |   |
| Nelson .. .. .                                     | 45.09                           | 113                             | 4.16 on 17th March.                                     |
| Stephen's Island .. .. .                           | 35.27                           | 93                              | 2.75 on 18th March.                                     |
| The Brothers .. .. .                               | 38.23                           | 97                              | 3.12 on 18th March.                                     |
| Cape Campbell† .. .. .                             | 26.64                           | 60                              | 1.93 on 16th August.                                    |
| Flaxbourne .. .. .                                 | 38.40                           | 99                              | 3.63 on 10th July.                                      |
| Kekerangu .. .. .                                  | 36.31                           | 105                             | 4.60 on 28th May.                                       |
| Kaikoura .. .. .                                   | 45.74                           | 119                             | 3.15 on 10th July.                                      |
| (B.) West Aspect—Cape Farewell to Puysegur Point.  |                                 |                                 |   |
| Farewell Spit .. .. .                              | 38.31                           | 122                             | 1.94 on 19th January.                                   |
| Westport .. .. .                                   | 80.78                           | 211                             | 3.46 on 17th March.                                     |
| Greymouth .. .. .                                  | 106.68                          | 162                             | 5.20 on 17th March.                                     |
| Hokitika .. .. .                                   | 115.89                          | 181                             | 5.25 on 11th February.                                  |
| Bealey .. .. .                                     | 67.33                           | 130                             | 4.55 on 17th March.                                     |
| (C.) East Aspect—Cape Koamaru to Cape Saunders.    |                                 |                                 |   |
| Highfield .. .. .                                  | 32.17                           | 114                             | 2.40 on 28th May.                                       |
| Akaroa† .. .. .                                    | ..                              | 134                             | 3.97 on 30th May.                                       |
| Lincoln .. .. .                                    | 29.84                           | 117                             | 2.78 on 28th May.                                       |
| Rhodes Home, Christchurch .. .. .                  | 30.46                           | 99                              | 33.9 on 30th May.                                       |
| Hororata .. .. .                                   | 27.92                           | 123                             | 24.8 on 18th March.                                     |
| Kapunatiki .. .. .                                 | 18.41                           | 113                             | 2.18 on 28th May.                                       |
| Peel Forest .. .. .                                | 42.93                           | 152                             | 2.66 on 18th March.                                     |
| Methven .. .. .                                    | 41.71                           | 137                             | 2.93 on 18th March.                                     |
| Drayton .. .. .                                    | 40.02                           | 113                             | 2.82 on 18th March.                                     |
| Geraldine .. .. .                                  | 30.11                           | 132                             | 1.85 on 18th March.                                     |
| Oamaru .. .. .                                     | 23.71                           | 106                             | 1.40 on 27th May.                                       |
| Middlemarch .. .. .                                | 30.78                           | 93                              | 1.84 on 24th January.                                   |
| (D.) South Aspect—Cape Saunders to Puysegur Point. |                                 |                                 |   |
| Dunedin .. .. .                                    | 39.43                           | 161                             | 1.68 on 28th May.                                       |
| Macetown .. .. .                                   | 35.04                           | 101                             | 2.08 on 3rd February.                                   |
| St. Bathans .. .. .                                | 30.04                           | 135                             | 1.89 on 25th February.                                  |
| Balclutha .. .. .                                  | 19.25                           | 77                              | 1.30 on 24th February.                                  |
| Maheno .. .. .                                     | 18.44                           | 67                              | 1.24 on 28th May.                                       |
| Kyeburn .. .. .                                    | 19.43                           | 114                             | 0.94 on 25th February.                                  |
| Queenstown .. .. .                                 | 23.48                           | 88                              | 1.75 on 19th April.                                     |
| Dipton .. .. .                                     | 32.87                           | 118                             | 2.80 on 24th February.                                  |
| Wyndham .. .. .                                    | 42.61                           | 117                             | 1.71 on 24th February.                                  |
| Invercargill .. .. .                               | 35.53                           | 119                             | 2.15 on 24th February.                                  |
| Otautau .. .. .                                    | 44.09                           | 132                             | No details received.                                    |
| Puysegur Point .. .. .                             | ..                              | ..                              | ..  |
| Chatham Islands .. .. .                            | 35.01                           | 190                             | 1.32 on 14th July.                                      |

\* Incomplete.

† No rain in October.

‡ One month averaged.

Vital Statistics, May, 1895.

REGISTRAR-GENERAL'S Report on the Vital Statistics of the Principal Towns of New Zealand during the Month of May, 1895:—

RETURN of the Number of Births, with the Actual Mortality of Males and Females, and the Proportion of Deaths to Population, in the under-mentioned Boroughs, during the Month of May, 1895.

