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Land set apart for Settlement.

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

WHEREAS by the second section of "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act Amendment Act, 1891" (herein termed "the said Act"), it is, amongst other things, enacted that, before certain moneys therein mentioned shall be expended upon any block of land, it shall be necessary that the same be proclaimed as set apart for settlement:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of every power and authority enabling me in this behalf, and for the purposes of the said Act, I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim the block of land described in the Schedule hereto as set apart for settlement.

SCHEDULE.

KAIPARORO BLOCK.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 9,392 acres, more or less, and being Section No. 1 of Block VI., Sections Nos. 49 and 50 of Block VII., Sections Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10 of Block IX.; Sections Nos. 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, and 25 of Block X.; Sections Nos. 1 and 2 of Block XIII., and Sections Nos. 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, and 34 of Block XIV., Tararua Survey District: as the said area is delineated upon a plan marked S.G. 26520, deposited in the Head Office of the Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon edged with green.

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 issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land set apart for Settlement.

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

WHEREAS by the second section of "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act Amendment Act, 1891" (herein termed "the said Act"), it is, amongst other things, enacted that, before certain moneys therein mentioned shall be expended upon any block of land, it shall be necessary that the same be proclaimed as set apart for settlement:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of every power and authority enabling me in this behalf, and for the purposes of the said Act, I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim the block of land described in the Schedule hereto as set apart for settlement.

SCHEDULE.

TERRACE END BLOCK.

ALL that area in the Taranaki Land District, containing by admeasurement 11,118 acres, more or less, and comprised in the following sections: viz., Sections Nos. 3, 4, 5, 6, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, and 28, all of Block XV., Ngatimaru Survey District; Sections Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9 of Block XVI., Ngatimaru Survey District; Section No. 23 of Block II., Omona Survey District; and Sections Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, and 30, all of Block III., Omona Survey District: as the said area is particularly delineated upon a plan marked S.G. 26144, deposited in the Head Office of the Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon edged with green.

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 issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this third day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Allocating Land reserved and taken for a Railway to the Purposes of a Road in Wakanui Road District.

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

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto forms part of land reserved for the purposes of the Lyttelton-Bluff Railway, and it is considered desirable to allocate such land to the purposes of a road:

And whereas it has been certified by the Minister for Railways that such land is not required for railway purposes: And whereas such land is situated in the Wakanui Road District, the local authority of which has consented to the issue of this Proclamation:

And whereas His Excellency the Governor is of opinion that the said local authority can conveniently construct and maintain the said road:

Now, therefore, I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities in me vested by section one hundred and seventy-seven of "The Public Works Act, 1894," and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in that behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto shall, upon the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, become a road, and that the said road shall be under the control of the Wakanui Road Board, and shall be maintained by the said Board in like manner as other public highways are controlled and maintained by the said Board.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, in the Ashburton Survey District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre 3 roods 34 perches, more or less, being a strip of land 100 links wide, a part of Railway Reserve 1450, on the Lyttelton-Bluff Railway, at Dromore Station. Bounded towards the south-east by other part of the said railway reserve and by Dromore Station site, 1929.5 links; on the north-west by the north-western boundary of the said railway reserve, fronting Reserve 1467, 2004.1 links; on the east by a line drawn in continuation of the eastern side of the road which forms the east boundary of Rural Section 27035, 118.9 links; and on the south-west by a line drawn in continuation of the south-west side of a road which passes through said Reserve 1467, 100.5 links: as the said parcel of land is more particularly delineated on the plan marked 6555, deposited in the office of the Minister for Railways, at Wellington, and thereon coloured green.

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 issued under the Seal of the said colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this sixth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

A. J. CADMAN,
Minister for Railways.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land declared to be Crown Land subject to "The Land for Settlements Act, 1894."

(L.S.) GLASGOW, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto has been acquired under the provisions of "The Land for Settlements Act, 1894" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), and the purchase thereof has been concluded as by the said Act is provided; And whereas it is enacted by the said Act that all land so acquired shall be proclaimed as Crown land subject to the provisions of the said Act:

Now, therefore, I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the power and authority conferred by the said Act, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto shall, on the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, be and be deemed to be Crown land subject to the provisions of "The Land for Settlements Act, 1894."

SCHEDULE.

ROIMATA SETTLEMENT.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, being part of Rural Section No. 37, situated in Christchurch Survey District, containing by admeasurement 49 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the north-east by Rural Section No. 20; towards the south-east by the road along the northern bank of the River Heathcote; towards the south-west by Rural Sections Nos. 96 and 89; and towards the west generally by the land owned by Mary Ann Whittington, by a line across Parkes Street, and again by land owned by Mary Ann Whittington.

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 issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this eighth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Setting apart Land in Southland for Leasing as a Small Grazing-run 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.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Wallace County, Centre Hill Survey District.

Run No.	Section.	Block.	Area.
39	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 11	IV.	A. R. P. 1,798 0 28

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 issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Road opened and Land taken for a Road in the Waipawa Survey District.

(L.S.) GLASGOW, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by section thirteen of "The Land Act, 1892," I, David, Earl of Glasgow, Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do by this notice hereby proclaim as open, the road, and as taken, the land, in the Waipawa Survey District mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

THE several parcels of land mentioned in list hereunder:—

Area.	Being Parts of Sections Nos.	Situated in Block No.	Shown on Plan marked	Coloured on Plan	Situated.
A. R. P. 21 3 16	{ 1 2	{ V. IX.	S.G. 26136	Pink	Waipawa Survey District.
21 1 4	{ 105 107 109	{ " XIII	S.G. 26136A	"	Ditto.

All in the Land District of Wellington; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plans marked S.G. 26136 and S.G. 26136A, deposited in the Head Office of the Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

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 issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Proclaiming the Taking of Roads through Private Lands in Wairoa Survey District.

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

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by section thirteen of "The Land Act, 1892," I, David, Earl of Glasgow, Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, with the consent of the owners and tenants of the lands hereinafter mentioned, and with the consent of the Okotuku Road Board, being the local authority in whose district the said lands are situated, do by this notice hereby proclaim as roads the lands in Okotuku Road District mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

The several parcels of land mentioned in list hereunder:—

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land taken.	Being Section or Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block No.	Shown on Plan marked	Coloured on Plan	Situated in the Survey District of
A. R. P. 0 1 12	462	II.	99/27	Pink	Wairoa.
4 3 20	463	"	99/27	"	"
0 0 0.2	7	"	99/27	"	"
0 0 35.4	6	"	99/27	"	"

All in the Land District of Wellington; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked 99/27P, deposited in the District Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Land District of Wellington, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

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 issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Lands taken for Te Roto Road, in Otaki Road District.

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

WHEREAS the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken, under "The Public Works Act, 1894," for a certain work, to wit, the construction of Te Roto Road, in Otaki Road District:

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

Now, therefore, I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities in me vested by "The Public Works Act, 1894," and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in that behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto are hereby taken for the purposes of the construction of the said road.

SCHEDULE.

The several parcels of land mentioned in list hereunder:—

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land to be taken.	Being Portion of	Block and Survey District.	Shown on Plan No.	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 1 10.2	Te Ngae	Block IX., Waitohu	S.G. 25297	Purple.
0 1 11.3	Te Roto No. 1 ..			Blue.
0 1 30.4	Totaranni No. 3 ..			Light brown.
0 1 28.9	Te Rahui			Pink.
0 0 8	Rahui Stream ..			Green.
0 1 9	Turangarahui 2b ..			Dark brown.
1 2 29	Otaki River-bed ..			Umber and dark green.
0 2 33.4	Turangarahui No. 1		Pink.	

All in the Wellington Land District; as the said parcels of land are more particularly delineated on the plan marked S.G. 25297, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

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 issued under the seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land set apart for Village Settlements in the Southland 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.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

District.	Section.	Block.	Area.
WALLACE COUNTY.			
Holmesdale Village	6	V.	A. R. P. 2 3 11
"	7	"	2 0 24
Fern Hill Village	2	II.	2 0 0
"	3	"	2 0 0
"	4	"	2 0 0
"	5	"	2 0 0
"	6	"	2 0 0
"	7	"	2 0 0
"	8	"	2 0 0
Morley Village	1	III.	6 0 5
SOUTHLAND COUNTY.			
Maitland Village, Chatton S.D.	{ 48	XXI.	7 2 28
	{ 49	"	9 1 2
Seaward Bush Township ..	{ 18	III.	5 0 0
	{ 19	"	5 0 0
Ackers Village, Invercargill Hundred	91	XX.	19 0 29

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 issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land set apart for Village Settlement in the Hawke's Bay 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 allotment of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby set apart and declared open for lease as a village homestead allotment.

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.

Survey District.	Section.	Block.	Area.
Woodville	8	VII.	A. R. P. 4 1 20

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 issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land set apart for Improved Farm Special Settlement, Taranaki 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 block of land described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby set apart and declared open for special settlement.

SCHEDULE.

NIHO-NIHO IMPROVED FARM SPECIAL SETTLEMENT.

ALL that area in the Taranaki Land District, containing by admeasurement 1,406 acres, more or less, situated in Ohura Survey District, being part of the Ratatomokia Block, and bounded towards the south-east by the Ohura River, and towards the south-west, north-west, and north-east by parts of the Ratatomokia Block; the said area being exclusive of roads and reserves: as the same is delineated upon the plan marked S.G. 22865, deposited in the Head Office of the Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon edged with red.

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

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Removal of Restrictions on Alienation of Native Land.

GLASGOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twelfth day of August, 1895.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

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

SCHEDULE.

FIRST COLUMN.	SECOND COLUMN.
Particulars of Grant or Instrument containing Restrictions.	Description of Land.

Crown grant, dated the 2nd February, 1885, in favour of Mangere, and containing the following restrictions: "Inalienable by sale, or by lease for a longer period than twenty-one years, or by mortgage, except with the consent of the Governor being previously obtained to every such sale, lease, or mortgage."

All that parcel of land, containing 12 acres 2 roods, and known as Section No. 81, Block VII., Waitara Survey District; and all that parcel of land, containing 37 acres 2 roods, known as Section No. 28, Block XI., Waitara Survey District.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Declaring a Government Road.

GLASGOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twelfth day of August, 1895.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by subsection two of the one hundred and second section of "The Public Works Act, 1894," it is enacted that the Governor in Council may declare that any road shall be a Government road, and such road shall become a Government road accordingly: Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by the above in part recited Act, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby declare that the road across the Tongaporutu River Ferry, with approaches thereto, as described in the Schedule hereto, is, from the day and date hereof, a Government road.

SCHEDULE.

THAT part of the Waitara-Awakino Road, known as the Tongaporutu Ferry, which crosses the Tongaporutu River, and the approaches thereto for a distance of 5 chains from both banks of the river; as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 26462, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon marked in red.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Regulations for the Issue of Totalisator Licenses.

GLASGOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twelfth day of August, 1895.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section six of "The Gaming Act, 1894" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is provided that it shall not be lawful for the Colonial Secretary to grant in any one year more than two-thirds of the number of the licenses authorising the use of the totalisator that were issued in the twelve months ending on the thirty-first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three; and by the said section it is further provided that the Governor in Council shall, in order to carry out the provisions of such section, make regulations for the issue of licenses, and for fixing the conditions on which such licenses shall be issued: And whereas the number of licenses authorising the use of the totalisator that were issued during the twelve months ending the thirty-first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three was two hundred and thirty-four, and no more: And whereas it is expedient to make regulations for the purposes aforesaid:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby make the regulations set forth in the Schedule hereto, and doth declare that such regulations shall come into force and take effect on the twelfth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

SCHEDULE.
REGULATIONS.

1. AFTER the 31st day of July, 1895, the number of licenses to use the totalisator that may be issued by the Colonial Secretary in any one year shall not exceed one hundred and fifty-six.
 2. Every application for a license as aforesaid shall be made in the Form No. 1 appended to these regulations, or in such other form as the Colonial Secretary may from time to time prescribe.
 3. Each application shall be accompanied by a programme of the proposed meeting, duly verified, together with a list of the members of the club, and a copy of the last balance-sheet of the club verified by the statutory declaration of the secretary, treasurer, or other the principal executive officer.
 4. The Colonial Secretary shall have power to refuse or withhold the granting of a license in any case.
- Subject as aforesaid, the provisions of "The Gaming and Lotteries Act, 1881," and its amendments shall apply to all licenses issued hereunder.

FORM No. 1.

Application for a License to use the Totalisator.

ON behalf of the Club, I, _____, secretary to the said club, hereby apply for a license to use the totalisator at a meeting to be held at _____ on the _____ day of _____, 189____. Annexed is a copy of the programme of the proposed meeting, a list of the present members of the club, and a copy of the last balance-sheet duly verified.

Secretary [Treasurer, or other principal Executive Officer].

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Delegating Powers under "The Cemeteries Act, 1882," to the Hutt County Council.

GLASGOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twelfth day of August, 1895.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN exercise and pursuance of the powers vested in him by "The Cemeteries Act 1882 Amendment Act, 1885," and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby delegate to "The Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the Hutt County" the powers conferred upon him by section six of "The Cemeteries Act, 1882," as to the appointment and removal of trustees for the cemetery described in the Schedule hereto; and doth declare that this Order in Council shall take effect as from the day of the date hereof.

SCHEDULE.

PORIRUA CEMETERY.

ALL that parcel of land in the Land District of Wellington, containing 3 acres, more or less, being part of Section No. 60, Block V., Belmont Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west and north-east by other parts of the said Section No. 60; towards the south-east by a public road; and towards the south-west by Section No. 57 of Block V.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

GLASGOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twelfth day of August, 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 Wellington, and known as the Nukumarū 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 Land District of Wellington, containing by admeasurement 1,220 acres, more or less, being Sections Nos. 63, 66, Block XIII., Nukumarū, and Sections Nos. 67, 71, 71A, Block XIV., Wairoa Survey Districts. Bounded on the north by Sections Nos. 70, 68, 65, 64; on the east by Section No. 62; on the south by the road reserve along the coast; and on the west by portion of Run No. 11, not included in a section, and by Section No. 72: as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the District Survey Office, Wellington.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

GLASGOW, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twelfth day of August, 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 a certain Order in Council, dated the twenty-third day of September, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, making delegation 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 piece or parcel 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 under-mentioned persons, who shall be known as the Waitaki North Domain Board, namely,—

GEORGE PARK,
DAVID RITCHIE,
WILLIAM JOSEPH WILLIAMS,
NICHOLAS O'TOOLE, and
EDWARD BUTT

(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 first Monday in each month, at eight o'clock p.m., at the Schoolhouse, Waitaki North, 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 second day of September, 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 first 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 parcel of land in the Land District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 57 acres, more or less, being Section No. 2915 (in red), formerly part of Reserve No. 642, situate in Block XIV., Waitaki Survey District. Bounded towards the north by Lots Nos. 101 and 102, subdivision of Reserve No. 642; towards the south-east by the road forming the south-west boundaries of Lots Nos. 105 and 106, subdivision of Reserve No. 642; towards the south-west by the road reserved along the River Waitaki; and towards the north-west by the road forming the south-east boundary of Lot No. 110, subdivision of Reserve No. 642: save and excepting thereout Reserve No. 2914, containing 5 acres, which is included within the above-described boundaries; as the same is delineated on the map deposited in the District Survey Office, Christchurch.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

GLASGOW, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twelfth day of August, 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 WAITOTARA COUNTY COUNCIL,

which shall be known as the Nukumar 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 first Monday in each month, at a quarter past eleven o'clock a.m., at the County Council Offices, Wanganui, 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 second day of September, 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 first 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 St. Andrew Domain Board under
"The Public Domains Act, 1881."*

GLASGOW, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twelfth day of August, 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 a certain Order in Council, dated the thirty-first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, making delegation 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 piece or parcel 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 under-mentioned persons, who shall be known as the St. Andrew Domain Board, namely,—

THOMAS TESCHEMAKER,
GEORGE LAURIE,
DAVID STOWELL,
GEORGE LYALL, and
ANDREW MARTIN

(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 first Monday in each month, at eight o'clock p.m., at the Masonic Hotel, St. Andrew, 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 second day of September, 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 second Tuesday 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 parcel of land situate near St. Andrew Railway-station, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, containing by admeasurement 24 acres and 12 perches, be the same more or less, and bounded as follows: On the west by a line fronting on a public road, commencing at the north-western corner of Rural Section No. 6230, bearing 2° 54', and running a distance of 2511 $\frac{1}{2}$ links; thence on the north and west by lines abutting on land in the occupation of the County Council of Waimate as a site for a public pound, respectively bearing 100° 5' for a distance of 300 links, and 10° 5' for a distance of 330 links; thence on the north by a line bearing 100° 5', for a distance of 736 $\frac{1}{2}$ links; thence on the east by a line abutting on the Railway Reserve, bearing 190° 5', for a distance of 2730 links; and thence on the south by a line abutting on Rural Section No. 6230, bearing 272° 54', for a distance of 729 links, to the commencing-point.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Declaring it Unlawful to take Oysters on Great Barrier Island.

GLASGOW, Governor.

WHEREAS it is provided by section fifteen of "The Sea-fisheries Act, 1894," that the Governor from time to time may declare any bay, estuary, or tidal waters in the colony to be an oyster-fishery under that Act, and may part the same into subdivisions by distinguishing marks, and prescribe the subdivisions thereof wherein it shall be lawful and unlawful respectively to take oysters:

And whereas by warrant under the hand of the Governor, dated the twenty-ninth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 25, of the fourth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, the Auckland Oyster-fishery was constituted, and parted into subdivisions, one of which was the Great Barrier Subdivision, in which it was declared lawful to take oysters:

And whereas it is desirable that it shall be declared unlawful to take oysters in the Great Barrier Subdivision aforesaid:

Now, therefore, I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the hereinbefore-recited power and authority, and of all other powers and authorities enabling me in that behalf, do hereby declare and prescribe that, on and after the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, it shall be unlawful to take oysters in the Great Barrier Subdivision of the Auckland Oyster-fishery.

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

W. P. REEVES.

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 sixteenth day of October, 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.

RURAL FIRST-CLASS LAND.

		A. R. P.			£ s. d.			s. d.			£ s. d.												
Southland	New River Hundred	23	XIX.	101	2	30	1	0	0	102	0	0	1	0	2	11	0	0	0	6	2	0	10
Level land, bush-clad, moderately dry; timber only fit for firewood; light soil. Distance, about four miles from Waimatuku Railway-station.																							
Wallace	Longwood ..	6	VIII.	51	0	4	1	10	0	76	10	9	1	6	1	18	3	1	2	4	1	10	7
Level land, poor soil, swampy; timber only fit for firewood. Distance, about half a mile from Wakapatu Railway-station. This section is burdened with valuation for improvements, consisting of fencing, £5.																							
Southland	Oteramika ..	88	I.	5	0	0	2	10	0	12	10	0	2	6	0	6	3	2	0	0	0	5	0
Level land, soil poor; timber only fit for firewood. About one mile from Mokotua Railway-station.																							

RURAL SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Wallace	Waiiau ..	90	..	319	2	8	0	10	0	160	0	0	0	6	4	0	0	0	4	8	3	4	0	
Open land, consisting of ridges. Distance, three miles from Waiiau River, same distance north of Eastern Bush. These sections are burdened with valuation for improvements—on Section 90, consisting of fencing, ploughing, clearing, surface-sowing, and hut, total £200; on Section 91, fencing, £50.																								
Wallace	Waiiau ..	91	..	268	3	22	0	10	0	134	10	0	0	6	3	7	3	0	4	8	2	13	10	
Open land, consisting of ridges and terraces; poor soil; vegetation, red tussock. Distance from Otatau Railway-station, about eight miles.																								
Wallace	Wairio ..	158	..	318	0	25	0	10	0	159	0	0	0	6	3	19	6	0	4	8	3	3	7	
Land ridgy, poor soil; partly sown down in English grasses. Distance, about five miles from Nightcaps Railway-station. This section is burdened with valuation for improvements, consisting of house, garden, and outbuildings, £100; fencing and ploughing, £28: total, £128.																								
Wallace	Lillburn ..	12	II.	473	0	0	1	0	4	481	17	4	1	0	22	12	1	0	0	9	78	9	12	9
About two-thirds of this section is open land with broken fern ridges, good soil, and well watered; the balance is covered with scrub and birch bush; height above sea-level, from 200ft. to 600ft. Distance from Otatau, about twenty-seven miles.																								

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

JOHN McKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Rural Lands in the Otago Land District open for Selection on Lease in Perpetuity.