| BOROUGH.                                  | Population of Principal Boroughs, with all their Suburbs, Census, April, 1891. | ESTIMATED POPULATION OF BOROUGH, 1st JANUARY, 1895. | TOTAL BIRTHS IN BOROUGH. | DEATHS IN BOROUGH REGISTERED IN MAY, 1895. |                    |                   |               |                    |                   |    | Total Deaths. | Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, May, 1895. | Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population in the Year 1894. |
|---|--|---|--------------------------|--|--------------------|-------------------|---------------|--------------------|-------------------|----|---------------|---|---|
|   |  |   |                          | Males.                                     |                    |                   | Females.      |                    |                   |    |               |   |   |
|   |  |   |                          | Under 1 Year.                              | 1 & under 5 Years. | 5 Years and over. | Under 1 Year. | 1 & under 5 Years. | 5 Years and over. |    |               |   |   |
| Auckland ..                               | 51,287   | 31,456  | 89                       | 5  | 1                  | 10                | 5             | ..                 | 11                | 32 | 1.02          | 15.41   |   |
| Birkenhead ..                             |  | 663   | 1                        | ..   | ..                 | ..                | ..            | ..                 | ..                | .. | ..            | 22.86   |   |
| Devonport ..                              |  | 2,818   | 3                        | ..   | ..                 | 4                 | ..            | ..                 | ..                | 4  | 1.42          | 10.87   |   |
| Newmarket ..                              |  | 1,606   | 4                        | ..   | ..                 | ..                | 1             | ..                 | ..                | 1  | 0.62          | 10.82   |   |
| Newton ..                                 |  | 2,394   | 1                        | ..   | ..                 | 1                 | ..            | ..                 | 2                 | 3  | 1.25          | 6.01  |   |
| Parnell ..                                |  | 3,781   | 4                        | 1  | ..                 | 3                 | 1             | ..                 | 1                 | 6  | 1.59          | 10.54   |   |
| Other suburbs ..                          |  | *   | ..                       | ..   | ..                 | ..                | ..            | ..                 | ..                | .. | ..            | ..  | ..  |
| Totals Auckland and suburban boroughs     | ..   | 42,718  | 102                      | 6  | 1                  | 18                | 7             | ..                 | 14                | 46 | 1.08          | 14.11   |   |
| Wellington ..                             | 34,190   | 35,068  | 82                       | 3  | 2                  | 16                | 2             | 2                  | 11                | 36 | 1.03          | 11.82   |   |
| Karori ..                                 |  | 875   | 3                        | ..   | ..                 | ..                | ..            | ..                 | ..                | .. | ..            | 3.61  |   |
| Melrose ..                                |  | 1,561   | 5                        | ..   | ..                 | ..                | ..            | ..                 | ..                | .. | ..            | 8.76  |   |
| Onslow ..                                 |  | 1,206   | 4                        | 1  | ..                 | ..                | ..            | ..                 | ..                | 1  | 0.83          | 8.72  |   |
| Totals Wellington and suburbs             | ..   | 38,710  | 94                       | 4  | 2                  | 16                | 2             | 2                  | 11                | 37 | 0.96          | 11.43   |   |
| Christchurch ..                           | 47,846   | 17,545  | 26                       | 3  | ..                 | 14                | ..            | 1                  | 8                 | 26 | 1.48          | 10.55   |   |
| Linwood ..                                |  | 6,026   | 15                       | ..   | ..                 | 2                 | 1             | ..                 | 1                 | 4  | 0.66          | 10.02   |   |
| St. Albans ..                             |  | 5,750   | 10                       | ..   | ..                 | 3                 | ..            | ..                 | 1                 | 4  | 0.70          | 9.62  |   |
| Sydenham ..                               |  | 10,630  | 23                       | ..   | ..                 | 3                 | ..            | ..                 | 5                 | 8  | 0.75          | 10.47   |   |
| Woolston ..                               |  | 2,260   | 7                        | 1  | ..                 | ..                | ..            | ..                 | ..                | 1  | 0.44          | 7.82  |   |
| Other suburbs ..                          |  | *   | ..                       | ..   | ..                 | ..                | ..            | ..                 | ..                | .. | ..            | ..  | ..  |
| Totals Christchurch and suburban boroughs | ..   | 42,211  | 81                       | 4  | ..                 | 22                | 1             | 1                  | 15                | 43 | 1.02          | 10.19   |   |
| Dunedin ..                                | 45,981   | 23,787  | 43                       | 2  | 1                  | 8                 | 3             | ..                 | 9                 | 23 | 0.97          | 11.38   |   |
| Caversham ..                              |  | 4,825   | 5                        | ..   | ..                 | 7                 | 1             | ..                 | ..                | 8  | 1.66          | 14.18   |   |
| Maori Hill ..                             |  | 1,463   | 1                        | ..   | ..                 | ..                | ..            | ..                 | ..                | .. | ..            | 8.23  |   |
| Mornington ..                             |  | 3,937   | 1                        | ..   | ..                 | 1                 | ..            | ..                 | 1                 | 2  | 0.51          | 8.48  |   |
| North-east Valley ..                      |  | 3,621   | 6                        | ..   | ..                 | 1                 | 1             | ..                 | 1                 | 3  | 0.83          | 9.08  |   |
| Roslyn ..                                 |  | 4,013   | 7                        | ..   | ..                 | 1                 | ..            | ..                 | 3                 | 4  | 1.00          | 5.98  |   |
| St. Kilda ..                              |  | 1,241   | 5                        | ..   | ..                 | ..                | ..            | ..                 | ..                | .. | ..            | 6.56  |   |
| South Dunedin ..                          |  | 4,662   | 19                       | ..   | ..                 | ..                | ..            | ..                 | ..                | .. | ..            | 8.89  |   |
| West Harbour ..                           | 1,442  | 1   | ..                       | ..   | ..                 | ..                | ..            | ..                 | ..                | .. | 4.95          |   |   |
| Totals Dunedin and suburbs                | ..   | 48,991  | 88                       | 2  | 1                  | 18                | 5             | ..                 | 14                | 40 | 0.82          | 10.18   |   |

\* The remaining suburbs do not lie within borough boundaries, and particulars respecting them have not been obtained for the Vital Statistics.

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

The total births in the above boroughs amounted to 365, against 336 in April, an increase of 29. The deaths in May were 166, an increase of 1 on the number in April. Of the total deaths, males contributed 94; females, 72. Thirty-eight of the deaths were of children under 5 years of age, being 22.89 per cent. of the whole number; 31 of these were under 1 year of age. There were 27 deaths of persons of 65 years and upwards: Four men of 66, 74, 76, and 77, and three women of 71, 72, and 94, died at Auckland; two men of 74 and 86, and two women of 75 and 76, at Wellington; six men of 68, 72, 73, 77 (two), and 79, and one woman of 72, at Christchurch; five men of 71, 73, 80, 82, and 92, and four women of 66, 72, 76, and 85, at Dunedin.

THE following Table shows the Causes of the Deaths of Persons of both Sexes under 5 Years of Age and 5 Years and upwards, and the Proportions per Cent. of Deaths from each Cause, in the Boroughs above given registered during the Month of May, 1895.

| CLASSES. | CAUSES OF DEATH.                     | AUCKLAND AND SUBURBAN BOROUGH. |                 | WELLINGTON AND SUBURBAN BOROUGH. |                 | CHRISTCHURCH AND SUBURBAN BOROUGH. |                 | DUNEDIN AND SUBURBAN BOROUGH. |                 | TOTAL. | PROPORTIONS PER CENT. |
|----------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|-----------------|--------|-----------------------|
|          |                                      | Under 5 Years.                 | 5 Years & over. | Under 5 Years.                   | 5 Years & over. | Under 5 Years.                     | 5 Years & over. | Under 5 Years.                | 5 Years & over. |        |                       |
| I.       | Specific Febrile or Zymotic Diseases | 2                              | 4               | ..                               | 4               | 2                                  | 1               | 1                             | 1               | 15     | 9.04                  |
| II.      | Parasitic Diseases                   | ..                             | ..              | ..                               | ..              | ..                                 | ..              | ..                            | 1               | 1      | 0.60                  |
| III.     | Dietetic Diseases                    | ..                             | ..              | ..                               | ..              | 1                                  | ..              | ..                            | 1               | 2      | 1.20                  |
| IV.      | Constitutional Diseases              | ..                             | 12              | 2                                | 6               | ..                                 | 10              | ..                            | 12              | 42     | 25.30                 |
| V.       | Developmental Diseases               | 1                              | ..              | ..                               | 1               | 1                                  | 1               | 3                             | ..              | 7      | 4.22                  |
| VI.      | Local Diseases                       | 5                              | 15              | 4                                | 12              | 2                                  | 24              | 2                             | 15              | 79     | 47.60                 |
| VII.     | Violence                             | 1                              | 1               | 1                                | 4               | ..                                 | 1               | ..                            | 2               | 10     | 6.02                  |
| VIII.    | Ill-defined and Not-specified Causes | 5                              | ..              | 3                                | ..              | ..                                 | ..              | 2                             | ..              | 10     | 6.02                  |
|          | Totals                               | 14                             | 32              | 10                               | 27              | 6                                  | 37              | 8                             | 32              | 166    | 100.00                |

|   | AUCKLAND<br>AND SUBURBAN<br>BOROUGHES. |                      | WELLINGTON<br>AND SUBURBAN<br>BOROUGHES. |                      | CHRISTCHURCH<br>AND SUBURBAN<br>BOROUGHES. |                      | DUNEDIN<br>AND SUBURBAN<br>BOROUGHES. |                      | TOTAL. |
|---|--|----------------------|--|----------------------|--|----------------------|---------------------------------------|----------------------|--------|
|   | Under<br>5 Years.                      | 5 Years<br>and over. | Under<br>5 Years.                        | 5 Years<br>and over. | Under<br>5 Years.                          | 5 Years<br>and over. | Under<br>5 Years.                     | 5 Years<br>and over. |        |
| <b>CLASS I.—SPECIFIC FEBRILE OR ZYMOTIC DISEASES.</b> |  |                      |  |                      |  |                      |                                       |                      |        |
| <b>ORDER 1:—</b>                                      |  |                      |  |                      |  |                      |                                       |                      |        |
| <i>Miasmatic,—</i>                                    |  |                      |  |                      |  |                      |                                       |                      |        |
| Influenza .. .. .                                     | 1                                      | 1                    | ..                                       | ..                   | ..   | ..                   | ..                                    | 1                    | 3      |
| Whooping-cough .. .. .                                | ..                                     | ..                   | ..                                       | ..                   | 1  | ..                   | 1                                     | ..                   | 2      |
| Diphtheria .. .. .                                    | ..                                     | 1                    | ..                                       | 1                    | ..   | ..                   | ..                                    | ..                   | 2      |
| Typhoid Fever .. .. .                                 | ..                                     | 2                    | ..                                       | 3                    | ..   | ..                   | ..                                    | ..                   | 5      |
| <b>ORDER 2:—</b>                                      |  |                      |  |                      |  |                      |                                       |                      |        |
| <i>Diarrhoeal,—</i>                                   |  |                      |  |                      |  |                      |                                       |                      |        |
| Diarrhoea .. .. .                                     | ..                                     | ..                   | ..                                       | ..                   | 1  | ..                   | ..                                    | ..                   | 1      |
| <b>ORDER 6:—</b>                                      |  |                      |  |                      |  |                      |                                       |                      |        |
| <i>Septic,—</i>                                       |  |                      |  |                      |  |                      |                                       |                      |        |
| Septicæmia .. .. .                                    | 1                                      | ..                   | ..                                       | ..                   | ..   | ..                   | ..                                    | ..                   | 1      |
| Septic Phlebitis (puerperal) .. .. .                  | ..                                     | ..                   | ..                                       | ..                   | ..   | 1                    | ..                                    | ..                   | 1      |
| <b>CLASS II.—PARASITIC DISEASES.</b>                  |  |                      |  |                      |  |                      |                                       |                      |        |
| Hydatids of Liver .. .. .                             | ..                                     | ..                   | ..                                       | ..                   | ..   | ..                   | ..                                    | 1                    | 1      |
| <b>CLASS III.—DIETETIC DISEASES.</b>                  |  |                      |  |                      |  |                      |                                       |                      |        |
| Want of Breast-milk .. .. .                           | ..                                     | ..                   | ..                                       | ..                   | 1  | ..                   | ..                                    | ..                   | 1      |
| Alcoholism .. .. .                                    | ..                                     | ..                   | ..                                       | ..                   | ..   | ..                   | ..                                    | 1                    | 1      |
| <b>CLASS IV.—CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES.</b>             |  |                      |  |                      |  |                      |                                       |                      |        |
| Acute Rheumatism .. .. .                              | ..                                     | ..                   | ..                                       | 2                    | ..   | ..                   | ..                                    | ..                   | 2      |
| Rheumatic Gout .. .. .                                | ..                                     | 1                    | ..                                       | ..                   | ..   | ..                   | ..                                    | ..                   | 1      |
| Rickets .. .. .                                       | ..                                     | ..                   | 1  | ..                   | ..   | ..                   | ..                                    | ..                   | 1      |
| Cancer .. .. .  | ..                                     | 4                    | ..                                       | 3                    | ..   | 3                    | ..                                    | 4                    | 14     |
| Tabes Mesenterica .. .. .                             | ..                                     | 1                    | ..                                       | ..                   | ..   | ..                   | ..                                    | ..                   | 1      |
| Tubercular Meningitis .. .. .                         | ..                                     | ..                   | 1  | ..                   | ..   | 2                    | ..                                    | ..                   | 3      |
| Phthisis .. .. .                                      | ..                                     | 4                    | ..                                       | 1                    | ..   | 2                    | ..                                    | 5                    | 12     |
| Hip-disease .. .. .                                   | ..                                     | ..                   | ..                                       | ..                   | ..   | ..                   | ..                                    | 1                    | 1      |
| Tuberculosis .. .. .                                  | ..                                     | ..                   | ..                                       | ..                   | ..   | ..                   | ..                                    | 2                    | 2      |
| Anæmia .. .. .  | ..                                     | 1                    | ..                                       | ..                   | ..   | ..                   | ..                                    | ..                   | 1      |
| Chlorosis .. .. .                                     | ..                                     | ..                   | ..                                       | ..                   | ..   | 1                    | ..                                    | ..                   | 1      |
| Diabetes .. .. .                                      | ..                                     | 1                    | ..                                       | ..                   | ..   | 2                    | ..                                    | ..                   | 3      |
| <b>CLASS V.—DEVELOPMENTAL DISEASES.</b>               |  |                      |  |                      |  |                      |                                       |                      |        |
| Premature Birth .. .. .                               | ..                                     | ..                   | ..                                       | ..                   | 1  | ..                   | 2                                     | ..                   | 3      |
| Spina Bifida .. .. .                                  | 1                                      | ..                   | ..                                       | ..                   | ..   | ..                   | ..                                    | ..                   | 1      |
| Arrested Development .. .. .                          | ..                                     | ..                   | ..                                       | ..                   | ..   | ..                   | 1                                     | ..                   | 1      |
| Old Age .. .. .                                       | ..                                     | ..                   | ..                                       | 1                    | ..   | 1                    | ..                                    | ..                   | 2      |
| <b>CLASS VI.—LOCAL DISEASES.</b>                      |  |                      |  |                      |  |                      |                                       |                      |        |
| <b>ORDER 1:—</b>                                      |  |                      |  |                      |  |                      |                                       |                      |        |
| <i>Diseases of Nervous System,—</i>                   |  |                      |  |                      |  |                      |                                       |                      |        |
| Meningitis .. .. .                                    | ..                                     | ..                   | ..                                       | 1                    | 1  | ..                   | ..                                    | ..                   | 2      |
| Apoplexy .. .. .                                      | ..                                     | 1                    | ..                                       | 1                    | ..   | 2                    | ..                                    | 1                    | 5      |
| Softening of Brain .. .. .                            | ..                                     | ..                   | ..                                       | 1                    | ..   | ..                   | ..                                    | ..                   | 1      |
| Hemiplegia .. .. .                                    | ..                                     | 1                    | ..                                       | ..                   | ..   | ..                   | ..                                    | ..                   | 1      |
| Insanity .. .. .                                      | ..                                     | ..                   | ..                                       | 1                    | ..   | ..                   | ..                                    | ..                   | 1      |
| Epilepsy .. .. .                                      | ..                                     | ..                   | ..                                       | ..                   | ..   | 1                    | ..                                    | ..                   | 1      |
| Convulsions .. .. .                                   | ..                                     | ..                   | 2  | ..                   | 1  | ..                   | ..                                    | ..                   | 3      |
| Tetanus .. .. .                                       | ..                                     | 1                    | ..                                       | ..                   | ..   | ..                   | ..                                    | ..                   | 1      |
| Spinal Myelitis .. .. .                               | ..                                     | 1                    | ..                                       | ..                   | ..   | ..                   | ..                                    | ..                   | 1      |
| Brain-disease .. .. .                                 | ..                                     | ..                   | ..                                       | 1                    | ..   | 1                    | ..                                    | ..                   | 2      |
| Various Neuroses .. .. .                              | ..                                     | ..                   | ..                                       | ..                   | ..   | 1                    | ..                                    | ..                   | 1      |
| <b>ORDER 3:—</b>                                      |  |                      |  |                      |  |                      |                                       |                      |        |
| <i>Diseases of Circulatory System,—</i>               |  |                      |  |                      |  |                      |                                       |                      |        |
| Heart-disease .. .. .                                 | ..                                     | 4                    | 1  | ..                   | ..   | 3                    | ..                                    | ..                   | 8      |
| Fatty Heart .. .. .                                   | ..                                     | 1                    | ..                                       | ..                   | ..   | ..                   | ..                                    | ..                   | 1      |
| Aneurism .. .. .                                      | ..                                     | ..                   | ..                                       | ..                   | ..   | 1                    | ..                                    | 1                    | 2      |
| <b>ORDER 4:—</b>                                      |  |                      |  |                      |  |                      |                                       |                      |        |
| <i>Diseases of Respiratory System,—</i>               |  |                      |  |                      |  |                      |                                       |                      |        |
| Bronchitis .. .. .                                    | 2                                      | 2                    | ..                                       | ..                   | ..   | 1                    | 1                                     | 1                    | 7      |
| Pneumonia .. .. .                                     | 1                                      | 1                    | ..                                       | ..                   | ..   | 2                    | ..                                    | 4                    | 8      |
| Congestion of Lungs .. .. .                           | ..                                     | ..                   | 1  | 1                    | ..   | ..                   | ..                                    | 1                    | 3      |
| <b>ORDER 5:—</b>                                      |  |                      |  |                      |  |                      |                                       |                      |        |
| <i>Diseases of Digestive System,—</i>                 |  |                      |  |                      |  |                      |                                       |                      |        |
| Teething .. .. .                                      | 1                                      | ..                   | ..                                       | ..                   | ..   | ..                   | ..                                    | ..                   | 1      |
| Dyspepsia .. .. .                                     | ..                                     | ..                   | ..                                       | ..                   | ..   | ..                   | ..                                    | 1                    | 1      |
| Ulcer of Stomach .. .. .                              | ..                                     | ..                   | ..                                       | ..                   | ..   | ..                   | ..                                    | 1                    | 1      |
| Gastro-intestinal Catarrh .. .. .                     | 1                                      | ..                   | ..                                       | ..                   | ..   | 1                    | ..                                    | ..                   | 2      |
| Enteritis .. .. .                                     | ..                                     | ..                   | ..                                       | ..                   | ..   | 1                    | ..                                    | ..                   | 1      |
| Peritonitis .. .. .                                   | ..                                     | 1                    | ..                                       | ..                   | ..   | 1                    | ..                                    | 1                    | 3      |
| Obstruction of Gall-bladder .. .. .                   | ..                                     | ..                   | ..                                       | ..                   | ..   | 1                    | ..                                    | ..                   | 1      |
| Cirrhosis of Liver .. .. .                            | ..                                     | ..                   | ..                                       | ..                   | ..   | 1                    | ..                                    | 1                    | 2      |