GLASGOW, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by "The Land for Settlements Act, 1894," and 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 one hundred and thirty-sixth section is provided, do hereby declare that the rural lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall be open for selection on and after the tenth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, and that the said lands may be selected on lease in perpetuity, subject to the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892"; and I do hereby declare that the rentals at which the said lands shall be leased shall be those mentioned in the said Schedule hereto opposite the description of such lands respectively.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—WAITAKI COUNTY.—AWAMOKO SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 5 per Cent.	
			Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.
FIRST-CLASS LAND.				
72, 25	III.	A. R. P. 50 2 11	s. d. 4 0	£ s. d. 5 1 2
78	"	46 0 32	5 9	6 12 10
75	"	46 2 35	3 3	3 17 0
99	"	40 0 0	4 0	4 0 0
100	"	40 0 0	2 0	2 0 0
101	"	50 0 0	2 0	2 10 0
102	"	50 0 0	3 3	4 1 3

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

JOHN McKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Changing the Purpose of a Reserve in the Land District of Wellington.

GLASGOW, Governor.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto was heretofore duly reserved for municipal purposes, and is a reserve in Class I. of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," and such land has not been vested in trust in any society, body corporate, or trustees: And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient that the purpose of such reserve shall be appropriated to recreation:

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 9 acres 1 rood 20 perches, more or less, being Section 185 of the Suburbs of Parkville.

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

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Taonui Branch Railway.

GLASGOW, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the second section of "The Taonui Branch Railway Act, 1894," I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby declare the Taonui Branch line of railway from the main line of railway between Wanganui and Foxton, commencing at a point near the Taonui Siding of the main line, and passing along the road thence for a distance of about one hundred and fifty-five chains, to the road boundary of a Government land reserve, to be closed for public traffic; and do order and direct that the rails and other materials thereof shall be removed, and sold in such manner as secondhand rails and other materials as aforesaid are usually sold when not required for public use.

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

A. J. CADMAN,
Minister for Railways.

Deputy Registrar of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 8th August, 1895.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

THOMAS BENJAMIN SALMON

to be the Deputy of the Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the District of Picton.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Public Vaccinator, Patea District, appointed.

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

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

MATTHEW CAMPBELL, Esq., M.B. Bach. Surg. Univ. N.Z., to be a Public Vaccinator, under "The Public Health Act, 1876," for the District of Patea.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Officer under "The Fisheries Conservation Act, 1884," Wellington District, appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 14th August, 1895.

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

ALFRED BISH,

of Carterton, has been appointed an officer for the purposes of that Act within the Counties of Hutt, Horowhenua, Wairarapa North, Wairarapa South, Pahiatua, Oroua, Manawatu, KIWITEA, and Pohangina, and within all the town districts and boroughs situated within the said counties.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Inspectors of Factories appointed.

Department of Labour,
Wellington, 8th August, 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 district set opposite their names:—

Name.	District.
Constable WILLIAM KELLY	The North Island of the Colony of New Zealand, and the Islands adjacent thereto.
CUMBERLAND REID SCOTT	
MCDONNELL	

W. P. REEVES.

Notice to Mariners, No. 27 of 1895.

ALTERATION IN COLOUR OF LIGHT ON KOPU WHARF, THAMES RIVER.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 12th August, 1895.

REFERRING to Notice to Mariners, No. 18 of 1895, issued by this department on the 14th May last, the Thames Harbour Board have notified that on and after the 20th instant the green light exhibited on Kopu Wharf, Thames River, will be changed to a white light.

J. G. WARD.

Wharfinger appointed at Port Robinson.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 14th August, 1895.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased, in pursuance of the provisions of section 13 of "The Harbours Act, 1878," to appoint

JOHN SINCLAIR

to be Wharfinger for the wharf and landing-place at Port Robinson.

J. G. WARD.

Approval of By-laws as passed by the Stratford County Council.

PURSUANT to the authority contained in the 130th section of "The Public Works Act, 1894," I, John McKenzie, Minister of Lands, do hereby approve of the within-written by-laws made by the County Council of the County of Stratford.

Given under my hand, this seventh day of August, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

BY-LAWS OF THE STRATFORD COUNTY COUNCIL.

At a special meeting held on the 23rd instant a resolution was passed instituting a special order making the following by-laws:—

(Made pursuant to "The Public Works Act, 1894.")

1. No person shall, from the 1st day of May to the 30th day of September, inclusive, in any year, use any metalled or gravelled county road within the Stratford County by the traction thereon by means of bullocks of any vehicle, unless such vehicle shall be licensed for the year in which it shall be so used in manner hereinafter appearing. The annual fee payable in respect of every such vehicle shall, if the tire of any wheel is not less than 8in., be 10s., and shall otherwise be £25. The Clerk to the Stratford County Council shall, upon application of the owner of any such vehicle and upon payment of the fee above specified, issue to such owner a license, and also a docket marked with the year of issue, and marked with the letter "A" if the fee be 10s., and with the letter "B" if the fee be £25. The owner shall affix such docket to the rear side of the vehicle in a conspicuous place, and shall keep the same so affixed until the end of the month of September following. If any duly-licensed vehicle be destroyed or unfit for use, the owner may, with the previous consent in writing of the said Clerk, detach such docket and affix it to another vehicle of the like description, which shall thereafter be deemed the licensed vehicle. No person shall deface or tamper with any such docket, or, except as aforesaid, remove the same, during the months aforesaid of the year in which it shall have been issued.

2. The traction of any vehicle or thing by means of bullocks on the Toko and Ohura County roads within the Stratford County shall cease during the whole of the months of May, June, July, August, and September in every year, and no person shall use either of the said roads during any of the said months by the traction thereon of any vehicle or thing by means of bullocks.

3. No person shall use any metalled county road in the Stratford County by the traction thereon of a junker (being a two-wheeled vehicle whereon logs or unsawn timber is usually carried) unless the tire of each wheel thereof shall be at least 12in. in width.

4. No person shall use any metalled county road in the Stratford County by the traction thereon of a wagon carrying logs or unsawn timber unless the tire of each wheel thereof shall be at least 6in. in width.

5. No person shall use any metalled county road in the Stratford County by the traction thereon of a wagon carrying sawn timber, and commonly used for such purpose, unless the tire of each wheel thereof shall be at least 5in. in width.

6. No person shall use any metalled county road in the Stratford County by the traction thereon of any dray carrying timber, iron, stones, earth, or other heavy material, unless the tire of each wheel thereof shall be at least 4in. in width if the dray is drawn by not more than two horses or four bullocks, and 5in. in width if drawn by more than two horses or four bullocks.

7. No person shall use any metalled county road in the Stratford County by the traction thereon of any light dray, carrying produce or stores such as are usually carried by light drays used by farmers, unless the tire of each wheel thereof shall be at least 2½in. in width if the dray is drawn by one horse, and 3in. if drawn by more than one horse.

8. No person shall use any metalled county road in the Stratford County by the traction thereon of any light four-wheeled vehicles with springs carrying milk, stores, or produce, unless the tire of each wheel thereof shall be at least 1½in. in width if drawn by not more than two horses, and 2in. if drawn by more than two horses.

9. No person shall use any metalled county road in the Stratford County by the traction thereon of any light two-wheeled vehicle with springs carrying milk, stores, or produce, unless the tire of each wheel thereof shall be at least 1½in. in width if drawn by not more than one horse, and 2in. if drawn by more than one horse.

10. 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 not exceeding £5.

The resolution instituting the said special order will be confirmed at a meeting to be held on the 26th day of June, 1895.

The said special order and the by-laws thereby made shall come into force on the twenty-first day after the date of issue of the number of the *New Zealand Gazette* containing the notification of the Minister of Lands' approval of the said by-laws.

WM. MONKHOUSE,
Chairman.

Dated 28th May, 1895.

RESOLUTION PASSED ON 23RD MAY, 1895, CONFIRMED.

That the resolution instituted at a special meeting held on the 23rd day of May last, making by special order by-laws in respect of all metalled or gravelled roads under the care, control, or management of this Council, be now confirmed.

W. G. MALONE,
Clerk.

Dated 26th June, 1895.

Notice of the Laying-off of a Road over Native Lands in the Auckland Land District.

NOTICE is hereby given, by direction of His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, under the authority of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," that the road described in the Schedule hereto was, in October, 1894, duly taken and laid off through the lands specified in the said Schedule, under the authority of the Governor of the said colony, by warrant dated the 20th May, 1892.

SCHEDULE.

ROAD THROUGH TAHAROA BLOCK.

ALL that parcel of land in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 95 acres 2 roods, more or less, situate in the Marakopa and Albatross Survey Districts, and being a road-line of a width not less than 100 links, traversing the Taharoa Block, No. 6206, the centre-line of which commences at a point on the southern boundary of the Taharoa Block at a distance of 1711 links, more or less, to the westward of a point called or known by the name of Oróre, and proceeds north-easterly generally for a distance of 95450 links, more or less, to a point in Kawhia Harbour at a distance of 800 links, more or less, to the eastward of the mouth of the Opango Creek; as the same is delineated on maps No. 6475, Nos. 1 to 6, both inclusive, deposited in the office of the Lands and Survey Department, at Auckland, in the Auckland Land District, and thereon coloured brown.

Dated this 10th day of August, 1895.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Bonus for the Manufacture of Potassium Cyanide.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

J. G. WARD.

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

To the owner or owners of a parcel of land, containing 2 acres, more or less, being Sections Nos. 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 20, 21, and 22, Block V., on the map of the Borough of Hampden, in the Provincial District of Otago, of which the owner is the unknown heir of Harriet Harrall Watkins, spinster, who died at Sydney about 16th March, 1888, the said land being devised to such heir by the will of her father, Thomas Harrall Watkins, late of Moeraki, butcher, who died about 14th August, 1885.

WHEREAS the Public Trustee has instituted inquiries, and has not thereby ascertained who the owner or owners of the above-described land is or are, and believes that such owner is, or owners are, not in the colony:

Now, this notice calls upon such owner or owners, within six months of the date of the publication of this notice in this *Gazette*, to establish to the satisfaction of the Public Trustee his or their title to the land specified in this notice; and if such owner does, or owners do, not, within the time limited, so establish his or their title, the Public Trustee will exercise the powers and authorities granted to him in and by "The Unclaimed Lands Act, 1894."

Dated this 12th day of August, 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.

Leases and Licenses forfeited and surrendered in Southland.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 1st August, 1895.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned leases and licenses were forfeited or the surrender accepted by the Southland Land Board on the dates undernoted.

SCHEDULE.
PERPETUAL LEASES.

SECTION 778, Hokonui District: Held by A. Tereson; forfeited 29th January, 1895.

Sections 296 to 298, Taringatura District: Held by James Grant; forfeited 29th January, 1895.

Sections 1 and 3, Block IX., Mokoreta District: Held by John King; forfeited 29th January, 1895.

Section 15, Block X., Toe Toes District: Held by William Leith; forfeited 29th January, 1895.

Section 765, Hokonui District: Held by Martin Connor; forfeited 23rd April, 1895.

Section 730, Hokonui District: Held by James Riley; forfeited 9th April, 1895.

Section 22, Block VIII., Wendonside District: Held by John Hall; forfeited 9th October, 1894.

LEASE IN PERPETUITY.

Section 5, Block XIV., Mokoreta District, and Sections 3 and 10, Block VI., Waikawa District: Held by Joseph Burrell; surrendered 23rd April, 1895.

Sections 12 and 24, Block III., Seaward Bush Township: Held by Rose Birchall; surrendered 14th May, 1895.

Sections 13 and 14, Block III., Seaward Bush Township: Held by James Murdoch; surrendered 14th May, 1895.

Section 1, Block III., Seaward Bush Township: Held by Edmund Webber; surrendered 14th May, 1895.

Sections 2 and 3, Block III., Seaward Bush Township: Held by Kate Blance Webber; surrendered 14th May, 1895.

Section 108, Waiau District: Held by Henry Brown; forfeited 14th May, 1895.

Sections 53 to 56, Block V., Longwood District: Held by Edward Charles Roberts; surrendered 28th May, 1895.

OCCUPATION WITH RIGHT OF PURCHASE.

Section 77, Wairaki: Held by Daniel O'Brien; forfeited 23rd April, 1895.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Sale of Crown Lands, Moturoa, Taranaki Land District.

Lands and Survey Office,
New Plymouth, 27th July, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned land will be offered for sale by public auction, at this office, on Wednesday, 28th August, 1895, at noon. It shall be a condition of sale that the purchaser shall within twelve months from date of sale erect on the ground buildings of a permanent nature and to a value of £2,000, to be used for freezing-works purposes only.

Description of Land to be sold.—A parcel of land at Moturoa, on the sea side of the railway-line, being portion of the Central Prison Reserve site, containing about 2 acres. Upset price, £80 per acre.

Conditions of Sale.—One-fifth of the purchase-money to be paid on the fall of the hammer; the balance, together with Crown-grant fee of £1, to be paid to the Receiver of Land Revenue within thirty days from date of sale, otherwise the deposit to be forfeited.

JOHN STRAUCHON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Sale of Land in Bunnythorpe Village Settlement.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 7th August, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of "The Land Act, 1892," that the under-mentioned forfeited village-settlement section will be offered by public auction, at the upset price noted opposite thereto, at the Assembly Rooms, Feilding, on Tuesday, the 15th day of October, 1895, at noon.

SCHEDULE.

Section.	District.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.			Upset Price per Allotment.		
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1401, 1403, 1405	Bunnythorpe Village Settlement	3	10	0	0	30	0	0

TERMS OF SALE.

One-fifth of the purchase-money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the balance, together with £1 Crown-grant fee, within thirty days thereafter; otherwise the part of the purchase-money paid by way of deposit shall be forfeited, and the contract for the sale of the land be null and void. There are no restrictions or limitations imposed upon the purchaser of this section.

JOHN H. BAKER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Public Reserves, Wellington, for Lease by Public Auction

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 7th August, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given that the leases of the under-mentioned sections will be submitted to public auction, at the Assembly Rooms, Feilding, on Tuesday, the 15th October, 1895, at noon.

SCHEDULE.

Section.	Block.	District.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.					
				£	s.	d.			
11	XIII.	Ongo	A. R. P.	36	0	0	4	10	0
Term, fourteen years. Subject to a right of way to any portion of the Rangitikei River-bed to which the ford may be shifted by floods.									
41a	XI.	Apiti	40	2	0	2	10	0	
Term, ten years.									
1826	..	Bunnythorpe ..	1	1	14	0	10	0	
1260	..	Bunnythorpe ..	1	0	24	0	10	0	
105	..	Apiti Township ..	0	1	0	0	10	0	
Term, from year to year.									
107	XIV.	Apiti	18	2	0	0	1	0	
Term, fourteen years.									

TERMS OF SALE.

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

The terms of the leases will be as stated above.

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

JOHN H. BAKER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Sale of Pastoral Run No. 121, Craigieburn Station, Selwyn County.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Christchurch, 22nd July, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given that the pastoral lease of the under-mentioned run will be offered for sale by public auction, at this office, on Wednesday, the 28th August, at 12 o'clock noon:—

Run No. 121, Craigieburn Station, Selwyn County: About 50,000 acres; term of lease, eight years and eight months, fixed tenure, from the 1st September, 1895; upset rental, £1,160 per annum.

The lease, all costs whereof shall be borne by the purchaser, will be from the Canterbury College. The lease shall be subject to the right of the Canterbury College or the Crown to dispose of the freehold of the whole of the run, or any part thereof, by way of sale. Provision is made in the memorandum of lease to meet this contingency. The rent will be payable half-yearly, on the 1st days of March and September in each year, six months' rent being paid on the fall of the hammer. Possession will be given on the 1st September, 1895. Plans and full particulars as to terms of lease may be obtained at this office, or from the Registrar of Canterbury College.

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

Native Land Court Notices.

Application for Probate.

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

In the matter of the will of KARARAINA HOBOPAPERA, of Taranaki, deceased.

A PPLICATION having been made by Te Ra Hakopa Horopapera that probate be granted of the aforesaid will:

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

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,
Registrar.

"The Native Land Court Act, 1894."

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 9th August, 1895.

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

JAS. W. BROWNE, Registrar.

[Auckland, 95-56.]

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	Transfer (C.A. 95-83) ..	31st July, 1895	Lot 45, Parish of Pepepe	Hunia te Ihu to Louisa Jane Harris.
2	Conveyance (C.A. 95-85) ..	28th December, 1886	Lot 113, Waiuku West	Henare Kaihau to William Bailey.
3	Conveyance (C.A. 95-86) ..	28th December, 1886	Lot 118, Parish of Waiuku West	Kapuanui to William Bailey.
4	Lease (C.A. 95-87) ..	3rd August, 1895	Parts of Lots 14 and 15 of Section 2, Town of Raglan	William Barlow to Louis Ehrenfried.
5	Mortgage (C.A. 95-88) ..	22nd June, 1895	Lots 152, 155, 158, and 82, Parish of Pepepe	Wiremu Rewharewha to Robert Henry Patterson.

"The Native Land Court Act, 1894."

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 6th August, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Whangarei on the 24th day of August, 1895, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

JAS. W. BROWNE, Registrar.

[Auckland, 95-55.]

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS.

No.	Name of Surveyor.	Name of Land.	Area.	Amount.
1	Hugh Munro Wilson	Pukepoto C5B	A. R. P. 122 0 0	£ s. d. 10 0 0
2	Hugh Munro Wilson	Pukepoto C5c	118 2 11	10 0 0
3	Hugh Munro Wilson	Pukepoto C5D	118 1 0	10 0 0
4	Hugh Munro Wilson	Pukepoto C5E	117 3 0	10 0 0
5	Hugh Munro Wilson	Te Hihii	25 2 32	6 0 0
6	Hugh Munro Wilson	Ngararatunua A	14 0 0	4 0 0
7	Hugh Munro Wilson	Ngararatunua B	12 0 0	3 0 0
8	Hugh Munro Wilson	Ngararatunua C	38 0 0	6 0 0
9	Hugh Munro Wilson	Ngararatunua D	71 0 0	8 0 0
10	Hugh Munro Wilson	Panekuri	116 3 8	17 16 0
11	Hugh Munro Wilson	Pukemiro No. 2	110 0 0	12 0 0
12	Hugh Munro Wilson	Whatitiri	21,365 0 0	441 7 7

"The Native Land Court Act, 1894."

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 2nd August, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Whangarei on the 17th day of August, 1895, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

JAS. W. BROWNE, Registrar.

[Auckland, 95-54.]

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS.

No.	Name of Surveyor.	Name of Land.	Area.	Amount.
72	The Commissioner of Crown Lands, Auckland (348-1, 3/83)	Puketaha	A. R. P. 13 1 12	£ s. d. 1 1 0
73	The Commissioner of Crown Lands, Auckland (475-1, 3/83)	Pukekauri	292 0 0	32 12 0
74	The Commissioner of Crown Lands, Auckland (500-3, 3/83)	Parakiore No. 2	86 0 0	1 1 0
75	The Commissioner of Crown Lands, Auckland (220-1, 3/84)	Rehuotane	730 0 0	36 10 0
76	The Commissioner of Crown Lands, Auckland (347-2, 3/84)	Taiharuru	425 0 0	31 17 0
77	The Commissioner of Crown Lands, Auckland (563-2, 3/85)	Toetoe No. 2	35 0 0	1 11 6
78	The Commissioner of Crown Lands, Auckland (772-2, 3/85)	Toetoe No. 4	39 0 0	1 11 6
79	The Commissioner of Crown Lands, Auckland (499-1, 3/85)	Tuaramiia	506 0 0	2 2 0
80	The Commissioner of Crown Lands, Auckland	Pokapu N.R.	421 2 0	22 10 0
81	Frank John Hosking (641-18, 3/87)	Opanaki No. 2M	3,718 1 34	6 15 9

APPLICATION FOR DETERMINATION OF RELATIVE INTERESTS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
82	Wiremu te Hau, Pouritanga Te Hau Waata, Tamati Pohe ..	Opanake No. 2m.

"The Native Land Court Act, 1894."

REGISTRAR'S OFFICE, GISBORNE, 6th August, 1895.
 NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Gisborne on the 16th day of September, 1895, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

JOHN BROOKING, Registrar.

[Gisborne, 95-24.]

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PROBATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.	Name of Person by whom caveat lodged.
1	Ereatara Rangiwhaitiri	Miriama Kuhukuhu ..	Hoani Matiaha.
2	Maata Kirinini and Maraea Kiwi	Ihakara Waipakiaka ..	Apikara Taruhae.

APPLICATIONS FOR PROBATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased Person.
1	Pene Heihi	Epeniha Hokeke.
2	Hemi Ngarangikatuku and Hemi Kiti Mokena	Keita Pongarau.
3	Hera Kaninamu	Ani Patene.

ADJOURNED CLAIMS.

PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1	The Bank of New South Wales, by its solicitor and agent, F. W. Skeet (15-1, 93/1665)	Pouawa No. 2H.
2	Hirini te Kani, Hone Takina, and others (15-25, 93/1800)	Pouawa No. 3D.
3	Mihi Hetekia (15-26, 93/1801)	Waimata South No. 2.
4	Henare Potae (94-985, 15/136)	Kaiti, Section 332.
5	Pimia Aata and Mere Hare (94-187, 15/45)	Te Kowhai.
6	Noa Whakaatere (92-160, 13/191)	Tahoka A.
7	Mere Hare, Pimia Aata, and others (94-397, 15/98)	Toreohau.
8	M. A. Skipworth (94-1155, 15/151)	Tahoka B.
9	W. H. Tucker (94-1151, 15/147)	Waiohiorore.
10	W. H. Tucker (94-1152, 15/148)	Matokitoki or Whataupoko No. 5A.
11	W. H. Tucker (94-1153, 15/149)	Waikanae Nos. 1 and 2.
12	W. H. Tucker (94-1154, 15/150)	Tahoka A, B, and C.

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS.

No.	Name of Surveyor.	Name of Land.	Amount.
1	Alfred Teesdale	Tokomaru No. 1	£ s. d.
2	Alfred Teesdale	Tokomaru No. 2	12 12 6
3	Alfred Teesdale	Tokomaru No. 3	24 14 2
4	Alfred Teesdale	Tokomaru No. 4	15 13 2
		Mangatu No. 2D	7 0 2
		Mangatu No. 2J	
5	J. O. Barnard	Mangatu No. 2M	
		Mangatu No. 2P	130 12 0
		Mangatu No. 2C	

"The Native Land Court Act, 1894."

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 7th August, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Whanganui on the 10th day of September, 1895, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON, Registrar.

[Wellington, 95-54.]

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
528	Lease (95-192)	27th June, 1895	Otahakino, part of Kai Iwi Native Reserve	Toko Reihana to Joseph Edward Nathan.
529	Conveyance (95-198)	26th July, 1893	Otamoa No. 2B	Aperahama Tahuniarangi and others to Elizabeth Collins.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
533	Raumaewa te Rango and others (Na. 379-19)	Awarua No. 4.
534	Raumaewa te Rango and others (Na. 51-15)	Oruamatua No. 2.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 38 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894," TO RECTIFY AN ERROR IN THE PARTITION ORDER OF THE COURT.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
626	Te Wai Rangitahua, Te Puata Erana, Tiaki Erana, and Ani Erana (O. 446-15)	Taonui-Ahuaturanga 6E3, Section 2.

APPLICATION TO DETERMINE RELATIVE INTERESTS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
628	Raumaewa te Rango and others (Na. 394-15)	Motukawa No. 2.

REMOVAL OF RESTRICTIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
629	Apera te Paea and others (Wh. 92-186)	Mangawhero West.

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount.
632	The Commissioner of Crown Lands	Ahuahu	£ s. d. 291 13 4
633	The Commissioner of Crown Lands	Oahurangi	33 2 2
634	The Commissioner of Crown Lands	Pohonuiatane 2c	2 17 6
635	The Commissioner of Crown Lands	Pohonuiatane 3B	33 5 2
636	The Commissioner of Crown Lands	Pohonuiatane 3D	57 8 9
637	The Commissioner of Crown Lands	Parapara No. 2	224 8 0
638	The Commissioner of Crown Lands	Ruanui No. 3	13 8 8
639	The Commissioner of Crown Lands	Tauakira	15 0 0
640	The Commissioner of Crown Lands	Tauakira	708 2 6
641	The Commissioner of Crown Lands	Wharepu	34 4 2
642	The Commissioner of Crown Lands	Maraetaua	12 10 0
643	The Commissioner of Crown Lands	Maraetaua	226 12 0
644	The Commissioner of Crown Lands	Ohoutu	15 0 0
645	The Commissioner of Crown Lands	Taonui	10 0 0
646	The Commissioner of Crown Lands	Taonui	117 8 6

"The Native Land Court Act, 1894."

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 12th August, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Wellington on the 31st day of August, 1895, to hear and determine the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON, Registrar.

[Wellington, 95-55.]

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
561	Transfer (95-199) ..	20th July, 1895	Pahaoa No. 2 ..	Ahinata Rehu to William McLaren.
562	Lease (95-200) ..	23rd September, 1893	Te Ikaarua ..	Wi te Natanahira and others to Duncan McMaster and another.
563	Lease (95-201) ..	20th December, 1894	Awhea, Section 73 (Whakapuni)	Heni te Apatu and others to John McLeod.
564	Lease (95-202) ..	26th October, 1894	Pahaoa No. 7 ..	Purakau Maika and others to William McLaren.
565	Lease (95-203) ..	20th December, 1893	Tauanui ..	Piripi te Maari and others to Henry Thomas Hume and others.
566	Lease (95-204) ..	6th October, 1894	Manachawea No. 3 ..	Makere Waito and another to Annie Eliza Oates.
567	Transfer (95-205) ..	12th December, 1894	Weraawhaitiri No. 5 ..	Ngairo Rakaihikuroa to James Cooper.
568	Transfer (95-206) ..	18th December, 1883	Weraawhaitiri No. 5 ..	Kerahoma te Raro to James Cooper.
569	Lease (95-207) ..	7th April, 1894	Tahuroa ..	Henare Tamahau Mahupuku and others to Peter Lee McLaren.
570	Lease (95-208) ..	4th February, 1892	Awaawaroa No. 1, Sub-division No. 3	Enoka, Taitea and another to Alexander McKenzie.

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

WHEREAS Alfred Joshua Thorp, of Paeroa, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Owharoa 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 Auckland 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 Supreme Court Buildings, at Auckland, on the 26th day of August, 1895, at 10 a.m.

Dated at Auckland, this 8th day of August, 1895.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS the Kauri Timber Company (Limited), claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Te Wairoa 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 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 Auckland 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 Supreme Court Buildings, at Auckland, on the 26th day of August, 1895, at 10 a.m.

Dated at Auckland, this 8th day of August, 1895.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS Hugh Owen, of Nelson, and Arthur Owen, of New Plymouth, persons claiming to have leased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Mangaawakino 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 New Plymouth 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 New Plymouth, on the 11th day of September, 1895, at 10 a.m.

Dated at Auckland, this 9th day of August, 1895.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS James Nelson Williams, of Frimley, Hawke's Bay, 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, Gisborne, on the 16th day of September, 1895, at 10 a.m.

Dated at Gisborne, this 6th day of August, 1895.

JOHN BROOKING,
Registrar.

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

WHEREAS H. T. Flyger, of Palmerston North, a person claiming to have purchased from certain of the Native owners shares or interests in the Taonui-Ahuaturangi Block, Subdivision D, 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 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, Palmerston North, on the 13th day of September, 1895, at 10 a.m.

Dated at Wellington, this 13th day of August, 1895.

H. DUNBAR JOHNSON,
Registrar.

Vital Statistics, July, 1895.

REGISTRAR-GENERAL'S Report on the Vital Statistics of the Principal Towns of New Zealand during the Month of July, 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 July, 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 JULY, 1895.									Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, July, 1895.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population in the Year 1894.
				Males.			Females.			Total Deaths.				
				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	82	2	1	20	6	..	7	36	1.14	15.41		
Birkenhead		663	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	22.86
Devonport		2,818	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10.87
Newmarket		1,606	7	..	..	1	..	..	1	2	1.25	10.82
Newton		2,394	3	..	..	2	..	..	1	3	1.25	6.01
Parnell		3,781	7	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	0.26	10.54
Other suburbs		*	
Totals Auckland and suburban boroughs	..	42,718	106	2	1	23	6	..	10	42	0.98	14.11		
Wellington	34,190	35,068	91	3	3	10	1	..	12	29	0.83	11.82		
Karori		875	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3.61
Melrose		1,561	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8.76
Onslow		1,206	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8.72
Totals Wellington and suburbs	..	38,710	100	3	3	10	1	..	12	29	0.75	11.43		
Christchurch	47,846	17,545	31	2	1	8	2	..	7	20	1.14	10.55		
Linwood		6,026	10	1	..	..	2	..	3	6	1.00	10.02
St. Albans		5,750	7	1	..	1	..	..	2	4	0.70	9.62
Sydenham		10,630	15	..	..	1	1	..	2	4	0.38	10.47
Woolston		2,260	4	1	..	1	1	..	2	5	2.21	7.82		
Other suburbs		*	
Totals Christchurch and suburban boroughs	..	42,211	67	5	1	11	6	..	16	39	0.92	10.19		
Dunedin	45,981	23,787	45	2	1	7	..	..	11	21	0.88	11.38
Caversham		4,825	10	..	..	3	..	..	..	3	0.62	14.18
Maori Hill		1,463	8	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	0.68	8.23
Mornington		3,937	4	..	..	1	..	..	1	2	0.51	8.48
North-east Valley		3,621	14	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	0.28	9.08
Roslyn		4,013	13	1	..	1	..	..	1	3	0.75	5.98
St. Kilda		1,241	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6.56
South Dunedin		4,662	8	..	..	3	..	..	1	4	0.86	8.89
West Harbour		1,442	2	..	..	1	..	..	1	2	1.39	4.95
Totals Dunedin and suburbs	..	48,991	104	3	1	18	..	..	15	37	0.76	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 have been omitted, except where deceased had resided before admission in one or other of the above boroughs, in which case the death is counted against the borough of residence.