|  | AUCKLAND AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHS. |                   | WELLINGTON AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHS. |                   | CHRISTCHURCH AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHS. |                   | DUNEDIN AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHS. |                   | TOTAL. |
|--|---------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------|--------|
|  | Under 5 Years.                  | 5 Years and over. | Under 5 Years.                    | 5 Years and over. | Under 5 Years.                      | 5 Years and over. | Under 5 Years.                 | 5 Years and over. |        |
| <b>CLASS VI.—continued.</b>                              |                                 |                   |                                   |                   |                                     |                   |                                |                   |        |
| <b>ORDER 5—continued.</b>                                |                                 |                   |                                   |                   |                                     |                   |                                |                   |        |
| <i>Diseases of Digestive System—contd.</i>               |                                 |                   |                                   |                   |                                     |                   |                                |                   |        |
| Congestion of Liver .. ..                                | ..                              | ..                | ..                                | ..                | ..                                  | 1                 | ..                             | ..                | 1      |
| Inflammation of Liver .. ..                              | ..                              | ..                | ..                                | ..                | ..                                  | 1                 | ..                             | ..                | 1      |
| Catarrh of Bile-ducts .. ..                              | ..                              | ..                | ..                                | ..                | ..                                  | 1                 | ..                             | ..                | 1      |
| <b>ORDER 7:—</b>   |                                 |                   |                                   |                   |                                     |                   |                                |                   |        |
| <i>Diseases of Urinary System,—</i>                      |                                 |                   |                                   |                   |                                     |                   |                                |                   |        |
| Bright's Disease .. ..                                   | ..                              | 1                 | ..                                | 3                 | ..                                  | ..                | ..                             | 2                 | 6      |
| Enlarged Prostate, Cystitis ..                           | ..                              | 1                 | ..                                | 2                 | ..                                  | ..                | ..                             | 1                 | 4      |
| Waxy Disease of Kidneys.. ..                             | ..                              | ..                | ..                                | ..                | ..                                  | 1                 | ..                             | ..                | 1      |
| <b>ORDER 8:—</b>   |                                 |                   |                                   |                   |                                     |                   |                                |                   |        |
| <i>Diseases of Reproductive System,—</i>                 |                                 |                   |                                   |                   |                                     |                   |                                |                   |        |
| Phlegmasia Dolens .. ..                                  | ..                              | ..                | ..                                | ..                | ..                                  | 1                 | ..                             | ..                | 1      |
| Embolism after Childbirth ..                             | ..                              | ..                | ..                                | 1                 | ..                                  | ..                | ..                             | ..                | 1      |
| Rupture of Uterus in Childbirth ..                       | ..                              | ..                | ..                                | ..                | ..                                  | 1                 | ..                             | ..                | 1      |
| <b>ORDER 10:—</b>  |                                 |                   |                                   |                   |                                     |                   |                                |                   |        |
| <i>Diseases of Integumentary System,—</i>                |                                 |                   |                                   |                   |                                     |                   |                                |                   |        |
| Phlegmon of Face .. ..                                   | ..                              | ..                | ..                                | ..                | ..                                  | 1                 | ..                             | ..                | 1      |
| Eczema .. ..   | ..                              | ..                | ..                                | ..                | ..                                  | ..                | 1                              | ..                | 1      |
| <b>CLASS VII.—VIOLENCE.</b>                              |                                 |                   |                                   |                   |                                     |                   |                                |                   |        |
| <b>ORDER 1:—</b>   |                                 |                   |                                   |                   |                                     |                   |                                |                   |        |
| <i>Accident or Negligence,—</i>                          |                                 |                   |                                   |                   |                                     |                   |                                |                   |        |
| Crushed by crane .. ..                                   | ..                              | ..                | ..                                | ..                | ..                                  | ..                | ..                             | 1                 | 1      |
| Crushed by dray .. ..                                    | ..                              | ..                | ..                                | 1                 | ..                                  | ..                | ..                             | ..                | 1      |
| Fracture of leg .. ..                                    | ..                              | ..                | ..                                | 1                 | ..                                  | ..                | ..                             | ..                | 1      |
| Concussion of spine, paralysis ..                        | ..                              | 1                 | ..                                | ..                | ..                                  | ..                | ..                             | ..                | 1      |
| Burned .. ..   | 1                               | ..                | 1                                 | 2                 | ..                                  | ..                | ..                             | ..                | 4      |
| Embolism after chloroform .. ..                          | ..                              | ..                | ..                                | ..                | ..                                  | 1                 | ..                             | ..                | 1      |
| Found drowned .. ..                                      | ..                              | ..                | ..                                | ..                | ..                                  | ..                | ..                             | 1                 | 1      |
| <b>CLASS VIII.—ILL-DEFINED AND NOT-SPECIFIED CAUSES.</b> |                                 |                   |                                   |                   |                                     |                   |                                |                   |        |
| Marasmus, &c. .. ..                                      | 5                               | ..                | 3                                 | ..                | ..                                  | ..                | 2                              | ..                | 10     |
| Totals .. ..   | 14                              | 32                | 10                                | 27                | 6                                   | 37                | 8                              | 32                | 166    |