The total births in the above boroughs amounted to 377, against 320 in June, an increase of 57. The deaths in July were 147, a decrease of 6 on the number in June. Of the total deaths, males contributed 81, females 66. Thirty-two of the deaths were of children under 5 years of age, being 21.77 per cent. of the whole number; 26 of these were under 1 year of age. There were 34 deaths of persons of 65 years and upwards: Twelve men of 66, 67, 68, 69, 71, 73, 76 (two), 79 (two), 83, and 96 died at Auckland; two men of 68 and 71, and three women of 65, 77, and 86, at Wellington; three men of 70, 72, and 84, and five women of 68, 75, 79, 83, and 86, at Christchurch; six men of 68 (three), 72, and 79 (two), and three women of 65, 68, and 71, 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 July, 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	1	2	1	4	10	6.80
II.	Parasitic Diseases	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
III.	Dietetic Diseases	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	0.68
IV.	Constitutional Diseases	1	8	1	3	4	10	..	12	39	26.53
V.	Developmental Diseases	1	2	..	..	1	2	2	..	8	5.44
VI.	Local Diseases	5	22	6	15	4	13	1	16	82	55.79
VII.	Violence	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	4	2.72
VIII.	Ill-defined and Not-specified Causes	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	3	2.04
	Totals	9	33	7	22	12	27	4	33	147	100.00

	AUCKLAND AND SUBURBAN BOROUGH.		WELLINGTON AND SUBURBAN BOROUGH.		CHRISTCHURCH AND SUBURBAN BOROUGH.		DUNEDIN AND SUBURBAN BOROUGH.		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.	
CLASS I.—SPECIFIC FEBRILE OR ZYMOTIC DISEASES.									
ORDER 1:—									
<i>Miasmatic,—</i>									
Influenza	1	..	1	2	4
Typhoid Fever	1	..	1	..	..	2
ORDER 2:—									
<i>Diarrhoeal,—</i>									
Diarrhoea	1	1
ORDER 5:—									
<i>Venereal,—</i>									
Syphilis	1	..	..	..	..	1
ORDER 6:—									
<i>Septic,—</i>									
Septic Peritonitis	1	..	..	1
Puerperal Septicæmia	1	1
CLASS III.—DIETETIC DISEASES.									
Alcoholism	1	..	..	..	..	1
CLASS IV.—CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES.									
Rheumatic Fever	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Cancer	4	..	..	..	5	..	5	14
Tabes Mesenterica	2	..	..	..	2
Tubercular Meningitis	1	..	1	..	..	2	4
Phthisis	4	..	2	..	5	..	5	16
Tuberculosis	1	1	..	..	..	2
CLASS V.—DEVELOPMENTAL DISEASES.									
Premature Birth	1	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	4
Old Age	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	4
CLASS VI.—LOCAL DISEASES.									
ORDER 1:—									
<i>Diseases of Nervous System,—</i>									
Meningitis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Apoplexy	1	..	1	..	2	..	1	5
Softening of Brain	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Disease of Brain	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Paralysis	1	..	1	..	1	3
Insanity	1	..	..	..	..	1
Epilepsy	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	4
Convulsions	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	3
Trismus Nascentium	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Locomotor Ataxy	1	1
ORDER 3:—									
<i>Diseases of Circulatory System,—</i>									
Heart-disease	2	..	1	..	5	..	3	11
Pericarditis	1	..	..	1
Fatty Heart	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Angina Pectoris	1	..	..	..	..	1
Failure of Heart	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	4
ORDER 4:—									
<i>Diseases of Respiratory System,—</i>									
Laryngitis	2	..	..	..	..	..	2
Croup	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Bronchitis	3	5	3	1	..	..	1	..	13
Pneumonia	2	..	2	1	1	..	3	9
Pulmonary Apoplexy	1	..	..	1
ORDER 5:—									
<i>Diseases of Digestive System,—</i>									
Enteritis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Obstruction of Bowels	2	2
Cirrhosis of Liver	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	4
Enlargement of Liver	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Abscess of Liver	1	..	..	..	..	1
Congestion of Liver	1	..	..	..	1

	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.		
CLASS VI.—continued.										
ORDER 6:—										
<i>Diseases of Lymphatic System,—</i>										
Lymphadenoma .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Addison's Disease .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
ORDER 7:—										
<i>Diseases of Urinary System,—</i>										
Kidney-disease .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
ORDER 8:—										
<i>Diseases of Reproductive System,—</i>										
Iliac Abscess .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Flooding .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Embolism after Childbirth .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	2
CLASS VII.—VIOLENCE.										
ORDER 1:—										
<i>Accident or Negligence,—</i>										
Burn .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Shock .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Exposure	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
ORDER 3:—										
<i>Suicide,—</i>										
By Poison .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
CLASS VIII.—ILL-DEFINED AND NOT-SPECIFIED CAUSES.										
Marasmus, &c.	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	3
Totals	9	33	7	22	12	27	4	33	147	

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 all four centres. The rates for July are,—

	Death-rate per 1,000 of Population.
Auckland City	1.14
and five suburban boroughs	0.98
Wellington City	0.83
and three suburban boroughs	0.75
Christchurch City	1.14
and four suburban boroughs	0.92
Dunedin City	0.88
and eight suburban boroughs	0.76

Including suburbs, the rates at Auckland and Christchurch are the highest, and that of Wellington the lowest.

Specific Febrile and Zymotic Diseases.—The mortality from this class of disease in the four boroughs and their suburbs during July was limited to 10 deaths, 4 of which were from influenza—1 at Christchurch and 3 at Dunedin. Typhoid fever caused 2 deaths—1 at Wellington and 1 at Christchurch. The remaining deaths were—1 from diarrhoeal disease, 1 from syphilis, 1 from septic peritonitis, and 1 from puerperal septicaemia. Zymotic diseases comprised in July 6.80 per cent. of the total deaths from all causes, against 11.77 per cent. in June, 9.04 in May, 13.34 in April, 15.11 in March, and 24.66 in February.

Constitutional Diseases.—The deaths rose from 33 in June to 39 in July. From tubercular diseases the mortality was high last month, amounting to 24 deaths altogether, of which 16 were from phthisis. Deaths from cancer numbered 14.

Local Diseases.—Against 73 deaths in June, or 47.71 per cent. of deaths from all causes, the mortality for last month shows an increase to 82 deaths, or 55.79 per cent. Of the deaths in July, 26 were from diseases of the respiratory system (bronchitis, pneumonia, &c.): 11 at Auckland, 8 at Wellington, 3 at Christchurch, and 4 at Dunedin. Eighteen deaths were from diseases of the circulatory system, 10 from diseases of the digestive system (7 of which were complaints of the liver), 2 from diseases of the lymphatic system, 1 from kidney-disease, and 4 from diseases of the reproductive system.

Violent Deaths.—Of these, 3 were accidental and 1 a case of suicide: a girl of eight years was accidentally burned, a youth of fourteen died of shock to the heart from accident, a female child was found dead and exposed, and a labourer poisoned himself while temporarily insane.

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.		Diarrhical Diseases.		Bronchitis.		Pleurisy.		Pneumonia.		Congestion of Lungs.	
	July	June	July	June	July	June	July	June	July	June	July	June	July	June	July	June	July	June	July	June
Auckland and suburban boroughs	3	..	..	..	..	8	6	..	..	2	..	..	1
Wellington and suburban boroughs	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	4	1	..	..	2	1	..	..
Christchurch and suburban boroughs	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	..	1
Dunedin and suburban boroughs	1	1	1	4	..	1	3	4	..	1
Totals	2	1	..	5	..	..	1	1	13	11	..	1	9	7	..	3

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 8th August, 1895.

E. J. VON DADELSZEN,
Registrar-General.

PROVISIONAL METEOROLOGICAL RETURN FOR JULY, 1895.

	AUCKLAND.	WELLINGTON.	LINCOLN, CANTERBURY.	DUNEDIN.
Mean Temperature in shade for month*	48.5	44.7	40.1	41.8
Average same month previous years*...	52.2	47.6	42.5	42.7
Maximum Temperature in shade, and date*	58.0 on 19th	57.3 on 16th	56.2 on 28th	55.0 on 28th
Minimum Temperature in shade, and date*	37.0 on 21st	32.0 on 13th, 26th	27.4 on 18th	28.0 on 29th
Maximum Solar Radiation, and date* ..	114.0 on 14th	105.0 on 6th	94.6 on 26th	90.0 on 29th
Minimum Terrestrial Radiation, and date*	32.0 on 21st	20.0 on 13th, 26th	20.6 on 18th	23.0 on 25th
Mean Humidity (Saturation = 100) ..	71	73	88	60
Average same month previous years ...	80	78	82	78
Total Rainfall, in inches	6.650	4.345	4.236	4.800
Average same month previous years ...	4.818	6.385	2.607	2.474
Number of Days of Rain	26	17	17	18
Average same month previous years ...	19	18	13	12

* 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, 14th August, 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 July, 1895.

BOROUGHS.	ESTIMATED POPULATION OF BOROUGHS 1ST JANUARY, 1895.	TOTAL BIRTHS IN BOROUGHS.	DEATHS IN BOROUGHS REGISTERED IN JULY, 1895.									Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, July, 1895.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population in the Year 1894.
			Males.			Females.			Total Deaths.				
			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	10	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	0.43	9.41
New Plymouth	3,683	16	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	0.54	12.39
Napier	9,163	23	2	..	1	1	1	..	7	0.76	15.91		
Wanganui	5,601	15	..	..	1	3	..	..	5	0.89	9.25
Palmerston North	6,543	24	..	..	3	1	..	..	8	1.22	9.13
Blenheim	3,240	13	..	2	1	2	..	..	5	1.54	10.18
Nelson	6,552	20	..	..	6	1	1	..	12	1.83	15.93
Grey mouth	3,796	5	..	..	2	..	..	..	4	1.05	10.82
Hokitika	2,160	4	..	..	3	..	..	..	6	2.78	23.50
Lyttelton	3,998	11	..	..	3	..	..	..	6	1.50	8.49
Timaru	3,778	11	..	..	2	2	..	..	9	2.38	9.52
Oamaru	5,772	10	1	..	..	1	..	..	4	0.69	10.21
Invercargill	5,740*	14	..	..	3	1	..	..	5	0.87	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 of New Zealand, Northern District.

In the matter of "The Bankruptcy Act, 1892," and of THOMAS WILLIAM PORTER, of Gisborne, Land Agent, a bankrupt.

NOTICE is hereby given that, by order of the Supreme Court of this date, the said Court confirmed the deed of composition herein, and ordered that the order of adjudication dated the 26th day of February, 1895, against the above-named Thomas William Porter be, and the same is hereby, annulled.

Dated this 2nd day of August, 1895.

JOHN COLEMAN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following dividends are now payable at my office, Wanganui, on all proved and admitted claims:—

Estate of R. Callaghan, Wanganui: Second and final, of 11s. 6d. in the pound.

Estate of William Hogg, Wanganui: First and final, of 10s. in the pound.

Estate of William Hicks, Wanganui: First and final, of 1s. in the pound.

Estate of D. Kitchen, Wanganui: First and final, of 2s. 1d. in the pound.

Estate of W. F. Steinmuller, Marton: First and final, of 1s. in the pound.

JOHN NOTMAN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Wanganui, 13th August, 1895.

In Bankruptcy.—In the District Court of Wairarapa, holden at Masterton.

NOTICE is hereby given that ELVISS POINTON, of Eketahuna, Painter, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, Masterton, on Tuesday, the 20th day of August, 1895, at 11.30 o'clock a.m.

W. B. CHENNELLS,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Masterton, 13th August, 1895.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM MAILER, of Westport, Bootmaker, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Wednesday, the 21st day of August, 1895, at 3 o'clock p.m.

A. D. BAYFEILD,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Westport, 8th August, 1895.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE COOKE, of Hokitika, Architect, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 14th day of August, 1895, at 11.45 o'clock a.m.

R. W. WADE,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Hokitika, 5th August, 1895.

In Bankruptcy.