In the first table are given the deaths and death-rates for each of the four cities, for the suburban boroughs severally, and for each city with its suburban towns. As regards Auckland and Christchurch, the whole of the area usually recognised as suburban has not yet been brought under municipal government, and the vital statistics do not deal with such portions as still remain in road districts. But the omission is not very important, for there are in either case quite enough suburbs included within borough boundaries to give a fair idea of the death-rate of Greater Auckland and Greater Christchurch. As further boroughs are formed the vital statistics will be made to include them.

By including the suburban boroughs the death-rate for last month is lowered at Wellington, Christchurch, and Dunedin, but raised at Auckland. The rates for May are,—

|  | Death-rate per 1,000 of Population. |
|--|-------------------------------------|
| Auckland City .. ..                    | 1.02                                |
| "    and five suburban boroughs .. ..  | 1.08                                |
| Wellington City .. ..                  | 1.03                                |
| "    and three suburban boroughs .. .. | 0.96                                |
| Christchurch City .. ..                | 1.48                                |
| "    and four suburban boroughs .. ..  | 1.02                                |
| Dunedin City .. ..                     | 0.97                                |
| "    and eight suburban boroughs .. .. | 0.82                                |

Including suburbs, the rate at Auckland is the highest and that of Dunedin the lowest.

*Specific Febrile and Zymotic Diseases.*—With the advance of winter deaths from this class of disease at the four centres of population have decreased in number. The total for the four cities, including suburbs, in May was only 15 deaths, against 22 in April and 29 in March. The proportion per cent. of deaths from all causes fell from 24.66 in February, 15.11 in March, and 13.34 in April, to 9.04 in May. Of 15 deaths last month, 5 were from typhoid fever—2 at Auckland and 3 at Wellington. Influenza caused 2 deaths at Auckland and 1 at Dunedin. Whooping-cough is observed at Christchurch and Dunedin—1 death at each city. Diphtheria was fatal in 1 case at Auckland and 1 at Wellington. The remaining deaths in this class were 1 from diarrhoea (Christchurch) and 2 from septicæmia.

*Parasitic Diseases.*—One death from hydatids of liver took place at Dunedin.

*Constitutional Diseases.*—The total of deaths is 42, against 34 in April. Of these 12 were from phthisis and 14 from cancer. Diabetes caused 3 deaths.

*Local Diseases.*—The mortality comprises 79 deaths—viz., from diseases of nervous system, 19 (apoplexy, 5); of circulatory system, 11 (heart-disease, &c., 9); of respiratory system, 18 (bronchitis and pneumonia, 15); of digestive system, 15; of urinary system, 11 (Bright's disease, 6); of reproductive system, 3; and of integuments, 2.

*Violent Deaths.*—These numbered 10 altogether: A carter was crushed by a dray, a hotelkeeper died of a fractured leg, and a youth was killed by fall of a crane; there were 4 cases of accidental burning—three of them children (one through her clothes catching fire), the fourth a woman thirty years of age; a girl of thirteen years died from pulmonary embolism after taking chloroform; a dyer was found drowned in a dam; and a girl of eleven years was killed by concussion of spine. There were no cases of suicide during May.