Estate of SAMUEL SIMMONDS, of Alexandra South, Storekeeper.

A FIRST interim dividend, of 2s. in the pound, on all proved claims in the above estate will be payable at my office, No. 12, Rattray Street, on and after the 8th day of August, 1895.

C. C. GRAHAM,
Official Assignee.

Dunedin, 6th August, 1895.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN WEIR, of Waikawa, Storekeeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 15th day of August, 1895, at 2.30 o'clock.

CHARLES ROUT,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Invercargill, 5th August, 1895.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES LESLIE THEODORE HOWELL, of Riverton, Clerk, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 13th day of August, 1895, at 2 o'clock.

CHARLES ROUT,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Invercargill, 6th August, 1895.

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 three months from the date of the Gazette containing this notice.

3163. ALEXANDER ROBB.—Lots 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 11, 12, 13, and portion called "reserved road," of the Subdivision of Allotment 1, Section 18, of the Town of Onehunga, containing 1 rood and 37 perches. In the occupation of Applicant and his tenants.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 10th day of August, 1895, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

EDWIN BAMFORD,
District Land Registrar.

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TRANSMISSION 2627.—ELIZABETH KNOWLES, of Cust, Widow, claiming as devisee under the Will of HADAREZER CHARLES HENDERSON KNOWLES, deceased, has applied to be registered as proprietress of part of Rural Section 7332, situate in the Oxford District, being the land described in certificate of title, Vol. xviii., folio 80; and she will be so registered unless a caveat forbidding the same be lodged within one month from the date of the Gazette containing this notice.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch, the 13th day of August, 1895.

J. M. BATHAM,
District Land Registrar.

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A STATUTORY declaration of the destruction by fire of a certificate of title, vol. cli., folio 161, whereof ELIZABETH ANNE BROOKE is the registered proprietress, having been lodged with me, and an application having been made for the issue of a provisional certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I will issue the provisional certificate as requested at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the Gazette containing this notice.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch, the 13th day of August, 1895.

J. M. BATHAM,
District Land Registrar.

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Mining Notices.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CONSTRUCT WATER-RACE.

Maerewhenua District, 3rd August, 1895.

To the Warden at Livingstone.

I HEREBY give notice that I intend to construct a water-race to divert and use water for mining purposes and irrigation, commencing at a point in Sheep-wash Creek about 18 chains above eastern boundary of Section 20, Block X., Maerewhenua West, and terminating at Bushy Creek, at the south-east corner of western portion of Section 2, Block VII.

The length of such race is two miles or thereabouts, and its intended course is south-east, going through Sections 20 and 19, Block X.; thence through Sections 24, 25, 20, and 2, Block VII., Maerewhenua West.

The mean depth of such race is 9in., and the mean breadth is 9in., and it is proposed to divert one Government head of water.

Cost of construction: £50.

Time required for construction: Twelve months.

Number and date of miner's right: No. 18037; 7th February, 1895.

Time license required: Fifteen years.

JOHN ADAMS,
Applicant.

Any person objecting to the granting of this application must lodge his objection in writing at the Warden's Office, at Livingstone, within fourteen clear days from the date hereof.

Hearing at 11 o'clock on the 20th September, 1895.

LOUIS H. MURRAY,
Pro Warden.

Warden's Office, 3rd August, 1895 (9 a.m.). 516

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

1. The name of the company is to be the Aorere Gold-mining Company (No Liability).
2. The place of operations (or intended operations) is at Kuaotunu.
3. The registered office of the company will be situated at No. 42, Insurance Buildings, Queen Street, Auckland.
4. The value of the company's property, including claim or lease ground and machinery, is one thousand eight hundred pounds.
5. The number of shares in the company is sixty thousand, of two shillings each.
6. The number of shares subscribed for is sixty thousand.
7. The name of the Manager is John Hunter Harrison.
8. The names and addresses and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as below:—

	No. of Shares.
Loram, George, Kuaotunu, Hotelkeeper ..	7,304
Abbott, John, Queen Street, Financial Agent ..	6,000
Abbott, John, Queen Street, Financial Agent (in trust)	3,000
Black, A. G. S., Kuaotunu, Miner ..	2,334
Barrett, John, Kuaotunu, Miner ..	710
Ritchie, Robert, Kuaotunu, Miner ..	2,221
Richards, Capt. A. H., Kuaotunu, Mine-manager ..	2,221
Clare, John, Auckland, Gentleman ..	5,000
Gillies, C. E. S., Shortland Street, Solicitor ..	2,000
Chambers, John, Fort Street, Importer ..	1,714
Simmonds, Richard, Coromandel, County Clerk ..	1,715
Swindley, Robert A. H., Coromandel, Gentleman ..	1,715
Churton, W. H., Auckland, Legal Manager ..	1,000
Bankhart, Alfred, Auckland, Accountant ..	1,000
Stanley, E., Sydney, Mining Agent ..	1,000
Rose, Robert, Auckland, Gentleman ..	2,000
Harrison, John Hunter, 42, Mining Exchange, Legal Manager ..	1,000
Frater, Walter, jun., Auckland, Clerk ..	1,000
Smith, J. R., Parnell, Merchant ..	1,000
Gorrie, Henry T., Auckland, Auctioneer ..	1,000
Gorrie, William, Auckland, Accountant ..	1,000
Lyell, James A., Auckland, Stationer ..	1,000
Kemp, J. B. M., Parnell, Tailor ..	1,000
Henderson, Thomas, Queen Street, Manager U.S.S. Co. ..	1,000
Masfen, F. H., Exchange, Broker ..	1,000
McGregor, James, Auckland ..	1,000
Tunks, C. E., Auckland, Solicitor ..	1,000
Von Stürmer, Spencer, Parnell, Gentleman ..	1,000
Hamerton, P. C., Auckland ..	1,000
Minnette, Thomas, North Shore, Gentleman ..	500
Duder, John, North Shore, Storekeeper ..	500
Hardie, John W., High Street, Financial Agent ..	1,000
Wright, Arthur, Shortland Street, Tailor ..	1,000
Clarke, J. Friar, Auckland, Sharebroker ..	1,000
Bell, E., Auckland, Architect ..	1,000
Hellaby, William, Shortland Street, Wholesale Butcher ..	1,000
Fenwick, Robert, Auckland, Ironmonger ..	1,000
Hornibrook, H. P., Kuaotunu, Mine-manager ..	710
Johnston, Capt., Auckland, Captain s.s. "Waiotahi" ..	500
O'Connor, Michael, Aratapu, Hotelkeeper ..	500
McLeod, Donald, Kuaotunu, Butcher ..	356
Total	60,000

Dated this 2nd day of August, 1895.

JOHN HUNTER HARRISON,
Manager.

Witness to signature—C. V. Bedford.

I, John Hunter Harrison, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

1. I am the Manager of the said intended company.
2. The above statement is, to the best of my belief and knowledge, true in every particular.

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

JOHN HUNTER HARRISON.

Taken before me, this 3rd day of August, 1895—H. M. Shepherd, J.P. 518

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

1. The name of the company is to be the New Tokatea Gold-mining Company (No Liability).
2. The place of operations (or intended operations) is at Coromandel.

3. The registered office of the company will be situated at Auckland.

4. The value of the company's property, including claim or lease ground and machinery, is two thousand pounds.

5. The number of shares in the company is eighty thousand, of two shillings each.

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

7. The name of the Manager is John Hunter Harrison.

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

	No. of Shares.
Colebrook, John Drew, Coromandel, Mine-manager ..	5,000
Coll, James, Coromandel, Miner ..	3,125
Harrison, Richard H., Coromandel, Mine-manager ..	3,875
Thomas, William, Coromandel, Miner ..	2,500
Simmonds, R., Coromandel, County Clerk ..	2,500
Argall, Captain W. H., Coromandel, Mine-manager ..	2,500
Reillery, J., Coromandel, Surveyor ..	2,500
Swindley, A. R. H., Coromandel, Gentleman ..	2,500
Audley, Fred., Coromandel, Mine-manager ..	2,500
Harrison, Lilla M., Coromandel, Spinster ..	2,500
Studholme, J. F., Napier, Sheep-farmer ..	2,000
Berridge, J., Napier, Club Steward ..	2,000
Gatland, Vincent F., Coromandel, Miner ..	1,875
Gorrie, Henry Thomson, Auckland, Auctioneer ..	1,875
Buchanan, James, Auckland, Commercial Traveller ..	1,250
Legg, Edmund W., Coromandel, Miner ..	1,250
Bancroft, John, Auckland, Secretary ..	1,250
O'Dowd, Francis, Coromandel, Miner ..	1,250
Bremner, John, Coromandel, Miner ..	1,250
Wynyard, Montague H., Auckland, Solicitor ..	1,250
Frater, William, Auckland, Broker (in trust) ..	1,250
Kenrick, Arthur T., Coromandel, Assayer ..	1,250
Pribble, William, Napier, Fruiterer ..	1,000
Boyd, William, Napier, Shipchandler ..	1,000
Moeller, Frank, Napier, Hotelkeeper ..	1,000
Johnson, J., Gisborne, Commercial Traveller ..	1,000
Williams, E. H., Napier, Solicitor ..	1,000
Cranby, C., Napier, Merchant ..	1,000
Birch, Azim T., Napier, Settler ..	1,000
Smythe, G. F., Napier, Stationer ..	1,000
Davies, David T., Napier, Tailor ..	1,000
Harding, J., Gisborne, Settler ..	1,000
Whinray, J., Gisborne, Settler ..	1,000
Gore, A. H., Napier, Secretary ..	1,000
Fraser, A. L. D., Hastings, Native Agent ..	1,000
Holder, H. J., Napier, Builder ..	1,000
McLean, J. A., Napier, Banker ..	1,000
Heron, James, Napier, Settler ..	1,000
Sellar, James, Napier, Contractor ..	1,000
Peterson, Captain, Napier, Mariner ..	1,000
Irvine, William, Napier, Butcher ..	1,000
Smith, R. B., Napier, Baker ..	1,000
Sweetapple, R. D., Napier, Cordial-maker ..	1,000
Eccles, William, Napier, Chemist ..	1,000
Masters, Stuart, Kaitaia ..	1,000
Lynch, Pierce, Coromandel, Miner ..	625
Watling, William, Coromandel, Miner ..	625
Gatland, Edwin F., Coromandel, Miner ..	625
Keary, Thomas, Coromandel, Miner ..	625
Jamieson, R. E., Coromandel, Teacher ..	625
Lough, Frederick, Coromandel, Miner ..	625
Jamieson, J. Andrew, Coromandel, Miner ..	625
Stehr, William, Coromandel, Hotelkeeper ..	625
Love, Robert, Coromandel, Draper ..	625
Cooke, Herbert Robbins, Coromandel, Agent ..	625
Harrison, John Hunter, Auckland, Mining Agent ..	500
Cook, J. W., Napier, Clothier ..	500
Petrie, W., Gisborne, Settler ..	500
Cleave, William, Napier, Waiter ..	500
Gentles, Herbert, Auckland, Warehouseman ..	500
Bunby, R. J., Auckland, Warehouseman ..	500
Kneebone, John, Auckland, Warehouseman ..	250
Glover, George, Taheke ..	250
Total	80,000

Dated this 3rd day of August, 1895.