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

| Towns.                             | SIX PRINCIPAL SPECIFIC FEBRILE OR ZYMOTIC DISEASES. |      |                |      |                          |      |             |      |                 |      |                      |      | PRINCIPAL LUNG-DISEASES. |      |           |      |            |      |                      |      |
|------------------------------------|---|------|----------------|------|--------------------------|------|-------------|------|-----------------|------|----------------------|------|--------------------------|------|-----------|------|------------|------|----------------------|------|
|                                    | Measles.  |      | Scarlet Fever. |      | Typhoid and other Fever. |      | Diphtheria. |      | Whooping-cough. |      | Diarrhoeal Diseases. |      | Bronchitis.              |      | Pleurisy. |      | Pneumonia. |      | Congestion of Lungs. |      |
|                                    | May   | Apr. | May            | Apr. | May                      | Apr. | May         | Apr. | May             | Apr. | May                  | Apr. | May                      | Apr. | May       | Apr. | May        | Apr. | May                  | Apr. |
| Auckland and suburban boroughs     | ..  | ..   | ..             | ..   | 2                        | ..   | 1           | 1    | ..              | 1    | ..                   | 4    | 4                        | 8    | ..        | ..   | 2          | 2    | ..                   | ..   |
| Wellington and suburban boroughs   | ..  | ..   | ..             | ..   | 3                        | 5    | 1           | ..   | ..              | ..   | ..                   | ..   | ..                       | ..   | ..        | ..   | ..         | 2    | 2                    | ..   |
| Christchurch and suburban boroughs | ..  | ..   | ..             | ..   | ..                       | 1    | ..          | ..   | 1               | ..   | 1                    | 3    | 1                        | 2    | ..        | ..   | 2          | 5    | ..                   | 1    |
| Dunedin and suburban boroughs      | ..  | ..   | ..             | ..   | ..                       | ..   | ..          | ..   | 1               | 1    | ..                   | 1    | 2                        | 1    | ..        | ..   | 4          | ..   | 1                    | ..   |
| Totals .. ..                       | ..  | ..   | ..             | ..   | 5                        | 6    | 2           | 1    | 2               | 2    | 1                    | 8    | 7                        | 6    | ..        | ..   | 8          | 9    | 3                    | 1    |

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 10th June, 1895.

E. J. VON DADELSZEN,  
Registrar-General.

PROVISIONAL METEOROLOGICAL RETURN FOR MAY, 1895.

|  | AUCKLAND.      | WELLINGTON.        | LINCOLN, CANTERBURY. | DUNEDIN.       |
|--|----------------|--------------------|----------------------|----------------|
| Mean Temperature in shade for month*<br>Average same month previous years* ... | 56.5<br>57.0   | 52.3<br>52.0       | 47.5<br>48.0         | 45.9<br>47.2   |
| Maximum Temperature in shade, and date*  | 68.0 on 2nd    | 65.0 on 9th        | 66.8 on 16th         | 60.0 on 7th    |
| Minimum Temperature in shade, and date*  | 48.0 on 23rd   | 39.0 on 19th, 23rd | 28.8 on 19th         | 32.0 on 19th   |
| Maximum Solar Radiation, and date* ..  | 129.0 on 5th   | 109.0 on 19th      | 109.6 on 2nd         | 100.0 on 4th   |
| Minimum Terrestrial Radiation, and date*                                       | 37.0 on 23rd   | 27.0 on 12th, 19th | 23.4 on 19th         | 26.0 on 19th   |
| Mean Humidity (Saturation = 100) ..<br>Average same month previous years ...   | 76<br>80       | 73<br>76           | 86<br>80             | 70<br>76       |
| Total Rainfall, in inches ..<br>Average same month previous years ...          | 5.590<br>4.083 | 4.697<br>4.984     | 1.796<br>2.238       | 4.630<br>3.640 |
| Number of Days of Rain ..<br>Average same month previous years ...             | 21<br>20       | 18<br>14           | 8<br>9               | 13<br>13       |

\* Fahrenheit.

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

Meteorological Office, Wellington, 10th June, 1895.

JAMES HECTOR,  
Director.

RETURN of the Number of Births, with the Actual Mortality of Males and Females, and the Proportion of Deaths to Population, in the under-mentioned Boroughs, during the Month of May, 1895.

| BOROUGHS.              | ESTIMATED POPULATION OF BOROUGH, 1ST JANUARY, 1895. | TOTAL BIRTHS IN BOROUGH. | DEATHS IN BOROUGH REGISTERED IN MAY, 1895. |                    |                   |               |                    |                   | Total Deaths. | Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, May, 1895. | Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population in the Year 1894. |
|------------------------|---|--------------------------|--|--------------------|-------------------|---------------|--------------------|-------------------|---------------|---|---|
|                        |   |                          | Males.                                     |                    |                   | Females.      |                    |                   |               |   |   |
|                        |   |                          | Under 1 Year.                              | 1 & under 5 Years. | 5 Years and over. | Under 1 Year. | 1 & under 5 Years. | 5 Years and over. |               |   |   |
| Thames .. ..           | 4,669   | 11                       | ..   | ..                 | 4                 | ..            | 1                  | 1                 | 6             | 1.29  | 9.41  |
| New Plymouth .. ..     | 3,683   | 11                       | ..   | ..                 | ..                | ..            | ..                 | ..                | ..            | ..  | 12.39   |
| Napier .. ..           | 9,163   | 21                       | 1  | ..                 | 2                 | 4             | ..                 | 9                 | 0.98          | 15.91   |   |
| Wanganui .. ..         | 5,601   | 13                       | 2  | ..                 | 3                 | 1             | ..                 | 7                 | 1.25          | 9.25  |   |
| Palmerston North .. .. | 6,543   | 23                       | ..   | ..                 | 1                 | 2             | ..                 | 3                 | 0.46          | 9.13  |   |
| Blenheim .. ..         | 3,240   | 13                       | ..   | ..                 | 1                 | 1             | ..                 | 3                 | 0.93          | 10.18   |   |
| Nelson .. ..           | 6,552   | 17                       | ..   | ..                 | 2                 | ..            | ..                 | 4                 | 0.61          | 15.23   |   |
| Greymouth .. ..        | 3,796   | 4                        | ..   | ..                 | 1                 | ..            | ..                 | 2                 | 0.79          | 10.82   |   |
| Hokitika .. ..         | 2,160   | 5                        | ..   | ..                 | 1                 | ..            | ..                 | 3                 | 0.93          | 28.50   |   |
| Lytelton .. ..         | 3,998   | 16                       | 1  | ..                 | 3                 | ..            | ..                 | 5                 | 1.25          | 8.49  |   |
| Timaru .. ..           | 3,778   | 6                        | 2  | ..                 | 1                 | ..            | ..                 | 4                 | 1.06          | 9.52  |   |
| Oamaru .. ..           | 5,772   | 9                        | ..   | ..                 | 1                 | 1             | ..                 | 3                 | 0.52          | 10.21   |   |
| Invercargill .. ..     | 5,740*  | 9                        | 1  | ..                 | 1                 | ..            | ..                 | 3                 | 0.52          | 11.11   |   |

\* The population of Invercargill and suburbs was, at the census taken in April, 1891, 8,551 persons.