JOHN HUNTER HARRISON,
Witness to signature—C. V. Bedford. Manager.

I, John Hunter Harrison, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

1. I am the Manager of the said intended company.
2. The above statement is, to the best of my belief and knowledge, true in every particular.

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

JOHN HUNTER HARRISON.

Taken before me, this 3rd day of August, 1895—H. M. Shepherd, J.P. 517

NEW ELDORADO SLUICING COMPANY (LIMITED).

I, the undersigned manager, hereby give notice that an increase in the capital of the above-named company was, on the 12th day of July, 1895, resolved on.

The mode adopted for the increase is by issuing five hundred (500) new shares of one pound each, in addition to the two thousand shares now existing in the company.

JOHN R. HOOPER,
Manager of the above Company.
HENRY SCHLAADT,
W. R. DON, } Directors.

Dunedin, 9th August, 1895.

1. I, John R. Hooper, of Dunedin, do solemnly and sincerely declare that the foregoing statement is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true in every particular.

2. I am the manager of the above company.

3. Henry Schlaadt and W. R. Don, whose signatures are affixed to the said statement, are directors of the said company.

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."

JOHN R. HOOPER.

Taken before me, at Dunedin, 9th August, 1895—John Angus, J.P. 524

ZEALANDIA GOLD-MINING COMPANY (NO LIABILITY).

Auckland, 30th July, 1895.

To the Registrar of the Supreme Court,
Auckland.

YOU will please to take notice that the office of the Zealandia Gold-mining Company (No Liability) is situated at Nos. 10 and 11, New Zealand Insurance Buildings, Queen Street, Auckland, and that Mr. DENNIS GILMORE MacDONNELL has been appointed Manager.

G. S. KISSLING,
W. GORRIE, } Directors.
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REDGAUNTLET GOLD-MINING COMPANY (NO LIABILITY).

Auckland, 30th July, 1895.

To the Registrar of the Supreme Court,
Auckland.

YOU will please to take notice that the office of the Redgauntlet Gold-mining Company (No Liability) is situated at Nos. 10 and 11, New Zealand Insurance Buildings, Queen Street, Auckland, and that Mr. DENNIS GILMORE MacDONNELL has been appointed Manager.

ARTHUR WRIGHT,
H. BURTON, } Directors.
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HAURAKI EXTENDED GOLD-MINING COMPANY (NO LIABILITY).

Auckland, 30th July, 1895.

To the Registrar of the Supreme Court,
Auckland.

YOU will please to take notice that the office of the Hauraki Extended Gold-mining Company (No Liability) is situated at Nos. 10 and 11, New Zealand Insurance Buildings, Queen Street, Auckland, and that Mr. DENNIS GILMORE MacDONNELL has been appointed Manager.

G. S. KISSLING,
ARTHUR WRIGHT, } Directors.
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GOLDEN LEAD GOLD-MINING COMPANY (NO LIABILITY).

Auckland, 30th July, 1895.

To the Registrar of the Supreme Court,
Auckland.

YOU will please to take notice that the office of the Golden Lead Gold-mining Company (No Liability) is situated at Nos. 10 and 11, New Zealand Insurance Buildings, Queen Street, Auckland, and that Mr. DENNIS GILMORE MacDONNELL has been appointed Manager.

ALFRED WALKER,
W. GORRIE, } Directors.
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STANLEY GOLD-MINING COMPANY (NO LIABILITY).

Auckland, 30th July, 1895.

To the Registrar of the Supreme Court,
Auckland.

YOU will please to take notice that the office of the Stanley Gold-mining Company (No Liability) is

situated at Nos. 10 and 11, New Zealand Insurance Buildings, Queen Street, Auckland, and that Mr. DENNIS GILMORE MacDONNELL has been appointed Manager.

H. BURTON,
THOS. T. MASEFIELD, } Directors.
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WAITEKAURI No. 4 GOLD-MINING COMPANY (NO LIABILITY).

Auckland, 30th July, 1895.

To the Registrar of the Supreme Court,
Auckland.

YOU will please to take notice that the office of the Waitekauri No. 4 Gold-mining Company (No Liability) is situated at Nos. 10 and 11, New Zealand Insurance Buildings, Queen Street, Auckland, and that Mr. DENNIS GILMORE MacDONNELL has been appointed Manager.

ALFRED KIDD,
THOMAS MORRIN, } Directors.
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HAURAKI NORTH GOLD-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

Auckland, 30th July, 1895.

To the Registrar of the Supreme Court,
Auckland.

YOU will please to take notice that the office of the Hauraki North Gold-mining Company (Limited) is situated at Nos. 10 and 11, New Zealand Insurance Buildings, Queen Street, Auckland, and that Mr. DENNIS GILMORE MacDONNELL has been appointed Manager.

JAMES HERON,
ARTHUR WRIGHT,
JAMES McCORMICK, } Directors.
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AORERE GOLD-MINING COMPANY (NO LIABILITY).

Auckland, 3rd August, 1895.

SIR,—Please take notice that the office of the Aoreere Gold-mining Company (No Liability) is situated at No. 42, New Zealand Insurance Buildings, Queen Street, Auckland, and that Mr. JOHN HUNTER HARRISON has been appointed Manager.

W. GORRIE,
J. ABBOTT, } Directors.
To the Registrar of the Supreme Court,
Auckland. 519

NEW TOKATEA GOLD-MINING COMPANY (NO LIABILITY).

Auckland, 3rd August, 1895.

SIR,—Please take notice that the office of the New Tokatea Gold-mining Company (No Liability) is situated at No. 42, New Zealand Insurance Buildings, Queen Street, Auckland, and that Mr. JOHN HUNTER HARRISON has been appointed Manager.

W. PREBBLE,
HENRY JOHNSTON, } Directors.
To the Registrar of the Supreme Court,
Auckland. 520

Private Advertisements.

WAIPA COUNTY COUNCIL.

NOTICE TO TAKE LAND UNDER "THE PUBLIC WORKS ACT, 1894."

PUBLIC notice is hereby given that it is the intention of the Waipa County Council to take a portion of Section 101, Parish of Horotiu, Waipa County, for gravel-reserve purposes.

The land to be taken is the western portion of Section 101. Bounded to the north by the Waikato River; and to the south by a road-line, 1575 links, more or less, and thence by a swinging line to the Waikato River: to include 5 acres.

A plan of the above portion of land to be taken is now on view at the County Council Chambers during office-hours on Tuesdays; and objections, if any, to the taking of the above-described land must be lodged in writing, and addressed "Chairman, Waipa County Council," within forty (40) days from date hereof.

JOHN ATKINSON,
Chairman, Waipa County Council.
Hamilton, 29th July, 1895. 521

NOTICE.

In the matter of "The District Railways Act, 1877," and the several amendments thereof; and in the matter of the Greymouth-Point Elizabeth Railway and Coal Company (Limited).

WHEREAS by Proclamation published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 44, of 14th August, 1890, His Excellency the Governor authorised the Cobden Railway and Coal Company (Limited) to construct a railway under the above-mentioned Acts from Cobden, *via* Coal Creek, to a point near Seven-mile Creek, as shown and referred to in the plan and book of reference, dated 2nd May, 1889, deposited in the Public Works Office, Wellington, and numbered P.W.D. 16239: And whereas the said Cobden Railway and Coal Company (Limited) has transferred all its interests in the said railway to the Greymouth-Point Elizabeth Railway and Coal Company (Limited): Notice is hereby given that it is the intention of the Greymouth-Point Elizabeth Railway and Coal Company (Limited) to apply to His Excellency the Governor for authority to construct a further extension of said railway, and to alter certain portions of the centre line beyond the limits of deviation shown on aforesaid deposited plan; and that an amended plan, showing such extensions and alterations, and amended books of reference showing the lands required to be taken for the same, and the names of the owners and occupiers thereof, have this day been deposited and may be inspected at the office of the Minister for Public Works, Wellington, and at the office of the Grey County Council, Greymouth, and at the Post-office, Cobden.

JAMES DOUGLAS GILLIES,
Resident Engineer to the Greymouth-
Point Elizabeth Railway and Coal
Company (Limited).

Greymouth, 12th August, 1895.

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MALING AND COMPANY (LIMITED), (IN LIQUIDATION).

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 202 of "The Companies Act, 1882," that a general meeting of the members of the above-named company will be held at Mr. Charles Clark's rooms, Hereford Street, in the City of Christchurch, on Thursday, the 24th day of October, 1895, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidators.

Dated the 13th day of August, 1895.

E. J. OWEN COX,
CHAS. JENNINGS,
Liquidators.

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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership which has for some time past been subsisting between REGINALD EDWARD BECKETT and THOMAS HAMMOND, under the style or firm of "Beckett and Hammond," as Farmers and Graziers, at Hinau, Pemberton, in the County of Oroua, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. The Partnership property has been transferred to Mr. Beckett, to whom all accounts owing by the Partnership should be forwarded.

Dated this 12th day of August, 1895.

R. E. BECKETT,
THOMAS HAMMOND.

Witnesses to both signatures—Chas. Godfrey Esam,
Solicitor, Marton; John Hammond, Farmer, Rata. 525

THE NEW ZEALAND MINES TRUST (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that the above company is carrying on business at Auckland, in the Provincial District of Auckland, and that the office of the said company is at the office of Mr. Robert Rose, in Shortland Street, in the City of Auckland, and that Mr. Robert Rose is the Local Secretary of the said company at the above address.

Dated this 31st day of July, 1895.

ROBERT ROSE,
JAMES RUSSELL,
Attorneys for the said Company.

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BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

THE public are informed that extracts from the *New Zealand Gazette*, containing all Bankruptcy Notices that appear in each issue, are published weekly, and will be sent post-free to any address on payment of a subscription of 10s. per annum. Single copies, 3d. each. Orders should be addressed and subscriptions made payable to

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