**Bankruptcy Notices.**

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WALTER ARMSTRONG, of Auckland, Commercial Traveller, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 10th day of June, 1895, at 11 o'clock.  
J. LAWSON,  
3rd June, 1895. Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.—In the District Court of Taranaki, holden at New Plymouth.*

In the matter of "The Bankruptcy Act, 1892"; and in the bankruptcy of JOSEPH DUNICK, of Tariki Road, Farmer.

NOTICE is hereby given that the public examination of the above-named bankrupt is fixed for the 19th day of June, 1895, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at the sitting of the above-named Court in Bankruptcy at the Courthouse at New Plymouth.

Dated this 8th day of June, 1895.  
ROBT. G. BAUCHOPE,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.*

In the estate of HODGSON AND Co., Plumbers and Tinsmiths, Hawera.

A FIRST dividend, of 3s. in the pound, is now payable at my office.

C. A. BUDGE,  
Hawera, 6th June, 1895. Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that HERBERT WOODHAM, of South Makirikiri, School-teacher, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 15th day of June, 1895, at 12 o'clock noon.

G. J. SCOTT,  
Palmerston North, 3rd June, 1895. Deputy Official Assignee.

*In the Supreme Court of New Zealand, Wellington District.*

In the matter of the estate of JAMES GIFFEN STEWART, late of Waitawhiti, near Tenui, Farmer, deceased intestate, and in the matter of "The Administration Act 1879 Amendment Act, 1888."

AN order of the Supreme Court, dated 25th May, 1895, having been made that the estate of the said deceased shall be administered by the Deputy Official Assignee in Bankruptcy at Masterton, notice is hereby given that a meeting of creditors will be held at the Courthouse, Masterton, on Monday, the 17th day of June, 1895, at 2 p.m.

W. B. CHENNELLS,  
Masterton, 5th June, 1895. Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN McMASTERS, 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 Friday, the 14th day of June, 1895, at 3 o'clock.

W. HINDMARSH,  
Reefton, 6th June, 1895. Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that HANNAH ELIZABETH ADAMS, of Ashburton, Shopkeeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 13th day of June, 1895, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

JOHN DAVISON,  
5th June, 1895. Deputy Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.—In the District Court of the Otago Gold-fields, holden at Lawrence.*

NOTICE is hereby given that ADAM SCOTT, of Dumbarton Rock, Blacksmith, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, Lawrence, on Thursday, the 13th day of June, 1895, at 2 o'clock p.m.

R. PILLING, JUN.,  
Lawrence, 7th June, 1895. Deputy Official Assignee.

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

No. 103.

NOTICE is hereby given that ARTHUR CLEMENT ISLIP, of Kaitangata, Miner (late Sheep-farmer), was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Wednesday, the 12th day of June, 1895, at 11.30 o'clock.

C. C. GRAHAM,  
Dunedin, 5th June, 1895. Official Assignee.

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

No. 104.

NOTICE is hereby given that FREDERICK SPARKE, of Greenvale, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, Gore, on Thursday, the 13th day of June, 1895, at 3 o'clock.

C. C. GRAHAM,  
Dunedin, 5th June, 1895. Official Assignee.

**Land Transfer Act Notices.**

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

7571. JOHN STUDHOLME and GEORGE BOWRON.—38 acres 3 roods 36 perches, part of Rural Section 309, Borough of Sumner. Occupied by E. Senior, J. Hines, F. D. Kesteven, Sumner Borough Council, and others.

7635. HUGH CLEAVER JAMIESON.—38 perches, part of Rural Section 17, Borough of Sydenham. Occupied by Applicant.

7637. THE MAYOR, COUNCILLORS, AND BURGESSSES OF THE BOROUGH OF LINWOOD.—3½ perches, part of Rural Section 30, Borough of Linwood. Occupied, as part of a public street, by Applicants.

7638. MARY HANNAH REYNOLDS.—25½ perches, with right-of-way, part of Section 650, City of Christchurch. Occupied by—Phillips.

7641. SAMUEL GRAHAM.—31 acres 2 roods 37 perches, Rural Section 10593, Block XV., Leeston Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

7642. TIMOTHY CAIRNS.—44 acres 3 roods 26 perches, part of Rural Sections 7822, 7823, 7824, and 7825, Blocks I., Wakanui, and IV., Hinds Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

7644. JAMES DEARSLEY and HENRY WALTER DAWSON.—2 roods, part of Rural Section 29, Borough of Linwood. Occupied by E. Denton and—Kiddler.

7647. MARY ELLEN HAYDON.—99 acres 2 roods, part of Rural Section 3850, Blocks XVI., Rolleston, XIII., Christchurch, IV., Leeston, and I., Halswell Survey Districts. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 8th day of June, 1895, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

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J. M. BATHAM,  
District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me by BENJAMIN BOWMAN for the issue to him of a provisional certificate of title for Section 152, Township of Alton, as shown in certificate of title, Register-book, Vol. v., folio 15, and a statutory declaration having been lodged with me that the same was destroyed by fire, I hereby give notice that I shall issue the provisional certificate of title as requested at the expiration of fourteen days after the date of the Gazette containing this notice, unless in the meantime a caveat be lodged forbidding the same.

Dated this 5th day of June, 1895, at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth.

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W. STUART,  
District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me by THOMAS BULLOCK, of Ashburton, Auctioneer, as attorney for the representative of THOMAS TAYLOR, deceased, for the issue of a provisional certificate of title for Rural Sections 23725, 24338, and 24339, contained in certificate of title, Vol. lxii., folio 132, and a statutory declaration having been lodged with me of the loss or destruction of such certificate, I hereby give notice that I will issue the provisional certificate as requested at the expiration of fourteen days after the date of the Gazette containing this notice.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch, this 8th day of June, 1895.

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J. M. BATHAM,  
District Land Registrar.

**EVIDENCE** of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. xlix., folio 61, in favour of ALEXANDER McARTHUR, WILLIAM ALEXANDER McARTHUR, JOHN PERCIVAL McARTHUR, CHARLES COOKMAN McMILLAN, and HERBERT THOMPSON, for Section 4, Town of Kohukohu, 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 after the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 3rd day of June, 1895, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

EDWIN BAMFORD,  
District Land Registrar.

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**A**PPPLICATION having been made to me to issue a provisional certificate of title for Allotments 48 and 50 on plan of the Extension of the Township of Calton, Register-book, Vol. xxiv., folio 276, of which ANDREW HENDERSON, of Dunedin, Boilermaker, is the registered proprietor, and evidence having been lodged with me as to the loss of the original certificate, I hereby give notice that I intend to issue the provisional certificate as requested at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of publication hereof.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin, this 10th day of June, 1895.

H. TURTON,  
District Land Registrar.

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**Mining Notice.**

**NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CONSTRUCT WATER-RACE.**

"THE MINING ACT, 1891."

Hauraki, 7th May, 1895.

To the Warden at Coromandel.

**W**E hereby give notice that we intend to construct a water-race to divert and use water for mining purposes, commencing at points in the tributaries of the Whangarahi Creek known as the Karaka Creek, the Whakanekeneke Creek, the Kahakaharoa Creek, the Taumatawahine Creek, the Wakaroa Creek, and Madam's Creek, marked by pegs with the letter X thereon, and terminating at a peg near the residence-site of Mr. Swindley, at the Beach Road, Coromandel, also marked X, near the said Whangarahi Creek, and including the said Whangarahi River in the proposed race.

The length of such race is three miles or thereabouts, and its intended course is about east and west and north-east and south-west.

The mean depth of such race is 3ft., and the mean breadth is 3ft.; and it is proposed to divert five Government-heads of water. The reservoir will be situated on the Kahakaharoa Creek; and its dimensions will be 1 rood 29 perches. The storm-water will overflow into the said Kahakaharoa Creek.

Cost of construction: £3,500.

Time required for construction: Nine months.

Number and date of miner's right: 2991; 4th May, 1895.

On behalf of the Chairman, Councillors, and inhabitants of the Coromandel County:

|                    |                 |
|--------------------|-----------------|
| A. R. H. SWINDLEY, | } Applicants.   |
| Chairman.          |                 |
| RICHD. SIMMONDS,   | } County Clerk. |
| County Clerk.      |                 |

Any person objecting to the granting of this application must lodge his objection in writing at the Warden's Office at Coromandel within fourteen clear days from the date hereof. Hearing at 8 o'clock a.m. on the 28th May, 1895.

H. EYRE-KENNY,  
Warden.

Warden's Office, 7th May, 1895, 3 p.m.

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**Private Advertisements.**

**I** FREDERICK HEZEKIAH HARGOOD, Member (1854) and Licentiate of Midwifery (1858) of the Royal College of Surgeons, and Licentiate of the Society of Apothecaries, London, 1858, now residing in Epuni Street, Wellington, hereby give notice that I intend applying, on the 11th of July next, 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-General.

F. H. HARGOOD.

Dated at Wellington, 7th June, 1895.

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**I** VALENTINE HERBERT BARR, Member Royal Coll. Surg., England, 1894; Licentiate Royal Coll. Phys., London, 1894; Lic. Soc. Apoth., London, 1892, now residing in Auckland, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 5th July next to have my name placed on the Medical Register for the Colony of New Zealand, and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Registrar of Births and Deaths at Auckland.

VALENTINE HERBERT BARR.

Dated at Auckland, 5th June, 1895.

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**I** HEREBY certify that the Rev. WILLIAM LEE has been duly reappointed Authorised Representative of the Wesleyan Methodist Church under the provisions of "The Wesleyan Methodist Church Property Trust Act, 1887."

J. H. SIMMONDS,

President, Wesleyan Conference.

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**DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.**

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto existing between CHRISTOPHER AIREY FAWCETT and ARTHUR SEARLE, trading together at Gisborne as "Fawcett and Searle," Tailors, is dissolved as from the 6th day of May, 1895. The liabilities of the said firm will be paid by the said Christopher Airey Fawcett, who continues the business of the said firm, and who is authorised to collect all debts due to the firm, and to give receipts for the same.

Dated this 20th day of May, 1895.

C. A. FAWCETT.

ARTHUR SEARLE.

Witness to signature of Christopher Airey Fawcett and Arthur Searle—R. N. Jones, Solicitor, Gisborne.

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**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND, WELLINGTON DISTRICT.**

In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1882," and the amendments thereof; and in the matter of the Longburn Slaughtering and Freezing Company (Limited).

**U**PON the petition of Andrew Jack, of Palmerston North, in the Provincial District of Wellington, Plumber, a creditor of the above company, on the 4th day of June, 1895, preferred unto his Honour Christopher William Richmond, a Judge of this honourable Court: And upon hearing Mr. Skerrett, of counsel for the petitioner: And upon reading the said petition, and the affidavit of the said Andrew Jack, the petitioner, verifying such petition: And upon reading the affidavit of James Bruce Beale of service of such petition: And upon reading the affidavit of Alexander McPherson, sworn and filed herein: And upon reading the affidavit of John Herbert Hankins, showing the service of the said petition, and the affidavit of Henry Charles Lancelot Robinson, and the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 23rd day of May, 1895, and the *Manawatu Daily Standard* newspaper of the 23rd day of May, 1895, and the *Manawatu Daily Times* newspaper of the 22nd day of May, 1895, being two newspapers circulating in the district where the registered office of the said company is and was situate, all which affidavits and copies of such newspapers are duly filed in this Court: This Court doth order that the said company be wound up by the Court under the provisions of "The Companies Act, 1882."

Dated this 4th day of June, 1895.

By the Court.

W. A. HAWKINS,

Deputy Registrar.

[The seal of the Supreme Court, New Zealand.]

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In the matter of the Wakatu United Gold-mining Company (Limited), (in liquidation).

**N**OTICE is hereby given that, the property of the above-named company having now been realised, and the contributions required and obtainable paid, a schedule has been prepared, with the approval of the Court, showing the realised amount of the assets, including the contributions and the liabilities of the company, the amount of moneys available for the claims in the matter of the winding-up, and the proposed plan of distribution thereof; and that the said schedule is now open in my office in Trafalgar Street for inspection by the contributors to and creditors of the company; and that the claims mentioned in the schedule will, after the lapse of twenty-one days from the publication of this notice, be paid at my said office.

Dated at Nelson, this 10th day of June, 1895.

AMBROSE E. MOORE,

Liquidator.

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In the matter of "The Foreign Companies Act, 1884," and of the United Insurance Company (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given that the offices or places of business of the above-named company at the under-mentioned places in New Zealand are:—

For Napier (Fire Branch): At the office of E. Crowley, Tennyson Street; in place of office of H. A. Banner, Tennyson Street.

For Blenheim (Fire Branch): At the office of T. Horton, Wynen Street.

NICHOLAS REID,  
JAMES SAMUEL JAMESON,  
Attorneys for the said Company.

Dated at Wellington, 29th May, 1895. 382

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